

Midland Empire News

FORT KLAMATH GROUP MEETS AT CLUBHOUSE

FORT KLAMATH—The regular meeting of the Civic Improvement club was held in the clubhouse Friday afternoon, with the vice president, Mrs. Frank Denton, in the chair. Routine business was transacted during the meeting, and it was announced that Pop Green of Modoc Point had been engaged to paint the clubhouse. He will start in about two weeks. Mrs. William Zumbum was given a standing vote of thanks by the club members for donation of a sign bearing the club name which will be placed on the grounds in front of the clubhouse.

It was decided to hold the usual annual bazaar given by the club sometime this fall, and the following women were appointed by the vice president to take charge of the various committees named: Mrs. Ray Loosley, aprons; Mrs. William Pappas, pillowcases; Mrs. Lee Denton, miscellaneous. Other committees will be appointed later on for the several other different features of the affair.

Dorothy Revell of Klamath Falls was present at the meeting and announced that she had brought the county library truck to Fort Klamath and that she would be here in future on the first and third Friday afternoons of each month for an hour, from 2:30 till 3:30, for the convenience of those wishing to take books. In addition to this service, a local branch of the county library is maintained in the clubhouse and is open on each club day of the month.

Mrs. James Van Wormer was welcomed into the club as a new member. At the close of the business session, refreshments were served by Mrs. Mordecai Heas at a table decorated with vases of roses, sweet peas and giant pansies brought from her Grants Pass flower garden for the occasion by Mrs. Lee Denton.

Those attending the meeting included Mrs. Florence Wilson, Mrs. Lee Denton, Mrs. Emma Gordon, Mrs. Mordecai Heas, Mrs. William Page, Mrs. Frank Denton, Mrs. James Van Wormer and Mrs. Harold Wimer.

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Library Club Meets in Merrill

MERRILL—Decision on the proposal to affiliate with the county library was held in abeyance until the September session by members of the Merrill Library club meeting last week with Miss Hopkins, representative of the county library, who was present at the session, to inform the membership of developments of the proposed change.

The suggestion has been under consideration for some time, with the increased demand for reading material a paramount factor. Under the proposed change a under circulation can be established, no reading fees would be charged and the library club, while still responsible for salary of the librarian would be released from other financial obligations relative to maintenance of the library.

Following the business session, Miss Betty Dalton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dalton, Malin presented two piano numbers and Miss Margaret Say, Portland, offered two violin numbers. Miss Dalton has only recently returned from school at the St. Dominican seminary at San Raphael.

A clever presentation of international problems involved "Senator Soaper" who minus mustache proved to be Mrs. Theodore Fish. Leading questions were "put to" the senator by Mrs. P. G. Wilson.

Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. R. H. Anderson, Mrs. Homer Heaton, Mrs. Scott McKendree, Mrs. O. T. McKendree, Mrs. W. C. Bailey, and Mrs. Hugh O'Conner.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. J. B. Kidwell in the absence of Mrs. E. E. Kilpatrick.

Merrill

MERRILL—Father James O'Connor of St. Augustine's church was in attendance this week at Pendleton at a retreat for all priests of the Baker diocese. He returned Saturday to be present for the first communion to be offered to a large class of children Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daws, Kirkland, Wash., are expected to arrive about the middle of June for a visit at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Frank E. Trotman and Dr. Trotman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted DeMerritt, Malin, a worthy patron and worthy matron of Malin chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, Mrs. Frank Carey, Mrs. Frank E. Trotman, Mrs. C. E. Sharp, Mrs. W. J. Groves, Mrs. Robert Cannell, Miss Mary Frances Sharp, Merrill, and Mrs. Vaclav Kalina, Malin, will leave Monday for Portland to attend session of grand chapter. While north a number of those making the trip will view the Rose festival and Mrs. Groves will go on to Seattle for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dalton left Friday morning for Los Angeles where they will spend two weeks with their daughter, Mrs. Tom Willis, Mr. Willis and small grandson.

Miss Margaret Say, Portland, is the guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. James Say. The guest, an accomplished violinist, appeared Thursday before the Merrill Library club.

