

Days Creek School Roll Shows Drop

DAYS CREEK, Oct. 6.—Although the registration at the Days Creek school has shown a steady increase since the opening day, September 15, it has not yet reached the enrollment figures of the 1940-41 school year. In the grade school at the close of the first two weeks, 57 were enrolled, as against 65 last year. In the high school there are 31, as compared with 35 the preceding year. The class showing the greatest reduction is the beginning group, which numbers only five, while a year ago there were eleven in the first grade classes.

The faculty for the year includes C. C. Hill, who has returned as principal after a year spent in other activities. Prior to the 1940-41 school year, he had been principal here for eleven years. Besides his duties in this capacity he conducts classes in science and mathematics. Mrs. Margaret McGee has charge of classes in English and home relations. Mrs. McGee also formerly taught in the local school, but for several years has been an instructor in the Canyonville schools. Miss Marjorie Church of Canby has returned here as instructor in classes of social science and commerce. She also has charge of the seventh and eighth grade class room. This is her third year here. Miss Mildred Thompson of Ashland, who was among those graduating from the Southern Oregon College of Education this year, has the intermediate room, while Miss Anna Lewis of Roseburg has again returned as instructor in the primary room.

Ray Wright again drives the up-river school bus, while Oliver Bratton transports the pupils coming from the Drew and Tiller non-high school territory. Fritz Snyder has charge of the janitor work and also drives the bus transporting the pupils living up Days Creek and down river.

FUNNY BUSINESS



"I've just been fleeced out of \$5000—I think you'd better pull my wisdom teeth!"

Lookingglass

Mrs. Lavern Williams, Mrs. A. M. Robinson, Mrs. Ray LeClerc, Mrs. Mary Smith, Mrs. Ted Hodgson and Mrs. Arthur Marsh were delightfully entertained on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. D. Osburn of Roseburg. The afternoon was spent in viewing the extensive collection of buttons which Mrs. Osburn has assembled in the last few months. Mrs. Osburn served the guests a lovely dessert luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Buckle of Camp Bradford spent Sunday with the home folk a week ago. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Matthews and children Bonnie Jean and Billy are moving onto the Lowell place recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Harris and sons who have gone to Oakland to reside on a ranch

purchased recently in that locality. Mr. and Mrs. Spriggs and sons, of McMinnville, are being welcomed as newcomers to the valley. They have rented the Hoge property recently operated by Mr. and Mrs. Peterson and family who moved to Willow Flat, Montana where they have purchased a new home.

W. S. of C. S. to Meet—The Woman's society of Christian Service will meet Thursday at a one o'clock luncheon at the church parlors with Mrs. F. W. Chase as chairman, assisted by Mrs. Roscoe Marsters, Mrs. R. W. Marsters, Mrs. J. J. Eastling, Mrs. C. E. Richardson and Mrs. Ned Dixon. The business meeting will be in charge of the president, Mrs. A. J. Geddes.

Around the County

Days Creek

DAYS CREEK, Oct. 8.—Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Moore and daughter, Mary Anne, of Los Angeles were guests Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Moore's sister, Mrs. Velma Gibson.

Mrs. Clarence Fells of Tacoma has been spending several days here at the home of her father, M. J. Willard. When she left Thursday for her home she was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Willard who will spend the winter months with her. Mrs. Fells will be remembered here as May Willard who made this her home as a girl.

Lester Cook who a number of years ago made this his home was calling on friends in the neighborhood Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hill recently went to Dixonville after Mr. Hill's mother, Mrs. W. G. Hill, who had been visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. C. Brown, for a couple of weeks.

T. L. Weaver was attending to business matters in Medford Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Meador left Tuesday for their home in Gladstone after having been guests since Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson. Before coming here they had spent a week vacationing in the eastern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Beals and son, Jackie, of Winchester Bay and Miss Norene Meyer of Canyonville were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. Beal's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Weaver. Mr. Beals is employed on the jetty at the mouth of the Umpqua.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Goin and their daughter, Miss Violette, are moving into the M. J. Willard house for the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Pepple of Portland were guests during the weekend at the home of Mrs. Velma Gibson. Monday Mr. and Mrs. Pepple, Mrs. Gibson and John and Clarence Kreiger went

to Grants Pass to look over some placer mining activities.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Paris of Roseburg were visiting relatives and attending to business matters here during the week end.

Mrs. Bud Lowell and Mrs. Bruce Ferguson took Mrs. Kunkle senior, to her home in Roseburg Saturday. Mrs. Kunkle had been spending some time at the Divide guard station with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell and had also visited her son, Glenn Kunkle, at Tiller.

Miss Anna May Manley and Maurice Madison recently flew to Portland where they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Higgins and Miss Maybelle Rainville went to Salem Sunday to visit George Higgins who is receiving medical treatment there.

Frank Van Norman and his sons, Lewis and Leland, left early in the week for Shelton, Wash., where they were called by the serious illness of the former's brother who is a patient at a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hill returned a short time ago from Seattle where she visited her son, Bob, who is Lt. Junior Grade, one the U. S. S. Spica.

The Tiller plant of the Southern Oregon Sugar Pine Co. which was closed during the week in order that necessary repairs to equipment might be made re-opened Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Long who have been residing at Tiller recently moved to Canyonville to make their home.

Mrs. George Hall left Sunday

for Ashland where she will be the guest of her parents-in-law, Mrs. Hall's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Eslow, returned Wednesday evening from Michigan where they were called by the serious illness of Mr. Eslow's father. The latter who had suffered his third paralytic stroke is reported to be getting along very nicely.

Lt. James Manley, who is stationed at Camp Murray has been spending a part of his fifteen day leave with his sister, Miss Anna May Manley, and his father, M. E. Manley, at Tiller. The latter who until recently was night clerk at the Valley hotel in Roseburg recently moved to Tiller and is transporting the school children for the district.

Melrose

MELROSE, Oct. 8.—Lesley Johns, and Morris and Harry Dureh left Sunday for Klamath Falls to work in the potato harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Reece left Friday evening for a three months visit with the former's sisters in Missouri. They will travel by train over the northern route and will return home via the southern route and will stop at Los Angeles to visit their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reece, Jr.

Gunner Johnson is building a new wood shed and garage at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Holmquist and daughter, Patty, and Mrs. Nellie Myers went to Reedsport

Bill Protects Farmers in Wheat Crop Failure

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—(AP)—The house passed yesterday and sent to the senate legislation to protect wheat farmers who have a partial crop failure on land planted to wheat under quota and who have also planted excess acreage.

Under the measure a farmer who produces less than normal production of wheat on the land allotted under quota would not have to pay a penalty of 49 cents a bushel on wheat produced on excess acreage except on that part of the grain which is in excess of normal production for the allotted acreage.

The house previously passed

Saturday to attend the football game between the Roseburg team and Reedsport team. Bob Holmquist and Bob Myers are playing on the Roseburg team.

Herman Wilson is reported to be quite ill at the home of his sister, Mrs. T. F. Ward.

identical legislation but the senate attached amendments providing for freezing of stocks of cotton and wheat held by the commodity credit corporation and President Roosevelt vetoed the measure.



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