

NOMA BROWN TO TAKE PART IN EXTENSIVE SPEAKING

Noma Brown of Beaverton high school will take part in the finals of the extempore speaking and interpretation contests at Corvallis April 25 and 26. Miss Brown won first place and the right to enter the finals in the interpretation contest as representative from District 2.

This is the first annual state high school forensic contest. The semi-finals will be Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Six contestants will be picked from the 12 entries in the

extempore contest and a like number from the 11 entries in the interpretation contest.

Should the Beaverton contestant advance to the finals, their "home folks" will be able to hear them compete Friday evening as the entire affair is to be broadcast over KOAC, the college radio station.

Certificates of merit will be awarded to all students taking part in the finals, and \$50 in gold will be presented to the winner of each contest by the organization sponsoring the meet. The Oregon State college picked from the 12 entries in the

medal to both first place winners and a bronze medal to the second place winners.

LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL TO ENTER O. S. C.

Beaverton high school will enter the third annual Oregon State intercollegiate track and field meet on the Oregon State college campus May 11. Beaverton was also in the 1927 and 1928 meets, and is expected to enter some keen competition this year.

Arrangements have been made to broadcast the entire meet over station KOAC at the college. Wallace Knudsen will be at the microphone and an interesting program is assured for those who cannot attend the meet at Corvallis.

Last year ten of the 1927 records were broken and one tied, leaving three standing. Records the athletes will have to shoot at this year are:

100 yard dash—Siegmund, Salem, time 10.2-5, 1927.

120 high hurdles—Curtin, Franklin, time 16.2-5, 1928.

220 low hurdles—Penland, Pendleton, time 26.3-5, 1928.

Pole vault—Kretzmeier, Franklin, height 11 feet 8 inches, 1927.

High jump—Conklin, Benson, height 5 feet, 10 3/4 inches, 1928.

Discus—Anderson, Washington, distance 116 feet 8 inches, 1928.

Shot put—Koskela, Astoria, distance 44 feet, 11 1/2 inches, 1928.

1 mile run—Garrett, Hood River, time 3:33.3-5, 1927.

220 yard dash—Granville, Benson, time 23 seconds, 1928.

Quarter mile—Blaco, Salem, time 52.2-5, 1928.

Javelin—Ayers, Commerce, distance 170 feet 3 inches, 1928.

Broad jump—Rodman, Culver, distance 20 feet 10 inches, 1928.

880 yard run—Carlson, Washington, time 2:04.4-5.

ALOHA

Mrs. C. E. Barker has been asked to demonstrate her method of teaching small children at the annual state educational conference work at Monmouth April 27th. She will take exhibits of her primary room work.

Gladys Sidwell had as her guest Sunday Mrs. Kelly of Salem.

Mrs. E. Moore is visiting her mother Mrs. Johnson in Hillsboro.

Mrs. M. Lewis expects to be able to leave the hospital Monday. She will visit her sister in Portland for a few days before returning to her home.

Joseph A. Hook, aged 75, father of Elmer Hook of Aloha, died April 17th.

Mrs. Alice Wheeler, Mrs. Chamberlain, Mrs. E. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Denholm and Miss Grand attended the Three Link association in Hillsboro last week.

C. Bridges Second Hand store at Gresham was reported a total loss from fire early Wednesday morning. The stock however was covered by insurance through the Beaverton Finance Company. Origin of the fire was traced to the lodge room upstairs but how it started no one seems to know. Mr. Bridges who formerly owned Dietrichs Hardware Store moved to Gresham about a year ago.

W. H. Benjamin of Aloha is seriously thinking of changing the name of his pet fox terrier from "Penny" to "Dollars" as she has proven herself much more valuable. She is the mother of two dear little puppies but last week adopted four fox belonging to S. Scholls of Tobias avenue, increasing her small family to a large one of six.

Pearl Dudley was a dinner guest of Dorothy Fennell Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornell and Mr. and Mrs. Hawley Buck spent a very pleasant week end at the Buck cottage at Cannon Beach. The water was warm and the weather ideal but few people were there to enjoy it. Mr. Cornell caught a sea perch on Haystack Rock and they had a fine mess of fresh crab.

The \$10,000 damage suit for personal injury brought by F. W. Cantrell for his four year old daughter Joan, against C. A. Peterson was settled out of court for \$750. The girl was injured December 25th, 1927, when an automobile driven by her mother was struck by Mr. Peterson.

ALOHA-HUBER SCHOOL NOTES

Clarence Harnden, Elmer Schlottman and Jerome Tuttle attended the track meet Thursday between Oregon City and Beaverton high at Beaverton.

Genevieve Baker is being congratulated on her splendid work in the declamatory contest at Forest Grove and for the part she won for herself Lucile Johnston was her trainer.

The first three grades are busy practicing for their entertainment May 17th.

Achievement day will be May 10th at the school.

Patsy Reynolds is attending school in Portland while having an abscessed tooth treated.

The primary grade have been carrying on some "free activity work". They have been making odds and ends of tin cans, milk tops, lids, etc. into engines, wagons, folding fans, parachutes and various other articles. A completely furnished doll house of three rooms is another piece of their work.

Mrs. Mack gave the 5th grades an intelligence test this week.

G. H. Wilson received an urgent call Monday night which took him to his farm at Pendleton. He reported on returning home Thursday that a thousand turkeys had been hatched at the farm and the two men there were unable to handle them alone.

June Casey formerly of Aloha-Huber school; fell and broke both arms while swinging at a school in Portland. She is a niece of Mrs. E. Cornell. Last year June fell and broke both her legs and was confined to her home for a long time.

ALOHA TAXPAYER SENDS MESSAGE FROM NEW JERSEY

The following letter was received by the Aloha News, from Luke M. Bleakney, minister at Middleton, New Jersey:

It was a most happy surprise when a friend sent me several copies of "The Aloha News." I think it is an excellent instrument to inform the people of local events and to stimulate community interest. As a taxpayer in Aloha, I am especially interested in any item pertaining to real estate. I have a warm feeling for the people of Aloha and Huber and have always felt that, situated as they are, in the beautiful Tualatin Valley, were destined to become a prosperous and enterprising community. Mrs. Bleakney unites with me in wishing much success to you and your paper.

Very sincerely,
LUKE M. BLEAKNEY

COOKERY BOYS INCREASED SUMMER SCHOOL FUND

The camp cookery boys have increased their O. S. C. summer school fund \$7.50 with serving washed potatoes and brown gravy last Tuesday at the school house. The committee serving included James Tatlock, Raymond Schlottman, Francis Hubbard, Elmer Larson, Raymond Markov, assisted by Mesdames Tatlock, Larson, Wilson, and Haines. The boys have \$21 in their fund and will continue to serve twice a week until they secure \$9 more, which will enable them to send two of their members to O. S. C. summer school.

The following boys have finished their camp cookery: Arthur W. Strand, Glenn Anderson, Ellsworth Jones, Elmer Larson, Marion Lewis, Clarence Harendson, Wallace Bush, Billy Francis, Elmer Schlottman and Leonard Rohrbach.

C. L. Butterfield of Newberg has rented the large white house on the Metzger road across from the Red Rock Dairy.

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