



**GERALD SHARAR**, mushroom hunter, holds a specimen of the cauliflower mushroom, one of the many kinds found in the Nehalem Valley area. Sharar, who lives out Stoney Point way has been searching for the elusive delicacies for the past two years and has become quite an expert at locating and eating them.

## Sharars Enjoy Mushroom Hunt Locally

A fairly rare mushroom, for this area, was found recently by Jerry Sharar. The Cauliflower Mushroom (Sparassis Radicata), identified with the coral family, was found in the Clatskanie area.

The Cauliflower mushroom is fleshy with flat leafy branches of a lettuce-like appearance with height from three to 12-inches and from four to 24-inches in width. It is off-white, buff or pale yellow and huge rosette, round and much folded.

It is found in the woodlands of Oregon and Washington, mostly in the Olympic and Rainier National forests in Washington, and grows from spring till fall. "It is edible and quite delicious. It keeps well and dries nicely," said Sharar.

Sharar has only been collecting mushrooms for the past two years but has learned a lot and knows quite a bit about



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## Anniversary Dinner Held In Clatskanie

**MIST** - The D.D. Barrs celebrated their wedding anniversary by having dinner at Hump's restaurant in Clatskanie, last week. The Barrs also received a congratulatory telephone call from Mr. Barr's children in Arizona.

Mrs. Sandi Hanson visited the home of her parents, the Norman Hansens over the weekend. Mrs. Steve Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hansen attended the OSU football game in Portland, Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hanson spent Saturday night with the Norman Hansens and left for Corvallis on Sunday evening.

Blossom, Robin, and Melody, from Grants Pass, and Theresa Zahr from Roseburg visited at the Edon Shelters over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hall and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Art Laubach over the weekend.

Visitors at the Casper Serbys during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clifton and daughters, Barbara and Nancy.

Ray and Kay Grimsbo and friends were visitors over the weekend at the home of their father Mr. Howard Grimsbo. Mr. and Mrs. Gunnell, Dawn and Eric spent Sunday evening with Mr. Grimsbo. Sunday afternoon, the Charles Ramseys and M. Grimsbo had dinner in Longview.

The community expresses their deepest sympathy to Mrs. Jane Hansen, her brother having passed away last week.

The October meeting of the Mist Helping Circle met at Mrs. Bud Hemeons, the November meeting will be held at the Charles Ramsey home.

An evening of entertainment for the entire family is promised by the Mist Helping Circle on Saturday, November 10, when the group stages its annual fall program at the Mist gym starting at 8 p.m. The program will contain music, drama, and also there will be an auction of handicrafts, foods, and other items. Games and refreshments will also be offered. Funds from the evening will go towards the upkeep of the street lights and cemetery in the coming year. The public is invited to attend the event.

Douglas Bacca entered the V.A. Hospital in Portland, and has had an operation on his right hand, and at last report, he was getting along fine. Mrs. Bacca wishes to thank everyone in the vicinity who were so kind to the family during Mr. Bacca's stay in the hospital.

## Couple Wed Fifty Years

Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Washburn, 3312 Fourth Street, Union Gap, Washington, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Saturday November 10 at the Tapadera Motel Hospitality Room in Union Gap. They are being hosted by Mrs. Washburn's family with a buffet-dinner that evening.

They were married November 8, 1923 at St. Helens, Oregon and lived in Vernonia from 1921 to 1940. Mrs. Washburn worked for the Light and Power Company for 15 years and Mr. Washburn worked as a logger, mill worker and also owned "Skinny's Pool Hall" for several years.

They moved to Salem, Oregon in 1940. Mr. Washburn entered World War II and was stationed in Astoria and visited in Vernonia many times as his Mother, Dora Washburn, resided here at the time.

In 1946 they moved to Phoenix, Arizona and in 1950 they moved to Yakima, Washington. They now live in a suburb of that city. Their best man at their wedding was Roland Trehearne and he and his wife will attend, coming from Hawthorne, Nevada.

Many out-of-town and local relatives and friends are expected to attend the affair.

## Floyd Deeds Visits In Area With Mother

**NATAL PITTSBURG** - Floyd Deeds has been staying here a few days with his mother Mrs. Noble Dunlap.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Grant went to the dentist in Hillsboro Saturday.

Mrs. Mildred Tupper and Sandra visited Mr. and Mrs. Dee Veene Hershey at Astoria Sunday.

## Pythians Hear Season Plans

Vernonia Temple No. 61 met Wednesday evening, October 24, and heard tentative plans for several coming events which indicate a busy season for the group.

Mrs. Lucille Hickman filled the chair of Most Excellent Chief in absence of that officer, Leona Haverland, who has moved to New Mexico.

A report from Grand Temple held in Portland October 7, 8 and 9 was given by Lesta Garner. Part of the report related projects being carried out at the Oregon-Washington Pythian Home at Vancouver.

The temples throughout Oregon and Washington raised money this past year to place a walk-in food freezing unit in the basement. At the sessions of each state, funds were raised for new stainless steel cooking utensils for the Home kitchen.

This year both states will raise funds for an auxiliary power plant to insure lights and heat in case of power failure. Vernonia Temple will raise funds for a generous contribution to this.

