

Apple Pies Go Over Big At USO

Apples? It doesn't sound very exciting but the very thought of apples in pie is exciting news for the men and women who visit the USO and eat their way through literally hundreds and hundreds of fresh baked apple pies.

When the apple season arrived a call went out from the USO asking for donations, and Mrs. Jess Johnson and Mrs. Chester Enman offered their orchards.

Mrs. John Schubert and several marines took a station wagon and picked and brought in the apples. The pie baking began immediately.

On Mondays, Mrs. Effie Redkey and Mrs. Nina Beck, with the help of Mrs. Ila Gardner, bake from 10 to 13 pies. Tuesday Mrs. E. R. Hoopie bakes 13 pumpkin pies; Wednesday the Methodist ladies take over; Thursday Mrs. Victor Ongman for the Lutheran ladies rules the kitchen; Friday Mrs. Schubert, representing St. Paul's, bakes pies and frequently fills a very special order from one of the servicemen. In the afternoon the Catholic ladies take charge of the kitchen and turn out pies and cakes. Saturday's pie bakers are Mrs. Pearl Harsey, Mrs. Opal Richardson and Mrs. Freda Jackson.

On Wednesday before Thanksgiving the kitchen smelled like the anteroom to heaven!

All sorts of pies, apple, pumpkin, mince! Twenty-three pies were baked as fast as the ovens could turn them out. A turkey was roasted and a complete Thanksgiving dinner was taken out by three navy men who wanted to sit around their own board for the holiday feast.

By this time the apples were exhausted. This isn't a hint but the USO could use some more apples before the Christmas baking starts.

The USO located an apple peeler which belonged to the owner's grandmother and which was brought across the plains in a covered wagon. Now it turns out apples for the men of World War 2. Pies are served free at the USO snack bar and if you have anything that will go into a pie—you know where the USO can be found.

Eulalona

Eulalona chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock, December 3, in the club rooms of the city library, with Mrs. William J. Owsley, regent presiding.

During the program hour Mrs. Robert Odell will present a paper on "The Frontier and Progress." The annual Christmas party of the chapter will close the evening's program. Special music is being arranged and all present will join in singing Christmas carols. Refreshments will be served.

Mrs. Owsley asks all members



PIE MAKERS DE LUXE are Mrs. Effie Redkey, (left) and Mrs. Nina Beck, both of them 500-hour women at the USO and faithful workers at the center.

—Guderian.

Work At USO

In over one year's work at the USO center, ladies of the First Methodist church have served a total of 3030 woman-hours to date. Each Wednesday they may be found on duty, Circles 1 and 2 on one Wednesday, Circles 3 and 4 the next week. While the USO was still in the building on Main, the ladies donated and served homemade cakes. Now, in the new center, they gather each week to bake a huge sheet cake and pies, using materials provided by the center.

During the past year Mrs. L. K. Phelps has been chairman of this work but in the future Mrs. John Riach will be in charge, and by phone will assemble her corps of workers and fill any vacancies in the list as necessary.

The Catholic Daughters Sewing club, which has been meeting each Wednesday for six weeks, has already sent over 300 pounds of renovated clothing and new apparel for children to the National Catholic War Relief committee. Attending at some or all of the meetings were Mary McNeal, chairman; Jeannette Albee, Mabel Roman, Emilie Miller, Emma Grey, Katherine Lorenz, Hilda Crouse, Violet Pieser, Phillis Mahoney, Nora Manning, Agnes LaLonde, Marie Edwards, Ethel Brunner, Nora Quinlan and Ellen Ely.

Catholic Daughters also served breakfast to servicemen and women after the 9:30 mass Sunday, November 11, in the parish hall.

Azita Kennedy, Rose Igl, Lenore Gallagher, Ann Kessler, Mildred Myers, Florence Pickett, Mabel Brocktrup and Helen Dunbeck were active members of the committee in charge of the breakfast.

On Monday evening, Catholic Daughters held a short business meeting in the parish hall followed by a social hour of bridge and whist. Bertha Harlan received the award for high score in bridge, Rita Matson the award for whist. Refreshments were served later in the evening by Rose O'Leary, chairman, who was assisted by Alice Clark, Eileen Bocchi, Cecelia Carty, Marie Bartruss, Katherine Bruner, Elizabeth Bruner, Frances Balin and Loreta Druecker.

Court Klamath is the third youngest court in the state, nevertheless it is tied for first place in number of members with Mt. Angel court, and is growing rapidly. One of its outstanding projects at present is its work at the USO center each Friday. During November cakes were given to the center by the following members of the court, Mrs. Joe Malani, Mildred Seavey, Agnes LaLonde, Jeanette Albee, Katherine Lorenz, Mary Bellotti, Elizabeth Bruner, Margaret Lavenik, Ida Mochettaz, Thelma McEnerney, Katherine Bruner and Helen Egan.

