

Grass Valley Music Pupils Appear In Recital

Mrs Orville Ruggles presented her pupils in piano recital at the Baptist church in Grass Valley Thursday evening, May 15, to a large audience of parents and friends. The church was beautifully decorated with white streamers. The program was as follows: "Yankee Doodle" by Paul Goddard Jr.; "Wigwam Dance" by Larry Easter; "The Big Parade" by Deanna Martin; "The Contented Bird" by Brenda Eakin; "Vacation Time" by Peggy Reckman; "Moonlight Waltz" by Linda Rae Schilling; "Waltz Dream" by Barbara Blaylock; "Bicycle Built for Two" by Karen Goddard; "Girl of My Dreams" by Judy Smith; "Waltzing in the Shadows" by Margaret Baumgartner; "Sparkling Waters" by Karen Kelly; "March of the Woman Marines" by Donald Schilling; "Ave Maria" and "On a Glider" by Merle Eakin; "Midnight Fire Alarm" and "Ben Hur Chariot" by Duane Eakin; "Lonely Dancer" by Janice Bibby; "Robin's Return" by Barbara Alley; "Up to Date March" by Barbara Alley and Janice Bibby; "Missouri Waltz" by Margaret Reckman; "Echo's of Vienna" by Margaret Reckman and Nita Rugeles.

Mrs Alfred Kock entertained members of her bridge club and one guest, Mrs Henry Ramm of Moro, at her home Thursday with a dessert luncheon followed by cards at two tables, with Mrs Earl Olds, Mrs Roy Schilling and Mrs Kock holding the winning games.

J. W. Blace and Clair Balzer were business visitors in Portland Monday.

Mr and Mrs Leo Woolwine and sons of The Dalles spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs Art Bibby.

Mrs T. H. Nabuse of Moro and son, Lyle Nabuse of Salem were business visitors here Saturday.

B. C. Baumgartner went to Portland Sunday evening on business returning home Monday evening.

Mr and Mrs A. K. Cutts came up from Albany Sunday to spend the day with their son in law and daughter. Mr and Mrs Alton Coyle Mrs Cutts remained to take care of the Coyle children while her daughter is in the hospital. Mr and Mrs Harve Cutts came up with them from Albany to visit her parents. Mr and Mrs Jerry Covle.

Mr and Mrs Howard Schilling and son, Jon, went to Portland Sunday to attend class day exercises of the Multnomah school of the Bible held at the Temple Baptist church. Mrs S. L. Boyce accompanied them to her home in Portland. Mrs Ellen B. Lyons accompanied them home.

Among those attending the circus in The Dalles Monday evening were Mr and Mrs Wallace May and son Clarence, Mrs Paul Goddard and children, Mr and Mrs C. R. Anderson and son Dennis, George Smith and daughter, Judy, Mr and Mrs Alfred Kock and son, Bud, Mrs A. A. Dunlap, Mr and Mrs Alfred Payne and family, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Martin and family and Mrs Art Schilling and children.

Mr and Mrs Gerry Wolff and daughter, Louise of Vancouver Washington came Friday to spend the weekend at the Wallace May home.

Mrs Alton Coyle went to The Dalles Monday where she entered a hospital for an operation on Tuesday.

Donald vonBorstel went to The Dalles Sunday to bring Mrs von Borstel and infant daughter home from the hospital. Her mother, Mrs John Jenkins is staying with her daughter for a while.

Mr and Mrs Ross Fields and daughter left Monday for Portland on business and to spend a few days visiting her sister, Mrs Wayland Weld and family.

Mrs Ellen B. Lyons went to Portland Friday evening on business returning home Sunday.

Mrs Ted vonBorstel was a business visitor in The Dalles Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Bert Garretson arrived last Tuesday from California to visit Mrs John Engstrom. They left Wednesday for their home in Boring accompanied by Mrs Engstrom who will spend several weeks with them.

Mrs T. M. Rolfe, John Rolfe and Bert Cox motored to Portland Wednesday to visit Mr Rolfe at the Good Samaritan hospital returning home Friday.

