

MANY ON HONOR ROLLS FOR TERM

Excellent Record is Made by Students in the Three Local Schools; Junior High Gets 27 Pupils Who Pass Out of 6th Grade.

Students and pupils of the local schools made an excellent record in the first semester of the school year. A considerable number of pupils of the primary grades made the honor roll and few failures were reported in either the grade or the high schools.

The term was started with a good attendance in all of the schools. Only two were absent at the Lincoln school the first day and the Brattain school reports almost 100 percent attendance. Twenty-seven pupils passed from the 6th grade into the Junior High school. The honor roll follows:

HIGH SCHOOL
Scholarship: Ruth Carlton, Dale Daniels, Mary Hadley, Irene Manley, Nadine McMurray.

LINCOLN SCHOOL
1ST GRADE
Scholarship: Frank Stuart, Beryl Robertson, Dorothy Jean Stewart, Willard House, Jane Alice Pengra.

Attendance: Frank Anderson, Billy Dow, Willard House, Andrew Gott, Merle Nice, Frank Stuart, Dave Smith, Joe Slagle, Alberta Keeler, Winifred Lyons, Dorothy Mulligan, Emma Lou Stratton, Jane Alice Pengra.

2ND AND 3RD GRADES
Scholarship: John Spore, Doris Munn, Muriel Tyson, Frank Bennett, Mahlon Pengra, Bobby Davis, Lawrence Thompson.

Attendance: Maxine Cogill, Bettie Currie, Iyl Keeler, Vivian Miller, Doris Munn, Roberta Putman, Muriel Tyson, Muriel Crider, Bobby Davis, Kenneth Ables, Frank Bennett, Bert Currie, Gene Demasalski, Junior Endicott, Bobbie Foster, Bonney Findley, Burnell Gates, Jack Hake, Norman Nealon, Robert Nice, Robert Perry, Earl Stevens, Bernice Slagle, John Spore, Lawrence Thompson, Mahlon Pengra.

4TH A. GRADE
Scholarship: Rolland Farnsworth, Barbara Barnell, Florence May.
Attendance: Frances Keeler, Florence May, Ula Weight, Neal Pederson, Floyd Green, Roscoe Cole, Emerson Ables.

4TH A. GRADE FOR SEMESTER
Scholarship: Barbara Barnell, Florence May.
Attendance: Emerson Ables, Neal Pederson, Florence May, Roscoe Cole, Frances Keeler.

4TH B. GRADE
Scholarship: Frances Jean Lloyd, Ruth Keeler.
Attendance: Francis Jean Lloyd, Dale Carson, Delmas Glaspey, Jennie Jackson, Bernice Smith, Maxine Smitson, Louise Cogill, Ruth Keeler, Maxine Vallier, Lawrence Jones, Mary Fritts, Ila Putman, Ralsh Hickman.
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EVANGELIST WILL OPEN SERVICES AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH SUNDAY A. M.

Floyd A. Ross will open his evangelistic campaign at the Christian church here next Sunday. His first service will be at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. This will follow the regular Bible school class which will meet at 9:45. The booster choir will sing at the close of the Bible school meeting.

The Rosses will have entire charge of the music for the morning service. They will furnish special vocal and instrumental music. The choir will sing, "It is a Good Thing to Sing Praises." At 6:30 in the evening Christian Endeavor will meet and at 7:30 the evening service will open with the Rosses in charge. A feature of the evening service will be a solo by L. C. Sunkler entitled, "I Find No Fault in Christ My Lord."

Next Sunday will be the first Sunday for the classes to meet in the new Sunday school rooms. The work which has been under way during the past weeks partitioning off the large social room into two floors with 6, small rooms on the lower floor for classes has just been completed and last Friday and next Sunday will be the initial meetings held in the remodeled rooms.

Church night, held Friday night, was a complete success. A large assemblage attended and a delightful program was given. Very much enjoyed was the play, "Mother's Influence," given by the Christian Endeavor.

