

## JEFFERSON HAS LARGE TURNOUT AT CELEBRATION

Jefferson—A large crowd of patrons and friends attended the Achievement day program and track meet held at the school April 27.

The program opened at 10 o'clock with the May queen procession. Kathleen Smith was queen; Marjorie Cole, Zola Seipp, Helen Hinz, and Georgia Gilmore were attendants; Jane McGillicuddy and Ethel McTimm were train-bearers. An operetta, "Deep Woods Carnival," directed by Miss Margaret St. Clair and Miss Bertha Dillon, was presented; group singing, rhythm song, 2nd and 4th grades; numbers by the girls' and boys' glee clubs; "Swanee River," 3rd and 4th grades; negro dance, Patsy Parrish and Mildred Thurston; group singing. A basket dinner was in charge of the P.T.A.

The track events were held in the afternoon with the following results:

Girls: 25 yard dash, Grades 1 to 4; Mary Patton, first; Alice Williams, 2nd; Theone Shaeffer, third; 50 yard dash, Mary Patton, Theone Shaeffer, Mildred Thurston; baseball throw, Theone Shaeffer, Alice Williams, Mary Patton; potato race, Mary Patton, Theone Shaeffer, Alice Williams.

Boys: Grades 1 to 4—50 yard dash, Clifford Harris, Arthur Harris, Virgil Fellows; 75 yard dash, Donald Fellows, Bobby Foster, Clifford Harris; gunny sack race, Clifford Harris, Clara Barina, Monte Weddle; potato race, Monte Weddle, Bert Morgan, Virgil Fellows; baseball throw, Donald Fellows, Clifford Harris; broad jump, Arthur Harris, Bobby Foster, Clifford Harris; 3-legged race, Clifford Harris and Bobby Foster, first; Bert Morgan and Monte Weddle, Billy Barnes and Royal Hart.

Girls: 5 to 8 grades—Basketball throw, Pauline Seipp, Ethel Marcus, Frances Patton; baseball throw, Pauline Seipp, Frances Patton, Sheila Roland; potato race, Shirley Roland, Frances Patton, Neota Shaeffer; 3-legged race, June Harris and Pauline Seipp, first; Frances Patton and Sheila Roland, second; Bubbles Hart and Shirley Roland; 50 yard dash, Pauline Seipp, June Harris, Mary Patton; 75 yard dash, Mary Patton, Shirley Roland, Frances Patton; broad jump, Pauline Seipp, Marjorie Weddle, Neota Shaeffer.

Boys: 5 to 8 grades—Broad jump, Melvin Ebert, Oscar Koker, Billy Knight; high jump, Melvin Ebert, Jack Parrish, Francis Phelps; 50 yard dash, Melvin Ebert, Jack Parrish, Charles Brown; gunny sack race, Charles Brown, Jack Parrish, Melvin Ebert; potato race, Oscar Koker, Charles Brown, Oliver Fellows.

Ribbons were awarded the following students for achievement books:

1st grade: June McGillicuddy, first; Robert Norton, second; Robert Kemper, third. Second grade: Wendy Glaser, Barbara Weddle, Monte Weddle; 3rd grade: Ruth Terhune, Mildred Thurston, Clifford Harris; 4th grade: Roberta Roberts, Mary Patton, Bobby Foster; 5th grade: Grace Wordley, Gordon Bader, Beverly Wells; 6th grade: Donna June Powell, Budah Wordley, Marjorie Norton; 7th grade: Bobby Terhune, Frances Patton, Jack Parrish; 8th grade: June Harris, Sheila Roland and Shirley Roland.

First prize in 4-H sewing: Betty Terhune; second Ruth Terhune, 3rd Mary Patton; 4-H cooking club, Donna June Powell, Neota Shaeffer, Junice Smith. Cookery II: Ethel Sherwood.

