

Buxton Group Plans Dance for Saturday

(By Mrs. Jesse Meyers)

BUXTON—A dance will be sponsored by W. B. A. at their hall here Saturday night. Music will be furnished by Vandehey's orchestra.

Mrs. Mollie Tallman and sons Russell and Melvin Powell returned home from Harrisburg Monday night. Melvin, who has been ill and in a hospital, is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fisher of Sunset spent the week-end here.

Mrs. Elvyn White, Harry Simonton, Harold Fisher and Elton Ingram are peeling piling for Genzers on Green Mountain.

W. B. A. Ladies are quilting for Mrs. Jewel Losh at Oreoco.

Mrs. Mollie Tallman and son Russell Powell went to Harrisburg last Tuesday to visit their son and brother, Melvin Powell, who has been ill with bronchial trouble and other ailments. He has been employed near Harrisburg this summer.

Mrs. Ella Hill and Mrs. Lura Christensen of Portland and Mrs. A. Willis of Coquille visited friends and relatives here last week.

Mrs. Jessie Tillman, who is employed at Vernonia, spent the week-end here.

Hiddink Buys Property

W. H. Hiddink purchased 80 acres of land from N. P. Nelson west of town.

Rev. R. M. Hood was called to Portland Friday to the bedside of his daughter, who has been ill for some time.

William McCarty, who has been night watchman at the Elwood mill, went to Portland Saturday. Della Cornutt will look after the mill.

Several houses in town have been wired for electricity. The wires are up within a distance of two or three miles of Manning. The poles are all raised here.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor White, Shirley and Beverly spent the week-end at J. Lanes home at Jewell.

Home economics committee of the Grange met at the home of Mrs. Harley Quier Thursday. A pot luck dinner was served.

Mrs. Jack Bellish and Mrs. Jablonski visited Joe Pengratz Sr. at the Forest Grove general hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Riggle and Duane of Birkenfeld spent the week-end with relatives here.

Martin Gindhart visited his son

Screen's "Heidi"



Shirley Temple comes to the Venetian screen Sunday, Monday and Tuesday as star of the "Heidi" story that is loved by millions the world over. "Wife, Doctor and Nurse" starring Loretta Young, Warner Baxter and Virginia Bruce, is billed for Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Fritz at Aloha last week. Mrs. Bellish stayed nights with Mrs. Gindhart during his absence.

Miss Rinck Honored

A birthday dinner was given for Miss Evelyn Rinck at the Corbett Crowther home Sunday.

Armistice Day Program Planned

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disband in time for the patriotic program scheduled for 11 a. m.

Members of the national guard artillery unit will have charge of the flag-raising in the court house square, which will take place approximately at 10:30.

Bytown to Give Address

Allan Bytown of Portland, former state senator, will be the principal speaker at the patriotic exercises to be held in the Venetian theatre.

Mr. Fred Corn, V. F. W. commander will preside at the exercises, to which representatives of all patriotic and civic organizations and the public have been invited.

Following the close of exercises at the theatre, the Legionnaires and Legion Auxiliary members will hold a pot luck dinner at Veterans' hall. Those contemplating attending the dinner are requested to bring sufficient supplies for the butter, coffee and cream at the dinner will be furnished, it was announced.

Game to be Highlight

Headlining the afternoon's celebration will be the annual clash between the Hillsboro high school grid warriors and the Tigard footballers on the Hilhi field, with the opening kickoff slated for 2 p. m.

Last year's Hillsboro eleven smothered the Tigard team, after being forced to come from behind in a morning game played on the Tigard field. This year's contest will in no way conflict with the other Armistice day events, and by virtue of its afternoon billing is listed as one of the day's feature attractions.

City Government Trends Outlined

J. L. Franzen, city manager of Oregon City, discussed trends in city governmental affairs at the Rotary club luncheon Thursday. Mayor J. H. Garret was chairman. It was pointed out that seven counties and 459 cities have adopted the managerial form of government.

Reduction in the debt load, increased efficiency, reduced general expense and increased services have been the result of the commission-manager form for Oregon City, Franzen declared. The levy, he said, is \$5,000 less than it was four years ago.

The larger the council or commission the greater the chance for politics in the opinion of the Oregon City manager. He said it would be impossible for him to carry out the duties of city manager if any politics were being played.

No meeting will be held today on account of its being Armistice Day. O. B. Gates is chairman for next week.

Help your correspondent send in early copy. Some Friday or Saturday if possible.

Banks, Vernonia Teams Play on Banks Gridiron Today

(By Mrs. Max Dreeszen)

BANKS—Banks high school eleven will play the Vernonia football squad Armistice day Thursday, at 2 p. m. on the Banks field. Let's all go and give our team support.

Miss Jean Bush of Manning, a sophomore in high school, was taken to the Hillsboro hospital, where she was operated on for appendicitis two weeks ago. She returned home Saturday. She is improving nicely.

