

Girl Sings Way To Talent Win At Sweet Home

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SWEET HOME—Miss Marilyn Cookley, senior at Sweet Home Union High School, won first place in the first annual talent show sponsored by the Sweet Home Kiwanis Club. Final contest was Thursday.

Miss Cookley, a lyric soprano, was named winner of the grand final award by a panel of local judges. Her selections were "Indian Love Call" and "Estrellita." Miss Cookley is the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Cookley, Sweet Home.

Cecil Huffman, Crawfordville, has opened a tavern in Los Angeles, it was learned here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Galloway and Michael Galloway went to Portland Friday evening to attend the 90th birthday party for Mr. Galloway's oldest sister, Mrs. J. W. (Elizabeth Galloway) McFerrin, at the home of Mrs. McFerrin's daughter-in-law and son, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Morrison. Of the Galloway family of nine children only four are living. They are Mrs. McFerrin, Portland; Michael Galloway, Sweet Home; Mrs. Stella Johnson, Portland; and Jack Galloway. The family were among the early pioneer settlers of Oregon and have been prominent in affairs of the state.

The Rev. Roy Franklin, pastor of the local Church of the Nazarenes, arrived home Wednesday evening after a month in Good Samaritan Hospital at Nampa, Idaho, and at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Franklin, Meridian, Idaho. A short time after arrival there he became ill and was taken to the hospital. He is still in a weakened condition.

Sixteen members of the Royal Ambassadors Class of the First Baptist Church went to Trout Creek government camp Friday evening for an over-night stay. They were accompanied by Councilor Otto Shockey, Jack Barger and the Rev. Lee Finley. Saturday the boys took a high to Rooster Rock.

A Sunday school study course will start March 24 and continue through March 28 at First Baptist church. Frank Nixon, Eugene; Mrs. Carey Moore, Portland; and Mrs. Perley Webster, Klamath Falls, will take part.

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Sheridan—The Parent-Teacher Association will sponsor an exhibition of copies of famous paintings March 31 to April 5 in the Burchell Building. The exhibit consists of 150 large reproductions of the world's great paintings. A small charge will be made to buy paintings for the schools.

Sweet Home—A large window in the Community Church, Methodist, valued at \$600, has been broken, evidently by rifle shot. It has not been determined whether the window was accidentally or maliciously broken, but police warned the many youngsters with air rifles that it is unlawful to shoot any kind of gun within the city limits.

Jefferson—Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wells returned Monday from Richland, Wash., where they had been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Lester Bruns, and family.

Sheridan—CTSN Barbara Chrisman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Chrisman, has returned to Washington, D.C., where she is stationed with the Navy.

Lalish Center—The Community Club, which was to have met this Friday night, has postponed its meeting one week to March 21.

Mountain View—A Mountain View school budget meeting is scheduled to be held Tuesday evening, March 11 at 8 p.m. in the school house.

Macleay—The Macleay Home Economics Club will meet at the Grange Hall at 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 11.

Sheridan Garden Officers Named

SHERIDAN—Officers elected by Sheridan Garden club are Nell Brandt, president; Thelma Hill, vice president; Myra Ash, secretary; and Dorothy Krauthofer, treasurer. Frieda Shively gave a talk on primroses. Hostesses were Alkie Wiser, Cora Wilbur and Maude Aldrich.

Cecil Harrison, chief of the Sheridan fire department, was honored with a dinner last week in celebration of his 25 years on the department. He was presented with a wrist watch by Mayor Francis Bradley, who is also a member of the department.

Independence Father-Son Banquet Held

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INDEPENDENCE—A father-son banquet was held at the Baptist Church Thursday night, with women of the church serving a ham dinner.

During the program musical numbers were rendered on the Hawaiian guitar by one of the guests. The featured speaker was the Rev. James Neely, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Albany. Master of ceremonies was Al Price. Mr. Hotchkiss, the oldest father present, aged 95, played two selections on his harp. A colored movie, "Fishing in Alaska," was shown.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Harwood and daughter, Sandra, spent the week end with their son, Allan Harwood, at Aberdeen, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kietzing have returned from a vacation in Southern California.

Mrs. Cora Berry and son Bill moved to Albany the first of the week to make their home. They will be located near the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Taylor and family.

Demoss Forest of Rosetown, Canada, is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Dalvina Robinson.

Family Moves At Falls City

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FALLS CITY—Mrs. Henry Reeves has returned to her home in Garberville, Calif., after visiting with friends for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Shephard have moved to Garberville where he has employment in a mill.

Mrs. Wm. McGinnis and children of Iowa, and Mrs. Hazel Petersen of San Francisco, were weekend guests of Mildred Wray.

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Family Night Meet Held at Marquam Hall

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The WSCS society had their regular program Wednesday afternoon. The president Mrs. Ruth Beck officiating. Devotional was by Mrs. Vera Paquin with an instructive reading. Mrs. Gasner White handed out devotional clippings to each one to read.