Mrs. George Carleton, pioneer of the Merrill community, is a patient in Hillside hospital suffering from a broken hip received in a fall at the family home north of Merrill Saturday. Mrs. Carleton has been in ill health for a number of years.

Word was received here this week by Mr. and Mrs. Miles Moore of the injury at Buhl, Idaho, of their son, Lester Moore, who it is reported was injured presumably when a horse fell on him. While few

details of the accident are known it was learned that young Moore, former resident of Merrill, was working with horses at the time of the accident which rendered him unconscious. Following treatment for head injuries he returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sheldon and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dieter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamilton spent Sunday at Diamond Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton returned only recently from a visit at Sacramento with Hamilton's relatives.

Mrs. John W. Taylor plans to go to Pinola Thursday, returning with her daughter, Mrs. William Haskins and children who have spent several days here at the Taylor home.

The public dessert bridge and pinocle party planned by a committee of the Merrill Library club for Wednesday, June 11, has been postponed until Thursday, June 19. Conflicting dates of a number of other activities made the change necessary. A dessert course will be served at 1:30 o'clock with play immediately after in the Library club rooms. Mrs. Scott McKendree is chairman of the committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Hodges have gone to Missouri for a visit with relatives and while in the middle west will take delivery of a new car. Hodges is the Merrill postmaster and during his absence the postoffice is in charge of Mrs. T. W. Chatburn. T. W. Chatburn and daughter Betty were weekend visitors in San Francisco and other bay cities.

"Etiquette for Children" was the subject for discussion at last week's meeting of the Young Mother's club held at the home of Mrs. S. Baker. No other meeting of the group is scheduled until September.

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Sprague River

Numerous friends of Mrs. Ivy Clark, who is confined in the Klamath Valley hospital, are happy to learn that Mrs. Clark's condition is somewhat improved. Many friends and well wishers have visited Mrs. Clark during her period in the hospital.

Ed Stoneman Junior, and Roberta Heldrich motored to Redmond on a combined business and pleasure trip this week.

Ejner Christenson suffered a painful hand injury while at his job at the Crater Lake Box and Lumber company and is unable to work for a few days.

Roland Parks and George Hobbs, teachers in the Sprague River school, are employed during part of the summer in the mill and box factory.

A large crowd attended the funeral of Mamie Crume, held Thursday in the Sprague River church. Mrs. Crume was buried in the Chief Schonchin cemetery.

Scott Wolford has returned from California and has taken over his old job of running the printer in the box factory. Junior Heldrich, who ran the printer during Scott's absence, has resigned his job in the box factory.

The county road crew has filled in a section of the road on Main street that has been flooded a great deal during rainy spells. Several truck loads of dirt were hauled in, and several cars got stuck trying out the new road before the roller had a chance to function.

The Sprague River pool hall under the co-partnership of Ed Steenman and Woodbert Dexter is rapidly being completed and will be officially opened in a few days. The fountain is now open to the public.

Motor vehicle ownership expanded by nearly 1,500,000 in 1940, bringing registrations of automobiles and trucks to an estimated total of 32,000,000 at the end of the year.

With clothes being rationed in England, the women likely will put on a lot of mending that was so easy put off.

Pinehurst
PINEHURST—J. E. Patterson returned to Hat Creek, Calif., Sunday after spending the weekend at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gadbois went to Crescent City for the weekend in company with Mr. and Mrs. Marker of camp 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ashby and children, Katherine and Billie, of Etna, Calif., and Mrs. H. E. Miller and son Errol, of Ashland, visited with relatives at Pinehurst inn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Chase spent Sunday with relatives at Merrill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. DeCarlow, Mrs. V. V. Beler and Mrs. Fred Simms were transacting business and shopping in Ashland Wednesday.

Mary Lou Oliver of Klamath Falls, is visiting relatives at Pinehurst inn this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sims spent Saturday at Applegate.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Porter of Corvallis, visited with old friends at Pinehurst inn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Plantenberg of Portland and Mrs. Nida Oatman, visited with Mrs. Patterson a short time Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Winters went to Chico, Calif., Sunday and returned Wednesday.

