

Dixonville Area Residents Take Trips, Entertain Guests Recently

By JEAN RADCLIFFE

Mrs. Bill Bowman of the Buckhorn Road is planning to leave Thursday for San Diego, Calif., where she will spend a few days with her husband who is stationed there with the Navy. Bowman has just finished his training in the inter-communications school.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Hawk and family have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Reed. They left Monday to visit with Mrs. Jessie Wade and daughter, Patricia, at Brookings.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCormack and children traveled to Myrtle Creek Sunday to attend a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McCormack. Mrs. A. E. McCormack accompanied them there.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hatfield were Monday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Tison. Glenda Kittleman was an overnight guest of Teresa Collins Friday. Frances Collins of Roseburg was an overnight guest Sunday.

A total of \$29 was collected from the March of Dime cards that were distributed at the Deer Creek School the first of the month. Reports Mrs. Jean Radcliffe, policy chairman. A mothers march is planned for Jan. 31, from 8:15 to 7:15. Reports Mrs. Maceline McCormack, Dixonville area captain.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Simpson and children of Fall Creek are visiting at the Lloyd Collins home.

A large group of children from the Deer Creek School attended the skating party at Roseburg rink last Friday evening. Mrs. Evelyn Suthlin, second grade teacher, chaperoned the group.

Frank Thompson of Roseburg visited in the Jack Merry home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wadsworth of the South Deer Creek road are the parents of a baby boy born at Mercy Hospital Sunday night. He weighed 6 pounds 8 ounces and has been named James Michael. The Wadsworths also have three daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hill and children of Roseburg were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Radcliffe and sons.

Corvallis Visitors Here

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lamb of Corvallis visited the Harold McCormacks Saturday. Mrs. Lamb is a sister of McCormack.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rust and children, travelled to Medford over the weekend where they were guests of Rust's mother, Mrs. Ruby Rust.

Mr. and Mrs. William Melton, David Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Richard and family all motored to Eugene last Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Herb Ham.

Mrs. William Melton reports hearing from her son, Charlie, Tuesday morning. Melton is now serving with the infantry in Salzburg, Austria.

Ray Karcher, second grade student at Deer Creek, has been confined to his home the last two days with tonsillitis. Larry Melton is home with a bad case of tonsillitis. Larry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Melton. Wanda Zimmerman has been confined to her home this past week, due to illness.

W-D Fire Department Auxiliary Sets Dance

Women of the Winston-Dillard Fire Dept. Auxiliary will sponsor a dance on Friday, Feb. 11, at Lindy's Sportsmen's Center, according to Secretary Martha Davis.

The Timber Toppers have been engaged for the dance scheduled from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. The public is invited.

Money derived from the dance will be used for inside and outside improvements at the Fire Hall in Winston. Mrs. Davis said.

Society

GLENDALE LADIES HAVE SURPRISE PARTY

The Galloping Geese of the Church of Christ Women's Council held a surprise meeting Monday at the home of Mrs. Mary L. Prath. Those present, in addition to the hostess, were Vera Armstrong, Nancy Gregory, Alice Patterson, Juanita Buenger, Ida Edson, Effie Reed, Doris Weeks, Florence Clayton and Ada Ames.



'FINE-O-METER' — Erwin Short, parking meter maintenance man for the Roseburg Police Dept., demonstrates how receipts are gathered from parking fine time-saver. Fine and parking ticket are slipped into envelope and deposited in box, saving violators walk to police station. A dozen of the receptacles will be posted on parking meter posts downtown Monday. (Paul Jenkins photo)

YOUR BODY

ROSEBURG, OREGON — These health articles are written and paid for by Dr. B. A. SMITH, Chiropractic and Naturopathic Physician, 1500 Garden Valley Road, in the interest of public health and to help you understand the body function. Look for these informative articles every Saturday.