EUGENE HIGH BEATS SPRINGFIELD 31 TO 19

In a game marked by good team work and tip-top playing by the entire visiting team Eugene high school defeated the Springfield squad by a score of 31 to 19 at the high school gymnasium here last night. The game showed one team in the best of form playing admittedly their best game of the season and the other team still in the dumps of an off-week.

The Eugene boys led out from the beginning and kept their lead augmenting it as the game progressed, bringing it to a 6 basket gain by the end of the second half. The half time score was 18 to 9. The local boys, taken off their feet by the speed and accuracy of the invading quintet during the first half of the game, began to find themselves in the second half and played an almost even brand of ball with their opponents. The winners gained only three points of their 12 points lead during the second half.

The next hoop game for the local boys will be played here next Saturday night with Shedd high school. This promises to be a tight game and the home boys plan a rigid week of practice in preparation for it.

The first string game last night was prefaced by a preliminary between the second strings of Eugene high and Springfield high in which the visitors took the honors with a score of 10 to 6.

Here from Dexter—Mrs. C. F. Bedell of Dexter, was here over the week-end.

Hoover's Son



Herbert Hoover, Jr., 25, will soon become Director of the Radio Telephone Communications of the Western Air Express and technical assistant to the president, H. M. Hanshue, it was announced in Los Angeles.

BRIDGE CONTRACTS AWARDED TUESDAY

Bids for Springfield-Cogswell Section of Highway to Be Submitted February 26; East Side Project Not Taken Up at Meeting.

Contracts for the construction of the Gate creek bridge and the McKenzie bridge were awarded at a meeting held in Portland Tuesday. Rigdon Bros. with a bid of \$17,012.00 secured the Gate creek contract and the Northwest Construction company with a bid of \$40,920.00 secured the McKenzie bridge work. Work on the McKenzie bridge is being held up by right-of-way delays.

The approaches to the Springfield bridge still remain in the same status as here-to-fore. The contract was awarded last fall to A. C. Mathews of Eugene, but due to flood hazard work has been postponed until the flood danger is past. It is possible this work may start by March.

The contracts for the stretch of highway between here and Cogswell hill will be awarded at the next meeting of the commission on February 26. This road will pursue the route surveyed by state engineers last month. Right-of-ways have been secured for approximately half of the way already. Judge Barnard said, and the remainder will be secured as soon as a description of the territory has been gotten. So far no condemnations have been necessary.

The commission promised to affect immediate graveling of the new section on the Willamette highway between Lowell and Oakridge. The Lane delegation to the meeting asked for extension of this section 3 miles beyond the point where it is now being worked, but no promises were made.

The Florence highway problem still remains in an issue between the Railroad Company and the highway people. The highway is being built between the railroad and the Siuslaw river and there are a few places where it will be necessary for the track to be moved back to give sufficient room for the Highway right-of-way.

Among other things taken up at the meeting was the adoption of a \$1,225,000 oiling program. This money is to be used over different sections of the state.

Nothing was done about the east side highway due to the calling off of the convention of those interested. The Cascade association, members of which are supporting the east side highway plan was to have met in Portland on January 29 and map a program to be presented at the state meeting, but on account of inclement weather this meeting was called off.

The members of the Lane county court were all in attendance at the state highway meeting.

LOCAL LEGION MAY JOIN GROUP FOR LOST CREEK

The Springfield post of the American Legion have been invited to accompany other legions of this district on a pleasure trip up the McKenzie to Lost Creek next Sunday.

Legion posts from Eugene, Cottage Grove, Monroe, Junction City, Albany, Corvallis have been invited to go. More than 100 persons are expected to be there.

Dinner will be served at the Lost Creek ranch, or those wishing to may take baskets. A frolicking time is expected with the toboggan and skiing possibilities.

Visits Here Enroute to Japan Home
Dr. Rachel Read of Tokyo, Japan, is visiting her niece, Mrs. Guy Halsey, at her home, 720 B. street. Dr. Read has been traveling in Europe during the past six months and is now on her way to her home in Tokyo.