Herald of Health pins were awarded to James McClain, Robert Norton, Dorine Colgan, Robert Simpson, Ethel McTimm, Betty White, Barbara Weddle, Clifford Harris, Bobby Foster, Ruth Terhune, Gene Redmond, Margaret McClain, Mildred Thurston, Stanley Miller, Clara Barina, Theone Shaeffer, Mary Patton, Junior Smith, Barbara Colgan, Norman Ebert, Donna June Powell, Neota Shaeffer, Budah Wordley, Clifford Fellows, Grace Wordley, Betty Terhune, Jack Parrish, Bobby Terhune, Bernard Albright, Frances Patton, Shirley Roland, Sheila Roland, Francis Phelps and June Harris.

In a double-header baseball game the score was 15 to 4 in favor of the Jefferson boys over Sebo, and 19-4 in favor of the Jefferson girls over the Seio girls' team.

## Steelhammers Hurt In Motor Accident

Silverton—Mr. and Mrs. John Steelhammer were taken to the Silverton General hospital late Sunday evening following a head-on collision with a car that was driven by L. E. Berry. The Berry car is reported to have skidded on the wet pavement between the Goplerd home and the residence of J. C. Larson on the Silverton-Salem highway. The Steelhammer car was badly damaged. A number of cuts about the face and head of both Mr. and Mrs. Steelhammer, and a deep cut on the leg sustained by Steelhammer, were treated. Mrs. Steelhammer was suffering from nervous shock and both were bruised about the body.

## Final Club Meeting

Clear Lake—The Ladies' club will hold its final quilting at the church dining room Wednesday all day where quilts will be finished for Mrs. C. W. Colard and Mrs. C. W. Pugh. All birthdays of club members whose birthdays come in the summer months will be celebrated. Cakes to be baked by Mrs. Everett Wheeler, Mrs. Eck Dufort and Mrs. Theodore Stolk. All members are urged to be present.

## CHURCH FOLKS PROLIC

Stacyon—The Frank Shinkle home was the scene of a party Saturday evening when several members of the Baptist church met for a winter roast and to play games. Those present this occasion were Mrs. Gies Brown, Stanley and David, Mrs. Verma Olson, Verma, Jean and Ellen Lee, Florence Lucas, Margaret Elenore, Francis, Jimmy and Barbara Shinkle.

## Last Parish Card Party At Gervais

Gervais—The Sacred Heart parish held its final card party of the season Sunday night in the parish hall. Fourteen tables of "500" were played and five tables of pedro. Refreshments were served at the close of cards and beano was enjoyed later. Those receiving high scores and a cash prize in "500" were Mrs. J. A. Klier of Mt. Angel, Mrs. Frank Adelman, Mrs. Frank Nosack held high score in pedro. At the close of the evening drawing for the door prize, Franka Eder was winner.

## OPERETTA WILL BE PRESENTED

Mt. Angel—In observance of National Music Week the Vocal club of Mt. Angel academy is presenting "Princess Chrysanthemum," a 3-act operetta May 16, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and at 8 o'clock in the evening in the academy auditorium.

Miss Agnes Walker, whose mezzo-soprano voice has charmed audiences in the past, will appear as the princess. Miss Mary Margaret Black of The Dalles is playing the role of Fairy Moonbeam, a part which will give her opportunity to display her high rich soprano. Also parts are being taken by Miss Marie Gros-Jaques as Prince So-Tu and Miss Ursula Keber as the wend wizard cat, Saucer-Eyes. Other solos and choruses lend their charm to this delightful Japanese operetta and make it a real beauty, and a thorough Japanese atmosphere will be created by the aid of scenery, costumes and songs.

The operetta is being given under the direction of Sister M. Beatrice, head of the music department at Mt. Angel Normal and academy. Interludes will be furnished by the Mt. Angel academy orchestra.

## SHERIDAN STUDENTS MAKE GOOD RECORDS

Sheridan—The honor roll for the fifth period in Sheridan high school has just been released and indicates no decrease in numbers except in the junior class, composed of 53 members and the largest in school.

