

Movies At Blue River

BLUE RIVER — Free color movies on pertinent topics are offered by the Blue River Civic Club at their Tuesday evening meeting, 7:30 p.m. at McKenzie School. The whole community, particularly children, invited.

The Lane County Electric Cooperative is showing the four films, titled "Bonnieville Dam," "Running Water at the Farm," "Clear Waters," a film on sewage problems, and "Oregon Trails."

A short business meeting follows. All committees are to be ready to report.

Creswell IOOF

CRESWELL — The Odd Fellows plan to redecorate their lodge room and J. R. Miller, M. G. Miller, and V. W. Johnston will collect estimates of the cost.

Plans were made at the recent meeting to hold a potluck supper preceding the first meeting of each month. A delegation will go to North Bend Wednesday, Feb. 18, to present a 25-year jewel to George Hubbard, a member of the Creswell lodge who lives at North Bend.

Mrs. J. P. Walker, Mrs. Susie Mower and Mrs. Ted Fering will entertain the Camas Swale Club at the Walker home at Cottage Grove Tuesday, Feb. 10. Cars will leave down town Creswell at 11 a.m. There will be an exchange of Valentines.

F. L. Club has a special meeting Monday, Feb. 9 at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. R. M. Carpenter. Mrs. Lois Bride, state president of the F. L., will be honor guest.

Rebekahs meet Wednesday, Feb. 11 at 8 p.m. Mrs. Fred Trumbly and Mrs. J. R. Miller are on the serving committee. Final arrangements will be made to attend the district convention in Eugene Feb. 17.

Work on bazaar articles was done at Dorcas Circle of the Methodist Church, at the home of Mrs. A. C. Adams at Goshen Wednesday. Mrs. C. Scarborough was honored at the birthday table. In charge for the March meeting are Mrs. Dora Martin, Mrs. L. H. Brown, Mrs. R. E. Wright and Mrs. E. L. Denny.

The birthdays of Mrs. Harry Brown and Mrs. E. L. Reynolds were observed at a party Tuesday evening at the Brown home. Fourteen guests were present.

Bob Easterling was under treatment for pneumonia in a Eugene hospital several days this week. He is at his home and doing well.

All of the electrically equipped mills in this area are closed for the want of power and no promise of more electricity is imminent. Some may run on night shifts during the shortage.

Holts Lumber Company have added a new large International logging truck to their equipment this week.

Thurston Personals

THURSTON — Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fraser have purchased a house and lot in the Paramount district of Springfield and plan to move there soon. The Frasers, who came to Oregon last fall from Memphis, Tenn., have been staying at the home of Mrs. Fraser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ewell.

Mrs. Jessie Platt and Mrs. Guy Bell attended a recent training school for leaders of Home Extension Unit projects in Eugene, and will have charge of the next meeting of the local club, Tuesday, Feb. 17, 2 p.m. with Mrs. Jessie Platt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ford (Lula Simmons) recently moved to Castrovilla, Calif., where they will make their home.

Mrs. Cecil O'Connor started to work the past Monday at the Springfield High School cafeteria. This week marks the opening of the new cafeteria, which school officials had originally planned to have in operation soon after the opening of school last fall, but which had to be delayed because of various shortages of equipment, etc. Only one hot dish was served to students this week but beginning probably Monday, Feb. 9, or very soon thereafter a complete meal will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Gilmour and daughter, are spending the week-end with Gilmour's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gilmour of Cave Junction, in Southern Oregon.

AT WALTERVILLE

WALTERVILLE — The telephone line known as the old 43 line held their annual meeting Monday evening and elected Wayne Endicott as president, George Easton, vice president, and Jesse Schwering, secretary-treasurer. The group levied a \$7.50 assessment for the year.

Mrs. N. S. S. Quimby has returned home from a visit with her daughter Mrs. N. A. Haney of Sweet Home, Ore.

AT THORNTON CORNERS

THORNTON CORNERS — Mrs. L. A. Pool was hostess to 18 women of the neighborhood Thursday afternoon at her home.

Miss Jo Anne Premazzi, who is convalescing satisfactorily from an operation on her knee, returned to the hospital Wednesday for a check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Gwyn, who had sold their home here to Pete Anlauf of Cottage Grove, moved last week to Riddle.

Mike Quaglia is making plans to erect a chicken house, size 24 x 90 feet on his place here, in which he will house 600 pullets. He expects to retire from logging and make his living from poultry.

Grangers Rally Monday; Prepare Complaints, Suggestions on Roads

Kenneth Kienzle, Pomona Grange master, Saturday issued a reminder to all grange road committees to have good, factual reports ready for the meeting at the Lane County Courthouse, Monday, 1 p.m., at which their data will be turned over to a Pomona committee, which will prepare a report to turn over to the state legislature's committee on roads and highways, at their Eugene meeting Feb. 17.

