

Social Events ♦ Women's News



Robert Onstad, Ashland artist and potter, is shown here "throwing" a vase on his potter's wheel while his son, Richard, observes his father's technique. For this piece the artist was using a basic white firing clay, a material which is plastic and easy to throw. This clay can be cast, sculptured or thrown on the wheel, Mr. Onstad explained.

Gallery Has Varied Activities

Ashland-The Ashland Art gallery isn't just a place to display paintings. Exhibits are held at the gallery, but the old building located on Water street also is a place where artists and aspiring artists can learn about the potter's wheel, take lessons in sculpture, ceramics, graphics, jewelry making or leather work, where the Senior Craftsmen of Oregon have their southern Oregon display of handicraft and art work, where the Ashland Chess club



Mrs. Woody Johnston, Ashland (at left) recently made a ceramic sculpture of her daughter. Working at the Ashland Art gallery under the direction of Robert Onstad. Observing is Miss Isabel Converse, who paints as a hobby. From the sculptured head, or similar pieces, a plastic mold can be made from this, numerous reproductions if the artist wishes.

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Families Give Holiday Dinners In Hornbrook

Hornbrook - Thanksgiving holiday dinner guests of Postmaster and Mrs. Wayne Cummins were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Spearin and son Danny, and Mrs. Spearin's mother, Mrs. Nelson, all of Dunsmuir, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cummins and Miss Orpha Wagner, all of Hornbrook. The birthday of Floyd Spearin also was observed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Edwards spent Thanksgiving day in Medford at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Tucker.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Souza over the week end were their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Frances Souza and daughters, Dorothy and Barbara, Crescent City, Calif.

Holiday guests at the Alvin McMaster home were her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McBain and daughter Narcie, Yreka, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith and two children, Hilt, and Lee Clyburn, Montague, Calif.

Mrs. Alice Tyrer was a dinner guest Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Truelove, Grenada, Calif. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Don True and Mr. and Mrs. Don True Jr. and family, also of Grenada.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Cummins and children, Loren Howard and Jennifer, spent the holiday in Ft. Jones as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lauran Payne and son Lauran Jr. This was as a surprise for Lauran Jr., as he and Loren Howard have been friends through grammar and high school days and Lauran is now a student at San Jose State college, and Loren Howard attends Southern Oregon college in Ashland.

Hornbrook - Mrs. Della Hartin and Mrs. Eileen Widener, both Yreka, were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Burrell and seven children. Mrs. Hartin is Mrs. Burrell's mother, and Mrs. Widener is her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Breceda were Thanksgiving day guests in Montague of their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Breceda and Larry and Gordy. Arriving Friday to spend the week end with the Lawrence Brecedas was his granddaughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Newcomer and infant son, Redding, Calif. This was the first time Mr. Breceda had seen his first great-grandchild.

Hornbrook - Mrs. Phil Hemstead and son, Redding, Calif., spent the holiday week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blanchard and son, Jim. Thanksgiving day was spent in Grants Pass with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Blanchard.

Reunion
Hornbrook - Thanksgiving week-end also was the occasion for a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Slack. Arriving on Wednesday and returning on Sunday to their home in Anderson, Calif., were their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Slack and son. Guests from Thursday to Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Slack and children from Fortuna, Calif., and Miss Adele Anderson, Corvallis, Ore. Joining the family for the holiday only were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Slack, Winston, Ore., Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Slack and children, Rogue River, Ore., and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Slack, also Rogue River.

Dinners Given In Applegate
Applegate Valley - Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Nashif were here from Oakland to spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Nashif's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wilson.

Mrs. and Mrs. David Herd and family were here from Oregon City to spend the holiday period with Mrs. Herd's sister, Mrs. Dave Winningham.

Among those leaving the community for Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs. William Dyrdaal and sons Sam and Oscar and Bryan Waldyke, who went to San Francisco to spend the holiday with Mrs. Dyrdaal's sisters, Mrs. Harry Nelson, and Miss Blanche Livingston.

Among those who were hostesses at large family dinners at their homes were Mrs. Morris Byrne and Mrs. James Fossen.

About 40 persons attended a potluck dinner at Ruch Community church dining room following an eleven o'clock service.

Jefferson PTA To Hold Dinner
Jefferson Parent-Teacher association is sponsoring the annual ham dinner Thursday, November 29, in the Jefferson school cafeteria. Dinner will be served from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., with a nominal charge for adults and a smaller one for children in the sixth grade and under.

Holiday Whirl Fashions To Be Shown By AAUW

Fashions for the holiday whirl will be displayed at the "Christmas Carousel" fashion show and luncheon planned by Medford branch, American Association of University Women, for 12:30 p.m. Saturday, December 8, at the Rogue Valley Country club.

Gowns and sports clothes from Jean Hart, Drews Manstore and the Rogue Ski shop will be modeled by AAUW members and families. Members of Rogue Valley Beauticians association will take charge of the hair styles.

As an intermission feature, a Medford High school musical group under the direction of Lynn Sjolund will perform. A bridge party in the Top Flight room for all guests will follow the luncheon and style show.

AAUW invites all interested women to enjoy the afternoon with them. Reservations must be made by Wednesday, December 5, with Mrs. Arthur S. Anderson, 773-8813, or Mrs. E. H. Loveness, 772-5990.

CARE Tea Announced

Ashland - Members of the Women's Civic club, Oregon Federation of Women's clubs, will be hostesses Friday, November 30, for a silver tea to benefit the CARE program.

The annual event to which the public is invited will be held in the clubhouse on Winburn way from 2 to 4 o'clock. Contributions will be used to buy classroom kits to assist in literacy instruction in Costa Rica. Federated clubs west of the Mississippi river will help in the work carried on under CARE in India, Hong Kong, Guatemala and Costa Rica.

During the afternoon there will be a program of music and a speaker representing the federation who will tell of conditions and literacy problems in countries benefiting from CARE gifts.

Mrs. Roy Nye, member of the Ashland club, is state chairman of international affairs. Club chairman is Mrs. Elden Corthell.

Son Home

Wonder-Leonard Sellers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Sellers, Bella Marie ranch, has been here from Monterey, Calif., where he is at ending college.

To Attend Dinner

Prospect - Several members of Prospect Lions club and their wives plan to attend a dinner meeting to be given December 1 by the Butte Falls Lady Lions.

Returns

Ashland - Mrs. Grace Flint, 238 B street, returned Tuesday from Sacramento, Calif., where she spent Thanksgiving week with her son Alvin Flint and his family.

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