

PROBLEMS OF FARMERS TO BE STUDIED

TULELAKE—Tulelake grangers responding to a letter from U. S. Senator Downey, appointed H. T. Street, grange master, W. H. Weltkamp and L. C. Kirby to attend a meeting of Tulelake farmers Tuesday night at which problems of farmers of the Tulelake area were recorded to be sent to the senator for study.

Cognizant of the labor shortage, of the shortage of farm machinery, and other farm necessities Senator Downey will endeavor to help iron out these problems. A detailed report of alleged conditions existing at Newell, WRA project, particularly in regard to farm machinery that has been made available for use of the Japanese that is denied to farmers elsewhere also was forwarded to the senator.

W. H. Anderson, Siskiyou county agricultural commissioner, during the grange session reported that he had signed up 100 applications for grain sacks made at Alcatraz and asked that those who planned to poison ground squirrels call for the poisoned grain at the agriculture office. Anderson urged that immediate steps be taken in squirrel control since warm weather will bring the rodents out in numbers.

W. H. Anderson and O. A. Schultz were appointed to check on the possibility of stirring up interest from some source in establishment of a dehydrator company here.

E. A. Davis, publisher of the Tulelake Reporter, made an interesting talk on the Victory Bond drive opening this month.

Fort Klamath

With the removal of the last of the decked logs in the woods on the Yawkey tract near here Tuesday, logging operations of the Algoma Lumber company were terminated. The Algoma mill has been shut down and is being dismantled, and the company is being disbanded.

Frank Dyche, brother of W. K. Dyche, logging superintendent for the company for many years, is a patient at the Klamath Valley hospital in Klamath Falls, where he will have to remain for at least a month as a result of severe injuries sustained Friday while working as choker setter for the Algoma company in their local operations.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack P. McAuliffe, their daughter, Nora McAuliffe, and Mrs. McAuliffe's mother, Mrs. O'Connor, returned here Monday from Cottonwood, Calif., where they spent the winter months at the McAuliffe ranch.

L. M. Streeter made a business trip to Red Bluff, Calif., last week, and returned Sunday after looking after cattle interests there. Clay Taylor was employed on the Streeter ranch during Mr. Streeter's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller have returned to Fort Klamath from Medford, where they spent the winter months.

Joe Baker, son of Mrs. Pearl Baker, is a patient at Hillside hospital in Klamath Falls, having undergone an appendectomy on Monday. His brother, Noel Baker, is also at the hospital following a minor surgical operation. Both boys are reported as doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Brattain and son, Bob, moved this week to their ranch on Klamath Marsh. Brattain is suffering from tuberculosis and will have to remain in bed for two months as a result of a recent consultation and examination by a San Francisco specialist on the Brattain's visit to the city.

Malin

Mrs. Harry E. Wilson suffered a broken ankle when she fell in a fainting spell at the family home Tuesday.

Staff Sergeant Mervyn Wilde who has been in training for several months in a glider corps at Lubbock, Tex., arrived home Tuesday night on a furlough of several days duration. He was met at Klamath Falls by Mrs. Wilde. Sergeant Wilde is a son-in-law of Mayor and Mrs. A. Kalina.

Charles Hamilton received word Tuesday of the critical condition of a nephew at Yreka following injuries received when he was thrown last weekend from a horse. The young man, 19 years old, suffered a fractured skull and brain injuries.

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Tunisian Yanks Dig for Axis Death Traps



While his buddies watch tensely, this Yank examines a Nazi mine just dug up from sand near Gafsa, Tunisia. Before the American force could enter the town these Axis "fangs" had to be pulled or plans would have gone to "pieces"—but literally.

PINOCHLE CLUB GIVES FAREWELL

NEW PINE CREEK—Topping the social events of the week was the farewell party given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Marshal Ayres by the ladies of the New Pine Creek Pinochle club. The party was held at the home of Mrs. Faye Keller last Saturday evening and five tables of pinochle progressed to the wee hours of the morning when a sumptuous repast of shrimp salad, sandwiches, olives, pickles, lemon pie, coffee and all the trimmings were served.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Marshal Ayres, Hershah Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hinton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Coleman George, Mrs. Bessie Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cambron, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin L. Faris and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Keller.

