TOPICS OF THE TOWN

of Salem and Mrs. Jane Pidcock of parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ev-McMinnville were calling on friends ans and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Junkin Vernonia Friday. Mrs. Pidcock en, all from Hillsboro. has made good recovery from her

Miss Phyllis Williams spent last week end at Newberg attending the

Johnny Biggs is spending a 30 day leave at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Biggs. He will return later this month to the naval base at Guatanamo, Cuba.

Mrs. Bernard Gilliland, who recently was in the Forest Grove hospital for major surgery, is now making good recovery and is able to be out

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Horn drove to Eugene Friday evening and stayed over Saturday to attend the Oregon-Washington State game. Mr. Horn's brother, Robert Horn of Spokane was also there to televise the game for Washington stations. Saturday morning, the Horns had breakfast with the Gordon Larsons of Banks who were spending the week end with ther son who attends U of O and their daughter who is married and lives at Springfield

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Devine who recently purchased a new home at the corner of Maple and Third streets in Vernonia and moved there from Mist were pleasantly surprised Sunday afternoon when a group of relatives and friends arrived for a housewarming. The guests brought cake and ice cream to serve and they presented the Devines with gifts for their new home. Additional week end guests at the Devine home were their grandchildren, Cheryl, Ricky and Carla Devine from Turner.

Mrs. Oral Faulkner of Portland came last week for an extended stay at the home of her brother, Robert L.

Mrs. Edith Markham, Mrs. Faye Davis and Mrs. Lesta Garner visited friends at the Friendsview Manor in Newberg Sunday afternoon. They also called briefly on Mrs. Walter Kent before coming home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lindley of Garibaldi were week end guests of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Garner and family.

Mr .and Mrs. O. T. Bateman were in Hillsboro Sunday to attend a dinner which honored her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hartrampf on their 25th wedding anniversary. The dinner was arranged by the Hartrampf's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. David Brinkley. Other guests were Mrs. Elsie Stevens, Mrs. Mae Hartrampf, Mr and Mrs. Elbert Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hartrampf, all of Hills-

Mrs. Marie Shafer accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rose and their grandson, Jackie Greenwood to Forest Grove Sunday for dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Derrel Rose. Jackie, who has been home on leave following completion of boot camp training, left Tuesday to return to San Diego where he will be assigned to a ship.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Murrell have sold their home at the south edge of town on highway 47 to Mr. and Mrs. Elgus Frank and they moved last week to the former Blanche Bergerson house five miles out on Timber road. They plan later to move to St. Helens to be nearer his work.

Guests Tuesday at the home of

Vernonia Eagle

THURSDAY, NOV. 12, 1964 they're everybody's business!

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heckenliable Mr. and Mrs. Sam Murray were her

Week end guests at the home of broken hip and was very happy to Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Willard were be back in Vernonia for a few hours. Mr. and Mrs. F. Frounfleter from Wyoming, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Reynolds from Mist, Mr. and Mrs. annual homecoming at George Fox Dale Rhodes from Spokane and Mrs. Eva Poynter from Portland, Mrs. Poynter has spent the past week here and has visited a number of friends and former neighbors, including the Harry Ecklands.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Schamp and family from Forest Grove were dinner guests Monday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Steers.

Harvey (Bud) Ayers, owner of the local second hand store, is in the Columbia District hospital in St. Helens with a broken leg which resulted from a fall last Thursday evening. He had taken Mrs. Laura Arrowsmith to her home on Clatsop street and was helping her get her groceries out of the car when he step. ped in a hole and twisted his leg, breaking it just above the ankle. The Vernonia ambulance was called to take him to the hospital.

Guy Thomas joined friends from the Corvallis area for elk hunting in the Wallowas out of Flein last week. They encountered cold weather and snow but were successful in bagging

Funeral services were scheduled for 10 a.m. today (Thursday) at Caldwells Colonial Mortuary in Portland for Nelson M. Welty, brother of Mrs. Nora Harders and Clayton Welty of Vernonia. Other survivors include his wife, a step-daughter, a grandson and another brother and sister. He had been critically ill for some time.

Sheep Breeders Schedule Sale

The 7th annual bred ewe and lamb sale ,sponsored by the Oregon Purebred Sheep Breeders association will be held Saturday, November 14 at Rickreall, reports Don Coin Walrod, county extension agent.

The sale will be held at the Polk county fairgrounds located one-fourth mile south of Rickreall on Highway 99W starting promtly at 10 a.m.

