

# Girls' Volleyball Jamboree Friday At Boardman Gym

By Mary Lee Marlow

The girls' volleyball jamboree will be held in the Boardman gymnasium Friday, Dec. 7, at 7 p. m. Practice sessions will start at 6 p. m. Drawing for placement in brackets will be by the captains at 6:40. Each game will consist of ten minutes as if it were the first quarter of a game. In case of a tie a two-minute overtime will be played after a one minute time out.

Schools that will participate are Umatilla, Ione, Heppner, Irigton, Hermiston and Boardman.

Each school is to bring one gym act from the student body, such as a drill team, tumbling, trampoline or square dancing, limiting it to five minutes.

### Weather Changes

After about two weeks of high fog and the temperature never getting higher than 36 above or 30 minimum the weather changed slightly Monday. Minimum was 24 above and maximum 48, which wasn't reached until about 7:30 p. m. In the afternoon the thermometer stood at 46 above, and dropped to 40 in the evening. Then a warm wind started about 7 p. m. which brought the temperature back up. Minimum on Tuesday morning was 34 above.

The Chamber of Commerce met Wednesday night of last week in the school library. A constitution and by-laws were drawn up and adopted. It was decided to ask the school board about the possibility of installing tennis courts on the school grounds.

Mayor Joe Tatone attended the League of Oregon Cities convention in Portland the first of last week.

Word was received here of the death of John Mulligan in Albany Nov. 27. He was the father of Jack Mulligan of Othello, Wash., former resident here, and at one time made his home with his son and daughter-in-law here.

A meeting of the Ground Observer Corps was held Tuesday night of last week at the Saddle Room of the Hitchin' Post cafe for the purpose of training high school students for the corps. 18 students attended. Sgt. Coleman of Hermiston showed two films as part of the training.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Briggs, Hay Springs, Nebr., have been visiting the past week at the home of Brigg's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Briggs.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Potts were Mr. and Mrs. George Ramsey and son Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Lafie Foster and children Michael and Susan, Mrs. Lulu Potts, and Mr. and Mrs. Dayne Cochener and sons Larry and Lester, all of The Dalles.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kress, Lewiston, Idaho, were overnight guests at the home of Kress' bro-

## IONE School Notes

Members of the band went to Pilot Rock Friday of last week and played in a concert with other schools.

The Ione high school volleyball team defeated Irrigon here Wednesday of last week in two games.

Mrs. Elbe Akers, who was a patient in the Pioneer Memorial hospital in Heppner for a few days, returned to her job as cook. Mrs. John Jackson cooked during her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kress, one night last week, on their way to Portland. George Wiese made a business trip to Portland last Thursday.

Mrs. R. A. Eades visited last week at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Eades, in Hood River.

Visitors last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ferguson were Ferguson's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hockett, and Mr. and Mrs. Walt Meyers, of Bellingham, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigvald Aase and daughter Lina went to Portland Saturday to do Christmas shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Harvey, Herscher, Ill., are visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller. Harvey is a cousin of the men. They leave for Seattle Thursday.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Miller were Mrs. Miller's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Akers and son John of Ione.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rands were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Imperial and children Randy, Robbin and Rebecca, of Cloverdale, Calif., and Mrs. Jacquelyn Phelps and Mrs. Jesse Brown of Brentwood, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Gib Calliff, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Calliff and three children of Estacada, and Mr and Mrs. Ray Edwards of Hood River were week end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Downey. Sunday they all attended the wedding of Kenneth Edwards and Jeanne Calliff in Irrigon. Mrs. Bob Stewart also attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith and children Linda and Roger of Baker were weekend visitors at the home of Smith's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Thorpe. Mrs. Paul Smith, Union, accompanied them home after visiting last week at the Thorpe home.

Cecil Hamilton and Delbert Carpenter arrived from Bellingham, Wash., last week to spend several days at their homes here. They returned there Tuesday.

Weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hamilton were Mrs. Hamilton's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lammert Fritzen of Moses Lake, Wash.

Jim Agee received word Sunday of the death of his brother, Isaac Agee, Saturday, Dec. 1 at Stevenson, Wash. The funeral was to be at Stevenson Tuesday. Agee's sister, Mrs. Rose McMurray and son Vance of Clarkston, Wash., visited at the Agee home Sunday on their way to Stevenson.

About 20 people from Boardman attended the basketball jamboree in Umatilla Monday night along with the school students.

The Ladies Aid society of the Community church will hold their annual bazaar and dinner Thursday, Dec. 6, at the grange hall. The dinner will start at 6 p. m. A film will be shown during the evening.

### MONUMENT NEWS

Doris Kingman spent Nov. 29 visiting her sister Jessie Scott at Long Creek.

## Processed Foods Make Big Gains With Homemakers

Oregon families and others from across the country every day receive dividends in better diets, extra leisure hours and easier meal preparation from more and better processed foods, says food marketing specialists at Oregon State college.

And they predict the trend will continue during the next year as more mixes, frozen and dehydrated foods come into local markets.

A phenomenal increase in sale of processed foods has come about almost overnight, reports Zelma Reigle, OSC marketing specialist. In 1954, some 359 million cakes were baked from packaged mixes, 12 times as many as in 1947. Frozen fish stick sales rose from 7.3 million pounds in 1953 to 44 million pounds in 1954.

More coffee drinkers are getting their morning cup from an instant product than ever before. At least one-third of all the coffee served today is made from instant products and the number of users continues to grow.

