

MILL STUDENTS ACTIVE GROUP; SEE PLAY SHED

MILL City—The Mill City grade school pupils are looking forward to having a play shed. Such a building has been badly needed for many years and it will soon be a reality. Material is to be furnished by the school and the labor by the SERA workers.

Other high lights of school activities are:

The eighth grade has organized a first aid class. The teachers are also taking a course in elementary first aid, under the instruction of Principal H. M. Aspinwall.

The grade school basketball team is having a very successful season, having won four games and lost one. The two remaining games are with Stayton. The first will be played at Stayton, February 15, and the other will be played the 24th at Mill City.

Taking advantage of the good weather, the grade school boys have started practicing kitten ball, and it is hoped that the team will duplicate their feat of last year and win the county championship.

The Scout troop No. 36 at Mill City is planning and looking forward to a father and son banquet to be given February 14.

The troop is also having an inter-school contest. The parade, according to points, run in close order and stand as follows: Flying Eagle, first; Running Wolf, second; Beaver, third; and Hawk, fourth.

The sophomore class hiked to the North Fork of the Santiam Saturday. They were accompanied by Miss Elsie Crall, class advisor.

The junior class celebrated the winning of the Mill City-Aumsville basketball game by having a party at the home of Miss Roberta Cline on Friday night. Games were played and refreshments were served at 12 o'clock.

Rehearsals are being held at Hammond hall for the annual school class play which will be presented March 5. Miss Marie Hildebrand, high school instructor, is coaching it.

Clubs Entertained at Leaders' Homes

Central Howell—The Merry Mikes, 4-H cooking club met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Andrew Hall recently. Three of the girls, Anna May Pallesen, Ruth DeSart and Hazel Beal, presented a demonstration of their work. A short program was given. Additional guests were Mrs. Clyde DeSart and Mrs. Beal.

The Forestry club under the leadership of Oliver Steffen met at his home recently and spent a part of the afternoon in the woods on his place. The boys are enjoying this club as it is very interesting and it is hoped something useful will be learned from their field trips.

Illness Prevalent

Victor Point—Numerous cases of illness, mostly from flu and complications, are reported in this district. The small daughter of Mrs. Maybelle Terry is suffering with ear trouble and is under the care of a Salem specialist. The Smith family, who are living on the Savage farm, have been having whooping cough and Mr. Smith and one of the little boys have also had ear trouble. Richard Krenz, nine year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Krenz, who has been ill since New Year's day, is recovering slowly and sits up a short time each day.

ENTERTAINS FOR GUEST

Turner—Mrs. Donald S. Richez entertained a group of friends with a bridge party in compliment to her house-guest, Miss Ruth Clark of Jefferson. High score prize was awarded to Mrs. Louis J. Uhrhammer. Refreshments were served by the hostess at a late hour to Mrs. E. Whitehead, Jr., Mrs. Lawrence Edwards, Mrs. U. S. Talbot, Mrs. Wallace Richez, Mrs. Louis J. Uhrhammer, Miss Helen Peetz, Mrs. Emily Van Santen, Mrs. Raymond Stewart, Mrs. Earl C. Bear, the honor guest, Miss Ruth Clark, and Mrs. D. S. Richez.

MISS HERMENS ILL

Sublimity—Miss Katherine Hermens is a patient at the Stayton hospital where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. At last report she is getting along nicely. Miss Benita Hassler underwent a mastoid operation at the Stayton hospital Thursday afternoon.

Sublimity—Mrs. Ripp is quite ill at her home in Sublimity. Miss Minnie Hassler is caring for her.

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Meetings Scheduled As Easter Prelude

Hubbard—At the monthly meeting of the executive board of the Federated churches plans were made for a week of inspirational meetings in the church, the first week in April as a prelude to the annual Easter services. The board recommended to Rev. W. I. Orr, who outlined the plan, to list the various speakers. The plan calls for a special speaker for each evening with musical groups from Hubbard and other places adding the musical feature for each evening.

GRADE PUPILS GOOD SPELLERS

Sunnyside—The recent spelling contest throughout the county in the one-room grade schools resulted as follows for the Sunnyside school: In grade three the number correct were 19 with seven in the grade. The group average was 19 percent and the county average 19.1 percent. In grade 4 of which there are six pupils, the number correct was 45. The group averaged 41.5, the county average was 38.3 percent.