There are two forms of diabetes, one entirely different from the other. The form considered more serious is diabetes mellitus or "sugar diabetes." This is not a disease of the kidneys but of the pancreas. The internal secretion of the pancreas, insulin, which regulates the amount of sugar in the blood, fails in this function, and the body does not utilize the sugar properly. The other form is called "diabetes insipidus." This is a disease of the pituitary gland and apparently not concerned with sugar metabolism. It is not definitely known as to the cause of this disease. That it is a disease of the pancreas is quite definitely established and exactly what structures in the pancreas are involved is also known. Why this failure of function resulting in insulin deficiency is yet unknown. Diabetes Mellitus at one time was considered to be a kidney disease because its most common symptom is sugar in the urine. This urinary sugar, however, is present because the sugar of the blood is abnormally high and the excess has to be excreted by way of the kidneys. The abnormal amount of sugar in the blood, in turn results from an inability of the body to store or to oxidize sugar; and this inability is due to a lack or insufficient supply of insulin, which is secreted by certain specialized cells of the pancreas. Since most cases of sugar diabetes develop after the age of twenty, (approximately sixty per cent of the cases are over forty years of age, and between twenty and forty years of age) we must consider that some form of circulatory disturbance may be a factor in this deficiency of insulin. In fact hardening of the arteries is a commonly associated condition. Diabetes in children is not as frequent, but when it does occur it is often very severe. The onset of diabetes mellitus is usually insidious. The individual may become excessively thirsty and drink quarts of water daily. This is nature's effort to dilute the sugar in the blood. The victim may become very fat, and may remain so, but obesity need not always be present. Heredity is also a factor and may be responsible in about twenty-five per cent of cases (Pd. Adv.)



DO IT YOURSELF—The food will reach into the homes of telephone users starting Monday, when the Pacific Telephone Co. will send adhesive-backed stickers, complete with instructions on how to apply, printed with new telephone numbers in Roseburg, Glide and Winston-Dillard. The company has taken this way to inform residents of their new numbers in preparation for switch to seven-digit dialing system next Saturday. Ray Weaver of telephone company demonstrates. (Paul Jenkins photo)

House Passes Dams Memorial On Party Lines

By PAUL W. HARVEY JR. SALEM (AP) — The Oregon House of Representatives passed 35 to 23 Friday and sent to the Senate a memorial asking Congress to provide funds for construction of John Day Dam on the Columbia River, or to have the federal government build it in partnership with local agencies. The vote was almost exactly on party lines, with the Democrats fighting it because it contains the partnership provision. Before the vote was taken, the Democrats made a last ditch effort to have the memorial sent back to committee. This motion was defeated 24 to 34. The memorial is the key piece of legislation recommended by Gov. Paul Patterson.

The House received a new tax plan that would carry out Gov. Paul Patterson's proposal to eliminate the federal income tax deduction in state income tax returns. But it also would provide a flat \$25 tax credit for every personal exemption, instead of the \$600 deduction now given. The effect of this bill would be to increase taxes in the higher brackets. It was introduced by Rep. George Layman, Newberg, and Sen. Carl Francis, Dayton. The Senate passed and sent to the House a bill to abolish the 40 non-high school districts that are located in 27 counties, and which pay tuition for 530 pupils to go to high schools outside of these districts.

Another education bill approved by the Senate and sent to the House would provide free textbooks for 7th and 8th grade pupils in junior high schools. The free books now are given to students in all eight grades of elementary schools. The monthly music festival of the Roseburg First Methodist Church Sunday will feature a group from the Roseburg Symphony Orchestra and guest soloist Mrs. Dale Lindsey. Mrs. Lindsey is a soprano. The festival will start at 7:30 p.m. It will be held at the church. Lectures: "How Beautiful Upon the Mountain," "The Twenty-Third Psalm" and "Biblical Story No. 2." The orchestra group will play the Larghetto from the "Quintet in E Flat" by Mozart. Featured in the number are William Jelski, oboe; Tom Hall, flute; Wendell Johnson, viola; Marea Johnson, cello; and Doris Hall, piano.

Church Music Festival Will Feature Guests

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Dr. Millar Is Speaker At Annual Drain Meet

last year, and Mary Scott received a gift for her role as secretary. Duncan spoke briefly on last year's activities. Entertainment was provided by a pair of talented brothers, Bill Donnelly, a cartoonist, sketched, and Jim Donnelly, an amateur magician showed some hocus-pocus. Jim Whipple acted as master of ceremonies. A number of guests from Yoncalla were present. The banquet was held in the Drain Grade School, and ladies of Sunday League Grange served the dinner. Leo Regan was chairman of the program.

Fog, Rain, Lowering Temperatures Predicted

Fog, rain and lowering temperatures is the promise of the weatherman for the Umpqua Valley during the next few days. While temperatures are above normal at present, a downward trend is indicated. Maximum temperatures will range in the 40s and low 50s, while minimum temperatures will average in the 30s. Precipitation will be less Monday through Wednesday, but a little rain is indicated over the weekend.

Roseburg Woman's Brother Succumbs

Arthur S. Hufford, 56, a resident of Bandon and Coquille since 1903, died Thursday of a heart attack. (Marietta) Powers. He was born May 12, 1898, at St. Joseph, Mo. Surviving besides Mrs. Powers is another sister, Mrs. William S. (Helen) Wood of Oakland, Calif.; three nieces, Cynthia Ann and Mary Judith of Roseburg and Dorothy Peterson of Oakland, Calif.; and several aunts and uncles. Services will be held in Schroeder Bros. Mortuary, Coquille, at 1 p.m. Monday. Burial will follow in the Masonic Cemetery in Coquille.