Two freshmen girls and one sophomore, Janice Johnson, Helen Sechrist and Victoria Fuqua, carried the only straight "A" cards. Others on the honor roll and their averages are:

Freshmen—Maxine Arnold, 1.25; Wayne Flynn, 1.25; Dorothy Sprague, 1.75; Lois Hutchins, 2.00; Lois Magnuson, 2.00.

Sophomores—Betty Frick, 1.25; Frank Huntley, 1.25; Bert Hammett, 1.50.

Juniors—Darrel Syron, 1.25; Mildred Ann Graves, 1.75; James Williams, 2.00; Henrietta Hankel, 2.00.

Seniors—Theresa Brown, 1.50; Glen Lady, 1.50; Alvina Palmer, 1.50; Dorothy Atkey, 2.00; Alice Dandell, 2.00; Charles Hillway, 2.00; Selma Schuker, 2.00; Edith May Jones, 2.00.

## Motorist Ordered To Buy New Plates

Independence—Noah Isaac Van Doren, who claims to be an Oregonian but is indicted upon driving a car with a California license was taken before Judge McIntosh Saturday night where he was found guilty of violating the motor vehicle laws of the state. He was ordered to purchase an Oregon license and report back to the court for sentence. Van Doren had registered his car before Justice McIntosh a few days previous and received a visitor's permit. He was instructed at this time if he accepted employment in the state that his permit would be useless. The state police made the contact, as the defendant was returning from working in the DelRio hop yard owned by Sam Hoover. He is staying with some relatives near Pelee and driving to and from his work.

## Seattle Visitor Is Honored Guest

Lynn—Mrs. Anna Schwindt was hostess to a number of relatives at her home Sunday honoring her son Pete Schwindt of Seattle with an informal dinner. Present were Pete Schwindt, guest of honor, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jungwirth, Deloris and Edward Jungwirth of Newberg, Pete Jungwirth, Mrs. Della West, Louis and Clarence Schwindt, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schwindt and Joe, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schindler and Mary Louise and the hostess, Mrs. Schwindt, all of Jordin.

## Lodge Celebration Held for Woodburn

Woodburn—The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of Woodburn celebrated the anniversary of the founding of Oddfellows at the L. O. O. F. hall with a program which included the following numbers: Reading, Marjorie Wright; reading, Mrs. Cora Taylor; skit by the young people; reading, Mrs. J. A. Thomas; talk, Theron Finch; vocal solo, Miss Ernestine Nathman; radio broadcast of celebrated people with J. Melvin Ring as announcer. Refreshments were served after the program.

## GUESTS KREZ HOME

Victor Point—Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Krenz were Mr. and Mrs. George Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Verry Scott and son, Guy of Union Hill. Additional guests in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Philip Fischer, Miss Eugene Neal, Marion Fischer and Ivan Darby.

Laksh Center—Both of the present teachers, Emma McClumphy, principal and Charlotte O. Jones, primary teacher, have been retained for another year. Each received an increase in salary of \$10 a month. This will make Miss McClumphy's third and Mrs. Jones' fourth year at the local school.

## POLITICIANS AT POLK GATHERING

Dallas—Liberty Bell local No. 140 of the Farmers' Union conducted a very successful "Candidates' night" at the Liberty community hall Saturday night. Despite the stormy weather a large crowd was on hand to hear the candidates or their official representatives outline their platforms and their qualifications for the offices which they are seeking.

The meeting was called to order by President John Foster and opened by the singing of America by the audience. Virgil McPherson, who appeared on behalf of R. R. Turner, headed the list of speakers, which also included Bruce Spaulding, democratic candidate for district attorney, C. P. Gillette, and Elmer Cook, republican candidate for the same office. Mrs. Stella Henry, Elton Hay and Lyle Thomas, all republican candidates for representatives in the state legislature, Taylor Dunn, democratic candidate for the state legislature, Waldo Pinn, republican candidate for county commissioner and L. H. McCreary who spoke in the interests of James Mott, musical numbers were furnished by Mrs. Bruce Spaulding and a male chorus composed of Paul Launer, William Boydston, Floyd Senter, James Leitch and Mr. Fox. Mrs. Gilbert P. MacGregor accompanied at the organ.

