

1-66 Library lists added books at Meridian

Mrs. Nancy Sage, librarian, has reported the purchase of 31 new books for the Meridian public library.

She also reported the donation of many books by the J. Frank Bryce family and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jones, of Meridian.

Mrs. Ray Anderson, president of the Occident Club, expressed appreciation of the club and library board to the donors—and to the many other groups and individuals who have donated money and books in the past. "We are indeed grateful to these many donors, whose generosity has meant such major help to our library," said Mrs. Anderson.

New books listed

Adult non-fiction — The White House Years, Wagging Peace, Dwight D. Eisenhower; Modern Elementary Mathematics, a parents' guide, Kempf and Barnhart; The Last Adventure, Osa Johnson; The Berlin Wall, Galante; Standard French Grammar, Fraser et al; The Early Birds, early American aircraft and first flights, Whitehouse.

Adult fiction — Fox from His Lair, Elizabeth Cadell; Mountain Man, Vardis Fisher; Power Play, the Gordons; The Strode Venturer, H. Innes; The Year of the Horse, Hatch; The Hospital War, Knickerbocker; H.M.S. Ulysses, A. McLean; Night Without End, A. Mc-

Lean; Constantine, story of the Flaming Cross, G. Slaughter; Laughing Whitefish, Robert Traveller.

Youth fiction — Mystery at Love's Creek, B. Cavanna; Dinny Gordon, senior, A. Emery; Tell Me Again about Snow White, Mead; The X-Factor (science fiction), A. Norton.

Youth non-fiction — Land and People of Iraq.

Juvenile, grade 1 through 6 — Bobo and Mozart, and A Horse for Sherry, C. Barr. Tall Tale America, stories of humorous heroes, Blair; The Wonderful House, Brown; Shoofly, Burleigh; Book of Riddles, Bennett Cerf; Cowboy Andy, Chandler; Bomber Parade and Fighter Parade, Colby; The Three Goats, Hillert; Ten Apples on Top, LeSieg; Golden Book of Christmas Legends, Lewicki; Eskimo Family, Maxwell. Look, Look, a Clown! and Where's Willie (a kitten), Reit; The Forever Christmas Tree, Uchida.

Occident Club Debates Funds For Library

MERIDIAN — With a view to making new plans for financing Meridian's library, members of the Occident Club met with the City Council Monday night. The club women have sponsored the library for 50 years and it has grown to proportions beyond their means to support. A portion of support is now supplied by city tax, but more financing is needed.

No decisions were reached at the meeting. City attorney, Grant Ambrose, will investigate laws governing the issue and will report at another meeting.

1-23-66

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2-18-66

Occident Club Will Discuss Public Affairs

MERIDIAN — Meridian Occident Club has chosen public affairs as the theme for January. Attorney Grant Ambrose will be guest speaker for the Monday afternoon meeting in the clubhouse. Mrs. Elsie Riddlemoser will present the musical portion of the program and Mrs. Ernest Lembke will have an exhibit of ceramics.

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Area supports sale for blind

Area residents were thanked today for their support of the annual candy sale for the Gem State Blind.

Proceeds from the sale will be used to purchase equipment by the blind for which there is no other resource, and for blind persons financially unable to buy their own equipment.

The local committee in charge of the annual sale included the chairman, Mrs. Zelma Rose, assisted by the Mmes. Ralph Soucie, Ray Ulmer, Voris Botkin, Roy Goodwin, B. L. McNeff, Fred Rosti, Ernest Lembke, Jack Thorne, C. R. Maw, Ella Pitkin, Ed McNeal, Renze Hamming, C. H. Kennedy.

2-17-66

2-17-66 Library lists new schedule of hours, fees

Meridian public library has announced a new schedule of days and hours.

Mondays, the library will be open from 1:30 till 5:30 p.m., and from 7 until 9 p.m.

Wednesday hours will be from 1:30 till 5:30 p.m.

Saturdays, the library will be open from 1:30 till 5:30 p.m.

The library will not be open Friday nights as in the past. The new schedule, however, offers four more hours a week than before.

Service fees for library cards will be as follows: Meridian residents—25c for adults, 15c for students. Out-of-town residents—\$1 for adults, 50c for students.

Visitor here from Virginia

Earl Rosti of Great Falls, Virginia, arrived by plane this week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rosti of Rt. 1, Meridian.

Mr. Rosti is a contractor in Virginia, where he and his family now live.

2-17-66

Events honor Ulmer couple

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ulmer, who have moved to Meridian after selling their farm on Rt. 1, have been honored at three events.

Sunday they were surprised with a housewarming and dinner after church. Guests included their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, and children, Vicki, Mark, and Sherri, of Boise; Mr. and Mrs. Lon McFadden, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McFadden and Connie and Carma.

Sunday evening the Ulmers, and Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Oliver, were honored at a party held at the Upper Fairview Grange hall. The Olivers will move to Nampa in March.

Earlier, a group of friends honored the Ulmers with a housewarming and potluck dinner. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bradley and Burton Kinzer of Boise; Mr. and Mrs. Lon Baker of Middleton, and the Messrs. and Mmes. John Pratt, Fred Rosti, Jess Hedges, Raymond Wolf, Roderick Maw, Miss Joyce Wolf, Mrs. Frank Matcham. Unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hudson.

1-27-66

Occident club slates meeting

The Meridian Occident club will meet Monday, February 7, at 1:30 p.m.

The theme for the month will be "Home life." The special speaker will be the Reverend Ralph Fothergill of the Meridian Methodist church.

C. L. Metcalf of the telephone company will show a film on direct dialing.

An exhibit of items made by her kindergarten class will be shown by Mrs. Harold Shelton.

2-3-66

Down memory lane

20 years ago (1946)

Occident club officers announced that the recreation hall above Brownie's Market had been cleaned, and would be used as an evening recreation center for boys and girls ages 13 to 18 inclusive.

Librarian Nancy Sage appreciates the high school gals who help her occasionally at the library. But she's learned to check on their work.

