

Grange

Sams Valley Juvenile Grange
Regular meeting was held Saturday evening, March 24, with a large attendance. The Juvenile Zipper was read and Dixie Dugan was complimented on her puzzle page. Herschel Mack was awarded a prize for being the winner in the checker tournament. The office of Ceres being vacant, Dede Fitzgerald was elected to be the Ceres for rest of year.
Project plans were discussed as was work on our history scrap-book. We are happy that we have earned the dues paid pennant which will be awarded our Grange at the state session at Pendleton in June.
Our next regular meeting is Saturday evening, April 28, at the Grange hall. Grange members are reminded to come early and dressed in working clothes as we are going to finish up one of our projects. Also bring that board which the matron discussed at the last meeting.

Sword Swallowing Secret Said To Miss 'Gagger'

Decatur, Ill. — (U.P.) — "Anybody," said salesman Frank Boulware, "can swallow swords, if they make it miss their 'gagger'."
Boulware should know, for he retired from his sword swallowing routine in 1949 after 48 years traveling around demonstrating how to make swords—and shotgun barrels, bayonets, auto axels, steel rods—miss the "gagger."
The 63-year-old showman settled down to sell shoes after he retired, but he keeps an 18½-inch Civil War bayonet around "just to keep in practice." The nine pound axel is probably the trickiest thing to swallow.
"It would go right through my stomach if I let it go," he explained.

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APPLEGATE - JACKSONVILLE Homemakers Festival Set

By HELGA MITCHELL
Applegate-Jacksonville — The Homemakers Festival open house will be held Tuesday, May 1, from 7 to 9:30 p.m. at the Central Point Legion hall. Projects and activities of the Home Extension Units will be exhibited and the public is invited to attend the first open house. Refreshments will be served. The Upper Applegate and the Applegate units will bring five dozen

MORE TRAINING NEEDED?
Muncie, Ind. — (U.P.) — Muncie firemen set fire to an abandoned coal building and shut it out just for training. A short time later, a new fire broke out in the same building. It took the firemen 50 minutes to put out the blaze.

Court Records

CITY COURT
Timie C. Hunt, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Larry V. Cranston, excessive noise (pipes), \$10.
Darral M. Brereton, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Anne C. Valentine, violation of basic rule, \$10.
George L. Gilman, excessive noise (tires), \$10.
Glady L. Parker, expired vehicle license, \$5.
Caroline F. Vincent, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Phil H. Blood, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Marlene S. Duarte, failure to stop at red light, \$5; no operator's license, \$5.
Ray F. Harpham, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Michael R. Phair, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Bill F. Sanders, violation of basic rule, \$10.
William H. Smith, excessive noise (pipes), \$10.
William M. Longmire Jr., violation of basic rule, \$10.
Violet Florey, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Lewis R. Breazeale, excessive noise (pipes), \$10.
Benjamin F. Spence, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Louis Gomes Silva, no operator's license, \$5.
Barbara Ann Cameron, failure to stop at red light, \$5.
Kenneth H. McManama, inadequate muffler, \$10.
Richard H. Hayes, failure to yield right of way, \$10.
Leo M. Martin, failure to yield right of way, \$10.
DISTRICT COURT
Gerald L. James, inadequate muffler, \$5.
Darral L. Johnson, operating motor vehicle while license suspended, \$30.
Len Crum, failure to operate on right side of highway, \$15.
Henry L. Stevens, passing with insufficient clearance, \$15.
Dana L. Chaney, overload, \$15.
Norbert R. Schieber, driving without license, \$10.
Gerald D. Close, overload, \$105.
Wilson B. Dir, defective tail light, \$10.
Gene C. Flickinger, no chauffeur's license, \$10.
CIRCUIT COURT
Viola Byrd vs. William I. Byrd, divorce complaint.
MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS
Melvin Wesley Pearce, 1221 Thomas rd., and Patricia Marie Bunnell, 801 East Main st.

cookies each for this event. Exhibits of the Upper Applegate Unit will include baskets, lamp shades and drapes.
The Homemakers Festival Day will be held on Wednesday, May 2, in the Central Point Grange from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The program will include skits, songs, talks and movies.
Due to the Homemakers Festival, the regular meeting of the Upper Applegate Home Extension meeting will be postponed until Friday, May 4, and will be held at the home of Mrs. Edna Sawyer from 10:30 a.m. until 3 p.m. The project will be "Garment Finishes" with Mrs. Gail Buffington and Mrs. Charles Williams as leaders. Mrs. Lorán Cooper, one of the past presidents of the unit, will install the new officers for the new year which include: Mrs. Lynn Valentine, chairman; Mrs. John Sutton, vice chairman; Mrs. William Green, secretary; and Mrs. Otis Buck, treasurer. The luncheon committee will consist of Mesdames George Mitchell, William Green, Lorán Cooper, Bill Ziegler, Rex Davis and Edna Sawyer. Anyone who is interested is welcome, and everyone is asked to bring their own table service and trays.