Private Services Set For Drain Youngster

Private funeral services were scheduled at the Drain Cemetery Sunday for Lois Ann Miller, 7-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Miller of Route 1, Drain. The child was born at Cottage Grove June 20, 1954, and had spent her brief life in the Drain area. Surviving besides her parents are: Two brothers, Robert and Kenneth; two sisters, Candace and Susan; two grandmothers, Mrs. Myrtle Cheney of Drain and Mrs. Luella Miller of Williams, Ore. Mills Funeral Service of Drain is in charge of funeral arrangements.

Pargeter Named Camp Fire Council President

(Continued from Page One) secretary; and Frank Woodworth, treasurer. Named to the board were: John Brown, Mrs. Jack Chapman, Mrs. Glen Clute, Mrs. Roy Cox, Mrs. Don Evans, Mrs. Mike Gibbons, Irving Reiersen, Donald Swick, Mrs. John Todd, Mrs. C. W. Tidwell, George Farrell and Pargeter. Pargeter, it was also noted, follows his wife in service to Camp Fire. Mrs. Pargeter served two years as council president, in 1952 and 1953. Their daughter, Carolyn, has been in Camp Fire since she was a third grader. A junior in high school, she is a Horizon Club member. Rounding out the evening program, were entertainment sessions by LuOkiya Horizon Girls and the Blue Bird group led by Mrs. George Niday. Group singing was led by Mrs. Elton Jackson, chairman of arrangements for the dinner. An address by Mrs. Harry Daventport closed the meeting. (See other story.) Del McKay was master of ceremonies.

Eisenhower Gets Defense Authority On Formosa

(Continued from Page One) and said it showed the United States is determined to help a brave ally and resist Communist aggression. The President signed the document just before leaving for Augusta, Ga., for a weekend of golf and rest. White House press officer Murray Snyder, asked by reporters whether the President took any immediate action in the Formosa situation after signing the resolution, said he could not say of his own knowledge whether the President had done so. Among the witnesses at the early morning White House ceremony were Oregon Gov. Paul Patterson and Gov. Arthur B. Langley of Washington, with whom the President had breakfast. The resounding 85-1 vote for the resolution Friday night completed congressional action just five days after Eisenhower sent it to Capitol Hill.

DADS AID DRIVE

The Douglas High School Dad's Club is sponsoring a March of Dimes benefit square dance and pie social at the Douglas High School tonight at 8 p.m.

Nine Yoncalla Boys Keeping Inadequate Fire Equipment In Readiness For City Use

A group of nine Yoncalla boys, ranging in age from 18 to 18, has taken the lead in fire-fighting training in the city and have built the nucleus of a good suppression crew, according to Stacy Adams, acting fire chief.

Adams, in describing activities of the junior volunteer fire department this week, said it was necessary to get help from the high school students because townspeople refused to turn out for fire drills.

The fire suppression situation, dim a year and a half ago, now has improved to a great extent. Last summer, the city council found ways in the budget to raise \$1,000 for construction of a small building in which the city's old fire truck is now housed.

But a year ago last summer, voters in the city voted down two proposals to build a fire station and purchase a more modern fire rig.

The fire chief was interviewed by Mrs. George Edes, News-Review correspondent. Adams said the boys have made do with the old equipment. Under his supervision, the crew has refurbished equipment to a point where the firemen says the town "has been able to keep down losses."

He pointed to recent examples. Recently, the Yoncalla Garage, owned by Yoncalla Lumber Co. and leased to the Rural Electrification Administration as a warehouse, caught fire. A bunch of tires stored in the building caught fire, raising terrific heat and producing a skyful of black smoke.

Volunteers, which included townspeople, were able to put a "quick stop" to the flames because the equipment had been put into good shape.

Another time, a house was saved after only about \$1,000 damage. Last summer the fire station and fire truck were voted down, several houses were destroyed by fire because of inadequate equipment.

All but one of the boys can't qualify yet as firemen, for they aren't old enough to carry accident insurance written for firemen. Adams said plenty of townspeople usually are on hand when fire does strike, and they have been manning the equipment.

