

SANDY HIGH NEWS

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FFA Banquet To Honor Students With Farm Awards

The eighth annual Parent and Son banquet, sponsored by the Future Farmers of America, will be held in the Sandy high school auditorium Friday evening, March 31, at 7:30. Faculty members, the school board, the Mayor of Sandy and the presidents of the Kiwanis and Chamber of Commerce are invited.

The advisors and their wives and one representative from each of the neighboring chapters in the Columbia River district are also invited.

Glen Carmony, the past local chapter president and state officer, will be the principal speaker. The Reverend Waldo Hicks of the Sandy Community church will deliver the invocation. Another speaker is Gary Coats, treasurer of the local chapter, who will speak on the state convention which was held last week. Bob Minyard, vice president, will present an address and Everett Moore will speak on activities of the past year.

Mr. Shockey, the head of the Gresham Safeway store will present Better Farming awards to the two Green Hands. Fifty dollars in awards will be given to the three top speakers from the Sandy chapter in the state convention by the president of the Kiwanis club.

The Future Homemakers of America will be presented with a rose plant for their annual Rose Planting ceremony by the FFA. Meridean Crone, Chapter Sweetheart, Shirley Schultz, FFA president, and Mrs. Henry Pete, FFA advisor, will be presented with corsages.

The purpose of the Parent and Son banquet is to familiarize parents, businessmen and faculty with the activities of the local chapter of the Future Farmers of America.

Sandy Faculty Will Go To State Meet April 3-4

The administration and faculty of Sandy high will attend an Oregon Educational association meeting at the Civic auditorium in Portland on April 3 and 4. All high schools in the state will send representatives to the meeting.

High school classes here will not meet for the two days of the convention.

Amelia Raysick Is Chosen As 1949-50 Valedictorian For Sandy High School

Mary Anderson Wins Journalism Award

Conrad Hassel, Cecil Wilder and Mary Anderson, accompanied by their advisor, Ralph Teters, represented Sandy high in the Fifth Annual Northwest Journalism competition at Forest Grove Saturday, March 25. The program for the day included welcoming speeches, instrumental and vocal entertainment, lunch at McCormick hall, a social hour and a banquet. The day was climaxed with the presentation of awards. Sandy brought home one honorable mention won by Mary Anderson, who entered in the speech reporting division.

THE SNOOPER

By Conrad Hassel

"The duty of the newspaper is to comfort the afflicted and afflict the comfortable."

This seemed to be the theme of the fifth annual Journalism contest at Forest Grove last Saturday. Some of the Journalism class and I visited this contest and on my part I do mean visited because my journalism genius seemed absolutely nil. But also the Alma Mater was not let down because Mary Anderson received an honorable mention certificate for speech reporting. We still maintain the only reason we did not win all the prizes was because we hated to make an acceptance speech for the trophy and since it was our first time there, we didn't want to rob the joint of \$75 worth of prizes.

"Is spring here?" Ask the Sandy mudmen, which seems to be a more appropriate name here because of the foul weather we have been getting lately. Coach Pop Rannow says the only kind of sunshine we get here is in the liquid form.

Kiwanis To Award Plaque This Year

The Kiwanis club will award a plaque to the most deserving student, chosen by the faculty at Sandy High school.

This award is open to every senior at Sandy whose records are of high standard. Citizenship, attendance, scholarship standards and activities will be the basis on which they will be chosen.

After the plaque is awarded to the scholar, he or she will then be invited to a Kiwanis club dinner in their honor.

Texas is said to be named after the word "Tejas" meaning friends or allies.

Selected as the valedictorian of the 1950 class is Amelia Raysick. Amelia has an outstanding average and has participated in many activities. She was one of last year's school paper editors, junior class treasurer, this year's newly organized Girls League president and FFA historian. She is on the Mee Ma staff and works one period a day in the high school office. She also holds an office in the Rainbow Girls.

Amelia has attended Sandy high all her four years after graduating from Deep Creek grade school. She plans on attending either Marylhurst college or the University of Oregon. She is going to be a high school teacher. The salutatorian, only three points average below the valedictorian, is La Vaughn Sleeper.

La Vaughn transferred to Sandy when she was a sophomore. La Vaughn also has participated in many activities being last year's Junior and Senior prom princess and secretary of the junior class. She was last year's FFA president and this year's FFA treasurer, Girls' League editor. La Vaughn works on the Mee Ma staff and participated in the senior class play. She is a past worthy advisor of Rainbow and last year's Strawberry queen.

La Vaughn will enter the University of Oregon this fall to prepare for her vocation as a druggist.

Bob Hewitt ranked third in the class, losing only by two points, but has been chosen to apply for the Arron M. Frank award.

Students Entertain Rebate Crowd Wed.

Presented Wednesday for the benefit of the townspeople at the Sandy rebate was the starting of a series of program to be put on by the high school students.

Every week the programs will vary. They will include music, plays and humorous readings. The public speaking class, under the direction of Ralph Teters are in charge of the programs.

The program takes place at the City Hall from 2:15 to 2:45 every Wednesday.

Speech Class To Entertain Kiwanis

Thursday night, March 30, the Sandy High public speaking class will entertain the Kiwanis with poetry and humorous readings, a panel discussion and after dinner speeches.

Jean Cason, senior, will give her collection of little boy poems that won her first place in the Willamette Valley district league earlier this month.

From The Sidelines



By Cecil Wilder

It looks to me like old dame nature is harboring a grudge against baseball in general, and is dampening the spirits of the diamond fanatics with torrential downpours that would leave a duck hard put to withstand her wrath.