Ralph Balzer came up from Portland Friday evening to spend the week end with his parents, Mr and Mrs A. F. Balzer. He went to the James Kenny ranch Saturday evening to bring his wife and son, Carcel, who spent ten days with her parents, over to spend Sunday here before leaving Sunday afternoon for their home.

Mr and Mrs Willard Rolfe and son, Danny, accompanied Mrs Harry Hooper of The Dalles, to



NEW FIRES, EXPLOSIONS ADD TO HAVOC . . . With new fires and explosions adding to the carnage of the Texas City, Tex., tremendous explosion, early reports proved to fall short of final damages to this industrial city, located on Galveston bay. Photo shows later blazes in the waterfront area. With the leveled Monsanto chemical plant in the background, wrecked cars, all blasted in the original explosion, are shown in the water-soaked area as agencies of cities, states and federal government sought to bring relief.

Portland Wednesday to visit his father T. M. Rolfe at the Good Samaritan hospital.

Miss Cassie Holmes of The Dalles spent the weekend here with relatives.

Mr and Mrs Frank Pike motored to Portland Sunday to attend the auto races.

Mr and Mrs Ed Alley left Monday for The Dalles to attend the circus and to stay for the Odd Fellows and Rebekah convention. They will be guests of Mr and Mrs Roy Feely.

Mr and Mrs George Smith and daughter, Judy, and Mr and Mrs C. W. Fields went to Fossil to the baseball game Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Ed Alley and Mr and Mrs John Block and Bill Luttrell motored to Madras Sunday to attend the rodeo.

Mr and Mrs James Easter and sons, Larry and Roy, and Janice Bibby left Monday morning for a trip to North Carolina to visit his relatives. They plan on being gone a month.

Mrs Jess Landry, Mrs Lucy Ruggles of Moro and Mrs Jim Donahue from California spent Thursday visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs O. N. Rugeles.

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Mr and Mrs Ted Trimble were in The Dalles Thursday on business.

Mr and Mrs Roy Schilling and son, and Mr and Mrs Bud Coon motored to Tygh Valley Friday to spend the day visiting Mr and Mrs Florin Coon.

Mrs John Rust and Mrs H. O. Dugger spent Friday visiting at the homes of Mr and Mrs Tom Douma and Mr and Mrs John DeMoss at Moro.

Mr and Mrs W. D. Barnett and daughter, Dorothy were business visitors in The Dalles Sunday.

Mrs Jesse Arnold of Pendleton spent Thursday night and Friday visiting with Mr and Mrs Frank Pike.

Louis May flew down from Hermiston Monday on business.

Mr and Mrs Harold Owens were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Harry Young.

The American Legion Auxiliary met at the home Mrs A. A. Dunlap Wednesday with twelve members present. Election of officers was in order with Mrs Clarence Young elected president; Mrs Glenn Perry, first vice-president; Mrs Kenneth Crews, second vice-president; Mrs C. W. Fields, secretary; Mrs Eugene Norton, treasurer; Mrs J. E. Brown, chaplain; Mrs J. E. Norton, historian and Mrs Harry Young, sergeant at arms. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting by the hostesses.

Mr and Mrs O. N. Ruggles were Sunday dinner guests at the

New Goods Have Varied Uses and Characteristics

Characterics and labeling of new textiles and textile finishes coming on the market have been extremely popular subjects to homemakers this year, reports Mrs Myrtle Carter, acting extension specialist in clothing and house furnishings at OSC, "Tomorrow's Fabrics," many of which are not on the market yet, made up demonstration kits used in 12 regular county projects and in single meetings in four other counties.

A new shrink-proofing process known commercially as "Reeloom" and "Lanaset" has been developed for wool socks, mittens, sweaters and blankets. Near the end of the war the army was buying about seven million pairs of socks per month which had undergone this process, reports

Mrs Carter. Treated socks washed two hours in army washers shrank 10 percent and were soft when they dried. Untreated socks shrank 30 percent and were stiff. This shrink-proofing is not the same as "pre-shrunk," she adds.

Nylon curtains have proven unsatisfactory to homemakers because ultra violet rays of the sun disintegrate them, cites Mrs Carter. Fiberglass, fire resistant and dust proof, makes excellent draperies as it is not affected by the sun. On the other hand, fiberglass is unsuitable in wearing apparel as it irritates the skin.

