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Willow Springs Farm Families Busy with Work

By Mrs. Everett Young
WILLOW SPRINGS—The farm is a busy place these days. Hay bales in the fields to be hauled in to the barns; sheep shearers coming so lambs and mothers must be separated; platforms fixed; electricity checked and all the things done so no time will be wasted when the shearers come. First strawberries picked this week; asparagus almost gone. There is more hay to mow, orchard to be sprayed, irrigation to be done . . . so life on the farm is good but a busy one.

Willow Springs Community club held the last meeting until fall Saturday, May 28. There was a no-luck dinner and election of officers. New officers are Robert Russell, president; Charles Taylor, vice president; Lois Young secretary, and Esther Ward, treasurer.

The next meeting will be the last Saturday in October.

A weekend visitor at the Marion Young home was a brother, Ogie, of Seattle. While he was here, Marion Young celebrated his birthday. Friends and relatives called Saturday to help him celebrate. Cake, ice cream and coffee were served.

A combined fishing trip and picnic was enjoyed Saturday at Willows lake by Mr. and Mrs. Everett Young and children Marion Young, Edward Bower, Mrs. Delmar Smith and Mrs. Marie Hoel.

Guests who stopped in at Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hammond's during the long weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Eddings of Oakridge and George Nunn of Seattle, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Karpin and baby of Ashland were visiting with Mrs. Julia Kelley Sunday and Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Young and Mrs. Adina Benson and Elaine were callers on Mrs. Kelley Monday.

John Cota has just returned from California where he was called by the death of his brother-in-law in Lodi. He went by bus and his nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Perrin, of Lodi flew him home in their private plane.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hallett left Friday for Susanville, Cal., to attend Memorial services there. Hallett celebrated his birthday Friday.

The happy smiles on all the faces of the younger set let us know summer is here and school is out. But some of the mothers are not smiling so much because now their work is doubled and they are ready for the questions that always come . . . "what can we do?" "can we go visit someone?" or "I haven't anyone to play with." But come fall and a new batch of school clothes and the same old schedule is started over.

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Book Briefs

From Central Point Public Library
By Evelyn Graham

"By Sun and Candlelight"

by Patricia Campbell

From the pen of the author of "Eliza" has come another novel of the pioneering of the Pacific Northwest. Armory Cummings left Maine to pit his strength and determination against the wilderness. Here was a man of steel whose word was law and who wrested a samill and community from the grip of the virginal forest. Only to his wife, Dorothea, who joined him in the primeval outpost, did he show warmth and tenderness. The deep love of Dottie and Armory survived primitive hardships, domineering attitudes and even a sense of disillusionment.

There is no clue in the book regarding the significance of the title. However, the other evening listening to Teresa Matlack sing the lovely, "How Do I Love Thee?", these words of Elizabeth Barrett Browning leaped out at me.

"I love thee to the level of every day's
Most quiet need, by sun and candlelight."

Whether the author intended this meaning for her title, I cannot say, but these words could very well have been spoken by Dottie Cummings.

Armory's younger brother, Asa, was completely intimidated by his older brother. In his weakness of character and resolve, we see him betraying his true love and being pushed into a loveless marriage to Dottie's cousin, Celeste.

The development of the stories of these five main characters against the background of the Indians' attitudes, the struggle of early industry, the feel of the vast, uncivilized Northwest region, makes an interesting historical novel of own Pacific Coast and the early lumber business.

Carl E. Jones Wins Journeyman Ticket

Carl E. Jones of Gold Hill is among 44 young Oregon men recently receiving Certificates of Journeymanhood from the State Apprenticeship Council.

Jones has completed four years on on-the-job training with related study to become a journeyman in the metal trades under the state's apprenticeship plan. He enters journeyman ranks as a sheet metal worker.

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Graders Presented Awards at Annual Assembly May 25

Awards and letters were handed out last Wednesday, May 25, at the annual awards assembly held at Central Point Junior High school.

Students were presented awards by instructors and coaches on the faculty for completing requirements in various school activities. Award winners in the various school activities were:

Girls' Athletic Association:
100 points, Chenille six-inch C—Seventh graders: Carol Alberts, Julie Ashton, Pattie Barber, Karen Britton, Mary Burkhart, Patsy Charley, Mildred Darras, Ruth Day, Rayann Greene, Rachel Hamilton, Peggy Jones, Pat Kime, Joann LaCasse, Beverly Little, Arlene McGowan, Lea Padgett, Jeanette Purdy, Nancy Schwebs, Laurel Setness, Kathryn Straus, Pat Striplin, Alice Thompson, Melba Tucker, Edith VanHoy, Ellen Ward, Vicki Workman, Lois Young, Linda Tidwell.