Mrs. Beck gave a review on parts of Mexico, Central and South America. The next meeting will be study of Brazil and other South American countries. Mrs. Beck extended her appreciations to all who aided the society in making the tamales supper another successful event of the year.

Among the dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Toepfer Tuesday was Mrs. W. McPherson, who enjoyed the useful articles on display sent home from Japan and China by their son Willis N. Toepfer who is now in the navy. After his thirty day leave here he will be stationed at San Diego, Calif.

Silvertown Guests From Fort Lewis

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SILVERTOWN—Week-end guests of Mayor and Mrs. Errol Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Adams, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Fish were a group of Army officers and their wives from Fort Lewis. Included were Col. and Mrs. Raymond Miller, Col. and Mrs. Edward Donahue, Col. and Mrs. Lee L. Alfred, Lt. and Mrs. Dale French and Maj. and Mrs. Anthony Kelley.

The group were entertained at dinner Saturday night by their local hosts and attended services at the Methodist Church Sunday morning.

Col. Alfred is a son of I. B. Alfred of Silvertown.

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Jefferson Soldier Wins Combat Badge

JEFFERSON—Stc. Daniel L. Kolke, Route 1, Jefferson is among the first members of the 40th Infantry Division to be awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge, symbol of the front line fighting man, since the unit's arrival in Korea, according to word received here.

The 40th, a National Guard unit from Southern California, was the first organization of its kind to arrive overseas after the start of the Korean conflict. It trained for 16 months in Japan before it was committed to Korea in January.

Salem Heights Garden Club Holds Meeting

SALEM HEIGHTS—Mrs. B. B. Bangert entertained the Friendly Neighbors Garden Club on Thursday evening at her home on Fairview Ave. Mrs. William Gardner was the assisting hostess.

Mr. William Hall conducted the business meeting and Mrs. R. H. Parks, reported on the Garden Council and told of the flower show which is scheduled for May 10 and 11, in which the club will participate. Committees to work on the entry will be named later.

Mrs. Harold Rosebraugh was the guest speaker and gave a travelogue on a trip taken last summer to the various National parks in the U.S.

Guest was Mrs. Glen Ivie, of Coquille, former member of the club.

Silvertown Man Jailed On Liquor-to-Minors

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SILVERTOWN—Orrin Cougheneer of Silvertown was taken to Marion County jail Monday to serve a 30-day sentence on a charge of giving alcoholic liquor to minors.

He was one of three men arrested on the charge by Constable Emery J. Jackson. The others are awaiting trial. Cougheneer pleaded guilty Monday before Justice of the Peace Alf O. Nelson. He also was fined \$50.

Dallas Couple Return From Visit to Idaho

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INDEPENDENCE—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stanford and baby daughter, Sally Ann returned to their home in Dallas. Mrs. Stanford and baby daughter spent the past two weeks at the home of the baby's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Mull. Little Sally Ann is the great granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Brownlee of Jerome, Idaho and the great great granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hatfield also of Jerome.

A large group of friends and relatives gathered over the weekend to help Martin Gentlemann celebrate his 18th or his 72nd birthday last Friday, Feb. 29. All his sisters, brothers and children were present. Mr. and Mrs. Gentlemann also celebrated their wedding anniversary which was on the 28th.

Women Meet At Jefferson

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JEFFERSON—The Christian Woman's Fellowship met Friday for a covered dish luncheon and study. Miss Myrtle Myers and Mrs. Lee Wells were hostesses. Mrs. Frank Higgins led the program, and Mrs. Robert Higgins reviewed the new study book. The missionary layette was worked on. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Towery of

Marion have a daughter born at Salem Memorial hospital Monday, March 3.

Mrs. Clarence Miller, Mrs. Guy Johnston and Mrs. Richard Kelly attended the program Sunday afternoon at the Oregon State College presented by the OSC concert band. Playing in the band were Mrs. Miller's son, Donald and Donna Wiederkehr, both of Jefferson.

C. M. Cochran, proprietor of Cochran's Texaco Station, has been ill the past week with flu. Miss Addie Lindby, ill with flu last week, was able to be back at the library Tuesday afternoon. Miss Myrtle Myers substituted during her absence.

Malayan Airliner Almost Destroyed Near Own Airport

SINGAPORE (AP)—Hundreds of persons at Singapore's Kallang Airport held their breath as they watched a two-engine plane of the Malayan Airways swoop down for an emergency landing — its starboard engine spitting smoke and flame.

Some of them knew there were 21 passengers on the plane, arriving from Kuala Lumpur. As airport fire engines reached the stricken craft, the smoke ceased. The pilot had doused the fire in time with an emergency extinguisher.

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