

Grass Valley

By Mrs. A. F. Balzer

Rodney Rolfe, son of John Rolfe of Grass Valley, is among new spring semester officers of fraternities and sororities elected this month at Linfield college, McMinnville. Rolfe, senior, is vice president of Phi Kappa Alpha, national fraternity.

A good attendance was had at the Cub Scout pack meeting and Blue and Gold banquet held at the school house Friday, February 27. Ivan Blagg was master of ceremonies.

Opening the meeting Skeet Brander and Kenneth Smith were carried the flags and J. P. Reckman, Den Chief, led the flag salute; skit by Den 1 Grass Valley, about Cub Scouts, Harold Owens, Eddie Eslinger, Skeet Brander and Kenneth Smith were the announcers, others participating in the skit were John Johnson, Richard Wilson, Steve Rolfe, Jimmy Payne, Clifford Brown and Curt Blagg; skit by Den 2 Grass Valley by Robin Olds, Ricky Cantrall and Bobbie King; skit by Den 4 Kent, news reporters, action and sound effects by Jimmy Wilson, Terry Stark, Roger Knott, Alan Helyer, John Davis and George Hawkins.

Harold Owens presented awards to the following: Harold Owens, Jimmy Payne and Steve Rolfe, three silver arrows; Eddie Eslinger, bear badge, one gold and two silver arrows; Kenneth Smith, lion badge, one gold and two silver arrows; Skeet Brander, two silver arrows; John Johnson, a two year and a three year pin, lion badge, one gold and two silver arrows; Clifford Brown, gold and one silver arrow; Curt Blagg, three silver arrows, webelos badge, and a graduation certificate; Robin Olds, Ricky Cantrall and Bobbie King, each a wolf badge, one gold and two silver arrows; John Davis, wolf badge, one gold and three silver arrows; Terry Stark, Roger Knott, Alan Helyer and George Hawkins, each a wolf badge, one gold and one silver arrow.

Harvey Samson, a member of the Toastmaster's club in The Dalles was the speaker, his topic, "Tomorrow Years".

Handwork of the Cub Scouts was on display in the library.

Refreshments were served in the cafeteria with the scouts seated at one table with a centerpiece of plywood of blue with a gold heart on either side with Dens 1, 2 and 4 on one side and Pack 362 on the other side, favor cups and place cards were made of blue and gold paper the place cards were made like a book calendar on out side with their name on the front and on the inside the names of the Cub Scouts and Den Mothers.

The serving table held the huge cake decorated in blue and gold furnished by the American Legion auxiliary, and a large gold punch bowl brought by Mrs. Earl Olds. The cake was served with ice cream, furnished by the Mayflower Milk company, punch and coffee, by Mrs. Malcolm Eslinger and Mrs. Bill Rolfe, refreshment committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred von Borstel of Spray and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tankersley of Greenville, N. C. were dinner guests last Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schadewitz and were over night guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. von Borstel.

Mrs. J. Turner left Friday for her home in Wisconsin after spending several weeks here with her daughter, Mrs. Eugene Knott and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank von Borstel were among those who attended the golden wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Howard Conlee at their home near Moro, Saturday afternoon.

Jerrine and Joeelle Blaylock of The Dalles spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Blaylock.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Alberty and family went to Corvallis Friday and spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Al Roberts and family. Mr. and Mrs. Cox have bought a new home in Corvallis and will be up in a couple of weeks for their furniture. While there they attended the basketball games between OSC and UCLA and OSC and Idaho.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace May spent Sunday in Hood River visiting her brothers, William Walter and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Aadma of Odell spent Wednesday and Thursday visiting the Don Clodfelters.

Mrs. A. A. Dunlap went to The Dalles Sunday and spent the day visiting her grand daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Abbott and son.

Mrs. Oscar Anderson from Minnesota who spent about a week here with her sister, Mrs. William Brinkert and family returned to The Dalles to visit her son, Duane Anderson and family.