HOP GROWERS FORM THREE STATE BODY

Local Growers Join Cooperative Organization to Curtail Over-Production of Hops; Acreage to be Cut One-Third by Agreement.

To curtail the overproduction hop growers of this section are joining a three state cooperative organization. The growers met Tuesday in Eugene and many of them signed up with the association which includes the states of Oregon, Washington and California.

George Hewitt is representing the association in this section. He takes leases on one-third the acreage of the individual hop grower and no hops are produced on this acreage. Growers agree to work for the interest of the industry and not sell hop roots to non-members. In this way it is hoped to curtail the production of hops sufficiently so that growers may make a profit on the crops.

Hops will continue to be sold to the dealers by individual growers as at present but the association will keep the members informed as to the current price of hops so that they may act intelligently.

All local growers who own their own yards and who attended the meeting signed up and others who were not present are being interviewed. Those who have signed with the new organization include William McBee, H. L. Edmiston, Anderson Brothers, Ed Stafford and Welby Stevens.

M. E. SUNDAY SCHOOL TO COMMENCE CONTEST

A membership campaign has been started by the Methodist church Sunday school. The campaign is being conducted through a contest between the different classes of the Sunday school and will be conducted throughout the month of February. Both former members and those not now attending Sunday schools of other churches will be canvassed by the classes. The main purpose of the campaign is to interest members already enrolled to attend.

At the end of the campaign which will be the fourth Sunday in February a social affair will be held at which the class bringing in the greatest number of members will be the honor class.

MARCOLA WOMAN PASSES AFTER 1 DAY'S ILLNESS

Mrs. Brunetta Lovetta, 67, of Marcola passed away at the Pacific Christian hospital in Eugene last Sunday after an illness of one day. Mrs. Lovetta suffered from acute indigestion.

The deceased was born in Greenville, Tennessee, and came to Oregon about 6 years ago to live with her daughter Mrs. R. W. Earnest of Marcola.

The survivors are: two sons, Duard and Cyrus, of Kansas, and two daughters, Mrs. Macy Whittenburg of Colorado and Mrs. R. W. Earnest of Marcola.

Funeral services will be held from the Walker-Poole funeral home in Eugene, and interment will be in the old Odd Fellows cemetery.

TROOP 11 OF LOCAL BOY SCOUTS VISITS EUGENE

The local scout troop No. 11 visited Troop No. 2 of Eugene Tuesday. The two troops enjoyed a social time together entering in an inter-troop contest. Members of the two troops vied with each other in knot tying contests and relays and other things.

During the trip taken by troop No. 11 to Willamette heights last Sunday several of the boys passed scout tests.

So far five members of the scouts have been found to have fulfilled the requirements necessary to become a member of the Mountaineer's club. Following are the boys: Earl Wheeler, Ralph Hughes, Winston Bacus, Carol Adams, and Billy Wheeler. The mountaineers group will have the first meeting separate from the boy scouts in the near future.

MRS. LLOYD'S FATHER SUCCUMBS AT CRESWELL

James S. Smith, 70, father of Mrs. Rhoda Lloyd of this city, passed away at Creswell last Tuesday.

Mr. Smith was survived by two daughters: Mrs. Vera McDonah, Mrs. Rhoda Lloyd, and four sons, Clyde, Ray, Ernest and Fred.

Funeral services were held at Creswell at 10:30, Rev. T. H. Trethick officiating.

Mrs. Mary Smith Passes at Natron

Deceased Long-Time Resident of This Section; Lived Here 76 Years.

Mrs. Mary Susannah Smith, one of the early pioneers of Lane county, passed away at her home near Natron last Friday. Mrs. Smith was 76 years old and has lived her entire life in this section. She was born August 3, 1852 in the Bristow home near Pleasant Hill, which has been said to have been the first house built in Lane county.

Mrs. Smith was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius J. Hills, who were among the very first settlers of Lane county. Mrs. Smith's father crossed the plains in 1847 with Isaac Briggs, who later filed a claim on the land of which Springfield is at the present time a part and who also gave Springfield the name which it now bears. Mr. and Mrs. Hills settled first near Jasper, later moving to Hills creek, which now bears their name. Mrs. Smith was married to William Smith who passed away 9 years ago.

