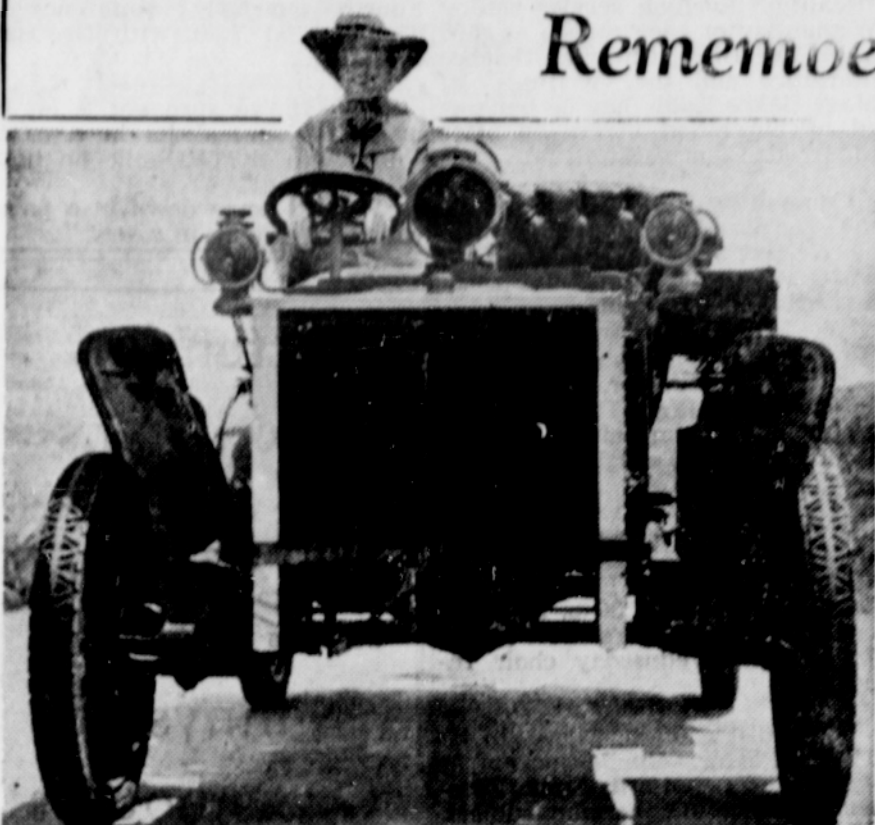


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"Remember the straw-ride days, the wonderful 'horseless carriages,' the motor ulsters and bonnets, and the snappy fashions of two and three generations ago?" says John Sample, assistant general sales manager of the western Mobilgas-Mobiloil organization, to whom this paper is indebted for receipt of these pictures, reminiscent to many and thrilling to all. They are just a few reminders of America's great progress in a brief, fast-moving period.

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS
(MILDRED HARRIS, Editor)

Band Concert
A band concert and novelty program will be given in the new school building on Taylor avenue, Friday, April 12, under direction of Mr. Christianson. Several numbers will be played by the Cottage Grove high school band. A solo will be sung by a soloist from the University of Oregon School of Music. Some comedy sketches will be presented, and majorettes will be featured. Admission will be charged.

Librarian's Tea
The librarian's tea sponsored by the girls' league was given Thursday afternoon for all library science and student librarians. About 30 were present. Miss Crabbe acted as hostess with assistant hostesses, Betty Adkins and May Etta Moon, and waitresses, Velma Bennett and Francis Hefflin. Miss Crabbe spoke about the new library system at the new building and plans for getting drapes for the new library. The faculty were served tea after the librarians tea was over.

Baseball Progressing
Baseball has been progressing the past week with the purchasing of \$20.95 worth of new equipment. New material purchased was catcher's mitt, first baseman's mitt, catcher's mask and body protector, and two bats. Provision has been made for students going out on busses to practice seventh period.

The New Building
Vivid descriptions of the new high school building were given in the assembly Friday by Superintendent Ferrin, Betty Adkins and Vinal Randall. A short humorous skit which created much laughter

was given by a courtesy campaign committee on how not to treat the new building. A highlight on the program was a speech by George Stout, which he will enter in the state F.F.A. contest in Portland next week. Additional numbers were solos by Patricia Baldwin, "My Lover Is a Fisherman," and Bill Spies, "Apples on the Lilac Tree." Group singing was led by Mr. Christianson, accompanied by Patricia Baldwin.

