

YOUNG VERSE WRITERS WIN PRIZES



In a poetry writing contest sponsored by the Catholic Daughters of America these students from Salem's three Catholic schools were prize winners...

Winners Announced in School Poetry Contest

Announcement has been made of the winners in a creative poetry contest that is

Marines

Some Chinese got between Vegas and the main Marine line but they were killed except for a few stragglers. Heavy fire from both sides echoed through the nearby low valleys.

sponsored each year by the Catholic Daughters of America in the three Catholic schools of Salem.

Poems were entered in three classes. Class I was for Grades 4, 5 and 6; Class II for Grades 7, 8 and 9; and Class III for Grades 10, 11 and 12.

All entries were judged by a board of three judges, namely, Mrs. A. W. Lovick, teacher at Keizer school; Mrs. Oscar Christensen, Salem kindergarten director; and Miss Margaret Simms, English instructor at Parrish Junior high school.

Winners will receive their prizes and read their poems at the Book Tea Sunday, April 12, at the Catholic Center. Students from each school who submitted winning poems were:

Sacred Heart Academy — First prize, Teresa Bello, Class III; and Janice Hall, Class II; second, Carol Sohn, Class III; third, Loretta Dornbusch, Class III.

St. Joseph's school — First, Patricia Hoffman, Class I; second, Dorothy Rupp, Class II; and Margaret DeJardin, Class I; third, Judith Boetticher, Class I, and Norma Rupp, Class I.

St. Vincent de Paul school — First, Kathleen Fischer, Class II, and Lee Coffey, Class I; second, James Luke, Class II; and Joyce Weisner, Class I; third, Patricia Kindel, Class II, and Patricia Morretti, Class I.

Volleyball Play — The YMCA Class B volleyball team is competing Saturday in the Northwest Area Y tournament being held on the Reed college campus.

John Grimes, Oregon State College graduate, who has been named 4-H Extension Agent for Polk county succeeding Jack Evey, who resigned recently.

The bill eliminates both the state committee and state commissioner of reorganization, features of the old bills—provides for advisory help from the state board of education.

The bill allows the county committee to decide whether to have a rural school, or not, thus overcoming the objection that reorganization of school would destroy the "little red school house."

Under the terms of the new bill no districts desiring to remain as they now are would lose all or any part of basic school support, as was the case in the old bill.

The proposed law in spelling out the suggested program to be developed says: "Every rural area should, when possible, have a building retained in it; districts should not be too large; a proposed new district should preserve the feeling of local unity and the proposed new districts should provide the most equitable tax base possible."

Senator Holmes, said the new bill is based on the belief that with a suggested program for orderly redistricting, "the elected county committee will, in the three years period specified, have ample time to let all the people know about the problem, and will achieve a sound reorganization."

Local Paragraphs

Saw Steals—The theft of a power saw from her property was reported to Silverton police by Mrs. E. C. Gertis, Route 2, Silverton. The saw was valued at \$300, she said.

Fleeds Innocent — Louise S. Meyers, Aspen, Colorado pleaded innocent in district court Saturday morning to a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

Cars Collide — Cars driven Charlotte Lenore Woods, 975 Independence drive, and Emil Herman Kutachke, 1287 Dearborn avenue, collided at the Marion and Winter street intersection about 5 p.m. Friday.

Dumped Rubbish — Albert Ernest Anderson pleaded guilty and Harold Ray Climbell was found guilty by the court Saturday on charges of dumping rubbish on a public highway.

Robert M. James, legislative auditor for the state of Washington, congratulated Oregon for commencing a performance budget which reveals in detail what the money requested is to be used for.

Two Injured In Collision — An elderly Salem woman was hospitalized Friday afternoon following a two-car crash at the intersection of the Pacific Highway and Claxter road and a man was treated for a serious head laceration.

Mrs. Donna Vile, 70, 2887 Evergreen avenue, suffered a fractured collar bone, fractured ribs and possible internal injuries, according to hospital attendants. She was reported in fair condition Saturday by the hospital.

She was a passenger in a car driven by her husband, Earl D. Vile, which collided with a southbound car driven by Ralph A. Spence, 445 Ferry street, as Vile made a left turn onto Claxter road.

Spence suffered a three-inch laceration on the head but was released after treatment at the hospital. Both cars suffered considerable damage, the Vile car on the right side, and the Spence car on the front end.

Press Women — Officers of the press group are president, Margaret Thompson Hill of Portland; vice president, Marian Lowry Fischer, Salem; secretary, Rebecca Tarshis of Portland; and treasurer, Ila Grant of Bend.

Cuba has an area of 44,164 square miles, about the size of Pennsylvania.

Examination for Certified Public Accountants of Oregon will be held in Portland from 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 13, through Friday, May 15, 1953.

State Public Utilities Commissioner vs. Allen Remert: Suit for judgment of \$1,808.50 said to be due as highway use tax.

State Public Utilities Commissioner vs. Leo E. Kuchonak: Suit for judgment of \$1,478.00 said to be due as highway use tax.

State Public Utilities Commissioner vs. William Marvin Bessert: Suit for judgment of \$1,194.90, said to be due as highway use tax.

Newton Davis vs. Paul McCormick: Default judgment of \$1,001 and \$501 and dissolution of partnership sought.

Alma M. Crabtree guardianship: Petition for appointment of Martha Alma Karstens as guardian to be heard April 8.