Plan Gymn Classes

Grade school teachers plan to have physical education classes when the gymnasium is finished in the near future. Miss Lucille Burdette, teacher of the fifth and sixth grades, will have charge of the girls of the four upper grades for a 40-minute period before noon. The principal, Verle White, will have a 40-minute period for the boys of the four upper grades in the afternoon. This will take the place of the recesses. Basketball, volleyball, folk dancing and other games will be taught. The lower grades will have recesses.

Families Move

The Moroski family of west of Banks moved last week to Bethany. The Rosenow family of Iowa Hill has moved to the place vacated by the Moroski family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shipley spent Saturday night in Jewell, visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Hopkins of Tillamook, who were home with them and will visit next week with the Shipleys and other relatives.

Mrs. Brighton and Mrs. Roy Russell of Yamhill spent Thursday evening with Mrs. Carl Shipley and family.

A new cement sidewalk has just been completed in front of the W. L. Moore property on Main street.

Missionary Speaks

Miss Edith Sinister, a missionary to China, gave a very interesting talk to the church Wednesday evening. She also addressed the high school student body in the afternoon. Miss Sinister teaches in a Chinese Christian high school. She is now on furlough but plans to return to China in January.

Turkey Shoot Sunday

American Legion will sponsor a turkey shoot Sunday, beginning at 10 a. m., on the high school grounds.

Home economics II classes at the high school studied the making of the different kinds of pies last week. Wednesday evening the girls served the members of the school board apple pie and coffee.

Douglas Dreeszen of Banks, coach of Moehls high school, graduate of Pacific university, closed a perfect 1937 football season in the Grays Harbor county league by being unbeaten, untied and unscored upon.

Local Church

Mrs. S. C. Inckley celebrated her 74th birthday anniversary at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clell Carstensen, Sunday. Mrs. Inckley has just returned from Portland where she has been visiting her son, Clark Inckley.

Councilmen Re-elected

Cass Wilson, William Walker and B. B. Tresham were re-elected councilmen at the city election last Tuesday.

Fir Grove Sewing club met Wednesday at the home of Miss Ann Schneider. The day was spent in quilting.

John Gribner took a truck load of tomatoes to Tillamook Thursday. He found a ready market for them with a demand for more.

Mrs. N. J. Griffin went to the home of her mother, Mrs. Katherine Kennon, Sunday, to spend a week. Her mother isn't well.

Cliff Sandy, George Spiering, Ernest Marr of Banks and Ray Sandy of Hillsboro left Friday for Eastern Oregon to spend the week hunting elk. While they are gone Mrs. Sandy and Mrs. Marr will visit relatives at St. Helens and Portland.

Week-end guests at the E. H. Kauffman home were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Parks and daughter Jean and Alvie Kauffman of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Dowling spent the week-end with relatives at Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Thompson of St. Helens were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Armentrout Sunday. Alfred Lewis, Vern Prickett and Albert Heard left Monday for the north fork of the John Day in Eastern Oregon, where they hunt elk for a few days. Mrs. Verne Prickett and two children will stay with Mrs. A. Lewis of Kansas City.

Memorial Service Held

Memorial services were held commemorating the Armistice, Sunday morning in the Banks M. E. church. Floral decorations were beautiful and the community ser-

vice flag hung back of the pulpit. The American Legion, its Auxiliary and Sons of the Legion marched in a body following the colors. Scripture was read by the legion chaplain, B. A. Wilcox. Preceding the moment of silence the auxiliary president, Lena Taylor, laid a wreath on the altar. Rev. Willings gave the sermon and dedicated the service to the Unknown Soldier. Following the services, all participated in a pot luck dinner.

Move from Washington

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clugston and daughter from Washington have moved into the living quarters over the near future. The daughter enrolled in the high school last week. Mrs. F. Irvin and two sons of Oak Grove spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Irvin's mother, Mrs. Alice Pearmley.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lester have returned from Independence and Hood River, where they have been working. They are living in Mrs. Munford's house by the railroad.

Talk Billed

Mrs. DeVries, religious educator for the Oregon conference of the M. E. church, will speak in the Banks church Friday at 7:30 p. m. Everyone is urged to attend. Young people of the Epworth League and Sunday school workers are especially urged to attend.

Add to Plant

A new onion topper and grading machine was installed in the R. D. Bodle plant last Friday. This machine grades, tops and sacks 700 to 800 sacks a day. There are eleven men employed at the present time. This large onion crop has been harvested on Wapato Lake at Gaston.

Lee Miller of Vernonia and Miss Juanita Retherford of Buxton were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Winters.