Services at the Ruch Community church include Sunday school, 10 a.m.; worship service, 11 a.m.; Bible study, 8 p.m. Last Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Dribble and Mr. and Mrs. Skank of Sams Valley visited the church.
Mrs. Louis M. Jones of Taylor Lane entered the Sacred Heart hospital last Sunday and underwent surgery.
Ladies attending the Cowbelles association in Medford last Wednesday were Mesdames Bob Tolle, Dora Krouse, John Horner, Jack O'Brien, Leon Offenbacher and Lance Offenbacher. The luncheon was in the Jackson hotel.
Mrs. Harry Foster has returned home from the Mitchell sanitarium in Jacksonville after three months. She is reported to be feeling fine.
Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Collins of Long Beach are spending their vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sutton, of Upper Applegate. The Collins are planning a camping and fishing trip in the southern Oregon area.

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JAIL TO BE WARMER
San Diego, Calif. — (U.P.) — It will be warmer in the San Diego county jail for the next few days. Officers located a pigeon's nest in the air conditioning system and ordered the unit shut off until the bird hatches her eggs.

The 4-H Applegate Fishermen's club were on the Farm and Home TV program last Wednesday. Vincent Freemantle and David Prowell demonstrated "fly tying," and Jeffrey Wood and Mike Harris demonstrated "How to care for fish, after they are caught." When asked where the club plans to be on the opening day of the fishing season, the leader, Mrs. Curtis Gerhardt, replied, "On Thompson creek."

A pre-festival gathering was held at the home of Mrs. Rolland Smith last Tuesday, as the women prepared the exhibits. Those attending were Mesdames John Byrne, Lynn Valentine, Lorán Cooper and Harry Davis.
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wright and their son, Bob, of Vallejo, Calif., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Loftus. The Wrights formerly lived on the Little Applegate.
Jim Horn arrived here from Milwaukee, Wis., last Friday, and spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Brien. Horn was recently hired by the forest service in Union Creek.
Mr. and Mrs. Arion Christensen of Applegate left last Monday for a two week trip to Iowa, where they will be visiting their families.

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Sunday visitors at the Rolland Smith residence were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McKee and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Estlinger and their daughter, Joan, all of Medford.
The Applegate school students of Hugh Clark and Ralph Holbrook's rooms will attend the Musical Festival at Southern Oregon college in Ashland on May 4.
W. L. Shannon of Applegate fell off his horse last week, when the horse tripped over a wire which was hidden from sight in the grass. Shannon's collar bone was torn loose from his shoulder, and he went to the Sacred Heart hospital, Last Sunday he returned home and is improving gradually.
Visitors at the Byron I. Peffley residence are Mr. and Mrs. Dean Warden from Anchorage, Alaska. Peffley, who is the new clerk dispatcher at the Star Ranger station, also came from Anchorage, where the friendship of the Wardens and Peffleys began. The Wardens will be staying here approximately a week and then return to Minneapolis, Minn., where they originally came from.
Ed H. Fossen of Upper Applegate who has been leader of the Ruch 4-H Livestock club for the last four years, became established in 4-H work back in Aitkin, Minn., in the early 1920s. At that time, one county agent handled all the children, and there were no individual groups, as we know them today. Fossen has chalked up several awards during his 4-H activities. He was first place winner for five years, and each time was awarded a trip to the state fair in St. Paul, Minn. As a result of a judging at the state fair, he was awarded a trip to Chicago to the National

Livestock exposition. Another time, a newspaper awarded him a trip to the Dairy Congress in Milwaukee, Wis.
Then there came a temporary lull in Fossen's 4-H activities, when he sold his 4-H herd of five cows and used the money to marry Mrs. Fossen. Today the Fossens maintain a grade A dairy consisting of 26 cows.
The Ruch Livestock club, which has 10 members, meets twice a month, after school, at the Fossen residence. Mrs. Fossen prepares something prior to the meeting. Prior to this time, the club only had cattle, but this year a pig and a sheep have been added. This year's new members are Rickey Davis, Karen Gettling, Brad Gettling and Lona Buffington. Parents of the children active in this club recently commented on the work that Ed Fossen has been doing.
Rural Reflections: When speaking of her bones aching, Mrs. Mansel Milam of Sterling Creek commented, "It ain't age that's creeping up on me, it's just the mileage!"

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