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used in the war as flare chutes. The lightness and sheerness of Fortisan is akin to nylon and makes it popular for evening dresses.

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SMALLEST CAMERA . . . Built and designed for use by ORS agents and underground forces during World War II, this tiny "M.B." camera, no larger than its namesake, a matchbox—is now on the market.

Synopsis of Annual Statement OF THE MERCHANTS FIRE ASSURANCE CORPORATION OF NEW YORK, IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK, on the thirty-first day of December, 1946, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

INCOME	
Net premiums received	\$ 6,687,899.77
Total interest, dividends and real estate income	648,433.30
Income from other sources	1,394,818.45
Total income	\$ 8,729,991.52
DISBURSEMENTS	
Net amount paid for losses	\$ 2,401,414.80
Loss adjustment expenses	145,517.67
Premiums to source of collection	2,776,777.15
Dividends paid to stockholders	23,855.39
Unassigned funds	0
Dividends paid to stockholders (Cash, 864,000.00; 81,500.00)	2,165,000.00
All other expenditures (including investment expenses (206.50))	1,458,437.26
Total disbursements	\$ 8,747,167.53
ADMITTED ASSETS	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	\$ 26,772.48
Loans on mortgage and collateral, etc.	163,779.80
Value of bonds owned (amortized value)	5,378,690.00
Value of stocks owned (market value)	17,128,332.00
Cash in banks and on hand	1,909,623.46
Prepaid insurance	700,423.24
Interest and rents due and accrued	23,855.39
Other assets (net)	223,020.59
Total admitted assets	\$25,754,698.94
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Total unpaid claims	\$ 1,309,136.50
Estimated loss adjustment expense for unpaid claims	35,000.00
Total unearned premium	6,554,963.94
All other liabilities	446,531.61
Total liabilities, except capital	\$ 8,145,632.05
Capital paid up	\$5,000,000.00
Special surplus funds	1,000,000.00
Unassigned funds	0
Surplus (surplus)	13,609,056.99
Surplus on regards policyholders	\$17,609,056.99
Total	\$25,754,698.94
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Net premiums received	\$ 2,708.89
Net losses paid or credited to policyholders	29,050.59
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders	0

Synopsis of Annual Statement OF THE AMERICAN ALLIANCE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK, IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK, on the thirty-first day of December, 1946, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

INCOME	
Net premiums received	\$ 4,507,414.99
Total interest, dividends and real estate income	467,853.87
Income from other sources	43,488.68
Total income	\$ 5,018,757.54
DISBURSEMENTS	
Net amount paid for losses	\$ 1,264,785.01
Loss adjustment expenses	110,058.00
Underwriting expenses	1,843,835.00
Dividends paid to stockholders	300,000.00
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders	0
All other expenditures	27,171.71
Total disbursements	\$ 3,445,859.72
ADMITTED ASSETS	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	0
Loans on mortgage and collateral, etc.	0
Value of bonds owned (amortized value)	2,323,307.90
Value of stocks owned (market value)	9,989,529.00
Cash in banks and on hand	697,263.26
Prepaid insurance	697,654.99
Interest and rents due and accrued	15,990.00
Other assets (net)	0
Total admitted assets	\$12,664,494.25
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Total unpaid claims	\$ 646,518.00
Estimated loss adjustment expense for unpaid claims	30,000.00
Total unearned premium	4,005,373.93
All other liabilities	254,606.32
Total liabilities, except capital	\$ 4,926,508.25
Capital paid up	\$5,000,000.00
Special surplus funds	0
Unassigned funds	0
Surplus (surplus)	4,727,548.34
Surplus on regards policyholders	\$ 7,727,548.34
Total	\$12,664,494.25
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Net premiums received	\$ 15,247.44
Net losses paid or credited to policyholders	1,497.59
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders	0

Synopsis of Annual Statement OF THE GREAT AMERICAN INDEMNITY COMPANY OF NEW YORK, IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK, on the thirty-first day of December, 1946, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