The following Catholic ladies served as hostesses at the USO center during the months of October and November: Jeannette Albee, Ethel Brunner, Kate Carty, Alice Carnini, Dorothy Derrah, Angelina D'Olivio, Helen Egan, Emma Grey, Winifred Hooker, Azita Kennedy, Libby Meroney, Phyllis Mahoney, Emilie Miller, Mildred Smith, Elizabeth Schuuh, Petronella Solie, Louise Vaughn, Lillian Dale, Livia Bocchi, Velma Fogarty, Clara Heup, Rose Igl, Agnes LaLonde, Jones Moty, Mrs. Jack Franey, Mrs. X. L. Nidorf, Mrs. J. H. Paul, Mrs. Lynn Roycroft and Mrs. Solie.

In Grecian drama queens wore purple and white; other ladies were allowed to wear only saffron or frog green.

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Shower Given For Recent Bride

The pine room of the Elks lodge was the scene of a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Doug Ernst at 7:30 Wednesday evening, November 28. The party was given by Josephine Thorton, Lettie Linman and Christina Demetrakos.

Mrs. Ernst is the former Virginia Leslie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Leslie of Klamath Falls. Her husband is also of this city.

Dinner Held

The homecoming dinner which was held at the First Christian church on Tuesday, November 27, was acclaimed a great success by all who were present. Over 225 people attended the dinner and the program which followed.

After the cafeteria dinner everyone gathered in the auditorium for the program. Following the group singing, Athena Lampropoulos played a beautiful violin solo. A humorous reading was given by Mrs. E. E. Robertson. Then M. P. Gundersen of the Newell relocation center gave the address of the evening. It was a very interesting and informative talk regarding the American Japanese and the part that many of them played in helping to keep America free. He mentioned one father at the Newell center who had three sons killed in the service of this country and of how proud the father was that they had had a part in the winning of the war for the United States.

To travel by rail from Waterville, Me., to Buffalo, N. Y., in 1850, required four days and the use of 12 different railroads.

Guests at the shower were Mrs. Fred Fleet, Mrs. Ernst, Mrs. Frank Fleet, Mrs. M. G. Leslie, Mrs. Pearl Ernst, Mrs. Jack Linman, Barbara Palmer, Barbara Brosterhaus, Darle Helfrich, Edna Kahl, Mrs. Curtis Stockstill, Mrs. C. H. Hoyt, Mrs. Lon Hunt, Mrs. Ralph Hoyt, Mrs. Doug Smelcer, Mrs. J. Selstrom and June Selstrom.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernst were married in Waco, Texas, where he was stationed as a second lieutenant in the air corps. The ceremony was read August 21 in the Methodist church there. The bride's mother, Mrs. M. G. Leslie, was present at the wedding. Mr. Ernst has recently been discharged from the service, and the young couple plan to make their home here.

Celebrate

A double celebration was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander J. Denton, 229 Chiloquin avenue, when Diana Jane Denton celebrated her first birthday on Thanksgiving Day. Diana Jane was born in Florida where her father was stationed with the United States army at Camp Gordon John-

Women Of Moose

MERRILL — The Women of the Moose, chapter 18, held their regular meeting, November 20. The library committee gave the program with a piano solo and a talk on Mooseheart by Anna Hartel who recently visited there.

Rose Van Meter won first prize on the stuffed toy contest, sponsored by the Mooseheart committee.

Gift boxes to Mooseheart and Moosehaven will be held open until after the next meeting to accommodate members who missed the last meeting.

All Moose and Women of the Moose members are asked to donate ducks and geese for the annual game dinner, December 8. The birds should be left at Johnnie's pool hall in Merrill before December 5. The birds need not be picked.

Degree Of Honor

Members of the Degree of Honor held a regular meeting in the KC hall Monday evening, November 26, with the president, Johnnie Bell, in charge. Plans were made for the Christmas party to be held December 18 in the hall. The nominating committee submitted its report, and election and initiation will both be held at the next regular meeting, December 10. There was one visitor, Mrs. Tweed of Seattle, who is making her home with her daughter, Lucile Tweed, of the KUHS faculty.

Following lodge refreshments were served by Mildred Peterson, Caroline Peterson, Agnes LaLonde and Helen Brick.



ENGAGED is Gloria, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Crider, whose betrothal to Corporal Gilbert Valentine of the Marine Barracks was announced by the parents this week. Corporal Valentine is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Valentine of Santa Ana, California. No date has been set for the wedding.

stone. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Votchatzer, Richard Votchatzer, June Cook and Richard Cook and the Denton family.

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