

The Vernonia Women's Bowling league will hold its first meeting for the fall season at Dessy's alleys next Tuesday evening, August 21 at 7:30 p.m. to make plans for the months ahead. All women interested, both those who have bowled before and those who have not but are interested are invited to attend.

By Woodcraft Last Friday evening, Nehalem

Circle, Neighbors of Woodcraft, held a very special meeting at the IOOF hall to observe the 35th anniversary of its institution here and to honor two charter members, Mrs. Erma Johnson and Mrs. Alice Lindsay, by presenting them with their 35 year membership pins. The presentation was made by Grand Guardian Violet M. Lundstedt from Portland. Both of the ladies made nice talks concerning their years in the circle.

After vacationing during July, the Past Chiefs club met Tuesday, August 7, at the home of Mrs. Irma Chance.

Election of officers was conducted by the president, Mrs. Murel and resulted as follows President, Mrs. Irma Chance; vicepresident, Mrs. Cora Lange and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Faye Davis. They will be installed at the September meeting at the home of Mrs. Grayce Bundy. After other business was cared for, the evening was devoted to visiting. The ladies enjoyed seeing the improvements and redecoration which Mrs. Chance is having done in her house.

To Points In Canada, Alaska

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Parmer of They drove to Valdez in Alaska Natal recently returned from a to see the glaciers. They saw the seven-week, 6300-mile trip that Worthington but because of the took them through Canada and fog were unable to see the Co-

THURSDAY, AUG. 16, 1962 3 done. The Parmers think the many interesting people they met everywhere were the best part of the

Local Scouts At Spirit Lake, Wn.

Last week, 16 members of the Vernonia Boy Scout troop 201 camped at Spirit Lake, Washington and enjoyed all of the usual camp activities. They were Jim Lindsay, Gordon Blackburn, Gary Hanson, Keith Cameron, Tom Lawler, Steve Curl, Pete Brunsman, Greg Laird, Larry Elton, Steve Minger, Ken Lindsay, Eddie Burton, Stanley Meyer, Wayne Cameron, Pat Workman and Albert Brunsman.

The boys were accompanied to camp by Scoutmaster Don Cameron, Clarence Blackburn, Tracy Hanson and Robert C. Lindsay. The first three spent the entire week there with the boys but Mr. Lindsay was there just the first part of the week. During that time he talked to the boys about need for care due to slick logs. He later demonstrated the talk quite unintentionally when he slipped and fell and fractured his leg.

Goodies 4-H Club Ends Year, Plans for Fair

The Goodies 4-H cooking club held their last meeting of the year August 8 at the home of their leader, Mrs. Loren Ellis Jr. Each member made a lunch for herself which consisted of a broiled cheese sandwich, salad, ice cream and milk.

They discussed exhibiting and demonstrating at the county fair and it is hoped that all the members can attend.

News reporter, Joyce Knowlton

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The event started with a potluck dinner. Other distinguished guests were Roy Peters, Oregon State manager and Wm. Sutfin state organizer for the Neighbors of Woodcraft. There were 16 members of the local circle present. Mr. Lundstedt also was there with his wife.

Before the evening closed, Mrs. Frank Lentz presented a bouquet of gladioli from her yard to Mrs. Lundstedt.

Sunday Event To Honor Galloway

At the meeting of the Vernonia Odd Fellows lodge Tuesday evening of last week, August 7, the second degree was conferred on Chet and Earl Ray. Thursday evening, August 9, they were taken to Clatskanie for the conferring of the third degree.

Other Vernonia lodge members who accompanied them to Clatskanie were Albert Tandy, Carl Davis, R. L. Spencer, Hugh Devine, Thomas Hall, Allen Ray and Frank Lentz.

Visitors at Clatskanie from other lodges included four from St. Helens, four from Warrenton, two from Kelso and two from Longview. Clatskanie had an attendance of 16 members.

This Sunday, August 19, the Vernonia lodge will hold a reception at the Vernonia IOOF hall honoring one of its members, Lester Gallway, who was elected as grand conductor at the last Grand Lodge session. The reception will be from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. and is open to the public.

