

P.T.A. MEMBERSHIP HAS LARGE GROWTH

As Result Drive Just Ended; Many Committees Doing Fine Work

STAYTON, Oct. 17. — Regular P.T.A. meeting was held Monday night with Mrs. Harley Champ, president, presiding. Victor Phelps, grade school principal and chairman of the finance committee, stated that his committee hoped to complete the work on the swing set installed last year; provide hot lunches, and someone to prepare them; and to hold a basket social and give a play to replenish finances. The play committee in Mrs. Victor Phelps, Mrs. J. C. Lindley, Mrs. N. A. Beauchamp and Miss Martha Jindra. The basket social committee is Mrs. Claude Lewis, Mrs. W. W. Frye and Mrs. Frank Stipka.

Delegates nominated and elected to the state convention at Salem were: Mrs. Harley Champ, Mrs. H. E. Tobie, Mrs. W. A. Ingalls, and alternates, Mrs. E. Roberts, Miss Fern Neireiter and H. J. Rowe. The flag count gave the flag to the fifth and sixth grades for the ensuing month.

H. E. Tobie spoke about the high school library, now in charge of Miss Margaret Ireland, this being the first year that a teacher had that position. He asked that books and periodicals be donated to the library and also thanked parents for entering their home to out-of-town pupils, now that no buses are being run. He introduced M. H. Beal, the new coach.

Record Membership
Next came the report of the membership captains, with Mrs. Claude Lewis reporting 49 members and Floyd Crabtree, 43. The losing side will furnish the refreshments and entertainment for the next meeting. This is one of the largest memberships in the history of the organization.

Professor Phelps invited all present to visit the grade school to look over the various projects. Kent Thompson sang two piano numbers. Mrs. Tobie spoke on "How parents can meet their responsibilities and grasp their opportunities." She stated that it was the responsible people who made responsible parents and that they should see first to a child's health, as the strong child would be able to battle with life; that they should have work to do at home, and also an allotted time for play. Her talk was most interesting.

The ladies' sextette, Mesdames Ingalls, Schaefer, Mielke, Adams and Crabtree, gave two enjoyable numbers. Miss Margaret Ireland was accompanied. Mrs. Van Nuy, the sixth member of the group, was unable to be present.

North Howell Has Worship Regularly Sunday Mornings

NORTH HOWELL, Oct. 17. — Church services are held regularly each Sunday in the little church at North Howell and all are invited. Sunday school opens at 10 a. m. and church services at 11 a. m. with Rev. Ferguson of Salem in charge. Prayer meeting is held every Wednesday night. During the past summer the group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schmidt.

A large number of young people from this community Friday night assisted in the serenading of Annie Pfau and Peter Sprode, whose marriage was an event of last week. The young couple will occupy a house in the Lash district. The bride lived here until a few years ago.

Gervais Wins 18-7 Over Aumsville 11 In Scrappy Contest

GERVAIS, Oct. 17. — Coming back in the second half, Gervais defeated the scrappy Aumsville team, 18-7, on the local field Friday afternoon. At half time Aumsville led 7-0. Schwab, Lelack and Colby, Aumsville's mighty line yardage, Lelack was the outstanding lineman. Scoring was done by Schwab and Lelack. Morgan was the outstanding player for the visitors. Commons of Willamette university worked the team.

Gervais line-up: center, Jefferson; right guard, Lescher; right tackle, Lemery; right end, Lelack; left guard, Short; left tackle, Biven; left end, Colby; quarterback, Henry Kuhn; right halfback, Riggs; left halfback, Schwab, and fullback, Smith.

VISITORS AT EVERGREEN
WALDO HILLS, Oct. 17. — Mrs. Louise Focht of Oregan, Utah, is visiting in the Evergreen district. Mrs. Elsie Shomberger of Butte, Mont., is also visiting in that district. Both women are members of the Apostolic Christian church. Emil Hart, an elder in the church, and Mrs. Hart were here over Sunday with others from Portland.

JOHN VAUGHAN BETTER
RICKREALL, Oct. 17. — Mrs. Fred Vaughan and two daughters returned to their home in Mill City Sunday after spending 10 days here helping care for her father-in-law, John Vaughan, who was critically ill for several days, but is able to be up about the house again.

