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Committees already are at work planning and working out details for the celebration; however, they can only lay groundwork and the success of the affair depends upon the enthusiastic support of the entire community. So, remember the dates and lend your support—we'll all have a lot of fun!

Price Control Means Total Control!

One big current question is price control. What has not been sufficiently emphasized is that there can be no adequate "price control" without rigorous "cost control," states the Industrial News Review.

The price charged by a manufacturer is necessarily the total of his operating costs, plus a profit, continues the Review. Those costs include labor, materials, machinery, transportation, taxes and everything else that is part of industrial overhead. If the government establishes a price ceiling which is below the aggregate of a factory's costs, it will lose money and eventually go bankrupt. If it establishes a price ceiling which is precisely the same as the aggregate of costs, the manufacturer will lose the incentive which the profit system provides—at the expense of industrial progress and production.

It is to the credit of American industry that, in general, it is doing everything possible to keep prices from getting out of hand. In the retail field, which provides a notable example of this, thousands of merchants have established a definite, aggressive, "anti-inflationary" program. This sort of work is of the utmost importance. As wages, taxes and other costs rise, there is no solution except to increase the selling price to the buyer.

In short, price control isn't just a matter of establishing, by government fiat, fixed ceilings over the price of finished goods. Real price control means "total" control of all costs. Our country is being forced into a position where the people will have to give up temporarily the liberties they have enjoyed under a free economy. Left-wing groups are urging rigid price control without control of wages, taxes and other costs, in the hope that this would wreck the profit system. That must not happen—for if it does, American democracy will be as dead as if the nation had suffered ignominious military defeat.

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BELLVIEW NEWS

- Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Lanini spent Monday at Buck lake looking after their range cattle.
- Mrs. Archie Kincaid returned Sunday from a 10-day visit with her daughter, Mrs. Bernice Redfield, in Portland.
- A. R. Kincaid attended the public auction at Phoenix Saturday afternoon.
- Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Halbert and daughter Carol Lee have moved to Grants Pass to make their home.
- Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hall returned to their home in Oakland, Calif. after spending a week with Mrs. Hall's mother, Mrs. Malinda King.
- Helen and Vernon Krueger spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Potter at Medford and attended the 4-H livestock show. They both exhibited stock and Helen was awarded the grand champion prize on her pig. The Dead Indian 4-H club held a meeting at the Lanini ranch Saturday and the club members made plans for their club work for the coming year. Helen and Vernon Krueger gave short talks on what they did at the livestock show.
- Mrs. R. D. Reynolds has returned home from a week-end visit with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Conley at Dunsuir.
- Bellview school district will vote on the school budget Oct. 20. All names must appear on the last tax roll for a person to be eligible to cast a vote.
- The extension unit will meet Oct. 15. Home emergencies will be the topic for study. Hostesses will be Mrs. Hash and Mrs. Lanini.
- A group of Bellview grange members attended a meeting of the Central Point grange Friday evening and presented the Agate ceremony and program for the evening.
- Miss Lola Gresham was honored at a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. Jack Young in Ashland Monday night. Miss Betty Nichols and Miss Barbara Moore from Bellview attended.