The fifth grade had 100 percent with one pupil, Frances Barry, who spelled the entire 50 words correctly. The group average was 37.9 with the county average 38.4 percent. Seven pupils in the sixth grade took 44 with a group average of 39.3 percent. The county average was 39.5. The seventh grade had 44 correct with six pupils in its rank. The group averaged 41.7 percent with the county average 41.5. The eighth grade of which eight pupils are members, made an average of 43 correct words which was 41 percent. The county average in this grade was 41.5 percent.

FOUR POLK SCHOOLS REPORT UPON CLUBS

Dallas—The Falls City, Perrydale and Gooseneck schools have reported the formation of 4-H clothing clubs to Josiah Willis, county school superintendent. The following are leaders and officers of the new units:

Falls City: Mrs. Houts, leader; Maxine Graham, president; Marvle Inman, vice-president, and Florine McGrath, secretary. There are nine members in the club.

Perrydale grade school: Mrs. Kenneth Ramey, leader; Josephine Brunsma, president; Dorothy Scharf, vice-president; Geraldine Briskey, secretary. There are five members.

Gooseneck: Miss Esther Aehl, teacher; Norma Andrews, leader; Evelyn Schoppert, president; Mary Neufeld, vice-president; Elma Andrews, secretary. There are six members.

Drunk Driver Pays Fine But Unjailed

Albany—Hubert E. Pompe, Corvallis, was fined \$50 in city court yesterday, given a 10 day jail sentence and his driver's license revoked for a year, when he pleaded guilty to a charge of driving a car while under the influence of intoxicating liquor. The jail sentence was suspended. The defendant was arrested in Albany over the week-end.

Women On Radio

Hubbard—The four women writers who will speak at the fifth annual conference of Home Economics at the Oregon State college Thursday afternoon will be introduced over KOAC radio station at 11 in the morning by Mrs. Zella Rodenwald, director of the home economics radio programs. The women are Eva Emery Dye, Clare Warner Churchill, Mary Jane Carr and Cobe de Lespinasse, the latter of Hubbard.

OLD ECONOMIC SYSTEM BROKE SAYS JEFFRIES

Albany, Or.—Judge John A. Jeffries, Portland, stated at a meeting in the United Presbyterian church here Monday that the Townsend old-age pension plan alone can save the United States from degradation.

All attempts to bolster up the present system have failed, the speaker declared, and every suggestion for curing the nation's ills had proven futile until the Townsend old age pension plan came along.

After attacking several of the administration's major recovery plans, Jeffries said that benefit from the Townsend plan would come from retirement of old people from productive industry, making way for younger people now out of jobs; it would practically eliminate crime and thereby pay for itself twice over; it would speed up industry and render prosperity universal in America and would remove all necessity for charitable organizations and public support of the poor.

At the conclusion of the meeting a resolution was passed demanding that Oregon's congressional delegation vote for the Townsend plan.

HOWELL HOME ECON CLUB MAKES QUILT

North Howell—The North Howell Home Economics club met at the home of Daisy Bump for an all-day meeting with 61 blocks of the new quilt made. At 2 o'clock the business meeting was held.

Reports of committees were made. A letter from the degree team leader, W. Stevens, was read and plans made for degree team practice and costumes. Florence Oddie responded on Oregon history, reading about the old state stage coach depot of 78 years ago at Woodburn. Diadem Gline read of the historic Jason Lee home at 960 Broadway street, Salem. A resolution was passed requesting Secretary Daisy Bump to write the Oregon State Historical Society regarding the Parker house located between North Howell and Gervais.

Circuit Rider Days Discussed for Club

Rosedale—Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hadley and sons, Allan and Sherman of Portland, spent the week-end in Rosedale. Mr. Hadley is superintendent of the Friends yearly meeting.

The Missionary ladies met at the home of Mrs. Guy Williams Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. E. Wheeland talked of early days when her father was a circuit rider.

Zena Club Meets

Zena—An interesting program including a group of short plays interspersed with vocal quartets will be given at the initial meeting of the Zena community club Friday night at the local schoolhouse.

MOVE FROM LYONS

Lyons—Mrs. Floyd Berry and child, and Mrs. Raymond Berry moved to Glendale Saturday where their husbands are employed. Jack Johnson and son Hugh moved them. Bill Bodeker, Pete Jungworth, Mildred Churchill, Mary Jane Carr and them on the trip, remaining over Sunday.

