

Home Extension News

KLAMATH COUNTY HOME EXTENSION COMMITTEE
By Louise Borton

The Klamath County Home Extension Committee met March 2 at the home of Mrs. Clyde McPherson, Midland.

Present were Mrs. O. L. Brown, Mrs. Lynn Hayes, Mrs. Claude Williams, Mrs. William Drew, Mrs. H. V. Borton, Dolores Bracken, county home extension agent and Louise Hannah, agent at large.

Expiration dates of committee members were discussed. The term of Mrs. Claude Williams expires this year. Mrs. McPherson made a motion that Mrs. Hayes serve two more years and that Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Drew serve one more year.

It was voted to ask the Alameda unit to appoint a unit member to serve a three year term, ending in 1955.

Plans were made for the annual Homemakers' Festival at the Fairgrounds, May 5 and a backyard design made by Hope Halbrook, 4-H agent was chosen for the festival. The design will also be used on programs at the festival. "Busy Hands For Better Homes" was suggested by Mrs. O. L. Brown.

Play Safe, Coast Guard Recommends

The Coast Guard in its safety campaign this year is particularly interested in emphasizing the proper safety precautions to be taken by those owning and operating skiffs and outboard motorboats.

One safety precaution recommended are day and night signal flares. These are a compact, two-purpose distress signal, giving off bright orange smoke by day and a red flare at night. If lacking this equipment, run up a white flag or garment on an outboard. Anywhere on the Oregon Coast the Coast Guard are always on the alert to notice any type of distress signal. The procedure is advised for inland waters as well.

Also wear your life preservers at all times. If, for some unknown reason, your boat should suddenly capsize and you were not wearing your preserver, surf, wind and current conditions might make it impossible to recover while in the water.

If you desire any information or material on safe boating, write to the 13th Coast Guard District Office, 418 Second Avenue, Seattle, Wash.

REMEMBER?

Fifty-one years ago this month the first U. S. regular movie theater opened in Los Angeles.

Mrs. McPherson will be in charge of the hat parade and five prizes will be given for the most original, funniest, smallest, largest and most artistic.

The April 6 meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Borton with Mrs. Brown, Mrs. William Drew, Mrs. Lynn Hayes, Mrs. A. H. Scott and Dolores Bracken present.

It was announced that standard unit reports were due April 27 and the reports were checked by Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. Hayes, Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Borton.

All Azalea House donations are also due.

There will be no charge to mothers whose children will be cared for at the First Congregational church, during the time of the festival May 5.

Lunches for the festival will be served by women of the LDS church. Tickets will be \$1.25.

Henley, Midland and Merrill units have been asked to help decorate the exhibit building May 4 and those assisting should take Mammalia and other greens for decorating.

SHASTA HOMEDALE

Verna Dean Long conducted a short business meeting at the last session of the extension unit in the absence of the chairman, Bert Mayfield.

The resignation of Shirley Wintersinger, secretary-treasurer was accepted and Leah Ferrell was nominated to the office.

Dolores Bracken, home extension agent gave an interesting discussion on "Understanding Yourself."

KLAMATH FALLS

Dolores Bracken was leader of the project, "Understanding Yourself," at the April meeting of the Klamath Falls Home Extension Unit which was held at the housing project.

Mrs. Fred Karlson gave the devotions and Mrs. Mark Taylor presented material on program planning. Mrs. Hal Dale, ACQ chairwoman, gave a talk on Canada where the ACQW conference is to be held this year. Penalties for Friendship were collected to further correspondence of members with homemakers of other countries.

