

Over the GARDEN DATE

ALTURAS GARDEN CLUB

Eleven garden club members met at the home of Mrs. Guy Young on March 12 for a regular meeting. Mrs. Margaret Huffman was welcomed as a new member, and two guests, Mrs. W. L. Banks of Alturas, and Mrs. Tom Cummings of Woodland were also made welcome.

Roll call was answered by telling how each used an herb in cooking, the program being about herbs from the garden to the table. Mrs. William Roush spoke on the subject and announced that Edgingfield's has a number of herb seeds for those interested in growing their own.

Envious sighs were drawn from other gardeners when Mrs. Banks told of harvesting ripe tomatoes from a vine she has growing in a sunny window.

Mrs. Ralph Laird read a paper on her experiences with iris, the flower picked by the club for its horticultural study for the year.

Two members who were chosen to represent the club in planning the district fall flower show, will attend a meeting in Klamath Falls on March 30. They are Mrs. Guy Young, general chairman of the local club's planning committee, and Mrs. Paul Decker, who will help formulate the schedule for the show.

A motion to plant a flowering tree at the cemetery in memory of Mrs. B. M. Smith, member, who died recently, was passed unanimously.

Get well greetings were sent to Mrs. Etta Peppertine Miller who is ill in a Reno hospital.

Reports were given by those in charge of the Valentine gifts to the aged at the hospital, the Arbor Day planting at the school and the nominating committee.

Members and guests enjoyed coffee, tea and cake from a beautifully decorated table centered with a seasonal arrangement of green dyed carnations and ivy in the spirit of St. Patrick's Day.

4-H Leaders Meet To Form Committee

FORT JONES—Margaret Kohl, a 4-H Club specialist of Berkeley, discussed clothing construction and related topics with local 4-H leaders recently in the Cadola dining room.

The meeting, held to establish a Home Economics Advisory Committee and for training of clothing leaders, was conducted by William Riddiman Jr., a farm adviser.

Purpose of the HEA Committee is to make recommendations and give assistance to farm advisers in conducting 4-H home economics programs.

Attending the meeting were Jane Cassidy, Donna Eller, Betty Preston, Mildred Baradun and Edna Deppen of Etna; Harriet DeNure, Edith Eddy and Mrs. Maxwell of Yreka; Mrs. Earl Simpson, Nadine Kellogg and Dorothy Luce of Fort Jones, and Ardrie Dudley of Callahan.



4-H DEMONSTRATION brought these Scott Valley and Yreka 4-H leaders to hear Margaret Kohl of Berkeley. They include Jane Cassidy, Mrs. Earl Simpson, Nadine Kellogg, Donna Eller, Dorothy Luce, Betty Preston and Edna Deppen.

4-H NEWS

CRAG VIEW

DUNSMUIR—Members of Crag View 4-H club attended a 4-H officers training meeting at the Jackson Street Elementary School in Yreka recently.

The evening's topic was how to hold a model meeting. John Condit, editor of the Siskiyou Daily News, was the main speaker.

Crag View members present were Margaret Callick, Anna Mae Flannery, Martha Johnson, Diane Girdler, Carolyn Conroy, Russell Callick, Mike Flannery, Charlene Day, Fred Johnson, Malen Johnson, David Harris, Cedrick Kessler, Hene Boggs and Barbara Rowland. Leaders present were Mrs. Wilson Callick, Malen Johnson Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kessler. Greenhorn, Delphic, Strawberry Valley, Table Rock and other 4-H clubs were also present.

PROJECT TOUR

ETNA—The Etna 4-H Club had a project tour March 14. We started at Steve and Lorena Dillman's and went to all the homes of members with agricultural projects on the west side of the valley. We all ended up at Mike Bannings and ate lunch there. We had the meeting while we ate our lunch, the business was discussed and the meeting adjourned. We decided to have another project tour later and cover the other side of the valley. We all had a lot of fun and learned a lot too.

Wendy Cassidy
Club Reporter

ETNA FORESTRY

ETNA—The Assistant Forest Ranger picked up the three boys in 4-H Forestry at the Etna High 9 a.m. Thursday, March 19, and took us to the McCloud tree nursery.

