

Rural Schools Of Coos County Make Fine Record In Drives

Fairview

On Friday evening, February 8, the Fairview school is planning to have another of their monthly meetings at the schoolhouse. The people of the district will enjoy a pot-luck dinner together, after which some of the classes present bits of their regular school work.

The Fairview school which is a two-room school sent in for the March of Dimes \$30.55. They also collected a large amount of clothing for the clothing drive.

Norway School

The one-room school at Norway has collected \$8.00 for the March of Dimes. They have also bought four books for "The Yanks Who Gave" and donated to the Jr. Red Cross and have made a large collection of clothing for the clothing drive.

Valley View

The Valley View school is enjoying the new oil heater with thermostat on these cold mornings.

The contest between the primary and advanced rooms for the March of Dimes resulted in the primary room winning. They have brought in \$27.50 while the advanced room collected \$26.80.

As reported on the day before the closing of the clothing drive, the children in the advanced room were in the lead.

Fairview and Riverside

The Fairview and Riverside schools were closed on Monday, Feb 4th, because of the snow on the mountains between Coquille and Fairview making it impossible to get cars through. The Non High School bus which comes in carrying the Fairview, Riverside, Cunningham children to the high school and picks up the Valley View children was unable to make the run because of same.

Riverton Extension News

The regular meeting of the Riverton Extension Unit was called to order Friday, February 1, at the home of Mrs. Owen Willson by the vice chairman, Mrs. Wm. Church. The meeting was turned over to Mrs. Alton McCue for the flower arrangement demonstration. Two arrangements were made—one with winter greens and one with daffodils.

The meeting was turned over to Mrs. Alton McCue, project leader for the demonstration on "Quick Breads." At 1:00 o'clock a planned luncheon was enjoyed consisting of creamed chicken, green salad, fruit salad, and a variety of quick breads from the demonstration—with a delicious coffee cake for dessert.

After luncheon the business meeting was held with Mrs. Wm. Church presiding as chairman. The roll call was answered by each person relating their most embarrassing moments, which proved to be very amusing. It was decided that our Unit would give \$2.50 to the March of Dimes. Mrs. Alton McCue was appointed to take Mrs. Church's place as vice chairman.

Those present were: Mrs. Thad Finley, Mrs. Jack Fraser, Mrs. Frank Hull and daughters Barbara and Betty Joanne, Mrs. Horace Berry, Mrs. Alton McCue, Mrs. Lester Clausen, Mrs. Robert McCue, Mrs. Wm. Church, Mrs. Emery Engelhart and son three visitors, Mrs. Dennis Waggoner and son, Mrs. A. F. Willson from Coquille, Mrs. Eldon Ausley, Coquille, McKinley route, and the hostesses, Mrs. Owen Willson and Mrs. Glenn Robinson.

The next meeting is to be held at the Riverton schoolhouse Friday, March 1, beginning at 10:30 a. m. and is to be given by Mrs. Francis Clinton from the Oregon State College. The demonstration will be "Charm of Good Manners." The menu will be baked beans, jello, coffee and each is asked to bring their own sandwiches and table service.

Mrs. Alton McCue visited the Greendell Extension Unit, Thursday, January 24, held at the home of Mrs. John Rupert. The demonstration was "Quick Breads" with Mrs. Rupert as project leader. Mrs. McCue reported a very nice meeting.

Mrs. Wesley Frazier and Mrs. Alton McCue attended the luncheon given by Mrs. Cecilia Van Winkle for the Coos County Extension Advisory Committee members, Tuesday, January 29.

Myrtle DeLong has been at home for several days caring for her mother, who is ill. Robah Robinson has taken her place as saleslady in the Penney store until she is able to return.

Upper North Bank

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Finley entertained Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown of Coquille, at a Sunday dinner January 27. Mr. Brown has recently returned from one and a half years overseas with the army.

Mrs. Horace Berry reports hearing from her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Ward of Tule and they report that is five and eight degrees below zero there.

Mrs. Chester Price and daughter Sandra Sue, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Wm. Church, Tuesday, January 29.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Tucker from Weston, Oregon, were overnight visitors Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Alpine went to Eugene on business last week.

Charley Henry visited at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. Frank Hull, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly of Bandon, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Jack Fraser Tuesday, January 29.

