

LYONS

By Eva Bressler

The last meeting until fall for the Wednesday afternoon card club was held at the home of Mrs. Ruth Lyons, with a 12:30 pot luck luncheon followed by the playing of 500. High score was held by Bernice Bridges, second high by Alma Olmstead and low by Leota Worden. Others attending were Bertha Allen, Juanita Davis, Margaret Kunkle, Doris Roy, Zeta Prichard, Katie Sieg, Carrie Naeue, Eulalia Lyons and Ruth Lyons.

David Hampton of Salem spent several days this week at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bodaker. The young lad rode his bicycle from Salem.

Mrs. James Hollingshead and Mrs. Freda Gruggett, delegates from the Lyons Methodist church are attending the annual Oregon Conference of Methodists in Salem this week.

Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Jungwirth and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fink were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Silbernagel of Stayton and Mrs. Laura Bender of Portland; Mrs. Theresa Rund, who has been visiting at the Jungwirth and Fink homes from Oceanside, Calif., returned to Portland with Mrs. Bender for a short time.

Grange Meets— Santiam Valley Grange held their regular meeting Friday night, June 7 with John Shafer, master, presiding. Committee reports were

Our Boy—

By Edith Meader

A baby boy was born to us, In Nineteen Forty-five. It was during World War II When the little guy arrived

His Dad was in the army, Three thousands miles away We prayed the boys over there Would soon be home to stay.

I prayed this baby boy of ours A war he's never see, For they'd fought this war and won it, And now we would be free.

He gave his love to all of us, We were proud to call him son. Before we knew it this boy of ours, Was already twenty-one.

Then all at once things changed for us, When the letter came one day,

It said the army wanted him, And, he'd have to go away.

I thought at first it can't be true, For him to have to go, For he's the one who helps so much,

And we would miss him so. Uncle Sam can't think about such things, A mother's thoughts or tears, Or about a little boy, Who has been hers so many years.

He takes him and trains him, To fight for our land. So he's still helping all of us In the best way that he can

All we can do is hope and pray, That God in his loving way Will help him and bless him. And send him home one day.

When this war is over And he comes home to stay I pray that he may have a son, That won't have to go away.

Skip has been stationed in Fort Meade, Md. He was in on the riots in Washington, D. C. He was home for three weeks and is now in Germany.

And, Yet I Mourn

By Joyce Klecker

In a world where love is hidden beneath veils; an earth where violence and ignorance prevails; walked a man with a great unselfish thought—to cleanse our society and soils of battles being fought; to lead a nation engulfed and slowly befallen by greed; to grasp morale and once again plant it's seed.

I am not his child; so forlorn—nor his wife—and, yet I mourn. I knew him not; as others have known; never shared his life—and, yet I mourn.

Robert Kennedy lived to conquer the reason for which he died.

Yet, perhaps he won his battle; for a whole nation has cried! If tears can still fall from eyes—often blind; there remains hope for peace . . . we have yet to find. His life; his dream; yet, they are gone. Where dwells a man qualified to carry on?

His assailant harbors a mind; so unborn! Does he feel sorrow—does he mourn? I feel pity; the World feels scorn. I knew neither . . . and, yet I mourn.

heard. It was decided to have a clean-up day at the hall Saturday, June 29, followed by a 6:30 potluck dinner of chicken and noodles. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey of Scio were guests of the evening and Mr. Bailey gave a talk on Legislation. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey are steward and lady assistant steward of Linn County Pomona Grange. Mrs. Georgia Hays, lecturer has been confined to Santiam Memorial hospital with bruises received in a car accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen left Friday for Weiser, Idaho to spend several days over the weekend at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lindemann and two children moved last weekend to Salem where he will be employed in the real estate business.

Vacation Bible School began Monday at the Canyon Baptist church and Lyons Methodist church and will run through Friday, June 14, beginning at 9 a. m. and closing at 11:30 and 11:45.

