

Grass Valley

By Mrs. A. F. Balzer

Valentine parties were held at school Thursday afternoon. Those helping Mrs. Bertha Brinkert in the kindergarten room were Mrs. Frank Payne and Mrs. Kenneth Todd, who served Valentine cookies and ice cream after an exchange of Valentines. Those helping Mrs. Dorothy Blagg in the first and second grade room were Mrs. Gene Reynolds, Mrs. Harry Stark, Mrs. Harold Owens, Mrs. Bill Rolfe, and Mrs. Donald von Borstel. After exchanging Valentines refreshments of Valentine ice cream, decorated cup cakes and candy were served. Those helping Mrs. Rhoda West in the 3rd grade room were Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Sam Alberty, Mrs. Kenneth Todd and Mrs. Gordon Lemley. After exchanging Valentines, decorated cakes, ice cream and pop were served. Mrs. Helen Hill and the 4th and 5th grades had their own party without the assistance of the mothers. They played games and after exchanging Valentines enjoyed ice cream and cake. Those helping Dean Woods in 6th, 7th and 8th grade room were Mrs. Sim Duncan, Mrs. Kenneth Todd and Mrs. Gordon Lemley. After an exchange of Valentines cake and ice cream were served. A bingo party was held at the IOOF hall Saturday evening, sponsored by the Three Links club. Mrs. Don Smith won the

jackpot drawing and Willard Barnett won the door prize. A total of 20 games were played. The next bingo party will be held at their hall Saturday Feb. 23 at 8 p. m. Everyone is welcome to come and have a good time. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Todd, Mrs. Bud Brinkert, Ivan Blagg and Peggy Reckman were in charge of a Valentine party held in the recreation room of the Baptist church Saturday evening with 18 boys and girls present. Games were enjoyed and refreshments served. The American Legion auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. A. A. Dunlap Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Wallace May, first vice-president, conducting the business meeting. They spent the afternoon making paper flowers to send to the Veterans hospital in Portland for their wheel chair parade. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting by the hostess. The Cub Scouts of Den 3 met at the home of Mrs. Malcolm Eslinger, den mother, Monday, Feb. 11 after school with eight members present. Eakin flag salute led by Ronnie Eakin which was followed by Washington and Lincoln silhouettes and Valentines. Election of officers was held with David Eakin elected Denner, Mike Eslinger assistant Denner and Curt Blagg, buckskin and Lowell Smith reporter. They had a straw race after which Mrs. Myrtle Smith served doughnuts and maple bars. Mrs. Ila Ward arrived Saturday from San Francisco to spend a week visiting relatives. While here she is a guest at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Olds. Mrs. Alfred Lyons, who spent a week in The Dalles after leaving the hospital, returned to her home in Kent Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Harley McKay of Kent had as their guests last week end her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bucholtz of Ellensburg. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jefferies and family were dinner guests Sunday at the Harley McKay home. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fanning of Bremerton, Wn., arrived Tuesday to spend a week visiting the Frank Kettlers. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Payne took their daughter, Barbara, to The Dalles Thursday where she entered the hospital for medical attention. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perrigo and family of Astoria spent the weekend here visiting her parents the Frank T. Bayers. Mr. and Mrs. Grover Young are now in Portland where Mr. Young will undergo major surgery soon. Mrs. John Jenkins of Portland came up Saturday and was an overnight guest of her daughter,

Mrs. Donald von Borstel and family. Mrs. Bill Pausch came up with her to spend the weekend with her husband, Bill Pausch. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Runke of Portland spent the weekend as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Dugger. Mr. and Mrs. John Rust had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Dugger, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Runke and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Richards and son. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cox went to Portland Thursday on business and spent a week visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hartmann of Wasco spent Sunday visiting the A. F. Balzers. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Clodfelter and Wendell and Mrs. Tony Miller were business visitors in Portland Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hill of Wasco were dinner guests Sunday at the Ivan Blagg home. A good crowd attended the ball game Friday afternoon between Moro and Grass Valley. The Moro girls won the volley ball game but the Grass Valley boys won both basketball games. Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Blagg and family were dinner guests Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Leach. They all went to the ball game in Moro afterwards. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Peters went to Hood River February 20 to celebrate the first birthday anniversary of their grandson, Matthew Peters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Peters Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Owens were in Bend February 8 where Mr. Owens attended a meeting of the Union Oil Company. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Stark of Bend were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olan Stark Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Art Schilling and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ketter drove to Bremerton, Wn., Friday where they picked up Donald Schilling's car and drove to Tacoma where they visited Mr. Ketter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ketter and home Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Amos Fine and family of Madras were visitors Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tatum. Arthur Decker, Verne Mobley and Ronald Rolfe, students at OTI in Klamath Falls, spent the week end visiting their parents. Mr. and Mrs. John Decker had as their guests from Thursday until Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Al Bekkedahl and daughters from Lakeview. Jimmy Tatum of Kent celebrated his 10th birthday anniversary at school Wednesday when his mother, Mrs. Robert Tatum invited the 3rd, 4th, and 5th grades and

