

City Briefs

Visits Here—Mrs. Homer Grout returned to her home in Seattle on Monday after visiting for two weeks with her son, Wilmer C. Grout and family. She was accompanied by her daughter-in-law and grandson, Larry, who will spend two weeks visiting in their former home. Grout has charge of the American News company here.

Improving—The condition of Wilbur Nims of Olene, logging contractor, was reported improved at Klamath Valley hospital Tuesday. Nims suffered a compound fracture of the left leg when he was struck by a hit-and-run driver east of El Nido on the Lakeview highway Saturday night.

Comfortable—Virgil Ratliff, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ratliff of Malin, is reported improving at Hillside hospital where he submitted to a major operation following an injury last week. He is not permitted visitors yet.

Hospital Patients—Mrs. Henry Gentry, 16, and Wallace Triplett, 17, both of Burton way, were reported improving at Hillside hospital where they are receiving treatment for fractured pelvis bones as the result of an accident on the Jenny creek bridge near Pinehurst late Sunday night.

Carpenters Auxiliary—The Carpenters auxiliary will hold a social session after the regular business meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m., in the Labor temple. Members are asked to bring quilt blocks.

Legion Auxiliary—The regular meeting of the American Legion auxiliary will be held Tuesday, April 16. Members wishing information concerning the mortuary plan may call the president, Mrs. Neva LaForge, 419-J-5. A dinner is being planned to entertain the war mothers on the meeting night of May 7. All war mothers please contact Mrs. LaForge. Members are again reminded to have their card parties before May 1.

To Attend Services—All members of Prosperity Rebekah lodge are requested to meet at the IOOF hall Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock to attend in a body the funeral services for W. J. Steinmetz, a long-time member of the lodge. Members of the Canton Crater are also requested to meet at the hall at the same hour in full dress uniform.

Degree of Honor—The president of the Degree of Honor lodge, Mrs. Marie Tillman, has asked that all members planning to go to the convention at Portland be present at practice on Wednesday morning, April 17, at 9:45. The substitute officers are also asked to be present at this meeting.

ANW—Members of the Art Needle Work club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Rufus Moore on Riverside.

Townsend—Townsend Club No. 1 was scheduled to meet Tuesday evening in the KC hall at 8 o'clock with dancing to follow to the music of Roy Kinney's orchestra.

Plan Show—The "Lady Minstrels From Dixie" will be presented in the Altamont elementary school gymnasium on Friday, April 19, at 7:30 p. m. A small charge will be made for adults, high school and grade school students. The show is being sponsored by the ladies auxiliary of the Suburban league. The public is invited to take part. The Algoma women are presenting the minstrel show.

MIA to Dance—The Mutual Improvement association will sponsor a dance Saturday night in the city library auditorium at 9 o'clock. The public is invited. The dance is being given to welcome visitors from other churches, here to attend a conference on Sunday. There will be a program and refreshments.

PTA Election—Joseph Conger PTA will meet Wednesday, April 17, at 3 p. m., in the school cafeteria. Mrs. Henry Perkins will speak. Officers will be elected at this meeting.

Winema Temple—Winema temple, Pythian Sisters, is sponsoring a pinocle party Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, KC hall on Main street. Refreshments will be served and prizes given. The public is invited.

Leola Circle—The Leola circle of the First Baptist church will meet Thursday, April 18, for potluck dinner at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Jackson on the Merrill highway.

Pinocle Party—Modern Woodmen are giving a pinocle party Wednesday evening, April 17, at 8 o'clock in IOOF hall. The public is invited.

Whosoever-Will Circle—The Whosoever-Will circle of the First Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Douglas Pence, 429 North Second street, Thursday at 2 p. m.

Health Unit—There will be a meeting of the Klamath County Health association on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the health unit, Eighth and Pine streets, according to Rev. Eugene V. Hayes, president.

Sewing Circle—The Daughters of Norway Sewing circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Mikal Dognild at Algoma Thursday at 8 p. m.

Sons of Norway—The Sons of Norway will hold a social meeting April 27 at 8 p. m., in the IOOF hall.

