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Grade School To Present Operettas

Primary Classes and Third and Fourth Grades Preparing for Appearance

ATTENDANCE IS GOOD

Sixth Grade Health Class Dissects the Heart of a Cat

Friday night, February 15, the lower grades of the Beaverton Grade school will present two operettas. The primary operetta, entitled, "The Court of Flowers" is the story of a court of flowers which is going to choose the most beautiful for its queen. As they are about to decide upon the queen, a new contestant enters (the American Beauty Rose). She is chosen queen by the court. Many delightful little dances are given by these tiny tots throughout the operetta.

The Third and Fourth Grades will present the operetta, "Make-Believe." This operetta is the story of a kitchen clock who is discontented with his life and complains bitterly over his constant work. The tea kettle, and other friends, feeling sorry for the clock, undertake to give him a good time. However, the clock loses the key, and neglects to wind the clock, which runs down, and narrowly escapes being taken to Ricketty-Row by Rag-Tag man. The clock is finally saved by his friends who find the key and wind him just in time, and the clock is glad to go back to work.

The chief characters are: Night Lady, Doris Noel; Clock, Monte Myers; Tea Kettle, Lorraine Denney; Stew Kettle, Robert Myers; Dust Pan, Earl Bye; Broom, Harry Depp; Leather Duster, Joan Lowell; Ragman, Randall Peck.

Last semester 177 pupils of the grade school were neither absent nor tardy during the entire term. Only 12 students were tardy during the same period, and there were twenty four visits by parents. The attendance for the entire school averaged 96+ per cent.

The Public speaking class of the Beaverton High school under the direction of Mr. Webb, has been kind enough to take charge of these grade school pupils who are entering the Declamation Contest. This contest, in which the schools of the county compete with each other, will be held next month.

Most everyone is interested in the old age pension, even those who are not immediately concerned. In the Sixth grade grammar classes, a lively debate upon this question is taking place, and it is doubtful whether the negative or the affirmative side will be given the decision.

The heart of a cat was dissected in the Sixth Grade Health class. In order to study the cells found in blood, some cat's blood was placed under the microscope, and the cells could then be clearly seen. The pupils found this very interesting.

The members of her room were sorry to lose Joyce Kellington, who has moved to Hillsboro. The Presidential campaign is now over in the Sixth grade, and Jack See has been elected President. Halie Jean Pace, Secretary; Betty Malton, Treasurer; and Robert Gresham, master-at-arms.

The Fifth grade has a colorful border of rainbow scenes which were made in the art classes. Each scene consists of the silhouette of a mountain and tree, overshadowed by the rainbow. Many fine specimens of penmanship have been displayed upon the bulletin board.

The Seventh Grade have chosen their class officers for this semester. They are: President, Glen Jones; Vice-President, Ronald Knepner; Secretary, Ada Colow.

Last Friday the Beaverton grade school basketball team defeated Hillsboro by a score of 14 to 12. Excellent team work and good sportsmanship was shown throughout the game.

Tuesday the Beaverton team met its defeat at the hands of St. Mary's with a score of 20-18.

This week the February issue of the "Bugle Press" was published by the Seventh and Eighth grade grammar classes.

BEAVERTON GRANGE TO HAVE MEETING

The Beaverton Grange will meet in regular session in the Grange hall, Saturday, February 9, at 10:30 a.m. All officers are urged to be present for the seating drill. Regular pot-luck luncheon will be held at noon.

The roll call for the afternoon lecturer's program will be, "Comparisons of the Past and Present."

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS PLANNED

The United States Civil Service Commission says that numerous letters received at its office from different parts of the country indicate that misleading information is being given to the public by agents of some of the correspondence schools which give instruction in preparation for civil-service examinations.

To guard against the loss of money paid for tuition of this kind the Civil Service Commission holds examinations. The claim that such assurance can be given brands the person making it as a fraud.

