

LANGLOIS NEWS

By Nancy Moore

Langlois Girl Scouts were hostesses at a Christmas party on Dec. 20 at the Sportsmen's club. Invited guests were the Boy Scouts and their leaders, Archie Aldropp and George Steadon. Other guests were Mrs. Donna Churchill and children. Games, with prizes for winners, were enjoyed. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Langlois Sportsmen's club will hold its regular meeting Jan. 9, with election of officers as chief order of business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Anderson and Speed spent Christmas week visiting the Anderson's son and family at Oakland, Calif.

Langlois Community is reminded that it is not too late to turn in money for Christmas seals. The chairman, Mrs. Nana Moore, states that all who have not contributed may still do so. Closing date soon will be here.

Earl Elliott of Coquille spent several days with Roger Moore

during the holidays. Both went to Gold Beach Thursday, returning Friday. Rusty Lafferty and Ray Kenworthy, Gold Beach, former school friends of Roger, visited him also.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walters and daughter, Nancy, made a trip to Portland, Seattle and Tacoma over the holidays. They returned, Saturday, Dec. 29.

A dance, sponsored by Sixes Grange, was given at the hall Saturday, Dec. 30.

Langlois schools opened Jan. 2, after the holidays.

A large family Christmas dinner and open house was held at the Fred Hofsess home Christmas day. Sharing the festivities were: Mrs. Beth Brinkman, Barbara, and Doris of Suntrana, Alaska; Mr. and Mrs. John Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hawkins, Kathryn, and Linda, all of Ferndale, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. George Hawkins, Joyce and Doris, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hofsess and Videlle, all of Bandon; Mrs. Hazel Hofsess and Donna; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hofsess and Stephen;

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Hofsess and Karen; Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hensley, Mrs. Lula Cope, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cope and Doug, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Autery, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Crew, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sweet, Mrs. Harry Strain and Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strain, Leland and Gerald, W. U. Sabin, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brooks and Sandra, and Mr. and Mrs. Loren Sabin and Billy.

Mrs. Ivy Messenger of Coos River spent the past week with Mrs. Frances Autery and other friends.

In The Mail-box:

To the Editor: So now we are to have meat rationing again. No patriotic United States citizen will grumble or question the wisdom of this proposed regulation, providing it is administered fairly and treats all alike.

But did this regulation treat all alike during the last war?

I am not thinking of black market meat, where those able to pay the extra price evaded the

law and were legally liable to punishment. I am thinking of the perfectly legal, though obvious circumvention of this regulation by others who were able to pay the price. This better class citizen, being better off financially, could eat in hotels, restaurants, or night clubs, where they need not use stamps, and have all their stamps for their remaining at home meals.

Their conscience and pocket-books were their only guides to the number of times they legally evaded the intent of this regulation. But those not in such fortunate circumstances could not eat out and had to use their own

stamps for the 21 home meals. Was this fair? Let's plug that loophole.

Would it not be more fair to compel the for fortunate citizen who is privileged to eat out, to pay the caterer in stamps as well as money for each meal in which meat is served?

Under this method, financial standing would not be a means of evasion, and then, too, a better check could be had of the caterers who then would have no need to go to the black market for their meat supply. Sincerely yours, P. D. STARK.

LOCAL NEWS

Rainy weather has practically put a stop to all highway work as well as other outdoor building. The Harbor grade, however, is far enough along that motorists can see how the new highway will be, and the curves it actually eliminates.

Ronald Akers, who went to Eugene Monday for a view of the University of Oregon campus, and to visit friends, returned to Brookings Thursday noon.

LOST: between laundry and trailer camp, folding car jack. Reward. Mrs. M. Longacre, city*

Jerome Nichols, who attended Redmond High the first semester, enrolled at the local school Tuesday. His parents live north of town.

Pilot "subscription" makes a good Christmas gift.



People are urged to come out Friday to witness the Bruins and Gold Beach basketball games. While there will be no volleyball, there still will be two hot games, starting at 7:30 p. m.

OFFICE SUPPLIES

For that young man or lady who is in school, who may have endless themes, papers and reports to 'hand in', a new "Smith-Corona" typewriter could be the greatest Christmas present you could possibly give. Place a gift certificate under the Christmas tree, and watch the delight.

Office supplies, including adding machines, cash registers, typewriters, together with business forms are being made available in Curry County through Brookings-Harbor Pilot and the Typo-print, at Gold Beach.

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