

Oakridge Play Earns \$160

OAKRIDGE—The junior play, "On Mad Night," earned \$160 for the high school, Friday, Dec. 5. The three-act mystery drama was high-lighted by the outstanding performances of Darrell Blanton, Thurston Dunn, Irvin Clark, Martin Anderson, Larry Blakely, and others. Both performances were well attended.

Oakridge Masons have announced plans for a Christmas party at the Odd Fellows Hall, Dec. 11. Masons, wives and families; Elms, husbands and families are invited. A potluck dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. and a Christmas tree is planned. Each person is requested to bring a gift; not to exceed .50 for children or \$1 for adults.

Census for School District No. 76 has recently been completed, showing a marked increase: 498 children; 258 boys and 240 girls. Miss Myrtle Psoos, a beauty operator, is a new employee at the Edith Lindgren Beauty Shop. Miss Psoos is from Eugene and is now living at the Kenneth Harkins home.

The American Legion Auxiliary will give the Girl Scouts a Christmas party, Monday evening.

Representatives from Pope and Talbot and the US Forest Service are now making a survey in the Hills Creek drainage area. Aerial photographs have been taken.

Luther Rogers is a patient at the Veterans Hospital in Portland. Rogers crushed his hand and fingers while working.

Mrs. Lawrence Hills and Mrs. Kenneth Harkins entertained recently at a dinner party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Val Lee on their wedding anniversaries.

At Lorane Sunday

LORANE — Universal Bible Sunday will be observed at Lorane Christian Church Dec. 14 by a special exhibit of very old or unique Bibles, or Bibles printed in a foreign language. The community is invited to participate in this exhibit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bahensky will leave Dec. 13 for their former home at St. Paul, Neb., for an indefinite stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Lynch will come over from Baker, Ore., and will occupy the Bahensky home here during their absence.

Mrs. Loreyne Kotze of this place has taken over the A & B Beauty Shop in the Cottage Grove Hotel building.

ALPINE HOME EXTENSION

ALPINE—The Home Extension Unit meets Wednesday with Mrs. C. Davidson, all day, potluck dinner. Subject: "Garment Finishes." Mrs. Earl Brittain and Mrs. Jack Wiggins in charge. Women are to bring scrap of material large enough to make bound button holes, scissors, two spoons colored thread, pins, needles and thumbtacks. Also bring Christmas gift with their names on it. All women of community are urged to attend.

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Veneta Celebrates "Grandma Trout Day," With Gifts, Flowers

VENETA—Mrs. Sarah Trout celebrated her 84th birthday Saturday. Having lived in the community many years, she has a host of friends who fondly call her grandma. It is the custom in her church to give a birthday offering of a penny for each year, and this is one of the happiest times of the year when she can put her birthday pennies in the cup. The Sunday school presented her with a corsage.

Bethel-Danebo Teen-Canteen

BETHEL—The Bethel-Danebo Teen Canteen sponsored by the Senior Girl Scouts is held each Saturday in the Bethel School gym from 7:30-10 p.m. There is dancing, ping pong, table games and refreshments—cakes 10c, candy 5c. The canteen is for all students from grade seven through 12. Admission is 10c.

This Saturday night, Dec. 13, there will be a special admission price—one can of food or one article of wearable clothing for needy people in Eugene. Parents are especially urged to attend for without parents we will not be able to continue the canteen.

Halsey News Rika de Broekert

HALSEY — Halsey High School did very well at the jamboree held at the Harrisburg gymnasium Friday evening. In the cheering contest, Halsey was second. Halsey lost to Harrisburg, won over Brownsville and Sedo and tied with Sheed, which gave them the highest total score.

A daughter, Candis Elaine, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Giles at the Corvallis General Hospital, Dec. 5. She is their third child but first daughter. Bob is employed on the Corvallis Gazette Times and Mrs. Giles is the former Geraldine Straley. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Straley of Halsey and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Giles, editors of the Brownsville Times are grandparents. Mrs. H. L. Straley of Brownsville is great grandmother. Robert and Denny Giles, the baby's two brothers are at the Straley home here.

Mrs. Stephen Smith underwent a tonsillectomy at Eugene Monday morning. Russell Norton is a patient in the Corvallis General Hospital having undergone an appendectomy.

