

Wide Range of Art Interests Covered By Students on Tour

Museums, galleries, work-shops and classrooms with paintings, sculptures, art production of all kinds, were viewed by 12 fortunate Heppner high school art students who made a field trip to Eugene on February 26 and 27.

According to art instructor Miss Terry Lincecum, the timetable was carefully laid out in advance and the trip went off as planned. The group left Heppner Sunday morning by bus and arrived at Eugene at three that afternoon.

First stop was the Art Museum of the University of Oregon where there were two exhibits of photographs, an exhibit of Kachina dolls and an exhibit of oil paintings plus a famous collection of Oriental art.

After a short tour of the campus, the students ate at the University Student Union and visited an exhibit of early day American photographs in the Student Union gallery.

Back to business on Monday morning, after seeing a movie Sunday night, the students made a tour of the University of Oregon art facilities, including the weaving and jewelry department where they were guided by Don Duncan, a student assistant in the jewelry lab, who explained the jewelry process and showed weaving projects on looms.

In the ceramics department they saw a demonstration of "throwing a pot" on a potter's wheel, the kilns and pottery pieces in various stages of construction.

Mr. Zach, head of the sculpture department, then showed them the process involved in sculpture and also took them to the graduate student lab where large works are constructed and cast.

Art education projects, the School of Architecture, painting, lithographing and silk screen labs rounded out this part of the tour.

After lunch the group left the university and toured the Maude I. Kerns art gallery and school at Lane County Community College where they watched students sketching with a live model, tried potter's wheels for themselves and saw an exhibit of the work of two University of Oregon Masters in Sculpture, Jerry Dodd and Hon Lee. The touring group was most interested in these works of sculpture, since they had seen unfinished work by these men at the graduate sculpture lab earlier. Mr. Vernon, the curator of this museum, interpreted the works.

Last art visit of the trip was to the 12th Avenue art gallery where a display of printmaker's art was on view including engravings, lithographs, block prints, aquatints and etchings. Here also there were many sculptures in the garden.

Following a short shopping trip to the campus, all the Heppnerites boarded their bus and started for home at 3 p.m. Those taking the trip were Sandy Bryson, Joy Miller, Peggy Snyder, Paula Siewert, Bonnie Kessel, Sue Chally, Marsha Sowell, Jan Hager, Karen Curnutt, Nalbro Cox, Star Rauch, Tim Loyd, Mrs. Bill Siewert, Leonard Munkers and Miss Lincecum.

Iota Chapter Hears Committee Reports; Support Projects

Iota Chapter of Alpha Rho State, Delta Kappa Gamma, met in Pendleton for its February meeting, with members from Morrow and Umatilla counties present.

President Lavelle Province heard reports from all committees that have been active since September, plus accounts of community and world service projects by the local groups.

Funds were allocated to such worthy causes as Care, Salvation Army, State Hospital Retarded Ward, funds to Foreign Exchange student, for Grant-in-aid and a Memorial Fund. The Iota Chapter also voted recruitment aid to a high school student interested in future teacher study in summer school at Eastern Oregon College.

Program guests for the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Etling of Milton-Freewater. Mr. Etling, a wild flower hobbyist and photographer of note, has captured beautiful pictures of the wild flowers in this region. He presented colored slides with appropriate stories, Indian lore poetry, and musical accompaniment, which were very much enjoyed by his audience.

Next meeting of the Chapter will be in Milton-Freewater on March 25.

Members attending from Morrow county were Ruth Bentley, Gladys Hobbs, both of Irrigon; Zoe Billings, LaVern Partlow, both of Boardman; Gladys Ely, Ione; Rachel Dick and Velva Bechtolt, both of Heppner.

Heppner Unit Plans Evening Meeting

"A housewife that is more than just a housewife is one that attends a Home Extension meeting every month." This is the invitation of the Heppner Home Extension Unit as it invites homemakers of the area to join them for a meeting Thursday evening, March 9, at 7:30 p.m., at the Heppner fairgrounds dorm.

An interesting lesson is planned on the topic, "Values in Today's World, and Family Communications." Mrs. Marjorie Wilcoxon, county extension agent, will lead the discussion. All interested women in the area are invited to attend.

SOCIETY



COMPETING SPEAKERS in IOOF United Nations contest Saturday in Pendleton were these high school students, left to right, Julia Hawkins, Pendleton; Murray McBride, Hermiston; Merrilee Jacobs, Ione; Leslie Schuening, Helix, and Mildred Nanegus, Pilot Rock.

UN Speaker Rated Highly Against Stiff Competition

Although she faced "rough competition" and missed being a winner, Heppner High school's Merrilee Jacobs did a very fine job with her United Nations speech in district competition at the Pendleton Odd Fellows hall, Sunday, March 5, according to R. G. (Pete) McMurtry, McMurtry and his wife who is district secretary-treasurer for the U. N. contest, attended the meeting as they have for many years and taped the speeches as they were given.