## RURAL BRIDGE CLUB HOLDS FINAL PARTY

Hubbard—A series of eight weekly meetings was climaxed Friday evening when the Country Bridge club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Will where the winners, led by Elton McLaughlin, were served an elaborate dinner by the losers, captained by A. J. Smith. Scoring was on the basis of total number of points made by each team in the entire series. Dinner was followed by bridge, at which Mrs. Ella Stauffer was high for the women with Mrs. George Grimes second, and L. A. Braden was high for the men, with George Grimes, second. Prizes were awarded on the basis of cumulative individual score for the series of eight games, in the order given: L. A. Braden, Mrs. A. J. Smith, Mrs. Ella Stauffer, Mrs. George Grimes, Mrs. Lester Will, Waldo Brown, Elton McLaughlin, Julius Stauffer, Mrs. Elton McLaughlin, Elmer Stauffer, Lester Will, A. J. Smith, and Mrs. L. A. Braden. The hostesses were assisted at the serving by Loraine Braden, Betty Brown, and Doris Stauffer.

The list includes, Robert Aline, Jean Anderson, Maribel Beckman, Morris Beers, Hazel Coethers, Vivian Cowan, Mona Doss, Wilma Doss, Leslie Rob, Mildred Pretwell, Kenneth Gallagher, Mervin Graham, Russell Gulas, Ruth Henner, Cora Higgins, Marjorie Jones, Monte Kentel, Carl Lindken, Odean Morison, Violet Kabea, Gerald Miller, Ethel Redding, Bulah Redding, Geraldine Redding, Jean Richmond, Lou Jane Ringo, Arline Rivenes, Leroy Schultz, Lyman Seely, Norman Seethoff, and Kathleen Shorey.

## MARION CHURCH HOST TO SOUTHERN GROUP

Marion—The following program was given at the Jefferson district Sunday school convention which met at the Friends church Sunday afternoon: Song service led by Dr. Van Winkle of Jefferson; devotionals by Rev. G. M. of Jefferson, song, Mrs. Watson's class; reading, Veronice Miller of Sebo; solo, Dr. Van Winkle; address, Rev. Pollard of Lacomb; discussion, "Duty of Sunday School Officers," Helen Kilh; question box, Mrs. Wackerbush; solo, Creta Calavan of Talbot; talk by county president, Mr. DeVries of Pratun, followed by business meeting.

The Friends Sunday school was awarded the banner for the largest percentage in attendance at the convention. The Presbyterian Sunday school of Marion was awarded the banner for the largest average attendance during the quarter. It was announced the next convention would meet at Talbot July 29.

## Surprise Offered On Birthday Date

Stacyon—The Willis Brown home was the scene of a surprise party Saturday evening. Mrs. Floyd Fair's birthday was also honored at this time. Four tables of bridge were in play with high scores. Refreshments were served at a late hour. Present were Mr. and Mrs. W. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fair, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Kitzel, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Kitzel, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Taylor, Dr. and Mrs. W. V. Adams and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pound of Salem.

## High Honors Given To Gates Spellers

Gates—Under the instruction of W. H. Powers, teacher of the seventh and eighth grades of the local schools, the pupils scored first in the spelling contest of the three-room grades in Marion county. The tests are arranged by Mrs. Mary L. Pulkerson, superintendent of Marion county schools. The fourth grade pupils, Miss Gwendolyn Johnson teacher, also won first place. Miss Johnson has charge of the fourth, fifth and sixth grades. Six three-room schools of the county reported for the spelling honors.

## Gift Shower Given

Victor Point—Mrs. Marion Miller was the inspiration of a gift shower for which her sister-in-law, Mrs. Frank Porter was hostess at her home in Silverton Thursday. Those attending the shower from this community were Mrs. H. E. Hubbard, Mrs. W. P. Krenz, Mrs. Paul Jaquet, Mrs. Alice Chaplin, Mrs. Myra Fischer, Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. M. M. Gilmour, Mrs. Elmer Lorence, Mrs. Martin Lorence, Mrs. Arthur Quail, Mrs. Arthur Milkey and Mrs. J. C. Krenz.