their teacher, Mrs. Josephine Parkhurst to have birthday cake, ice cream and toy favors with him. After that they played games until 4 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Dell Olds and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Crews were hosts at a dinner party at the Olds' home Sunday honoring the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Ila Ward of San Francisco and Mrs. Earl Olds. Guests included Mrs. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Olds and Robin, Charlie Olds, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peters and Derric and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Olds. They spent the afternoon visiting. About fifteen young people met at the Kent Community Bible church Sunday evening with recreation from 7 to 7:30 p. m. followed by Bible study and refreshments. The adults had Bible study from 7:30 to 8:30 p. m. George von Borstel went to Portland Wednesday to meet Mrs. von Borstel who returned from Portage, Penn., where she was called by the death of her father, Bill Johnson. Frank von Borstel returned home Friday from a trip to Gearhart where he attended a meeting of the 40 and 8. He visited his mother, Mrs. C. von Borstel, who is in the Holiday Park hospital in Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Carl von Borstel and his mother, Mrs. Ted von Borstel of The Dalles were in Portland Thursday to visit the former's grandmother, Mrs. C. von Borstel at the hospital. Quite a crowd attended the games at Kent Friday afternoon between Wasco and Kent. The Kent girls lost the volley ball game but the Kent boys won the basketball game. Saturday afternoon Wamic played the Kent teams at Kent. Wamic boys won the basket ball game but the Kent girls won the volley ball game. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Norton went to Philomath last week where they will pick up Mrs. Violet Norton who will accompany them to Redwood City, California to visit the Norton's daughter, Mrs. Jack Shanahan and family. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tatum had as dinner guests Wednesday evening honoring their son, Jimmy, on his 10th birthday Mrs. Josephine Parkhurst, Warren Norton and Wiley Norton. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Brinkert were dinner guests Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Stewart at Moro. Mrs. Willard Rolfe and Steven and Mrs. Boyce Blaylock were business visitors in Portland Thursday and returned Friday. Mrs. Lester Barnum and sons, Tom and Dick, and Mrs. Alfred Kook of Moro were business visitors in Portland Thursday. Marion Crews arrived Friday night from Stevenson and spent the weekend at the Dell Olds home, leaving Sunday accompanied by Mrs. Crews and son, Donald, who spent since Tuesday with her parents.



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Rufus Personals

Mrs. George Fox

The Valentine motif was used in the decorations Feb. 14 when Mrs. Walter Morris served a desert lunch at her home to the Rufus Grange Home Ec club. Mrs. Bob Byrd was co-hostess. Mrs. Harland McDonald had charge of the afternoon meeting. Each one told what their favorite mix was for roll call. The chairman reminded all to save and gather up rummage for the sale to be had in June. It was stated some of the women will have to touch up some of the road signs before they are erected. The membership will celebrate the Rufus Grange birthday at its regular meeting Feb. 21. Everyone to bring a gift for the hall. The HEC will furnish the ice cream and the women the cakes. The club will have a white elephant sale the same night to benefit the chaplains fund to buy gifts for the sick. Mrs. Frank Reid joined the Kasebergs in Moro then all went to Sisters to see the basketball games Saturday night. Mrs. John Summer who under went surgery in Portland last week returned to her home in Rufus Saturday feeling fair. The state grange sewing contest is for kitchen apron and the national contest a street dress. There was a discussion on wheth-

er to have the food booth at the fair again this year. The women will consult the men of the grange. The March meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Trace Fields. Mrs. Bob Byrd won the drawing prize. Present for the afternoon besides the hostesses Mrs. Morris and Mrs. Byrd were: Mrs. Charles Blake, Mrs. Sam Brock, Mrs. T. Fields, Mrs. Geo. Fox, Mrs. Bill Huck, Mrs. R. Johnson, Mrs. H. McDonald, Mrs. Joe Morris, Mrs. Grace Medier, Mrs. Alta Smith, Mrs. Bert Swigart, Mrs. Atlee Wilson and Mrs. Fred Dormaier.

4-H Club News

By Jim Belshe

The Sherman basket ball team took the lead by eight points at the game against Maupin Friday night. Then Maupin jumped into the lead at 38-34 at the half. The Sherman lads gained an eight point lead during the third quarter, and ended winning by 68 to 62. Jim Brown was high for Sherman with 22 points.

The central Sherman county 4-H Tractor Maintenance club held its third meeting February 13 at Cushman Equipment. There were five members present and two visitors. The next meeting will be February 27. There will be a Dad's night March 6.

By Shirley Watkins

The preliminary Sherman JV basketball team chalked up another victory against the Maupin boys at the game Friday night. Sherman took the lead in the first quarter and kept it. They had a margin of 23-19 at the half. At the whistle it was 55 to 32.

