

Homeowners Dance and Chatter, Munch on Sandwiches at Event

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The local Methodist Youth Fellowship held its first dance at the recreational unit of the Waleria Methodist Church, on Friday night, April 15. Over 25 young people attended to enjoy the evening, drink cokes, and munch cookies. A nominal admission charge was made to cover the expenses of the evening. Several adult couples, including sponsors Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gehres, also attended and found the evening to be as much fun as the teen-agers did. The group is enthusiastically planning another dance for next month.

Another dance held in our community on Friday evening was the Pacific Hills Home Owners' affair, at the Nickel Ranch, on Newton St. A big crowd attended the festivities enjoying an evening of dancing and chatter, along with snacks from the sandwich bar. Next social event for the club will be a box social, to be held some time next month, complete with prizes for the most beautiful and original entries.

Glad to know that Mr. Frank Coate of Winlock is recovering nicely from minor surgery performed last week, and at the San Pedro Community Hospital. He returned home the first part of this week.

The Waleria PTA held a really wonderful meeting on last Thursday evening. Entertainment hit a high spot with a musical play of the Gingerbread Boy, presented by Mrs. Springer's room. Even the stage settings were made by pupils. Business included electing delegates for various conventions. Funds were also donated toward the annual all-night party held by Torrance High School. Events coming up, are the May festival to be held next month, and the installation of officers to be held in June.

The Glen Karhus of 3128 Winlock Rd., are anxiously searching for an heirloom Bible lost Easter Sunday. Their daughter unfortunately mislaid it on that day. Since the sentimental value attached to this book is very great, they would greatly appreciate finding it again. The book has the name "Edith Marion Rand" and "1916" written in it. Any readers knowing of its whereabouts, please call the Karhus at DA 62717.

June 15 will be a big date for Mrs. George Stark, of Danaha St., since that is the day she plans to leave for Japan, where she will join her husband who is stationed with the educational unit of the U.S. Army in that country. JoAnn will take on Stephen with her, so that at

the ripe old age of one year, he will be a widely traveled young man.

Several Waleria families have moved, or are planning to move from our community into the near future. The Lee Courts, nears of Cricklewood St., have moved to Northern California, while the Henry Cunninghams of Newton St., have gone to Lakewood. Also planning a move, are the Dwight Congers, of Raintree Ave., who are getting set for Alabama.

Welcome goes to Mr. and Mrs. Herb Jackson, who have moved into this community recently. They are making their home on Newton St., after moving from Gardena, where they lived a number of years.

Welcome visitor to the Loren Skippers home, on Dalemead St., is Mrs. Skinner's sister, who is here from NewYork.

More visitors in our town are from far away. They are Mr. M. Raphael and Mr. Ernest Raphael, both of Honolulu, Hawaii. They were guests at the Robert Waegner home, on Winlock Dr., last Sunday, and plan to return for more visiting after staying a short time with other relatives in Long Beach.

This is really an event for the Raphaels and the Waegners,

since they had not seen each other in over ten years. Raphael is Mrs. Waegner's grandfather, while the other guest is her uncle. This is the Raphaels first visit to the States, and their lasting impression is one of the great size of these United States. Grandfather Raphael plans to spend two months stateside, while Ernest will only be here three weeks.

This last week end was a big one for the Boy Scout Troop 240 which went on a camping trip to Arrowhead in anticipation of two of their number being called out for membership in the "Order of the Arrow," an honor society within the Scouts. Lucky and deserving members for this honor turned out to be Robert Johnson, of Newton St., and Larry Bugglyn, of Ward St. Surprise to the whole troop came when their leader, Mr. Robert Waegner was also called out for the order.

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