Mt. Angel—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boyd were dinner hosts at their home Sunday. Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. John Wilde and daughter, Mary Lou of Portland, Miss Amanda Schwab, Albert Wilde and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boyd.

## Hall Clan Stages Its Annual Event

Gervais—The Hall clan held its annual meeting Sunday at Rustville in the granite hall. More than 75 attended the dinner, coming from all parts of the state and some from a distance of 400 miles. Mr. and Mrs. A. DeJardin and their family, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cuthforth and Rex and Betty, Mrs. Margaret Hall and Ralph Hall were those from here who attended.

## BETHEL OFFERED FINE PROGRAM

Bethel—The community club had as its guest at the April meeting Saturday night the Ricey community club. The guest club provided a fine and entertaining program. The building was packed with listeners, many standing.

The program chairman was Mrs. M. M. Magee, president of the Ricey club. The program consisted of club song, Mrs. Chester Horner at the piano; steel guitar selection, Mrs. P. B. Beck; recitation, Mavis Beck; songs, Donald La Branche with Mrs. A. E. La Branche at the piano; play, "An Unsuccessful Attempt," Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Magee; vocal duets, Inez and Flora Miller with Mrs. Chester Horner accompanied; instrumental selections, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Evans and Mrs. B. Beck; play, "Mama's Boy," Margaret Jaquet, Mrs. A. E. La Branche, Mrs. William Cuthforth, Mrs. P. B. Beck, Mrs. Chester Horner, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Courtner, M. M. Magee and W. H. Humphries.

Before the program the Bethel club held a business meeting and made arrangements for the school's eighth grade graduation exercises and the club's annual ice cream feast to be held at the May meeting. Mrs. Carnalite Weddle will have charge of the program and a committee was appointed for the refreshments. The program was given by Mrs. A. H. Puestman, James Landerback, Arthur Schulz and Mrs. M. H. Utter.

A social time was enjoyed at the close of the program and Mrs. J. M. Nichols, Mrs. John Hall, Mrs. E. E. Matten and Mrs. James Landerback served refreshments.

## THIRTY ONE NAMES ADDED TO SOCIETY

Woodburn—Seven seniors, eleven juniors, seven sophomores and six freshmen of Woodburn high school have attained membership in the Torch honor society for the second period of the second semester. A total of 31 students whose average in scholarship has been "A" or less.

The list includes, Robert Aline, Jean Anderson, Maribel Beckman, Morris Beers, Hazel Coethers, Vivian Cowan, Mona Doss, Wilma Doss, Leslie Rob, Mildred Pretwell, Kenneth Gallagher, Mervin Graham, Russell Gulas, Ruth Henner, Cora Higgins, Marjorie Jones, Monte Kentel, Carl Lindken, Odean Morison, Violet Kabea, Gerald Miller, Ethel Redding, Bulah Redding, Geraldine Redding, Jean Richmond, Lou Jane Ringo, Arline Rivenes, Leroy Schultz, Lyman Seely, Norman Seethoff, and Kathleen Shorey.

## Young Folks Hold Party At Stayton

Stayton—Miss Maxine Christian was hostess to a group of the young folks at her home Saturday evening. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

Those present were the Misses Ruth Humphries, Lavene Marking, Mildred Busch, Dorothy Flynn, Ellen Pieser, Dorothy Lucas, Francelle Carter, Hortense Stacyon, Reva Sandner, Arlene Darby, Marjorie Olesita, Elmer Asche, Virgil Bradley, Bud Howard, D. M. Gou, Hugh Meyers of Toledo, Letta Pusom, Jennie Wallace, Inez Pardu, Letta Prunk, Katie Percy, Margaret Martin, Alene Castle, T. C. Mountain and the Misses Eleanor Parkes and Jane Pomeroy.