First we were shown the tumbler that removes the seeds from the cones, next a machine cuts off the wings on the seed and separates the bad seeds from the good ones by weight and size. The seeds are then placed in containers and put in storage at zero temperature. Here they keep a 10 year supply of seeds on hand, in case of several years of no production of seed cones. A record is kept of where the seeds are gathered.

Next we went to the fields where the seed had been planted two inches apart in rows and space between to be cultivated. Here we were surprised to see three men and 20 women working. The women were pulling up little two year old trees and placing them in bundles of 50; these were placed in boxes containing three thousand trees to a box. This box of trees is then taken inside and repacked for shipping. The trees are shipped back to the area where the seeds are gathered because of growing temperatures.

This was a very interesting field trip.
Freddie Miles
Club Reporter

COOKIE CLUB

ETNA—The Cookie Club held its meeting March 18 in the high school with Barbara Franklin, president, presiding. A S. A. E. Hawkins dance was planned for April 17 to be held at the Pleasure Park. A camping trip was planned for later in the spring. To help landscape about the high school the club voted to purchase a shrub.

Present at the meeting were Barbara Franklin, president, Nadine Murphy, vice president, Lorena Dillman, secretary, Maryanne Halliday, Carol Hammond, Linda Orpe, Carolyn Ayres, Sharon Young, Linda Bogue and Mrs. Sorenson, adviser of the club.

Pair Selected As Shasta Entry

MOUNT SHASTA—Ruth Fignani and Darrell Luperini have been chosen as Mount Shasta's entry in Boys' and Girls' State this summer. The choice is made on the basis of scholarship, school spirit and cooperation.

The state groups, for girls at Davis Campus, June 19-27; and boys at state fairgrounds at Sacramento, June 20-28, are for teaching students organizational procedure. Officers chosen at these meetings are sent to Washington, D.C. for a national meeting.

Obituaries
ABBE
Gravestone services will be held in Klamath Memorial Park for baby boy Abbe, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Abbe, who died March 21. Besides his parents, he is survived by a sister Gail, a brother, Stanley, all of Klamath Falls and grandparents, Mrs. Ma bellene Powers and J. D. Abbe in Texas.

Western States Recover After Tumbling Slide

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI)—After a tumbling nine-month slide, business activities in the western states began their swing into healthy recovery last April.

A survey released today by the Federal Reserve Bank here covered California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Utah, Arizona, New Mexico and Nevada. These states comprise the 12th Federal Reserve District.

Reserve officials attributed the district's business recovery from the nine-month recession to a number of sources. Among these was a substantial expansion of credit by Federal Reserve banks during the early part of 1958.

This increase of credit supply spilled over into mortgage markets, the report stated, and encouraged a sharp increase in housing construction. This gain in construction, the bank said, was strongly significant to the economy of the district, enabling western lumber industries in particular to push their way out of a long, unhappy slump.

In addition to these recovery programs, the federal government enlarged the borrowing authority of the Federal National Mortgage Association and liberalized terms on veterans housing.

Employment and capital gains during the latter part of 1958 were also greatly abetted by heavy placement of government contracts in aircraft, electronics and industries engaging in space research.

The survey also reported that aid grants to state and local governments with highway and unemployment insurance programs expanded in 1958. In addition these governments stepped up construction outlays and general spending for education.

1958 was a good year for agriculture in the western states, but after an early recovery period prosperity dropped to a more normal level of stability. In contrast to agriculture, the recovery arrived late or not at all for a number of manufacturing and mining industries, the report noted.

But the primary hindrance to the speed of the 1958 recovery, the survey pointed out, was the failure of both consumer and businessmen to activate spending for durable goods.

Two past presidents, Ethel Norris and Jeanne Dillman were honored with presentation of Relief Society pins. Pat Menings chose "Organization of the Relief Society" as the topic of her speech.

A money tree, arranged by Selma Wixom, and a gift card signed by the members, will be sent to Elder David Norris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Norris, Etna, now a missionary in Finland.

Following several accordeon solos by Loretta Bogue, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hiett and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph van Komen, forming a quartet, sang a Dutch hymn.

