

Herald and News Homemakers Corner

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This and That About Women

"It's A Woman's World"



FUZZY WUZZY WUZ A BEAR—Fuzzy Wuzzy Had No Hair . . . Mrs. Fannie M. Cheyne, Gold Star Mother, "Mom" to 12 boys and girls, grandmother to 23 youngsters and great-grandmother to six small fry, can finish the nursery rhyme from memory and does for the avid little listeners who cluster at her knee—and they never dream she doesn't see the printed page.

With her husband and four children she came to Klamath Falls by way of The Dalles in a covered wagon, landing the last day of October. The trip took two weeks.

She has lived here since 1912, pioneering on a ranch in the Henley district, lost her sight in 1940 but today she is as active in her home as homemakers who see. She continues to cook and sew, to help keep house, to crochet and to do many tasks that occupy the days, year-in, year-out for other women. Few meeting her would know that she walks in darkness.

She has a keen sense of humor, is interested in world affairs, the activities of her family, many of whom live near in the Klamath country.

Mrs. Cheyne was the first Gold Star Mother here in World War II. A son Rollo lost his life when the Marines landed on Guam. Another child died in youth. That leaves ten to answer roll call come holiday time when Mrs. Cheyne helps stuff the turkey.

Randy Hamm is the grandson pictured here.

Salad Treat Recipes

Perfect for summer porch dining is this molded cantaloupe salad. Serve with tender, hot biscuits and jam and butter. A filling dinner menu will result if you add a platter of cold cuts and ice tea and cupcakes. For variety, make this molded salad with other fruits, or try a different flavored gelatin.

MOLDED CANTALOUPE SALAD

- 1 package lemon-flavored gelatin
- 3/4 cup hot water
- 1 cup pineapple juice
- 1/2 cup melon juice or water
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- 1 cup cantaloupe balls
- 1 cup medium noodles, broken
- 1/2 cup halved green grapes

Dissolve gelatin in hot water. Add fruit juices. Pour 1/2 cup gelatin mixture into 1 1/2-quart mold. Arrange cantaloupe balls on bottom of mold. Chill in refrigerator while making other salad preparations. Cook noodles in boiling salted water until tender (about 6 minutes). Drain and rinse with cold water. Combine noodles and grapes with remaining gelatin mixture and pour into mold. Chill until firm. Unmold onto serving plate and garnish with lettuce. Serve with cream cheese dressing or mayonnaise.

Did You Know . . .

. . . that originally, fragrance was used for religious ceremonies only?

. . . that during the Egyptian Ptolemies no king could be crowned without first being anointed with perfumed ointments?

. . . that famous Greek writers attributed the magnetism of fragrance to the gods and goddesses of Greek Mythology?

. . . that toilet water and cologne have been manufactured so that they may be used lavishly without injury to the skin?

. . . that perfume is known as the fourth dimension of a woman's personality, giving a subtle charm to every woman who wears it?

. . . that when you sprinkle toilet water or cologne on the ironing board, a subtle scent will cling to the clothes you iron?

. . . that stick cologne-toilet water applied to the pulse spots (inside wrists, inside crook of the arm, at the temple, behind the knees) actually helps to lower surface skin temperature through the evaporation of the alcohol?

. . . that practically every man considers a woman more attractive if she is wearing perfume? 65 per cent of the perfume sold is bought by men

. . . that when water has been softened with fragrant bubbles or oil or salts, soap lathers more profusely, thus cleaning the body more thoroughly?

. . . that bath powder (dusting or talc) helps absorb the moisture of the skin, making your skin feel soft, silky and cool?

. . . that the fragrance for you is the one you like?

. . . that the entire world contributes to the making of perfume?

. . . that a man remembers a woman's perfume long after he has forgotten the color of her dress?

. . . that "mother" often is more delighted with an exciting, adventurous perfume than with a so-lady-like scent? And she may be your own mother or that of your best friend.

Bly Club

Charter members of the Bly Women's Club, organized 29 years ago are Mrs. Frank Obenchain, Mrs. H. Powell, Mrs. Joe Kendall, Mrs. Frank Obenchain Jr., Mrs. Monte Cline and Mrs. Cline's mother, Mrs. Dixon. There are 25 working members.

Mrs. Mike Hunt is president; Mrs. Harold Powell, vice president and Mrs. Joe Kendall, secretary.

The club sponsors the annual tea for the Bly school faculty, the March of Dimes campaign and other community benefits. The club meets twice a month.

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Helpful Hints

COOLER DAYS FOR SMALLFRY

It's impossible to keep the youngsters quiet all day long even when the thermometer flirts with the 90's. But when they become overheated, give them a sweet smelling bubble bath followed by a lavish dusting of bath powder. Not only will it cool their bodies but the fragrance itself will refresh both you and the children . . . and you'll find the little ones look forward to bath time when the ritual includes fragrance toiletries.

RECIPE FOR INSOMNIA

Spray toilet water or cologne on bed linen to surround you in an atmosphere of soothing fragrance. Select a scent which is light and fresh to help eliminate the mental cobwebs so prevalent during hot humid weather. A clear mind filled with happy thoughts encourages sweet dreams!

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Recipe

RAISIN BREAD PUDDING

- 5 slices soft white bread
- 2 cups milk
- 2 eggs
- 3/4 cup seedless raisins
- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 2 tablespoons butter

Tear each slice of bread into quarters and blend one slice at a time in glass container of electric blender until soft crumbs form, about 3 seconds each. Pour crumbs into greased 1-quart baking dish after each blending; there should be about 2 1/2 cupsful. Place remaining ingredients in container. Cover container and turn on blender. Run until raisins are slightly cut, about 30 seconds. Pour blended mixture over crumbs and stir to mix well.

ORANGE PEACH CONSERVE

- 1 unpeeled orange, coarsely diced
- 1 unpeeled lemon, sliced
- 1 1/2 cups water
- 3 cups sugar
- 2 cups sliced peeled peaches

Place diced orange, sliced lemon and water in glass container of electric blender, removing any seeds. Cover container and turn on blender. Run until fruit is finely cut, about 30 seconds. Pour blended mixture into saucepan. Bring to

boil and cook, covered, for 10 minutes. Add sugar and sliced peaches. Bring to boil again and let cook uncovered, until a few drops will jelly when dropped on a cold saucer, about 221 degrees F. Pour into sterilized glasses and seal with paraffin. Makes 4 eight-ounce jars conserve.

NEW TRICK

Instead of making fancy frostings for cakes during hot weather we use this simple trick. Bake your favorite chocolate cake in an 8- or 9-inch square pan. Spread the top of the warm cake with 1/4 cup soft butter or margarine blended with 1/2 cup brown sugar, 1-3 cup chopped walnuts and 3 tablespoons cream. Place about 3 inches under the broiler until mixture browns.

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