"Our roads, we all know, are in the worst shape right now that they have been in since Model T days," said Kienzle.

"The grange has a big responsibility to everybody in Lane County, in making this voluntary, unpaid survey, for the state committee. Each grange's road committee is directed to find out the number of people being served by their local roads, the kind, amount, and value of products being hauled, and the present state of the roads."

A building and maintenance program will be discussed, and conclusions included in the report. Members of the Pomona committee: Lennie Halderson from Central Grange, Max Nielsen from Junction City Grange, Ralph Rogers from Creswell Grange will also be present.

At Veneta

VENETA — A representative from Jaquith Music Co. will be at the grade school Wednesday to give musical aptitude tests to children in grades four through eighth.

Mrs. Marie Ekstrom an accordion supervisor was in the community Wednesday contacting parents who have children who wish to take accordion lessons.

Grade school children had an unexpected vacation beginning Tuesday, continuing through the week when the pump broke down. The furnace is being repaired also.

Mrs. Florence Ferebee will attend a regional conference for principals at Salem Saturday.

Mrs. Edna Mitchell has come from Sacramento to stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shafer.

New Business At Santa Clara

SANTA CLARA — Charles E. Sullivan's new building is complete, with five places of business: A sub-station has been opened by McAvay's Wardrobe Cleaners.

"Gene's Steak House" has been opened by Mrs. L. Green who lost her home by fire recently in Santa Clara.

A barber shop for farmers is run by Fred Dick.

The Charles Peter Electric Shop and Hinz Washing Machine Service and Sales, also service kitchen appliances.

New Home — Mrs. E. C. Hart has moved into her new home which has recently been completed.

Mrs. F. F. Davidson and little son, born Jan. 18, have returned to their home on Azalea Drive.

Sacred Film Coming To Junction City

JUNCTION CITY — The union churches of the city are presenting the film "Golgotha" at the grade school auditorium Saturday, Feb. 14 at 8 p.m. This is a passion play depicting the last week of Christ's ministry in Palestine. The picture is highly commended by all denominations.

Mrs. Henry Hansen, city librarian, reports 1215 books in circulation during January. 18 new borrowers within the city and seven outside the city, 16 of these were adults. Fourteen new books were added to the library. \$18.60 was collected in rentals and \$17.56 in fines.

Fall Creek P-TA

FALL CREEK — The local Parent Teachers Association will celebrate Founders Day with a meeting at the grade school house, Tuesday, February 10, 8 p.m.

The guest speaker will be Clarence Hines, superintendent of Eugene city schools, who will speak on the "Parent Teachers Four Point Program." All parents and others interested are urged to be present.

Lack of sufficient power is working a hardship on this locality. The Fall Creek sawmill has been compelled to suspend operations and, because of that, the loggers are out of work. The Mill hopes to resume operations Monday, Feb. 9.

Mrs. Holly Bachman is in California for a two weeks visit. She took Harry Dawe, who has been living with her for some time, back to his home at Tarzana, Calif.

Boyd Schwary is working on a basement, preparing to erect a house in the near future on his property here.

Irving, Clear Lake Merge School Units

IRVING — Clear Lake and Irving School Districts will consolidate, and be known as the Irving School District, according to announcement from Mrs. Lucille Klinge, county school superintendent. At their recent election, Irving voted 29-2 to consolidate, and the Clear Lake vote was 29-1 for consolidation.

Thurston Voters Favor Merger

THURSTON — Consolidation for the Springfield grade school district and the local grade school district Number 106 carried in the Thurston district by the overwhelming vote of 104 for the plan, to 22 votes for the opposition. One blank ballot was cast at the special election at the grade school Thursday evening from 8 till 9 p.m. Tellers for the election were Mr. Charles Park, Mr. Bill Michael, Mr. J. E. Julian, Mr. Glenn Simmons and Mrs. Edna Michael.

Thurston P-TA Study Club, organized recently with Mrs. Guy Bell as chairman, met Jan. 29 in the social room of the Thurston church. The group has as its subject "Home Study Course in Social Hygiene Guidance," by Roy E. Dickerson. The course is distributed through the University of Oregon Medical School, in Portland, and covers social hygiene guidance from early childhood through adolescence and preparation for marriage, in a series of six lessons.

In addition to the lessons, a large number of pamphlets by eminent doctors and social hygiene experts throughout the nation, are included for supplementary study.

Mrs. Bell states that she has a supply of these pamphlets for distribution to any one interested. The next meeting will be Thursday afternoon, Feb. 19, 2 p.m., at the church. Any P-TA members who wish may attend.