Veterans Help Driver In Jam

MOUNT SHASTA—An Oklahoma fruit truck driver has learned that having once been a member of the armed forces pays. Kent Fillingham, Elk City, Oklahoma, apprehended by California Highway Patrolmen for having expired license plates on his vehicle was forced to take out a California license and lined for violations. Fillingham ran out of money and a customer for the delayed fruit all at the same time.

It looked like the end of the trail for the ex-paratrooper who has visions of matrimony. But VFW Post and Auxiliary groups of Mount Shasta came to his rescue. They arranged for sales permit, and helped the young man dispose of the fruits so he could stay in business.

Dancing Slated For March 28

MOUNT SHASTA—Mount Shasta Recreational District director Jack Murtha has announced that a folk and square dance will be staged in the city park auditorium Saturday evening, March 28. It will be called the "Hard Times" ball. The Mount Shasta Dudes "n' Daisies Square Dance Club will be hosting the Dunsmuir Square D's and Castella Crag Hoppers. Callers from all three clubs will officiate during the evening.

A prize for the best costume depicting hard times will be awarded during the evening.

Klamath Senior Wins Scholarship

Roger Schlickeisen, Klamath Union High School senior and student body president, won the Oregon District South Elk's scholarship contest in the boys' division at Medford on Sunday.

Announcement was made today by Paul Deller, chairman of Oregon District South Elk's scholarship contest. The local winner will represent the district, which comprises all the high schools in Southern Oregon from Lakeview to Coos Bay, in the state finals next Saturday at Astoria.

Becky Short, a Henley High School senior, was high in the standings in the girls' division.

The "Elk's Most Valuable Student" contest is an annual event.

Watsonville Police Chief Kills Captor Of Inkeep

WATSONVILLE (UPI)—Police Chief Frank Osmer today shot and killed Stanley Papac, 25, Watsonville, who was holding a tavern proprietor as a holdup hostage in the darkened Mira Mar Bar here.

The shooting occurred about 3:30 a.m. and Papac died at 5 a.m. at Watsonville Community Hospital.

Papac had waylaid George Lucich, 32, one of the tavern owners, at his home after Lucich had closed the bar for the night. He forced Lucich to drive to the tavern where he planned to have him open the safe.

When Papac and Lucich arrived, two janitors were cleaning the place. One of the janitors, Tony Dertich, 38, managed to escape through the rear door. He notified police. The other janitor also slipped out without Papac's notice.

A squadron of 25 police officers, deputy sheriffs and California highway patrolmen surrounded the tavern.

Papac hit Lucich over the head with his gun and dragged him behind a barricade of tables and chairs he had hastily built in the room was from the street, but police could see Papac holding a gun at Lucich's head.

"I'll kill blonde (Lucich) and the first cop whom comes in," Papac shouted.

Police tried to talk him out of it for nearly an hour, but Papac continued his threat.

Chief Osmer then stationed his two best marksmen, Sgt. Russell Mock, 34, and Officer Jim Braden, 46, at either side of the dining room entrance. Osmer then stepped into a hallway leading to the kitchen door. He intended to shoot Papac in the arm when he raised from the barricade, knowing he'd have only one shot. He missed Papac's arm and the bullet hit the hand in the chest.

Relief Society Holds Dinner

ETNA—Daffodils and blue candles with blue and gold crepe paper streamers decorating the tables, carried through the theme colors, blue and gold, of the Relief Society at the potluck dinner given by the members, March 18, celebrating the 117th anniversary of the Relief Society of the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints.

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Weather Table

United Press International
Temperatures and rainfall for 24 hours ending at 4 a.m.