## Stayton Club Meets At Dozler's Home

Stayton—Mrs. Clara Dozler and Mrs. Bertha Gebben were joint hostesses for the members of the Bono Tempo club Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Dozler. Cards were the diversion and the evening after which refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Present were Hannah Bowley, Agnes Reister, Cecelia Mertz, Ida Womms, Sally Killian, Marie Daves, Marion Klecker, Dora Denler, Matilda Mickles, Mrs. Gebben and Mrs. Dozler and Mrs. Gebben.

## Birthday Observed

Sunnyside—Mrs. Charles L. Taylor was surprised the past week by a group of her friends honoring her birthday anniversary. Refreshments were served at a late hour and refreshments were served.

A large birthday cake was placed before the honored guest. Those helping Mrs. Taylor celebrate were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Heckart, Miss Esther Heckart, Kenneth Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Dyer and children, Charles Taylor.

Lynn—Mrs. Arthur Vaughn underwent a major operation at the Emanuel hospital in Portland Thursday morning. She is reported as getting along as well as can be expected. Mr. Vaughn returned home Sunday.

## ELKHORN HOLDS FINAL PROGRAM

Mehama—Achievement Day exercises of the Maids and Bachelors Sewing club were held at the Elkhorn schoolhouse Friday night in connection with the last day program. A declamation contest was held by the school winners being: Primary division, George Berry, Jean Parry. In the advanced division: Vivian Shelton, Dorothy Lomker.

## COMMUNITY SINGING, A DRAMATIZATION BY THE PRIMARY PUPILS AND A PLAYLET, "THE LION-TAMER'S SON," WERE OTHER FEATURES OF THE PROGRAM.

The winners in the 4-H projects were awarded ribbons as follows: Learning to knit, Roberta Myers, second, Dorothy Lomker; clothing, L. L. Vivian Shelton, Doris Shelton; bachelor sewing, Bob Scharrington, Alfred Myers. A grand prize was awarded by the lender, Miss Bump, to Vivian Shelton for the highest number of points in workmanship and reports. After the program and judging, refreshments were served by the women of the community.

## AUTOMOBILE TRADES MUCH COMPLICATED

Independence—Robert Banks, 18 from North Independence, got in bad with the law Saturday night when he appeared on the streets of Independence with a Ford roadster with a Washington license, which he claimed to have just traded for a few minutes previously without proper lights, no mirror, no driver's license, and it was later learned that the license plates did not belong to that model. He was called into justice court for operating with improper license plates, found guilty and fined \$2 with costs and five days in county jail, with a provision that the latter would be suspended if fine and costs were paid.

This case led to another when Dale Sparks with whom Banks had traded could not prove title to his car. The car is being held in a garage until suitable title and plates can be obtained by Sparks. Banks' car was returned to him as being too faulty to operate and without good title.

The engine numbers on the bill of sale to Banks did not correspond to the numbers on the car traded him. The car is purported to have come from Seattle, Sparks claiming to have been employed as a bell-hop in that city and came to Oregon to secure employment. He picked up a set of plates in a garage and put them on his car to start out with.

## Victor Point PTA Makes Picnic Plans

Victor Point—At the Parent Teachers meeting Friday night the committees for the home-coming picnic were appointed as follows: Reception, Ivan Darby, C. C. Jones; parking, W. F. Krenz, M. M. Gilmour; luncheon, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mulkey, Mrs. Caggar Larson, Mrs. W. P. Krenz and Miss Elizabeth Krenz; general arrangements, J. O. Darby, Elmer Lorence, Verle King, Paul Jaquet, J. C. Krenz; registration, Mrs. Paul Jaquet, Mrs. J. C. Krenz and J. O. Darby, Verle King and W. F. Krenz.

The final Parent Teachers meeting for the year will be held Friday, May 25 in connection with an all day picnic and the closing of school. Committees for this meeting will be: luncheon, Elmer Lorence, Paddock; program, Verle King, visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Darby and J. O. Darby.