It is very disheartening to a sportswriter, shy of writing material, to find little notices pinned to the bulletin boards that read—Rain—No Game—perhaps more to him than to the fellows themselves.

When and if Coach "Pop" Rannow gets a chance to take the wraps off his 1950 combination, it's my guess the following fellows will get the starting berths: catcher, Bill Rannow; pitcher, Jim Martin; first base, George Rohweder; second base, Jim McCormick; short stop, Raynold Leckburg; third base, Cecil Wilder; left field, Wayne Fredrickson; center field, Leroy Leckburg; and right field, Roger Bartholomew.

The hitting should be pretty strong this year with Bill Rannow and George Rohweder batting in fourth and fifth spot in the batting lineup. Both boys hit better than 300 last year.

Local Merchants Give Uniforms

The Sandy Hi athletic department has recently received 17 used baseball suits. These suits were donated by Medley and Scales, sponsors of last year's town team. According to W. E. "Pop" Rannow, the baseball coach, the suits are of good quality and in good shape.

"The ones we had were pretty well shot," he commented, "and now the junior varsity will have suits to wear."

Fourteen of the suits were white with blue and three were white with red.

Since there will be no town team this year in Sandy, Medley and Scales thought the best thing to do with last year's suits was to give them to the school athletic department. Mr. Rannow extends his thanks to them.

Thomas Jefferson was only 33 years old when he drafted the Declaration of Independence.

Bob Hewitt Is Sandy's Bid For A. Frank Honor

The candidate for the "Arron M. Frank scholarship award," from Sandy High's 1949-50 graduating class is Bob Hewitt. Bob was selected by the school faculty.

This scholarship is open to any graduates of Oregon secondary schools, public or private, for the 1949-50 school year. One student from each secondary school in Oregon is eligible to enter.

The scholarship covers tuition and incidental fees in any institution of higher education in this state for a period of four years up to a maximum of \$1,000—for the life of the scholarship.

When the judges have rated all applications, the 10 candidates with the highest ratings will be brought to Portland, to meet the scholarship judges. Each student will be interviewed by the judges. Announcements of the winner will be May 6, 1950.

Alumni News....

Lenore Lund, '49 graduate, is now attending Monmouth College. Arlow Irvin, '40, is working for PGE in Gresham and married to Helen Burglund, '42.

John Dagsland, '35, is now the Bull Run grade school principal. Bud Koch, '41, is working for his father at Koch's lumber mill. Jack Cook, '45, is also working for the Koch lumber mill.

Maxine Burdick, '45, married George Wolfe, also Sandy graduate. They are the parents of a son and daughter. George works at the Koch lumber mill. Chuck Crone, '44, lives in Sandy and is married to Lillian Getchell, Sandy high English teacher.

Joy Walters, '44, married Bob Bell, Sandy graduate. They are the parents of a small son.

Vaccinations Given To Sandy High Students

Diphtheria and smallpox shots were given to Sandy high students Monday by Dr. Mary Soules, Elizabeth Kennedy, and Mrs. Virginia Swanson. They represented the Clackamas county health department.

Vaccinations were given only to students with applications signed by their parents. The cost of the shots was 25 cents.

March 22, a Walt Disney movie on immunization was shown to encourage the students.

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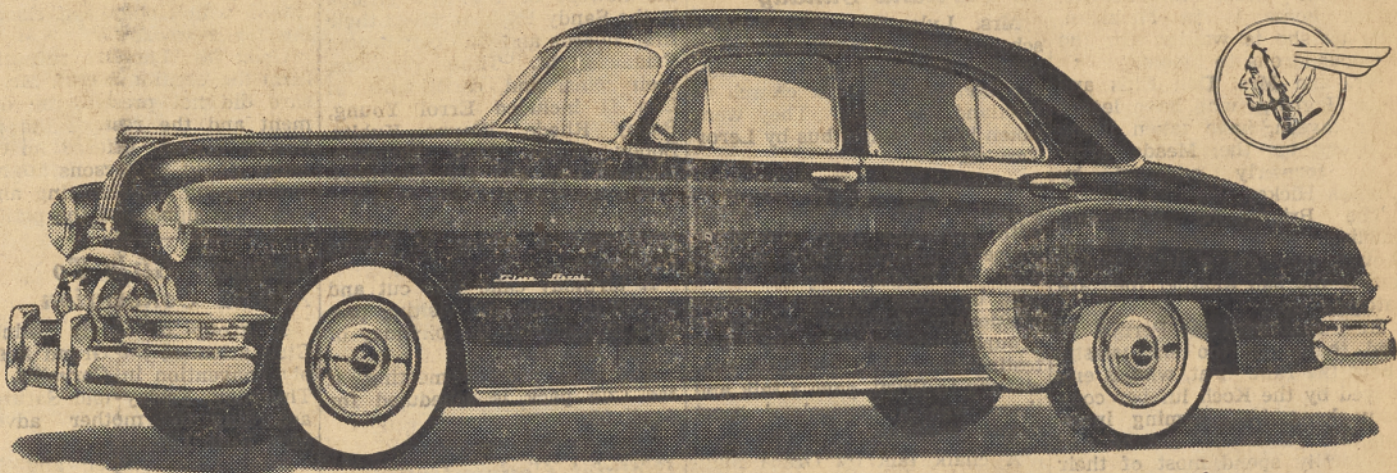
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