

WOMEN ARE VOTED BEST CAR DRIVERS

NU-ACRES (Special)—At the regular Nu-Acres Grange meeting the ladies were guests of the men. A program included a discussion on the question of whether men or women are better drivers. The

SYNOPSIS OF ANNUAL STATEMENT
for the year ended December 31,
1946, of the GENERAL INSURANCE
COMPANY OF AMERICA of Seattle 2,
in the State of Washington, under the
Insurance Commissioner of the
State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Net premiums received	\$20,327,622.33
Total interest, dividends and real estate income	1,209,484.65
Income from other sources	1,240,728.13
Total income	\$22,777,835.11
Net amount paid for losses	\$8,074,244.61
Loss adjustment expenses	551,695.34
Underwriting expenses	8,727,439.74
Dividends paid to stockholders (cash)	340,000.00
Dividends paid or accrued to policyholders	540,005.19
All other expenses (including investment expenses \$170,773.85)	238,583.56
Total disbursements	\$18,472,178.44
ADMITTED ASSETS	
Value of real estate owned (market)	1,051,520.15
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	70,000.00
Value of bonds owned (amortized)	16,817,758.23
Value of stocks owned (market value)	13,632,049.00
Cash in hands and on hand	3,110,883.57
Premiums in process of collection written since September 30, 1946	1,698,819.20
Interest and rents due and accrued	54,549.77
Other assets (net)	527,301.72
Total admitted assets	\$36,962,881.64
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Total unpaid claims	\$3,030,568.00
Estimated loss adjustment expense for unpaid claims	136,000.00
Total unearned premium	19,017,812.76
All other liabilities	2,161,501.88
Total liabilities, except capital	\$24,341,912.24
Capital paid up	\$1,000,000.00
Special surplus funds	
Unassigned funds (surplus)	11,620,969.40
Surplus as regards policyholders	\$12,620,969.40
Total	\$36,962,881.64
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Net premiums received	\$1,182,993.91
Net losses paid	\$20,471.15
Dividends paid or accrued to policyholders	71,107.08

discussion was awarded to the ladies. Ice cream and cookies were served with the ladies receiving all the extra helpings. The men used paper dishes and spoons to avoid dishwashing.

Mrs. Martin has just returned from Denver, Colorado after visiting a new grandson.

One thousand pounds of super phosphate was awarded to Mrs. Ethyl Durrington at the Nampa trade days.

A family reunion of the Thompson family of Palm and the Lanfear family of Caldwell was held Sunday in the Caldwell park to honor their visiting parents from Kansas.

Miss Carol Durrington celebrated her birthday with Terrell and Velda Samuels as guests at her home.

Baccalaureate services were held at the Fruitland high school auditorium Sunday, in which several from Nu-Acres took part. Graduating were Laureen Hawley, William Main, Jean and Lois Kissel, and Orlene Raymond. Orlene Raymond served as valedictorian, Laureen Hawley as president of the band and sang in special songs, and Mary Jo Jenkins sang with the mixed chorus. The sermon was delivered by Dr. Forrest Werts of Boise. Mrs. Martha Nedbaek and Mrs. Ruth Palmer, with Donna, Chucky, and Bobby, went to Ontario and New Plymouth Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lockner of Fruitland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Johnson Sunday.

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A swimming party held at Roy's stone hot springs in Emmett was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Huffman, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Huffman.

The Do-More 4-H club held its meeting Thursday at the Nu-Acres hall. All of the 28 members were present. Three new members, Pansy Goff, Naomi Riddle and Thy Philip Shafer joined the club.

A club tour is planned for the May 26, in which each member will visit each of the other members homes to see their livestock. Plans were also made to attend the Rural Life Sunday program at the Methodist church in Fruitland May 25. Each member was urged to attend for a 100 per cent goal on attendance.

Judy Preston gave a reading on work and Larry Jenkins read a poem entitled Smile. Games were led by Roger Jenkins and Jacolyn Orcutt. Refreshments were served by the Keck and Evans families.

ORE. TRAIL BIBLE SCHOOL IS OPENED

OREGON TRAIL (Special)—Daily vacation Bible school was started Monday morning with an enrollment of 27. The Bible school will last for 10 days. Miss Erickson and Miss Chatlain are teachers, with Jane Parr assisting.

Miss Grace Bell of Escandido, California visited last Thursday and Friday with her nephew, Frank Byers, and family. A. L. Houghton of Escandido, California and Mrs. Cole of San Francisco also visited at the Byers home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Toll left Tuesday for the coast, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Holmes and family were dinner guests Saturday evening at the Roy Holmes home. The occasion was Roy Holmes' birthday.