Farewell Social
The junior class is sponsoring a farewell basket social to the old building, Friday, March 29. The general committee is: Mary Barr, Arline Anderson, Bill Workman, Mildred Harris, Sylvia Michael, Bud McCoy and Patricia Baldwin. The evening will be spent playing games and dancing. Admission requirements are that a girl bring a boy and a basket. The boys will bid upon the baskets starting at 25c ending with 50c. Bud McCoy will act as auctioneer. The money will be used for the junior-senior banquet.

Three Initiated
Perrion Hocker, Junior Langston and Jerry Mosby were initiated into the lettermen's club in an initiation held March 22. The three were forced to wear unusual costumes, not to speak to any girls, to wear makeup, and to go through the hacking line three times. The new lettermen were basketball letter winners.

The Home Economics club discussed possibilities for an assembly at their meeting Monday. They plan to have Miss Bannan from Australia speak if possible. Girls divided into groups to demonstrate hats, dresses, coats and other clothes at future meetings.

Betty Lamp pins may be given to outstanding girls of all classes rather than outstanding seniors as it has been.

The Cottage Grove chapter of the National Honor Society journeyed to Eugene Monday evening to enjoy a swimming party at the Gerlinger Hall swimming pool. Miss Fraser, Mr. French and twelve members of the society seemed to enjoy themselves splashing and diving. No serious casualties resulted but ducking was quite prevalent.

The sophomores gained the interclass softball league lead with a 7-4 victory over the seniors on March 22. The game was interrupted several times due to the lettermen's initiation. Batteries: for the sophs, Hocker and Schriker; for the seniors, Mosby and Randall.

High School Briefs
Mrs. Ruth M. Forest, assistant state supervisor of home economics, visited the boys' and girls' home ec classes Tuesday. The boys were making muffins and although some of the boys may have been nervous in her presence they showed no signs of it.

The senior class held a meeting the latter part of home room period Thursday to decide on the date of the senior skating party. A committee appointed some time ago is now to find a possible date during spring vacation.

Virginia Downs, freshman, left for Southern California Tuesday March 19.

Mary Perkey, senior, withdrew from school last Wednesday. Melba Pittsley, junior from Eugene high school, enrolled here Tuesday.

Miss Gladys Ellson from McMinnville junior high school was a visitor here last Friday. She taught in the commercial department here in this school four years ago.

Junior Langston described the game of golf and showed different types of golf clubs and Elbert Lee explained archery, the price of sets, and the things to look for when buying sets at the pep club meeting Wednesday of last week.

Clara Jenkins was the honor guest at a surprise birthday party March 20, given by the Recipes club. Refreshments consisted of a birthday cake and candy.

The lettermen's club held a skating party at the Midway Rink March 22. There were 40 lettermen and friends present. Curtis French, advisor, accompanied the group and entertained with his usual spills.

George Stout, president of the local chapter, and H. C. Williamson, instructor, attended an F.F.A. banquet at Junction City last Friday.

The student council met recently at an evening meeting to approve the new constitution of Cottage Grove union high before it goes into the handbooks that are to be put out by the senior class this year.

Officers for the Allied Youth club, which was recently organized, were elected in a short meeting Wednesday morning as follows: President, Bill Workman; vice president, Wanda Brown; secretary, Faye Nixon; treasurer, Betty Adkins.

"I heard you let your maid go and are looking for a new one."
"Yes, I'm looking for one that won't handle china like Japan."
"You say I'll get a raise in six months?"
"Yes, if your work is satisfactory, of course."
"I might have known there'd be a catch to it."

Turkey and Spud
Report Forecasts
More Production

Turkey growers and potato producers in this country intend to raise between 4 and 5 per cent more birds and plant about 2 per cent more acres to spuds than last year, according to latest federal surveys reported in the current agricultural situation and outlook circular issued by the agricultural extension service at O.S.C.

This moderate increase will be in the face of slightly higher costs and uncertain consumer demand prospects, the report points out. The circular, obtainable at any county extension office, also contains outlook information on horses and mules together with considerable data on trends and levels of farm prices for many Oregon farm products. Tables of turkey and potato statistics are featured.

On a regional basis, the prospect is that turkey production will be curtailed slightly in the western states, while the potato acreage is expected to be increased somewhat more than in the country as a whole. Actual production will depend considerably upon weather conditions and other factors, as usual, states the report.