Married License — Eldon Burt Jordan, 28, construction worker, Station, and Mary Jane Luke, 19, messenger, 238 North Capital St.

Richard Arthur Hodson, 21, medical student, Portland, and Pebble Lou DeStefano, 21, student, 1355 North 19th street, Salem.

To Honor Guy Hickok — Staff members of the First National bank, their wives and husbands will attend a dinner tonight honoring Guy Hickok, former manager of the Salem branch and now a vice president, who will end a 39 year banking career Tuesday.

Central Club Meeting — Central Townsend Club No. 8 will meet at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at 289 Court street.

Kerrick Appointed — John C. Kerrick, manager of the driver's license division in the automotive department of the secretary of state's office, has been appointed chairman of a subcommittee on accident records and statistics in the American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators.

Drivers Arrested — Stanley Gardner Mason, Lyons, was fined \$250 in district court Saturday morning after being arrested by state police on a charge of drunk driving.

Lottick to Spokane — Dr. Kenneth Lottick, director of student teaching at Willamette university, will participate in the regional meeting of the Association for Student Teaching at Spokane, March 30-31.

Ancelettie Warring — Woodburn — Mrs. Ancelettie A. Warring, 89, died Friday in the Woodburn Nursing Home.

Mrs. Warring was born at Guilford, Minn., Nov. 21, 1863, and had lived at Woodburn for five years with a son, Max Warring. She was a member of the Methodist church.

Also surviving is another son, Lynn E. Warring, East Glacier Park, Mont.; a daughter, Mrs. Esther Campbell, Coquille, Ore.; a brother, Arlie Warring, Saskatchewan, Canada; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Private funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 28, at the Ringo Funeral Chapel, Woodburn with the Rev. Ormal B. Trick officiating. Final rites were at the Mt. Crest Abbey crematorium, Salem.

She was the mother of four sons, Thomas Meisch of Coldwater, Mich., Lyle Meisch, Canby, James Meisch, U. S. Army, stationed in San Francisco, and Grover Meisch, U. S. Air Force.

Besides the widower, four sons and six grandchildren, she leaves a sister in Aberdeen, S. D., and two brothers in the east. Interment was in Zion Memorial Park, Rev. Gordon M. Trystad officiated.

Clarence E. Hanley — Aurora — Employed as a farm worker by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin of Needy the past four years, Clarence E. Hanley, 60, died Tuesday afternoon while working in the yard of the Martin farm home.

Mr. Hanley's body was taken to Hillsboro for funeral services and interment was in the family plot in Tualatin Valley cemetery.

He is survived by a son in California, a brother and sister in Hillsboro.

Sam Culwell — Lyons — Funeral services for Sam Culwell, 65, who died Thursday in a Salem hospital, will be held Tuesday, March 31 in the Mill City Community church with the Rev. Lee Joiner officiating.

Interment will be in the Fox Valley cemetery. Mr. Culwell had lived in this locality since 1941 when he came here from Drain.

He is survived by a son in California, a brother and sister in Hillsboro.

MORE ENGINEERS WANTED



Combating the critical shortage of engineers by providing technical training for engineering aides, the Personnel Division of the Oregon State Highway Department in cooperation with the Salem Public Schools' Adult Education Section is continuing a second class in the Fundamentals of Plane Surveying.

2 Fast Trains

An east-bound freight, derailling some cars of a west-bound freight that followed. The pipe that caused the wreck weighed about a ton and was 35 feet long and 18 inches in diameter.

Into the derailed freight cars slashed a Buffalo-to-Chicago passenger train, roaring along at 80 miles an hour. A minute later the Southwestern Limited, enroute from St. Louis to New York, rammed the wreckage.

Five states may be seen from the peak of Capulin Mountain in northeastern New Mexico.

Highway Employes Get Surveying Instructions

Twenty-six Oregon state highway department employes in the Salem area have just completed a fundamentals of plane surveying course sponsored by the department's personnel division in cooperation with the adult education section of the Salem public schools.

These new engineering aides are increasing their technical knowledge of surveying and preparing themselves for advancement with the highway department.

This training, which has proved very effective, is being scheduled again for the spring term to accommodate additional interested employes.

Employes pay their own tuition and devote their own time to the course. The course, which included two hours of classroom instruction on one evening each week, is taught by Jay Blair, a registered professional engineer, who is employed in the road inventory and mapping section of the state highway department.

Through the cooperation of Professor Martin Copey of Oregon State college, transcripts and levels were made available for three hours of actual surveying practice on Saturdays.

It was necessary to limit the enrollment in order to furnish individual instruction and give each student some opportunity to use the available instruments in the field.

The employes just completing the latest course are: Ray G. Klecker, J. B. Seavy, George Gadeholt, Allan A. Grant, Elmer Ryne, Robert C. Kitzwin, Howard Sten, Robert H. Whitby, Gerald W. Tust, A. C. Shaw, James E. Varsteeg, Thomas G. Alsbury, John O. Gwinn, Robert F. Hamilton, Jack O. Luehrs, Raymond G. Schubert, Harrie H. Hendrick, Clinton G. Lammers, James C. Owens, Howard Read, M. I. Krohn, Francis C. Lowe, James W. Duval, Charles MacLean, Arthur L. Lee, Charles E. Ross.

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