



tear. Miss Chase entertained the boys of the class as an enjoyment party in the class room.

Miss Hutchinson won first prize and Miss Edna Nelson "lady" prize in the game of progressive peanuts. Other games followed by surprising entertainments made up the evening's entertainment. Following is the invited list:

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schuster, Mr.

and Mrs. J. P. Shanahan, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McNeary, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Womble, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hawley, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gubser, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Purman, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kinney of Wildfield, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Adams, Miss Dorothy Kilmer, Miss Taylor, Constance Charles, Miss Emily, Miss Powell, Miss Nelson, Miss Millege Peter and Miss Emma, Miss Mc Donald, Miss Young, Miss Wilson, Miss and Miss Faye, Amy James, Ruth Baatz, Marjorie Beaumont, Gertrude Newell, Bertha Chapman, Miss Velas and Weston Herbert, Mrs. E. W. Steele of Marshfield, Miss West, Mr. Barber, Lloyd and Carl Smith, Frank Woods, Alex Grunert, Roy Carr, Wildfield Woodhams, Herbert Richards, John Ferguson of Marshfield, Bertie Mackey, Percy Mandy, Clarence Kilmer, Stanton Stevens, Glen Hart, Merlin Chapman, Earl Brown and George Frost.

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FAREWELL DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Kirk entertain at dinner Wednesday evening, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Chambers, who are moving to Coos Bay.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Guy Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Chambers, and Frank Kirk, Jr.

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BRIDGE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Jensen entertained at their home on Ninth and Donnelly with the first of a series of bridge parties last Saturday afternoon; the other scheme of white and green being carried out effectively in the pastures.

Mrs. W. F. Miller won first hand.

Bingo refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon.

Those enjoying Miss Jensen's hospitality were: Mr. George Wurth, Mrs. Anna Guist, Mrs. G. W. Kaufman, Mrs. W. A. Tays, Mrs. W. F. Miller, Mrs. J. A. Mathew, Mrs. C. McGeorge, Mrs. R. W. Morrow, Mrs. J. A. Hansen, Mrs. J. H. Lupton, Mrs. N. F. Marion, Mrs. R. Van Chapman, Mrs. R. E. Lewis, Mrs. F. V. Carpenter, Mrs. Jim Conrad, Mrs. F. D. Fletcher, Miss Margaret Shaw.

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CHURCH SOCIETY

Mrs. R. C. Holmes, Miss George Reister, Mrs. M. E. George, Mrs. Anna Larsen, Miss E. George Blaser and Miss Esther Knutson will serve as hostesses at the tree will offer social which the North Bend Presbyterian ladies will give next Wednesday afternoon.

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TANGO AND HISPANIC

SIDE-STEP FOR QUADRILLE

Old-Time Dances Revived by Old-Time Dancers at Abby Gathering.

"My gal's pretty and in a young You swing arms and I'll swing yours," cracked the caller. In the corner a piano, a fiddle and a violin worked overtime, while in the center of the floor merry married couples tangled and happy bantered themselves with glee as they beat the old tunes again and their fast vaccinations carried them through the maze of the old-time dances.

The occasion was the "day" of the Quadrille Club Saturday evening in the L. O. O. F. hall. Dancers, some of whom, who had not danced for 15 years, came to join the throng.

"These dances and reunions can't hold a candle to the ways we used to dance," remarked Leo Smith of Coos River and very many days ago.

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DAMAGES FOR SON'S DEATH

Alva Bacon, formerly of North Bend, now Shaper of Boys.

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WESLEYAN GIRLS

Last Thursday evening the girls of the North Bend Methodist Wes-

PLAN TO CHANGE OREGON GAME LAW IS UNDER ARREST

State Sportsmen's Association Recommends Changes in Seasons—New Dates

The following recommendations were made at a recent meeting of the Oregon Sportsmen's League at Portland, and are of considerable interest to the inhabitants of this section:

It is recommended that the law be changed to provide for the opening of the deer season September 1 instead of August 1, as at present.

Note.—Oregon is one of only a few states where deer are not protected in August. In this state deer killed in August are in very poor condition, moreover the weather being so warm much of the meat spoils before it can be used. Many times are killed by accident or otherwise that have small horns and these horns are not big enough to survive. The loss from this source is very large.

The danger from fire in August is greater than at any other portion of the year, and since two-thirds of the forest of the state is privately owned, due consideration should be given to this class. Closing the deer season during August will greatly reduce the fire hazard and one.

It is recommended that the China pheasant law be changed to provide a bag limit of five birds in a day, or ten birds in seven consecutive days, each bag of five to permit of not more than two remains.

Note.—Since the male China pheasant is not a natural polygamous bird, but males and females in courting the brood, the present law of permitting the killing of male China pheasants only, has resulted in decreasing the male pheasant population and that about a large per cent of China pheasant eggs are infertile. The proposed change in the law to include two female China pheasants in each bag limit is no better, because the male bird and immature production.

