

Linn Fire Unit Reports Low Loss for 1948

SWEET HOME — The last year was the most successful, from a fire-loss standpoint, of any 12-month period in the recorded history of the Linn County Fire Patrol association. Secretary-Treasurer Mel Crawford reported at the association's recent 37th annual meeting.

Estimated losses totalled \$2,800. Several projects were announced as completed, including a 54-foot tower on Scott mountain; removal of the old wooden dock at Sweet Home; purchase of a new truck; installation of two-way radios on five vehicles.

Projects planned include a garage for heavy equipment, completion of a detection system, transfer of the Thomas Creek guard station to a site near Jordan, a new 800-gallon water tank, and road maintenance.

The association now protects 538,547 acres. Receipts last year were \$81,837, expenditures \$65,942. Increase in net worth was \$4,756.

Carl Davis was retained as president; Charles W. Fox was elected to replace William Swindells as vice president; Mel Crawford was retained as secretary - treasurer; Carl Davis, D. T. Mason, Harry C. Patton, F. L. Thompson, Clyde Martin, H. H. Holland and Charles W. Fox were retained as directors.

Jack Brandis replaced William Swindells and W. E. Hoffman replaced E. B. Tanner. It was decided that a committee of nine would contact logging operators to ascertain whether they favor complete closure of all operations where the humidity reaches the dangerous point.

Woodburn Readies For Chest X-Ray

WOODBURN — Appointments are being taken for the 1949 visit of the mobile chest X-ray unit which will be at Woodburn city library March 11 from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., according to Mrs. Ray J. Glatt, local chairman. Registrations are being taken at the Woodburn Independent office and through volunteer representatives of churches and clubs.

Assisting with the appointments are Mrs. Kenneth McGrath, Mrs. O. L. Withers, Mrs. A. G. Cowan, Mrs. John Kallak, Mrs. Mabel Harper, Mrs. George D. Jones, Mrs. Ruby Henn, Mrs. Gordon Seely, Mrs. P. H. Seely, Mrs. Alfred Halter, Mrs. Joe Sowa, Mrs. J. B. Gay, Mrs. R. C. Kay, Mrs. B. A. Bonacker, Mrs. L. P. Heer, Mrs. W. Scarborough, jr., Mrs. T. L. Workman, Mrs. W. M. Reck, Mrs. A. G. Moon, Mrs. William Merritt, Mrs. Harris Nelson, Mrs. Mark Thompson, Mrs. Melvin Johnson, Mrs. Harold Homann, Mrs. Charles Blinn, Mrs. P. C. McLaughlin, Mrs. Dean Bishoprick, Mrs. Harold Ingram and Mrs. Archie Murphy. Camp Fire Girls will help with publicity.

X-Rays March 15 For Mt. Angel

MT. ANGEL — Annual visit of the chest X-ray unit to Mt. Angel will be Tuesday, March 15, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. at the Legion hall. Everyone, child and adult, is not only eligible for the X-ray but encouraged to take this free service made possible by the tuberculosis Christmas seal sale.

Local volunteer workers who will assist with the work include Mrs. Cletus Butsch, Mt. Angel health chairman, Mrs. Ernie Crowder, Mrs. Leo Schwab, Mrs. Alois Keber, Mrs. Al Lally, Mrs. J. J. Penner, Mrs. Joseph L. Wachter, Joseph Faulhaber, Harold Bourbonnais, George Schmidt and Richard Foltz.

Extension Group of Brush College Meets

BRUSH COLLEGE — Extension unit met Friday with Mrs. R. S. Forester, Mrs. Carey Marten and Mrs. Forester, project leaders, prepared foods for dinner three ways, including pies, cakes, meat pies, baked beans, sandwiches and hot rolls.

Mrs. A. J. Mazac, project leader for party planning, gave a demonstration. Mrs. V. L. Gibson was chairman, assisting the leaders.

Party Held on 4th Birthday At Halls Ferry

HALLS FERRY — Bobby Graham, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Graham, observed his fourth birthday Saturday. Those present were Billy, Tommy and Susan Strawn; Judy, Sharon and Johnny Hanna; Billy, Ronnie and Dick Garrett; Barbara, Joyce and Joanne Drey; Roberta, Billy and Skippy Phillips; Jimmy and Tani Seydel; Kathy Ann Wilson and Sandra M. Graham, sister of Bobby. Adults present were Mrs. John Hanna, Mrs. Robert Garrett, Mrs. William Strawn, Mrs. Lee Seydel and Bobby's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Platt of Halls Ferry celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary recently.

The Halls Ferry Mothers' club will meet Friday, March 4, 3:45 p.m. at the schoolhouse. Guest speaker will be A. W. Riney, county extension agent in charge of 4-H work.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Graham of Aurora last week end were Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Graham and family of Halls Ferry.

The Rev. and Mrs. N. Nichols of Seattle were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson. They are grandparents of Maureyne and Clemens Nichols. Rehearsals have begun on the community play entitled "Always in Trouble" to be presented in March for a school benefit. Those in the cast are Wilfred Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Newton, Alma Cunningham, Tony Buisman, Gail Williamson, Orville Nichols and Elinor Graham. Mrs. Ray Barker and Mrs. Lester Newton will coach the play.

Mrs. Anderson Speaks at Marion Extension Meet

MARION — The Marion home extension unit met at the Farmers Union hall this week to hear Mrs. Dorothy Anderson, representative of the Oregon State college extension unit, lecture on "Growing Old Gracefully."

Mrs. Virgil Baxter, unit chairman, presided. Members suggested several subjects for projects later this year.

Mrs. Thelma Tomlinson and Mrs. Charles Eversizer, assisted by Mrs. F. Millard and Mrs. Florence Smith, will demonstrate "Wall Finishes" March 18. Mrs. George McCoy will display a collection of handmade grass articles imported from India during the March meeting.

MEETING FRIDAY
SILVERTON — Brush Creek Booster club will meet Friday night at Brush Creek school house, 8 p.m.

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