Eagle Want Ads Get Results-

The hostess prize was awarded to Mrs. Mathilde Bergerson.

Callister Goes To Great Lakes

Rodney L. Callister, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd C. Callister, completed recruit training August 3 at the Naval training center, San Diego, Calif.

During the nine-week indoctrination period, recruits are trained in physical fitness, basic military law, military drill, customs and etiquette of the naval service, swimming and survival, first aid and basic shipboard routine.

He arrived home last week for a 16-day leave after which he will go to the Great Lakes Naval training center for a 26-weeks course at electronics technician school.

Lundgren Assigned to **Missile Test Center**

Fred J. Lundgren, aviation machinist mate second class, U. S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred O. Lundgren, is home on 14 days leave from the Naval Air Station, Quonset Point, R. I. With him are his wife and three children. His next duty assignment will be the Navy's Guided Missile Test Center, Point Magu, Calif. Lundgren joined the Navy at the Hillsboro Navy Recruiting Sta-

tion in February, 1958.

Most town boosters are willing for somebody else to do the expensive part of the boosting.

Alaska. They went through Frazier Canyon and up to Dawson Creek which is now quite a city due to the extensive oil drilling in the vicinity and extending past Prince George. Small towns formerly one grocery store and filling station size have boomed.

Being ardent fishing enthusiasts, they enjoyed stopping at numerous lakes along the way. One of their stops was at the Ace High Ranch on Watch Lake. They also stopped at Lake Kaluane in Yukon Territory, one of the largest lakes which is 83 miles long. This is in the region of Sheep Mountain, home of the big horn sheep. They

were able to see several from a distance. They drove through some of the 'bush country" so-called because nothing grows there but small, scrubby brush. They noticed old

trading posts now fallen into ruin,

along the way. At Fairbanks they visited the college and went through the museum on the campus. Everything on display is Alaskan in origin. They were impressed by the size of a grizzly bear there, said to be the largest ever taken.

Also, they played golf at the northernmost golf course in the world and were presented with certificates of that fact. Moose and bear are apt to play along with golfers. One fellow told them to look out for his friend on number four. Instead they met him on number six. The "friend" turned out to be a big moose.

They also went bowling while there. The bowling alley had a huge Alaskan scene, handpainted, covering the wall overlooking the lanes. They had also bowled in Dawson Creek and were surprised to find the alley using only five pins and small balls, softball size, without finger holes.

Up near the Artic Circle at Fairbanks, the never-setting sun gave them an uncanny feeling. Just when they thought it should be getting dark, the sun would pop up over the horizon again. They found it difficult to sleep.

lumbia glacier.

They enjoyed nice weather except on their return trip they ran into a record rainstorm at Dawson Creek. Temperatures reached 94 degrees at Fairbanks and 100 degrees on the return through the Frazier Canyon. However, they were told that last winter at Fairbanks it was 70 degrees below zero for 17 days.

The road included 1200 miles of dusty rock. Travelers were advised by their car radios to use their headlights because of the thick dust.

It was the season of the big thaw when they were traveling and they had to wait at times for the highway crew to put in culverts, fix bridges and make other road repairs. In pulling off the road it paid to be cautious because unless the shoulder was well rocked cars would sink into the soft tundra.

Graders were stationed every few miles along the roads. Also another use for the graders at certain times of the year was to scrape off the thousands of snowshoe rabbits which meet their death on the road.

The Parmers took extra tires and gas along but found gas stations numerous although gas was expensive. Fortunately, they had little trouble and only one flat tire along the way.

They had the good luck to be parked along the road near Fork Junction, the U.S. Customs out of Canada, when their trailor house was recognized by Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gwin and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Cantwell on their way to Kenai. They all enjoyed the visit before they continued their trip to Kenai to see the Hoyts. The Cantwells were also going on from there to Kodiak to see Raymond Pearl and family.

They saw many moose, including an albino, and lots of fox, lynx and wolves but did not see even. one bear. However, they camped one place which had been visited by a bear just before they arrived and they saw the damage he had

trip and, paradoxically, the most expensive item in their opinion was ice.

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