Like the other evening when another girl asked, "Do you have a Polish dictionary . . . or any book on the Polish language?"

The helper rummaged for a couple of minutes, then came triumphantly back with a book. "Here you are," she said. Luckily, Nancy checked the book's title.

It was "Polish Up On Your English."

Occident hears talk by pastor, plans party

Meridian Occident club heard a talk by the Rev. Ralph Fothergill on Home Life, which is the club's theme of the month, at the Monday afternoon meeting.

Mrs. Ray Anderson, club president, welcomed new members with a gift. They included the Mmes. Laura Wilson, Marie Sandy, Edna McNeal, Amy Wheeler. New members not present were Mrs. Flora Doan, Mrs. Ruth Armstrong, Mrs. Lola White.

C. L. Metcalf showed a telephone company film on the direct-distance-dialing that will go into operation here February 16.

Mrs. Harold Shelton discussed the kindergarten she operates in Meridian, and displayed handiwork made by the children.

Refreshments committee members were the Mmes. Ray Ulmer, A. K. Smith, R. H. Bell, Fred Bowers, W. L. Teeter, Ella Pitkin.

Valentine party

Mrs. Ulmer, program chairman, announced that a Valentine party for members and families will be held in the clubroom this Saturday, February 12, at 7 p.m. Members are to bring a covered dish and table service.

Table decorations committee members are Oral Coleman, LaVada Edwards, Flora Doan, Clara Maw. Mrs. Voris Botkin and Mrs. Emily Pratt are in charge of entertainment.

2-10-66

City adopts new plan for library

City council members Monday night approved a new plan for the operation of the Meridian library. An earlier discussion of the plan had been held at a meeting of Mayor Don Storey with representatives of the Occident club.

The Occident club operates the library, which is financed in part by a one-mill city tax levy.

Additional hours

Under the new plan, the library would be kept open an additional four hours a week. The present schedule is from 1:30 to 5:30 p.m. and from 7 till 9 p.m. each Monday, and from 1:30 to 5:30 each Friday. Tentative plans are for the additional four hours to be from 1:30 till 5:30 each Saturday.

The new plan also calls for increasing librarian's pay to \$100, from the present total of \$80 per month; allotting an additional \$100 a year for extra help, and budgeting at least \$320 for new books and supplies.

Revenue plan

The added money needed under the plan will be paid partly from city funds, with no increase in the one-mill levy. Additional funds will come from a new schedule of library fees.

Meridian residents will pay an annual service-fee for library cards of 15c for students and 25c for adults.

Out-of-city residents will pay service-fees for library cards of 50c for students, and \$1 for adults. It was pointed out that this was much lower than service-fees charged by libraries of adjoining cities.

The new fee-schedule will go into effect immediately.

Officials said also that the established fine of 2c per day for overdue books would be maintained without exception; and that additional books could not be withdrawn by the patron until any overdue fines were paid in full.

Mayor Storey said that the revenue from the fee schedule, and the added money from city funds, would provide about \$1,000 additional for the library's operation this year. He again expressed the city's appreciation to the Occident club members and library officials for what he termed "their long-time and valuable service to the community." 2-10-66



WOMEN throughout Idaho represented local federated clubs at the Woman's Century Club Out-of-Town Guest Day. From left Mrs. Emery Hedlund, president, Woman Study Club, St. Maries; Mrs. Milton Leigh, Alexis Club, Boise; Mrs. Ray Anderson, Occident Club, Meridian, and Mrs. H. C. Benedict, Forward Club, Caldwell. Seated is Mrs. Leon Hales, president of the Woman's Century Club.

Feb. 28-1966

Federated Club Members Attend WCC Guest Day

Women from all over Idaho represented their own local federated clubs at Out-of-Town Guest Day held Feb. 28 at the Woman's Century Club meeting.

Members attended from the Alexis Club, and Columbian Club, Boise; Forward Club, Caldwell; Occident Club, Meridian; Mountain Home Civic Club, and the Portia Club of Payette.

Other special guests at the meeting were Mrs. Stella Denney, second district president; Mrs. Homer Hatch, past second district president, Mountain Home; Mrs. Vera Hedlund, woman study club president, St. Maries, and Mrs. Charles Winkler, a past state president, Council.

During the regular order of business, Mrs. Ray Storey led the flag salute and Mrs. Charles Hanson presented the devotions.

The Shumia Department was in charge of the program and they presented the Musettes of the Monday Musical, which is affiliated with the National Federated Music Clubs. The musical group, under the direction of Mrs. Winston Goering, entertained with a group of seven semi-classical and folk songs.

Mrs. Harley Mathisen, hostess, was assisted by Mrs. E. C. Comstock, Mrs. Lester Mitchell, Mrs. Dale Allen, Mrs. Louie Hoffman, Mrs. W. C. Fischer, Mrs. James Schiller, Mrs. William Essary, Mrs. Grace Jacobsen, Mrs. G. Richard Brown, Mrs. R. E. Slagle, Mrs. O. C. Laster, Mrs. J. E. Barr, Mrs. William J. Castegneto, and Mrs. Leonard Davenport.

LIBRARY SLATE SET

MERIDIAN — Members of the Occident Club, which operates the Meridian Library, said Friday the library will not be open Friday afternoons anymore. It will, however, be open Mondays from 1:30 to 5:30 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m., Wednesdays from 1:30 to 5:30 p.m., and Saturdays from 1:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Feb. 19-1966

Occident Club Project

Library at Meridian Receives Fund Grant

By CATHERINE FRANKLIN

MERIDIAN — Meridian Occident Club, organized to make it possible for the community to have a public library, has asked for and received a promise of more aid from the city treasury. With this, more money will be available for books and services and the hours will be increased to include Saturday afternoons. However, service fees will be increased for patrons out of the city tax area. Adult cards will be \$1 per year and student cards will be 50c for out-of-towners. In-town adults will pay 25c and students 15c for the same service.

Mrs. John Pratt, program committee, and the Mimes, Clara Maw, Flora Doan, LaVada Edwards and Oral Coleman, decorations.

