

Locals

Ladies Aid to Meet — Eden Ladies Aid will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Sand with Mrs. Zelma Sand, co-hostess.

Benefit Party Tonight — Pythian Sisters have invited the public to attend a benefit card party tonight at 8:30 o'clock at the K. of P. hall. Refreshments will be served.

Lodge to Meet — Roseburg Rebekah lodge No. 41 will honor Past Noble Grand members at a meeting at 8 o'clock Tuesday night at the IOOF hall. Officers who are not PNG members are asked to serve on the hostess committee.

Folk Dancing Class — The beginners class of folk dancing will be held by members of Moose and their invited guests at 8 o'clock tonight at the Moose hall on South Stephens street. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Spencer are instructors.

Picnic Luncheon — The FS club will hold a 1 o'clock picnic luncheon Tuesday at Umpqua park, instead of at the home of Mrs. J. B. Patrick. The picnic luncheon was changed to Umpqua park on account of the recent illness of Mr. Patrick.

Garden Dept. to Meet — The Garden department of the Roseburg Woman's club will meet Tuesday at 1:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Earl M. Bleile in West Moreland with Mrs. L. F. Nielsen, co-hostess. Members will visit various gardens following the meeting.

West Douglas Fair Attracts Large Throng

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behind the Winchester Bay grange hall and converted it into a flagpole with a flag furnished by the ReedSPORT American Legion post—thus opening activity at the 70-acre Tidelands park.

Youngsters took over at 11:30 a. m. with children's races and romped through their paces until the judges "got tired and the prize money ran out," according to one fair official.

Dedication of the new park and mooring basin drew the limelight at 1 p. m. "Queen of the Woods," Mrs. Robert (Janice) Smith, and her court of six princesses aided at the ceremonies, with the queen unveiling the marker proclaiming the park to be dedicated to the public by the Douglas county court. Other queen candidates, all picked from the Winchester Bay-ReedSPORT-Gardiner area, included Orba Walker, Muriel Smith, Ella Gabel, Vivian Thotson and Wilma Judy.

Judge Busenbark was introduced to the 500 persons witnessing the dedication by Leonard Tolman, general chairman of the fair, who officially opened the festivities.

Loon Lake Exhibit Winner — The small grange hall was crowded with exhibits and display booths and was jammed by crowds who came to view efforts of western Douglas county exhibitors.

The Loon Lake grange display of home grown produce arranged on a moss bank was termed the blue ribbon winner. Winchester Bay grange placed second and the Lower Umpqua Valley grange took third place honors.

Food concessions and fair booths closed for nearly two hours in the afternoon as the outdoor dancing square behind the grange hall drew crowds for Scandinavian and folk dancing demonstrations.

A five-act pony circus by members of the Shetland Pony Trail Blazers club completed the day. (See pictures on page seven.)

County Fair Ends With Finale Of Major Awards

Final judging of competitive special events and last-day glimpses of exhibits and commercial displays wound up this year's Douglas County fair Saturday. The fairgrounds were almost deserted today as exhibitors and contestants wrapped up their entries and wares and waited for next year's affair.

A feature of the last day was the interview to decide which two 4-H and FFA members were the most deserving of registered Hereford heifer calves.

Awarded by Howard and Walden Hatfield and Marjorie and Luther Ellison, the calves were given to Jay Jones, Myrtle Creek 4-H club boy, and Elmer Stritzke of the Roseburg FFA chapter.

The calves, valued at \$150 each, were given after interviews conducted in the presence of the contributors by Cal Monroe, state 4-H agent from Oregon State college. The interviews determined which boys were the best set up to raise Herefords and each youngster was asked questions which determined experience, capability, facilities and future plans.

Barbara Snyder was named champion of the style review held Friday afternoon in Umpqua park. Her prize winning ensemble was a green organza party dress, accented with dark green trim, grosgrain belt and matching handbag. Seventeen girls participated. The park setting was decorated with flowers furnished by Fern florists.

In the wool sewing contest, Ann Roth of Brockway was awarded the blue ribbon and Loretta Olson, Curtin, took the red award. The girls were judged on their ability to sew appropriate seams and hems in two weights of wool material and performed their requirements on sewing machines furnished by the Singer Sewing Machine center.

Wilbert Anderson, local 4-H agent, said today all blue ribbon winners in the home economics and livestock events are automatically eligible for participation in the coming state fair.

Roseburg FFA head, Homer Grow, said his boys who won blue ribbons in their respective classes would also be competing for honors in the state fair.

For the final listing of events and exhibit winners, judge d through Saturday, see story on page 12.

Final Order Extending Hubbard Ck. Road Slated

A meeting will be held in the offices of the Douglas county court at 10 a. m. Friday, Aug. 25 at which time the court will consider entering the final order on the extension of the Hubbard Creek road. Persons interested in presenting any further information to the court concerning the proposed extension may attend and offer it to the court.

Liquor Store Job To Be Filled By Exams

Opportunity to gain a place on the list from which openings in the Roseburg state liquor store will be filled, are available to Roseburg residents, the Oregon Civil Service commission announced today.