Salem Degree Team To Confer Degrees

Independence—Three candidates for the Mark Master degree will be presented for initiation February 19 before the Independence chapter of R.A.M. and a degree team from Salem will confer. A special invitation is extended to all members of this department of masonry to be present. There will be work in the chapter for several meetings to follow. Refreshments will be served at the close.

GRANGERS HEAR TALK ON RADIO

Fairfield—Fairfield grange held its February business meeting with a large attendance, the main feature of the session being a talk "Radio From the Inside," by Art Kirkham, KOIN announcer who was a special guest.

Don DuRette gave a report on the study club which was organized last May when the class took up study of banking. A number of different topics have been studied and discussed. The purpose of the club is to be well informed on current topics.

David Moses was reinstated and Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Lundy will be reinstated at the next business meeting. Carter Keene was reported ill and confined to the Silverton hospital where he will remain for three weeks or more.

The Valentine supper, card party and dance sponsored by the Home Economics club, to be held at the hall Thursday evening, was discussed and committees named.

Mrs. Henrietta Allenback, lecturer, presented an interesting program and gave a report on the progress of the play the young people of the grange are preparing under the direction of Mrs. Allenback and Miss Isabel Bigot. The play will be presented in about three weeks.

Following the lecturer's program a supper was served. The supper committee appointed for March includes Frank, Francis and Joe Saalfeld, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sussee and Mr. and Mrs. Wing.

WILL VISIT GRANGE

Union Hill—The Macleay grange officers and members will visit Union Hill grange at its regular meeting Friday night. The visiting grange will supply the program and the officers will have charge of the meeting.

Hazel Green—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tuve have had as their guests the past month Mrs. Knute Tuve of Portland, mother of Tuve's Mrs. Tuve numbers many friends here where she lived for many years on the farm now occupied by her son Richard.

LEBANON GETS LINN PRECINCT VOTE ON JUDGE

Albany, Or.—Of the 54 precincts in Linn county, 37 were represented by precinct committeemen to vote on recommendations for a member of the party to fill the office of county judge, made vacant by the death of Judge D. O. Woodworth last week. R. C. Burkhardt of near Lebanon was given 34 votes by the committee men and the recommendations to be sent to Governor Charles H. Martin at Salem.

Despite the reprimand from the governor to George Finley, stating that he, the governor, had not requested the meeting, and would not be swayed in making his appointment by the vote, the committee decided to name a man despite the controversy arising between the chairman and the governor.

A. S. Tusing, Halsey, secretary of the Linn county Democratic Central committee, took all the blame for having sent out the cards to the committee men, stating that the governor had requested the meeting involving the governor in yesterday's meeting, in which the governor had no part.

George Finley also resumed a part of the responsibility for the misunderstanding stating that he had not made himself clear in a telephone conversation to Tusing regarding the calling of the meeting.

Burkhardt received the nomination for county commissioner of the democratic ticket last spring, but was unable to continue his campaign because of ill health.

LODGE AT WOODBURN PLANS HOME COMING

Woodburn—The 17th annual homecoming of Woodburn lodge No. 106, A. F. & A. M. will be held at the Masonic temple Saturday night. The regular lodge meeting will open at 8 o'clock and dinner will be served at 9 o'clock, followed by a program by the Salem Haywire orchestra. All Masons who have at any time belonged to Woodburn lodge, and all members of other Masonic lodges residing in this vicinity are invited. The following committees are in charge: Entertainment, L. R. Gilbert, F. G. Evenden, H. F. Butterfield, E. T. Sims; refreshments, Earl W. Gibbons, Ivan C. Beers, H. W. Bladorn and August Moeding; dining room, W. P. Lessard, Carl R. Peterson and George C. Beecher.

STAYTON MRS. EMMA BROWN CALLED TO SALEM TUESDAY FOR JURY DUTY

Stayton—Mrs. Emma Brown was called to Salem Tuesday for jury duty.

Brownsville Gets Widening Approval

Albany—George Hardin, local SERA administrator announced yesterday that approval by the state emergency relief committee of a street widening project for Brownsville has been received and work was started yesterday. The project calls for widening of Spalding avenue, involving an expenditure of \$720 for SERA labor and \$288.30 of local funds largely for material.

