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Sense And Some NONSENSE



By Dewey

Already, men who wish to organize Rotary locally have expressed a willingness to make a project in the local school system, and carry it out over a long time period. First among these is a shop for the schools, where boys may be taught some of the rudiments of general shop work, so necessary in life to follow.

The girls will not be forgotten either in the proposed Rotary plans. As soon as room is available, a home economics department will be added to the local curriculum. There need be no argument of the need for these two departments in the schools.

With Rotary assisting in such local projects, the chamber of commerce may devote more time to the business life and industry of the area. Chamber of commerce members know, too, that Rotary would always be ready to lend a hand in any plan to aid the community.

Activity is manifest, locally, toward formation of a Rotary club for this district. Rotary, Kiwanis or Lions clubs do much for any community, large or small, which cannot be done by any other organization. Yet, despite common belief, any service club does not in any way detract from the duties or powers of the chamber of commerce.

Locally, the Chamber of Commerce has too much to do, and much of the time, cannot perform the things it attempts, in a way it would like. Addition of a Rotary club would simplify duties of the chamber to a point where both organizations could accomplish more, and easier.

With its national set-up, any service club, similar to Rotary, Kiwanis or Lions, is able to perform along a national pattern. While each club has the right, individually to perform any service it may desire, there is still a national service which aids in accomplishment.

Among the many needs of this community, it seems that none stand out more than the absolute necessity of a community center of some sort. Effort is being made by many progressive men and women of the area toward this goal. Plans are being sketched at present, from which estimates will be made, and a plan worked out so that this progressive area will have a center where gatherings of all kinds may be held.

In the completed plans there will be a dance floor, which is also suitable for basketball or holding of smokers, if the call arises. At one end of this will be a stage so that the room may also be used as an auditorium.

Included in plans later will be a lodge room, a dining room and kitchen, club rooms, possibly a set of bowling alleys, and other rooms where such groups as the Scouts, Cubs, Girls groups may hold their regular meetings. In the future, a swimming pool, a

couple of tennis courts and possibly an athletic field.

If this community wishes for progress, it must also be willing to help pay for this progress. It is likely that this center, in the full extent, may not be realized for several years, but a start may be made this year, if people so wish it, and will be ready to lend a hand toward realization.

When completed these plans will be submitted to the public for approval and suggestions of financing. In the meantime, this committee of people is still working on plans for the building, as well as suggestions for community approval.

Brookings already is proud of her new postoffice, located in the Grayshel building. Moved Sunday, workmen were employed in completing arrangements of boxes. Mrs. Goldie V. Smith, the veteran postmaster, is happy in that she now has room to turn around without bumping her elbow on some table or desk.

Lacking now, to give this area better service is the number of boxes necessary to grant each family or business a box of its own. To date nothing has been forthcoming from the post office department, which is not cognizant of growth in this southwestern part of Oregon.

Government bureaus, many of them so far behind the times, still use the 1930 census figures to base their actions. The 1940

census figures do not apply here half as well as those of a generation ago.

B. C. Y. F. Honors Mrs. C. Lindskoug

Tuesday, March 25, the B. C. Y. F. gave a surprize birthday for Mrs. Clifford Lindskoug on the Mill Beach in front of their home. The party started at 7:30 and Mrs. Lindskoug was given a present. Games were played and during one Jim Carson fell and broke his glasses, cutting his eye. Then having returned from a rushed trip to doctor Schmitt by Neilan Abbott, the games were resumed and refreshments were served. A visitor to the group was a Sophomore of Oregon State College, Jack Rawlings. The party broke up about eleven and everyone had a good time.

Music Festival Set For April

The date set for the biggest music festival is April 10. This is to be one of the outstanding events of the year. The program will consist of numbers, mixed chorus, the girl's group and several special numbers including solos, and duets.

The girls are to be dressed in formal, with carnation corsages. After the program, donuts and coffee will be sold, proceeds going to the May Festival. It may be enjoyed by everyone.

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By Ed and Mendy

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