NEWCOMER VERY ILL
HUBBARD, Oct. 17. — Mrs. J. R. Bryant is seriously ill at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kitchen. She is the new proprietress of the wrecking plant and electrical shop on the Pacific highway, formerly owned by Leslie Radcliffe. Radcliffe has moved with his family to Scotts Mills.

COMMUNITY CLUBS

ROBERTS, Oct. 17. — The Roberts community club held its first meeting of the season Saturday night with the new president, Albert Blankenship, presiding.

Committees appointed during business meeting were: Sick and flower, Mrs. Roy Rice and Mrs. Alice Coolidge; refreshments, Mrs. Bliss Fidler, Mrs. Leonard Zielke, Mrs. E. A. Goodrich; welcome, Mr. Salchenburg, Mrs. Elsie Carpenter, Mrs. George Higgins, Bliss Fidler; program, Mrs. Forest Edwards, Mrs. Will Pettyjohn, George Higgins.

The history of the Roberts community, which was written by Miss Dorothy Rice, the club's secretary, won first place with a prize of \$5 in the club of federation contest last year. The club voted to give Miss Rice the award.

A speech was given by S. E. Davenport on his 70th birthday, who a few months ago moved to Liberty. He had lived all but two years since 1913 in this community and took an active part in community work.

Mrs. Helen Hamilton, with the community canner, sent word that anyone wishing tomatoes canned could do so for one-fifth of the amount. They will be in Salem next week, so communicate with Roy Rice at the store to see if eligible. She also asked for people in the community having clothes that would help anyone to outfit Marion Shorey and Leroy Edwards who will call for them.

Dr. David B. Hill of the Salem chamber of commerce furnished moving pictures for the evening's entertainment, after which refreshments were served.

Rally at Sunday Service at Gates Is Great Success

GATES, Oct. 17. — Rally day services at the local Sunday school were successful from all standpoints. The Sunday school attendance was 71 with several present from outside points. The morning sermon was given by H. M. Meade of Brunks Corner.

Mr. Meade was assisted in the musical program by his daughter, Miss Dorothy Meade and wife. A basket dinner was served at noon.

Decorations were attractive baskets of autumn flowers and tables suggesting harvest home with colorful fruits and vegetables. The afternoon services were in charge at Rev. Winders of Mill City who furnished a special number.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Jones made a trip to Philomath Saturday, bringing back with them, Mr. Jones' mother, Mrs. Nell Jones. Mrs. Jones will remain as a guest for some time.

Harvest Festival At Middle Grove Church is Success

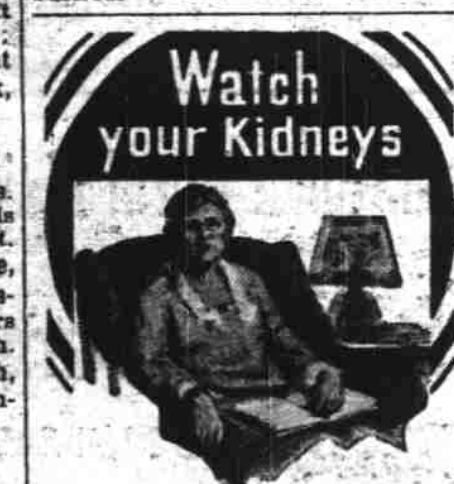
MIDDLE GROVE, Oct. 17. — A rally day and harvest home service, centered around the theme "Building the Kingdom," with Lola Hammer acting as chairman of the program committee assisted by other young people of the church, was held Sunday.

An offering of fruit, vegetables and canned goods bespeaking a plentiful harvest, made an attractive and impressive feature of decoration. Rev. G. F. Leining, Jr., spoke on "Impressions." A basket dinner was held at noon in the schoolhouse, with Mrs. Helen Walker, Mrs. Mary Herndon and Mrs. Ella Walker in charge.

Rev. Clark Smith assisted with the afternoon program. Rev. Charles Peterson of Olympia was present at the morning service, assisting at the Sunday school hour.

