

Boiler Pops Off, Rural Boys Called

An overheated steam boiler at the Mason Ehrman company warehouse south of Central Point called out volunteer firemen from Central Point rural fire department at 11:54 p.m. Tuesday, October 4.

Alan Bishop, member of the department, is credited with bringing the situation under control. He entered the steam filled room and shut off the burner. The boiler had become overheated and the safety valve had blown. The boiler room sustained minor damages.

Three other fire calls were reported during the week by Chief Richard Krupp.

At 4:05 p.m. September 29, the department was called to Division road in the White City residential area to control a grass fire. At 4:20 p.m. September 30, rural firemen controlled a grass fire on property owned by Homer Hight, 2621 Merriman road.

A sawdust and wood pile fire called out firemen at 3:30 p.m. October 2. The blaze was located across the road from the Central Point IOOF cemetery.

IOOF Schedules Installation

A special installation ceremony has been scheduled by Central Point Odd Fellows for their next regular meeting on Monday, October 10.

District Deputy Grand Master Harry Smith and his installing team from Gold Hill will be present. During this meeting, Ellsworth Robinson will be installed as vice grand of the local lodge by the district team.

Past Noble Grand Andy Glenn presided over the regular session held Monday, October 3, by the local organization.

All members are urged to attend the October 10 meeting.

PARENTS RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hedgpeth of Aloha, Oregon, left Wednesday morning for their home after visiting for the past several days with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Obenchain. They are former Central Point residents and Hedgpeth was a former city marshal.

Crater High Officers Attend Conference

Officers of the student body at Crater High school, accompanied by advisor John Smock, attended the annual Student Council Conference for all Oregon schools at Reedsport last weekend.

A student from Crater High will be named next year to serve as a delegate-at-large during the conference.

Students attending were: Nathan Douthitt, student body president; Carl Koellner, vice president; Beverly Norris, secretary; Frances Hoag, treasurer, and Ron Harrison, business manager.

They were gone from Sunday through Tuesday.

Lions Induct Two Members

Jens Myhre of Central Point Lumber Co. and Dick Korner of Dick's Wrecker Service were inducted into Central Point Lions club Tuesday evening during the regular bi-weekly meeting held at the Steak House.

Presentation of membership pins and membership cards was made by Art Rupp.

It was reported that the light bulb sale of last weekend grossed \$270.89. After bulbs were paid for, the club earned \$22.27 and a total of \$66.82 was turned over to the local Boy Scout troop.

Members were reminded of the special meeting at Gold Hill at 7:30 p.m. October 13 honoring District Governor W. L. Miller from Coos Bay.

Those attending were: Wendell Panter, C. L. Perkins, Gay Anderson, Art Rupp, Don A. Faber, Bill Saxbury, Dick Stratton, Cecil Sharpe, Dick Korner, Jens Myhre, Clint Blithen, Jim Glenn and guest, Ted Anderson.

Eagle Point FFA Elects Officers

Gale Friend was elected president of the newly created Eagle Point chapter, Future Farmers of America, at the first meeting of the group September 29.

The chapter, second in the county along with Crater chapter of Central Point, was organized for the 1955-56 year.

Other officers elected are: Bob Hayes, vice president; David Woolfolk, secretary; Ron Hanson, treasure; Tom Collette, reporter, and Dick Wallace, sentinel.

AUXILIARY TO MEET

American Legion Auxiliary will meet at 8 p.m. Thursday, October 13, at the Legion Memorial hall. Members are asked to attend to help plan for child welfare and for fall work at veterans' hospitals.

Willow Springs HEU Sets First Meet October 14

By Mrs. Everett Young
WILLOW SPRINGS — Willow Springs Extension Unit will meet at 10:30 p.m. Friday, October 14, at the Willow Springs Community Club for the first regular meeting of the new season.

There will be a business session followed by a class in basket weaving. All those attending are asked to bring sack lunches and coffee will be furnished by the club. Mrs. James Holler and Mrs. Robert Nagle will be the instructors for this meeting.

Also, all those attending are reminded to bring their canned food donations for the families who lost their homes in the Tolo fire.

There was a large number of men from this district who joined the red hat migration to eastern Oregon this last weekend. Glen Ward, Dick Muller, Johnny Muller and Everett Young were hunting last weekend near Klam-

ath Falls. Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Young took advantage of the hunting trip to do some shopping in Klamath Falls.

Delmar Smith, Chuck Taylor, Lloyd Hammond, Jon Lalue and Frank Hammond left Tuesday for a hunting trip to Steins Mountains country. Mrs. Frank Hammond accompanied the men as far as Burns where she will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Chet Curry until the hunting is over.

Mr. and Mrs. vonStein and three children are new residents of this community. They have rented the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Eule Phillips. The Phillips have moved to Medford.

Miss Jean Porter, Miss Dietrich and Miss Robertson of Los Angeles visited with Mrs. Julia Kelley this week. The girls were driving to Seattle where they will catch a plane to Alaska. They are part of a show troupe that will entertain servicemen in Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hallett spent last weekend at Smith River, Calif., fishing for salmon. This was their second trip there and each time they brought home a salmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Weiss re-

turned from a week's trip in Oregon, Washington and Canada. They went from here to Portland and on to Yakima, Wash., then on to Everett. From there they took a ferry to Sidney and on to Victoria on Vancouver Island. From Victoria they took the steamer to Seattle and on home. They stopped in Centralia to visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Potts who are former residents of this district. The Potts send greetings to all their former friends and neighbors here. The Weiss also stopped in Portland to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Pendegast, who formerly lived in Medford.

John Cota has been busy putting new shakes on their house. He is done now and it looks like a new house.

Sharon Blackford spent last weekend visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. Olive Blackford. Mrs. Blackford and Riley Potter took Sharon home to Happy Camp Sunday and are spending a few days there.

Mrs. Gertrude McCormic of Portland is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thompson. Mrs. McCormic is enroute to California and stopped over here to visit the Thompsons.

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