## Picnic Enjoyed By Grade Pupils

Stacyon—Saturday afternoon was picnic time for a group of children from St. Mary's school in Stacyon. Taking their lunch they hiked to a spot near the park where they played games and enjoyed a real picnic. Sister Alicia and Sister Rosalita accompanied the children. Present were Myrtle Shoemaker, Loretta and Helen Kerber, Helen Porter, Hilda Pieser, Edna Hendricks, Marjorie Barkmeyer, Paula Smith, Dorothy Pehlin, Lettie and Loraine Albuis, Ray and Grace LaVine Keidel, Marie Stuckart, Reta and Fred Linderman, Lawrence Kerber, Walter Smith, Leonard and Willie Lambrecht, Lawrence and Edward Wale, Raymond Boedinger, Robert Thelma, Zelpha Carter and Edward Keidel.

## Meyers Are Hosts

Silverton—Relatives met at the L. H. Meyer home in the Brush Creek community Sunday afternoon in compliment to both Mr. and Mrs. Meyer on the occasion of their birthday anniversary. Supper was served and the evening was spent socially.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Moberg, Scotts Mills; Raymond and Kella, also of Scotts Mills, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Williams and Mrs. Anderson of Hubbard. Members of the family were Mr. and Mrs. Meyer, Althea and Ludwig Meyer.

Sunnyside—Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Taylor and Paul Taylor were guests at the G. T. Heckart home Sunday for dinner.

Lynn—Mrs. Arthur Vaughn underwent a major operation at the Emanuel hospital in Portland Thursday morning. She is reported as getting along as well as can be expected. Mr. Vaughn returned home Sunday.

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## Evergreen Chapter Will Serve Dinner

Woodburn—The Past Matrons of Evergreen chapter, O.E.S., will be entertained Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Mabel Settemier. The officers, Mrs. Settemier, Mrs. Myrtle Gill and Miss Ella Lytle will be hostesses.

## T. B. TESTING PLANS PLEASE

Monmouth—Last week in the training school, preparations were made and carried out for giving the tuberculous test to all children aged the test made.

That Monmouth people appreciated the opportunity which the American Legion and the Oregon Tuberculosis association have offered them was indicated by the large number of signed requests which the children brought to their school principals.

Eighty percent of the pre-school group, 85 percent of the elementary school and 95 percent of the high school group took the test which was administered by Dr. F. R. Boxer, assisted by Miss Margaret Gillis, county public health nurse, and Miss Allen Dyer of the Oregon Normal school health service. All those concerned with the testing project are rejoicing over the results of the test, especially among the younger children and very few were found who reacted positively to the test. Even among the high school group the results are much better than the general showing in many places.

The successful carrying out of the tests was in a large measure due to Miss Florence Beardsley, principal of the high school and to the local school board. Josiah Willis, county school superintendent is so much interested in the tuberculous testing in Polk county that he was present to observe both for the administration and the reading of the test.

## INDEPENDENCE HIGH WILL GIVE COMEDY

Independence—The Independence high school senior class play "Are You a Mason?" to be given Friday evening in the training school is attracting considerable attention. This is a farce in three acts and deals with the trials of a mother, and a daughter, whose respected husband account for frequent absences from the joint household by falsely pretending to be a Mason.

Students having parts in the play are Edward Dunkel, Paul Carey, Ralph Beach, Overton Walker, Chester Lenhard, Richard McKee, LeRoy Hanson, Ione Moore, Louise Heley, Berlye Kelley, Marjorie Charbonnet, Mildred White, Mildred Strake, Eleanor Bell.

The play will be directed by Mrs. Loren Moss, Joe Komoto, business manager; Oliver Tibbings, stage director; Mildred Dallas, costumes and Lillie Cotton, prompter.

## Aumsville Woman Is Given Shower

Aumsville—The home of Mrs. Susie Hanson was the scene of a surprise when friends of Mrs. Harold Goult met there to honor her with a miscellaneous shower, singing and music by Mrs. David Lowe and Miss Charlotte Martin added to the pleasure. Refreshments were served by Misses Charlotte Martin, Virginia Garbe and Viola Brodley. Others present were the Mesdames C. E. George, Millie Martin, Julius Haney, R. D. Pomeroy, Selmer Brown and Coy Olesita, Elmer Asche, Virgil Bradley, Bud Howard, D. M. Goult, Hugh Meyers of Toledo, Letta Pusom, Jennie Wallace, Inez Pardu, Letta Prunk, Katie Percy, Margaret Martin, Alene Castle, T. C. Mountain and the Misses Eleanor Parkes and Jane Pomeroy.

