

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
May 15, 1924

Mrs. Dexter Entertains

Last Saturday afternoon Mrs. W. E. Dexter charmingly entertained a number of ladies at her lovely home on Louisiana Avenue in compliment to Mrs. J. F. Fennessy's mother, Mrs. Foote, who is visiting at the Fennessy home. A delightful afternoon was spent sewing and visiting. The hostess served a delicious luncheon late in the afternoon.

Locals

The '06 Club are meeting this afternoon with Mrs. Allen Richards.

Sheriff F. R. Baney returned Saturday morning from a trip to the eastern end of the county.

Mrs. Fred F. Clark and children are spending the week in Fortine with Mrs. Clark's mother.

W. G. Seims returned Friday from Kalispell where he spent several days on business.

Miss Virginia Joughin returned Monday from Missoula where she represented Lincoln county in the state declamatory contest.

The J & C garage reports the following sales of cars recently: A Chevrolet sedan to H. M. Gompf, Oldsmobile sport touring to Edwin Erickson, Chevrolet touring to Howard Challinor, and two Oldsmobiles delivered to Eureka people.

Mrs. Leo Becker is expected to return this week from Spokane where she has been under a physician's care for the past several weeks.

Mrs. Fred Carlson and baby left Saturday for Helena where they will visit relatives for a month or six weeks.

Miss Ida Botchek returned to her home here Tuesday after spending the past several weeks visiting her sister in Tacoma, Wn.

Thos. Hamilton and family drove through to Kalispell Sunday and spent the first of the week in that city.

Mrs. A. S. Fraser left this week for Spokane to visit Mr. Fraser who is a patient in the St. Luke's hospital where he was taken a couple of weeks ago with a fractured limb.

Mrs. Art Polette returned Friday from Spokane where she accompanied her father, W. S. Mequire who is a patient at the Deaconess hospital.

E. E. Jaqueth leaves today for Spokane and will drive back an Oldsmobile six car. He will be accompanied by his wife.

JACK ENGLAND GIVES SOME DRIVING TIPS

DO YOU WANT A HEADSTONE IN '50? DO YOU? Montana's Highway Patrol Supervisor E. H. (Jack) England today reminded all motorists that a good way to become a statistic and a fond memory to the loved ones is to drive like an ordinary driver on the coming weekend.

"Here are some tips that will help to get you home safely from that holiday trip, if you will follow them:

1. Start early, but not at the expense of sleep, so that you can drive at a reasonable rate of speed and still arrive at your destination on time.

2. Be sure your car is in good working order, particularly with regard to lights, brakes, tires, windshield wipers, etc.

3. If you should stop for an emergency, pull as far to the right side of the road as possible, and do not let the passengers in the car stand around in the traffic lanes. If your stop is not an emergency, get completely off the traveled surface.

4. Use the regular hand signals to indicate changes in speed or direction, and give them well enough in advance that the car following may take the necessary action to avoid a crash.

5. Get in rhythm with the general flow of traffic. If other cars are going at 45 or 50 miles per hour, you should drive at that rate of speed also. You get into trouble when you get out of step with the other traffic.

6. Know and obey all road signs: Round signs mean that you will cross a railroad track or two within 300 feet; Oblong signs indicate traffic regulations such as speed limits, no passing zones, etc; Diamond shaped signs are the sign that you should slow down, because there'll be a curve or hill or other dangerous condition in a matter of a few seconds; Eight sided or octagonal signs mean that you should come to a full and complete stop before crossing or entering the street or road ahead; the Crossbuck

and Treasurer, Eleanor Huffman.

The club is organized with twenty-one charter members and is the 27th club in the state to be organized. As soon as a charter is granted by the Federation a special charter meeting will be held. Members will all receive special notice.

indicates a railroad crossing.

7. If you drink, don't drive and if you drive, don't drink!

8. Treat your driving as a full-time job and work at it, because your life depends on it.

LIBBY STUDENTS RECEIVE MORTAR BOARD HONOR

Miss Margery Hunter and Miss Marilyn Neils, Libby, are among 13 new members of Mortar Board, senior women's honorary, at Montana State University.

Miss Hunter, a senior majoring in journalism and history, is also the editor of the 1949 Sentinel, campus yearbook. Miss Neils, a member of Masquers, dramatics honorary, is majoring in English.