| High | Low | Rain |
|----------------|-----|------|
| Albuquerque | 63 | 47 |
| Atlanta | 64 | 44 |
| Bakersfield | 68 | 49 |
| Boise | 55 | 37 |
| Boston | 36 | 16 |
| Brownsville | 69 | 51 |
| Chicago | 41 | 34 |
| Denver | 57 | 35 |
| Detroit | 29 | 23 |
| Fairbanks | 5 | 22 |
| Fort Worth | 68 | 45 |
| Fresno | 65 | 47 |
| Helena | 49 | 30 |
| Kansas City | 63 | 46 |
| Los Angeles | 66 | 51 |
| Miami | 83 | 61 |
| Minneapolis | 42 | 31 |
| New Orleans | 68 | 47 |
| New York | 36 | 21 |
| Oakland | 59 | 36 |
| Oklahoma City | 65 | 39 |
| Phoenix | 83 | 56 |
| Pittsburgh | 31 | 18 |
| Red Bluff | 57 | 48 |
| Reno | 56 | 38 |
| Sacramento | 59 | 47 |
| Salt Lake City | 67 | 46 |
| San Diego | 66 | 38 |
| San Francisco | 58 | 33 |
| Seattle | 50 | 40 |
| Spokane | 46 | 33 |
| Stockton | 82 | 61 |
| Tucson | 82 | 48 |
| Washington | 42 | 29 |

Autopsy May Give Answer In Death Of Teenage Bride

BURBANK, Calif. (AP)—What caused the death of an attractive teenage bride whose body was found on a hospital lawn?

Authorities hope an autopsy will answer that question today.

Hospital attendants were led to the fully clothed body of Mrs. Brenda Emerson, 16, after they received an anonymous telephone call Saturday night.

Police said she had been dead about 30 minutes. They said she may have been alive when her body was left on the lawn. The only mark on Mrs. Emerson's body was a puncture wound on the inside of the right elbow. They said it appeared to be from an injection.

Identification marks on her clothes had been removed. She was still wearing her wedding ring, a watch, and a locket.

The young victim eloped to Phoenix nine months ago with Steve Frank Emerson, 20. He was questioned briefly Sunday at the home of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Blonder, in West Los Angeles.

A lawyer friend of the Blonders advised them not to answer any questions from police, the officers said.

Emerson said he last saw his wife about two hours before her body was found. He said she left their home in nearby Beverly Hills to attend a family reunion at her parents' home.

An uncle, Sheldon Grossbart, was at the Blonders' home when he heard a radio report describing discovery of the body.

After asking her parents what type of clothes she might be wearing, Grossbart went to the police. He identified the body. Grossbart said the Blonders opposed their daughter's marriage.

SCOUT NEWS

LIFE SCOUT AWARD
YREKA—Grant Hosford was the recipient of the Life Scout Award, the second highest award given in Boy Scouting, at the Court of Honor recently held at the Jackson Street School in Yreka.

Grant is a member of Yreka Boy Scout Troop 37. Other members of the troop were presented several awards and badges. Donald Henson was the recipient of meriting first class rank were Thomas Fox, Mark Wardrip and Donnie Stevenson. Earning second class rank were Robert Ensele and Dale Hastings, and tenderfoot awards were presented to Robert Grazziani, Jeffrey Lighthall, Don Purdue and Mike Thomas.

Special awards were marked with the presentation of Scout emblems and neckerchief slides to Robert Lick and Chad Peery for their work in selling tickets for last year's Scout Exposition.

Those receiving one year pins were Robert Ensele, Brian Favero, Thomas Fox, Walter Gamble, Edwin Grieve, Robert Lick, Pat Maginnis, Steven Meek, Chad Peery, David Phillippe, Darryl Solus, Rodney Stanshaw, James Steinhaus and Mark Wardrip.

Two year pins were presented to Donald Lovelace, Rolf Manaugh, Glen Schmidt and Boyd Taylor, and three year pins went to Billy Day, Donald Henson and Grant Hosford.

Merit badges were presented to Mark Wardrip for cooking; Thomas Fox for hiking; Pat Maginnis for swimming; Boyd Taylor for home repairs; first aid and scholarship.

Don Favero presided over the Court of Honor as judge, Lawrence Hastings as clerk was assisted by Lonnie Johnson, district scout executive, and Leslie N. Taylor, scoutmaster of Troop 37.

The troop is sponsored by the Lutheran's Men's Club of Yreka, and Grant Hosford Sr., who is district vice chairman, presented the charters for both Troop 37 and Explorer Post 37 for the coming year.

Dedicate New Phone Building

FORT JONES—A sneak preview of the new headquarters building at Fort Jones of the Siskiyou Telephone Company was held last week. New switchboards and electronic equipment are still to be installed, but the building, nearing completion, was dedicated at a brief ceremony at 2:30 p.m.