The Rev. Ralph Fothergill, spoke on "Home Life." Mrs. Harold Shelton told of operating a kindergarten and exhibited her pupils' work.

New members present were the Mimes, Herman Sandy, Herley Wilson, Edna McNeal, Flora Doan, Amy Wheeler, LaVada Edwards, Ruth Armstrong, Lola White and Vena Volle.

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Other business discussed at the club meeting Monday afternoon included appointing committees for the annual Sweetheart banquet to be served Saturday night in the clubhouse including Mrs. V. R. Bakin and

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Occident club plans meeting

Occident club members will meet next Monday, March 8, at 2 p.m. Mrs. Ray Ulmer will be in charge of the program.

A talk, based on the month's theme of "Fine arts program," will be given by Carl Goodwin, art instructor at the high school.

3-3-66

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Shriner display

HOBBY SHOW was feature at Meridian Shrine Club's dinner last Friday at Masonic building. Top photo, from left, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Bodine display afghans and smocked pillows made by her; Harry Yost shows his hobby of building miniature churches and bridges; Mrs. Zelma Rose displays items from her plate collection; Mrs. E. A. Hinrichs shows part of animal collection.

Second photo from top — Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dittmar with afghan she made and with 70-pound specimen of banana squash (on table) he grows; and Mrs. William Vaughn and her husband, who is president of club, with rugs she made.

Third photo — Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Peterson with their respective hobbies of unique Christmas tree (on table) and birdhouse; and Mrs. Nina Egbert with picture designed of seeds.

Picture at left — Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Davidson with pictures painted by Mrs. Davidson.

(Horton photo)



Surprise event honors Harry Yost 3-3-66

SURPRISE DINNER February 16 honored Harry Yost on his 86th birthday anniversary. Honoree and guests, from left, seated —Mrs. Oscar Keith, Mrs. Zelma Rose at whose home the party

was held, Mr. Yost, Mrs. and Mr. Edgar Keith, Standing—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark of Nampa, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dittmar, Mrs. and M. T. J. Peterson, Oscar Keith. (Horton photo)

OISE, IDAHO, TUESDAY MORNING, MARCH 22, 1966

Club Notebook

By MARY JENKINS

FEDERATED CLUBWOMEN officially stay away from partisan politics, but they do concern themselves with good governmental practices, and sometimes they take official stands. In this vein the General Federation president, Mrs. William H. Hasebrook, Monday sent out a news release from Washington, D.C., reminding Idaho members that the federation backs the constitutional amendment, now before Congress, which would give states the right to apportion their representation in legislative bodies.

Mrs. Hasebrook said that the federation, the largest organization of women in the world, took this stand when it passed a resolution at its convention last summer.

"Just as the 19th amendment gave American women the right to vote, the proposed reapportionment amendment, now before the U.S. Senate, would provide the citizens of each state the right to decide on whether they want both houses, or simply one house, of their legislatures composed on a population-only basis. Could anything be more fair than to let the people vote on this issue? It is difficult to understand why some people oppose this proposed amendment and that fundamental right."

"We have faith in the democratic process . . . that process which guarantees to the people the right to decide. That is all this issue is about, whether or not the people have the right to decide for themselves," she said.

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See pictures of winning students in next week's issue of the Meridian News-Times.

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Division 4, high school—Terry Ragsdale, first; David Brunn, second; John McAdams, third. Honorable mention, Terry Walker.

Division 3, junior high school—Barbara Brown, Kuna, first; Steve Tomkinson, Eagle, second; Randy Littleton, Eagle, third. Honorable mention, Portia Gerla, Eagle.

Division 2—Vickie Jo Martell, fifth grade Ustick, first; Mark Slifka, fifth grade Ustick, second; Elaine Skinner, fourth grade Southside, third. Honorable mention, Linda Green, fourth grade Southside.

Division 1—Jeff Lane, second grade Meridian, first; Connie Taylor, first grade Ustick, second; Mona Tucker, first grade Meridi-

an, third. Honorable mention, Jeanne Dyer, second grade Meridian.

Judges were Mrs. Easton Parish of Rt. 1, Nampa; Mrs. Elsie Parkhurst, Caldwell; and Mrs. Vera Gethamna, Rt. 6, Nampa.

Members of the art committee for the club were Mrs. Ethel Soucie, Mrs. Neal Scrivner, Mrs. Glen Ayers; assisted by Mrs. Roy Goodwin and Mrs. Ray Langley.

Hostesses for the club were the Mmes. Roy Wood, Edith Marsters, Archie Scrivner, Ray Ulmer.



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Division 6, sixth grade—Meridian, first; Terry Walker, first; Mona Tucker, second.

7-6-9-1965

Members of the Occident Club,

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April 11-12 - 66

Federated Women's clubs schedule district convention at Meridian

Meridian Occident club members will be the host group for the 66th annual meeting of the second district Idaho Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. Ray Anderson, Occident president, said the event will be held next Monday and Tuesday, April 11-12, at the Masonic building in Meridian.

The convention will open at 9:30 Monday morning with the president, Mrs. A. J. Denny of Caldwell, presiding. Events will include special speakers, and the judging of the district contests for art and poetry.

Among special guests will be Mrs. F. D. Wetterow of Sandpoint, state president of Idaho Federation of Women's Clubs.

An exhibit of art and poetry entries will be open to the public in the lower floor of the Masonic building from 4 p.m. Monday until noon Thursday. Both non-members and club members are invited.

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Delegates at the district meeting will include Federated Club members from Boise, Nampa, Cald-

well, Payette, Weiser, Cambridge, Council, Meadows, Horseshoe Bend, Garden Valley, Mountain Home, Emmett, and Meridian.

APRIL 21, 1966

OBITUARIES

The Statesman does not charge for publication of Paid funeral notices are accepted as advertisements

Mrs. Elma Veach

MERIDIAN—Mrs. Elma Pauline Laird Veach, 66, of 226 East Pine, Meridian, died at her home Wednesday afternoon following a lengthy illness.