Weather conditions are holding up logging in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cogswell and Mr. and Mrs. D. Hibbard and children went to Eugene Friday, where they visited relatives. Mr. Cogswell Sr., returned with them Sunday.

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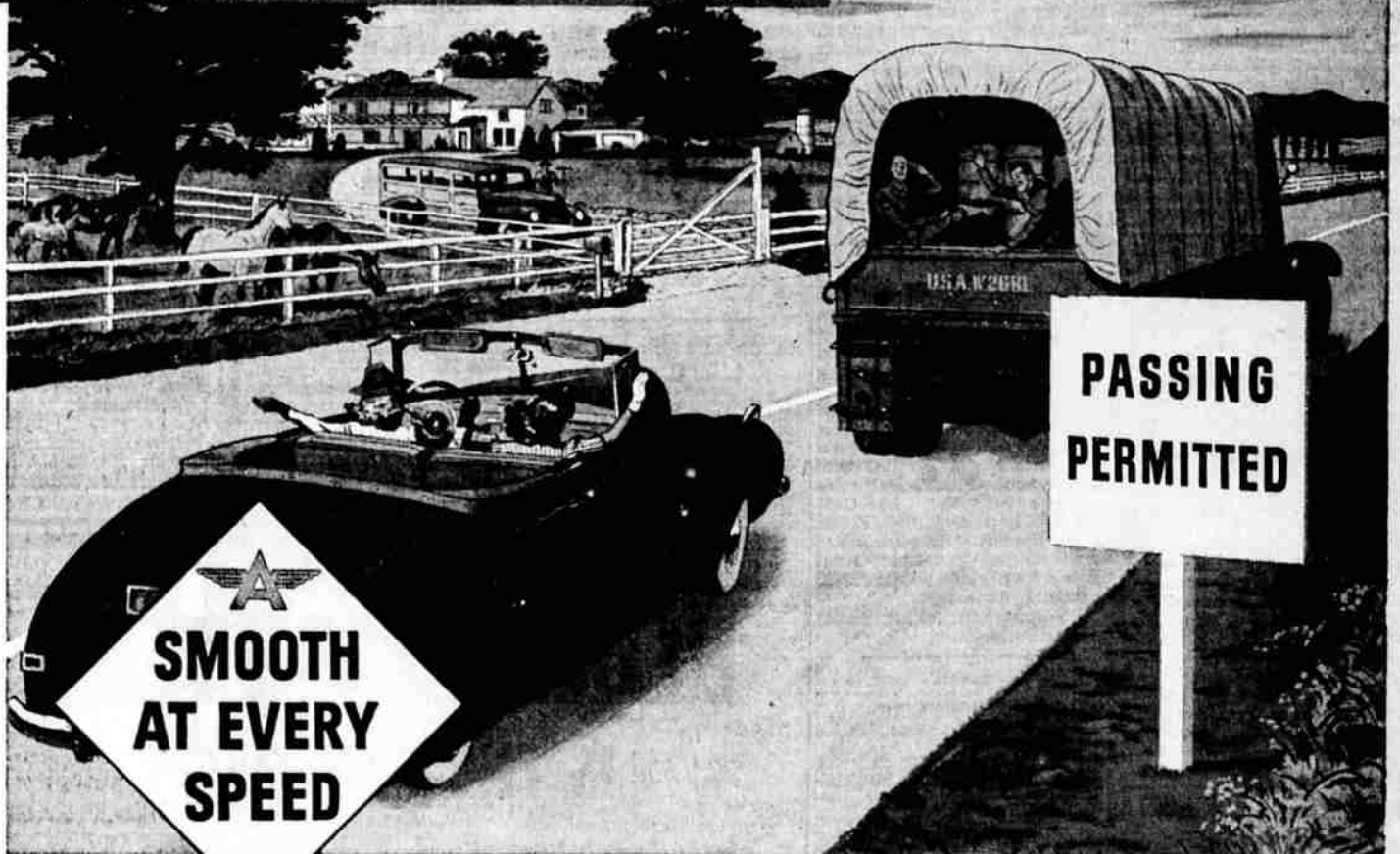
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