Dr. Emil Brunswick of Des Moines, Iowa and Reuben Brunswick of Rembrandt, Iowa, visited at the Harlan Eastman home last week. He has purchased a farm near Shedd and will move his family to Oregon to make their home.

The Christian Endeavor will have a party in the parlors of the Christian Church Thursday evening with the young people from the MYF as guests.

A Willamette Union C. E. rally will be held at the local Christian Church Sunday at 2:30 p.m.

Donald Greaves, a student at Utah State University, Logan, Utah, arrived last week to visit his mother, Mrs. Mae Greaves and sister, Mrs. P. J. Dennison and family.

The auction sale at the Lake Creek Grange Saturday evening netted them nearly \$150 for their building fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Kizer are the proud parents of a daughter, Diane Ions, born Dec. 8 in Eugene. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kizer of Harrisburg and Mrs. Edna Ludlow of Hillsboro are grandparents and Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Kizer of Harrisburg and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Green of Coburg are great-grandparents all for the first time.

WCTU meets Tuesday, Dec. 16 at 2 p.m. with Mrs. O. L. Covault.

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Creswell Nears Chest Filling

CRESWELL—Creswell has not quite completed the Community Chest drive. To date a total of \$450 has been turned in to the chairman, E. E. Allen. Ralph Rogers assisted Allen with the rural soliciting while Mrs. Norman Skaggs and Mrs. H. A. Howe assisted Mrs. V. W. Johnston with that in town. G. H. Mawson had charge of the business houses and the mills.

Presbyterian Aid Society meets Wednesday, 1 p.m. pot luck dinner at the home of Mrs. A. J. Gabriel. Officers will be elected and a Christmas party with gifts enjoyed. The birthdays of the last four months will be observed.

Christmas party is planned at Womans Society of Christian Service at the Methodist Church Annex Wednesday with Mrs. F. W. Ogram in charge. The annual reports will be given.

The Christmas party of the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will be held following Odd Fellows meeting Wednesday evening.

Little Theater Club meets Monday evening, at the V. W. Johnston home. A potluck supper will be served at 7 p.m.

Mrs. Ted Mogstad will entertain the F L club, Tuesday, at 8 p.m. Officers will be elected. A Christmas party with gifts will be a feature.

The F L club members were in charge at Rebekah lodge Wednesday evening.

Plans were made for joint installation with the Odd Fellows Wednesday, Jan. 14 following Rebekah lodge.

Appointive officers will be installed; warden, Mrs. E. Cartwright; conductor, Mrs. R. L. Sellers; chaplain, Mrs. E. E. Allen; inside guardian, Mrs. R. F. Scott; outside guardian, Mrs. Fred Nichols; right supporter to noble grand, Mrs. V. W. Johnston; left supporter to noble grand, Mrs. Ellis; musician, Mrs. Kent; right supporter to vice-grand, Mrs. Miller; left supporter to noble grand, to be named later.

Plans were made for the Christmas party at the Odd Fellows Hall Wednesday evening, with the lodge as hosts. Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Earl Greenwood and Mrs. Ellis were appointed to serve with the IOOF committee on plans for a program, with gifts. A letter was read from C. O. Hewitt who recently went to Portland to make his home at the Odd Fellows Home. A cheer box was planned and donations are to be left with Mrs. Carpenter.

Camas Swale Club enjoyed turkey at the meeting Tuesday. Hostesses for the next meeting are Mrs. W. L. Scott, Mrs. E. O. Smith and Mrs. E. W. Hoagland.

Coburg Meetings

COBURG — Girl Scouts meet in the social room of the Methodist Church at 4 p.m., Monday. Monday evening the District 99 men's potluck dinner and bi-monthly meeting will be held at Coburg with Holly Jarvis of Lebanon, as guest speaker. Choir practice will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m. The choir will present Christmas music at the Sunday evening service on Dec. 21.

Wednesday at 2 p.m., the Ladies Aid Society meets in the social room of the church, the junior choir will meet at 7 p.m. at the church and prayer meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m., at the parsonage. Everyone is cordially invited to attend the prayer service.

U AND I AT DANEBO DANEBO — U and I Sewing Circle meets with Mrs. William Steweke on Elmira Highway Tuesday at 2 p.m.

