# School Head Speaks To Dixonville Kids

By JEAN RADCLIFFE

Dr. Marvin Smith, assistant superintendent of schools in Roseburg, spoke to the 5th and 6th grade classes at the Deer Creek school recently about Panama and the other Central American countries. Dr. Smith spent seven months in Panama during the war.

Several class members entered a contest in which they dressed dolls in Mexican costume. Prizes were won by Flora McGinnis and Douglas Stone.

**Officers Elected**

An election of class officers is conducted every six weeks and the new officers for the next six-week term are, president, Wally Foster; vice president, Johnny Hatfield, and treasurer, Bruce Manske. These are officers for the 5th and 6th grade room.

Vonda and Wanda Miller with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, left for Denver, Colo., on Wednesday. They were called there by the serious illness of their uncle.

Wally Foster was a dinner guest of Albert Radcliffe last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Elaine Donivan, Mrs. Fern Hane and Mrs. Norma Resitoule attended a Camp Fire meeting Tuesday held at the Presbyterian Church in Roseburg.

Galen Crisler, a student at Linfield College at McMinnville, spent the weekend at his home on the Buckhorn Road. He brought Gary Major with him as his houseguest.

A new bridge is under construction on the Brumbach property on the south Deer Creek Road. The bridge will run parallel to the old bridge.

**BUS PLUNGES; 37 DIE**

MEXICO CITY (AP) — A crowded bus plunged into a ravine 40 miles southwest of here Sunday night, killing 37 workmen and injuring 38 others.

**ARABIAN DANCERS** appear in full costume for rehearsals for "The Nutcracker Suite," which students of Central Junior High will present Tuesday night. Georgene Shanklin, music teacher, arranged the play and students worked out the sets and costumes. The public is invited to the 7:45 showing. (Paul Jenkins picture)

## Songstress

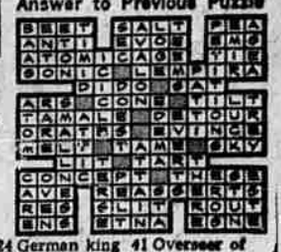
**ACROSS**

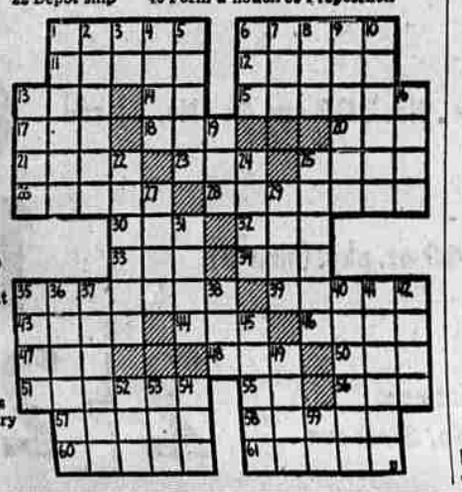
1 Songstress, —— Jackson
6 She appears on —— programs
11 Abstract beings
12 Occurrence
13 Rodent
14 Credit (ab.)
15 Kind of soup
17 Anger
18 City in The Netherlands
20 Goddess of the dawn
21 Canvas shelter
23 Theatrical sign
25 Formerly
26 Viper
28 Brings into syntony
30 She is on a ——work
32 Sailor
33 Persian gateway
34 Tahitian god
35 Globes
39 Heroic tales
43 Equal
44 Twitching
46 Famous garden
47 Arrival (ab.)
48 College cheer
50 Compass point
51 Engaged in a tumult
55 Pronoun
56 Peer Gynt's mother
57 Maned beasts
58 Muse of poetry
60 Natives of Scotland
61 Tardier

**DOWN**

1 Having toothed wheels
2 Mean
3 Symbol for niton
4 French city
5 Enclosures
6 Unit of reluctance
7 Hail!
8 Low haunt
9 Hospital resident physician
10 Indolent
13 Cosmic order
16 Type of boat (pl.)
19 Age
22 Depot ship
24 German king
25 Continent
27 Erect
29 Weight deduction
31 Allowance for waste
35 Box
36 Hazards
37 Epic
38 Courtesy title
40 Form a notion
41 Overseer of morals
42 To cut
45 Desert animal
49 Olympian goddess
52 In addition
53 Entomology (ab.)
54 Doctor of Holy Scripture (ab.)
59 Preposition

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**





## FROM NINE TO FIVE

By Joe Fischer

Let's not look at the clock before going to lunch, kids. That way, we won't have to worry about when we get back.

## FUNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger

"I'm sure it will be all right with my husband—his weight card said he was generous and understanding!"

## MODEST MAIDENS

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"Eddie and I always exchange presents — I take his back and exchange it the day after Christmas!"

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

## LI'L ABNER

## ALLEY OOP

## BLONDIE

# Tenmile Grade School Program Set For Dec. 22

By LOUISA COATS

The Christmas program for the Tenmile Grade School is scheduled for Wednesday evening, at eight o'clock, at the Ladies Clubhouse in Tenmile.

Music supervisor Orinda Mitchell is program director and piano accompanist. Paul Dodd will lead the community singing.

First, second, and third grades will present a play entitled, "The Children's Christmas Toys," in which they will hang up their stockings before a large fireplace. The fourth, fifth and sixth grades will present "What is Christmas," a choral reading with music, with Marie Willets sixth grade teacher directing the singing assisted by Paul Dodd and the school band. Treats for the children will be furnished by The Tenmile Mothers Club and The Tenmile Dads Club.

The Tenmile school rooms are colorful with Christmas decorations. Mrs. Oris Monroe's first grade pupils have made artistic waste paper baskets of gallon ice cream cartons, covered with paper on which they have done finger painting.

Mrs. Honora Bassetts has her room decorated with a small fireplace with Santa ready to fill the stockings and small dolls on a stairs peeping down at him. She also displayed a candle holder made of cedar, decorated with pine cones, fir leaves and ribbon which the children will use in their craft work.

Mrs. Lola Fitzgerald's third grade room is decorated with poinsettias and the pupils are working on gifts for their parents.

Mrs. Margaret Boyd's room had charge of the Red Cross fund and reports collecting $10.34. She has on display pictures which the pupils have made using shoe polish, instead of paints, for their colors. Mrs. Bessie Smith's fifth grade class has charge of the sale of defense stamps. Mrs. Smith's pupils and Mrs. Willet's sixth grade pupils made nut cups for the Red Cross to be used at the Veterans Hospital on Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Ulah Winston acted as first grade teacher for Mrs. Monroe who was ill for part of the week.

R. M. Degner made the big fireplace and is assisting with the decorations for the program.

# Glendale School Census Complete

By MRS. G. B. FOX

Returns from the Glendale School census are now complete, and according to Supt. James Pate have been carefully rechecked for accuracy.

The figures indicate there are 1,030 children in District 77 of an age to be included in the census as compared with 1,016 last year. This figure includes 527 boys and 503 girls.

Ronnie McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel McDonald, of Glendale, has been severely ill at his home with virus flu.

Mrs. Helen Tolley of Glendale is in the Grants Pass Hospital for medical treatment.

Mount Burke of Glendale went to the home of the Ole Livingstones in Yreka, Calif., a few days ago. The Livingstones came up after him.

Mrs. Phyllis Johnson of Glendale underwent emergency surgery at the Canyonville hospital early Wednesday morning of last week.

Monte Bates of Glendale underwent surgery for hernia recently. He returned to his home Dec. 12.

Mrs. Ida Basye of Glendale entered the Grants Pass Hospital recently for medical treatment.

Mrs. Sudie Poole of Glendale entered the Grants Pass Hospital suffering from virus infection and complications. She returned home on Sunday.

Jim Belcher of Glendale underwent emergency surgery at the Grants Pass Hospital for acute appendicitis.

# Former Wilbur Resident Ill

By ODY MOORHOUS

Word was received recently that Mrs. C. C. Woodward, former Wilbur resident now living in Tacoma, Wash., suffered a slight heart attack. She was hospitalized a short while, and is now convalescing at her home.

Kay and Alvin Hobbs, children of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Young, have been ill the past week and have missed several days of school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shrum have received word of the birth of a new granddaughter, born Dec. 13 to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shrum Jr. at Grants Pass. The baby weighed 8 pounds 12 ounces at birth.

Mrs. Jack Morgan and Mrs. Raymond Carlile of Lookingglass, and Mrs. Ralph Rudzik and son of Green visited Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Welty.

Mrs. Della Badden and daughter, Nancy, of Wilmington, Calif., are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oakes.

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