

## Chapter Honors Matron, Patron

Ralph Bergerson was installed as worthy patron at the first meeting of the Nehalem Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, September 3. Also installed were Ginger Johns as marshal and Ella Cline as Adah. Mrs. Oscar Hannula, worthy matron of Wabanang Chapter in Clatskanie was introduced.

A clever degree was presented for Mr. and Mrs. Bergerson in honor of their wedding anniversary. Plans were made for the reception honoring Mrs. Lillian Davis, associate grand matron of Oregon, to be held September 26.

Next meeting will be a pot luck dinner at 6:30 p.m. on September 16 after which there will be a school of instruction.

## Navy Announces Student Plan

The United States Navy recently announced the opening of a new program for those college students of the "hard sciences" who plan to enter the teaching profession. The Naval Officer Instructor program is open to college men who will receive a degree in mathematics, physics, mechanical engineering, electrical engineering, reactor engineering or chemistry.

Selected applicants will, upon graduation from Officer Candidate School, be sent for a short time to Navy Instructor school and thence given assignment to full time instructor duty ashore in nuclear power, missiles or other technical schools for the full term of their obligated services.

To determine your eligibility for this program, contact your local Navy recruiter or write to the Office of Naval Officer Procurement, 520 S.W. Morrison St., Portland, Oregon.

## FDA Asks Aid On X-33 Proofer

The Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, has asked state and other local health and safety officials, including fire departments, for help in removing from the market "X-33 Water Repellent," an extremely flammable masonry water proofer.

Food and Drug Commissioner Geo. P. Larrick said that "X-33" has caused three deaths and over 30 injuries through flash explosions.

To date, the government has seized almost 500 shipments of the misbranded "X-33". However, it is estimated that up to 1,200 shipments of the product may still be in possession of hardware stores, lumber yards, filling stations, auto supply houses, grocery stores, drug stores, and feed and grain dealers, etc.

The Wilmington Chemical corporation has notified FDA that it is financially unable to recall the shipments of "X-33" still on the market. "This material represents a continuing hazard to the public," Larrick said. "We therefore recommend that all stocks of the extremely flammable "X-33" in a misbranded condition should be destroyed under the supervision of local fire authorities and that state and other local officials take whatever action is available to them to order destruction," he added.

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## Families Greet Son, Daughter

August 11 was the birth date for Charles Bradley Hedricks who arrived at Tuality hospital and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roland Hedricks Jr. of Orenco. Mrs. Hedricks is the former Miss Carol Sword of Vernonia. The babe weighed in at 7 pounds 9 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sword of Vernonia and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hedricks Sr. of Hillsboro. Mrs. Susie Enyart of Vernonia is the great grandmother.

September 1, a 9 pound 10 ounce daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Gilliland at No. 8 O A hill to make it a quartet of daughters in their household. She was named Kathleen Marie and joins sisters Vicki, Teri and Tammy. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold I. Head of Council Bluffs, Iowa and Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Gilliland of 18 O A hill.

## Portland Youth Visit Sanders

MIST — Thirteen Menonite Young People from the Good Samaritan hospital in Portland joined the Mist-Birkenfeld youth group at the Sulo Sanders home Friday evening. A baseball game was played first and then the group, 40 in all, enjoyed a weiner roast at the Sanders home. The Portland young people presented a program and everyone joined in the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Pinky Zillman of Clatskanie visited the Dave Crawford's one evening during the week. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Reynolds were in Portland Wednesday on business. Gayle Karvonen of Clatskanie visited during the week with the Reynolds before she returned to college.

Bob Grimsbo returned to college at Pacific University Monday. He will practice football for the next two weeks before college starts.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hansen and children ate their picnic dinner indoors at the Bud Hemeon's Labor Day instead of outside as planned, due to old man weather. Mr. and Mrs. Toby Knowles visited the Hemeons also.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford were in Vancouver at her brother's home Tuesday and Friday. Mrs. Inger Ashley, Bertie Lou and Mrs. Bertie Hansen of Longview were recent callers at the Crawford home.

Ben Keller was in Mist over the week end looking after his property.

## Senator Due at Fund Dinner

Representative Beulah Hand, Milwaukie, recently was named chairman of a first congressional district fund raising dinner featuring Senator Ernest Gruening of Alaska.

Sponsored by the Whipple for Congress committee, the dinner will be held in mid-September. Full dinner details will be announced later.

Senator Gruening, Alaska's junior senator who was re-elected in 1962, is a former newspaperman and governor of the Territory of Alaska. He was one of the prime movers in the fight for Alaska's statehood. He serves on the interior and insular affairs, public works and government operations committees.

Representative Hand's appointment was announced by Blaine Whipple, first district Democratic nominee for congress.

## Couple Votes Oregon Scenery Hard to Beat

That Oregon scenery is hard to beat was the consensus of opinion for Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Garner last Thursday as they drove down the Columbia river highway from The Dalles as the climax to an almost 9000 mile trip from Vernonia to the Gulf Coast, then to Washington, D.C. and on to the Atlantic coast and back through the center of the United States through Kansas City, St. Louis, and Denver, then to Yellowstone park and on home through Idaho.

The had visited the Grand Canyon and many other scenic spots as well as such historical places as Jamestown, Yorktown, Williamsburg and Mt. Vernon in Virginia in addition to the nation's capitol, but no sign looked better than the one on Sunset highway that said "down here to Vernonia."

