

Oregon State College Gets Science Grant

Corvallis—The Oregon State college school of science has received new national recognition with announcement that it has been picked by the National Science Foundation to give a special 1958 summer institute in biology for 50 teachers from small colleges and universities across the nation.

OSC will receive \$44,600 to conduct the six-week program, bringing the total of grants received during the past two years for science-mathematics teacher training to \$584,200.

The OSC institute will be part of a vast training program next summer for some 5,000 science and mathematics teachers at 104 schools. It is one of only five, however, designed for college teachers. The others are for high school teachers, Dr. H. P. Hansen, deal of the graduate school, will be institute director.

Launching Program
The National Science Foundation is launching the program "to improve and strengthen training of scientists in the United States."

At OSC, the 50 teachers selected for training will study a different phase of biology each of the six weeks. Topics will cover recent trends and developments in biology including genetics, microbiology, growth and development, radiation, biology, marine and invertebrate biology, and environmental biology.

To qualify, teachers must have at least three years teaching experience and hold at least a master's degree. Each teacher selected will receive \$75 a week plus

tuition and fees and some travel and dependent allowances.

Last month, OSC was picked as one of only 17 colleges in the country to offer 10-month training programs next year for high school science and mathematics teachers and is one of only 16 institutions offering the training for the first time this year. This year's grant was \$270,000 and next year's will be \$248,000. Two years ago, OSC also offered a national summer institute for college chemistry teachers under \$21,600 grant from the National Science Foundation.

12 Delegates from SOC To Attend Conference

Ashland—Twelve delegates from Southern Oregon college will attend the annual meeting of the Oregon Federation of Collegiate Leaders Friday and Saturday at Lewis and Clark college in Portland.

Attending the conference will be Audrey Hite, editor of the OFCL Bulletin from Phoenix; George Olson, senior council member of the group from Klamath Falls; Don Floyd, representative at large from Phoenix; Rick Pastega, sophomore class president from Klamath Falls; Pat Urie, student body treasurer from Reedsport; Jim Tachini, assembly chairman from Klamath Falls; Bob Semon, president of Theta Delta Phi and coeditor of the Siskiyuu from Medford; Carolyn Hedrick, assistant student publicity director from Medford; Jack Bracken, president of the men's dormitory from Lakeview; Rod Isaksen of Portland; Connie Cleveland, president of Sigma Tau from Roseburg; and Vicki Robertson, president of Tri Zeta from Medford.

BOOKS BANNED

Knoxville, Tenn. — The best-selling novels "Peyton Place" and "The Revolt of Mamie Stover" were banned Tuesday by the city Board of Review. Both books, written by Grace Metalious and William Bradford Huie, were ruled obscene and unfit for sale here by the board.

Quotes From the News

By UNITED PRESS

Cape Canaveral, Fla.—Herschel Schooley, Defense Department information director, on the cancellation of the Vanguard firing:

"It was a disheartening thing for these crews which worked so hard to get the Vanguard firing tonight. It was a matter of getting out one bug after another."

Atlantic City—AFL-CIO President George Meany, saying the Teamsters Union can avoid expulsion only if James R. Hoffa quits his post as president-elect.

"The entire question of the teamsters at the moment hangs on one man."

Chicago—Mrs. Norah Hughes, on the results of her treatment for nervousness by a five-day hypnotic trance:

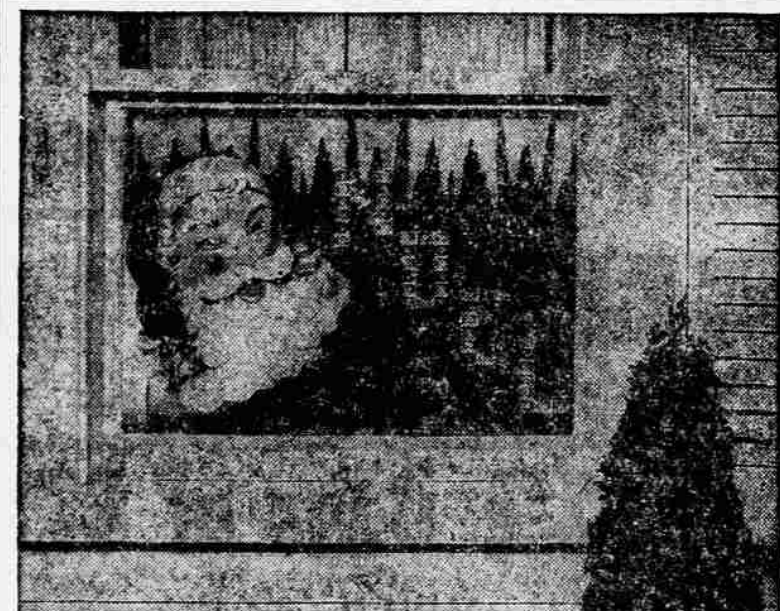
"I don't shout at the children like I used to, and little things don't disturb me any more. I used to have what I guess you'd call an inferiority complex. I'd worry about my appearance and clothes. Now I feel I'm just as good as anybody."

New York — A committee of the American Rocket Society in a statement asking the President to set up a program to put a man on the moon by 1953:

"It is the considered opinion of the American Rocket Society that rather extensive flight through space is practicable, useful, and economically feasible in the immediate future."

