

Midland Empire News

Merrill Church Group Lays Plans for Christmas Sales

MERRILL — The sale of Christmas seals, the problem of raising funds to reduce the church debt and plans for a bazaar and waffle supper to be held next spring in addition to a multitude of other business notes came before the Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church in recent session.

The group will prepare a dinner to precede a session of the Klamath County Health association at which time officials and others interested will discuss the proposed sale of Christmas seals for the furtherance of the control of tuberculosis. It is proposed to have the sale conducted by adults in as many communities as possible this year, instead of disposal by students of the schools. The dinner will be served in the annex of the church on November 29 or 30 with Rev. Eugene Haynes, Klamath Falls, president of the association presiding. A nominal charge will be made and the public is invited. Mrs. V. Haskins and Mrs. George Wind-

schell, head of the committee preparing the dinner. Representatives of Klamath Falls, Merrill and Malin communities will be in attendance.

Sale of the seals in the Malin district is being managed by adults this year but during the brief time before opening of the campaign in Merrill, seals this Lester Moore, Mrs. Wilbur Robinette and Mrs. Warren Fruits will investigate prices on stoves.

The treasurer reported a total of \$190.45 was made on the banquet served for the potato festival and through this medium the members express appreciation to all members who assisted, to Mrs. John W. Taylor, general chairman, and to all stores and business men who contributed cash and commodities.

The December meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Roy Hodges and members will take small gifts for Sunshine friends. Mrs. Wilbur Robinette will be in charge of the program. The last meeting was held at the home of Mrs. E. N. Eagle.

The aid voted to pay \$57.50 fire insurance on the church building and made plans to institute an improvement fund for redecorating the interior of the church. Mrs. Miles Moore, Mrs. Verna Haskins, Mrs. John Taylor and Mrs. E. E. Kilpatrick will serve on a committee. Mrs.

Laughing It Off?



Tough Louis Buchalter, often billed as "Lepke, Terror of the Underworld," grins amiably at the camera as he enters New York Federal Building. He conferred there on date for his trial on 10 narcotic charges.

LEGION VOTES EQUAL STATUS AT CONFERENCE

TULELAKE—American Legion delegates of district number 2, in session here Sunday morning, went on record as favoring equality of recognition for all totally disabled veterans regardless of length of service. The resolution will be referred to departmental, state and national officials to be in turn presented to congress for action.

The district meeting, presided over by Tom Jensen, district commander, Weaverville, Klamath Falls, Malin and Merrill.

The dinner, prepared by the local auxiliary, was a banquet de luxe served by enrollees of the Tulelake Civilian conservation corps camp beneath a canopy of gold and blue. Places were marked for a number of distinguished out of town guests, among them Mike Kerns, Dunsmuir, past district commander; Major Paul Prentice, commanding officer of the thirty-eighth reconnaissance, Marshall field, Lieut. Coates, Lieut. Hilder, Lieut. Carr and Lieut. Willoby, all of the same army post, who were guests of Clark G. Fensler, past commander of the Tulelake post; Mrs. Fensler and their son, Robert.

The dinner, here for goose hunting, landed at the Klamath Falls airport, Friday in an army bomber which returned on Monday to return the officers to Marshall field.

Musical numbers, offered by the orchestra from Roosevelt Tavern, interspersed the courses and Dudley Warren, Tulelake, presented a vocal solo. Clark Fensler presided as toastmaster with brief responses by a number of the guests. Dancing followed with Bally Evans orchestra playing.

Auxiliary members also meeting in a district session presided over by Mrs. Tom Jensen, district president, conducted only routine business. The next district session will be held in Hornbrook, December 17-18. Many of the guests remained over Sunday for the goose hunting.

Eddie Gresham is commander of the Tulelake post.

TULELAKE YOUTH GETS AIR CALL

TULELAKE—Robert Fenster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark G. Fensler, this week received a call to report on December 30 to a cadet army flying school, one of six recently established in the United States of which three are located in California. Here he will receive three months' preliminary training before going to Randolph field, West Point of the air, in Texas. After nine months training at Randolph the young man will receive his commission for army flying service.

Young Fensler, graduated from the Tulelake high school in 1934, became interested in aviation while attending the University of California and Oregon State. He is the first applicant in the Klamath basin to receive a call for study and was the only one of a class of nine men from nine districts in the United States to complete the examination held last August at Hamilton field near San Raphael.

PRESIDENT OF TEACHERS' GROUP QUILTS POSITION

DORRIS—At the last meeting of the Parent Teachers association the eighth grade children presented the program of the evening. During the business meeting the president, Mrs. Nils Briles, turned in her resignation which was accepted with deep regret by the members. Mrs. Briles had a very progressive year planned and had met with much favorable comment during her brief administration.

Mrs. Margaret Wood, the vice president, will preside at the December meeting at which time another president will be elected.