The Grass Valley Home Extension unit met at the school cafeteria Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Harold Owens in charge of the meeting. Mrs. Willard Barnett and Mrs. Jim Brown gave a talk and demonstration on simple home repairs. Those present besides the above were Mrs. Curtis Neal, Mrs. Wallace May, Mrs. Cora Russell, Mrs. O. N. Ruggles, Mrs. Peggy Eichler, Mrs. Edna Lamb. Refreshments of brownies, cake and coffee were served at the close by Mrs. Owens and Mrs. Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl von Borstel had as their guests her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Belmer Littlefield from Indiana who spent the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Spencer of San Francisco are the parents of a daughter, Kathy Lynn, weighing 6 lbs and was born February 10. Mrs. Boyce Blaylock returned home Saturday from spending two weeks with her daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Alberty and family were business visitors in Portland Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Stark of Terrebonne came Saturday and visited relatives, going on to Hood River and back to their home Monday.

The auxiliary of George Bell post American Legion, of Kent and Grass Valley have completed the local Americanism essay contest and the winning essays have been sent to the state contest. Winner of the senior division was Betty Jean Reckmann and her topic was "One Nation, Under God, Indivisible". Winner of the junior division was Bonnie Tatum with John Elton Eakin second. Topic was "This is My Country".

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Lemley and family came up Friday from Portland and spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arzell Lemley celebrating their 35th wedding anniversary. Callers in the afternoon for cake and coffee were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Peters and Mrs. Alfred Kock. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schilling called in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Bayer, Mrs. Frank E. Bayer and Helen and Byron were visitors in The Dalles Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Earl returned home Wednesday from a trip to Pasadena and Los Angeles, Calif., where they visited relatives and enroute home they visited friends in Chico. Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Fritts accompanied them on the trip and visited his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adams in Laguna Beach, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sayrs and Tony of Moro were Sunday visitors at the A. von Borstel home.

A golden wedding anniversary celebration will be held Sunday, March 15 at the Calvary Baptist

church in The Dalles for Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Eakin of The Dalles from 2 to 4:30 p. m. All friends invited and please no gifts. Reception hostesses will be their daughters and grand daughter, Mrs. Myrie Smith of Grass Valley, Mrs. F. M. Van Metre of Portland, Mrs. Clair Boltz of Wenatche, Wash., and Mrs. Harry Clark of Estacada.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eakin and Mrs. Jack Adams drove to Condon Wednesday evening to attend a meeting of the Condon chapter No. 23 OES when Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eakin and daughter, Mildred, were initiated into the Eastern Star.

Diane Schilling, a student at Northwest School of Commerce in Portland spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Schilling.

Gary Schilling of the University of Oregon spent the weekend here with his parents, the Roy Schillings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blagg had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Blagg and Michael of Pendleton and Mr. and Mrs. Clair Balzer of Moro. They all drove to the ranch in the afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Blagg and family.

Harry Dean Eakin of OTI spent the weekend here with his parents the Harold Eakins.

Mrs. O. N. Ruggles spent Sunday in Moro visiting her mother, Mrs. William Caughters.

Gene Cantrall Gets Honor Certificate

Gene Cantrall of Grass Valley recently was recognized at the fifth annual scholastic honors dinner sponsored by Platt hall dormitory. Honor certificates were presented to 48 men and a plaque awarded to the students with the highest grade point average.

Cantrall is a sophomore music major and a member of Phi Mu Alpha, national men's music honorary. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Cantrall of Grass Valley.

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Oregon In History

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which I called Cape Foulweather, from the very bad weather that we, soon after, met with.
Journal of Captain James Cook

March 9, 1846—Saw company today until 12 o'clock. An unusually large number called, and among them Mr. Senator Jernigan

of Tennessee, who held a voluntary conversation on the Oregon Question ... He said he thought we had the best title to 54°40', but that would not prevent him from agreeing to a compromise of 49° if a treaty should be made ...

Diary of President Polk



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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Windy Gets "Collared"

A stranger walked into Fudge Barton's store the other day wearing one of those "Chesterfield" coats. When the boys saw the fancy velvet collar, they broke out laughing.

The stranger seemed to ignore them and went on about his business. He even pretended he didn't hear Windy's remark about the "big city" coat. Then, on leaving, he walked over to Windy.

"I gather you find my coat peculiar," he said. "Well, where I come from we're so peculiar

we even extend a hand to strangers." With that, he shook Windy's hand.

From where I sit, the twist on the old adage is true: "clothes don't make the man." We ought to judge a man for what he is. That's tolerance, something we ought to practice every day. For example, you like coffee ... I like a glass of beer. That doesn't make either of us "different" or anything to laugh at.

Joe Marsh

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