She was born at Bradshaw, Neb., Feb. 19, 1900, and came to the Boise Valley in 1924. She was married to Francis Veach in Boise on Dec. 25, 1929. She had lived in Meridian since.

Mrs. Veach was active in civic affairs, serving on the Meridian library board until ill health forced her retirement. In 1955, she was named Woman of the Year by the Junior Chamber of Commerce. She was also a member of Meridian Chapter No. 66, Order of Eastern Star for 46 years, and was a Past Matron of the chapter. She was past president of the Meridian Occident Club and was a member of the Meridian WSCS; the Meridian Garden Club and had been a member of the Christian Church in Bradshaw, Neb.

She was active in the Meridian Methodist Church, and served on the chancel choir. She taught in the Meridian school system for 25 years, until her retirement in 1954.

Survivors include her husband, Francis Veach, Meridian; a sister, Eva Laird, Altadena, Calif.; a brother, Charles Laird, Seal Beach, Calif.; two nephews, Leroy Fay, Turlock, Calif., and Harold Mason, Ontario, Ore.; and a niece, Geraldine Gentle, Pasadena, Calif.

Services will be conducted Saturday at 11 a.m. at Robison Chapel by the Rev. Ralph Fothergill of the Meridian Methodist Church. Interment will follow in the Masonic section, Meridian Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Robison Chapel from this evening until services Saturday. Contributions are requested to the Meridian Library Fund, or the Estar Fund, OES.

Pallbearers will be Joe Ivenson, Aubrey Smith, Leo Heikes, Clare Bodine, Vance Davenport, and Kieffer Biddle.

Comfort



Meridian Club Women Await '66 Convention

MERIDIAN—The Occident Club of Meridian will be hosts for the second district convention of the Idaho Federation of Women's Clubs next spring. The bid was accepted at the Occident Club meeting Monday afternoon. In other action the date set for the annual art exhibit will be March 25.

The program included poetry by Mrs. Marguerite Patch, piano solos by Mrs. Roy Luke and a talk on patriotism and democracy by R. W. Kirkpatrick of Meridian American Legion Post. Mrs. LaVada Edwards had on display a number of her paintings. Hostesses were the Mmes. Herb Roman, Elden Gray, Frank Hudson, Oscar Raines, Fred Rosti and Florence Robison.

April 11-12 - 66

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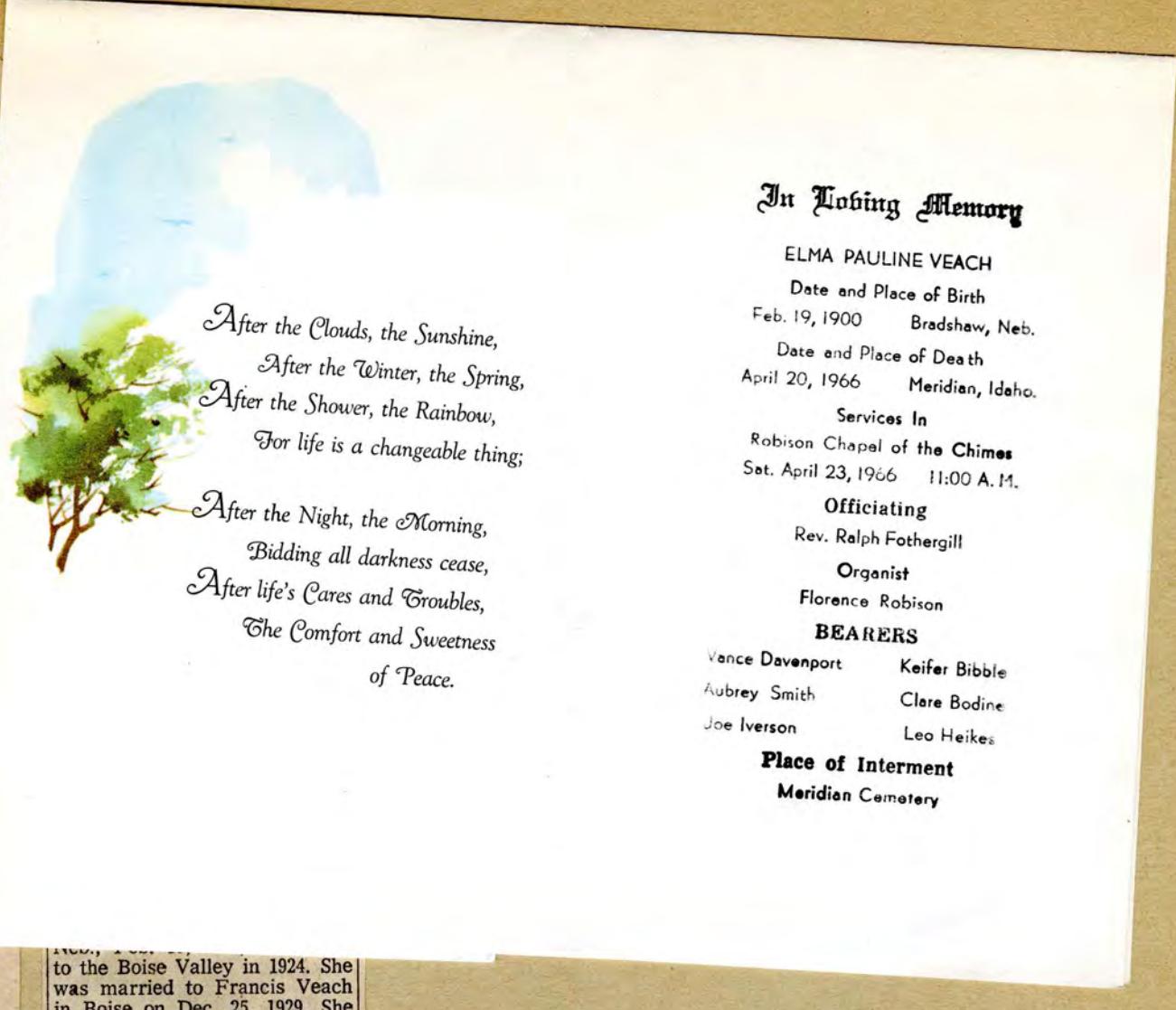
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After the Clouds, the Sunshine,

After the Winter, the Spring,

After the Shower, the Rainbow,

For life is a changeable thing;

After the Night, the Morning,

Bidding all darkness cease,

After life's Cares and Troubles,

The Comfort and Sweetness

of Peace.