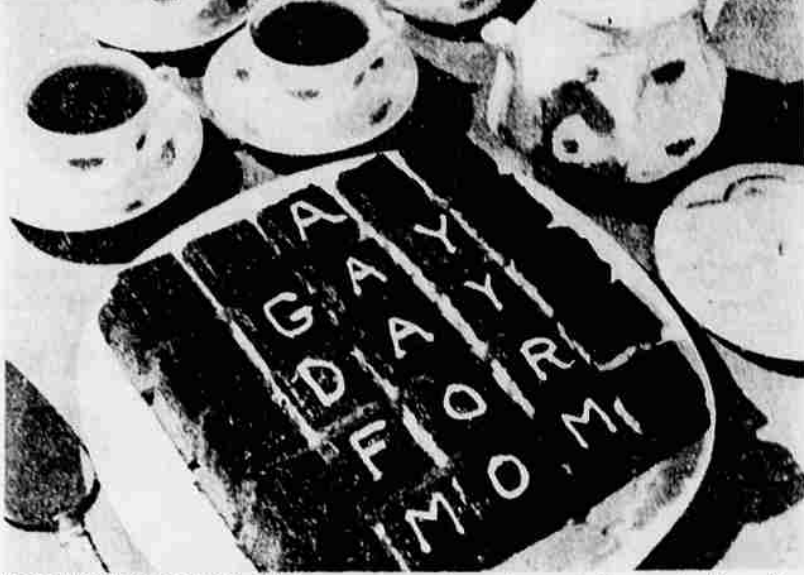
Plans were made for cooperation with the Fairhaven unit in the "Saled and Saled Dressings" display at the festival.

Decision was made to hold a picnic for members and their families during the summer.

New officers elected were Mrs. Fred Karlson, chairman, Mrs. Keith Henry, vice chairman, and Mrs. William Ludwig, secretary-treasurer. They were installed by Miss Bracken.

Mrs. T. S. Hoff furnished a cake which was served with coffee and sack lunch at noon.

Festival tickets are all available from Mrs. Barker. Guests at the meeting were Mrs. Muriel Dillard Davis and Mrs. Sharp.



MORE THAN HER FAMILY'S GIFTS... more than the spoken word, Mom, on her Day will appreciate the quiet time you plan for her... maybe it will be late afternoon, maybe it will be just before bedtime that you should surprise her with the cake you've baked and a steaming cup of tea. Serve this easy to make yellow cake with a specially prepared mix, topped with her favorite butter, chocolate icing inscribed with a special message... "A GAY DAY FOR MOM" which can be easily lettered with a small cake decorator, made of a piece of heavy waxed paper, folded like cornucopia.

OPEN THE DOOR!

Patience! Love awaits.
Resting his wings.
Open the door, my heart.
See what it brings.
Gleams of the brilliant sun.
Dusk of the shade.
Open the door, my heart.
Be not afraid.

Song of the woodland bird.
Scent of the flower.
Open the door, my heart.
Give love an hour.

Lay all your doubts aside.
Grieve no more.
Love will not fail you now.
Open the door.
See it is poised to fly!
Soon it will soar.
Open the door, my heart!
Open the door.

Elizabeth Alice Thies

EASY TO DO

Make mayonnaise thinner with sour cream; stir in bottled horseradish to taste, a few chopped olives, a sprinkle of garlic. Results: quick sauce for cold meats.

NEW POTATOES AND PEAS WITH MUSHROOM SOUP

One joy of spring for cooks is that fine combination, new potatoes with peas. It's a joy complete made with condensed cream of mushroom soup. (no white sauce to struggle with) Blend 1 can of the soup with 1 cup milk. Stir in 2 cups of cooked peas and heat well. Meanwhile arrange little cooked new potatoes about 8 in a serving dish; then pour on hot sauce.

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70-Year-Old Trees Defy City Charter As Citizens Come To Rescue In Village

GREENWICH, Conn. (AP)—Two old sugar maples, 70 years old and 55 feet high, stand in front of the Riverside Catholic convent here, sprouting their 20th set of leaves.

They're nice, say the police and some residents, but they're a traffic hazard. They take up too much sidewalk and make people walk in the street. Chop 'em down, they urged.

Last night, Tree Warden Joseph A. Dietrich held a 90-minute hearing in the Town Hall. Should they be chopped down?

"They're too beautiful to chop down," argued the Riverside Garden Club.

"Only God can make a tree," testified a Roman Catholic priest. "Leave them be," pleaded a resident. "We're proud of our trees."

Under Connecticut law, a tree along a municipal right of way cannot be taken down without permission of the tree warden.

So the old maples that block the sidewalk have won a battle, but

apparently it's only temporary. The trees are in the path of a proposed expressway which the state legislature is expected to approve. Construction may be expected to start, if the expressway is approved, for a few years.



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