Box Committee—The Big Lakes wooden box plant committee will meet Wednesday evening in the Eagles hall with Bill Dyer as acting chairman.

Alpha Chi—The Alpha Chi alumnae meeting was scheduled for Tuesday night at the home of Gail Bratton, 900 Eldorado street, at 8 p. m.

VITAL STATISTICS

COBB—Born at Klamath Valley hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., April 13, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Cobb of Algoma, a boy. Weight: 7 pounds 15 ounces.

PAUGH—Born at Klamath Valley hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., April 15, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Paugh, box 87, Ashland route, a boy. Weight: 6 pounds 8 ounces.

ROBINSON—Born at Klamath Valley hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., April 14, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Shelby M. Robinson, Bonanza, a boy. Weight: 6 pounds 5 1/2 ounces.

KNOWLES—Born at Modoc Point, April 15, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Knowles, a girl. Weight: 8 1/2 pounds. Name: Betty Jeane.

INTO SWEDEN

NEW YORK, April 16 (AP)—A Berlin broadcast picked up by NBC said today that according to reports reaching the German capital King Haakon of Norway and his government had fled across the border into Sweden.

New York City has the largest acreage of public parks, but Chicago leads all American cities in the per capita acreage of parks.

Vet Officer



Ira D. Canfield of Medford, senior vice commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, department of Oregon, has accepted an invitation to act as installing officer for the local post Thursday night. Canfield is a candidate for commander of the Oregon VFW.

ANNUAL MEETING OF CHURCH UNDER WAY

The annual convocation of the Episcopal church, diocese of Eastern Oregon, was under way in Klamath Falls on Tuesday with St. Paul's the host church. Registration of clergy and delegates as well as visitors took place in the parish house.

Bishop William Proctor Remington of Pendleton arrived here with Mrs. Remington late Monday. Bishop Noel Porter of Sacramento arrived Tuesday by train. Both were to speak Tuesday night at the official convocation banquet at the Willard hotel.

Following is Wednesday's schedule:

Holy communion, St. Paul's church, 7:30 a. m.

Breakfast in the parish house, 8:30 a. m.

Business meeting in the parish house, 9:30 a. m.

Luncheon in parish house, 12:30 p. m.

Caravan trip to Crater lake, leaving parish hall at 1:30 p. m.

Mass meeting at parish house, 8 p. m. Bishop Porter will speak on, "America's Contribution to a Permanent Peace."

COUNTY HEALTH OFFICER TO SPEAK AT MEETINGS

Two addresses are scheduled this week for Dr. Peter H. Rozendal, Klamath county health officer, who will speak before the employees of the California Oregon Power company on the subject of syphilis. He will show a film and lecture on the disease. This meeting is scheduled for Thursday night, April 18.

Again on Friday afternoon of this week Dr. Rozendal will address members of Joseph Conger PTA on the preparation of the pre-school child and the summer round-up.

101 NEW CASES OF MEASLES REPORTED IN KLAMATH AREA

The measles barometer took another skip this past week with 101 new cases reported to the health unit, according to Dr. Peter H. Rozendal, Klamath county health officer.

A total of 73 cases was reported during the previous week.

"Although there was an increase in the number of cases reported, we feel the measles epidemic is definitely quieting down," Dr. Rozendal stated. "The increase was due to the fact that many were not reported the previous week which was spring vacation time in the schools."

EXHIBITION OF WEIGHT-LIFTING TO BE GIVEN

Jack R. Peebler of Klamath Stationery store will give an exhibition of weight lifting and body building Wednesday night at a Boy Scout court of honor to be held at the Fremont school. The court will be presented under direction of Eagle scouts of the Modoc area.

Peebler, who has been a professional for the past several years, formerly taught weight lifting and body development at Multnomah Athletic club at Portland.

Almost 87 per cent of the fatal automobile accidents during 1939 occurred in clear weather, and almost 80 per cent happened when the road surface was dry.

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The Klamath Veteran

Activities of the Spanish-American War Veterans, The Disabled American Veterans, The Veterans of Foreign Wars, The American Legion and Their Auxiliaries.

