

Lexington Home Damaged by Fire

Lexington was alerted about 9 A M Sunday morning by the fire siren and the fire department and many citizens hurried to the Dale Waddill residence where there was a fire in the attic. Quite a bit of damage was done to the inside of the house and furnishings by smoke, fire and water. The Waddills have moved temporarily into the Red Leonard house recently occupied by the Laney family.

The Amicita club met at the home of Mrs Bob Davidson for their regular meeting on Tuesday night. At this time the election of officers was held with Edith Munkers being elected president and Juanita Martin secretary treasurer. Mrs Bob Mathews won high for the evening with interesting gifts going to all players. Refreshments were served later by the hostess.

Mrs Bertha Hunt is a patient in St Anthony's hospital in Pendleton where she will remain about a week.

Mr and Mrs Morris McCarl and daughter are spending a few days in Harrisburg with Mr McCarl's parents.

Mr and Mrs Karl Miller are in Medford where they were called by the death of a nephew Virgil Buddon.

Mr and Mrs Vernon Munkers have returned home after several weeks spent with their daughter Marlyn and family who live in Missouri.

Paul Breeding and Paul Newmann are spending a few days with Paul's parents Mr and Mrs O G Breeding from their work in Portland.

Mrs Barbara Williams and sons are visiting her mother and family Mr and Mrs Armin Wihl on from her home in Redmond.

Mr and Mrs Richard Cantlin of Grass Valley have been visiting at the George Steagall, Wilbur Steagall and O G Breeding homes.

Mrs Elva Ruhl had as her house guest a few days last week Mrs Cora Allyn.

Rev and Mrs Norman Northrup left Tuesday for Dallas, Oregon where she will visit her father F H Parrish and from there he will attend the Oregon preacher's parliament at Eugene.

Mrs Ina Nichols has returned to her home after a stay in Pioneer Memorial hospital.

Several members of the high school class of the Sunday school and others enjoyed a day at Cutsforth Cabin where they spent the day skiing and other outside sports. They were taken up by Rev Norman Northrup, and Mr and Mrs Cutsforth.

Lexington Jackrabbits motored to Standfield on Friday night where they were defeated. On Saturday night they met Heppner on the local floor, and after a fast and interesting game a mixer enjoyed by many of the youngsters from the two schools.

Executive board of the P T A met at the home of Mrs Roy Martin on Wednesday night.

Mr and Mrs Mervin Leonard have returned after a three weeks trip into New Mexico, and California.

Word has been received in Lexington of the death of Hugh Murray of Milton-Freewater, father of Mrs Jack Barak of Lexington. Funeral services were to be held Monday in that city.

Mr and Mrs Jack Barak are enjoying a visit from Mr Barak's mother of Texas.

Buddy Laney, son of Mr and Mrs Laney of Arlington, is in Pioneer Memorial hospital recovering from an appendectomy.

Mr and Mrs Tom Wilson, Meredith Thomson and Janet Wright were at Tollgate Thursday, Friday and Saturday for some skiing. They visited in Walla Walla while there.

Oregon 4-H Club Leaders Slate January 22-24 Meet

Oregon 4-H club leaders will receive training and help plan parts of the 4-H youth education program when they meet January 22 to 24 at Oregon State college.

Nearly 30 volunteer adult 4-H leaders are expected to attend the conference, reports Burton Hutton, state 4-H club extension leader at the college.

The annual 4-H leaders banquet will open the conference January 22 with Joe Rogers Jr,

Independence dairy farmer and legislator, as featured speaker. Rogers, a national 4-H award winner for outstanding service to club work as a 4-H alumnus, will tell why he believes in club work, and share the experiences of his trip to the national 4-H Club Congress in Chicago last month.

Other banquet features will be presentation of achievement and leadership cups to outstanding 4-H club members. Winner of the county 4-H leaders association trophy will be announced.

Four leadership areas of interest to parents, youngsters, and leaders will be explored on Thursday, January 23. Discussion groups guided by county extension agents will be built around "Understanding Club Members," "The Club Member and the Leader," "The Club Members Work Together," and "The Club Leader and the Parents."

Special tours, discussion of food processing and marketing and their application to youth education have been arranged for Thursday afternoon when leaders visit the college food and dairy technology department. Last year more than 9,000 Oregon 4-H youngsters enrolled in foods projects.

On Friday, January 24, older club members throughout the state have been invited to participate in an evaluation of the older youth club program. Special program planning sessions will also be given by OSC extension specialists in livestock, entomology, wildlife, conservation, forestry, community leadership, creative arts, food, clothing and horticulture.

The annual meeting of the Oregon 4-H Leaders association will be held after the conference ends, January 24.

Those planning to attend from Morrow county are 4-H leaders Mrs E M Baker, Ione; Mrs Robert Brindle and Mrs Bernard J Do-

herty, Heppner; and Mrs Clarence Brenner, Ione. Mrs Baker is regional vice president for this area and the others are officers of the South Morrow 4-H leaders association.

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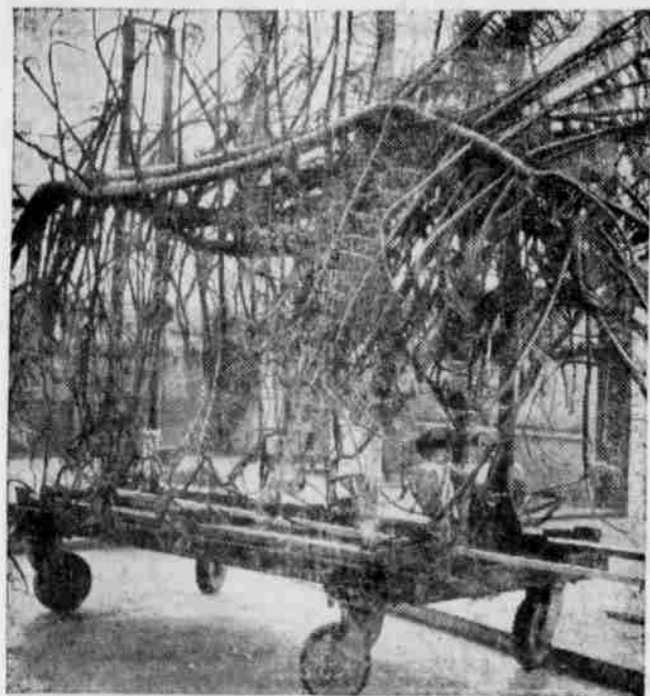
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