In Loving Memory

ELMA PAULINE VEAH

Date and Place of Birth

Feb. 19, 1900 Bradshaw, Neb.

Date and Place of Death

April 20, 1966 Meridian, Idaho.

Services In

Robison Chapel of the Chimes

Sat. April 23, 1966 11:00 A.M.

Officiating

Rev. Ralph Fothergill

Organist

Florence Robison

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April 11-12 - 66

Federated Women's clubs schedule district convention at Meridian

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Among special guests will be Mrs. F. D. Wetterow of Sandpoint, state president of Idaho Federation of Women's Clubs.

An exhibit of art and poetry entries will be open to the public in the lower floor of the Masonic building from 4 p.m. Monday until noon Thursday. Both non-members and club members are invited.

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, APRIL 21, 1966

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Mrs. Elma Veach

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She was born at Bradshaw, Neb., Feb. 19, 1900, and came to the Boise Valley in 1924. She was married to Francis Veach in Boise on Dec. 25, 1929. She had lived in Meridian since.

Mrs. Veach was active in civic affairs, serving on the Meridian library board until ill health forced her retirement. In 1955, she was named Woman of the Year by the Junior Chamber of Commerce. She was also a member of Meridian Chapter No. 66, Order of Eastern Star for 46 years, and was a Past Matron of the chapter. She was past president of the Meridian Occident Club and was a member of the Meridian WSCS; the Meridian Garden Club and had been a member of the Christian Church in Bradshaw, Neb.

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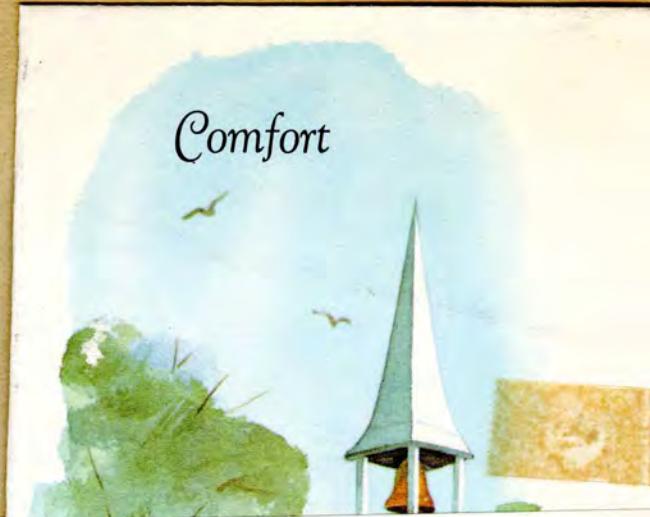
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Francis is very happy to see the many gifts given to the Library in Memory of Elma, and wishes to thank everybody for their thoughtfulness.

Number of Memorials	64
Amount of money	\$142.50.

Blood drawing

3-17-66

Volunteers give 70 pints

Community residents donated a total of 70 pints when the Red Cross bloodmobile visited Meridian last Thursday.

Officials of the Meridian Community Blood Group expressed appreciation to the donors and the volunteer workers.

They said there would probably have been a better turnout except for the high incidence of influenza, and the fact that MHS was playing in the state basketball tournament that afternoon.

Five donors honored

Five multi-gallon donors were presented pins — Lamont Cutler, seven gallons; Clifford Stringer, four gallons; Kenneth Records, two gallons; Vaughn Barson and Bill Luke, one gallon each.

Volunteer workers included the following. Receptionist, Mrs. Zelma Rose of the Garden Club. Typists, Mrs. Kay Skiver, Mrs. Midge Hiner, Mrs. Polly Merle. Temperatures, Mrs. Jan Scrivner and Mrs. Ann Wilder of the Alpha Alpha chapter of Beta Sigma Phi.

Registered nurse volunteers were Mrs. Blanche Schultsmeier, Mrs. Ralph Fothergill. Refreshments were served by the Mmes. Louise Latimer, Laura Wilson, Ethel Hawkins, Marie Moser, Veta Hawkins, Naomi Albright, Georgia Unser, Clinton Barber, all of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Numbering aides were Mrs. William Vaughn, Mrs. Cecilia Dunlap; donor room aides were Mrs. Ruby Jakomeit, Mrs. Wanda Waldram, Mrs. Ethel Stroup, of the VFW Auxiliary.

Helping to unload and load the

bloodmobile equipment were Ed Albright, Lawrence Hawley, Ralph Mangum, Elmer Lorah, Jack Cluff, Herley Wilson, Arthur Ultis, Clinton Barber, Voris Botkin. Mrs. Marilyn Marks and Mrs. June Pack assisted with publicity.

Other volunteer workers included the Mmes. Juanita Crawford, Earl Bolen, Velma Buck, Harold Shelton, Lucille Wood, Ethel Ebel, Ernest Lemcke, Iris Kirkpatrick, Ross Boyack, and Harold Bales, Ray Martin, K. D. Hartwell, Orrin Wright, and personnel at the Meridian city building.

Meridian Clubs List Meetings

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Club schedules school art show

Meridian's Occident club will sponsor its annual school art show Thursday, March 24. All students in the school district may enter pictures.

Deadline for entries will be Wednesday, March 23, when they will be hung and judged by persons from outside the district.

Early entries may be left at Rice Pharmacy in Meridian. Club officials said they hoped for many entries from schools throughout the district.

The show in the Occident clubroom will be open to the public.

Occident club slates speaker

Meridian Occident club will meet Monday, April 4, with Mrs. Fred Bower as program chairman. Special speaker will be Dr. Jerald O. Dugger, associate professor of education at Boise College. His talk will be in keeping with the club's theme for April, "Education."

