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Play-Writing Contest Arranged for Clubbers

Four-H members throughout the state have again been invited to participate in the seventh annual radio play-writing contest sponsored jointly by the state station KOAC and the club department of the O. S. C. extension service. Oregon has been one of the leading states in radio play-writing, says H. C. Seymour, state club leader.

A manual containing the rules and suggestions for the contest, and a copy of the winning play last year have been prepared for free distribution by James H. Morris, member of the KOAC staff, in charge of this activity.

John Watkins of Washington county won first place in last year's competition with a play called, "A Lesson in Applied Veterinary," which dramatized the experience of a club boy whose calf became seriously ill.

The contest is in three divisions again, including the state-wide and county contests, and the special traffic safety state contest in which Earl Snell, secretary of state, offers a summer school scholarship for the best 4-H club radio play dealing with traffic safety.



NEWS VIEWS

By DR. WM. C. STRAM, O. D.

If it isn't one thing it's another—this time it's another which has to do with President Roosevelt's proposal to give everything but a bill to the democracies now involved in the war. To the President's supporters the idea looks like a red white and blue proposal that will help to assure our own national defense—but the opponents of the plan just see red. But what is due to happen will happen anyway—words or no words—so just hold tight to your hats and don't stand up while the ship of state rocks its way through another gale of sound and fury.

100,000 poor families in No. Carolina will receive mattresses from the gov't. That's an idea—mattresses for people who are flat on their backs.

And there's another good cause to be thinking about—helping those who suffer from infantile paralysis. You can do it in Heppner by attending the President's Birthday ball at the Elks hall, February 1.

School work can become a great strain on your children if their eyesight is defective. There's only one way to be sure they are beginning the new school term under the best conditions. Bring them in to see me—let me give them a thorough eye-examination without charge—tell you if they need glasses. Don't risk your children's eyesight through neglect. Satisfaction guaranteed. Stram Optical Co., 225 So. Main St., Pendleton. Phone 403.

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Tower Work Starts For Bigger KOAC

Oregon State College—Work on the erection of two radio towers 325 feet high, for the enlarged KOAC transmitting system, has started on college property north of Corvallis, following the completion of the laying of about 50 miles of copper ground wire.

This directional antenna system was required by the federal radio commission to protect the naval radio station at Tongue Point, but it will also serve to increase the KOAC service area throughout most of the state, KOAC officials point out.

The new transmitter is being constructed preparatory to using 5000 watts power in the daytime, as recently allowed by the communications commission, which set the date for completion of the new station as April 14.

A recent action by the commission on the sale of an eastern station indicates the high commercial value of this state-owned facility, the radio committee here points out. WMCA of New York, which operates on 570 kilocycles, near the desirable band used by KOAC, and operated on 1000-watt power, has just been granted permission to change ownership at a sale price of \$800,000.

The station here has also received word that KFYZ of Bismark, N. Dak., which operates on the KOAC wavelength, has been required to install directional equipment design-

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

In memory of Sister Sarah Devin, who died December 22, 1940.

Again that unwelcome yet relentless visitor, death, hath entered the portals of our lodge room and summoned a dear sister to the beautiful home beyond. Her zealous work in the interests of our beloved Order, and her life, laden with gentleness and kind deeds, has won for her the plaudit of the good Master, and will cause her name to be cherished in the affectionate memory of our lodge.

And whereas, the all-wise Father hath called our beloved sister to the New Jerusalem, where "happily she hath heard the signal of her release on the bells of the Holy City, the chimes of eternal peace." And she having been a faithful and ardent worker in the teaching of Friendship, Love and Truth, therefore be it

Resolved, that Sans Souci Rebekah Lodge, No. 33, in testimony of her loss, and to express its Rebekah love, drape its charter in mourning for thirty days and that we tender to the family of our deceased sister our sincere condolence and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family.

Lillian Turner, Anna Brown, Etta Howell, Committee.

ed to prevent interference with KOAC, before the North Dakota station operates on 5000 watts at night. It also learned that KOY of Phoenix, Ariz., has applied for permission to increase its power to 5000 watts in the daytime.

Reapportionment Bills Not Popular in House

Legislative notes by Rep. Giles M. French.)

They go rushing hither and thither. Now that the new codes are out the boys who have a little bill to drop in the hopper are busy getting it written and classified with the proper new code numbers which tell what is being done to what.

Very likely there will be many more bills introduced this week than last—and most of those introduced last week will have to be amended.

Fred Paulus discovered from a reading of the constitution that there was no chance of paying ministers for praying over the house and senate as the onstitution made it impossible. Fred is assistant state treasurer, not a practicing lawyer, and the constitutional attorneys running around loose lost a point by his discovery.

Two reapportionment bills are in, the one by Neuberger to change the apportionment of senate and house and the one by Kimberling of Grant to reapportion the house. Kimberling admitted that his bill was in the style of a counter punch against Neuberger's lead. A forecast of house sentiment indicated that any reapportionment bill will have short shrift when it gets on the floor although there will be much said about it in committee and then it will be tried in the newspapers.

The larger truck bill has been sent to the senate by its sponsors and the high powered lobbyists who are

expected to put it across are gathering in Salem to talk to the boys with the votes.

This week committees are beginning to meet, partly to get better acquainted and partly to handle the first of their bills. Important bills are looked over and shoved aside as needing a bit more study. The ones that come out soon are the little things.

Representatives Miller and French are making ready a bill to change the method of apportioning the highway funds back to the counties. It is now on the basis of numbers of cars in each county, each car and truck drawing \$5.32. The bill, if passed, will put the division of such funds on the same basis as property taxes are paid to the state by the counties. Many of the counties would gain by this measure.

There is talk of reviving the bill to increase the pay of county attorneys and to make a minimum of \$1800 for them. This was passed last session and vetoed by Governor Sprague. Sponsors of the measure have not decided what to do about it.

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Elk's Hall -- Heppner

Saturday, February 1

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