Sunday School Groups Hold Outdoor Frolics

ROSEDALE, Oct. 17. — The boys' Sunday school class picked up at Painter's Woods Saturday afternoon with their teacher, Paul Cammack. They had a royal good time, playing games, fishing and eating wieners and buns. The girls Sunday school class also held a class party on the church grounds and vicinity. Incidentally, the leaves on the church lawn were raked up and burned.



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NEW DEBATE IDEAS WILL BE TRIED OUT

Symposium, Discussion and Split Team System to Be Used by W.U.

Styles of debate new to Salem will be tried out here during the coming season by the Willamette university forensics teams, according to William Mosher, student forensics manager. These probably will include symposium, discussion and split team debates, all of the non-decision type. Groups of debaters assemble and talk over their questions informally in the symposium style, teams discuss the question without decisions in the second, and in the third, rivaling teams are composed of one or more members from each competing organization.

Prospects for forensics appear encouraging with a large turnout in prospect, Mosher says. The main debate trip of the season probably will be to Stanford university. Last year Willamette teams toured the southwestern states. Women's debating is likely to be revived after a several-year lapse. First practices will be held next month and practice debates starting around Christmas time.

Willamette this season will seek to win the state extemporaneous speaking contest for the fourth consecutive year. It has been won successively the past three years by John Rudin, Ray Lafky and Ralph McCullough, all of Willamette.

Student Groups at Indian School Name Officers for Year

CHEWAWA, Oct. 17. — Officers this year for the campus Y. organizations are: Y. M. C. A., Adam Williams, president; Dan Motanic, vice-president; Charles Butler, treasurer; Y. W. C. A.: Violet Johnson, president; Donna May Lafonso, vice-president; Lena Leighton, secretary; Ruby Dean, treasurer.

Class officers are: Seniors, Joe Arlee, president; Ruby Dean, vice president; Violet Johnson, secretary; Irene Thoma and Clarence Emmons, treasurers; Collins Anderson, yell leader; Laverne Ulmer, song leader; Juniors: James Rosario, president; Oliver Archambeau, vice-president; Delphine Swann, secretary; Oswald Burland, treasurer; Clifford Olsen, yell leader; Mary Iyall, song leader.

Griggs is Pinned Under Car but Not Seriously Injured

SWEGLE, Oct. 17. — Two automobiles were wrecked Sunday night, one near Kropf's ranch, driven by John Steelhammer, and the other at Whitehead's store. The second car was owned by Earl Griggs and driven by his brother. No one was seriously hurt, but Lola Hammer's car turned over on him and pinned his head under the steering wheel.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berk and baby from Portland are visiting her sister, Mrs. Carl Hoffman.

GRANGERS' COLUMN

RICKREALL, Oct. 17. — The booster meeting of the local grange Friday evening was a decided success with an attendance of more than 100 at the dinner, which was followed by a program that included:

Piano solo, Roswell Wright of Ankeny grange; "Dr. Cureall," a two-act comedy, given by W. W. Rowell, Mrs. Forrest Pence, Mrs. Tom Dulaney, Mrs. Alice Wilson, Mrs. Mary Adams, Mrs. Retta Martin, Mrs. Ida Ragsdale, Ellmore Bechtel, Mrs. Elizabeth Rowell and H. A. Dempsey; vocal duet by Rex Hartley and Roswell Wright; address from National Master Taber, read by Mrs. Van Santen; history of the local grange which he organized was given by P. O. Powell, Monmouth; solo by Jay Powell Sr., of Monmouth.

Glen Adams, master of Pomona grange of Brush College gave an invitation to attend Pomona grange which meets at Fort Hill Oct. 28. Visitors were present from Ankeny grange, Brush College, Monmouth and Dallas.

Rail Fences No More as Last Razed

MT. ANGEL, Oct. 17. — John Buhr Monday started burning down the old rail fence that marked the northern boundary of his farm about a mile south of town along the Mt. Angel - Silverton highway. The rail fence, set up when Mt. Angel was still very young, was the last of its kind in this vicinity. It seems one of the prices of progress that its picturequeness must give way to a more practical wire fence that will henceforth meet the eye of the tourist.