Harrison Howell, mayor of Etna, and Ernest Smith, Fort Jones, addressed the public preceded by Arland Walker, stockholder, cutting the traditional ribbon.

An introduction of the board of directors was made followed by introducing the contractors and architect. At the conclusion of the ceremony refreshments were served to the public until 6:30 p.m.

The company is planning a more elaborate celebration on dial conversion which will occur in mid summer.

Science Fair Winners Told

DUNSMUIR—Dunsmuir elementary school pupils were among the top entries in the Siskiyou County Science Fair conducted last week in Yreka.

Tom Campbell and Larry Conley won a first place in the biological classification with a demonstration of testing for simple sugars. Ralph Kivett won a first place in the biological class for studies under a microscope. Bill Weldon and Jimmy Smythe's entry on the mineral content in plants won a first in the physical class.

Don Moore and Bill Newlon won third place, physical class, for an entry on the amount of mineral matter in the soil.

Awards of merit went to Sandra Reynolds, Bob McClintock and Lee Erickson. All the students are in the seventh grade. Paul Lewis is the school's science instructor.

PTA NEWS

HOBBY NIGHT
ETNA—Hobby Night was held at the meeting of the Etna Parent Teachers Association recently. Demonstrations by hobbyists were given. Lottie Bell displayed pictures she had photographed. Jack Burcell showed slides of county scenes: Dr. G. P. Ashcraft stuffed a bird; Don Avery displayed antique guns; George Hendryx loaded empty cartridges.

Gladys Young showed her collection of age-colored bottles and a rock display; Sophia Black showed the processing of raw wool to the finished garment; Billy Lewis, member of the Junior Rifle Club, had a display of target rifles and equipment and Joe Eller displayed fly tying equipment and tied fishing flies.

Election of officers was also held with Donna Eller being reelected president, Joyce Griggs, vice president, Marian Timmons, secretary, Edna Deppen, treasurer, and Ruby Doggett, auditor.

A representative from the Clipper Club, Jane Cassidy, explained the Foreign Student Exchange program, which is through the American Field Service, that the club is trying to promote and asked the PTA for financial aid in furthering the movement to secure \$650 which is the final requisite.

The PTA voted to assist Dr. G. P. Ashcraft with the Polio Immunization Clinic, open to the public, to be held April 7 at the high school. The cost of immunization shot is being 50 cents. As some doctors recommend fourth shots, these will also be available at this time to those interested.

At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served by the second grade mothers, Mrs. Harrie Whipple, June Trimble and Dorothea Smith.

KELLY CREEK
NEW PINE CREEK—Officers were elected at the meeting of the Kelly Creek Parent and Teacher Association last Thursday evening. Re-elected to their offices were Mrs. Elizabeth Madison, president; Juanita Robnett, vice president; and Mrs. Shirley Thompson, secretary. Don Evans was elected treasurer. Refreshments were served in the cafeteria by Mrs. Madison and Mrs. Buna Faris.

California Weather

United Press International
San Francisco Bay Area: Partly cloudy today after morning showers; Tuesday fair and slightly warmer; high today 58-63; low tonight 44-49; southwesterly winds 10-15 m.p.h. becoming west or northwest 10-20 m.p.h. Tuesday.

Mt. Shasta-Siskiyou Area: Occasional snow except rain at very low levels, becoming partly cloudy tonight; increasing cloudiness and slightly warmer Tuesday.

Sierra Nevada: Occasional snow above 5,000 feet and a few showers lower levels today; partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; slightly warmer Tuesday.

Sacramento Valley: Partly cloudy with a few scattered showers becoming fair tonight and Tuesday; colder tonight but slightly warmer Tuesday; high today 58-64; Tuesday 64-69; low tonight 37-44; variable winds 5-15 m.p.h.

Northwestern California: Partly cloudy with scattered showers becoming mostly fair Tuesday except increasing cloudiness in extreme north; cooler tonight; slightly warmer Tuesday; high today 58-64; low tonight Napa 61-58; Ukiah 55-53; Santa Rosa 62-38; coastal winds southerly 10-20 m.p.h. today becoming west and northwest 12-25 m.p.h. tonight and Tuesday.

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