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VALENTINE DANCE HELD TONIGHT

Teen-Agers will dance to the music of the juke-box at the Valentine Dance in Comm. Bldg. #1 tonight from 7:30-10:30. Sponsored by the Bldg. Council, there is no admission charge, but hot dogs and cokes will be sold. Dress is informal with dresses and heels for the girls, and suits or sport suits for the boys.

THE VOICE SAYS "HELLO!"

February 14 has double meaning to Vanporters this year--St. Valentine and the VOICE arrive the same day! You will notice that the VOICE is wearing a pink uniform. This doesn't mean "It's a girl!" but that it is celebrating Valentine's Day and its birthday in this fashion.

Members of the Teen-age Club conducted a survey in Vanport to determine which name of the ones suggested was most popular. Runners-up were The VANPORTER, and The Vanport VOLUNTEER.

The VOICE of Vanport is for Vanporters. It wants to tell what you are doing, what you are thinking, what you are striving for. But it needs your help! Artists, reporters, typists, suggestion-givers--come into the VOICE office in Community Bldg. #1. Your interest and cooperation will be appreciated.

FOUR COMPLETE HOME NURSING COURSE

February sixth graduates of the Home Nursing Course Unit 1, sponsored by the Multnomah County Chapter of the American Red Cross were Mrs. R. B. Brown, Mrs. R. O. Graham, Mrs. Agnes Young, Mrs. Lois Thon, and Mrs. Ida Geidl. Instructed by Mrs. Thelma Fry, RN, ARC, all who completed this 12-hour course received a certificate and a Red Cross Home Nursing pin.

The classes cover home nursing essentials such as giving bed baths, administering treatments ordered by the doctor, and caring for the patient in order to prevent spread of contagious diseases.

Future Home Nursing courses will begin as soon as the quota has been reached for each class. They are scheduled for Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30 to 11:30 and 1:00 to 3:00. Vanporters interested may sign up for the Home Nursing Course with building staff members in Community Bldg. #1, or call WE 3211, Ext. 3.

LET'S GO!

The deadline of the February 28 issue of the VOICE is 12:00 noon Wednesday, February 26. Get that copy in as soon as possible. First come, first served!

FEBRUARY

COMING
EVENTS

| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | 14 Friday, | 15 Saturday, | Sunday |
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| <u>17</u> (Cont.) Baton Class 3:30-5:30* Dramatics 7-10* | | <u>19</u> (Cont.) Dramatics 7-10* | | Dramatics 3:30-5:30* Jr. Choir & League 3:30 -5:30* League BB Game 7-10* Tenants' Lg. 8-10* Valentine Dance (Teen- Agers) 7:00- 10:30* | Catholic Catechism 9-10* Lutheran BB Team 10-12N* BB Prac- tice (all teams) 12 -4* | <u>16 & 23</u> Vanport City Comm. Church 10:45-12" 6:30-8:30* Assem. of God 10-12" Missouri Lutheran Church 9- 12* Metropol- itan Bap- tist 9:45- 11:30, 12:30 -8:30* Catholic Church 8- 12* Church of Christ 2:30-4:30* Young Peo- ple's Ser- vice (Luth- eran) 7:30 -10* |
| <u>17</u> A.V.C. 8- 10* Campfire Girls 7:30 -9* Bldg. Coun. 7:30-8:30 Soc. Dance Cl. 7:30- 9:30* Home Nurs- ing Cl. 9:15-12N* | <u>18</u> Adult Crfts 7:30-10# Superman's Club Dramatics 3:30-5:30* Adult Sew- ing Class 7-10* | <u>19</u> Girls' Nite 8-10* * Teen-Age Mtg. Ltl. Beavers 3:30-5:30* Lenten Serv. (Luth.) 7:30 -8:30* Gray Y 3:30- 5:15* Folk Dancing 7-9* Folk Singing 9-10* | <u>20</u> Blue Birds 3:30-4:30* Campfire Girls 3:15- 4:30* Adult Bingo 7:00-10* Adult Craft 7-10* Dramatics 7-10* | <u>21</u> Jr. Choir & League, Girl Scouts, Dramatics — same as the 14th | <u>22</u> Same as the 15th Adult Folk Dan- cing Grp. 8:30-12M* | |
| <u>24</u> Baton Cl., Dramatics, Campfire Girls, Bldg. Coun., Soc. Dance Cl-- same as 17th. Legion of Mary (Cath) 8:15-10# | <u>25</u> Adult Crfts 7:30-10# Superman's Club* Dramatics 3:30-5:30* | <u>26</u> Girls' Nite, Lenten Serv. (Luth), Gray Y, Little Beavers, Dramatics — same as 19th. | <u>27</u> Same as the 20th. | <u>28</u> Jr. Choir & League, Girl Scouts, Dramatics, Tenants League — same as 14th. | | Union Bap- tist Chu- rch 10:30- 12:30# 5:30-7:30# Salvation Army 1:00- 2:30# Jehovah's Witnesses 4:00-5:00 # |

* Community Bldg. No. 1 # Community Bldg. No. 5 " Jr. High School Bldg.
Ping pong, quiet games, active games, gym activities, and pool are available
daily Monday through Friday in Community Bldg. #1. Use permits for this bldg.
are signed from 4 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. daily except Saturday and Sunday.

REMEMBER YOUR VALENTINE ?