The Merry Matrons club met at the home of Dona Mitchell Wednesday afternoon, May 14. Ten members and four guests, Ada Ulrey, Leona Anderson, Ola Chard and Nora Snodgrass, answered roll call with "A Famous Mother". Leona Anderson, Idaho Power company home service demonstrator, presented the last of her series of demonstrations on canning and freezing fruits and vegetables. She demonstrated pressure cooker and cold pack canning methods. Lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mary Smiley and Ola Chard.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Byers were hosts at dinner Monday evening celebrating the birthday of their daughter, Betty Alice. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Holmes, Robert and Gilbert Holmes, Bonnie Kressly and Larry, Lila Mae and Deanne Holmes.

MONEY DONATED TO HOSPITAL FUND

UPPER SUNSET (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Sam McConnell and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Share last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Durfee attended a party in honor of their daughter Mrs. Ray Porter, near New Plymouth last Saturday evening. A weiner roast, cake and ice cream was enjoyed by the group present.

The Sunday school picnic was well attended last Sunday at the Corfield grove. Everyone enjoyed the afternoon socially and races for the children.

Mrs. Rob Thompson entertained her club at her home Thursday with 10 members present. The afternoon was spent playing games, in which Hattie Raffington, Eleanor Strickland, Cora Rookstool and Mattie Durfee won prizes. Numbers were selected for hostesses. Lunch was served by the hostess. The club voted to donate \$40

to the hospital fund at Nyssa. Marlene, Jimmy, Roger, Darvins, and Paula Bergam and Reva and Ronald Rookstool are attending daily Bible school at Nyssa this week at the Christian church. Mrs. Edwin Bergam is assisting with the study there and furnishes transportation for the youngsters. Mrs. Deb Garner was called to Utah again last week to help care for her mother, returning home Tuesday.

BOYS CHALLENGE FATHERS TO GAME

KINGMAN KOLONY (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hurst and David, Jack Elliot, Cliff and Jerry Wright and C. M. Beaumont attended the jersey show in Nyssa Saturday.

The 7th and 8th grade boys have challenged their fathers to a baseball game Friday.

Ira Kreager and David Hall attended the rodeo in Homedale Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Kreager and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Haney attended the funeral of Mrs. Anna Larson Friday.

Walter Pinkton was in Nyssa on business Monday.

Mrs. Max Howard shopped in Nyssa Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Howard are installing a pressure system in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Moore and Lorraine McCormick shopped in Ontario Wednesday.

Mrs. Esther McCormick left by plane Thursday morning for San Francisco to attend the wedding of one of her classmates in nurse's training.

Mrs. Frank Cummins and Mrs. Lula Cummins visited Sunday with Mrs. Nellie Newbill and her sister Mrs. Minnie Mockay who is visiting here from Yelm, Washington.

Mrs. James Snead and two sons of Leitha, Idaho and Mr. and Mrs. Schultz of Frana, California, who is a house guest of Mrs. Snead, visited in the Guy Moore home Saturday.

DINNER SERVED BY COLUMBIA COUPLE

COLUMBIA AVENUE (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Pete Tensen entertained Sunday at cards for the following friends: Mr. and Mrs. John Timmerman of Newell Heights, Mrs. Dick Stam of Oregon Trail, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Groot of Apple Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Groot and Mr. and Mrs. Z. Davidson of Parma. A covered dish dinner was served at noon.

Larry Larsen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Larson, had his tonsils removed Wednesday.

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of Nyssa were Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Stam.

Mrs. Hilda Tensen and Mrs. Grant Rinehart and family of Nyssa called on Mr. and Mrs. Pete Tensen Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smit of Nu-Acres called on friends in this community Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Groot entertained at dinner Thursday for Mr. and Mrs. Pete Tensen and Dick, Bill Tensen, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Groot of Arcadia, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Groot of Apple Valley, Mrs. Hilda Tensen of Nyssa and Mr. and Mrs. John Broad.

Darwin Jensen made a business trip to Caldwell Saturday.

Several of this community attended the special cantata entitled "Abel". Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Stam, Mr. and Mrs. Tensen, Mrs. Groot, Mrs. Todd, Mrs. W. R. Tilton, and Mr. Webb Penny.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cooper and

family are visiting friends and relatives in Montana.

WOMAN ATTENDS FATHER'S FUNERAL

BUENA VISTA (Special)—Mrs. George Cleaver has been ill several days.

Mrs. Ray Griffiths returned home Tuesday from Colorado, where she attended the funeral of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cleaver and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Estrick and Vaughn of Meridian were Sunday dinner guests at the Alva Goodell home. Vaughn Estrick stayed for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bertram

attended a steak fry given by the Owyhee Riding club Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Cleaver were in Ontario Monday.

Have Picnic—Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sallee, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Galloway and Dr. and Mrs. K. E. Kerby spent Sunday picnicking at the Owyhee dam

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