Thurston P-TA meets Friday evening, Feb. 13, 8 p.m., at the school house. A special Founder's Day program under the direction of Mrs. Orylle Pickett is to be given. Those in charge of refreshments are: Dr. M. L. Wood, Mr. Lloyd Long, Mrs. Harold Davenport, Mrs. Burl Johnson, and Mrs. Lloyd Fisher. Everyone interested is invited to be present.

Thurston Ladies' Aid Society decided at recent meeting to hold a spring bazaar, which will be in connection with a musical play, that is now being prepared by members of the Thurston Church Choir. The play is directed by Mrs. Arch. Shough with musical numbers in charge of Mrs. Marie Cunningham, choir director, and is entitled, "The Minister's Aunt." The play and bazaar are planned for early March.

Home Beautification 4-H Club had as its special theme at the Feb. 2 meeting, the propagation of shrubs by cuttings. Their leader, Mrs. Guy Bell, illustrated proper methods of taking cuttings by pruning her nine fuchsia plants. Each member took home a fuchsia cutting to plant in her own yard. The club holds its valentine plant exchange at the next meeting, Feb. 16.

Eugene Water Board crews are at work in this area, this week extending the power line on the McKenzie Highway. The new line which runs east, will bring electricity to several homes in the Michael Heights subdivision.

Polio Benefit At Junction

JUNCTION CITY — Remember the benefit polio game Saturday evening when the JC Tigers meet Lowell. Games start at 7 p.m.

AT HALSEY

HALSEY — Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Brunswick and their daughters, Sally Jo and Karen Kay, who are old neighbors of the Harlan Eastman family in Albert, Iowa, arrived here this last week-end to make their home on the farm they purchased near Shedd. They spent the week-end with the Eastman's and then took possession. Edwin Boese and Dean Swanson, who drove the trucks for them were also guests of the Eastman's.

Mrs. Tom Ardy and Mrs. Willard Keen gave a birthday dinner Saturday evening, Jan. 21, at the Ardy home honoring Mrs. C. H. Davidson.

Mrs. Susan Zimmerman of Albany, former Halsey resident, fell at her home there last week and broke her wrist.

Vine Maple Circle, Neighbors of Woodcraft elected officers Wednesday: past guardian neighbor, Minnie Starnes; guardian neighbor, Nellie Olson; adviser, Sarah Robertson; magician, Delilah Miller; clerk, Ada Corcoran; banker, Dorothy Leeper; attendant, Mary Smith; captain of guards, Mae Weber; flag bearer, Elbert Isom; inner and out sentinel, Louise Taylor; musician, Cuma Munson; managers, Sarah Robertson, Jesse Cross and Clair Miller.

Seven members of the first work shop conducted by Martha Mulvey under the sponsorship of the Home Extension Unit, have finished their cotton dresses. A new class is starting Monday, Feb. 23 at 10 a.m. at Wesley Hall. Those signed up who have not yet made their dresses are to bring material, pattern, scissors, pins, etc., and a lunch.

Halsey Study Club Thursday voted \$10 to the March of Dimes. Mrs. Charles Straley reviewed the book "We Lead a Double Life" by Helen and Ruth Hoffman.

At the Odd Fellows Thursday evening, seven candidates for Harrisburg were given the first degree. Guests were present from Brownsville, Lebanon, and Harrisburg. Lyle Holt was elected to fill the office of vice-grand made vacant by the resignation of Randall Kamph who has moved to California.

At Vida

VIDA — Birthdays of members of the McKenzie River Club will be honored in a special way at the potluck dinners held each month, according to a recent an-

Don't Believe Robin; Groundhog Saw Shadow

MONROE — So what if our flurries of snowflakes lie frozen like ice on the ground? Spring's in the air; it is felt everywhere: The robins are singing in town.

Applications are wanted here for grade school cook. Send them at once to Mrs. Muriel Koch, chairman of the Hot Lunch Committee, Monroe, Oregon. Or you may telephone Mrs. Koch, Monroe 2404. The new cook is to take the school kitchen over immediately.

Pastors, laymen, and families are invited to an interdenominational church conference in Salem this Monday through Wednesday, Feb. 9-11.

One of the main features will be a dramatic centennial pageant given in the high school auditorium these Monday evening. Everyone invited. Admission free.

Thursday, Feb. 12, the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Monroe Methodist Church meets here with Miss Sarah Nayland to honor Mrs. Anna ("Grandma") Albin. Mrs. Albin is well past her 80th birthday. She has been a resident of Monroe for the past many years and is well known here.

"Day of Prayer," Friday, Feb. 13, will be held in the Monroe Methodist Church. Participating are the churches of Monroe, Alpine, Bellfountain, and McFarland.