The examination for retail store clerk, for which applications are now being accepted from men only, will be given in Roseburg in the near future. Other classes recently opened to examination are engineering aide 1, starting salary \$300, and field auditor 1, starting salary \$270.

Application forms and information may be obtained from the local office of the Oregon State Employment service or from the Civil Service commission office, 102 Public Service building, Salem.

Talent Winners At Fairgrounds Show Announced

Carolee Rutherford and Eddie Winter, comedy dance team, captured the grand prize in the amateur program Saturday night at the fairgrounds. Both are from Roseburg.

They are pupils of the Sally Hill school of dance in Roseburg. Miss Rutherford also took second place in group No. 3 with a hula dance routine.

Saturday night's program was for top honors and included contestants who had appeared in the programs Thursday and Friday nights.

The program Saturday was divided into three groups. Winners in group 1, which includes those under 12 years were: Ray Steinberger, age 4½, from Roseburg, a vocalist, first place; Joanne Brown, 11, Canyonville, song and dance routine, second; Norma and Marilyn Helland, ages 7 and 8, Roseburg, baton twirlers, third place.

Group 2, ages 12 to 15—Linda Hamilton, 10, and Carol McLaughlin, 11, both Roseburg, baton twirlers, first place; Roland Wagner, pianist from Roseburg, second place; Joanne, vocalist, Roseburg, third place.

Group 3, —Carolee Rutherford and Eddie Winter, comedy dance (who also took the grand prize) first place; Carolee Rutherford as hula dancer second place; LeRon Sanders, guitar and vocalist, Roseburg, third place.

Chuck Wagren, guitar vocalist, performed as guest star both Friday and Saturday nights. Chuck was the over-all winner of the Active club's first program, held last June in the junior high school. Saturday's News-Review gave the name as Wayne (Chuck's brother).

Accompanist for the programs was Miss Virginia Young and master of ceremonies was Del McKay.

Roundtable Slated For Dist. Scoutmasters

A roundtable of all scoutmasters and neighborhood commissioners in Douglas district, Boy Scouts of America, has been called for Monday at 7:30 p. m. in the Edenbower school, according to Charles Friday, district commissioner.

Friday said this is to be the most important meeting so far this year, with program planning to be stressed. The Douglas district is one of several districts in the Oregon Trail council which will meet prior to Sept. 10 to plan scouting programs for the year.

Friday said this will be the last opportunity for scouters to receive instruction as to procedures recommended in following the new program.

Midshipman J. H. Ploss On Cruise In Atlantic

John H. Ploss of 304 W. First Ave., N., Roseburg, Ore., a midshipman at the U. S. naval academy, Annapolis, Md., is one of some 1,400 midshipmen and NROTC students participating in the second phase of the 1950 midshipmen cruise aboard units of the Atlantic fleet.

The group has embarked on a nine-ship task force, headed by the battleship USS Missouri. During the cruise, the future naval officers will participate in all routine and emergency operations and drills as members of the ships' crews. Tactical maneuvers, gunnery, anti submarine warfare, air defense and a refueling at sea are included on the agenda for the trainees.

Mrs. May S. Cole, Douglas County Pioneer, Passes

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Wednesday at the Christian church in Oakland, Ore., for Mrs. May Starr Cole, a native of Douglas county, who died Friday at Pasadena, Calif. Mrs. Cole had been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Grace Fleiselman, for the past few years.

She was born in Calapooia valley, July 6, 1862, on the donation land claim of her parents, Felix and Icephena Starr, who settled six miles southeast of Oakland in 1852.

She was married Nov. 25, 1886 to James L. Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole moved to Pasadena in July 1947 to be with their daughter. Mr. Cole died in May 1948.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Elsie Baldwin, Lodi, Calif., and Mrs. Fleiselman, Pasadena, and a sister, Mrs. Lillie Ray, Santa Rosa, Calif.

The body is being returned to Oakland for services and interment. Arrangements are in charge of Stearns mortuary.

Mrs. G. W. Young Claimed By Death

Mrs. George W. (Mary Alice) Young, 82, well-known resident of Roseburg, died at her home on East Lane street Saturday, Aug. 19, following a prolonged illness.

She was born Nov. 23, 1867, at Mars Hill, Me., and was married in that city Oct. 2, 1889, to George W. Young, who for many years engaged in the real estate and insurance business in Roseburg. She moved with her family to Roseburg from California in 1913. Mr. Young preceded her in death Aug. 27, 1946. Mrs. Young was a member of the Seventh-day Adventist church.

Surviving are two sons, Roy O. Young and Howard A. Young, both of Roseburg; two brothers, Seth L. Snow, Mars Hill, Me., and Bliss J. Snow, Marion, O., four grandchildren, Virginia L. Young, Mrs. Faith E. DeBernardi, Mrs. Anita L. Baughman, and Rendall G. Young, and one granddaughter, all of Roseburg.

Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Long and Orr mortuary, Tuesday, Aug. 22, at 2 p. m. with the Elder Huntington, pastor of the Seventh-day Adventist church officiating. Concluding services and vault interment will follow in Masonic cemetery.

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