VFW AUXILIARY

At the last regular meeting of the Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary Mrs. Anna Woodworth was reelected president for the coming year. The other officers elected are Laura Bacon, senior vice president; Florence Miller, junior vice president; Martha Barron, chaplain; Loetta Schorger, treasurer, and Annie McGilvray, guard. The rest of the officers are to be appointed by the president. All officers will then be installed at the next regular meeting by Julia Canfield from Medford.

A delegation from the Ashland auxiliary is expected to be present on the night of installation, which will be held Thursday evening, April 18, at 8 o'clock at the city library auditorium.

Veterans of Foreign Wars Pelican Post 1383

On Thursday evening, April 18, Pelican post 1383, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, will hold their regular meeting at the KC hall. Principle order of business for the evening will be the installation of officers for the ensuing year. Department Senior Vice Commander Ira D. Canfield of Medford has accepted our invitation to be present and act as installing officer.

Comrade Canfield expects to bring a number of veterans from the valley posts of Medford, Ashland and Grants Pass. These posts, together with the post at Brookings, constitute district No. 8, department of Oregon.

Portland, being the only large city in the state, has always held the balance of voting power over the southern districts. As a consequence, department officials have invariably been elected from the northern part of the state. This is the first time in the 41 years' existence of our organization that we have had a chance to elect a department commander from our own district. Comrade Canfield is well and favorably known throughout the entire state, and it is a foregone conclusion that he will be elected department commander at the 41st annual encampment to be held at Corvallis July 7, 8, 9, 10. Officers of the post are urging every member to be present at the

next meeting to greet the distinguished visitors.

The women of our auxiliary have promised to put on a feed for us that will really be something to write home about. They haven't fooled us yet, and if they never do anything else they have justified their existence.

Time and place: Thursday evening, April 18, KC hall, "over the Rainbow."

AMERICAN LEGION Klamath Post No. 8

A regular meeting of the post was scheduled for Tuesday, April 16, with refreshments to be served after the meeting.

The time is drawing short for registrations for Beaver Boy State, to be held at Hill's Military academy, Portland. This activity of the American Legion, is endorsed by leaders of juvenile and boys' work all over the country, as a program worthy of the support of all organizations, interested in the development of leadership and the training in the responsibility of citizenship for the coming generations of citizens. Contact S. P. Miller, phone 1481 or see any member of the local Legion post for particulars.

The annual program and banquet in honor of the war



NAVY HERO—Through arrangements by Knuedler Galleries, this Gilbert Stuart portrait of Commodore Wm. Bainbridge, who commanded the "Constitution," is being shown at the U. S. navy's first official art exhibit in Annapolis.

mothers of Klamath county will be held by the American Legion auxiliary, assisted by Legionnaires, Tuesday, May 7.

The first in a series of amateur shows, sponsored by Post No. 8 will be held at the Legion hall Friday, April 26. There is no age limit and the only requirement is that all contestants

must be strictly amateur. For more information phone 536-M; write Harry Van, 526 North 9th street or phone the commander, S. P. Miller 1481.

The wax art exhibit sponsored by the local squadron of The Sons of the American Legion, is open to the public for the second week and will continue to show this unusual collection for the balance of the week, closing Saturday night, April 20. This show is worth anybody's time and money, as it is the only wax exhibit in the United States today, having many of the figures that were shown in the Eden Museum in New York City for so many years. The Sons are using the money derived from this exhibit to help finance the trip to the department convention at Seaside, where they will defend the title of junior state drum corps champions.

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS

Disabled American Veterans, Chapter 12, met Thursday evening in the circuit courtroom. Mr. Lockwood of Medford was a guest.

Lamar Townsend represented the D.A.V., at the naturalization proceedings for a new citizen held last weekend.

The next meeting will be held on April 25. Refreshments will be served by the auxiliary.

The Women's auxiliary of the Disabled War Veterans met at the offices of Lamar Townsend April 11. Mrs. Lockwood of Medford was a visitor. The next meeting is April 25.

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