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Health Is Topic At Interesting PTA Meeting

An outstanding program on physical fitness was presented at the November meeting of the Santiam PTA with Mrs. Westrick presiding at the business meeting and Mrs. James Wright in charge of the program.

It was noted that approximately \$120 was netted over the budget at the annual ham dinner and there was discussion on placing this in a fund to be used to purchase a TV for the school. Most of the teachers agreed that this would be an educational addition to the school. Final action on the disposition of the money was tabled until the March meeting when perhaps another money-raising project will be undertaken.

The Marion county health nurses who were scheduled to appear on a health discussion panel were unable to do so because of the heavy fog in the valley.

A film, showing President Kennedy's official physical fitness program was shown and proved highly entertaining.

A panel, moderated by Mrs. Sid Baughman, discussing the various phases of mental and physical health, was enjoyed by those present.

Mrs. LeRoy Podrasky spoke on the recent organization of a group of parents that were interested in mentally retarded children.

Mrs. Harry White, PE instructor at SUHS spoke on the program that is being carried out there and Tony Kosydar, Boys PE instructor gave his views on the program.

Mrs. Baughman spoke briefly on the value of the county nurses in the community and said that more people could avail themselves of the opportunity to make use of their services.

Refreshments were served by a group of PTA members with Mrs. Charley Stewart, refreshment chairman, in charge.

The next meeting will be December 12 and will feature Christmas music by the band under the direction of Spencer Hillesland.

Grandmother Circle Discusses Summer's Work

The Grandmother's Circle of the Christian church held their November meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur Hedge, Sr.

The group discussed their accomplishments of the summer and things that can be done during the holidays and winter months. They voted to change their meetings to mornings so as not to interfere with their Thrift Shop, starting with the December meeting which will be Wednesday, December 19 at 10 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Lowell Cree.

All the ladies present took part in the Thanksgiving devotions.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Hedge to Mrs. George Flook, Mrs. Clarence Howe, Mrs. Charlie French Mrs. Rachel Olmstead and Mrs. Lowell Cree.

Jaycettes Help With TB Seal Drive

The 1962-63 Christmas seal drive conducted by the Marion-Polk county Tuberculosis and Health association is under way with mailings sent to more than 31,000 households. Mrs. Thomas Kanoff is chairman of the Mill City drive. She said this week that the Mill City Jaycettes assisted in stuffing the seals in the envelopes.

General chairman of the drive is Allen B. Finch, Salem; and Allan K. Fisher of Dallas is vice-president.

Officials hope to outdraw last year's contributions when Marion county alone collected more than \$23,000.

While great strides have been made in prevention and the speedy cure of TB it is still a menace to our people and the State Board of Health says that in the past two years the disease has disabled 946 and killed 120 people in Oregon.

Area residents are urged to send in their contributions in the amount they can afford as soon as possible.

Laundry Is Topic At Home Extension Club Meeting

GATES—The Santiam Canyon Home Extension unit met at 10 a. m. Tuesday, November 13 at the Women's club house. Lou Oliver and Retha Herron presented the project lesson, "Your Laundry Basket." The lesson dealt with special laundering problems, how to launder new fabrics, how to whiten nylon and how to care for wash and wear garments. Following the potluck luncheon at noon, a short business meeting was held. Dorothy Vail will represent the unit as Program Planner for a three year term. The annual Christmas party will be held next month, plans to be announced later. Jan Erickson presented the Do and Show program, how to make decorations and centerpieces out of melted candies. Ideas for making Christmas gifts at home were discussed.

Members present were Jan Erickson, Retha Herron, Lou Oliver, Dorothy Vail, Helen Vincent, Shirley Swaim, Mary Gulliford, Veryl Moore, and Marion Stovall.

Vietnamese Engineers To Have Thanksgiving Dinner With Mays

Mr. and Mrs. Howard May and family will observe Thanksgiving a day early, on Wednesday, so that the Vietnamese student engineers, who have been staying at the May lodge will be able to have the feast with them. This will be their first traditional Thanksgiving dinner in this country.

The day will also honor little 3-year-old Patricia Ann on her birthday anniversary.

Roy Epperson, power house superintendent at Detroit dam where the students have been observing engineering methods, will take the three young men to Salem early Thursday morning to catch a plane to Vietnam.

Many From Here Attend Hospital Auxiliary Luncheon

One of the nicest events of the fall season was the luncheon and card party sponsored by the Santiam Memorial Hospital auxiliary held at the Santiam Golf clubhouse last Thursday.

Tables for the 12:30 luncheon were set up throughout the room which was decorated with autumn leaves. There was a hostess in charge of each table, each beautifully decorated and judged.

Prizes were won by Mrs. Rudy Tohl of Mill City with her formal table setting in pink tones and Mrs. Gale Christensen of Stayton with a hospital scene, complete with miniature nurse and doctor figures.

A door prize was also given which was won by Mrs. Giles Wagner of Mehama.

There were 24 women attending the affair from Mill City with Mrs. Paul Ressler winning high score for the group; Mrs. Al Nesbitt, pinocle, and Mrs. Albert Toman, low.

It was announced that approximately \$110 was netted from the party.

Gates Clubs Make Plans for Holidays

GATES—The Gates Women's club met at the clubhouse on Thursday, November 15. Plans were made for the annual Women's Club-Extension club Christmas party, which will be given December 20, beginning at 10 a. m. Instead of exchanging gifts this year, members of the two organizations who wish to make a donation for the Gates Community church. A potluck luncheon will be followed by white elephant bingo. Members are welcome to invite friends to attend the party.