The deceased is survived by two daughters, Mrs. J. M. Tallafero, of Springfield; Mrs. Alvin Olson, Creswell; five brothers, Jasper Hills, of Oakridge; John Hills, of Lowell; Sheridan and Joseph Hills, of Jasper; Elijah Hills, of Portland; and two sisters, Mrs. Henrietta Jacoby and Mrs. Jessie Humphreys, of Jasper.

Funeral services were held in the Walker-Poole chapel Sunday afternoon. The attendance was one of the largest that has been held from that chapel. Interment was in the Mount Vernon cemetery.

SPRINGFIELD'S SHARE OF COUNTY ROAD FUND REPORTED AS \$2,171.04

Springfield will get \$2,171.04 from Lane county as its share of the road money collected in the county taxes. Last year this figured \$1,626.14 which was augmented after the initial payment by remittance of \$290.38 making a total received from the county last year of \$1,916.52.

The money which is returned to the city is figured upon a 1.9 millage of the city's valuation. The money is returned to the city according as it is taken in by the county in the form of taxes, usually around the 1st of April and the 1st of October of each year. Springfield uses its share in street improvement work.

Eugene's share of the fund money for this year is \$26,111.46; Creswell, \$295.90; Cottage Grove, \$1,885.52; Coburg, \$121.34; Junction City, \$780.49 and Florence \$969.98. The fund for Florence was increased by the addition of a special tax.

LINCOLN TEACHER GOES TO BRATTAIN SCHOOL

Mrs. Paul Basford, who has been teaching the 6-A class at the Lincoln school, has been transferred this term to the Brattain school to take the place of Miss Mary Voris who resigned at the end of last semester.

The class which Mrs. Basford has been teaching at the Lincoln school was graduated into the junior high school. There were 27 pupils in the class. Mrs. Basford is teaching the 3rd grade at the Brattain school.

GROUP APPOINTED ON CONSOLIDATION

Committee of Five to Meet Like Body from Eugene and Discuss Union of the Two Cities; Bridge Committee to Handle Celebration.

A committee of five to discuss consolidation of the two cities with five men from the Eugene Chamber was authorized at the meeting of the Springfield Chamber of Commerce Friday evening. President F. B. Hamlin has named Mark Peery, Harry Stewart, Mayor C. O. Wilson, Dr. W. C. Rebhan and H. E. Maxey.

Since the meeting the Eugene Chamber of Commerce has appointed a committee consisting of Frank Jenkins, Mayor H. E. Wilder, Bruce Brundage, Hugh Rosson and Joseph Koke. The committee will be a fact finding body with no power to make recommendations according to the authority granted it by the directors.

Considerable discussion took place at the Springfield Chamber meeting Friday night in regard to the wisdom of even appointing a committee to study consolidation of the two towns. Many thought that the question kept coming up continuously and it might as well be settled one time as another. The Springfield committee was appointed with instructions to report back to the Chamber of Commerce after it had met with the Eugene committee.

Bridge Celebration Talked

A celebration at the completion of the new Springfield bridge across the Willamette river was discussed at the meeting. The program of the Henssberg bridge celebration was read and the chamber voted to refer the matter to the bridge committee.

GAS STATION ON MAIN STREET IS COMPLETED

The gasoline station on Second and Main streets which has been under construction during the past month has been practically completed. A coat of stucco and the erection of a couple of poles will complete the job.

Earl Jones who will be owner and proprietor of the place plans on opening up about February 10. All he is waiting for now is for the weather to get so the finishing touches can be put on the station.

The station, Mr. Jones says, will be modern throughout with a hydraulic greasing hoist, a tire room, two up-to-date greasing pits and two visible gasoline bowls. Mr. Jones will carry standard oil products—red crown gasoline and oils of the standard oil company. The station also will carry a complete line of automobile accessories.