The 4-H Horse club met at the home of Leonard Fields, Sunday evening, Feb. 17. The roll call showed the following members: John and Virgil Fields, Freddie Dormaier, Jack Kellogg, Marilyn Smith, Sharon Coelach, Patty Alsup, Jimmy Coons, Floyd Rathbun, Donnie Watkins, Christie Woods, Ryan Johnson, John DeMoss, Phyllis and Shirley Watkins. It was voted to have our club name as "HI YU". We will have emblems made with the club name to wear on our shirts for exhibitions. Election of officers named John Fields, president; Jimmy Coons, vice-president; Phyllis Watkins, secretary; Shirley Watkins, reporter; Marilyn Smith, song leader.

White covered tables in the lower hallway of Rufus school were used Saturday night when the Rufus PTA served a spaghetti and chill dinner to the public. The group had good team work in putting on the dinner and cleaning up afterwards. Several of the men washed dishes to help out. Mrs. Ray Brown and the upper grade girls acted as waitresses to serve at the tables.

The horse club material was passed out to each member. At our next meeting, each member is to give an oral report on a selected breed of horse and each will, also, be tested on the anatomy of the horse. We are to be given tests to advance from the beginner classification of "4-H Rider" to the 2nd class of "4-H Trail Rider" in the near future. The examining board, appointed by our leader, Fritz Watkins, is to be Doris Coelach as chairman, John Kellogg and Bill Alsup. Our next meeting will be held at Christie Woods' home in Moro, Sunday evening, March 10 at 6:30. Refreshments were served to thirty at the close of this meeting by John and Virgil's mother, Nerine Fields.

Mrs. Milt Tumilson had charge of the silent auction held in the television room. A good sum was realized from the various items sold. This was the second project put on this year to raise money for the student body.

Mrs. Truman Smith of Portland spent several days a week ago at the home of her brother in law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jordan. This was the first time in several years Mrs. Smith visited in Rufus. Mr. and Mrs. Harland McDonald took their son Bill, with the navy, to Portland Feb 2 to catch the plane to San Francisco. From there he expects to fly to Japan for two years service there. It's a little colder this week than last, but still lovely weather for this time of year. The daffodils are about two inches in height at Rufus and other plants are peeking up from the earth.

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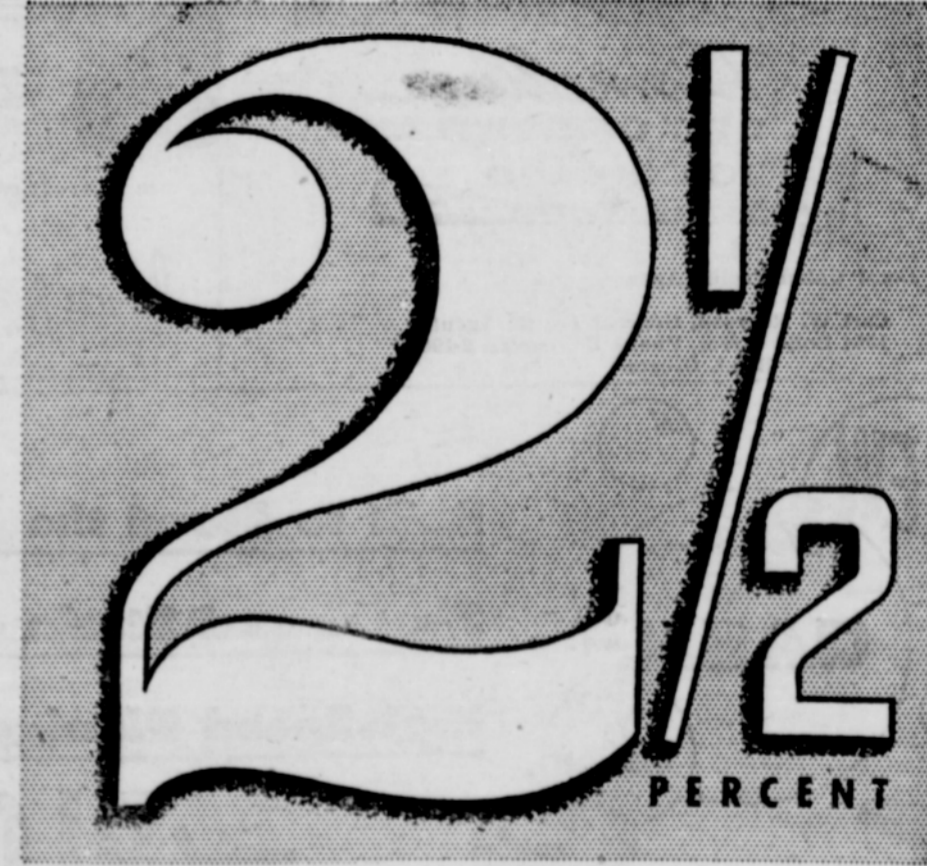
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