HILT NEWS

- Shirley Black was honored with a birthday party Monday, Sept. 29, which was attended by the following: Sally and Maurine Ryce, Ruth and Donna Rosecrans, Patty and Donald Henderson, Kay and Craig Williams, Sherry and Fay Bratfield, Ruthie Pederson, Mike Purvis, Jimmy Albert, Doris Wall, Gene Gilbert, Shirley and Robert Black, Sherrill Smith was unable to attend. Shirley received many lovely gifts and the refreshments included a "merry-go-round" birthday cake.
- The Women's Society of Christian Service met Thursday at the club house with Mrs. John De Witt and Mrs. Gus Goldenpenny as hostesses. Attending were the Mesdames L. B. Clevenger, Elmer Jackson, E. O. Robinson, Harry De Jarnett, Frank Ward, Gus Goldenpenny, T. Quamme, John De Witt, Kenneth Brown, Edwin Richardson, Enzie Wright and Carrie Bernheisel. Plans were completed for having the windows of the church decorated, this to be done in the near future. Refreshments were served.
- Axel Ekwall suffered a severe stroke early Monday afternoon and was taken by ambulance to the Yreka General hospital for treatment.
- Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Coleman arrived by bus Sunday noon from Kentucky where Raymond spent the summer playing baseball with the Kentucky Kitty league of the St. Louis Browns.
- Mrs. James Purvis, and the little son, Patrick Thomas, who arrived Wednesday night, were able to go home from the Hilt hospital Tuesday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams spent the week-end in Chico visiting their daughter, Mrs. Nelson Watts and family.
- Twelve members of the board of directors of the Fruit Growers Supply company spent Wednesday and Thursday in Hilt looking over the plant and also making a trip into Mr. Foxe's logging camp. A directors' dinner was given for them at the Club hotel Wednesday and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Vincent entertained them with a dinner Thursday night.
- Mrs. Marian Newberry, County school nurse, spent Wednesday night visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Stella King.
- Ernest Saunagear and two small daughters from Susanville were at the Club hotel Sunday night. Mr. Saunagear has obtained employment here.
- Mrs. Thorf Anderson and daughters of Fortuna visited relatives and friends here.
- Mrs. White, instructor of the intermediate grades of the Hilt school, spent the week-end at her home in Richmond.
- Professor and Mrs. R. L. Larson of Amity, Ore. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. De Jarnett Friday evening.
- Mrs. Fred Johnson of Portland and Mrs. Robert Lewis of Berkeley spent Friday night at the Ohlund home. They were enroute to Berkeley.
- Mrs. John De Witt, Mrs. Frank Ward and Mrs. C. Baumgartner attended a meeting of the Stella Chapter in Yreka Friday night.
- Mrs. Elmore and daughter Garnet of Hornbrook visited at the F. Ward home Monday afternoon.
- Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Luper attended a show in Ashland Sunday evening.
- Bobby Ohlund visited friends in Sacramento over the week-end.
- Mrs. Harry Kennedy of Duns-

NEWS FROM

Lincoln School By SCHOOL PUPILS

Room five has five student teachers. Their names are Mr. Robert Sage, Mr. Duaine Monroe, Miss Bertha Wertz, Miss Jean Drew and Miss Margaret Langer. Mr. Sage teaches in the morning and the other teachers teach in the afternoon.

New teachers have started teaching at Lincoln school. The teachers for room six are: Miss Brown, Miss Jewett, Mrs. Henson, Miss Borg and Miss Yoken. The children like them very much.

Jerry Garrett returned to school Monday, Oct. 6. He has been sick for a week. The third grade is very happy to have him back.

The pupils of room eight have four new student teachers. They are Miss Tyrell, Miss Wertz, Miss Jacobs and Mr. Vestal. The children enjoy them very much. They hope that they will enjoy working with them. The student teachers teach a half a day.

The third grade went through the Bagley Canning company on Thursday, Oct. 3. They left at 1 o'clock and came back at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Decker, Mrs. Shearben, Miss Coulter and Miss King took the children in cars. They enjoyed the trip and learned much about the cannery.

Muir recently visited her mother, Mrs. Helen Hellman.

Kelly Brooks of Medford was in Hilt Saturday to visit his son Jerry.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Duto and son Norman were among those who attended the Yreka-Weed football game at Yreka Friday night.

Mrs. Ben Ollom and Mrs. Ray Elliott attended a show in Yreka Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Hord and sons Bob and Don were Grants Pass visitors Sunday.

Class Elections at SOCE Name Officers

Class organization at the Southern Oregon College of Education was completed Wednesday. The freshman class elected Eugene Hayes of Medford, president; Weldon Heard of Ashland, vice president; Oscar Silver of Ashland, treasurer, and Virginia Bradfish of Medford, secretary. Dr. S. E. Epler was elected class adviser.

The junior class elected Peter Barker of Ashland, president; Bruce Wall of Woodland, Wash., vice president, and Betty Boiling of Grants Pass, secretary-treasurer. The adviser is to be elected later by the class.

Senior class elected Austin Haddock of Sprague River, president; Stanley Bennett of Grants Pass, vice president, and Norma Jean Wertz of Climax, secretary-treasurer. Dr. W. W. Wells was elected adviser.

MONTHLY MEETING OF WSCS HELD FRIDAY

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Friday at the Methodist church for the regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Ralph Billings was in charge of the morning business session at which time plans were made for cottage meetings for the Week of Prayer observance. The lunch committee at noon consisted of Mrs. E. O. Smith and Mrs. Cathie Chamberlain.

After lunch the meeting opened with the devotional service conducted by Mrs. Charles M. Giffen. Mrs. George W. Bruce had charge of the lesson study and was assisted in the presentation by Mrs. Reba Kelsey, Mrs. Grace Palmer, Mrs. Maude Marske and Mrs. May Herndon.

Miss Marie Loosely, Mr. and Mrs. George Loosely and Miss Cornelia Hulst were week-end visitors in Klamath Falls.

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