It is recommended that there be no change in the law affecting the game laws, or the State Fish and Game Commission, or in any laws in relation to migratory birds, until the constitutionality of the Federal law in regard to migratory birds has been determined.

It is recommended that a resolution be framed asking the Oregon Legislature to confer with the Legislatures of California, Washington and Idaho, in the end that a uniform law may be enacted in each of the above states pertaining to game laws, and the protection of game birds and game animals along the state lines, which at the present time conflict.

It is recommended that the law be changed to provide for the killing of China pheasants from October 1 to December 10 in Jackson and Grant counties.

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AID FOR LIBRARIES

Persons wishing to help the public libraries of Marshfield and North Bend can do so without sacrifice Monday and Tuesday evening, by attending the projection of "America" at the Lemanski and Star Theaters. Ten per cent of all gross receipts both for an evening and afternoon show will go to the libraries, according to arrangements made between the library boards and Mr. Lemanski.

"America" is a collection of films representing scenes, places and events in American life and will be educational in value as well as entertaining.

The prices charged will be fifteen cents for adults and five cents for children. Why not give a theater party, entertain your friends and thereby help the library.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the many friends who by kindly acts and words of sympathy lightened the burden of our sorrow in the illness and death of our beloved son and brother, Herman Cordes, and especially to the members of the L. O. O. F. and Eagles Lodges, we extend our sincere and grateful thanks.

FOR SALE

Lot on Second street, between Market and Anderson, 16 by 100 feet, only \$1000. Terms if desired.

L. H. KAUFMAN CO.

CHAS. H. ZEVELY ORCHARD PESTS MENACE COUNTY

School Teacher, Formerly of Coos County, Faces Serious Charge at Eugene

Professor Brown, of O. A. C., Writes on Needs of Orchardists Here.

EUGENE, Ore., Jan. 25.—George Crum, deputy sheriff, returned to Eugene from Fairbanks, 10 miles east of Eugene, with Charles Zevely, formerly principal of the Fairbanks grade school. He is charged with contributing to the delinquency of Rachel Miller, a 12-year-old girl in his school who has cut down many of the trees to show the needs and the wants of the trees.

Professor Brown left Saturday for home. In speaking of the fruit situation in this country he said, in part:

"This country has for some time been noted justly for its varieties. There is no doubt that this delicious variety can be grown to perfection here when properly taken care of. There are several other varieties of apples, however, that seem to do very well in this section, such as Rome Beauty, Golden Delicious, King of Coquille County, etc. In addition to the apples, nearly all the fruits of the temperate zone do well in this country. Pears, cherries and peaches have all been grown here the home use and only need a good market to be raised on a commercial scale. All the small fruits, including strawberries, blueberries, gooseberries, etc., do remarkably well under these climate and soil conditions."

Pear Moment County.

"I find in going about the country that the trees which I have examined are not the most part fully healthy, but there are some insect pests and plant diseases being introduced. These troubles will spread unless the growers understand how they can be kept in check. Careful inspection by the county fruit inspector will be needed to control these troubles and he should be given every assistance possible by the growers in carrying on this understanding.

Desirous Be Needed.

"Many of the orchards which I have observed are badly in need of drainage. It would seem to me that some emigrating party who can take a good site drainage on the market at a reasonable figure ought to build up a splendid business in this country. No farm practice is more neglected than sufficient drainage in this part of the state. Many orchards have been abandoned for several seasons and some are seriously suffering for this reason. Orchards in this climate should be plowed and carefully cultivated all through the growing season."

"In regard to the pruning I would say that in general, the orchards here have either been fully neglected or over-pruned. Many old, neglected orchards are an eyesore and a menace to their communities and do nothing save encumber the ground. It would be better to pull out such orchards and put in a crop that would bring in some revenue to the owner of the land. By the good abundance in the pruning demonstration it is evident that the growers are very much interested in this subject and are anxious to learn everything that may be of value to them.

Co-Operative Marketing.

"It seems to me that one of the greatest needs of the fruit growing communities at present is the formation of co-operative marketing organizations. When the young orchards of this section come into full bearing it will be necessary to develop markets outside this country. To do

that will mean a reputation for the quality and pack of her fruit which will insure her good price in the large markets of the country. This work of developing markets is much too large a project for any single individual or corporation, and to be successful must have the active backing of the growers of this section. Right in this connection it may be well to add that we must begin to turn the fruit which is not good enough to ship out to any distance into a product that will bring in fair returns.

It is estimated that the one state of Oregon is losing annually about \$2,000,000 in the fruit and vegetables that go to waste. It is high time that growers realize to this situation and organize for the purpose of installing and operating canneries, evaporators, vinegar factories, etc., for the utilization of this waste product. The question of fruit and vegetable products is to my mind one of the greatest opportunities the growers of this country."

Friend Pine Orchard.

Prof. Brown reported that he had some good meetings in the Coquille Valley. In Bridge, about 45 ranchers turned out and many of the people of the Bridge school were present. The Bridge section im-

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