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## City's Oldest Resident Honored on Birthday

The 99th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Ida Geddes was observed at her home Saturday evening by the annual "get-together" of friends and relatives. A covered-dish dinner was attended by 43 people, with Miss Daisy Geddes, who makes her home with her mother, acting as hostess.

Following the dinner, photographs were taken of Mrs. Geddes and those whom she calls her "grandchildren," Florene Rhoten, Bill Shepherd, Cleone Kaplinger Judge, and Virginia Mason Hoeye. Other pictures were taken with the "great-grandchildren," Bobby and Barbara Jean Rhoten, Tommy and Craig Judge, and Judy, Ellen, and Jon oeye, also pictures of the large birthday cake.

For entertainment, Curtis Cline showed a number of colored slides of various localities. Franklin McDowell also showed some slides taken while he was in Korea. The remainder of the evening was spent in visiting about old times.

Mrs. Geddes, who attends church regularly and is active as a member in a number of organizations has been honored upon several occasions during the past week in observance of her birthday, which took place on February 9.

Signing the guest list were Altha Grimes, D. Hoeye, Lettie Cline, C. M. Cline, Gladys Trask, Elsie Potter, Mel Robinson, T. L. Hennes, Mildred Allen, Cora Goodman, Helen Saucier, Edward McNulty, Harold Judge, Martin V. Kelly, Milton Rhoten, Floyd Shepherd, Bill Shepherd, Wilma Jull, Georgia Mason, Edith Mason, Will Ross of Portland, Maxine McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis, Lucy Shepherd, Franklin McDowell, Alice Hennes, Barbara Kelly, Nona McDowell, Florene Roten, Olivia Kaplinger, Cleone Judge, Judy and Ellen Hoeye, Bobby Rhoten, Tommy Judge, Craig Roten, Tammy Lee Judge, Craig Judge, Barbara Jean Rhoten, Virginia Hoeye, Daisy Geddes, Jonathan Hoeye, C. E. Mason, Mrs. Bassett, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gooch, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Faust, and Mrs. Ida Geddes.

Held in esteem as Mill City's oldest citizen, Mrs. Geddes was born Ida Stella Lathrop in New London, Wisconsin, where her father was a Congregational missionary, in 1855. She and her husband, Joseph, came west in 1883. They spent several weeks in Salem, inquiring where teachers were needed, before being directed to the

## Advertising Benefits Felt by Everyone

"Advertising benefits everyone" is the theme of Advertising Recognition Week, February 14 to 20, which is being observed in Oregon and throughout the nation.

The annual observance started four years ago by the Advertising Association of the West has expanded nationwide this year under the sponsorship of the Advertising Federation of America. The United States department of Commerce and the United States Chamber of Commerce are urging full cooperation of every local and civic business group.

"Advertising is the main stimulant to American business and the spur to the greatest material progress the world has ever known," said W. Arthur Steels, publisher of the Klamath Chief and president of the Oregon Newspaper Publishers Association which is helping the Oregon Ad Club and the Land Ad Club with the state-wide promotion.

The objective of the week is to interpret advertising's place and part in our economy and life, and its responsibility in the days ahead in keeping buyers informed, keeping business moving and in general sparking our economy.

Advertising especially typifies the American Way of Life as compared with dictatorships. In America, the decision of the buyer is all important. Under dictatorships and other authoritarian governments, the public has little choice.

The Mill City Enterprise is happy to join with other newspapers, other advertising media, and other organizations to help explain how advertising plays such an important part in the lives of all.

## FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR ROSE MARIE KIERSEY

Funeral services were held in Stayton Monday afternoon for Rose Marie Kiersey, two-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kiersey of Mill City, who passed away on Friday. The baby seemed in good health Thursday night but became ill Friday morning.

There are three other girls in the family, Cecelia Ann, Gloria Jean, and Mary Beth. Grave-side services were held at the Lone Oak cemetery at Stayton.

## Work Progressing On Road Approach

Work was started this week on the new highway approach to Mill City. A shovel began operation by digging into the bank of the highway near the Mill City Tavern. This is being done to make a wider turn. The dirt is being dumped along the highway near The Enterprise office to widen the road at this point.

The street in front of The Enterprise office will be closed, as will the old approach to the city. The new approach will make it easier for trucks to get into town, and eliminate the hazard of the abrupt rise near the McCarthy Furniture.