MISS MARY ROBERTS IS GIVEN BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Mary Roberts, local librarian, was given a birthday party Tuesday night by Mr. and Mrs. Truman Gay. Miss Roberts' birthday anniversary was last Saturday, but the party was held for her later.

Those present at the party were: Miss Mary Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Gay, and Mrs. Welby Stevens, Mrs. Gay's mother.

"Why Lane County Homes Should Be Built of Wood"

The following article is one of a series in the Prize winning essay contest sponsored by the 4-L Employee Wood Promotion committee of Springfield. The stories were all written by students in the high and grade schools of the city and contain important truths why we should support the lumber industry in Lane county.

"Why Lane County Homes Should Be Built of Wood."

By MARCELINE SEAVEY
Eighth Grade

Oregon stands first in standing timber and third in lumbering. Many mills have been torn down in the last year as a result of the people using artificial material for building their homes instead of using their natural resource, lumber. Many men are now depending upon the lumber industry to make their living for their wives and children. When mills shut down think of the people without work, think of the people without work. Say to yourself that if you had built your home of wood these many people would not have been without work. Although the lumber of one house would not effect the business of a mill, if all persons would take it upon themselves to consider this there would be enough who used lumber for their homes to keep the mill going. Therefore in building wooden homes you

are not only making yourself happy and comfortable but are helping probably many of your friends and even relatives. Just suppose all the people of Lane county were using other materials instead of lumber for building their homes. All business would stop. All of the people would have to go where they could find work and the cities of Lane county would be only ruins like ancient Rome.

Wooden homes make you comfortable for wood is a non-conductor of heat and cold. This is done by the cells in the wood called dead air spaces and of course homes built of other materials cannot furnish this comfort. Therefore wooden homes are really more comfortable than others.

Wooden homes furnish happiness by making the home owner proud of them. A house that is built of wood is much more easily to heat than one built of stucco, brick, or concrete. Consequently a wooden home costs less for the upkeep than does one built of some other material.

A wooden home besides being comfortable is very pretty. Most of the best looking homes are built of wood while very few are built of stucco or other artificial materials. Beautifully carved wood work will win the respect of all who see it and it gives an air of comfort. You compare a wooden home with one built and covered with stucco. Which one
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Snow Blankets Country; Three Logging Camps Shut Down

With 13 feet of snow at the summit of the Cascades, from 2 to 6 feet up in the Wendling section and similar depths throughout the mountain sections of the country. Lane county being universally chastised by severe and plentiful weather.

Up until yesterday, this section had been very fortunate—excepting for a few squalls of snow which melted as it dropped there was no severity in the air. But this morning Springfield and Eugene folk awoke to an ice-covered ground with silver thaw indications in the air. Cars were crawling slowly over the highways with ice-filled windshields causing much annoyance.

All three of the Booth-Kelly camps up in the Wendling section have been closed on account of the snow—the camps closed were camp Nos. 40, 39, and 35. A man down from camp 35 yesterday reported 3 1/2 feet there, and other reports of the lumber operations give from 2 to 6 feet estimates. The Booth-Kelly mills are still operating, but if the severe weather continues both mills will be forced to close for the lack of logs. The Springfield mill can run for some time yet, possibly a month or more with the logs on hand, the headquarters office at Eugene reports, but the Wendling mill's log supply may give out in a week or so.

Telephone lines are down between this section and the upper McKenzie region, snow depths rangings from 1 to 10 feet are estimated. Appearances are that members of the American legion who plan on a Sunday frolic up in the snow will have plenty of it to frolic in.

Snow throughout the lower sections of the valley so far is not deep, ranging from 1 inch to 3 and 5 inches. The higher areas of the coast range do not report as great a depth as the Cascade side. A report from the Siuslaw before last night's fall gave a range of from 1 1/2 to 2 feet of snow. Reports from the motor association of highway conditions this morning state that the snow gets lighter from Cottage Grove south, but that highways are slippery. But going north the snow increases especially between Salem and Portland. Portland has 5 inches and it was snowing there this morning.