The annual Home Products coffee was held at the Clubhouse November 16, from 1 to 4:30. On display were exhibits from Stayton, Mehama, Mill City, Lyons, Gates and Idanha. During the afternoon a nice crowd attended the coffee and purchased items on display.

Mrs. Wilma Stewart Honored at Party

GATES—An open-house going-away party was given in honor of Mrs. Wilma Stewart Thursday evening, November 15. Toni Thomas, co-hostess with Carmen Barnhardt, fashioned a make-believe trailer house, which was filled with cash gifts and presented to the guest of honor, along with a card signed by those contributing to the gift. The Stewarts, who are moving to Roseburg this week, will be living in a trailer house, so this type of gift was given so Mrs. Stewart will be able to buy something that will fit into the trailer.

The refreshments, sandwiches, cookies and coffee, were served and the ladies spent the remainder of the evening visiting.

Guests present were Lola Hennes, Beulah Bowes, Hattie Cole, Ruby Brisbin, Mattie Root, Ida Fleetwood, Toni Thomas, Ruth Hess, Laura Riddle, Margaret Rush, Wilma Stewart and Beverly, and Carmen Barnhardt.

Gates Ceramics Class Has Display Here

The ceramics class of grades 5 to 8 at the Gates school are showing some of the things they have made since school started in a display at The Paint Pot.

The youngsters have been doing splendid work, according to their teacher, Mrs. Beulah Bowes with all items except marmalade jars and creamer and sugars made free hand.

The ceramics are made in the art class with Mrs. Bowes teaching several arts and crafts. Last year the youngsters made hammered copper jewelry and during the Oregon Centennial year did some beautiful mosaic work.

The school colors of black and orange are featured in the background of the ceramic window display.

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Housewarming Given for Kellys

A group of friends gave Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelly a housewarming party Saturday evening at their home. They had been invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Rambo for a 7 o'clock dinner, but the group arrived at the Kelly home at 6:30, much to their surprise.

A two-way surprise also honored Mr. and Mrs. Mel Rambo with a "grandparent" shower and a good time was had by all. A gift was presented to the Kellys for their new home. Following the 7:30 potluck dinner those at the party attended the Firemen's Benefit.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Dou Moffatt, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Rambo, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. John Muir, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bassett and Lee Ross. Mrs. Ross was unable to be present because of illness.

Cook-A-Teers Meet

The 4-H Cook-a-teers held their meeting Monday at the Les LaMunyan home with eight present.

Christine Henning and Fay LaMunyan demonstrated the making of oatmeal cookies.

George Brown and Sherry LaMunyan showed the group how to make peanut butter cookies.

The special rule for the day was learning how to pack brown sugar to get the correct measure.

The next meeting was scheduled to be held November 19 at the LaMunyan home when fresh fruits and vegetable preparation will be demonstrated.

Rogers Attend Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rogers attended a family reunion in Eugene a week ago at the home of her brother, Dr. J. V. Berreman. They drove to Philomath and went to Eugene with another brother, J. W. Berreman. Other family members present were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stebbins of Monmouth; Mrs. J. W. Saunders of Estacada, her daughter, Mrs. Lucille Boyer of Lake Grove; another brother, Rev. G. C. Berreman of Phoenix, Ariz., was unable to be present.

On the return trip home the Rogers visited with Mrs. Abbie Geertsen at Philomath with additional guests there, Miss Flosie Overman and Mr. and Mrs. James McCarty, both former Mill City residents.

They also visited with their son and wife, Clyde Rogers Jr., at Albany.

Open House Held In Honor of Forest Service Couple

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McCarty entertained at an open house for Mr. and Mrs. William Burlingame at their home recently. He was employed by the Forest Service but was drafted into Army service and will be stationed in New York.

Present to bid them farewell were Mr. and Mrs. Irving Steers, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Lieuallen, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carson, Mr. and Mrs. James Wettergreen, Mr. and Mrs. Richard McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Davis and the host and hostess.

RAMBO'S RAMBLINGS

By Goldie Rambo

As most of you know, we are proud grandparents—and as my friends say—I am a "way out" grandmother. Didn't make me feel any older but Mel couldn't get out of bed Monday morning! Although it makes a good story—it was the results of a fall at the mill that caused that.

We are not as young as most people when they have their first grandchild—and we are thrilled to pieces. Once in awhile you do hear of someone that is less than pleased with the prospect or actuality of the grandparent bit—but not in most cases.

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Talk about a merry mix-up. We certainly had one Saturday night. A group of us that celebrate birthdays together had planned a little surprise housewarming for Charles and Mary Kelly at their new home.

It was a lot of fun and with the help of their son, John, it was a complete surprise—but what the rest of the group was getting such a kick out of was the fact that Mary had also planned a little "Grandmother" shower for me. Who was surprising who! Well, anyhow fun was had by all with the remainder of the evening spent at the firemen's benefit which was well attended as usual.

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Looks like we are going to have typical Thanksgiving Weather—cool and crisp. Once the snow hits the surrounding mountains it really puts the nip in the air.

We have so much to be thankful for in this country—and it's good we have a day set aside when we can stop long enough to really think about it. They have been enumerated

many times so I don't have to do it again—but outside of the wonderful nation, state and town we live in we all have special things we can give thanks for even though at times we may feel the world has a grudge against us.

You know the other day when I was wrestling with a really small problem—I happened to be reading proof on an article on the recent windstorm. It was stating, among other things, the size of a tree planted now, 80 years hence. It made me feel very small in the general scheme of things.

So perhaps there is food for thought there—when worrying too much over personal problems—look at them on a wide vision screen.

Have a nice Thanksgiving!

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