Piano students of Mrs. Elsie Riddlemoser will provide musical entertainment.

Persons who have items to donate for the hospital improvement program at the Nampa State School may bring them to Monday's meeting. The club will deliver the gifts to the school.

Monday's session will include discussion of plans for the second district convention of Federated Women's Clubs, to be held April 11 and 12 at Meridian. 4-7-66

Meridian Club Gives Art Awards

By CATHERINE FRANKLIN

MERIDIAN — Meridian Occident Club members are having a busy season. At the Monday afternoon meeting Mrs. Ethel Soucie announced the winners of the art show sponsored by the club. The winners and their mothers will be guests of the club in May to receive their ribbons and cash prizes.

Local winners of first, second, third and honorable mention in four divisions were: Division 1, Jeff Lane, Meridian, second grade; Connie Taylor, Ustick, first grade; Mona Tucker, Meridian, first grade, and Jeannie Dyer, Meridian, second grade; Division 2, Vickie Jo Martell, Ustick, fifth grade; Mark Slifka, Ustick, fifth grade; Elaine Skinner, Southside, fourth grade, and Linda Green, Southside, fourth grade; Division 3, Barbara Brown, Kuna junior high school; Steve Tomkinson, Eagle, junior high school; Randy Littleton, EJHS; and Portia Gerla, EJHS; Division 4, all from Meridian High School, Terry Ragsdale, David Brunn, John McAdams and Terry Walker.

Monday and Tuesday the Second District, Idaho Federation of Women's Clubs, will meet in Meridian. The Occident Club, Boise Southside Improvement Club and Boise Women's Civic Club will be hostesses for sessions in the Masonic Temple in Meridian. Acting for the clubs will be Mrs. Ray Anderson of Meridian, Mrs. Earl Turner of the Improvement Club and Mrs. Arthur King of the Civic Club.

Women of Meridian Eastern Star will serve two luncheons and a banquet for the convention. Mrs. F. D. Wetterow of Sandpoint, Idaho State president of FWC, will be a special guest.

Following the district convention the state convention will be held in Boise, April 29 and 30. Meridian delegates will be Mrs. Ray Anderson, Mrs. H. A. Homan, Mrs. Fred Bower and Mrs. John Pratt.

Occident club names committee for nominations

Occident club met Monday, and the president, Mrs. Ray Anderson, named nomination committee members — Mrs. Oral Coleman, Mrs. Susie Cairns, Mrs. Fred Bower.

Musical entertainment was by students of Mrs. Elsie Riddlemoser, including Delores and Phyllis Kotschwar, Denise Inman, Susan Lowe, Cathy Lindblom, Mary Jo Couch, Teresa Navarro.

Featured speaker was Dr. Jerald O. Dugger, associate professor of education at Boise College. Hostesses were the Mmes. Ivy Bower, Ethel Heikes, L. Bodine, Bessie McNeff, Hazel Hedges, Susie Van Paepenhem.

As noted elsewhere, Occident club will be host group for the annual district meeting of Federated Women's clubs.

The state meeting of the clubs will be held at Boise April 29-30. Meridian delegates will include Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Fred Bower, Mrs. H. Homan, Mrs. Emily Pratt.

The May meeting of the Occident club will include the awarding of prizes to student winners in the recent art show.

The local club donated eight dozen eggs for egg hunts at the state school at Nampa. 4-7-66

The choir of the Meridian Order of Eastern Star had a party after rehearsal last Thursday night, with Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Botkin as hosts. Others present were the Messrs. and Mmes. Ray Anderson, Aubrey Smith, Joe Iverson, E. B. Jenkins, Fred Peter, Carl Egbert, and Herald Cox and the Mmes. Marvin Bodine, Raymond Langley, Elsie Riddlemoser and Florence Robison.

TO OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF OCCIDENT CLUB

Meridian Occident Club has had a busy interesting and helpful year in many way to our Club and Community.

We begin 1965-66 year with the Annual Pancake Breakfast on August 21-serving from 6:30 to 11 A.M. donations putting a nice amount in our treasury.

We have had a Craft or Hobby exhibit each month, contributed to and enjoyed by all. Special music has been provided each meeting by our music Chairman using local talent.

Volunteer service has included helping with the Blood drawing, giving jig saw puzzles to Veterans, Sewing for the Idaho State Hospital and School. Several members participate in the Friendship Child Program there were several Candy Easter Eggs provided.

Through efforts of the Library Board the City council voted to give more financial aid the operation of the Library. This is one of the Club's big projects, having started it many years ago with only a few books and operating it now with over 7000 books, average circulation of 1900 books per month to about 1400 patrons.

During 1965-66 the Emergency Loan Dept has bought almost \$400.00 worth of equipment, including 2 wheel chairs, one fracture chair, one walker, adjustable crutches- for both children and adults. These things are loaned to residents of the community when needed. The committee, in charge has made 232 trips to let out and receive these items- most users donate something for their use, but no rent is charged. The Art Committee worked diligently to get information to the teachers early in the year, then in setting up and providing hostesses for the exhibit in March.

We have sold 150 boxes of the Idaho Stationary, We have nine new members our total membership is sixty-two.

We have contributed to most of the things asked for Also to the 4H Camp Building Fund Girls State Delegates, and the Christian Children's Home in Boise.

A special event was the Annual Sweetheart Party with a covered dish dinner and card party this was enjoyed by those who attended.

Interesting and sucessful year

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Club Notebook

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Said Mrs. Edith M. Klein, commission chairman and panel leader, in defining the topic: "Political activity is anything that has to do with government, and the heart of government is the vote."

There are more women than men in our country, but fewer of them register and vote, and only a very small number hold public office. Women need to be told that their vote is important, that their talents are needed, she said.

Other panel members were Miss Helen Engelhart, College of Idaho dean of women; Miss Mildred Selby, state library staff member; Miss Marjorie Moon, state treasurer, and Mrs. Jean Smith of Boise, who was intro-

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Political work also keeps a woman active, physically and mentally, gets her out to meet people, keeps her reading. Then, when her help is needed on community programs, such as bond issues, she is able to express the housewife's point of view, and the "wheeler-dealers" will listen.