Don Kessi, Harlan, Oregon is chairman of the sale committee. Other members are Eldon Riddell, Independence; Wenton Redmond, McMinnville ; and Bill Harland, Dallas. Roy Benson, Hillsboro, will serve as auc

The sale will include consignments of 45 Suffolks, 33 Southdowns, 28 Hampshires, 20 Romney; 15 Shropshire. Other breeds will include Cheviot, North County Cheviot, Dorset, Lincoln, Corriedale and Colum-

Purpose of the sale is to assist farm flock owners, 4-H and FFA members, as well as purebred breeders in securing high-quality bred ewes and ewe lambs at a central lo-

All animals consigned are registered and transfer will be made to the buyer following the sale.

A sifting committee will pass on the soundness and quality of each

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their 11-week training program.

Several hours are devoted to spirit. ual and character-building courses. Marine Private Ronald A. Shep- Production of good basic Marines and responsible patriotic citizens are R. Sheppard of Timber route, com- the two primary objectives of the

Followng graduation, he reported to Camp Pendleton, California, for advanced infantry training.

Poverty may not be a disgrace,

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THE FRENCH CANADIAN VOYAGEUR

There have been representatives of certain pursuits who have become sterotyped indelibly in the history and folklore of the Americas because ofthe distinctiveness of their occupations; the conquistadors, the missionary priest, the gaucho of Latin America, and in North America the mountain man, the prospector, the cowboy and a number of others. One of the most colorful of all was the French Canadian vayageur.

Just as today there is one profession, ice hocky, which would be virtually at a loss without French Canadians, so it was that they were absolutely indispensible to the fur They were more at home in a ca-

noe than anywhere else. East of the Rocky mountains the canoes were made of birch bark; here they were dugouts. The sleek eraft were generally from 30 to 40 feet long. Washington Irving in "Astoria" says, "Canoes of this size are generally managed by eight or ten men, two of whom are picked veterans, who receive double wages, and are stationed, one at the bow and the other at the stern, to keep a look-out and to steer. They are termed the foreman and the steersman. The rest, who ply paddles, are called middle men." In French these words were called the avant (the foreman), the gouvernail (the steersman), and the milieux (the middle man). The voyageurs swung bright red-bladed paddles which flashed in the sun - a stroke every second - and sat in pairs on the piles of trading goods or furs.

The yoyageura made a fundamen tal and effective contribution to the development of our Pacific Northwest. When Lewis and Clark traveled upstream on the Missouri river, they met Frenchmen coming down. The voyageurs were part of the working crew of almost all exploring parties and indispensible to the fur trade. Their songs (chansons) were heard on all the water courses from the Atlantic to the Pacific Grace Nule, an authority on fur trade history, wrote of them in "The Voyageur's Highway," published in 1941 by the Minnesota Historical society, "The voyageur sang when he was happy, when he was in danger, when he got up in the morning, as he sat at the campfire at night, when passing through "white water," when at his fort, and especially while he was paddling. He was an effervescent being who took life easily, worked hard, took orders well, assumed little responsibility, got on admirably with the Indians. He was an excellent canoeman - better in fact, than the Indian. His ability to live in the wilderness, make canoes, erect forts, manage huskies, and procure furs made him a mainstay of the trade. Take out a map of our Pacific Northwest and place your finger tip on the French names: Coeur d'Alene, Pend Oreille, Palouse, Grand Coulee, Deschutes, The Dalles, Gervais, St. Paul, Malheur lake, Payette. Add Indian tribal names, with perverted

Dates To Remember

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12 Mt. Heart Rebekah Lodge - IOOF hall - 8:00 p.m. FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13

Vernonia Gem and Fossil Club Fire hall - 8:00 p.m. SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14 Vernonia Grange - Hall near golf course - 8:00 p.m.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16 Project leaders meeting - West Oregon Bldg. - 10:30 a.m. Lions club dinner meeting - Fire hall

6:30 p.m. American Legion Post 119 - Legion hall - 8:00 p.m. City Council - City hall - 8:00 p.m. TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17

EUB Guild - Home of Mrs. Carl Holsey - 8:00 p.m. American Legion Auxiliary - Legion hall - 8:00 p.m. Vernonia Odd Fellows Lodge - IOOF

hall - 8:00 p.m. WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18 EUB Circle - EUB church - 1:00 p.m. Nehalem Chapter, OES - Masonic

Temple - 8:00 p.m. SHOP AT HOME AND SAVE!

Try to remember with new the great Frenchmen who are written indelibly in the

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Death Claims Early Resident

Funeral services were by Friday, November 6, 2 6 man Funeral Chapel is & b for an early Vernonia reide liam J. Mellinger, brother di Mellinger of Vernonia.

June 7, 1873 at Peru, Indias I he was about seven year if family came west and she s ing a short time in the Ahm here until he was grown mily ried Edna Mills, a member

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Let's Get Acquainte

Do You Know This Mar Born September 9. Nevada.

Came to Vernonia in 1961 at lived here most of the in Married in 1920 at Chetals,

ington to the daughter di em Valley pioneer Has seven children, grandchildren.

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