ALBANY SURVEY REVEALS NEEDS

Albany—Local improvements, the cost of which would be more than \$180,000, were suggested to C. C. Hockley, state PWA engineer, by the Albany municipal administration in connection with the statewide survey which Hockley is conducting. The purpose of the survey, the engineer explained, is to ascertain needs of Oregon communities for public improvements, together with their estimated costs, to assist in formulating a PWA program for the state. Following is the list of proposals together with approximate cost estimates:

Municipal rest room \$500; community center \$20,000; sewage disposal plant \$150,000; airport improvements \$5000; streets and roadways \$5000.

OLD MESS SERGEANT PRESENTED BLANKET

Dallas—W. P. (Billy) Miller, former mess sergeant of Co. 'L' was surprised Monday night at the regular weekly drill of the company. Miller, whose reputation as a doughnut maker is considerable, was invited to make the doughnuts on the occasion of the headquarters company's visit from McMinnville.

During the evening Miller was called out of the kitchen into the drill hall where the two companies were drawn up on parade. As he entered the hall the companies were called to attention by Captain Ray Scott.

On behalf of the headquarters company he was presented with an American Legion blanket and on behalf of his former comrades he was presented with a fountain pen.

Miller retired recently after serving a long term in the Guard. He is a World War veteran and served overseas.

Lyons—Little Miss Carmin Westenhous, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Westenhous, is very ill at her home near Seilo. She is a niece of D. D. Westenhous.

ROSEDALE HAS CLUB CONTEST

Rosedale—The contest program between the women and men of the Rosedale Community club was given to a full house Saturday night. The women's program was as follows:

Housewives Parade, all women; recitations, Lois Thurman and Rowena Jones; music by Ruth Brownlee, Barbara Bates and Rachel Baldwin; reading, Mrs. Brown; song, Mrs. Lester Bates, Mrs. Dorothy Smith and Mrs. Hedvik; reading, Mrs. Tucker; dramatization, William Tell, by the fifth grade girls; piano duet, Mrs. Hedrick and Mrs. Bates; representation of Dionne quintuplets; dialogue, "Hiring a Servant," in two parts, characters: Mr. Marshall, Flora Brownlee; Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Ladd; Margaret O'Flanagan, Irish servant, Mrs. Blackman; Katrina von Fallenstein, German servant, Mrs. Sailer; Snowdrop Washington, colored servant, Mrs. Dorothy Smith, Mrs. Benker, widow, Mrs. Lester Bates; Betty, Mrs. Benker's daughter, Barbara Bates, Ruth Brownlee gave a piano solo.

The men presented a radio television broadcast as follows: Harmonica and guitar number, Leslie Ladd and Cecil Baldwin; piano solo, Erwin Ertler; feature number by a mock-band, T. D. Trick, Grant Treter, Frank Ertler, Del Needham, Virgil Trick, Leslie Ladd, Cecil Baldwin, R. E. Ladd, sponsored by the makers of Dr. Bother's itch powder. G. P. Armstrong gave a political

ROSEDALE QUARTET COMPOSED OF HURL PEARSON, GUS COLE, CLIFFORD SMITH AND ELLIS CANNON, SANG SEVERAL NUMBERS. MILO ROSA GAVE A TALK AND MADE SEVERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The program was announced by Albert Brownlee. The judges were Mrs. Heckart, Mrs. Barnett and Mrs. Chapin who decided in favor of the women. The men will serve a banquet in the near future.

AMBULANCE DANCE PLANS ARE TOPIC

Dallas—A committee meeting, to which representatives of every organization in town has been invited will be held at the chamber of commerce rooms Thursday evening. Plans for the big "Ambulance" benefit dance will be completed at that time and definite phases of the work entailed will be assigned to the different organizations.

The date on which the dance will be held is still somewhat indefinite, due to the fact that the delivery date is still uncertain. Tentative plans call for the delivery on the date of the dance in order that the ambulance may be available for display while the crowd is dancing. The machine will be under "wraps" during the earlier part of the evening and will be unveiled at a fixed hour.

Falls City—Officers of the recently organized sewing club with Mrs. D. D. Houtz as local leader are: President, Maxine Graham; vice president, Marvill Inman; secretary, Florine McGrath.

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