W. O. T. M. HOLD REGULAR MEETING MAY 19

The Women of the Moose met May 18 with seventeen members present. A donation of \$10 was made to the Girl Scouts. Nomination of officers was held.

The Birthday dinner was planned for June 2 with a regular meeting to be held afterwards.

The co-workers voted to send Billy Murray and Senior Regent Thompson to Sandpoint, Ida., to receive the Academy of Friendship degree Sunday, May 22.

Memorial services were held with co-worker Preston presiding, Bessie Smith and Mrs. Howard Thompson are to decorate the graves.

A delicious lunch was served by Nona Parker.—Pub. Comm.

BARKEE TELL OF VACATION

(Continued from last week)

It proved to be exceptionally interesting going through the south—streamers of moss were hanging from the trees, the homes and gardens were beautiful, the Hibiscus and Wisteria were in bloom and some of the southern mansions were open to the public. In Alabama trucks of cotton was being hauled from the warehouses and the new crop was just being planted.

Our next stop was at Gainesville, Fla. where Mrs. Barkee's sister and husband are now living. The State University is located there. We met a Dr. Good who is associated with the University.

Last year he taught at Bozeman, during our conversation we found him to be a close friend of Dr. Seifert of Libby. We stopped at

Orlando, which is called The City Beautiful, then proceeded on to Miami and Carol Gables. The latter city is advertised as the city of beautiful homes. Another sister and relatives live there. We were there for Palm Sunday. In the church we attended the children worried green palm leaves. We also attended the Miami garden show. Orchids being a tropical air flower, there was a beautiful display of many kinds and colors. They had an artificial water falls with banks of palms and roses. The beautiful rose colored Flamingos were walking around this adding color and life to the display.

A sister of Wm. Kienitz and Mrs. Wichman lives in Miami and we called at her home. We took a great many colored pictures as this is truly a photographers paradise. There is a flame vine that grows on the houses, sometimes covering a greater part of the roof. Also the Bougainville vine is brilliantly colored. The Orange groves were wonderful to go through: the sweet scent of the blossoms and the bright colored fruit on the trees. We visited the beaches, beautiful Hialeah Race Track Park, the Rare Bird Farm, and the Tropical Experimental Tree Farm.

On our way north from Miami, we visited Penny Farms, The Marine Studios, where they have hundreds of Ocean fish in huge cement tanks under as natural conditions for the fish as possible. There are three levels to each tank where you look through large glass port holes at the fish and many smaller displays in small lighted tanks. One interesting fish was the sea anemone, and we watched them feed the porpoises.

From there we visited the oldest city of St. Augustine, where the Fountain of Youth is located. We visited also the oldest fort in the United States and the oldest house; some streets were so narrow, only horse drawn surreys could pass through.

In going to Mississippi, we cross-

ed the famous Huey Long bridge and the Suwanee river. When we came back north and west we drove through the "Black Belt" which was very interesting. We crossed the famous rolling hills of Alabama and beautiful, green, and wonderful roads through Arkansas. We crossed a corner of Texas and made a days stop at Lamar, Colo., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Lester Halvorson, formerly of this city, our first assistant manager 21 years ago. Our

next overnight stop was at Preston, Ida., where we visited Mr. and Mrs. Willis Christiansen, another former J. C. Penney Co. associate. We then drove to The Dalles, Oregon, where we attended our son's wedding. Then back home and were pleased with the new "Welcome" sign at the entrance to Libby and also the new street lights. Home and friends look very good to us after three months and ten thousand road miles.

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B & P W MEETS

The newly organized Kootenai Business and Professional Woman's Club held a dinner meeting Monday evening at The Caboose. The purpose of the meeting was to draw up a constitution to submit to the state and national federation and to elect officers. Dr. Hjordis Bratsberg, District Director of the Montana Federation, and Margaret Amdahl, president of the Kalispell Club were present to lend their assistance.

The meeting was called to order by Miss Mildred Buck. After welcoming the members and the visitors she graciously presented Dr. Bratsberg with a corsage of rose buds.

The list of committee appointments was read by Mrs. Ethel Lamorie, followed by the reading of committee duties by Mrs. Oliver Phillips.

Dr. Bratsberg gave a short talk to the club concerning its purpose and meaning and closed with a wish for the success of the Libby organization.

The following officers were elected: President, Mildred Buck; Vice President, Ethel Lamorie; Corresponding Secretary, Marian Bakke; Recording Secretary, Janet Littell.

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