

**Exams Announced for Clerical Positions**

L. B. Nelson, examiner for the civil service commission at the Medford post office, has announced that applications are being accepted for clerical positions in various federal agencies in the Washington, D.C., metropolitan area.

Application forms may be obtained at the Medford post office or by writing the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D.C. Applications must be received or be postmarked not later than April 15.

**4-H Club News**

**West Side Club**  
The West Side Home Improvement 4-H club met at the home of Wren Winniford. Mrs. Winniford taught the members how to decorate cakes with different decorating materials.

Mrs. Ricks, the leader of the club, brought cupcakes for the members to decorate. These were served as refreshments.

Conny Varner, Reporter

**Handy Annies**  
The March meeting of the Handy Annies 4-H club was held at the home of Mrs. John Hochstatter. Molly Ely called the meeting to order and Jocelyn Greer led the 4-H pledge and Kathy Rantz the pledge of allegiance.

A report was given by Mary Jo Nelson on what the Handy Annies club did for 4-H club week.

The business session was adjourned and Mrs. John Carnegie talked on judging clothing.

Mary Jo Nelson, Reporter

**Eyes and Knives**  
The regular meeting of the Lake Creek Eyes and Knives 4-H club was recently held at the Meyer home. A demonstration on yeast batter method muffins was given by DeAnna Grisom, Elaine and Gloria Meyer. Linda Armitage and Lauramay Noble gave a demonstration on "Select a pattern and how to make it."

Another meeting of the club was held at the home of Susan Harper, who gave a demonstration on rolling out a pie crust. Linda Armitage and Lauramay Noble demonstrated the shrinking of material in cold water. Mary Ann Gardner gave a demonstration on line and design, good grooming, and care of shoes.

A style review practice was held March 26 and a workshop at the home of Linda Armitage March 21.

The next regular meeting will be held April 13 at the home of Dana Jo Bradshaw when the club will entertain the knitting club from Eagle Point.

Elaine Meyer, Reporter

**Nutty Nitten Needs**  
A pot luck luncheon was held recently at the home of Mrs. Warne for the Nutty Nitten Needs 4-H club. Mrs. Lusk was a guest and gave some pointers on knitting.

The club visited the Knit and Pearl 4-H club in Rogue River and were guests at luncheon. While visiting the club it was learned how to make a basket for knitting out of an ice cream carton.

The next meeting will be held April 8 at Sandra Mayfield's home.

Conny Varner, Reporter

**NAMED TO COMMITTEE**  
Washington - UPI - Loyd M. Key of Milton-Freewater, Ore., has been appointed to the Oregon Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation committee by Agriculture Secretary Orville Freeman.

**Spiritual Retreat To Maryland Farm Provides Rich Experience for Writer**

By A. ROBERT SMITH  
Mail Tribune  
Washington Bureau

Washington (Special) - If you have never been on a spiritual retreat, you have a rich experience awaiting you. Almost anyone would welcome and benefit from a retreat from the work-a-day world of jangling telephones, blaring auto horns, rasping radio and TV commercials, which all add their daily deposit of irritation to the anxieties which plague modern man imprisoned professionally in urban society.

By its very nature, a week end retreat takes one into another world—the world of relatively undefiled nature where one is undiverted from the simple joy of waking to a foggy dawn, retiring beneath a blaze of twinkling stars and a waning moon, of surrendering to the fascination of a crackling fire on a stone hearth, of seeing the woods begin their vernal awakening from the cold winter's slumber, feeling the warm promise of the good old summer time, pondering the wonder of all this natural order amid such human disorder, feeling grateful for the miracle of each day and the thousand tomorrows to come. In a word, a retreat takes one into the special world of the spirit.

This retreat was held at a farm just off the road to Damascus, Md., a mile or two from the headquarters of the Atomic Energy Commission, 25 miles from downtown Washington. The retreat farm is owned by the Church of the Saviour of Washington, an ecumenical congregation.

**Area Isolated**  
The retreat area is isolated from the rest of the 150-acre farm. It centers in a rustic lodge, built on the edge of a wood, consisting of a large room in which the group meets for discussion, silent meditation or worship, a dining room and a kitchen. Nearby in the woods is the inn, with 18 individual sound-proofed rooms.

This was not a special Lenten retreat, but one of many held almost every week end throughout the year, some of which have drawn laymen and ministers from near and far. This retreat involved 16 persons and was led by Dr. Rustum Roy, a professor of geochemistry at Pennsylvania State University.

While recognized as a brilliant scientist, Rustum Roy is also highly regarded as a spiritual leader. He came to America from India in 1946, one of 11 children of a father he described as "a radical Christian" who spent more time proclaiming the word of God than providing for his family.

Others participating in the retreat included an attorney for the Civil Rights Commission, an engineer for the Federal Communications Commission, a speech therapist, a librarian, a minister who specializes in counselling, the wife of a research psychologist for the Peace Corps, a psychologist, a carpenter (who was the assistant leader), a scientific book editor, a newspaper reporter, a church secretary and several housewives.

**On Christian Concept**  
Their occupations are significant because the entire focus of the two-day retreat (from Friday supper into Sunday afternoon) was on the Christian concept of vocation. What is the responsibility of the devout Christian in his job? What is his calling? Can his job be a vehicle for Christian service or discipleship?

A traditional view is that man has been given special talents by his Creator, that in developing these talents and using them in useful enterprises for his society he is doing the will of God. This view holds, whether he be a plumber or a biologist, a doctor or a teacher. The point was that this view makes Christianity a seven-day responsibility, not just a Sunday-good-behavior matter.

**Prof. Roy does not hold with this view.** In short, he believes that every Christian has a primary vocation which is distinct from his wage-or salary-earning occupation. That primary vocation is the call to discipleship, to proclaim the word of God.

