

## LYONS

By Eva Bressler

A deputation team from Willamette University was in charge of the worship service Sunday morning at the Lyons Methodist church. Rev. Burton C. Bastuscheck, minister for the morning is an assistant professor of religion and sociology in the Liberal Arts college.

Miss Mary Turner, who was also in charge of worship is from Weiser, Idaho. She is a freshman in the Liberal Arts college. Pianist for the day was Miss Ann Groseclose, from Aberdeen, Wash., who is a freshman music major in piano. Following the service a covered dish dinner was held at the church with all enjoying the fellowship hour.

Wood Oliver, who recently sold his barber shop to Elmer Hastings of Stayton, left the middle of the week for Los Angeles, where he will spend some time visiting with relatives in that city and other nearby towns. Oliver has owned and operated the barber shop in Lyons for the last eight years.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bodeker were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hampton, Douglas and Margo Lee of Salem and Mrs. Bertha Woods of Molalla.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Royce, with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Laddie Pesek and little daughter, Robin, of Lebanon, visited relatives at Culp Creek the first of the week.

Billie Ayers has his arm in a cast due to a broken bone caused in a car accident last week.

Mrs. Ruth Lyons, postmistress reports that the receipts for the month of December, were not as much as last year. Parcel post was lighter than the previous year. The December quarter, showed a gain of \$200 over last year.

W. E. Long of Oregon City visited relatives in Lyons Monday afternoon. He is a nephew of Elmer Hiatt.

Miss Vivian Boyce of Albany was a weekend guest of Miss Norma Miller and Mrs. Alice Huber at the Huber home.

The first series of the First Aid classes was held at the Mari-Linn school house Tuesday evening, January 4, with H. L. Lewis from the State Industrial Accident Commission in Salem as instructor. Twenty-five were present and Mr. Lewis reports that anyone interested may still take the course if they come to the next meeting. He also asks that each one bring their own bandages. The classes will be held for the next six weeks.

Mrs. Leota Worden was hostess for the afternoon card club with her party held at the Rebekah hall Wednesday afternoon. A 1:30 dessert luncheon was served followed by several tables of 500. High score was held by Thelma Nydegger, second high by Mabel Downing, and low by Bea Hiatt. After the card playing a business meeting was held. Present were: Alma Olmstead, Eulalia Lyons, Margaret Kunkle, Mabel Downing, Garnett Bassett, Doris Roy, Carrie Naue, Bea Hiatt, Bernice Bridges, Leola Johnson, Thelma Nydegger, Doreen Helemn, Bertha Allen, Ruth Lyons, Inez Ring, Alice Huber, Goldie Brassfield, Dorothy Kohler, Juanita Wright and the hostess, Leota Worden, Mrs. John Kopotis from Kennon, Wisc. a guest of the afternoon.

Mrs. Carol Smith and daughters, Joy and Lola from Coos Bay were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Donna Smith and sons, Jim and Jay.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hopotis and children from Kennon, Wisc., are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Rcy.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Free are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a son born at the Salem General hospital Wednesday, January 5. The young man has a brother and three sisters at home.

Cpl. and Mrs. Jim Richmond have returned to Fry, Arizona, after spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Titz.

Mrs. Marshall Powell was hostess for the meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service held at her home Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Samuel Roberts president, presiding over the meeting. Mrs. Chester Roy led the devotions. Various plans were made and discussed for the coming months, with Thursday, January 20th, the date set for the Tamale sale, which will be held at the Catholic community hall. The general committee appointed was Mrs. Alice Huber, Mrs. Van Prichard, Mrs. Alex Bodeker, Mrs. James Hollingshead and Mrs. Donna Smith. There will also be pie, salad, sandwiches, and coffee served, with Mrs. Leonard Cruson, Mrs. Ivan Smith and Mrs. Marshall Powell in charge. Table committee is Mrs. Art Baltzer and Mrs. Edward Cruson. Tamales may also be purchased to take home.

February 18 and 19 is the date set for the rummage sale which will be held in Salem over Greenbaum's store. Committees will be appointed later.

October 27 is the date set for the annual bazaar, with following committees appointed: Fancy work, Mrs. George Huffman and Mrs. Burl Smith; Wishing tree, Mrs. Ivan Smith; Country store, Mrs. Donna Smith; Fish pond, Mrs. Alex Bodeker and Mrs. Glen Julian.

Plans were also made to start finishing the kitchen in the basement of the church as soon as possible.

At the close of the meeting Mrs. Powell served refreshments to Mrs. Samuel Roberts, Chester Roy, George Huffman, Alex Bodeker, Leonard Cruson, Burl Smith, Clyde Bressler, Mrs. Alice Huber, Mrs. Inez Ring and Mrs. Donna Smith.

## DETROIT

By Boots Champion

At 7 p. m. Thursday evening a meeting will be held in the cafeteria to discuss the school budget.

Dave Yates, an employee of the Detroit forest service for the past three seasons left here last week for Corvallis where he is attending college.

Mrs. Raymond Sophy left here Sunday for Yakima, for a week's visit at the home of her parents, the B. E. Waters. Mrs. Waters is on the sick list. Mrs. F. L. Noble, mother of Mr. Sophy who has been making her home with the R. C. Baldwin family in Stayton, arrived Saturday to take care of the Sophy children while Mrs. Sophy is gone.