Miss Juliana Dehler, who has been spending the last week at the home of her parents, returned to Portland on Tuesday. Miss Dehler is employed as a nurse at St. Vincent's hospital.

Game Wardens Shut Down on Violators On Valsetz Stream

VALSETZ, Oct. 17. — Eric Sandson and Dave Johnson were arrested last week for angling without licenses. This is the third arrest here this summer. Jim Dodson was fined \$30 for the same charge in July. Game wardens are watching the hunters and anglers very close this year.

The fourth week of school closed here Friday with 38 children enrolled. Miss Ruth Jenkins having the first four grades, and William Graham the upper four and the first year in high school. A very delightful program was given by the entire school.

FURNACE ASSURED
GERVAIS, Oct. 17. — Those who started the movement for installing a furnace in the Presbyterian church have met with success and have been instructed to proceed with the work. At a meeting of the congregation following the rally day program Sunday morning \$67.50 of the \$87.50 needed was pledged.

FARMERS CAUSE OF PRICE PREDICAMENT

FAIRFIELD, Oct. 17. — The regular monthly meeting of Fairfield grange was held Friday night at the hall. In a speech made by Frank Sasfield, member of the executive committee, he pointed out that the farmer was responsible for present low prices on farm produce. For instance, instead of demanding to sell at a fair profit "he sits back and says 'thank-you' when he receives less than one-third as much on a gallon of milk for producing it as the man handling it." He also pays \$2 for 49 pounds of flour made from wheat costing 28 or 30 cents a bushel.

He declared that until farmers organize and set their prices as is necessary in any successful business enterprise, they may expect starvation prices.

Past Master Ben Hall announced that a benefit masquerade dance will be given Friday night, October 27.

RIPARIAN QUESTION SETTLED, STRICKLIN

The recent action of the United States supreme court in dismissing the suit filed by the Columbia Deschutes Power company to retain valuable water rights on the Deschutes river, was an outstanding victory for the state of Oregon and may have a tendency to determine for all time the question of riparian ownership.

Charles E. Stricklin, state engineer, has declared. The litigation dated back several years when Rhea Luper, then serving as state engineer, refused to approve the claim of the power company for these water rights. The power company subsequently appeal from Luper's decision to the circuit court for Deschutes county. The circuit court, after hearing the testimony, allowed the claim of the power company. The state supreme court affirmed the decree of the circuit court, from which the power company appealed.

Visitors Honored At Family Dinner At Stroud Home

ROSEDALE, Oct. 17. — A family dinner was enjoyed at the E. B. Stroud home Sunday. Roy Brant and family of Yoncalla have been visiting there several days and Mr. and Mrs. C. Bozell and Miss Helen Winslow of Portland came up for the occasion.

Dick Allen has been having more trouble with his knee which was injured some time ago and returned to the hospital Monday for further care.

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Farmers' Union News

TALBOT, Oct. 17. — Sidney Talbot Farmers' Union met in regular session Friday night, with G. W. Potts, president, in the chair. Arrangements are under way to participate in the national membership drive. Reports were given by the standing committees.

An enjoyable program consisting of cowboy songs, comic skits and readings were given, after which the supper committee served refreshments.

TALBOT, Oct. 17. — G. W. Potts, Sidney Talbot Farmers' union president, and D. E. Blinston, a member of the executive committee, attended the county union meeting Saturday, held with the Aberdeen local in Linn county. Potts will leave soon for Nebraska to attend the national convention at Omaha.

Old Colony Band Pieces Heard Again

AURORA, Oct. 17. — A band and an orchestra have been organized in Aurora school, with a combined enrollment of some 40 pupils. The instructor is Hal Campbell, musical director of the Silverton school for the last 14 years, and where his band won a cup each year he taught.

Mr. Campbell has a master's degree from a college in London, and is considered one of the best teachers of music in the northwest. He will assist Miss Estinger in public school music as soon as the band and orchestra are organized.

There should be remarkable music talent developed here as

many of the pupils are grandchildren of members of the famous Aurora colony band, and some of the instruments being used now belonged to musicians of that age.