The boys' improvements to the fire equipment have included re-

Bill Would Make PUC Position Elective Office

SALEM (AP) — The sponsor of a bill to make the office of state public utilities commissioner elective instead of appointive told a Senate committee Friday that electric consumers "are not adequately protected from the influences of well-organized utility monopolies." Sen. Monroe Sweetland, Milwaukie Democrat, said the office now held by Charles H. Heltzel is "almost autonomous" and the consumer "is under a disadvantage because he is not adequately represented." Sweetland recalled that the 1931 Legislature repealed the law providing for election of the commissioner. He said his objection is not aimed at Heltzel, but at the state's system of regulating utilities. He said the power companies collected \$4,600,000 in surcharges in 1952 and 1953 without a hearing being held before the PUC.

Sweetland brought court action to get refunds of the surcharge to consumers, and the case now is in the courts. Elmer McClure, State Grange master, said he doesn't think the PUC's budget is large enough. Most of the criticism of the PUC, McClure said, stems from his lack of enough money to "pursue more rate cases their conclusion." He said this lack has forced Heltzel to drop some cases.

Eugene Girl Is Freed Form Slaying Of Father

EUGENE (AP) — A circuit court jury Friday freed Ella Louise Starmer, a Eugene high school girl who had been accused of manslaughter in the butcher-knife stabbing of her stepfather. The verdict of innocent was returned after about an hour's deliberation. It took four days to try the case. Miss Starmer, 17, testified that she did not remember what happened after hearing her mother call for help at their home the night of Oct. 1. The mother, Mrs. Anne Swanberg, testified that her husband Archie Swanberg, 38, had been beating her when she called for aid. The girl was 16 at the time of Swanberg's death.

Green Mothers Ready To March

By MARY WEIKUM Mrs. Jack Lucas, captain of the Mothers March in the Green community, reports that all is in readiness for the march of mothers Jan. 31. Mrs. Lucas announces that the following mothers helping the area from the old Pacific Highway west will include: Marge Medford, Mrs. Robert King, Mrs. J. C. Cantberry, Florence Engdahl, Mrs. Roy Hester, Marge Doyle, Lucy Myers, Gene Leonard, Fern Turner, Lois Jacobson, Juanita Miner, Ruth Lawrence, Marty Wiley, Lorraine Muscat, Virginia Keasey, George Teerill, Mrs. Jack Toi and Mrs. L. Anderson. Mrs. Ernest Fox, who will be in charge of the area along Highway 99 from Nielsen's market to the Green Bridge, including Glengary, announces other helpers as follows: Mrs. Sandy McDonald, Mrs. Karl Holbrook, Mrs. Raymond Fox, Mrs. Don Baxter, Mrs. Sixton Lindberg, Mrs. J. R. McAllister, Mrs. Willis Coble, Mrs. Gordon Armstrong, Mrs. E. F. Theiss, Mrs. Mark Worsley, Mrs. Ray Pack, Mrs. Grant Phillips, Mrs. Alden Bright, Mrs. Ivan Cotton, Mrs. Virgil Derryberry Jr., and daughters, and Mrs. Willard Lemon.

Boy Dies Of Injury When Struck By Spear

GRANTS PASS (AP) — A little-boy game of throwing a spear at a cardboard box target was fatal Thursday night to Tommy Cerny, 5. The spear, which he and his brother Dick, 7, were throwing was a slim metal rod. Tommy walked in front of the target just as Dick threw and the rod pierced his head. He died in a hospital here. Survivors are his mother, Mrs. Harold Fahy, his step-father, his brother and an infant sister.

KILLED BY TRAIN

EUGENE (AP) — A Southern Pacific passenger train, the Klamath, and an automobile collided at an intersection here Friday, killing the motorist. He was Clyde Bowman of Springfield, an employee of the Eugene Water and Electric Board. He was killed almost outright when thrown from the car.



ANOTHER GOOD DEED—Roseburg Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts will be busy Sunday afternoon placing posters in Roseburg store windows and on light poles announcing the Monday night Mother's March on Polio. It is the third year the Scouts have put up the posters. They are one of several organizations helping in the Douglas County March of Dimes Fund campaign. Demonstrating the unique "stick-up" are, from left: Neil Harding Jr., Methodist Explorer Post 237; Michael Harding, American Legion Troop 70; and Jimmy Ellison, Fullerton PTA Cub Pack 114. (Fredrickson's Photo)

Melrose Man Dies At 77

Fredrick (Fritz) Stauffer, 77, well-known resident of Melrose, died at his home Friday following a prolonged period of ill health. Stauffer was born in Germany May 12, 1877, and has been a resident of this area since 1903. Surviving are his wife, Lilly, Melrose, and one son, Robert, Sutherlin. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of Long & Orr Mortuary Monday at 2 p.m. The Rev. Henry Peck of the Melrose Community Church will officiate. Concluding services and interment will follow in the Melrose Cemetery.