Guy Moore, who is suffering with a spinal disturbance, was taken to the Salem Memorial hospital last Tuesday for medical attention. His condition is reported as not too good.

Martin (Slim) McCann suffered a partial stroke Saturday afternoon, and was taken to Santiam Memorial hospital at Stayton. The left side of his face and the left arm is affected. He is also afflicted with a severe cold.

Mrs. Glen Davidson was confined to the Santiam Memorial hospital last week with virus flu and pneumonia.

Cecil Johnson, little 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lex Johnson of Detroit underwent an appendectomy at Salem Memorial hospital Tuesday evening. Unfortunately the appendix had ruptured.

John Estey, who underwent major surgery at a Portland hospital two weeks ago returned to his home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Margaret Howland, who will be accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Cecil Vetado of Springfield, will leave here Sunday for Sharp Park, Calif., for a weeks visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Pedersen.

The Detroit Civic club at its meeting Wednesday evening a week ago, resolved to adopt Rose Ann Booker, formerly of Detroit, and recently residing with her parents at Mill City, and now confined to the TB hospital in Salem. The club will send her cards, games and other items to help her pass the hours while she is in the hospital.

The Marion county court will reimburse the City of Detroit for the City's removal of snow from a road now under county jurisdiction. The road is approximately 300 feet in length and extends in front of the Detroit school.

Charles E. Tomlinson of Phoenix, Arizona was taken to Santiam Memorial hospital Wednesday a week ago, and treated for exposure after he was found in an icy stream early that morning. He was taken to the hospital by state police who found him lying unconscious in Pamela Creek 11 miles east of Idanha about 8 a. m. Mrs. Roberts, who was driving her father to Redmond to visit with relatives apparently became frightened about her father's condition as they neared the Pamela Creek bridge and left the car to go back for aid. She walked the 11 miles back to Idanha, lightly clad in a heavy snow storm to seek aid. Hospital attendants said Wednesday night that Tomlinson appeared to be in fair condition, but his speech is incoherent.

The shuffleboard game played Sunday afternoon, Palm Gardens, Portland, vs. the Lake Club, Detroit, ended in a victory for the Lake. The score was 242 to 221. The Portland players came by chartered bus. Sunday the Lake will play a return game in Portland.

Many folks in this area are on the sick list with colds and the flu, and that includes yours truly. I feel like someone hit me in the stomach with a base ball bat.

Mrs. Elaine Hadley and children, Allen and Myra left Friday to go to Venezuela, where she will be stationed as a Missionary, through the New Tribes Mission in California, which she attended. She was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Clippell as far as Chico, Calif.

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## Multiple-Death Crashes Add to Hiway Killings

A Columbia county accident which left 10 dead, 20 injured, was the "year's worst" Tuesday by Secretary of State Earl T. Newberry.

The dubious distinction was hard won, coming early in December to climax a year dotted with frequent multiple-death crashes, Newberry said.

In fact, state officials blamed 39 highway crashes which killed 100 persons for destroying what otherwise would have been an improved death record for 1954.

Accidents and injuries are still much lower than those of 1953, but deaths have already surpassed the 391 recorded a year ago.

Five accidents, each of which killed four persons, tied for runner-up position in the state's listing of 1954's most lethal crashes.

The first of the deadly five occurred in February on the Scio-Jefferson road in Linn county when a car failed to negotiate a curve, skidded off the roadway and overturned.

The next month, March, produced still another quadruple death crash, this one on highway 97 in Deschutes county. According to accident analysts it was caused by a drunken driver who was weaving back and forth across the highway. An oncoming car swerved to the left in an unsuccessful attempt to avoid the crash. Four were killed and four others were injured.

In November, which edged out February as the worst death month of the year, two four-death mishaps occurred, one in Linn county when a carload of teenagers failed to stop for a stop sign and struck a truck.

A Malheur county crash which occurred when a car skidded on ice during the Thanksgiving holiday killed four persons bound for a family reunion.

December's contribution was also over a holiday—Christmas. This time a car and its four occupants plunged off an icy highway down a 900-foot embankment in the Hart mountain area of Southern Oregon.

Eight accidents, each of which killed four people, added 24 checkmarks to the state's death record book, and another 50 people died in 25 crashes which killed two each.

Four days of the year are yet to be reported, and since they are days when holiday celebrants crowd streets and highways, safety officials said they are "keeping our fingers crossed that no more tripple deaths crashes will occur."

The state's 1954 traffic death toll now stands "in excess of 400."

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| IGA Orange or Pineapple         | 46 ounce tins             | Betty Crocker        |                      |
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| <b>Shortening</b>               | IGA Sno Kream             | <b>3 lbs. 69c</b>    |                      |
| <b>COFFEE</b>                   | Golden West or Hill Bros. | <b>Lb. 99c</b>       |                      |
| <b>FLOUR</b>                    | Drifted Snow              | <b>25 lbs \$2.05</b> |                      |
| IGA LIGHT MEAT                  | Can                       | Nabisco Graham       | Pound                |
| <b>Tuna Flakes</b>              | <b>21c</b>                | <b>CRACKERS</b>      | <b>lb 29c</b>        |
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