According to the OSC specialist, the amount of dry-nonfat and whole milk consumed each year averages 4 1/2 pounds per person, or about 25 quarts of fluid milk apiece.

Prior to 1947, consumption of frozen concentrated orange juice was practically nil. Today two-thirds of the oranges eaten are in

## Lexington News

(Continued From Page 4) on Friday night. This is the first play of the season, so let's all go.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Klingler are the parents of a son Aaron Anthony, born in Pioneer Memorial hospital one day last week.

Danny Wardwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wardwell underwent surgery one day last week at Pioneer Memorial hospital in Heppner.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt O'Harra returned Monday from the S. C. S. convention in Eugene. Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. O'Harra attended a banquet and reception held at the armory in Salem honoring Gov. elect Bob Holmes and other Democratic members elected to various offices. While in Eugene Mrs. O'Harra was a dinner guest of Mrs. Don Campbell.

The den meetings of the cub scouts were held on Monday at the Henderson and Jones homes. Plans were made for the pack meeting which was to be held on Thursday night at the school auditorium. Refreshments were served later in the day.

Pack meeting was held at the school auditorium on Nov. 30 with cub master Don Hatfield presiding. The program consisted of several numbers by the cubs with the puppets they made the main attraction. The following awards were given out at the Bobcat ceremony: Bobcat pins to Eugene Heliker received by his mother Barbara Cutsforth, Herbie Davidson received by his mother Mildred Davidson, David Cooper by his mother June Cooper, Billy Van Winkle by his mother Gladys Van Winkle, Bob by Mathews by his father Bob Mathews, Mike Palmer by his mother Leila Palmer, Jimmy Barclay by his father Max Barclay, Bear badge by Kenny Jones by his mother Delpha Jones, and Wolf badge by Franklin Robinson received by his mother Ruth Robinson. There was a 100% turnout of the mothers of the children receiving awards. There will be no pack meeting in December, but will have another in January. The meeting was closed with a prayer by the Rev. Norman Northrup.

## Beef Heart Defects Studied at OSC



THE ELECTROCARDIOGRAPH, same instrument which doctors use to study the human heart, is being used by Oregon State college scientists in studies of white muscle disease in cattle and sheep. The disease, which affects the heart, causes serious loss of calves and sheep in Oregon. Electrical activity of the heart is recorded to show visually the condition of the heart. OSC scientists are determining standards for normal and abnormal beef hearts. Studies are part of a program to learn more about adjustments of cattle under various environmental conditions with the aim of improving beef production. William Van Ardel (above) is a graduate student at OSC.

### of the form of juice.

Researchers foresee the use of more dehydrated foods such as onion flakes and diced potatoes as pushbutton cooking becomes a reality in more homes. If cooking with radio-frequency energy becomes popular as many experts predict, it will speed up defrosting and heating time for all frozen foods.

Specialty processed foods have made possible new eating adventures that are as close as the nearest grocery, Miss Reigle says. Chinese, Italian, Mexican, French and Kosher dishes are now available in canned or frozen pre-cooked form.

Processed foods make papaya juice available in Oregon, crabmeat in Kansas and make it possible for a Main family to enjoy fresh strawberries in January.

Homemakers have shown they are willing to pay more for convenience foods in return for time and work saved. As processors do a larger share of fixing food for the table, cooks do a smaller share. OSC specialists expect costs of some convenience foods to go down as competition gets keener and more foods are produced.

Miss Virginia Gonty spent the Thanksgiving holiday with friends in Superior, Montana.

## 4-H CLUB NEWS

### BUSY STITCHERS

4-H Ambassadors attended 26th annual camp, a movie showing Patsy Wright former Busy Stitcher member who attended National 4-H Club camp in Washington, D. C. and was selected the nations top 4-H girl, was previewed at the clothing meeting held November 28 at the home of Celia Boulden. Neils Anderson, county agent, showed the movie to the girls.

Roll call was answered by naming different kinds of material. Present were Helen Graham, Janet Wright, Carole Anne Anderson, Connie Anderson, Meredith Thomson, Celia Boulden, hostess and Mrs. Walter Wright, leader.

Janet Wright gave a demonstration on piped buttonholes. December 8 was set as the tentative date for their Christmas party. The meeting will be held at the Walter Wright home and the girls will make stuffed toys to be given to a worthy cause.

Helen Graham will be hostess to the club December 12. Meredith Thomson, reporter

### STITCH AND CHAT

The Stitch and Chat 4-H sewing group met at the home of Beth Van Schoiack Nov. 27. We played a short game before the business meeting and then worked on our projects. Libby Van Schoiack, reporter

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### FUR AND FEATHER CLUB

The Fur and Feather club met at the home of Mrs. E. E. Peck on Saturday afternoon. At this meeting Mr. Anderson showed two films, one on the way to conduct a business meeting and one on the care of chickens. The meeting was called to order by the pres. Martha Doherty and the minutes of the last meeting was read. It was reported that a member Danny Wardwell was a patient in the hospital and a card was signed and sent to him. Mrs. Doherty, one of our leaders gave us a few hints on our meetings, and explained our programs of the year which was handed out. The next meeting will be Jan. 2 at the Parsons home, and the roll call topic will be "Breed of Project". At the next meeting we are to have a talk on how to cull chickens and the care of rabbit hutches. All were present except the one ill in the hospital. There were several mothers present, and Mrs. Peck served us with cookies and punch.

Kenny Jones, reporter

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