INCOME	
Net premiums received	\$15,945,648.58
Total interest, dividends and real estate income	874,947.69
Income from other sources	115,819.63
Total income	\$16,936,415.89
DISBURSEMENTS	
Net amount paid for losses	\$ 6,241,682.70
Loss adjustment expenses	1,264,660.42
Underwriting expenses	6,233,667.63
Dividends paid to stockholders	400,000.00
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders	0
All other expenditures (including investment expenses \$27,230.65)	264,998.12
Total disbursements	\$14,146,708.87
ADMITTED ASSETS	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	0
Loans on mortgage and collateral, etc.	0
Value of bonds owned (amortized value)	12,195,428.00
Value of stocks owned (market value)	12,575,997.80
Cash in banks and on hand	2,257,589.75
Prepaid insurance	2,474,395.35
Interest and rents due and accrued	68,088.00
Other assets (net)	418,613.75
Total admitted assets	\$32,100,477.80
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Total unpaid claims	\$11,190,893.00
Estimated loss adjustment expense for unpaid claims	63,500.00
Total unearned premium	6,979,228.97
All other liabilities	1,642,146.53
Total liabilities, except capital	\$19,874,368.50
Capital paid up	\$2,000,000.00
Special surplus funds	0
Unassigned funds	0
Surplus (surplus)	10,304,109.30
Surplus on regards policyholders	\$12,304,109.30
Total	\$32,100,477.80
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Net premiums received	\$ 172,323.34
Net losses paid or credited to policyholders	\$ 2,301.29
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders	0

Synopsis of Annual Statement OF THE RESERVE LOAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF TEXAS & DALLAS, IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, on the thirty-first day of December, 1946, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

INCOME	
Total premium income for the year	\$ 1,174,754.14
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	746,319.38
Income from other sources received during the year	728,064.16
Total income	\$ 2,649,137.58
DISBURSEMENTS	
Paid for losses, endorsements, cancellations and surrenders value	\$ 1,383,957.15
Dividends paid to policyholders	1,811.24
Dividends paid to stockholders	5,000.00
General insurance expenses	1,282,897.35
Amount of all other expenditures	561,411.44
Total expenditures	\$ 3,137,183.43
ASSETS	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	\$ 647,471.30
Loans on mortgage and collateral, etc.	10,765,266.87
Value of bonds owned (amortized value)	3,953,038.23
Value of stocks owned (market value)	1,227,227.53
Prepaid notes and policy loans	0
Cash in banks and on hand	1,143,613.19
Interest and rents due and accrued	121,027.45
Net uncollected and deferred premiums	497,197.48
Other assets (net)	80,290.59
Total admitted assets	\$18,235,433.82
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Net reserves	\$16,103,969.30
Policy claims and losses outstanding	97,427.70
All other liabilities	739,034.73
Total liabilities, except capital	\$16,940,431.73
Capital paid up	\$250,000.00
Special surplus funds	125,000.00
Unassigned funds (surplus) 800,000.00	0
Surplus on regards policyholders	\$ 125,000.00
Total	\$18,235,433.82
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Net premiums and annuities received during the year	\$ 113,876.67
Net losses and claims, endorsements, surrenders, and annuities paid during the year	14,229.97

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NOTICE OF NON-HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET HEARING
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in compliance with section 111-1244, O.C.L.A., to the legal voters of the Non-High School District of Sherman County, Oregon, that a meeting will be held at the Courthouse in Moro, Oregon, on the 7th day of June, 1947, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of discussing the budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1947, and ending June 30, 1948, hereinafter set forth.

BUDGET ESTIMATED RECEIPTS		ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	
1. Estimated available cash on hand at beginning of year for which this budget is made	\$ 568.94	1. Tuition	\$9,128.44
2. Estimated receipts from delinquent taxes	0	2. Transportation	1,706.90
3. Amounts received from other sources	1932.20	3. Personal Service (Clerical—Legal)	1,823.80
TOTAL	\$ 2499.14	4. Postage, Telegraph, Tel. 6.00	6.00
		5. Supplies and Printing	6.00
		6. Election and Publicity	10.20
		7. Other misc. exp.	22.50
		8. Emergency	0