Plan Anniversary

BANKS—Church and Sunday school boards met Tuesday evening at the parsonage. The church board decided to have an all day meeting December 5 as a celebration of the 30th anniversary of the building of the Banks church. This will be in the nature of a homecoming meeting. Complete plans will be announced later. Sunday school board decided to have a Christmas program December 23. Two members of the Epworth League were present at the board meeting and announced that they had undertaken the project of raising money to purchase new song books for the church. The league is also organizing a choir.

Henry McDonald and William Moore made a business trip to Albany and Corvallis Saturday.

Local Folk Injured

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hopkins both received injuries and cuts when their car overturned Tuesday near Salem. The accident occurred when the car struck a slick place on a curve.

Anniversary Celebrated

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Dreeszen, celebrated their 44th wedding anniversary Sunday with a dinner. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Love and son Melvin. Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Shipley and two children and Mrs. J. S. Miller and daughter Juanita of Olympia, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gamroth and son and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gamroth drove to Hermiston last week to visit friends several days.

Bride-Elect Honored

Those from Banks attending the shower for Miss Alma Love, at the home of Mrs. Elmer Purdin were Mrs. Henry McDonald and daughter Ellen, Mrs. Emmett Shipley, Mrs. O. D. Dreeszen and Mrs. Max Dreeszen. Miss Love became the bride of Lenore Lyda, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James O'Neill of San Francisco visited Mrs. Catherine Reppeto over the week-end. Mrs. O'Neill and Mrs. Reppeto were school girl friends years ago and hadn't seen each other 25 years.

Miss Ruth Bailey visited with Mrs. Ray Lein Saturday. Miss Bai-

ley taught school at Banks last year and is teaching at Manzanita this year.

Hopkins Leaves

E. E. Hopkins left Monday night for North Junction, where he will be depot agent. He plans to remain there until spring and will then return to his job at Wilkesboro if the logging operations open up.

Mrs. Tom Engen went to Vernonia Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Norman Engen and baby for a few days.

Education Methods Topic of Talk

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mentality of the child, educators have arrived at the conclusion that the mental age of six and one-half years marks the proper starting point. Tests given in first-grade classes have shown us that the mental ages of four to nine years—a variation of six years.

More Cooperation is Goal

Modern school disciplinary methods, he declared, involve a closer cooperation of student, parents and teachers. "When our teachers go to the parents to attempt solution of disciplinary difficulties," he said, "we consider that the proper thing is being done. Much of our difficulty will be eliminated by bringing about this necessary understanding between teacher and student."

One of the wisest things being done at present by many school boards, he said, is laying aside money for future needs, thus eliminating the costly process of bonded indebtedness, through which sums far in excess of actual value received are often paid out.

Tucker to Speak

Foyner was introduced by R. E. Wiley, general chairman of the evening meeting was chamber of commerce vice-president, Howard Hadley.

A committee made up of W. G. Ide, Jake Weil and J. W. Barney was named by President P. L. Patterson to work on the establishment of a state unemployment administration office in Hillsboro.

W. G. Tucker of McMinnville, superintendent of reclamation for the Chamber of Commerce luncheon Monday, it was announced. Victor Madsen will be chairman.

Ditch Blasting Cost is Seven Cents Per Foot

Approximately seven cents per linear foot was the cost of blasting out a ditch with powder on the A. R. Hammon farm, three miles south-east of Hillsboro October 30. An old ditch was cleaned out by blasting a new channel averaging 14 inches deeper and two feet wider at a cost of \$24 for powder and blasting caps and 22 hours of man labor. Somewhat more powder was required in this particular case than for some blasted ditches due to the stumps and logs in the ditch line which required extra loads, reports Everett H. Davis, of the engineering department of the state college, and Stan McClurg, of the county agent's office.

Where the land is too wet or too brushy to permit ditching with heavy power machinery blasting is a quick and comparatively easy method of establishing open ditches. If the land is sufficiently free of brush so that a large grader of the type used in road work can be used during dry weather it would usually be cheaper to make open ditches with that kind of equipment than with powder. This latter method has been used repeatedly in Washington county, opening ditches to a depth of three or four feet and spreading the material out on the banks so that it was not an obstruction to the water draining in.

Not Unknown Here

In using powder and blasting a ditch by the propagation method the ground must be full of water. It is not necessary that water be standing on the surface, but the soil must be rather thoroughly saturated to insure effective propagation of the charge. Blasting ditches and changing the course of small streams with powder isn't anything new in Washington county, according to County Agent W. F. Cyrus. For ten years or more various Washington county farmers have been using it, generally resorting to the propagation method.

Firemen to Handle '38 July Event

The Hillsboro Firemen, Inc., will handle the annual independence day celebration again next July for the fourth successive year, according to a decision made at the park commission's meeting last Thursday night.

The park commission received the sum of \$379.40 from the firemen as

the city's share of the 1937 "Happy Days" of last July, according to J. L. Anderson, chairman. The money, which represents a fifty per cent share of the net proceeds, was turned over to the park commissioners at the meeting, held in the Hillsboro Pharmacy.

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