

From The Oregon Statesman's Valley Correspondents

North Howell Fall Festival Attracts 200

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NORTH HOWELL — Even the record breaking dry weather did not seem to affect the quality or quantity of fruits, vegetables and flowers at the North Howell Grange Fall Festival recently.

Mrs. Edith Wilson presented program numbers which included accordion music by R. J. Eggiman, baton twirling exhibition by Jerry Hastie and partner of Woodburn, readings by Mrs. Thomas Bump and Otto Bahl and community singing accompanied by Mrs. Reba Edwards.

The auction sale was conducted by Denver Young and the quilt guessing contest was won by Roxanne Hastie.

The flower exhibit judged by Mrs. Jack Bartlett, resulted in blue ribbon awards to Mrs. Jim Jackson on roses, zinnias and castor beans; to Mrs. Ernest Redding on button zinnias and dwarf marigolds; to Mrs. Evan Beals on coleus and flowering begonia; to Mrs. C. E. Wainman on nasturtiums, dahlias and to Mrs. A. B. Wiesner for her pansy arrangements.

Dinner was served to 200.

Falls City Party Goes to California To Visit Relatives

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Mrs. Floyd French returned from Arizona after spending several weeks with her father who has been seriously ill.

Mrs. Milton Sample was honored with a shower recently at the I.O.O.F. Hall.

A Halloween Party will be held for the Rebekahs at their regular meeting Wednesday night.

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Forty-four pupils were enrolled in the seventh grade room when school started and the class was divided. A new pupil, Larry Matthews enrolled recently and Norman Lea is home from a trip to Missouri.

Syracuse Women Discuss Textiles

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JEFFERSON — "Keeping Up To Date with Textiles" was discussed at a recent Syracuse Extension unit meeting. Hostesses for the host dinner were Mrs. Russell Gott and Mrs. Walter Shelby.

At the afternoon session Mrs. Robert Schmidt explained the pros and cons of the school reorganization bill. Guests were Mrs. George Mackie, Mrs. Wesley Ray, Mrs. Homer Shelby, Mrs. Roger Berger, Mrs. Walter Shelby and Mike.

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Fatal Rail Crossing Crash Mangles Truck



This pickup truck was smashed and strewn for 250 feet Monday morning when hit by a train near Brooks, killing Hanson Hunt of the Fruitdale district. Shown above is the chassis and cab of the vehicle, thrown to one side, while the truck bed was tossed to the other. The truck was hit at the Quinaby crossing. (Story on page one.)

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