## COSTUMES PLANNED

Lynn—The regular meeting of the P.T.A. was held at the school house Friday night. The following officers were elected for next year: Mrs. Alice Huber, president; Mrs. Lois Cornforth, vice president; and Mrs. Elizabeth Westenhousen, secretary-treasurer. Plans were made to buy material for the costumes for May day. A short program followed.

Mt. Angel—Ted Stevens of near Gervais broke his ankle at the baseball game here Sunday while he was watching the game. His ankle was swollen badly and the physician reported it to be a bad break.

## SCHOOLS READY FOR GRADUATES NEXT FEW DAYS

Silverton Hills—Five schools near this community will hold graduation exercises for their eighth grade pupils Thursday evening at the Silverton Hills community hall, with Mrs. Mary Pulkerson, superintendent of Marion county schools, the featured speaker of the evening.

The schools to be represented are Mountain View, Miss Geraldine Fry, teacher; Hull, of which Miss Helen Dickinson is teacher; Porter school, Mrs. Maybelle Towne, teacher; Silver Creek Falls, Mrs. Willa Evans, teacher and Davis school, of which Miss Eunice Maulding is teacher. Each school district will be responsible for one musical selection on the program.

The combined graduates of these schools will compose the largest number of eighth graders from these districts in many years.

Rickey—May 13 has been set as the date of the eighth grade graduating exercises at Rickey. Those graduating are Mary Ellen Taylor, Inez Miller, Iola Miller, Harriet Poague, and Roy Taylor.

Jefferson—Joint graduation exercises of four rural schools will be held Saturday evening, May 12, at the Looney Butte school. The schools participating are Talbot, Fairview, Parrish Gap and Looney Butte. A program consisting of numbers from each of the above schools is being arranged. Mrs. Mary L. Pulkerson, county school superintendent, will give an address and will present the diplomas to a class of 19 eighth grade graduates.

## MERCHANTS WONDER ABOUT BOB NEALY

Silverton—Most of downtown Silverton is wondering as to the whereabouts of Bob Nealy who is alleged to have cashed a number of checks that had Fred Kaser's name signed to them and the signature of which Fred Kaser knew nothing.

One Silverton business house cashed a check for more than \$100 with other amount running under \$50. The checks were cashed Saturday evening, and Nealy left town shortly after with his destination of interest to the state police.

Nealy has been employed in the Evergreen community since last fall when he came there to work through the hop season. He had been married for several months and left his wife at their home Saturday evening.

## Picnic Is Staged For Losing Side

Laksh Center—A competitive tooth brushing contest whose duration has extended throughout the school year came to a close in Mrs. Charlotte Jones' room last week and the winning "Brush" were treated with a picnic Friday afternoon by the losing "Reds."

Gerald Bennett headed the winning team composed of Peggy Tontz, Nona Christenson, Billy Zenger, Max Bibby, Willard McClumphy, Wayne Isiah, Raynor Horton, Jimmy Wapenough, Richard Miller and Elmer Christenson.

The losing side, headed by Betty Pugh included Doris Love, Mabel Borchers, Margaret Christenson, Corrine Miller, Arlene Klumppe, Perry Hunter, Clyde Jefferson, Ethel May Miller, Billy Hasebaker, and Donna Jefferson.

## ARCH JERMAN BACK

Clear Lake—Mr. and Mrs. Arch Jerman have returned from California where they have been the past six months for the health of Mr. Jerman. He is much improved and says he feels fine. He reports the hop crop very uncertain in his yards this year because so many hills not coming up and making any growth some of his yards only a 50 per cent crop reported as it looks now. He says the same trouble is in California hop yards.