

By JODY VAN HORN
A skating party will be held Dec. 9. Charles Meyer, principal, wants students to purchase tickets now so arrangements for buses can be made.

The PTA chili feed will be from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. Dec. 5 at the Junior High school cafeteria. Entertainment will start at 8 p.m. in the gym.

The seventh and eighth grade basketball intramurals started last week.

Mrs. McDonald, fourth grade teacher, spent Thanksgiving at Boise, Idaho.

Dennis Strauz, a sixth grade student, has moved to Medford.

Rebecca Gordon from Howard, Jean Fishback from Medford and Sally Bodak from La-Mesa, Calif., are now fourth grade students.

George Johns, principal at Jewett school, was given a surprise birthday party after school by the teachers of the Jewett Elementary school.

PUNISHMENT ALLOWED
Raleigh, N. C.—Teachers and principals in North Carolina public schools may impose "reasonable" corporal punishment upon erring pupils under the law. Assistant Atty. Gen. Claude Love said the state courts require proof of excessive force causing permanent injury or malice toward a pupil before any teacher can be convicted for whipping a pupil.

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CENTRAL POINT

Holiday Visitors Listed

By DORIS HUGHES
Central Point — Thanksgiving brought about many family get-togethers in the Central Point area this year.

Guests at the Donald Lacy home over the holidays were Mrs. Lacy's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Haugen of Sheridan, Ore., and Lacy's mother, Mrs. Van Lacy from Salem. Also visiting were Mrs. Lacy's brother, Gordon Haugen, from Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Barnard of Central Point, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barnard of Medford and Mrs. Nellie Barnard gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Barnard of 1376 Marrow rd. for a family dinner.

Thanksgiving day guests at the L. D. Booth home were Mr. and Mrs. Marin Itallo and son Frankle of Hills, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lacey and son, Billy, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Booth all of Central Point.

The D. C. Chapel family of Central Point, Mrs. Daisy Stephenson of Grants Pass, and Mrs. and Mrs. Darrel Greb of Medford attended a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore of Gold Hill.

Mrs. Edward Higinbotham, Miss Ila Mae Higinbotham, Miss Gloria Higinbotham, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Culbertson and Miss Connie Higinbotham went to Days Creek where they spent the day at the home of Wayne Higinbotham.

Thanksgiving day guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Payne were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Walch of Central Point, Mrs. John Walch and daughter Shirley of Lake Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hansen and daughter of Brownsboro, and Mrs. Bill Perry of Eagle Point. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Walch's son, Ronald, went home with his grandmother, Mrs. John Walch, for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Bresland and daughter, Ethel, Mr. and Mrs. James Bresland and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wright and children spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Omar Bresland Jr.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boling Thanksgiving day were Mrs. Bessie Williams, Mrs. Mary Cellura, Mr. and Mrs. James Higinbotham and Miss Patricia Higinbotham.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Young and family and Mr. Marion Young visited Thursday in Jacksonville at the home of Mrs. Young's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John O. Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Smith of Seaside avenue celebrated the holiday at the home of Smith's brother in law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Owens of Phoenix.

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On SAGE Project

By Air Force Man

Albany — Figures on the cost and the personnel requirements for the Camp Adair SAGE project were released Saturday by Maj. Gen. Joe W. Kelly, director of the legislative liaison of the Air Force in Washington, D.C.

Gen. Kelly made his report to the Albany Chamber of Commerce through Rep. Charles O. Porter, D-Ore., who relayed the information to Hal Byer, manager of the SAGE installation at Camp Adair.

Gen. Kelly said the SAGE installation at Camp Adair would consist of a direction center building, power plant and related utilities at a cost of \$6,300,000. The support facilities consist of troop housing, dining hall, warehouse, shops, administrative building, dispensary and other buildings with an estimated cost of \$2,200,000.

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Air Force officials disclosed early of the support facilities would begin about the first of 1958. They are to be completed late in 1958, about the same time as the completion of the SAGE installation.

SAGE is the military term for semi-automatic ground environment system. The electronic computers at the SAGE site will use radar warnings and compute counter-attack operations for missiles and airplanes.

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