NEW MANAGER — Recently arrived from Tacoma, Wash., is James Farrell, manager of Weisfield's Inc., Roseburg store. Farrell, who has been with Weisfield's for eight years, is at present residing at the Vista Apartments. He and Mrs. Farrell plan to make Roseburg their home.

Ex-Son-In-Law Charged With Slaying Woman

(Continued from Page One) comment about their arrest or the charges against them. Thompson said there were others connected with the killing. "There are two more we have to get before this is wrapped up," said Dist. Atty. Aubrey Stokes, San Angelo. Thompson said he took a statement from Johnny McKinnis, 45, Houston, three days after Mrs. Weaver's death. McKinnis told of being offered money last March by Washburn to kill Harry Weaver, with no explanation why. McKinnis said four days before Mrs. Weaver was killed, Washburn advanced the bomb plan. McKinnis said he turned down the bomb plan. "I'll do it myself, then," McKinnis quoted Washburn as saying. He said that was the last he heard of the plot, until the car blew up in San Angelo, killing Mrs. Weaver.

Annual Winter Concert Set At Sutherlin High

The annual winter concert of the Sutherlin High School band will be held next Friday at 8 p.m. in the high school gym, according to the Sun-Tribune, Sutherlin. All proceeds will go into a fund for new band uniforms. Conductor will be Caleb B. Standafer, high school music director. The fifth-grade beginners' band will play at intermission.

Three County Sanitarians To Attend Corvallis Meet

Three county sanitarians will go to Corvallis Wednesday for an annual short course at Oregon State College, according to Claude Baker, senior sanitarian. LaVerne Miller, Irv Reiersen and Jim Robinson will attend the three-day event dealing with various problems of health and sanitation.

It's Still Illegal To Catch Big Fish In McKenzie River

PORTLAND (AP) — The Oregon State Game Commission rejected pleas of McKenzie River fishing interests and put back into final 1955 angling regulations the order that fish over 14 inches long taken in the McKenzie must be thrown back. The regulations, made public Saturday after a brief Friday session, mostly are those tentatively agreed to two weeks ago. The principal changes were that affecting the McKenzie and one setting the opening date for Lake of the Woods in Klamath County May 28, the same as other Cascade Lakes. The half dozen other changes nearly all had to do with description of boundaries for closed areas of streams. The fishing season generally runs from April 30 to Oct. 9 for trout, salmon, steelhead and jack salmon with May 28-Oct. 9 the dates of lakes, reservoirs and tributaries within Cascade Mountain national forests.

Friday a final plea to remove the McKenzie restriction was made by James W. Phillips, president of the McKenzie River Chamber of Commerce. The commission two weeks ago had tentatively agreed to do this and Phillips was here to ask that the commission not move from that position. But his other pleas were believed to favor keeping the length limit in effect. The Oregon division of the Trout Walton League wrote the commission, recommending that it follow the biologists' view rather than the urging of river guides and business interests.

Riversdale Moms Set To March

By BEVERLY J. CHRISTIAN The annual Mother's March on Polio will be held Monday from 6:15 to 7:15 in the evening. Mrs. W. E. Ott Jr. is the captain of the Riversdale area and she reports a mother will be marching in each portion of Riversdale. All residents are urged to turn their porch lights on at this time. M. B. Emmett spent Tuesday in Eugene attending to business. He also visited with his daughter, Marlene, a student at the U. of O. J. M. Burkhardt returned to his home Thursday following surgery in Eugene last week. His brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Burkhardt, and son, Keith, of Eugene brought him to his home. They will travel on to California where they will vacation. Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Booth and daughter, Mrs. Jack Walters, of Garden Valley spent Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Emmett. They spent the evening viewing television. Mr. and Mrs. Ned Dixon went to Oakridge last week to visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Jole, and two children. Their granddaughter, Kathi Jole, returned home with them for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Theines and three children have returned to their home on Fisher Road after spending several days in Eugene. They had gone to Springfield to visit relatives when their daughter, Judy, became ill and was hospitalized for a few days. She is sufficiently recovered to be back in school.

Christian Endeavors To Host 1,000 Here Soon

Over 1000 young people from all over the state will converge on Roseburg the latter part of April, to hold convention with the Christian Endeavor groups of the Christian churches. The Christian churches of Douglas County will play host to the four-day convocation, April 28 through May 1, which will include a feature speaker, for the afternoon study classes and inspirational messages as well as a banquet. Major speaker will be Milo Ross, president of the George Fox College, Newberg, a Friends (Quaker) school. Other speakers will be announced later. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Baxter have been named local chairmen in charge of arrangements.