Information regarding examinations for the United States Civil Service may be obtained from the boards of United States Civil Service Examiners. There is such a board in each community which has a post office of the first or second class. In nearly all cities the civil service board is located at the post office.

Before paying money for tuition, or signing a contract, it is advisable to make inquiry concerning the prospect of examinations.

No school has advance information regarding the need for employees or the probability of examinations.

CHEAP MOLASSES FOR STOCK FEEDING

Surplus molasses made from "over-quota" cane in the sugar producing sections, will be available for stock feeding during the late winter months at prices that make it a good buy in some instances compared with grain, drouth relief officials at Oregon State college have been notified from Washington.

The molasses would be imported from American possessions in some instances and then shipped to communities in tank cars. It is supposed to have a feeding value for ton about equal to corn. OSC livestock men say it can be used to advantage on low grade roughage such as straw or poor hay where better feeds are not available. Livestock owners desiring to obtain some of this molasses are advised to get in touch with the county drouth relief administrator, or in other counties with the agricultural agent, who will arrange shipments if enough demand develops.

GRANGE COMMITTEES PLAN NEW PROJECTS

County agents throughout the state have co-operated with grange agricultural committees during January in setting up the program of work for these committees. Among the standard projects adopted by many of the grange organizations for emphasis this year are marketing, rodent control, weed and pest control, agricultural outlook and price reporting, 4-H club work, and farm record keeping.

The agricultural committee of the state grange has cooperated with the extension service for several years in this co-ordinating effort. This committee consists now of Fred Goff, Roseburg, chairman; Merton Tompkins, Dayton, and Fred Shepherd, Sisters.

JUDGE JEFFREY EXPLAINS PENSION PLAN

There must have been more than two hundred people at the meeting in the Ritz theater Sunday afternoon when Judge John A. Jeffrey of Portland explained the Townsend Old Age Pension.

The meeting was held under the auspices of the Hillsboro club. A temporary organization of a similar organization was made at the meeting. G. P. Fordney was elected chairman, L. F. Humburg, vice-chairman.

Mrs. Miller of Watson St. is circulating a petition and soliciting members. If there are those who wish to join with this movement it would be to their interest to contact either the temporary officer or Mrs. Miller.

HILLSIDE SCHOOL GIVEN HEALTH PLAQUE

The A-1 Health plaque issued by the Washington Co. Public Health Association was presented to the Hillside school on Friday, February 1, by Mrs. Hugh McGilvra, president of the association. This school is the first one in Washington county to fulfill the 14 requirements for health necessary to obtain the plaque.

An interesting health program was presented by the pupils and a short talk on the seal sale was given by Mrs. Geo. Bauman. Several guests were present at the presentation.

City Council Discusses SERA Project

Application Is Drafted to Submit to Authorities for Approval

ALL MEMBERS ATTEND

Committee Appointed To Dispose Of Property City Has Acquired

The regular monthly meeting of the City Fathers took place in the City hall Monday evening with all the council members, the Mayor, the Water Superintendent, the city attorney and the Fire Chief present.

Considerable time was given over to the discussion of SERA projects, several of which are under consideration. A careful perusal of the minutes of the meeting reveals that several projects were thoroughly discussed and that an application was drafted to be submitted to the county SERA authorities for their approval. Among the improvements is that of planting some sort of ornamental shade trees along Second and Watson streets, repairing and improving the present water distribution system, putting in some drain tiles along Lombard street and landscaping some of the ground between Front St. and Broadway.

Committees on these projects include Drorbaugh, water; Myers, city hall; Rossi, sidewalks; Beswell, swimming pool.

The Mayor and Recorder were authorized to sign an agreement with the County to assist in the collection of the annual dog license fees.

Some time ago an ordinance was passed authorizing the Mayor and Council to dispose of, by selling the city's interest or renting, the property the city has acquired by reason of foreclosing improvement liens. A committee consisting of Barnes, Myers and Boswell were named to work with the Mayor in accomplishing this project.

