

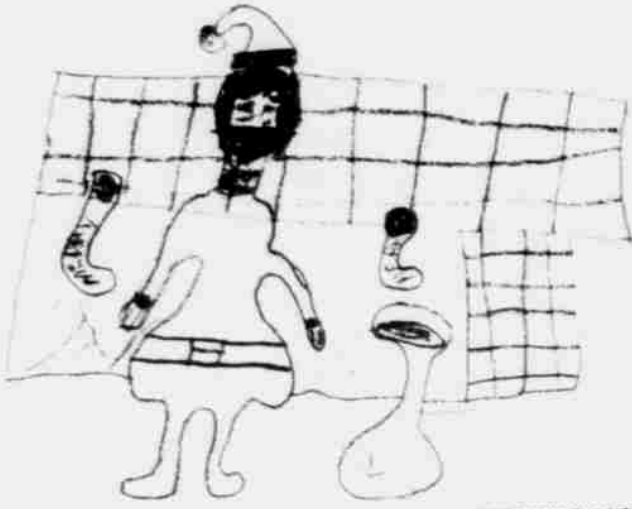


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MEN'S NIGHT
TONIGHT - THURSDAY 'TIL 8:30
ALSO OPEN FRIDAY 'TIL 8:30

MI LADIES

Rainbow Egg-take in Progress

Some of the largest brood rainbow trout in the west are now yielding eggs for the Game Commission's fish hatchery program. Running from 8 to about 18 pounds in weight, the big brood fish are expected to produce somewhere in the vicinity of 19 million young rainbows, most of which will find their way into Oregon's lakes and streams. Some eggs will be used as trading stock with other states to obtain cutthroat trout, kokanee, and other game fish. Brook rainbows now producing eggs are termed fall

spawners, selectively bred for their size and early egg production. Rainbow trout normally spawn in the spring. Eggs from fall spawners will hatch easily by spring, thus permitting about three months' additional growth through the summer. About 3-1/2 million youngsters will be held over until the following summer, at which time they will be stocked for the rod as 8 to 12-inch rainbows. At Oak Springs on the Deschutes production has already exceeded 7 million eggs, with another 1/2 million yet to be

taken. Production is just getting under way at Roaring River near Seio to the east of Lebanon, with an expected egg-take of 10 million. Brood rainbows at Roaring River are some of the largest in the state, some reaching 18 pounds. In January the egg-take is expected to get under way at the commission's Leaburg and Willamette hatcheries. About 2 million rainbow eggs will be taken at these two stations. Completed earlier this fall at a number of stations has been the take of eggs from spring and fall chinook, brook trout, brown

trout, Dolly Varden, kokanee, and Atlantic salmon. The steelhead egg-take will not begin until late February or early March. About 25 million fish of all species will be produced at Game Commission fish hatcheries during the coming year. Persons interested in viewing the egg-take or other phases of trout and salmon production are welcome to visit any of the Commission's 15 fish hatcheries. A leaflet on fish hatcheries giving locations and production schedules is available free upon request.

Many Attend Boardman Openings

By MARY LEE MARLOW
The bad weather did not stop a large number of children from coming to see Santa Claus Saturday afternoon at Nelson Square during its Open House. This is the first time Santa Claus has come to Boardman since the town was moved some seven years ago. A good crowd attended the Open House at Nelson Square and at the Frontier Machinery Company's Open House also.

It's A Boy

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Akesson are the parents of a son, Karl Kristian, born Dec. 14 at the Good Shepherd Hospital in Hermiston. The baby weighed eight pounds. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Akesson of Renton, Wash. and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boblet of Ocean Shores, Wash. Great-grandparent is Mrs. Ann Evans of Fullerton, Calif.

Thank You

All who braved the weather to our Grand Opening.

We had a Grand Day

Come see us anytime

Joe Bartlett

Frontier Irrigation & Supply

Boardman at Towers Rd. Exit

Snow Finally

At the time this column was written last week it was reported that Boardman had no snow, but that was all changed the same night when about five inches fell Monday and Tuesday. The weather has warmed up with the temperature in the high thirties, but it is still slick to drive, and there are still several inches of snow on the ground. Night time temperatures have been warmer the past few nights.

The Boardman Garden Club held its annual Christmas party Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rollin Bishop. Present from out of town was Mrs. Charles Anderegg of Pendleton. Roll call was answered by naming a favorite Christmas carol.

Mrs. Roy Ball, president, opened the meeting by reading "That Wonderful Story," written by Katherine Beard, field director of Navajo Missions at Flagstaff, Ariz.

Mrs. Walter Hayes read the history of the poinsettia plant. The club will present Christmas favors to the patients at the Umatilla Hospital.

An exchange of gifts was held. Mrs. Ralph Earwood received the door prize.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Earwood Jan. 15.

Cards

There were five tables of pinochle in play at the card party held Saturday night at the Greenfield Grange Hall, sponsored by the Women's Activity Committee of the grange. Hostesses were Mrs. Athrur Allen and Mrs. W.G. Seehafer.

High prize for the men was won by Verne Minnich, and for the women Mrs. Ed Kuhn. Second high went to Ken Munger of Irrigon and Helen Busch. The traveling pinochle prizes were won by Bill Bates and Mrs. Verne Minnich.

George Steagall Home

Pvt. George A. Steagall, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Steagall has just returned home on his first leave from the U.S. Army. He recently completed basic training at Fort Ord, Ca. and was transferred to Fort Rucker, Alabama for further schooling. He will report back to Alabama Dec. 29.

Oregon Elk hunters are urged to dig down in their wallets for the elk hunter's report card, answer the several questions, sign the card, and return it to the Game Commission. The card is self-addressed and no postage is needed.

Endicott Likes Eastern Oregon



Charles Endicott who teaches grades 5-6 at A.C. Houghton in Irrigon.

Charlie Endicott is an enthusiastic first year teacher at A.C. Houghton Elementary School at Irrigon this year. He has the combination room of the 5th-6th grades. He also teaches Boys PE 3rd grade through 6th.

Mr. Endicott is a graduate of Springfield High School and attended Lane Community College where he learned to like to play football. After a year he transferred to Eastern Oregon at La Grande where he continued to play football.

He favors the eastern part of the state and says "teaching at Irrigon is super-swell."

His wife, Gay, is also from Springfield. She is a teachers' aide at the Junior High. They both enjoy the hunting and fishing in the area.

Bartletts Like Irrigation Firm Opening

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bartlett managers of the new Frontier Irrigation and Supply at Boardman called to say they were more than pleased with the number of people who came out Saturday for the Grand Opening. The weather couldn't have been worse they said. They were assisted at their opening by Dennis Grigsby who

will be working with them in the field. Coming from Walla Walla Frontier Machinery were Bill McClure, manager; Gary Burgevin of the Irrigation Dept. and Dave Huse. Rick Fenton and Chuck Hagerman from their supply houses were also there to talk with people. Door prizes were won by Ron Black, hydraulic jack; Harold

Rush, large screw driver set; Steve Hinkle, 1/4" Black and Decker drill; Mrs. Willard Baker, Flex Rocket set by Ranch-Rite and Hazel Carpenter, small screw driver set also by Ranch-Rite.

Frontier Irrigation and Supply is located at the Tower Rd. exit 4 miles west of Boardman.

Champions



Second year 4-H club members were presented with a photograph album at the recent 4-H Achievement night at Irrigon. They were back row: John Campbell, Donald Richards, Kay Clark, Joan Partlow, Kenn McKinney, Virgil Morgan. Front row: Tim Hellberg, Kathy Farlow and Tommy Abercrombie.

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