INSURANCE PASSED WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Senate passed and sent to the House Friday a bill increasing by \$750,000,000 the Mortgage Insurance Administration of the Federal Housing Administration.

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Central Folks Gather For Old-Fashioned Community Visiting

Central Community meets at the Grange Hall, Saturday, 8 p.m. for dancing, cards and visiting. Bring cookies, or upside-down cake.

'Friendship' Headed Here

PORTLAND—(AP)—A "Friendship Train" left here Friday for the University of Oregon's needy. The "train" was actually a car and trailer, filled with food and clothing contributed by the University of Oregon Mothers Club and individuals.

It is to go to financially hard-pressed GI students and their families. Among the contributions aboard the "train" are baby buggies and high chairs.

Mrs. Perrie Dolph, manager of the campaign since she thought up the idea four years ago, explained that many students are barely getting by in these days of high prices.

Yoncalla News

YONCALLA—A turkey dinner was given by the Parent-Teachers Assn. at the school lunch room Monday evening. About \$127 was taken in, but there is some expense for turkeys, buns, etc.

Proceeds will be used for the school kitchen. The P-TA will have charge of the treats at the community Christmas tree Tuesday, Dec. 23. Mrs. Sarah Wertz, Mrs. Rudy Ulbright, and Mrs. Russell Loyd were appointed on the finance committee to raise money for the treats.

About \$100 was added to the P-TA fund from the play they gave in November. The town and country club gave \$42.50 to the P-TA for the kitchen and hot lunches. The kitchen is in need of plates, glasses for juices, knives, and dish towels. Names of five new members were turned in.

Mrs. Luther Martin, Mrs. Harry Abbott, and Mrs. Elmer Bragg are school cooks. Mrs. Abbott gave a reading. Mrs. Ruby Thomas' grade school girls sang, and Mrs. Lee gave a short talk on Children's Hospital in Eugene. The next meeting will be Jan. 12.

The Yoncalla Saddle club elected officers recently: president, Charles Applegate, vice-president, Art Rychar; secretary, Wayne Rice; and treasurer, William Castor.

At a recent agricultural conservation meeting of district nine the following officers were elected and delegates chosen. Chairman, W. A. Rychar; vice-chairman, John Cook; regular member, Harold Turpin; first alternate, Herman Thiele; second alternate, Wilbur Briner; delegate to county convention, W. A. Rychar; alternate delegate, John Cook.

The Home Economics club of the Rice Hill Grange is raising money to build a new kitchen on their hall.

Personal News A car with a trailer attached struck Dan Wright when he was on the sidewalk in front of Corner Cafe Tuesday morning. The police caught the driver near Sutherland. Wright was taken by ambulance to a hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Applegate, Nov. 30, at Sacred Heart Hospital in Eugene. Word was received here of the death of Mrs. Martha Shields a former resident of Yoncalla for many years. She is the mother of Mrs. Tom Holloman and grandmother of Hollis Pennington.

A potluck dinner was given at the Oscar Lundson home Sunday in honor of their 52nd wedding anniversary and Fred Lee's birthday. Both anniversaries come on Dec. 8. Lee is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Lundson. Twenty-eight members of the family were present.

Veneta Four-H

VENETA—Miss Meble Maston, assistant county Four-H club leader, will be in our community Tuesday at 2 p.m. to conduct a meeting for all the local leaders.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Scott and daughter have returned home after home after visiting his mother at Reno, Nev. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ballard who took a load of Christmas trees to Bakersfield, Calif., are expected home the last of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Slipick and children who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Archie Marshik returned to their home at Snake River, Wash. Mrs. Minnie Ross who has been visiting at home of her grandson, Harry Ross, has returned to Chelialis, Wash.

Lake Creek H E

LAKE CREEK — Home Extension Unit meets at the clubhouse Tuesday, 10:30 a.m., with Mrs. Grace Carr and Mrs. Ardis Smith leaders in a cooking demonstration on "Desserts."

Community Club meets Saturday evening Dec. 13. An oyster supper and program are arranged.

Norman Savage has taken a trip to Canada for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold White have gone to Portland to meet their son and family from Nebraska who will visit them during the holidays.

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