

225 Boys Already Signed For Soap Box Derby Race

By VIC FRYER

Hey, kids, you'd better hurry! That's right, if you want to get signed up for the big Derby, you'd better hurry before we get too many. The race has been planned for 250 to 300 boys and to date we have approximately 225 signed up.

The out-of-town areas are beginning to sign up in a hurry. There are now 29 boys registered at Sweet Home, 35 at Dallas, 10 at Corvallis and several each in Albany, Lebanon, Silverton and Woodburn.

Incidentally, we need three or four racers for display in some of these other towns. If any of you boys have your last year's racer still in good shape and would be willing to lend it for a while, we will see that it is returned. Just phone me at the Capital Journal or call Bill Page at 2-4878.

A quite a few fellows have finished or nearly finished their racers for this year. Among those are Bob Moosbrucker, 2345 North Fifth street; Terry Copley, 2685 Chemawa road; and Dick Fisher, whose bug was pictured in Wednesday's paper.

Bob's racer will go on display Friday at Darby's Boys shop, 285 North High street, his sponsor again this year.

Any of you kids in the Woodburn area who would like to see last year's Derby movie, "Winners All," just show up at the City hall at 8 o'clock Thursday night and be guests of the Woodburn unit of the Marion county sheriff's reserves. The unit is showing the movie as part of its final meeting of the winter training season and has invited anyone interested to join them.

Anybody need cables for their racer? Willard Taylor, down at the Salem boat house, says he has a few used cables he is willing to sell to Derbyists at cost price. They are

used aircraft cables in good shape and are for sale for 50 cents. New cables of this type would cost you about \$3 or more, so you can see its a real bargain and helps a lot in keeping within your \$10 limit.

Just tell Mr. Taylor that you are an official Derbyist and he'll sell you the cable at the special price.

By the way, are you keeping a record of all your expenses on the bug. You need an itemized list at race time to show the inspectors so keep it up to date as you go along.

Here are a few more names of Derbyists:

Class A—Aaron Cooper, route 1, Independence, sponsored by Associated Oil company; Bill Bishoprick, Woodburn, sponsored by Woodburn Variety store; Allan Davy Geddes, 945 McGilchrist street, sponsored by Stevens & Son jewelers; Eddie Hamilton, 360 Candalaria street, sponsored by his father; and Bruce Hanson, 3815 June avenue, sponsored by Roberts Brothers.

Class B—Gary Smith, route 1, Dallas, sponsored by Lee Miller Associated Oil company, Rickreall; Dick Chandler, 1645 Berry street, sponsored by Wolgamott's service; Jerry Howey, route 4, box 190, sponsored by Scott's Auction Center; Kenny McDermitt, 398 North 21st street, sponsored by Hoffman's meat market; and Robert Melghe, 960 North 16th street, sponsored by Tom Wolkomott, 1625 South Church street.

MARINE COMING



Lt. Edrey Schendel of the women's Marine Corps, who will be in Salem Thursday to speak to women students at Willamette university interested in a career as a commissioned officer in the Marine Corps. The lieutenant, whose home is in Forest Grove, is the Marine Corps women officer procurement officer for the West Coast. (Marine Corps Photo)

Silverton Reports Real Estate Sales

Silverton—Real estate sales recently completed by the Homeseekers Agency include the following:

The Edwin Anderson house and lot in Cowles Addition to Oscar Island of this vicinity.

The Frank Motter home and acreage on Marquam Road to Arthur Dodson and wife of Silverton.

The Arthur Dodson 30 acres, more or less, and buildings southeast of Silverton on South Water St. to F. E. Landers and wife of Trish Valley, Ore.

The Oscar Johnson home on Meridian St. to Robert Eberie and wife of this locality.

The Nina Beckler farm and buildings in Silverton Hills to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stumpff of San Ordo, Calif.

The M. C. Anderson 3 acres and home on Stielhammer Drive to Glen W. Zaffield and wife of Portland, Ore.

The Ole Wrenner place on Norway Ave. to L. C. Fryer of Silverton.

The Taylor estate business property on South Water St. to R. O. Smith and wife of Silverton.

The Orval Elliott acreage north of Silverton to F. C. Stolt of this city.

The Lory Paulman home of West Main to Lloyd Jacobson and wife of Silverton.

The R. E. McClary acreage and buildings situated about three miles northwest of Silverton to the Joseph Rice family of Silverton.

The Perry tract at al home on West Main St. to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Rowe of this city.

The William Haves 30 acres, more or less, West of Silverton to Arthur M. Hadley and wife of Salem, Ore.

The Nat. Holfast acreage and buildings on Maple Ave. to Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Dederick of Silverton.

POTENT TRADE FACT

Moscow (AP)—The Soviet Union and Poland announced Thursday they have signed a trade agreement providing for an increase in the exchange of foods between the two countries over that previously scheduled for 1953.

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Rebekahs in Cake Walk

Woodburn — The regular meeting of Home Rebekah Lodge was Tuesday night at the I.O.O.F. hall and following the business meeting a social evening was enjoyed, featuring a cake walk and auction.

Mrs. Jay Weber and Mrs. Hattie Fields were auctioneers and Mrs. E. C. Peyton served as cashier. Funds raised by the auction and the cake walk will be used for the I.O.O.F.—Rebekah float in the coming Rose Festival at Portland. Winning cakes were Miss Mabel Jackson, Mrs. Hattie Fields and Mrs. Edith Frenis.

Monday night a group from the local Rebekah lodge were invited to put on the program for the Salem Rebekah lodge by Mrs. Ida Newton, a former member of the Woodburn lodge, now a member at Salem. The program included a skit "The Degree Captain's Dream" by Esther Moon, Mrs. Myrtle Hall, Mrs. Joyce Engle, Mrs. Ethel Dickson, Mrs. Coral Gay, Mrs. Mae Engle, Mrs. Ruby Conyne, Mrs. Freda Burt, and Mrs. Laura Livesay with C. W. Conyne serving as the candidate. Mrs. Blanche Granuer gave two vocal numbers, accompanied by Mrs. Esther Moon.

It was announced Tuesday night that the meeting of the past noble grands had been changed to the home of Mrs. Laura Livesay Thursday, April 23, on account of the illness of Mrs. H. A. Lohse.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Freda Burt, Mrs. Myrtle Hall and Mrs. Joyce Engle. The tables were decorated with spring flowers and garden tools.

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