Mrs. Jewel Cambron was high scoring lady and Mrs. Edna Ayres, low. Alvin Butler was high scoring man and Hershah Fleming low. The club presented Mr. and Mrs. Ayres with a lovely coffee maker as a token of sincere friendship which has been built up in the 17 years that the Ayres have resided in this community, living on and managing the Lehmann ranch.

Mr. Ayres has not yet decided what line of work he will get into, but at present is enjoying a little vacation which is the

first he has had in all the years he has lived here.

The regular meeting of the Pinochle club was held last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Buna Faris. Two kinds of ice cream sundaes were served for refreshments with butter wafers and coffee.

Mrs. Alpha Smith won high score and Mrs. Faye Keller low.

Business of the season included planning of the Ayres' farewell party.

New Pine Creek

Miss Eleanor Hamilton entertained the Needle club last Saturday afternoon celebrating the March birthdays of the following members: Mrs. Joe Smith, Mrs. Jack Moffitt, Mrs. Sadie Keller, Mrs. Jewel Cambron and Mrs. Myria Robnett. Birthday gifts were presented and refreshments of Imperial Jello salad, wafers, angel food cake, ice cream, coffee and candy. Mrs. Robnett who has been ill for nearly a month with the flu was unable to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton St. Clair moved to Bly, Oregon, last Monday where Mr. St. Clair will be employed as a timber faller for the Ivory Pine Lumber company.

Emmett Bear and family have moved here from Canby. Mr. Bear will work for Evert Reid and will live on the Bill Green ranch which Mr. Reid has leased.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlon Andrews of Kirk, Colorado, and young son visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lightle and family. The visit was in the form of a reunion as the two

families had not seen each other for seventeen years. Mr. Andrews, who is a brother of Mrs. Lightle, has located in Lakeview and will be employed there in one of the mills. He has one son in the marines and one in the navy.

Mrs. Dorothy McDonald of Alton was a weekend visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Evert Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Collins and family and Mr. and Mrs. James Pemberton and family of Lakeview visited last Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Pemberton. Mrs. Jimmy Jay and son, Bobbie, are also visiting for a few days with her mother, Mrs. Pemberton, while her husband is in search of new employment. He was formerly with the Smith mill at Canby.

Merrill

Fannette Offield Hodges, who is studying at the Southern Oregon College of Education in preparation for teaching, is one of two Klamath county girls to be initiated in Phi Beta Sigma sorority. Berthiel Nelson, Klamath Falls, was the second candidate. Mrs. Hodges, who has rated unusually high during the months she has been in Ashland, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Offield and is a native of Merrill.

Her elder sister, Mrs. Fred D. Fletcher, Klamath Falls, who taught in Klamath Falls schools a number of years ago, has also been called back to teaching at Riverside school, Klamath Falls, within the past month and expects to enter Southern Oregon

VFW LEASES DANCE HALL FOR LONG TERM

Pelican post, No. 1383, Veterans of Foreign Wars, has taken a long term lease on Skateland on Klamath avenue, and will conduct dances every Saturday night during the coming season. Opening date is set for Saturday, April 24.

"Pappy" Gordon and his Oregon Hillbillies have been engaged, it was announced by the executive committee. The VFW extends a cordial invitation to the dancing public to attend each week. At the present time post members are busily engaged in renovating the building and making repairs and improvements with the view of making Skateland a modern and completely equipped dance hall.

In the near future, Mrs. Hodges entered classes last September and following a short period between the close of the winter term of school and the opening of the summer term will return to Merrill.

Marine Hero and Bride



Sgt. Albert A. Schmid, who was nearly blinded after killing 200 Japanese in a single Guadalcanal engagement last August, looks over gifts with his bride, the former Ruth Hartley, who wouldn't let him break their engagement. They plan to build a home with money Schmid expects to receive from the movie dramatization of the story of his heroism.

Instructor, Cadet From Pasco Station Killed In Crash

PASCO, April 15 (AP)—The public relations office announced last night that an instructor and an aviation cadet from the Pasco naval air station were killed yesterday in a low-altitude plane crash at an outlying field. The trainer, in which the pair were making a routine flight, ignited and was destroyed.

Names of the victims were withheld pending notification of next of kin.

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