TEEN'S TALK

? MYSTERY GIRL ?

She's got auburn colored hair, hazel eyes, weighs 119 lbs., and is about 5 feet 2½ inches. She's quite cute and has a good personality. She was born in the southern part of Oregon and has lived in Vanport for four years, this coming June. She is now a sophomore at Roosevelt High School. She has lived all fourteen of her years in Oregon. She goes with a senior from Roosevelt Hi. They've been going together two months now and we hope they never break up.

AMBER'S IDEAS

What's this we hear about Roy Banks going with Dolly Harris and sharing secrets with Doris Young?

Are Nettie Berglund and Roland Ub-rick going steady or not? Better get on the ball, Roland, someone might beat you to it.

It has been rumored that Joe Parker and Barbara Fuller are going to be wed, but where does that leave Winona Joe?

What is it Tom Westguard has that makes all the girls go for him? Namely, Bea Westphall!!

A cute couple around Vanport are Jerry Berglund and her steady Jim Pixley. Virginia Piltz isn't the only one who thinks Duane Zalondik is dar-ling, so does Betty Moore.

What's that we hear about Bill Gaston and Margie Engstrom breaking up again? Shame on you, Joanie!

Another cute couple around Rec. 1 are Elaine Payne and Buddy Patterson.

Bob Astin and Shirley Dayle have been seen together quite a lot. What's cooking, kids?

Wonder why Dawn Zalondek has taken a sudden interest in making dishtowels and drawing house plans. Couldn't have anything to do with Gerald Brown, could it?

What could have happened between Ginger Jones and Pepper Jensen to make her chase him down the middle of the street the other night?

? MYSTERY BOY ?

Our mystery boy of the week is tall dark and handsome. (Need I say more?) He has black wavy hair, blue eyes, and is a slim six feet tall.

His main interests are technical radio mechanics, GIRLS, music, dancing, art advertising, and work. (Imagine that!) He hasn't any dislikes with the exception of nosy people.

His favorite song is "Moonlight Serenade" which is also the theme song for his band.

He claims he has a blank past and an unknown future.

This week's mystery couple was selected by a Vanport boy and girl. Watch this page for their names in the next issue. The Mystery Box is located in the Voice office. Leave your selection in it.

SPORT LIGHT

Five hundred people turned out to witness the February 6 boxing bouts which were held at Community Bldg. #1.

Although there were only two TKO's through the entire fight, the enthusiastic crowd rose to their feet cheering when the pugilists began to slug it out. On the first bout was Mickey Walters who won a decision over Manford Young(75), Daryl Johnson(53) decision over Frankie Walsh(57).

Gerald Rodanakes(150) decision over Richard Smith(130); Donald Habberg(78) decision over Bobby Francis; Jerry Gertz(85) draw over Georgie Foster(90); Roger Scott(136) decision over Albert Griffin(140); Jim Baker(122) T.K.O. over Milton Norwood(120); Harvey Taylor(98) (exhibition) Alfred Alexander (99); Glen Erie(130) decision over Ray Armstrong(133); Cleaphers Womack(143) T.K.O. over Paul Ryan(142); Sylvester Armstrong(162½) decision over Dick Douglas (159).

A Memphis Sports Editor explains the current cold wave in the East: "Admiral Byrd is in the Antarctic. Evidently, 'Richard' has opened that door."

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FISHING STREAMS GIVEN

Robert Holloway, Biologist, State
Game Commission, was guest speaker at the
Rod and Gun Club's monthly meeting, Feb-
ruary 5 in Community Bldg. #1 before an
interested audience of sportsmen and wo-
men.

Fishermen in Oregon who want to get
results with those poles, according to
Mr. Holloway, will do well to go to one
of these streams, all of which are lo-
cated fairly close to Vanport: Clack-
amas River, Salmon River, Gale's Creek,
Dairy Creek, Abiqua and Butte Creeks,
and the rivers in nearby Mt. Hood Na-
tional Forest. Colored movies were shown
of some of the spots mentioned, with Mr.
Holloway giving additional information on
their accessibility and location.

A new director for the Rod and Gun
Club, John R. Hilburn, was chosen at
the meeting, and the President, Raymond
Brand, announced that membership dues
are \$2.00 a year. Membership is now op-
en, and further information is available
in Community Bldg. #1.

ART INSTRUCTOR NEEDED: Comm. Bldg.
#5 needs volunteer art instructor
for an adult drawing and painting
class. Contact the VOICE office.

THE MAILBOX

The VOICE welcomes letters from Van-
porters expressing ideas on perti-
nent subjects. All letters must be
signed, and should be addressed to
The Editor, the VOICE of Vanport.

Dear Editor:

I was manager of the "Lucky Seven"
baseball team of 1946 and I would like
to continue this ball club. In order
to do this I will need the cooperation
and backing of the Vanport Housing Au-
thority and the citizens of Vanport.

This past season we lost several
games due to the condition of the ball
fields here. We had many chances to
play with outside teams but they would
not play here because of the bad condi-
tion of the grounds.

There are many boys in Vanport that
would be good ball players if they had
a chance. I would like to give them
their chance this spring. In order to
do this I need the support of the peo-
ple so I can get the team started early
on a ball field that is in excellent
condition.

If those in the Administration
Building that are interested in baseball
and want to help will notify me, I will
try and give Vanport a champion ballclub.

Yours for better baseball grounds,

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