

MISSIONARY SOCIETY AT MRS. CULBERTSON'S

The Missionary society of the Christian church met at the home of Mrs. Harry Culbertson Tuesday afternoon. Devotions were led by Mrs. H. Veal and the following numbers were presented: "To These We Hand the Torch," by Mrs. R. A. Olson; "Insuring at Least One Square Meal a Day," by Mrs. W. L. VanDoren; and "Education for Living," by Mrs. F. C. Stephens.

Those present besides the hostess were Mrs. Olson, Mrs. Stephens, Mrs. Veal, Mrs. W. K. Charlesworth, Mrs. VanDoren, Mrs. J. Sitts and Mrs. James Nanson.

GIRL CELEBRATES 7TH BIRTHDAY

Barbara Dustin celebrated her seventh birthday Saturday afternoon with a party. Fourteen guests spent the afternoon playing games and were served ice cream and cake and each one received a green and white basket filled with candy mints. Barbara was remembered with a number of pretty gifts. Those present were Bea, Pauline and Elda Riggs, Dorothy Dobkins, Lillian Headman, Martha Tapp, Frances Childs, Delilah Condit, Joyce Knight, Billie John, Fernie Gough, Virginia and Margaret Yeo, George Stankey.

MRS. KERR HOSTESS TO BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. J. E. Kerr entertained the Queen of Hearts Bridge club at her home Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. O. T. Bateman won the high score. A dainty lunch of salad, sandwiches and coffee which attractively carried out a St. Patrick's motif was served by the hostess to the following guests:

Mrs. Frank Hartwick, Mrs. Thor Roberts, Mrs. Lowell Hieber, Mrs. Geo. Van Vleet, Mrs. Forest Harding, Mrs. O. T. Bateman, Mrs. Henry Fogel, Miss Macle Roberts, and Mrs. William Armitage.

STUDY CLUB AT MRS. PEEBLEY'S

The meeting of the Vernonia Study club was held at the home of Mrs. Van Peebley last Thursday afternoon. Plans for the entertaining of Miss Harriet Long, Oregon state librarian were discussed. Miss Long will be in Vernonia March 27.

At the request of Mr. Wilkerson, the club members furnished a list of questions pertaining to morals, manners and ethics, which were given by Mrs. M. D. Cole to the class of the high school. The papers have been given to a committee from the Study club for grading.

The program for February 26 which consisted of talks on contemporary characters, was completed, as follows: Mrs. W. E. Bell, Sir Thomas Lipton; Mrs. E. E. Garner, Calvin Coolidge; Mrs. A. C. Knauss, Dr. Abraham Flexner; Mrs. F. Dickson, Charles Lindbergh; Mrs. C. Davidson, Herbert Hoover.

Mrs. E. E. Yeo had the program for the day which was the biography of Hetty Green, who was a very interesting, if not admirable character.

Delicious refreshments were enjoyed by all at the conclusion of the program. Others present were Mrs. M. D. Cole, Mrs. H. V. Holcomb, Mrs. Judd Greenman, Mrs. E. M. Biele, Mrs. F. Hanson, Mrs. C. W. Reithner, Mrs. C. Richardson, Mrs. D. Marshall.

Mrs. Vernon Green and Mrs. B. Frank Owens of Klamath Falls spent Monday to Thursday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Owens.

The Rookie



LOCALS

Frank Hartwick made a business trip to St. Helens Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Thompson were Portland visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Brown and Mrs. H. A. Pearce spent the weekend in Astoria.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McKibben went to Portland Friday to visit the Walkathon.

Mrs. C. Niar and Mrs. M. Grunden spent Monday and Tuesday in Portland.

V. V. Christiansen sprained his ankle Saturday and had to use a crutch for several days.

Roy Morris of Cochran has a strained wrist as a result of a bad wrench while working.

Harry Coleman, brakeman on the logging train visited his family at Willamette Sunday.

Catherine and Charles Hoffman returned home Thursday to spend the weekend with their parents.

Thy will return to Corvallis Monday.

Joseph Scott visited his family in Portland Sunday and Monday.

H. B. Ramsay, representative for Giant Powder, was a business visitor in Vernonia Tuesday.

Mrs. Thor Roberts, her brother Bill Culver, and Mrs. O. T. Bateman drove to Portland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elster Williams returned last week from Payette, Idaho, where they spent the winter.