Miss Anita Benefiel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Benefiel returned to the home of her parents Saturday evening June 8 from Chicago after attending the University of Chicago, under the Small School Talent Search Program. Miss Benefiel was a 1967 graduate of Stayton Union High.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Naeue were weekend guests at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Short at Manzanita.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Johnson of Dallas were Sunday evening guests at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Lydia Culwell. They also visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Naeue. Miss Ellen Dougherty of Portland was a weekend guest at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fink.



HARRY C. WALKER
SILVERTON — Harry C. Walker, 80, died Friday in a Vancouver, Wn., hospital. He was born in Ontario, Canada, and had lived here 33 years. A retired farmer and a veteran of World War I, he was a member of the VFW, American Legion and Silverton Elks lodge.

Surviving are the widow, Edna; daughter Florence Zetterberg, Roseburg; son Donald, Mill City; stepson Carl Minkler, Silverton; sister Mrs. Gertie Bonner and brother Ralph in Canada; four grandchildren.

Services were at 2 p. m. Monday in Unger mortuary, Rev. Willard Norman officiating. Interment was in Valley View Cemetery. The family suggests contributions to the cancer fund.

MEHAMA

Mrs. John Teeters

Enjoying a pot luck supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Shafer on Memorial Day were Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stout, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parsons and son David and Miss Dorothy Parsons all of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Shafer and Mr. and Mrs. John Shafer. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sletto came later in the evening when the Shafers showed pictures they had taken on a recent trip.

Guests Sunday June 2 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Blum were Mr. and Mrs. David Peery and two children of Seattle, Wash.,

Marsha Blum, Portland, Wilbur Blum and children Doris and John and David Blum and son Jimmy. Jimmy was proudly showing the Special award ribbon he had received when he rode in the parade at Turner the day before.

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Branch were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Price of Oregon City, Mrs. Maude Price of Seattle and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sletto of Otis.

Mrs. M. V. Frame and Mrs. James R. Prine and children Christine and Carl arrived June 4 from Holloman Air Force Base, New Mexico. Mrs. Frame has been at the Prine home there since last October. Mrs. Prine and child-

ren will fly back to New Mexico after a short visit here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Teeters and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wallen went to Beaverton Friday, June 7 where they spent the week-end at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Bomberger and Carrie. They also saw the Rose parade on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Buxton and daughter Jean Davies of Coos Bay visited during the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Titze. Sunday guests at the Titze home were Mrs. Vern Sandberg and mother, Mrs. Minnie Zimmerman of Stayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mon-

roe and their daughters family, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Robl and three daughters of Stayton spent most of Saturday, June 8 picnicking and fishing at Twin Lakes.

Carla Johnson spent the past week here at the home of her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Grant Smith and attended Vacation Bible School. Her mother Mrs. Pete Owen came and took her home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace McCauley, Jr. of Springfield were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cooper. The McCauleys were on their way to Portland to look for a location for their mobile home as Mr. McCauley is being transferred there.

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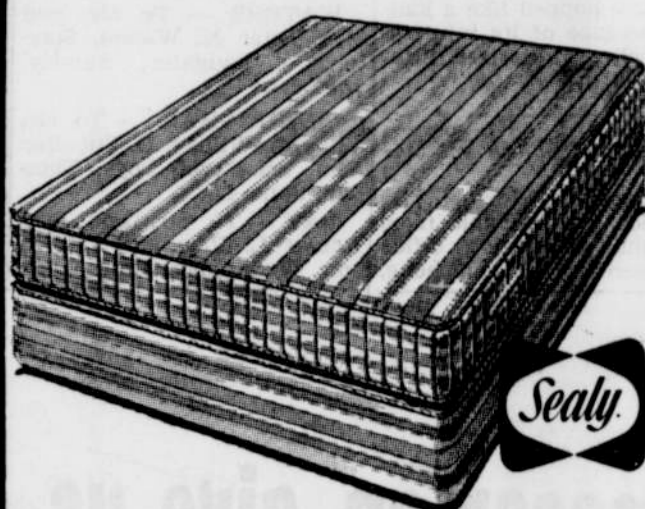
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