Winner of the district contest

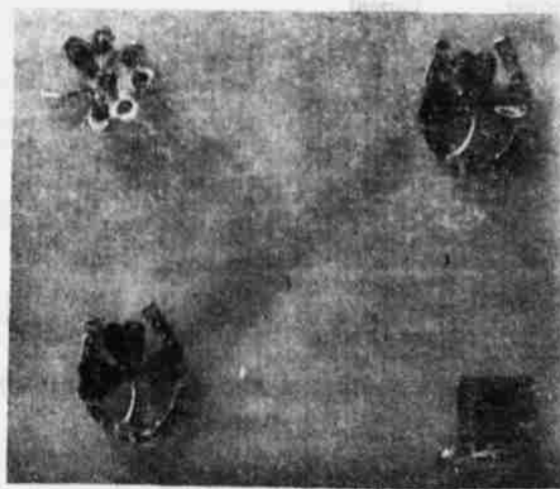
Legionnaires Plan For Coming Events At Monday Meetings

A climax of the American Legion and Auxiliary dinner Monday evening at the Heppner hall was the observance of the 48th anniversary of the state American Legion organization, founded in 1919. A large decorated cake, prepared by Mrs. Ruby Munkers, was served in its honor. Attractive Easter decorations centered the dining tables.

The date of Friday, March 24, was set by the Auxiliary for its Easter bake sale. Members are also selling tickets for the linen chest which is to be given away Saturday evening, March 11, at the Legion dance. An attractive collection of items are included in the chest, including towels, sheets, pillow cases, thermo blanket, hand-made pillows, large white rug, dish towels, and other all new items which would be useful in any home.

The public is invited to attend the Legion Dance, to start at 9 p.m. Saturday evening, March 11. The Quackenbush orchestra will furnish the music, with admission set at \$1 per person. Late lunch will also be served by the auxiliary.

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Rebekahs Make Plans For Easter Bake Sale

At a regular meeting of Sans Souci Rebekah Lodge No. 33 in the Heppner IOOF hall Friday, March 8, members made plans to have a benefit bake sale Saturday, March 25.

Special feature of the program was an inspiring reading on friendship by Mrs. Tom Huston, vice grand.

Mrs. Ed LaTrace, noble grand, and Mrs. Huston presided over the meeting of sixteen members and one guest.

Following the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Lincoln Nash and Alice Luttrell.

McCabes are Greeted On 35th Anniversary

IONE—Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McCabe celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary with a family party at their home on Wednesday evening, February 22. Their two daughters, Mrs. James Pettyjohn and Mrs. Leland McKinney were hostesses and served a decorated cake, ice cream, and coffee to those present.

Guests included the McCabe's two younger daughters, Christine and Doris; Mr. and Mrs. Earl McCabe; Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Keene, and Kathy, Richard, and Stuart; Mrs. Annie Keene; James Pettyjohn and Earl James, Linda, Jerry, and Nancy; and Leland McKinney and Kurt, Kenn, and Elizabeth.

Lions' Anniversary Occasion for Social Evening Last Week

IONE—The Ione Lions Club celebrated its sixth anniversary and the fiftieth anniversary of Lions International on Saturday, March 4, with wives of members and other special guests present. The evening began with a social hour at the Legion Hall, followed by a banquet served at the Masonic Hall, and concluding with a dance at the Legion Hall.

Distinguished guests present were Robert Witherell, District Governor of 36 G of Lions International, and Mrs. Witherell of Pendleton; Paul Mytinger, president of Pendleton Lions Club; Dean Nagel, secretary of the Pendleton Club and Mrs. Nagel; Ray Boyce, Zone Chairman of 36 G and Mrs. Boyce; and Charles O'Connor, Lions Information, and Mrs. O'Connor.

Donald Bristow, president of the Ione Lions was master of ceremonies at the dinner. After the introduction of guests, Mr. Witherell spoke to the group. A 15 minute movie of the history of the Lions Club was shown.

Gerald Peterson won the stereo-radio, which was given away during the evening. Herbert Ekstrom Jr. received a prize for selling the most tickets for the stereo and William Ling won second prize in the sale.

County Fair Awards Discussed by Unit

Discussion of county fair demonstration awards was an important part of the business of the Rhea Creek Extension Unit meeting held March 1 at the Rhea Creek Grange Hall.

It was announced that the Homemakers' Festival will be held Wednesday, May 10, at the Lexington Grange hall. Chairman Mrs. Roger Palmer reminded members to bring gifts for

the state hospital in Pendleton at the April meeting. Mrs. Marjorie Wilcoxon, county extension agent, presented the interesting and often needed lesson on "Family Communications and Moral Values in Today's World."

A potluck luncheon was enjoyed at noon by the extension members and their guests.

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