At this last meeting the secretary, Mrs. Davenport, also resigned her office and Mrs. Jennie Lang resigned as chairman of the refreshments committee. The question of hot lunches for the children at noon was tabled for another meeting to be voted on. This project as well as the fitting of glasses for some of the pupils were highlights in Mrs. Briles' plans for the year.

DRIVE UNDER WAY FOR RED CROSS IN MALIN DISTRICT

MALIN—The annual drive for Red Cross memberships is under way in the Malin district with response most gratifying to the five volunteer workers who are in the field. Mrs. Everett Jones, local chairman this year, succeeding A. E. Street, is being assisted by Mrs. Jack Ratliff, Mrs. Earl McVey, Mrs. Earl Keester and Mrs. Otto Shultz, all members of the Helping Hand society.

At Merrill, Mrs. E. E. Kilpatrick, chairman, who succeeds Mrs. F. E. Trotman, announces that the drive in the Merrill district will get under way the first of next week. She will be assisted by Mrs. Van Ness Johnson, Mrs. Alonzo Hodges and Camp Fire girls. Other volunteer workers would be appreciated if they will contact Mrs. Kilpatrick.

MERRILL BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mabrey, Merrill, announce the birth on November 15 of a daughter at the Merrill hospital. The little girl weighed seven pounds and has been named Margaret Ann.

Mrs. E. E. Kilpatrick, Mrs. Lawrence Mitchellmore, Mrs. J. L. Fotheringham and Mrs. Nellie Haskins will attend on Tuesday a missionary conference of Presbyterian churches at Medford. Each local delegate represents a department of the Merrill church and will report back to local departments.

All members of the Holy Cross Altar society are requested to meet on Friday, November 24, in the rear of the Catholic church to complete final plans for the annual bazaar and turkey dinner to be held in the community hall, December 6. A public card party will be held in connection with the bazaar on Wednesday afternoon, beginning at 2 p. m. The dinner will be served in the dining room downstairs at a time yet to be announced and cards will follow the dinner.

Let those who have the care of souls be earnest in preaching the sanctity of the Christian marriage, the one and indissoluble and the strongest barrier against the evils and dangers of mixed marriages and the disastrous results of the practice of divorce. —Pope Pious XII.

News and Herald Want-Ads get results.

FINE HERD SOLD BY MERRILL MAN

MERRILL — An announcement was made this week of the sale of the entire D. E. Alexander Black-Angus cow herd to Jack McAuliffe, well known Fort Klamath cattleman. The herd, one of the best bred in Klamath county, will be taken from the Alexander ranch at Rock creek on the west side of Upper Klamath lake to McAuliffe's range holdings in the Bald hills west of Cottonwood. McAuliffe recently purchased several thousand acres of grazing land known as the Jim Berry ranch between Redding and Red Bluff. The property is considered to be one of the best stock ranches in northern California.

In addition to the Alexander herd, McAuliffe is also selecting a number of fine Hereford heifers from the Buck Williams stock.

Sale of the Alexander cow herd will not effect feeding operations at the Adams point ranch at Merrill, owned by Alexander where cattle, purchased in Rocky mountain regions are finished each winter for market. The stock is wintered on the Alexander holdings at Napa, Calif., shipped north for summer range at the Rock creek ranch in Klamath county and fattened at Merrill. No custom feeding is done at the plant. Consideration of the transaction was not made public.

MIDLAND

Midland L. G. A. held their regular meeting Tuesday evening at Grange hall. Election of officers was held as follows:

President, Louis Johns; vice president, James Sutton; steward, Philip Anderson; treasurer, Valera Bridges.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray spent Tuesday evening at the S. L. Burnett place.

Mr. and Mrs. Martinez and daughter of Klamath Falls visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Largent Sunday.

William Hampton left Sunday for Chico, Calif., where he plans to stay for the winter.

Erick McKeonolds and his mother of Langell valley visited at Mrs. E. L. Furber's Thursday.

Mrs. H. B. Largent spent Thursday in Ashland.

Richard Bayfield of Stewart addition spent the weekend with Amos Burnett.

Mrs. Phipps and daughter and son called at the home of Mrs. S. L. Burnett.

Midland Grange will hold their regular meeting Friday evening at the hall. Potluck luncheon will be served by H. E. C. at the close of the meeting.

Richard Rayfield left Sunday evening for Santa Rosa, Calif., where he will spend the winter with his father.

Fatsy Stewart of Klamath Falls spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Mutschbacher.

Mr. Macken, Mr. Long and Mr. Bubb have taken the contract for the Meese ranch of 1700 acres at Dorris, Calif., for the coming year.

TULELAKE

Mrs. Lida Fensler, San Francisco, has arrived to spend the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jewett were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Fairchild. Jewett is regional biologist of the biological survey. Fewer farms were posted in the Tulelake basin against hunters this season, according to Fairchild, who stated that it is estimated that 3000 hunters were in the field in the Copco bay region on the opening day of the pheasant season.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith left last weekend for Walla Walla where they will spend Thanksgiving.

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