## Scout Court of Honor Held at Lions Club Meet

Following the regular dinner meeting of the Mill City Lions club Monday evening, a Court of Honor was held for the Boy Scouts, which organization the club sponsors. Awards were presented by Lee Ross, chairman of the scout committee. Other committee members present were: Bile McCoy, Roger Nelson, Ed Cooke, and Vernon Todd.

Senior Patrol Leader Jerry Foster opened the meeting, after which the following awards were made: Elmer (Dutch) Steiner, scoutmaster, the Star scout award; first class badge, Alan Tuers, who was unable to be present because of illness; second class, Donald Cree, Larry Moberg, Tommy Fencil and David Jennings; Tenderfoot badge, Jerry Upward, Lee Neilson, Louis Morgan, Teddy Pickett, Ronald Foster, and Kenneth Siler; Merit badges, Marlin Noyes in cycling and stamp collecting, and Duten Steiner for home repairs, marksmanship and archery. The Woodsman Patrol won the Gold Arrow attendance award for having the most parents present.

Taking part in the ceremony were John Muir, who represented the American Legion; Kenneth Jury of Albany, field executive of the Calapooia district for Boy Scouts and Charles Kelly, Lions club president. Robert Veness showed colored slides taken at Camp Pioneer last summer. Special guests at the dinner included Kenneth Jury of Albany, Jack Lake, and John Baldwin.

## Well Child Conference To Be Held February 23 At Mill City Grade School

A well child conference will be held February 23 between the hours of 10 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. at the Mill City elementary school.

Dr. Stone and a nurse from the Marion county health department will conduct the clinic. Mrs. William Pennick of Gates will be in charge. For appointments call Mrs. Pennick or the Nu-Method cleaners.

## National Founders Honored At P.T.A. Program Here

The national founders of PTA were honored at a Founders' Day program presented by the Campfire Girls at the regular PTA meeting last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Gene Engleau, leader of the 7th and 8th grade group of Campfire Girls, read a short history of the beginnings of PTA. Mrs. Alice Vernon and Mrs. Phoebe Hearts, the two founders of PTA, were portrayed by Sybil Dart and Sharon Muir. Wearing appropriate costumes, the girls posed as portraits in a large picture frame decorated with the Valentine theme. The Campfire girls concluded their part of the program with a demonstration of various dances which they have learned at the monthly PTA sponsored school parties.

Past presidents of the Mill City PTA were introduced and presented with corsages by Mrs. Howard Means, vice-president of the local organization. Mrs. Harry Mason, Mrs. Robert Veness, Mrs. Kenneth Crosier and Mrs. Roger Nelson, the past presidents, all made short talks.

The program was opened by the presentation of colors by the Campfire girls. Carol Cooke played The Star Spangled Banner on the piano.

During the business meeting which was conducted by A. E. Nesbitt, president, it was announced that movies shown to the children during the PTA meeting by Bob Thorpe, hospital-ity chairman, are open only to children accompanied by parents.

The St. Patrick's dance, which is being sponsored by the local PTA as a fund raising project, is to be held Saturday evening, March 13, at the

## New Dog Pound Now Ready for Operation

Mill City's dog pound which is located at the Mill City dump grounds west of town is now ready for operation, said Chief Meader Monday afternoon. Residents are now warned that dogs will have to be taken care of, or the animals causing trouble will be picked up and held in the dog pound.

Chief Meader is well pleased with the new building. It is well ventilated and dry, and dogs picked up will have a good "home" until their owners call for them. Dogs will be held for 10 days and if no one calls for them, they will be destroyed.

Owners may redeem their dogs by paying 50c a day for their care. The dog pound will be open between 5 and 6 p. m. daily except Saturday and Sunday.

The name chosen for the dog pound is "owners' neglect."

## Marion County Council of Legion and Auxiliary Meet in Mill City Friday

A joint meeting of the American Legion Posts and the Auxiliary Units of the Marion County Council was held at the Mill City legion hall Friday evening. The business meeting of each group was held separately, followed by the social hour.

Units were given the names of the winners for the flag code contest. Reports were given by the units of the various accomplishments of the past few months.

Posts and Units attending included those from Idanha, Stayton, Aumsville, Salem No. 136, Salem No. 9, Mt. Angel, Silverton, Aurora and Mill City.

After the business sessions, dancing was the diversion of the evening, followed by the serving of refreshments.

## Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gooch Celebrate 58th Wedding Anniversary Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gooch, Sr., celebrated their 58th wedding anniversary at their home here last Sunday, with the actual date being on Friday, February 12. The day was observed with a quiet family dinner and afternoon of visiting for members of the immediate family and one or two close friends.

Attending the affair were their two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gooch, Jr., of Sweet Home, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gooch and daughter, Twyla, of Salem, and their daughter, Mrs. Sylvia Duncan of Independence. Others included Mrs. Mary Russell of Salem, mother of Mrs. Earl Gooch, Mrs. Esther Groves Cotta of Eugene, a longtime friend, and Mrs. Bessie Bassett.

## Salem Singers To Present Sacred Concert at Idanha

The Salem Singers a group of business and professional men from Salem will present a sacred concert at the Idanha Community church Sunday, February 21, at 7:30 p. m.

This group of men represents many church denominations and is under the direction of Ernest Friesen. The public is invited to attend.

## Timberwolves Lose to Jefferson Tuesday Night

The Mill City Timberwolves defeated the Oregon Deaf School Panthers in Salem last Friday night.

Mill City led all the way with quarter scores as follows: 21-10; 43-17, and 61-36. The final score was 78-48.

Elton Gregory led the win with 28 points backed up by Jack Melting's 16 and Al Ward's 14. Dave Maynard was high for the Panthers with 18 points.

Mill City 78 48 OSD  
Gregory 28 F 6 McCann  
Ward 14 F 3 Thompson  
Carey 2 C 18 Maynard  
Melting 16 G 10 Lewin  
Crock 4 G 5 Heath

Subs scoring: Mill City, Ed Gregory 5, Crosier 6, Syverson 2, Thomas 1. OSD: Whittle 3, Applebee 3.

Officials: Reder and Mull.

Mill City Junior Varsity won a 54-34 victory at the expense of the OSD JV's. Don Lemke sparked Mill City with 21 points while Applebee's 16 was high for the Deaf Schoolers.

Mill City 54 34 OSD  
Lemke 21 F Vinyard  
Walczak 6 F 8 Sohler  
Ellingson 7 C 16 Applebee  
Harrington 2 G 6 Bixel  
Jull 5 G 4 Upton

Reserves scoring, Mill City: Thompson 2, Leach 1, Kuhlman 4, Bassett 4, Sheythe 2.

Officials: Reder and Mull.

Other Marion B games Friday night were Jefferson 65, St. Paul 43; Ger-vaits 61, Gates 44; Chemewa 64, Detroit 56; Seio 48, Sublimity 44.

## Toastmistress Club Meets Here Thursday Evening

The Mill City Toastmistress club held its regular meeting Thursday evening at the Bank Cafe with Mrs. Howard Means, the president, conducting the business meeting, and also given the invocation. Topic mistress was Mrs. Don Miley, with Ruby Crosier acting as Toastmistress.

Extemporaneous speeches were given by Edna Ross, Gwen Jones, Edna Hutchinson, Harriet LeCours, and Dolores Stewart. Serving as evaluator was Faustina Nesbitt, with Elaine Kiersey as timer.

The next meeting will feature a speech contest, the winner to represent the Mill City club at the area contest.

## Local Merchant To Attend Portland Convention

"There will be a little fun, but mostly a lot of hard work" said Albert Toman proprietor of the Marshall-Wells Store, in announcing to The Enterprise that he would attend the annual Marshall-Wells stores merchandising congress which will be held in Portland on February 22, 23 and 24. "Activities," said Mr. Toman, "will be divided between many hours of studying numerous merchandising problems at the Columbia Athletic club, headquarters, and the merchandise display room at the Marshall-Wells company distributing warehouse." About 400 store proprietors and key personnel are expected to attend.

## Mrs. Nellie Turnidge Loving Dies Saturday At Santa Ana, California

GATES—Telegraphic word received here told of the death Saturday, Feb. 13, in Santa Ana, California, of Mrs. Nellie Turnidge Loving, 71, resident of this community during her girlhood. Mrs. Loving was born on the Turnidge homestead, in Linn county, between Mill City and Gates, where she lived until her marriage. Two brothers, Bert and Elda Turnidge, of Mill City and a sister, Mrs. Stella Murphy, of Centralia, Washington, survive her, also her uncles, "T" Hennes, 99, and Lincoln Hennes, 90 of Gates, and numerous cousins.