THIEF MAKES BIG HAUL
HUBBARD, Oct. 17. — Marius Rolsdorf lost a 100 - pound tub of lard out of his woodshed recently, also a hog which had been butchered the day before.

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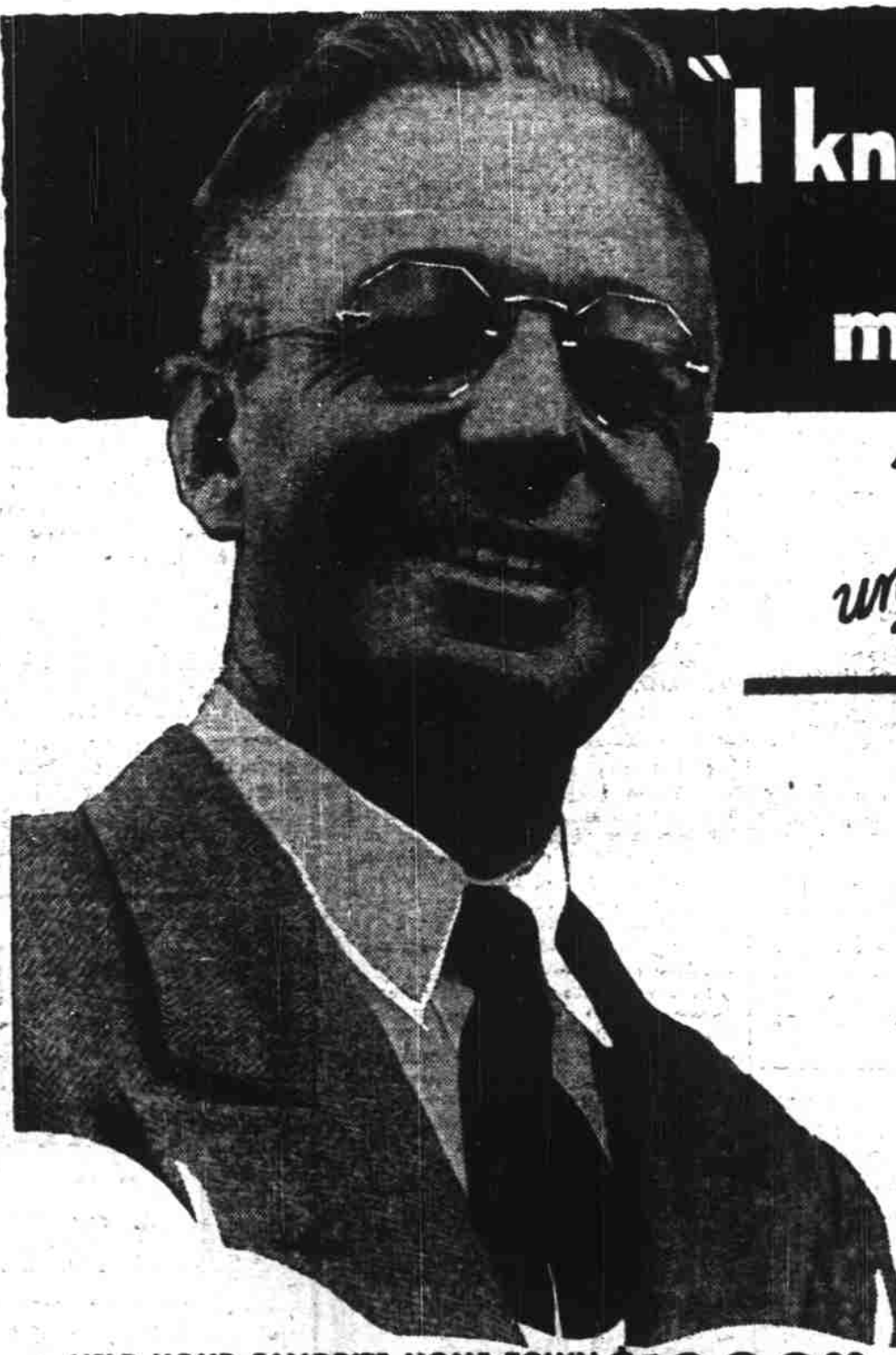
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