Eighth graders: Sandra Blanchard, Sally Carr, Frieta Curtis, Sharon Griffiths, Verona Groshong, Barbara Jenkins, Janet Kilbourn, Marion McDonald, Lynda Pirkey, Earlene Obenshain, Margaret Pendleton, Carolyn Stevenson, Margaret Taylor, Patricia Trickle.

150 points, GAA Pin—Seventh graders: Pattie Barber.

Eighth graders: Nancy Dillon, Sandra Ghelardi, Jane Grubbs, Dorothy Hansen, Glenna Heath, Jackie Pepper, Kay Higinbotham, Arvella Prom, Julia Thomason,

Karen Walton.

200 points, Gold Cup—Eighth graders: Doris Owens, Glenna Heath, Julia Thomason, Genny Wright, Arvella Prom.

Journalism Awards were presented to the following students who had worked during the year on the school paper, "Pointers." Mickey Clark and Arvella Prom, co-editors; Bevely Little, Loren Glenn, Glenna Heath, Charles Sinyard, Douglas Davis, Jeanette Pinny, Margaret Pendleton, James Hays, Jackie Pepper, Christina Pollock, Patty Kime, Genny Wright, Verona Groshong, Karen Walton, Carolyn Stevenson, Nancy Dillon, Marilyn Watson and Julia Thomason.

Hobby Club awards of model airplanes, ships and cars were presented by the advisor, John Rock, to: James Cochran, Charles Warren, Larry Toner, Dick McDowell, Ted Steinhardt, Leroy Whitesides, Billy Geyer, Billy White, Terry Stotts and Frank Schultz.

Baseball letters for the 1954-55 season were presented by Coach Barney Riggs. Letter winners are: Jerome McQuade, Wayne Allen, Paul Beach, Joe Alvarez, Bill Anhorn, Douglas Davis, Dennis Pfaff, Gary Legler, Bill White, R. T. Foster, John Anhorn, Bob Thedford, Don McMillen, Jim Twedell, Dean Byers, Bill Hubbard, Kerman Bennett and George Hunt, manager.

Harry Meyers, band director, announced the names of chevron winner, second, third and fourth year band members: Joe Alvarez, Marvin Hamilton, Donald Ryan, Robert Morris, James Hamilton, Bill Anhorn, David Sharp, John Anhorn, Patty McCue, Janet Purdy, Sharon Coffman, Edith vanHoy, Rachel Hamilton, Pat Trickle, Danny Arnold, Jerry Leonard, Margaret Taylor, Sally

Carr, John Caster, Kerman Bennett.

George Hunt, Dean Byers, Nick Parrish, Roney Monia, Jeff Anhorn, Delton Trautman, Larry Ryerson, Elden Ward, Patsy Charley, Dorothy Hansen, Dennis Pfaff, Sandra Ghelardi, Sandra Higinbotham, Pattie Barger, Doris Owens, Julia Thomason, Allen Barnes, Janet Kilbourn, Kathryn Strauss, Mary Lou Savage and Tod Caster.

Letter awards were presented to the following students who have had two years of music:

Marie Brown, Edith Patrick, Phyllis Woods, Caroline Barker, Robert Kuest, LeRoy Chastain, Gary More, Frank Mengel, Charles LaCasse, Mike Nolte, Bryan Nelson, Jackie Gillespie, Sue Higinbotham, Laurel Sherman, Iana Denning, Joe Stallings, Marlene Coffman, William Barber.

Julie Ashton, Donna Meade, Joe Goyette, Connie Mitchell, Sharon McDowell, Edith Vier, Jerry Morris, Russell Frink, Lee Vincent, Ray Novosad, David Straus, Elden Little, John Champ, Marvin Jones, Jenis Owens, Sharon Trautman, Julieanne Yoakley, Allison Pinkham, John Kuoni, Barbara Medley, Darlene Hall, Linda Smith, Stephany Coffman, Nancy McKay, Richard Lichti, Dennis Fischer, Allen Nielson, Bernadine Sharp and Jeannie Bell.

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