Georgia Van Doren, Oliver Meltinger and Luella Williams spent the weekend visiting friends in Hillsboro.

Dr. and Mrs. Marvin R. Eby and children visited Dr. Eby's parents in Oregon City Saturday and Sunday.

A. F. Shollock, who is employed with Clark and Wilson, cut his left fore-arm and right foot on a saw this week.

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returned Tuesday from a short business trip to Pendleton.

Stopping at the Gordon this week were Geo. E. White, St. Helens; V. L. McDonald, Condit, P. C. Halin and Emmitt Murphy of Idaho; Noel Younger, A. E. Scruggs, H. E. Smith, Geo. Malifis, and Wm. Stokes, of Portland.

Mrs. Ray Charlesworth underwent a major operation in a Portland hospital Wednesday morning and is reported to be getting along fine. She was taken to Portland Saturday and will remain in the hospital for two more weeks.

Mrs. W. S. McDaniels visited in Portland Sunday and Monday. L. E. Fredrickson, formerly with the Vernonia Service Garage, and now with the Erickson Motor company in St. Helens, visited friends in Vernonia Saturday evening.

Hotel Nehalem guests this week were Kay McCann, Jack Daily, Hazel Foster, Mrs. Lytel, Robert Ward, James Kendricks, Mr. and Mrs. M. Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Meine, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ryan, of Portland, and Mr. C. F. Houseman of Los Angeles.

Hotel McDonald guests this week were Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Cohen, Salem; J. C. Armstrong, Seattle; Alice E. Eaton, Vancouver, Washington, Dora Van Grosa, Guy W. Phillips, E. E. Montague, L. J. Lampert, M. K. Hammond, R. D. Cruikshank, C. V. Young, F. Dixon, Paul F. Jackson, Wm. Green, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hawes, C. Conklin, and G. R. Bergstrom, Portland.

School Items

WASHINGTON SCHOOL
The following pupils in the fifth grade received Palmer Method awards last week: Bruce Holcomb, Elmer Michener, Ruby Condit, Ellis Austin, Norman Crowder, Clarence Lamping, Virginia Henderson, Clinton Allard, Mildred Woods, Harold Davis, Elizabeth Wall.

The fifth grade is taking up decimal fractions in arithmetic. The clerks in the store are becoming more efficient every day. Next week they intend to open charge accounts and bookkeeping.

The following had 100 in spelling: Seven-2, Josephine Hall, Roy King, Howard McGilvray, Jeanne Hughes.

Seven-1, Elbert Brock, Robert Culver, Florence Austin, Lucille Lindberg, Stanley Overson, Thelma Lincoln, Loren Lionberger, Lolamae Smith, Toivo Eloranta, Eleanor Edens, Toshi Kuge, and Floyd Rose.

Eight-2: Roy Barnes, Helen Brimmer, Ethel Christensen, Virginia Cummings, Jim Davis, Hale Graves, Ward Plumer, Margaret McNutt.

Lolamae Smith and Toivo Eloranta received 100 in the geography test on Asia.

LINCOLN SCHOOL
Mrs. T. M. Crawford visited the first grade Tuesday afternoon.

The following had 100 in spelling. Second grade: Valda Rae Bond, Thomas Ball, Aletha Gains, Glenn Hall, Walter Mock, Eleanor Poetter, Gene Mason, Paul Harman, Lucille Ruffli, Cecil Andrew, Victor Haight, Elsie Killian, Dorothy Weis.

Third grade for two weeks: Ennis Allard, Roy Bell, Harry Culbertson, Franque Fitzgerald, Harvey Holcomb, Lois Howell, Virgie Killian, Eunice Russell, Henry Taylor, Irene Weis, Heidi Rich, Marcia Whitlock.

Fourth grade: Geraldine Cason, Charlie Koto, Violet Jonson, Jack Sheeley.

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GRAPEFRUIT	—Goldette broken sections in syrup—containing all the delicious natural flavor of the fresh grapefruit. 2 No. 2 tins		29c
CARROTS	—Fresh Orange Roots Bright green tops— 2 bunches		9c
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