**Little Opportunity**  
Some occupations afford little opportunity for this, others

which fall low on this scale, but to recognize that his hours on that job are not the only ones that count, no matter how he excels in using his God-given talents.

This view of Christian vocation is grounded, of course, in the Protestant concept of the priesthood of all believers, that there is no fundamental distinction between the clergy and the laymen, that the laity (laos) are equally called by God to serve and proclaim His word.

"To sum up," said Rustum Roy, "the renewal of the church by the recovery of the meaning and assumption of responsibility by all the 'laos' of

God is the only hope in the mid-twentieth century for an effective proclamation of the 'secret' given to Christians.

"In order to give the people of God the responsibility it is necessary also for them to have the commensurate authority. The people of God consists of human beings called by Him for but one single purpose - to proclaim the nature of God revealed in Jesus Christ by continuing His life and redemptive acts. All Christians have the same calling - to communicate the Word.

"How they maintain themselves and how they use their specific strategies to permit most effective communication: it is necessary that Christians enter all the diversities of human existence in order that Christ may be brought effectively into every corner of it."

Then he ranks social workers, teachers, average small town minister, homemaking, farming, community service business, white collar desk job, social sciences, and lastly, along with industrial assembly-line jobs he ranks his own field, research in the natural sciences.

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**Willamette Basin Flood Work Needed**

Albany - UPI - Army Engineers were told Thursday more flood control work is needed in the Willamette River Basin.

Morning and night meetings were held by the engineers at which the development of the basin and plans for improvement were discussed.

Stan Soll, a Sweet Home resident who heads an organization studying Linn county flood control problems, said major areas where control is needed are Thomas, Muddy, Oak and Lake creeks.

Frank Ray, Albany city recreation director, said the Bryant Park area was impossible to develop because of flooding. He said until future water levels of the park are determined, the city cannot plan adequately.

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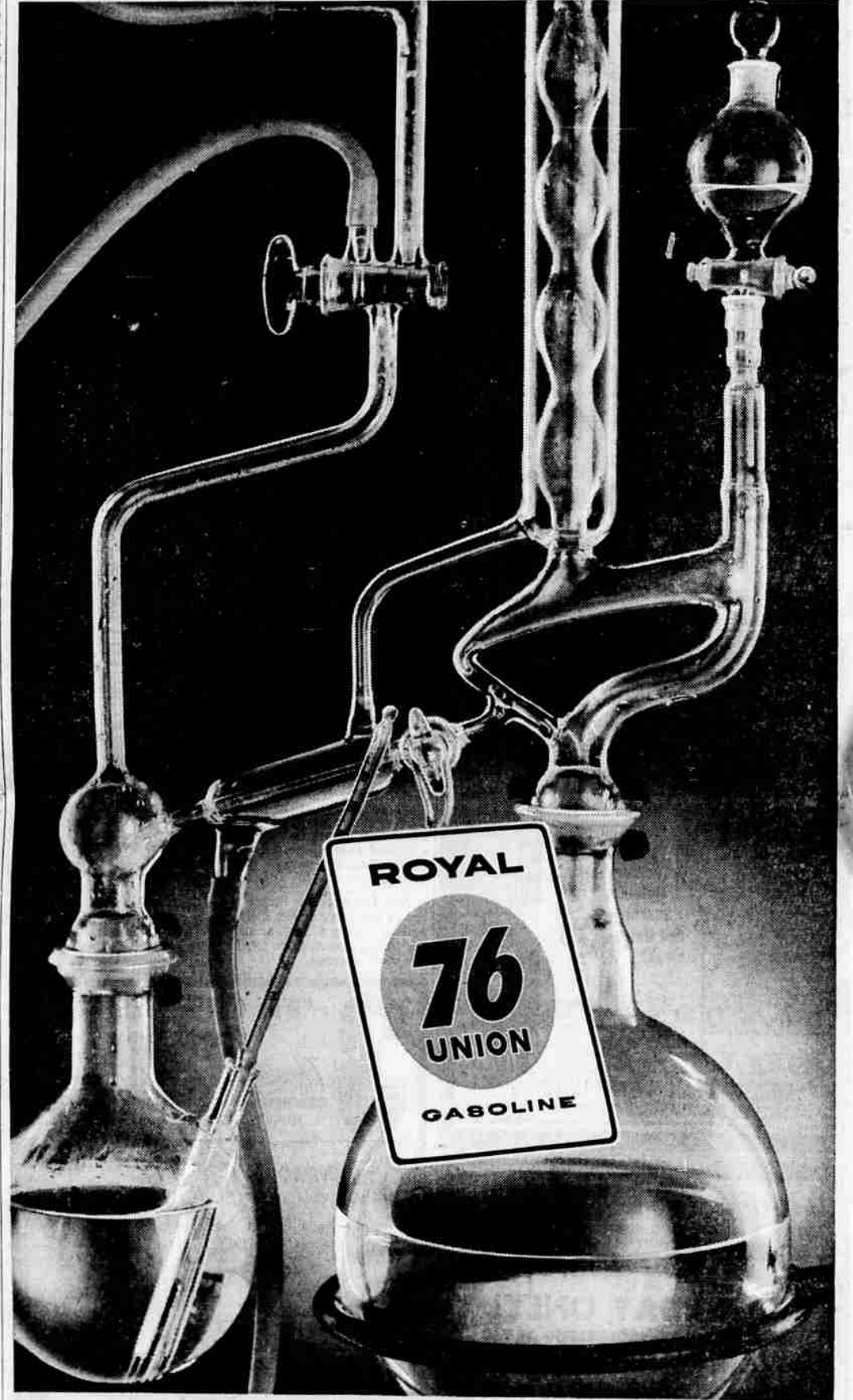


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