Alton McCue and Bill Church went clam digging Wednesday at Empire and returned with 15 gallons of clams each.

Ronald Fraser has gone on a vacation to Los Angeles to visit with his brother and sister-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. Roderick Fraser.

Mrs. Adolph Moltu returned Friday night from attending the 4-H conference at Corvallis and a short visit with Mrs. Carroll Rycraft.

Several car loads of people attended the basketball game between Riverton and Bunker Hill at Bunker Hill. Although the Riverton boys lost 18-16, they put up a good fight.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCue were overnight visitors at Mr. McCue's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. DeLong, in Bandon Sunday, February 3.

Quentin Church and Robert McCue returned Wednesday, January 30 from a business trip to Portland. Being a bachelor and with the man shortage—it is a wonder that Mr. Church didn't return with a wife. Girls there is still a chance.

Arago News Items

Elvin Wilmark came home last Thursday for a 30 day furlough, after which he will return to Farragut, Idaho, to await his discharge.

C. E. Mullins came in from Yamhill last Friday and spent several days with his wife and family in Arago.

Adrian Halter took his wife to Portland last week where Mrs. Halter will receive a physical examination. Mrs. Halter has been quite ill for some time and it is hoped that the trouble will be located by specialists at Portland.

Mrs. Werner Plaep, Richard and Robert returned home from their visit to McMinnville Sunday evening.

Mrs. T. P. Haberly, Billy and David of Myrtle Point, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Aasen Sunday.

Mrs. Bernice Gulstrom and Gus Schroeder, both of Arago, were married Saturday at 1:30 p. m. at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Barnett, with the Rev. Barlett officiating. Mrs. Gulstrom's two sons, Junior and Darwin, and her twin sister, Mrs. Albert Lillie, were also present. After the wedding a supper was

given in honor of the couple at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lillie, after which the newly-weds left on a two weeks trip to Newport. They also plan to stop and visit at the home of Mr. Schroeder's daughter, Mrs. Gordon Fleming near Salem, and at the home of his son, Jack Schroeder, at Corvallis, before returning home. They will make their home at Arago on the Gulstrom ranch.

Miss Laura Bernice Lillie came in from Portland Monday and spent a couple of days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lillie. Herbert Carl and Ellis Rackleff of Coquille, were Wednesday evening dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lillie.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fish visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fish in Coquille Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Meldeh Carl, Douglas and Becky were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cross of Coquille.

Mrs. Ward Evans, Pamela and Maureen were Friday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Felsher in Myrtle Point. After dinner they attended the basketball game between Myrtle Point and Coquille at Myrtle Point.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. McAllister made a business trip to Bandon last Saturday.

The following group of people met at the church again last Wednesday to continue the work of cleaning up the church, Mesdames O. H. Aasen, Ida Myers, Stanley Halter, Ward Evans, Tyrrell Woodward, Albert Lillie and Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Barklow, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. McAllister and Werner Plaep.

There was a potluck dinner at noon. They will meet on Thursday this week. The regular Missionary meeting which was scheduled for this Tuesday, was postponed until next Tuesday, Feb. 12th.

Mrs. J. L. Burtis and Miss Pamela Evans made a business trip to Roseburg last Friday.

The following were guests at a birthday party given for Miss Nola Crawford at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crawford, last Thursday evening Misses Glenda Lillie, Pamela and Maureen Evans, Evelyn Leeper, Leora Ames and Messrs. Jack Farrier, Kerwin Roe, Allen Halter, John Leeper, LeRoy and Glendon Zeller Albert Tomlinson, Darwin Gulstrom and Don Sutherland of Myrtle Point.

Mrs. Ward Evans and Pamela and Mrs. John Menegat attended the Royal Neighbors' lodge in Myrtle Point Monday evening, at which time Mrs. Evans and Mrs. Menegat were hostesses.

Georgia Zeller was able to be

An Apology And A Promise

As the great global war has come to an end, we catch our breath for a moment and ponder how we have conducted ourselves during these last four years.

We are not too proud of our record. We have behaved very badly at times.

Irritated nerves and physical exhaustion were reflected in too many ways, both to our clients and debtors as well as our fellow workers.

We have all groaned under the burden of red tape, and rebelled over the wasted time and energy needed to accomplish the smallest result.