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4/20-66

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Minnie, I feel that I failed you, but I desperately wanted to be there. You did a tremendous job and seemed to anticipate the needs of the group before they were even expressed. It was a big undertaking which you assumed willingly and came through with colors flying. I can well understand at your being "glad that it is over", however you needn't have been "scared to death". I knew you could do it. Hope to see you at State Convention.

Sincerely, Estella Denney



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Clubmembers:

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for the warm hospitality and
many courtesies tendered me
when I spent those two
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Meridian at District Convention.
You did a wonderful job
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March 1, 1966.

Meridian Occident Club
Minnie Anderson, President
645 West Pine Avenue
Meridian, Idaho 83642

Dear Members of the Occident Club;

Enclosed find check for the Library operation.

Balance on hand and yeild as estimated for
1966 income as 1 mil levy for library \$1,625.00

Held back to pay librarian \$1,200.00
SocialSecurity for Librarian 50.40
1,250.40
as per levy for 1 mil. Balance 1,250.40
\$ 374.60

Additional for 1966 from General Fund
to improve library service 500.00
\$ 874.60

For the Mayor and Council

Sincerely yours,

Herald J. Cox
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BOISE, IDAHO, THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 28, 1966

For Idaho Club Women

Getting Convention Ready

A PANEL discussion on "Woman's Place in Political Life" with Mrs. Edith Miller Klein as moderator, will be one of the program topics on the first day convention program of the Idaho Federation of Women's Clubs. The sessions start at 9 a.m. at the Columbian Club. The panel will be held during the 1:30 p.m. program.

Special guests at the convention, which opens with an officers' board meeting tonight at the Downtowner, are two General Federation officers, Mrs. William Hasebroock, national president, and Mrs. Russell Clements, traffic and national transportation safety chairman. They are expected to arrive late tonight. Mrs. Hasebroock will make the principal banquet address Friday at 7 p.m. at the Downtowner and Mrs. Clements will speak Saturday at 10 a.m. at the Columbian Club.

Participants in the "Political Life" panel will be Miss Marjorie Moon, state treasurer; Miss Helen Englehart, dean of women at the College of Idaho; Mrs. Jean Smith, worker in community organization and Miss Mildred Selby, state library staff member.

State federation awards for membership, art, poetry, and others will be made at the banquet.

Mrs. F. D. Wetterow, state president, will preside at the business sessions and Mayor



MRS. F. D. WETTEROW of Sandpoint, state president of the Idaho Federation of Women's Clubs, will take charge of the business sessions at the convention here tonight, Friday and Saturday.

ganization, are general convention chairman.

Others helping are the Mmes. J. W. Hutchinson, E. E. Zimmerman, Miss Edna Jones, who are assisting Mrs. Lee Pratt with registration.

Club Notebook

By MARY JENKINS

CLUB WOMEN TAKE PRIDE in their community improvement and educational projects, and when Big Business pays them tribute in cash, it's just like having extra frosting on the cake. That's the way the recipients felt, following Friday's convention banquet of the Idaho Federation of Women's clubs.

The Idaho Falls Women's club received \$500 from Shell Oil and \$300 from Sears Foundation for its work in establishing a permanent home and supplying educational materials for the Easter Seal Speech and Hearing Clinic in its own community. The same project is entered in Sears' national competition (one of ten in the nation).

Other gifts from Shell were \$300 to the Rexburg Civic Club; and \$200 to the Twin Falls 20th Century Club. Sears gave \$200 to the Nampa Woman's Century Club to help to revamp the town library; \$100 to St. Maries' Mothers Club; \$50 to the Boise Columbian Club for work in developing the Bishop Rhea library and \$50 to the Sandpoint Junior Club.

The Outdoor Advertising Association gave its second annual \$100 prize to art teacher Frances J. Pritchard of Moscow. And the Idaho State Federation gave community improvement certificates to two of its smallest clubs, Garden Valley Syringa Club and the Sandpoint Junior Club.

Since the Columbians were hosts for the convention, and are probably worn out by now, Mrs. Leo Snyder, president, has postponed today's annual meeting until May 9.

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OFFICIAL CALL TO THE 66TH ANNUAL MEETING

SECOND DISTRICT IDAHO FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

MERIDIAN, IDAHO - APRIL 11-12, 1966

HOSTESS CLUBS.....Meridian Occident, Boise Goldenrod and Boise Woman's Civic

HEADQUARTERS.....Masonic Temple, Meridian, Idaho

REGISTRATION.....8:30 to 9:30 A.M., Monday, April 11. Each person attending shall pay a registration fee of \$1.00.

CREDENTIALS.....Enclosed is a credential blank for each delegate, to be signed by Club president and secretary, and to be presented at registration. Voting delegates include all district officers, department chairmen, division chairmen, standing committee chairmen, past district presidents and state president. Each club represented by the outgoing president or appointee, and one delegate for each twenty members or major fraction thereof. The count of members based on dues paid to Second District I.F.W.C. for the current year. No delegate shall represent more than one club or have more than one vote.

SESSIONS.....Convention opens at 9:30 A.M., Monday, April 11.
Convention opens at 9:00 A.M., Tuesday, April 12.

COMMITTEES.....General Chairman, Mrs. Ray Anderson, Meridian
Assisting-chairmen: Mrs. Earl Turner and Mrs. Arthur King, Boise

HOUSING.....Nampa - Paul's Motel - double 1 person \$5.00; 2 - \$6.00;
twin \$7.00; 1 double & 1 single \$8.00
Nampa - Park View Motel - double, 1 person \$4.00; 2 - \$5.00;
twin \$4.00; 2 double \$8.00
Meridian - Knotty Pine Motel, 2 doubles in 2 rooms, \$9.00;
1 double \$6.00; 2 doubles \$8.00
Each one make her own reservation.