## Portland Firm Gets Bid On Work at Detroit Dam

Urban Plumbing & Heating Co., Portland, bidding \$5,138, Wednesday, was low of two bidders for modification of two regulating outlet gate hydraulic oil piping systems at Detroit Dam on the North Santiam River.

Government estimate for the work was \$4,400. Copenhagen Company of Portland was the other bidder with an offer of \$5,163.

## Eastern Star Lodge To Attend District Meet At Stayton February 24

Members of Marilyn Chapter No. 145 of the Eastern Star in Mill City will attend a district meeting to be held at 8 p.m. February 24 at Stayton. There will be a practice for officers at Stayton February 21 at 8:30 in the a. m. room.

The Mill City Timberwolves received their second licking of the season as the Jefferson Lions walked over them 63-48 Tuesday night at Mill City. One factor in Mill City's loss was the absence of ace forward Elton Gregory, highest scorer in the League, who was ill. Another factor was Mill City's lack of superiority on he backboards.

Jefferson led all the way, increasing their half time advantage, 32-25, to 63-48 at the final buzzer. The Lions were sparked by George Marlatt, who scored 17 points, and tall center John Wright, who scored 16 to remain the second highest scorer in the league. Top Timberwolf scorers were Al Ward with 15 and Jack Melting with 14.

Mill City's loss should have put them back with Grevaits but Chemewa overthrew the Cougars 63-62. The third upset was Gates' 65-59 triumph over Seio. Sublimity dumped Detroit 63-50 and St. Paul downed OSD 55-43, as expected.

Mill City still leads the league with 14 wins and two losses.

## Junior Varsity Wins

The Mill City Junior Varsity won from Jefferson 46-24. They led all the way. Mill City's leading point-maker was Bob Stettner who rammed 14 points through the hoop. Don Lemke was right behind him with 12. Jefferson's highest was Leonard Whorton who tickled the nets for seven counters.

## Ensign James E. Cooke To Be Married in April

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Mull, of Independence, have announced the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Miss Marilyn Mull, to Ensign James E. Cooke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cooke of Mill City.

The ceremony will take place in Salem at the First Methodist church at 8 o'clock, April 17. A reception will follow in the Carrier room.

Miss Mull attended Oregon College of Education at Monmouth and her fiancé is a graduate of the University of Southern California. He is a member of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity. He is now stationed at Barin Field, Alabama, where the couple will live after their marriage.

## PICTURES SHOWN AT MEETING OF MILL CITY WOMAN'S CLUB

The Mill City Woman's club held its regular meeting in the Presbyterian recreation room Tuesday evening, February 16, with Mrs. John Muir presiding. Mrs. DeLoe Hoeye acted as secretary. Twenty-two members and guests were present.

Following the short business meeting, Mrs. Noble Streeter showed pictures taken when she and Rev. Streeter were attending Seminary in New Jersey, also other scenes of the Eastern states.

At the refreshment hour, a birthday cake honored Mrs. Ida Geddes, who recently celebrated her 99th birthday anniversary. Mrs. Geddes seldom misses a meeting of the Woman's club. Hostesses were Mrs. Don Sheythe, Mrs. R. F. Saucier, and Mrs. J. F. Potter.

## Central Meeting for Linn Co. Democrats in Albany

Democrats from all precincts in Linn county are planning to attend a central meeting on Monday, Feb. 22 at 8 p. m. in the Albany labor temple, 222 east Third street. A speaker of unusual merit will be secured for the session.

She is Margaret Clark of Portland, executive secretary of Oregon democratic party, and her address will outline the organization and functions of the party from precinct to top state level. Her message will be of much practical value to all county and precinct workers.

Albany democrats will act as host at the coffee hour following the meeting.

## OPENING DANCE TO BE HELD HERE SATURDAY NIGHT

Space has been taken in this issue of The Enterprise announcing the opening dance in the Dawes building.

The floor has been refinished and the building put in shape. This will fill a long felt need in the city. Jim Iholtz and Jack Lake will furnish the music. Dances will be held every Saturday night.

## DETROIT DAM WEATHER (Courtesy of Corps of Engineers) Daily 7:30 A. M. Readings

Date	Max.	Min.	Pcp.	Elev.
Feb. 8	52	30	.00	1468.00
Feb. 9	52	29	.00	1470.16
Feb. 10	54	29	.00	1472.82
Feb. 11	49	31	.00	1475.17
Feb. 12	43	31	1.95	1478.34
Feb. 13	49	38	1.57	1483.32
Feb. 14	41	31	5.8	1483.32