After allowing the bills for the current expenses of the city, there was some discussion about a phone for the Fire Chief. The discussion brought out that when the franchise was granted the phone company, the man then managing the local plant verbally agreed to supply the city with all the phones required for doing the city business. There were three phones mentioned specifically, but the statement was made that as many as were needed would be supplied. When the present plant manager came to take charge only one phone was allowed the city. The motion as put was to the effect that the phone company be required to install a phone for the fire chief.

INCOME TAX RETURNS DUE NEXT MONTH

J. W. Maloney, Collector of Internal Revenue, wishes to remind taxpayers that Federal income tax returns for the calendar year 1934 must be filed with his office not later than March 15, 1935.

Income tax forms were mailed on January 10, 1935, to all taxpayers, who filed such forms for the previous year. Failure to receive the forms will not relieve the taxpayer from the penalties provided if the return is not filed on time. Taxpayers required to file income tax returns, who have not received the forms, should apply at once to the Collector's office for such forms.

All individuals, partnerships, fiduciaries and corporations filing income tax returns, must also file Form 1904 with the return, in accordance with the publicity provisions of the Revenue Act of 1934. The law requires the Collector to prepare such form, and add \$5.00 to the tax in any case where the taxpayer fails to file it. To avoid this additional expense taxpayers are urged not to fail to file Form 1904 with each income tax return.

Corporations in existence during 1934 must file corporation income tax returns, even though no business was transacted or income received. Especial care should be used in the case of such inactive corporations to see that Form 1904 accompanies the return when filed, as the law leaves no alternative for the Collector other than to prepare the form and assess the \$5.00 additional charge so provided in the Act.

A deputy collector will be present at Hillsboro, February 21-23, inclusive, and at Forest Grove, on February 25.

KINTON LADIES AID HAS SPECIAL MEET

A special meeting of the Kinton Ladies' Aid society was held last Thursday all day at the home of Mrs. Lilly M. Bierly, with about fifteen ladies present. A pot-luck dinner was served at noon. Work for the day consisted of quilting and cutting out blocks for another quilt, which has been ordered, and will soon be ready for quilting. The Aid has quite a lot of work on hand.

Silently Passing

Horace Greeley Davies, aged 83, died at his home in Portland, February 3. He is survived by three children. He was a brother of the late Alfred and Newt Davies, who were pioneers of this section. Funeral services were held in Portland, Tuesday, with interment at Crescent Grove cemetery.

FOODS, FACTS--FOIBLES

MORE OF BUNS THAN VANILET

HOT CROSS BUNS WERE ORIGINATED IN PAGAN ENGLAND LONG BEFORE THE CHRISTIAN ERA. MISSIONARIES TO ENGLAND ADDED THE CROSS.

THE MOST FAMOUS CHEESE EVER MADE IN AMERICA WAS THE 1250 POUND AMERICAN CHEESE PRESENTED IN 1801 BY THE REPUBLICAN LADIES OF CHESHIRE, MASS. TO PRESIDENT THOMAS JEFFERSON.

JOHN LELAND, BAPTIST MINISTER, PERSONALLY BROUGHT IT BY SLEIGH TEAM TO WASHINGTON, D.C., THEN, DRAWN TO THE WHITE HOUSE BY SIX RIBBON BEDECKED HORSES, THE MAMMOTH CHEESE, 4 FE. 6 IN. ACROSS, WAS SERVED AT THE FIRST PUBLIC NEW YEAR'S DAY RECEPTION EVER HELD THERE.

CHARLES DICKENS NAMED PORTERHOUSE STEAK AFTER THE OLD PORTER HOUSE IN SANDUSKY, OHIO, WHERE HE FIRST TASTED IT IN 1847.

IT WAS A PORTERHOUSE STEAK!

TOMATOES CALLED "LOVE APPLES," WERE REGARDED AS RANK POISON UNTIL THE MIDDLE OF THE 19th CENTURY.

