

## TOPICS OF THE TOWN

**New residents here are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown** who have bought the Irish residence on Riverside drive in Riverview. They were residents here many years ago and have since been many places including Alaska. They spent this past winter in Arizona with the intention of retiring there, but decided to come back here. Mrs. Brown is the former Nigarra Ray.

**RUMMAGE SALE, old P.O. bldg. April 25, 26, 27. EUB Church, Ruth Circle. 1513c**

**Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Smith and daughter Ronda** moved Sunday to Sweet Home. Mrs. M. B. Steers Jr. and M. B. Steers Sr. assisted them by taking a load of their household goods down for them.

**Mr. and Mrs. Owen East and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Aldrich** fished in the Columbia Sunday and Owen had the good fortune to catch two salmon that weighed over 25 pounds each.

**Mr. and Mrs. Ron Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Montgomery** attended the annual banquet of the Safeway Employees association in Portland last Wednesday evening.

**Lloyd Thomas left last Friday evening** for El Segundo, California to visit his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ross, and make the acquaintance of his granddaughter, Mary Lynn Ross. He and Mrs. Thomas plan to return home this week end.

**Guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Archibald** were her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Oakes, and their children, Donnie, Larry and Mike from Waldport.

**Mr. and Mrs. Jim Franks and daughter** have now established residence here since his recent discharge from the air force. He began work Monday at the mill.

**Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Riggins of Eugene** were guests Sunday of

Mr. and Mrs. George Roland. They also attended services at the E.U.B. church where they were members when they lived here.

**FOOD SALE, April 27, Strong's Electric. P.T.A. 1612c**

**Mrs. Donald Hargroves of Sacramento, California** is visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sawyer.

**Mrs. Glen Hawkins and son Billy** returned home Monday from Santa Cruz, California where they had visited her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ferrero. They had flown to San Francisco Wednesday of last week in company with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Felton and son Elon of St. Helens. They were met there by the Ferreros for the trip by motor to Santa Cruz. The Ferreros three sons were home to make the occasion a real reunion.

**Visitors Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Kittleson** were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ficker, and a nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Kittleson and two children, all from Portland.

**Sherman Fisher has been afflicted** with an attack of quincy this week.

**Cleo Walrath who has been ill** for several weeks following a bout with influenza, was taken to Tuahly hospital Monday for tests and treatment.

**Miss Gretchen Bolmeier and Miss Eileen Hartung** of Seattle who also attends College of Puget Sound at Tacoma, were here last week end to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bolmeier and attend the junior prom Saturday evening.

**Mr. and Mrs. Jack Childs and family** arrived Saturday morning at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Childs, for a few days visit. They attended the junior prom that evening where they saw friends. Mr. Childs spent the first part of this week at Gearhart attending a convention of the State Farm Mutual insurance company.

**Elmore Knight is still at Good Samaritan hospital** in Portland where he was taken Monday of last week for tests and treatment after he had failed to recuperate from his recent attack of pneumonia. He expects to be there at least the rest of this week.

**Mrs. Kenneth Anderson and daughter Marilyn Kay** of Cedar Hills are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Annie Anderson. The Connie Andersons added another grandchild to their roster last week also. Wednesday, April 24, they received word of the arrival of a son, Scott Elliott, at the home of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Thoreau of San Francisco.

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## Cub Scouts Set For TV Program

The Mom and Dad award was presented to den 2 at the last Cub Scout pack meeting held at the Washington school April 19. Mrs. Robert Lindsay is Den mother for Den 2, which also presented a skit, "Swiss Family Robinson," as an entertainment feature. Boys who participated were: Phillip Eggert, Tony Childs, Steve Mingler, Harold Peterson, Jimmy and Kenny Lindsay.

Six boys who were in the Webelos group and who have now attained the highest rank in Cub Scouts, were presented with Webelos badges. They are: Dave Brunsmann, Larry Harris, Phillip Meyer, Steve Gibson, Ed Kamholz and Jimmy Lindsay. They will graduate next month into the Boy Scouts.

Other awards were made as follows:

Den 1: Ed Kamholz, gold arrow.

Den 2: Steve Minger, silver arrow for Wolf badge and dinner stripe; Harold Peterson, assistant dinner badge and silver arrow.

Den 4: Raymond Hartzell, 1 gold and 2 silver arrows; Danny Brady, Wolf badge.

Den 5: Richard Hawken, Lion badge and 1 gold and 1 silver arrow.

Den 7: Charles Robertson, Wolf badge; Joey Curl, silver arrow; Russell Redmond, silver arrow.

Den 8: David Hall, silver arrow; Bruce Johnson, silver arrow; Kenny Bateman, silver arrow and dinner stripe.

Den 9: Darrell Chambers, Wolf badge; Denniss Thomas, Wolf badge.

### David Carson Transferred

Mr. and Mrs. David Carson spent the week end here with his mother, Mrs. Albert Tandy. David had arrived at Oregon City a few days earlier after completion of boot camp training for the naval air corps at San Diego. He will report May 10 at Norman, Oklahoma for further training. He and Mrs. Carson are making the trip there by car.

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## DATES to Remember

**THURSDAY, MAY 2**

Past Presidents parley, American Legion — Home of Mrs. Freda Biggs, 1:00 p.m.