The 131-acre Bennett-Mounce ranch on Star Creek which sold to Herbert Taylor, Corvallis Mountain States Power Co. manager, Friday of last week, was resold by Taylor Monday of this week to a close neighbor, Mrs. Ruby Fairchild. The place joins Mrs. Fairchild's place there so she bought it. She plans to remodel the house and rent it to sportsmen. Fairchild is a prominent lumberman of that vicinity. It is up in the hills, about 13 miles west of Greenberry, and report is that Star Creek has the best fishing in Benton County. W. H. Carson, Monroe realtor, was agent for both sales.

At Oakridge

OAKRIDGE — Homemakers of this community now have the opportunity of enrolling in an adult sewing class that is being sponsored by the P-TA in cooperation with the State Division of Vocational Education.

The planning meeting was held Jan. 30. The first class will deal only with general sewing and instruction, not to include tailoring. A tailoring class may be organized later.

The general sewing class will meet every Thursday, starting Feb. 12, and will continue for ten weeks. Classes will be held in the home economics room at the high school from 7 to 9 p.m. Mrs. Helga Behr will be in charge of instruction. The fee for each member for the entire period is \$2.50. If enrollment figures indicate a need for a second general sewing class, it can be organized. All interested persons should plan to attend the first class meeting.

Oakridge Chapter Eastern Star, had a special meeting in honor of Mrs. Ilma Thum, Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Oregon, Sunday at the Odd Fellows Hall. A miniature country school decorated the table in honor of Mrs. Thum who recently retired from the teaching profession, at Creswell.

Oakridge Star Club is making toy bags for patients at Doernbecher Memorial Hospital for children in Portland. The Star Club will not meet during February. The March meeting will be with Mrs. Robert Tillitson at Westfir with Mrs. Paul Sims helping.

The Lady Firemen met with Mrs. Howard Chandler Wednesday. Sixteen were present. Prizes in Pinchle went to Mrs. Melvin Spallinger, Mrs. W. P. Allen and Mrs. J. L. Fredricks. Mrs. C. L. Cruson will entertain Feb. 11.

Stephen Wagner of Philadelphia, Penn. is visiting James Walker. The boys became acquainted while in service. Wagner is looking for a business location.

Lt. and Mrs. Gordon Stanley and son Gordon have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stanley and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ream.

Trent Sees Progress On Highway Relocation

TRENT — The contractor for the new state highway through Trent has a new crew working on what is known as the Harper Place, now owned by the Hutchins, and the Baughman Place. A bulldozer is clearing the small trees and underbrush, while a crew of men are cutting and trimming the larger trees which will be sold for lumber.

Helping Hand Club meets Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Belle Smith. Members are asked to bring their thimble and a needle so as to work quilt blocks.

The Ray Riggs family has moved into the Chase home here, where the Luther Parkers moved from recently. Riggs comes from the Sky Line Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dowdy Jr., have moved into the Don Kimball home at the Kimball Mill, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams have rented the Lindley house, just vacated by the Dowdys.

Announcement by the entertainment committee.

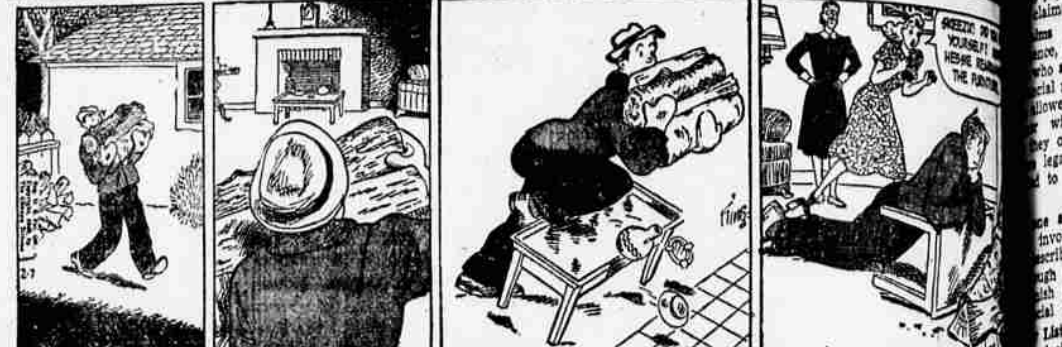
Saturday, Feb. 7, all those who had birthdays in January and February, will be honored guests at the dinner. Mrs. Cecil Beyerlin will bake the birthday cake for this occasion.

Earl McGaffey is in the Sacred Heart Hospital in Eugene, where he was operated on Tuesday. He is reported to be recovering satisfactorily. Mrs. McGaffey is staying in Eugene.

Mrs. Dayton Thomson has been ill at her home the past week but is improving.



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