FAMOUS GOURMETS OF HISTORY

"DIAMOND JIM" BRADY, FAMOUS GOURMET OF THE GAY NINETIES, USED TO EAT SIX DOZEN OYSTERS AS A STARTER FOR HIS ORDINARY DINNER.

Beaverton Debaters Win Trophy

Six Local Students Emerge Undefeated from Linfield Tournament

MANY SCHOOLS ENTER

Finalists Will Meet Washington State Winners Soon

The Beaverton debate squad emerged from the strenuous Linfield College High school debate tournament at McMinnville last week as the number one squad of debaters. Twenty-two schools entered debating teams.

The tournament was held over a two day period, beginning Friday afternoon, and ending last Saturday night, February 1 and 2. About 350 participants in all took part in the tourney with entries from nearly every school in Debate, Oratory, Extemp, and Humorous and Dramatic Declamation.

Finalists are scheduled to meet the winners of the Washington state tournament on the Linfield campus at the same time as the collegiate tournament, February 21, 22 and 23. The Washington tournament will be held at the College of Puget Sound at Tacoma, February 15 and 16.

Beaverton High school received as a token of their position, a statue of Victory mounted on a pedestal. On the pedestal will be engraved the name of the winning school and the occasion. Individual winners each receive a bronze medal. This is to be an annual affair. It was initiated last year, when Beaverton also carried away first honors.

Beaverton entered twenty students in the debate tournament, many of them from the first year Public Speaking class. Each team won at least one decision, and six students were undefeated.

In the preliminaries there were thirty debates, twenty of which were held on Friday, and ten on Saturday.

In the quarter-finals, Mildred Twohy and Delbert Burke, first affirmative team, lost to Salem. Evelyn Alexander and Markey Sayre, second affirmative, won from Eugene. In the semi-finals, Amos Bierly and Francis Holbake, second negative team won from Newberg. In the finals, the second affirmative team, Evelyn Alexander and Markey Sayre, won the debate which brought the trophy to Beaverton.

The teams who came through the entire tournament undefeated were the first negative, Aline Boswell and Donald Walker; the second negative, Amos Bierly and Francis Holbake; and the second affirmative, Evelyn Alexander and Markey Sayre.

WASHINGTON CO. IS THIRD IN CONTEST

Mrs. Carl Sande of Forest Grove, chairman of membership for the County Council of Parent Teacher Associations reports that at the present time Washington County stands third in the state in the contest for the silver cup. This cup is being awarded by the executive board of the Oregon Congress of Parents and Teachers. The contest closes March 31, 1935.

The award is to be made to the county council making the following points:

- Fifty points for the number of associations having made a gain. Two thirds of the associations in Washington county have increased their membership.
- Twenty-five points for new associations. This county has three new associations, at Tigard, Hillsboro and Shute. One other county has four new associations.
- Twenty-five points for the greatest gain as a whole. This county has gained over thirty-eight percent, and needs a few more new members.
- Five points are deducted for each association not paying county council dues. A few locals have not paid.

Mrs. Sande will make a complete report to date at the county council meeting at Hillsboro, Saturday, February 9.

FIREMEN'S DANCE IS DECIDED SUCCESS

The Firemen's dance at the high school auditorium Saturday evening was a decided success. About 350 attended the affair. The music was furnished by Cecil Barnes' orchestra. Refreshments of "hot dog" sandwiches and ice cream were served. Everybody had a good time, according to reports. Harvey Williams is the Fire-chief.

ALOHA-HUBER P.T. A IS 25 YEARS OLD

Celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary of their organization the Aloha-Huber Parent-Teachers' association will hold a celebration in the Aloha-Huber school house, Tuesday evening, February 12, Lincoln's birthday, to celebrate the occasion.

The program for the evening will include the history of the local organization by Mrs. Jas. Welsh, and an address by Dr. G. A. Odgers, head of the department of education, at Pacific University, who will speak on "Problems of Education." A candle-lighting ceremony celebrating the birthday of the association, will be put on. Cake and coffee will be served.