Many of our old and faithful employees deserve bronze stars for performance beyond the line of duty. We pay acknowledgment for those employees as well as those of associated bureaus who put forth an extra effort in order to maintain a superlative service to our clients.

We aren't dreaming great dreams for post-war projects. However, one of our first post-war projects will be to do a better job for our clients and both promise and perform better service.

We have made many mistakes, and haven't been too happy in correcting them. This can be charged largely to lack of both time and manpower to correct them quickly and properly.

I know you have all had your problems, too, and this may help to promote a better understanding of our own difficulties. It is at least pleasant to approach the future with a hope that a real world peace may make possible a more orderly personal and business life.

We have refrained from wastage of paper and discontinued some special services which will be resumed now. We have been remiss in contacting clients or keeping them posted either by circular or letter with regard to conditions because the situation changed too rapidly to make them have any particular merit.

We have carefully subdued any impulse to evidence our political

brought home from Portland last Thursday, where he was taken for a check-up at the Doernbecher hospital in Portland. He is getting along nicely and will probably be able to return to school again next week.

Rev. G. A. Gray of Coquille conducted the regular Sunday morning church service. Sunday school followed with an attendance of 26. There will be services again next Sunday, preaching at 10 a. m. and Sunday school at 11 a. m.

thought and to restrict criticism (to the best of our ability) about the conduct of our national life. We have some pent-up peeves that we would like to discuss with you when the proper time comes.

The peace that has come to all the world is reward enough to many of us, irrespective of the difficulties peace itself may create for our business future. May God grant that the world may settle down so that we can all look forward to a normal life with some sense of security and contentment.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Kyle left Tuesday for Springfield, Oregon, where they will make their home. They will move their household goods when they are able to find a house.

Gloria Haga spent the week-end at home. She attends beauty school in Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. Rock Robison will spend the week-end in Corvallis with their son, Rock, who is stationed there under the V-12 navy program.

Friends report that Marge Heaton was quite ill at her home the first of the week.

Unemployment Office Issues 1945 Report

Workers who were laid off from shipyard and aircraft plants continued to draw most of the unemployment benefits during December, but their share of all payments dropped to 70.7 per cent as compared with 79 per cent in September following V-J day.

Of \$1,218,523 paid to those out-of-work in December, \$862,421 went to those formerly in shipbuilding plants, according to an analysis by the Oregon Unemployment Compensation Commission.

Those eligible to draw benefits in the lumbering industry took the next largest amount, \$130,750, or about 10.7 per cent. Before the war logging and lumber employees accounted for 25 to 40 per cent of all payments at this season. Those involved in labor disputes were disqualified for benefits.

Of approximately 54,000 who filed claims for benefits last year, 28,560 received compensation and 844 drew the full amount possible against their base year wage credits.

The Coquille Red Cross unit will tie a comforter when they meet in the Parish House Friday, February 8. The women now have four comforters for county families in need of them.

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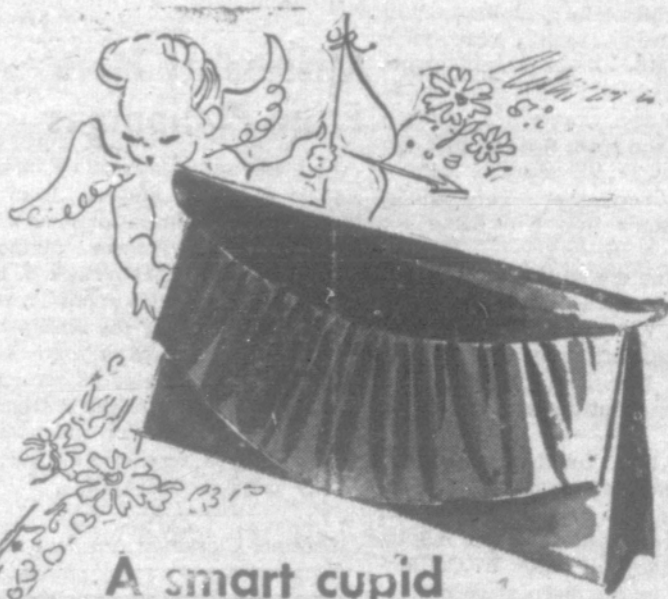
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