In 1939, turkey production broke all records, and prices averaged several cents under 1938 despite a level of consumer purchasing power materially higher than during the previous marketing season. On the other hand, potato production in 1939 was near average in quantity, and prices responded upward to the more favorable consumer demand situation as compared with the year before.

Demand prospects for the 1940-1941 marketing season remain somewhat uncertain with recovery from the present recession expected but much depends upon the course of war. Farm costs average approximately 1.6 per cent higher than a year ago, according to the government index of prices paid by farmers for taxes, interest and commodities used in production. Farm wage rates are expected to increase somewhat, also.

Mosby Creek

Those celebrating the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Myers at the home of Mrs. Erma Castle were Messrs. and Mmes. Ray Myers and sons, D. L. Miller, Raymond Miller, Henry Myers and sons, Mrs. Guy Jenkins, Mrs. Louis Lang and children and Philip Lake, all of Cottage Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirk and

children and Clarence Kirk of Creswell, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Guiley and son of Springfield, Mrs. Mary Cole and Clifford Green of Eugene, Opal Myers of Corvallis, Andrew Lake of Noti, Mr. and Mrs. George Carey of Cheshire and Art Jenkins of Sutherlin.

James Brownlee hit himself in the head with a pick while doing some grubbing at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jones have gone to The Dalles to visit at the home of Mrs. Jones' brother, Mr. Frank Brumbaugh.

Howard Taylor is building a house on his place for his parents Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Taylor of Cottage Grove.

Art Krouse and Ray Icrason went off the road grade while hauling logs off the Hubbard ranch. The truck rolled over but no one was hurt.

Miss Veda Gray who teaches school at Blue Mountain spent the week end at the home of her parents in Thurston.

Easter guests Sunday at the Clifford Lebow home were Mr.

and Mrs. George Hinkle and daughters of Eugene and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Quimby of Sutherlin.

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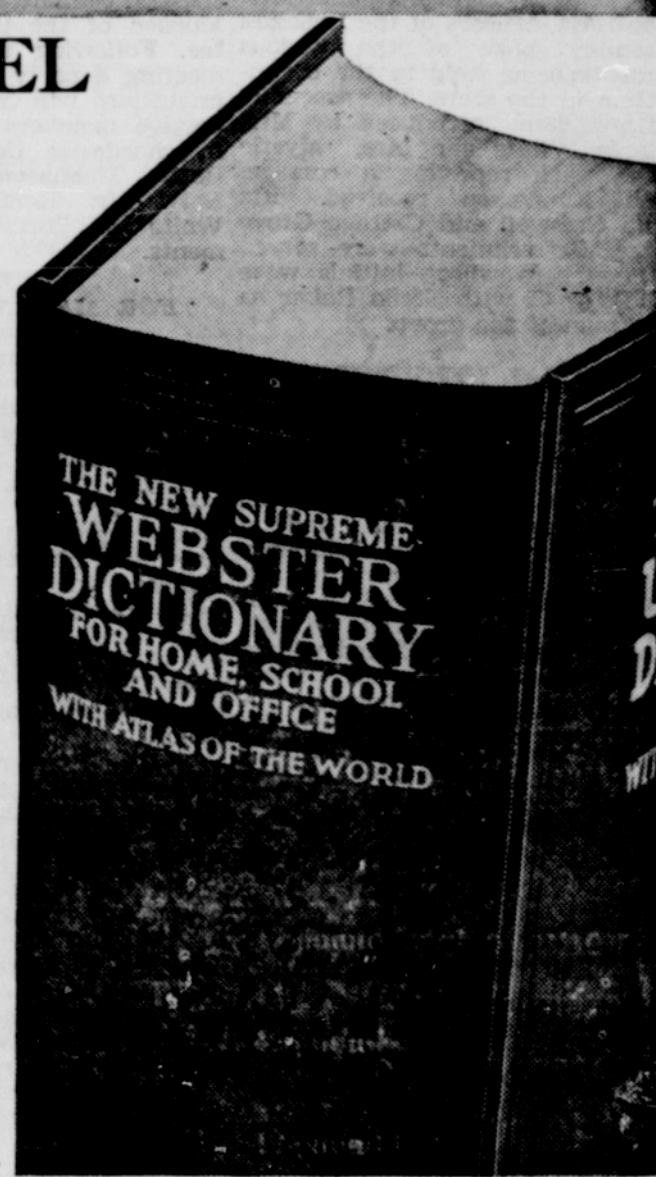
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