MEALS.....All meals at Masonic Temple. Luncheons, both days 12:15 - \$1.30
Monday Banquet - 7:00, \$2.00
Tuesday - Presidents' breakfast, 8:00 A.M. Occident Club House,
\$1.00

BILLS.....All bills against the district must be presented to Mrs. A. F. Faris, 3508 Kootenia Avenue, Boise, prior to the Board meeting March 21, Boise

REPORTS.....Seven minutes will be allotted to each club president, 4 minutes to each department chairman and 2 minutes to each division chairman and committee chairmen for oral reports. File written reports with recording secretary.

RESOLUTIONS &

REVISIONS.....Send resolutions and revisions to Mrs. F. W. McCormick, 112 Winther Avenue, Nampa, 83651

MEMORIAL

SERVICE.....Please send before April 11 names of deceased members to the Chairman of the Memorial Service, Mrs. Ivan Besler, 1201 Longmont Avenue, Boise. .

SPECIAL

EVENTS.....A traveling award will be presented to the club with the greatest combined mileage of members attending.

District Art and Poetry Contest; judging of club scrapbooks; selecting the best club song.

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Club Notebook

IDAHO FEDERATED CLUB WOMEN may have been working so hard on details for their convention here this week that they missed a published announcement that a U.S. commemorative postal stamp will be issued in honor of this 75th anniversary year of the General Federation of Women's Clubs. The request was put by the Idaho organization to Postmaster General Lawrence O'Brien, who notified Sen. Frank Church that the commemorative issue had been approved. Details concerning the date and place of first day sales will be announced later.

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Meridian women at convention

Mrs. Clinton Barber and Mrs. Zelma Rose of Meridian attended the state meeting of Royal Neighbors of America, held at St. Maries, Idaho, April 15-16.

State officers elected included Mrs. Velma Treadwell of Twin Falls, state oracle; Mrs. R. C. Shobe of Twin Falls, secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Oscar Pearson of Boise and Mrs. Edith Robison of Post Falls were named delegates to the national convention of Royal Neighbors of America, to be held in June at Miami, Florida.

The next Idaho state meeting will be held at Twin Falls in April, 1970. The two Meridian delegates returned home from St. Maries Sunday night.

5-21-65

5-21-66 Open house will honor Mr. Carter

An open house honoring Will Carter on his 89th birthday anniversary will be held this Sunday, April 24, from 2 till 4 p.m.—at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ulmer, 509 E. Idaho Street, Meridian.

Friends and relatives are invited, and it is requested that they do not bring gifts.

Assisting the host couple will be Mrs. Will Carter, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Maw, and the Frank Smith family.

DIAMOND JUBILEE OF SERVICE FOR FREEDOM AND GROWTH



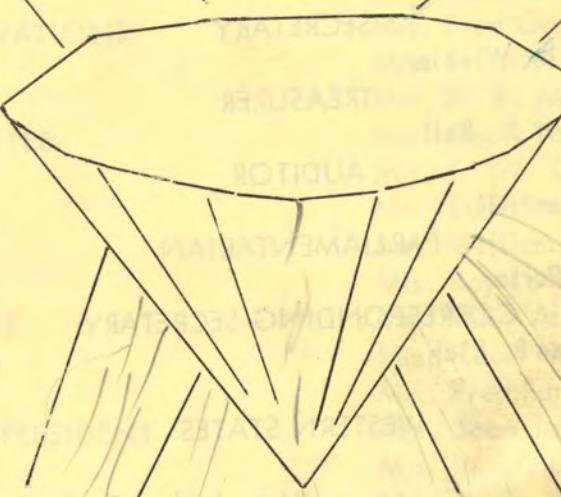
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IN OUR DIAMOND JUBILEE

March 18, 19, and 20, 1965

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IDAHO FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS



District convention held at Meridian

SPECIAL GUESTS AND OFFICIALS at district convention of Idaho Federation of Women's Clubs, held Monday and Tuesday at Meridian, included above, from left—Mrs. Ray S. Anderson, president of Meridian Occident club, the host group; Mayor Don Storey, who gave address of welcome; Mrs.

E. D. Wetterow of Sandpoint, state president of the Idaho Federation of Women's Clubs; the Rev. Ralph Fothergill of Meridian Methodist church, who gave invocation, and Mrs. H. J. Schmahl of Caldwell, who presided at convention in absence because of illness of Mrs. A. J. Downey. (Horton)

From 16 towns

Meridian Occident club hosts 100 at convention of federated clubs

More than 100 officers and delegates attended the second district convention of Idaho Federation of Women's Clubs, held at Meridian Monday and Tuesday.

The group represented 16 women's clubs of southwestern Idaho, including Boise, Nampa, Caldwell, Payette, Weiser, Cambridge, Council, Meadows, Horseshoe Bend, Garden Valley, Mt. Home, Emmett, Meridian.

Presiding at the convention was Mrs. H. J. Schmahl of Caldwell, as a substitute for the president, Mrs. A. J. Denney. Mrs. Denney was hospitalized last Thursday.

The Rev. Ralph Fothergill of the Meridian Methodist church gave the invocation, and Mayor Don Storey extended Meridian's welcome to the gathering. Also welcoming the group was Mrs. Fred Bower of the host club, with response by Mrs. Frank Yost.

Honored guests included the state president of Idaho Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. E. D. Wetterow of Sandpoint; and Mrs. Charles Winkler of Council, who is a past state president and now a vice president of the western division.

Speakers heard

Featured speakers were the Rev. Newell Morgan, who told of the contrast between citizenship in the United States and in South America. Dr. Robert Wilcox, of the university extension service, discussed the food crisis in India. He showed slides taken during his year of duty in India with the Food Foundation.

Dr. Erwin C. Sage, superintendent of the Idaho State School and Hospital at Nampa, spoke on the public's responsibility to the mentally retarded.

Special music for the convention was provided by Mrs. Harry Young, soloist Phil Peterson, and by a girls' ensemble from the Meridian high school.

Visiting officers and delegates expressed appreciation of the success of the event, which they said was largely due to the effort, plans, and arrangements by Mrs. Ray Anderson, president of the Meridian Occident club.