Vernonia Study Club — Home of Mrs. Marvin Kamholz, 8:00 p.m.

Nehalem Circle Neighbors of Woodcraft — IOOF hall, 8:00 p.m.

A.F.&A.M. — Masonic Temple, 7:30 p.m.

Winema Grange — Birkenfeld, 8:00 p.m.

**FRIDAY, MAY 3**

Drivers license examiner—City hall, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Sixth grade assembly—Washington school, 2:45 p.m.

Columbia Encampment No. 89—IOOF hall, 8:00 p.m. Visit of grand chief patriarch; crab feed after meeting.

Fraternal Order of Eagles—Hall on First Ave., 8:00 p.m.

**SATURDAY, MAY 4**

Pomona Grange — Scappoose, all day.

Do-Si-Do square dance club — Legion hall, 8:00 p.m.

**MONDAY, MAY 6**

Lions Club dinner meeting — VFW hall, 7:00 p.m.

American Legion — Legion hall, 8:00 p.m.

Past Chiefs club — Home of Mrs. W. R. Wolff, 8:00 p.m.

City council — City hall, 8:00 p.m.

**TUESDAY, MAY 7**

Junior Promenaders—Union hall. Beginners, 7:00 p.m. Others 8 to 9:30 p.m.

Mt. Heart Social club — Home of Mrs. Irmgene Brissett, 8:00 p.m.

Vernonia Odd Fellows lodge No. 246 — IOOF hall, 8:00 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 8**

Keasey extension unit—postponed to May 15.

Mother-Daughter banquet—EUB church, 6:00 p.m.

Boy Scouts — Cabin in city park, 7:00 p.m.

Mom and Pop reception — high school, 8:00 p.m.

Nehalem Social club — Home of Mrs. Bert Brunsmann, 8:00 p.m.

Veterans of Foreign Wars—VFW hall, 8:00 p.m.

Pythian Sisters — IOOF hall, 8:00 p.m.

Natal Grange — Natal hall, 8:00 p.m.

## New Grasses For Lawns Seen

Inquiries concerning the local adaptability of Zoysia Grass and Mondo "grass" have been coming in at a rapid pace, according to Doug Messenger, special extension agent.

There are three species of Zoysia in the United States, Manilagrass, Japanese lawngrass and Mascarenegrass. All are natives of tropical or eastern Asia.

Manilagrass is the most important and widely used of the Zoysias. It turns brown with the first frost in the fall and does not renew growth until the last frost in the spring. It will occasionally survive the winter in our area, however, the general limit of northern adaptation is approximately 40 degrees latitude. Seed is not available commercially and vegetative planting is necessary. Besides its inability to withstand our winters, it is a slow growing grass. In the south where Zoysia is adapted, it requires at least 2 years to obtain a good cover.

Mondo "grass" currently being promoted in several parts of the country for home lawns is at present being tested at Oregon State college. Mondo is not a grass but a low-growing evergreen perennial closely related to the lily-of-the-valley. It produces small violet or bluish-tinted flowers followed by pale blue berries. Harry Scoth, USDA agronomist, currently in charge of the tests, says that it will require two or more years of study before adequate information is available about Mondo.

While Mondo is used in some southern states and southern Europe for borders and edgings, Scoth says it has also been advertised for "lawns" that require no mowing where a height of 6 to 12 inches is not objectionable.

The selection of grass species for a home lawn is mostly personal likes and dislikes. A lawn grass nursery is being planned where local people will have an opportunity to view several adapted species so they can determine which one they would like to plant. Oregon State college publishes a bulletin titled "Home lawns for Oregon" that contains much useful information on the care and planting of lawns. This bulletin is available through the county agents office.

## Merry Mixers 4-H Club Learns Pudding Making

Tiny Easter baskets greeted the Merry Mixers 4-H club members when they met at the home of Mrs. Joe Johnson April 16.

Lesson for the day was making tapioca pudding.

Each girl brought two peanut butter cookies so they could compare the efforts of their fellow club members.

After a few outdoor games, the girls enjoyed tapioca pudding and cookies.

## Club Slates Bottle Drive

The high school Pep club is having a bottle drive to raise funds for the Timberline and are asking any persons who have salable bottles they will donate to call the school office.

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## Leonard Badley Gets Assignment

Airman Third Class Leonard V. Badley, son of Mrs. Beulah Slemmons of Vernonia, has recently been assigned to the 96th field maintenance squadron at Altus Air Force Base, Oklahoma.

Airman Badley was stationed at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas before being assigned to Altus AFB, a vital part of the nation's global striking force, the strategic air command.

Badley attended Vernonia high school, and entered the Air Force in February of 1957. He is a member of the Nazarene church.

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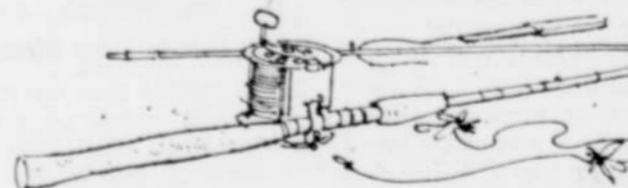
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