The Grand Temple closed with installation of new officers, and Sunday, October 28, a carload of local members went to Yamhill to attend a reception honoring the new Grand Chief, Mary Mellvaine. Those who attended were Mary Brown, Cora Lange, Irma Chance, Faye Davis and Lesta Garner.

At the next meeting, November 28, Elaine Emerson of St. Helens, district deputy, will make her official visit and outline preliminary plans for the District 1 convention to be held next spring in St. Helens.

Also, three 25 year jewels are to be presented that evening. Following the October 24 meeting delicious refreshments were served at tables gaily decorated with the Halloween motif. Irma Chance was hostess and the hostess prize was won by Catherine Lentz.

## Pythian Sisters To Hold Rummage Sale

This weekend, November 2 and 3, Vernonia Temple Pythian Sisters will be busy with a rummage sale at the American Legion hall.

## Visitors At Larson Home

**BIRKENFELD** - Mr. and Mrs. Dixon visited at the Francis Larson home on Thursday of last week. They have bought the Don Lousignout place here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Beach took Mrs. Art Bellingham and they drove to Clatskanie and Longview Friday. Mrs. Francis Nordstrom spent several days in Silverton visiting relatives. She left last Friday and will return home on Tuesday.

George Richardson was a successful hunter; he got his buck.

Saturday visitors at the Dupuis home were Mr. and Mrs. Jerold Moran and Harold Wilcoxen.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Tito at the lake enjoyed a visit with her sister and husband of Portland over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brandt who have a home at the lake recently returned from a trip to Richmond California, Lake Tahoe, and a round trip through Reno and Bend, Ore. On the last part of their trip they spent a week at their son's place at Long Beach, Washington. He has property there and is building a new home, and they were helping him.

Sgt. and Mrs. David Larson arrived at the home of his folks, the Fred Larson's, on Friday evening from Japan. His folks met them at the airport, he has a month's furlough and then will be stationed in Nebraska. They visited at the home of his grandparents, the Francis Larson's on Saturday. Others were the Fred, Terry and Buddy Larson's, Mrs. Don Larson; Don was away at work; Wayne and Bob Larson were also among the group. The men folks hunted and had no luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Parman of California spent Friday night at the Art Bellingham home. They also visited with other friends. From here they went on to Seattle.

Saturday Company at the Tornblad home were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tornblad and 3 children and their folks, Mr. and Mrs. David Anders all of Cherry Grove. They were also dinner guests. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. James Webb and little daughter of Nehalem.

Lloyd and Jan Johnston of Portland spent the weekend at the home of their folks, the E.T. Johnstons. Gary Johnston of Dallas came up on Friday evening and took in the football game at Vernonia. He stayed overnight then on Saturday went in to Portland to meet his wife and little son at the airport. She was flying in from Maine.

The Joe Lonquist was advised that they are great-grandparents of a baby girl born to the Jepson Lonquist at Mill City.

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**KIP BRADY**, Bill Horn and son, Billy Horn Jr. at the military base in Missouri where Kip and Billy recently graduated from basic training. Kip is the son of Dorothy Brady.

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## NEW ARRIVALS

A first child, Erick Francis Holsey, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Holsey of Aloha, Thursday, October 25 in the Forest Grove Community Hospital. The little boy weighed five pounds, 15½ ounces and was 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Buck Holsey, Juanita Steel, John and Rosa Steele, all of Vernonia. Great-grandmother is Mary Steele, also of Vernonia.

New at the Jim Hult home is Julie Elizabeth who weighed 5 pounds and seven ounces and was 18 inches long at birth. The Hults have two other children Joey and Jill.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Bruce, great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Bruce, Bastrop, Louisiana, and Mr. and Mrs. W.I. Bond, Forest Grove, paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hult, Seaside.

bers and nine regular members. The fair was discussed, and some suggestions were made about places to go throughout the coming year.

John Budge demonstrated how to show a rabbit. He had been working with rabbits in 4-H last year.

After the meeting was adjourned, refreshments were served.

If interested in joining Livestock 4-H, phone Tom Budge at 429-7553.

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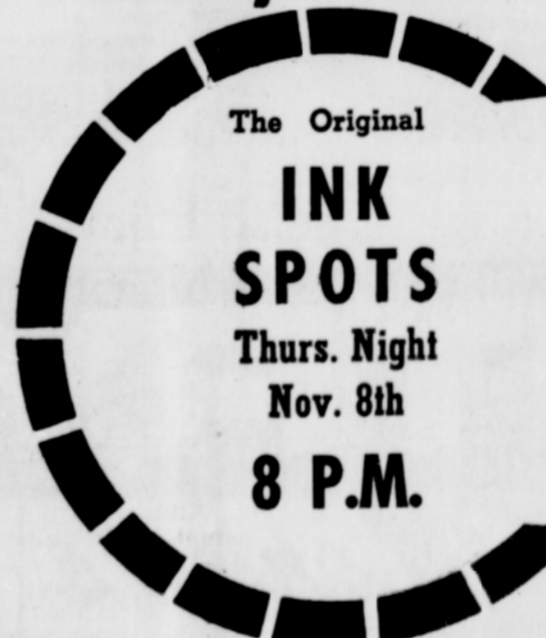
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