One of the highlights of their trip was a visit in Virginia at the home of Voyle Dawson, son of Vernonia Cherrington for whom Vernonia was named. His brother and sister also were present to meet the Garners who had taken wooden nickles and other Vernonia souvenirs for them.

Accompanying the Garners on the trip was Mrs. Elva Dehler of Wasco and she and Mrs. Garner attended Supreme Temple, Pythian Sisters in Washington, D. C.

## Alcan Highway Trip Found Interesting

CAPITOL HILL—Saturday morning Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grey were paid a surprise visit by friends, Mrs. Mary MacGuire and her daughter Ruth from San Diego, California. They were just returning from a trip to Nome, Alaska via the Alcan highway. They enjoyed talking with the Eskimos and taking in the points of interest enroute. They left Sunday morning to visit others on the way to San Diego.

Corwin Welty from Sunnyvale, California spent a few days last week visiting relatives in Vernonia. He came by plane from California and made the return trip home with his father, Clayton Welty, who drove down over the Labor Day week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Harders left early Monday morning on a trip to Roseburg to visit with Mrs. Harders daughter-in-law, Mrs. Warren Ward and two children, Mark and Julie, from San Diego, California. They are spending a ten-day vacation with Mrs. Ward's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hiatt. Mr. and Mrs. Harders returned Tuesday evening after a very enjoyable trip.

## Emergency Call Prompts Flight

TIMBER RT.—Mrs. Hans Slette left Sunday evening by jet for Fremont, Nebraska to visit her mother, Mrs. Forest Boothe who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Thacker and Mrs. Nellie Thacker spent the week end in Portland with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Teeling.

Mr. and Mrs. Chet Wienecke and Darwin from Springfield and Mr. and Mrs. Milbert Wienecke and Jim from Eugene spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Carl Wienecke.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lystel and family from Hillsboro visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Falconer Sunday.

Mrs. Rita Shipley is at home now after a two week stay in the Forest Grove hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reed from St. Helens visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Birt, Thursday evening.

## The Public Welfare Question

(Questions about public welfare which are of general interest are answered in this column as a public service. Help with individual problems is available at your county welfare office.)

**My blind brother is trying to build up his business. Must he use all his profit to maintain himself?**

A special law permits all employed or self-employed persons to retain all earnings up to \$85 plus one-half of all earnings above \$85 without affecting their eligibility for assistance. In addition, earnings above these levels may be retained for up to 12 months in connection with a specific plan to become self-supporting if this plan is approved by the County Welfare Department.

**What does a county Public Welfare Commission do?**

The public welfare commission consists of a group of public-spirited citizens who have an interest in seeing public services performed effectively. These citizens determine the policies of public welfare departments within the framework of state and federal laws, and regulations of the State Public Welfare Commission. All actions of the county welfare department on individual cases rest on the authorization and approval of the county public welfare commission which also makes recommendations to the state commission for changes in state policy or laws and which sets certain standards for its own county. It also revises annual budget estimates and makes recommendations, as well as helping bring about county understanding of public welfare.

**Why has become of the poor farms we had 20 years ago?**

Experience since then has shown us that most people get along better when they are able to be part of their own community than they do when they are grouped together in an institution. When assistance is given to people in their own homes many of them can make an important contribution to community life. In the long-run, the community gets more benefit from the present program for fewer dollars and the people involved are able to maintain their self-respect as participating citizens.

**Why is it that juvenile delinquents and criminals often come from welfare families?**

Crime, delinquency, disease, school dropouts and many other social ills often accompany poverty. These problems are found in many low-income families not on welfare. This is why public welfare today is emphasizing training and rehabilitation to enable people to find a legitimate means of lifting themselves out of poverty and deprivation and finding a more positive means of realizing their own goals.

### Study Club Year to Begin September 17

The Vernonia Study Club begins the year with a meeting Thursday, September 17, at the home of Mrs. Gladys Worthington. Mrs. Darrold Proehl will be in charge of the first program.

"Inside Europe", the study for this year, should be of particular interest since two members, Mrs. Justin Folken and Mrs. Ralph Reynolds have been visitors in that continent recently.

Apples and blackberries grow in the temperate zones completely around the world.

SHOP AT HOME AND SAVE!

## Legion Groups Plan Installation Rites

The Vernonia American Legion Post No. 119 and its auxiliary have announced plans for joint installation ceremonies next Monday evening at the Legion hall to which the public is invited. The district commander for the Legion and district president for the auxiliary will be here to do the installing and other guests are expected to accompany them.

The evening will start with a pot luck dinner at 6:30 p.m. after which the delegates to Girls State, Darlene Welch and Joyce Chandler, and those who attended Boys State, Kenneth Bateman and Jim Bellingham, will make their reports.

The installation is scheduled for 8:00 p.m.

At least half the people in the United States cannot swim well enough to take care of themselves in case of emergency.

To establish a good alfalfa stand, always use a high quality seed that has been inoculated just before planting.

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### Vernonia Extension Unit Starts Year September 17

Vernonia Extension Unit will hold its first meeting Thursday, September 17 at 11:00 a.m. at the West Oregon building. There will be a pot luck lunch at noon.

All members are urged to attend and an invitation is extended to everyone interested in extension work to come and get acquainted.

A topic of the afternoon will be the Golden Rule.

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