Sycamore, Ill.—Mrs. Mike Ridolph, mother of a 7-year-old girl believed kidnapped:

"She must be dead. She would be too frightened to stay out all night by herself."



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The Medical Roundup

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Prescription For Good Mental Health in Childhood

Today, we hear on every side that most mental diseases originate in mental trauma (injury) in childhood. One would think, then, that all sensible parents would be making a great effort to bring up their children without mental trauma. A while ago the National Association for Mental Health made a number of good suggestions in regard to this.

The child should have plenty of affection. He should be made to feel that his parents love him; that they enjoy having him with them, and that they are interested in everything that happens to him. They like to see what he does, and they are often proud of what he is able to do. The child will be happier if he feels that his parents love him the way he is. He will want to be sure he is loved even at those times when he isn't very lovable. Oftentimes, it looks as if he were testing his parents to see how much of a nuisance he can make of himself and still be loved.

Every child needs to be made to feel secure. He needs to feel that his parents will always be there to take care of him, especially when he needs them most. He wants to feel that he belongs in the family group. Often he can be made to feel this most deeply when he is allowed to help his parents doing things about the house.

Parents who are quarreling and talking of a separation can greatly distress the child by taking away his feeling of security. If the home is going to break up, he cannot help wondering what will happen to him.

Wants Confidence in Ability
A child wants to feel that his parents will always keep him safe from harm. They will be there beside him whenever he has to face something strange, unknown and frightening situation, such as an illness, an operation, or the results of an accident. Every child is happier if he feels that his parents are willing to grant him some independence—a chance to grow up in his own way and to make his own mistakes. He wants his parents to have some confidence in his ability to do things for himself. As soon as he is old enough, he would like a small allowance which he can learn to spend by himself.

Every child should have moral standards to live by. He should absorb good morals from living with good parents. He should early become acquainted with the great human values of kindness, courage, generosity, justice

and fair-play. If, all his life, he has seen his parents paying their bills and behaving honestly, when he goes out on his own he, too, is likely to pay his bills and behave honestly and honorably. Every child needs to be taught how to behave with other persons so as to be accepted by them and liked by them. It is a wonderful thing for a person to learn early how to live amicably with his fellows, and the parent who does not teach his children how to do this is failing them badly; he is derelict in one of his most important duties.

A child will be the better for knowing that there are definite and absolute and always-maintained limits beyond which he will not be permitted to go. He should know that punishment of some kind will always come immediately when he defies the rules of the household. He needs to know that punishment will come with a minimum of anger, and that as soon as the punishment is over his parents will take him right back into their hearts. Often a good form of punishment is banishment to the child's room with instructions to stay there until he thinks he again is fit to associate with nice people.

It is a fine thing when a child is made to feel that, in his family, certain things are just not done. He must come to feel strongly that the guest within his gates must always be treated with courtesy, kindness, respect and consideration. One does not drive him nearly crazy by pounding a drum, and one does not keep snapping in his face a perfect imitation of a revolver.

The Cause and Cure of Eczema
Many persons ask me what to do for eczema, but I can't help them because I don't know what they mean by "eczema." It is a vague word. It can mean anything. When a person has a breaking-out of his skin that doesn't soon disappear, he should go to a skin specialist. The rash may be due to great mental turmoil, or to the eating of some food, or to the use of some new cosmetic, or to the taking of some drug, or to invasion of the skin by some parasite; or it may be due to some hereditary predisposition, or it may be part of some widespread disease of the body. The doctor will try to figure out what the cause is, and he may have to try out medicines. Often, the patient must go back occasionally because new ointments may have to be tried, or the treatment may have to be adjusted from time to time.

Dr. Alvarez hopes his readers will understand that it would be impossible for him to answer requests for information or to attempt to diagnose by mail. (Released by The Register and Tribune Syndicate, 1957)

CENTRAL POINT Surprise Party Given

BY DORIS HUGHES

Central Point — Mrs. James Belter gave a surprise party at her home Friday in honor of her sister, Miss Pricilla Ann Baker. The occasion was Miss Baker's birthday. Guests were the Misses Betty Jones, June Mallory, Barbara Robinson, Shirley Jones, Judy Jones, Evelyn Klutsenbecker, and Pricilla Ann Baker. Mrs. Wynona Williams and Mrs. Arthur Baker assisted Mrs. Belter.

The Central Point 4-H Forestry club will hold an organization meeting at Mrs. Ivan Skyrman's home on Highway 99 north of Central Point. The meeting will be held Saturday, Dec. 7, at 7 p.m. Any boy or girl who is nine years old or older and who wishes to join is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Skyrman's daughter and son, Mrs. Doug Smith and Carl Skyrman, were home for the holidays from Oregon State college.

Mr. and Mrs. Peto Thompson and children, Pamela and Kevin, of Seattle, Wash., were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wright and other relatives of Central Point. They also visited Thompson's parents Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thompson, of Gold Hill. While in southern Oregon, Thompson went to Klamath Falls where he went duck hunting. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson attended the wedding of Miss Dixie Walker, Mrs. Thompson is the former Rena Wright of Central Point. They both graduated from Crater High school, attended from Crater high school, the Bell Telephone company in Seattle and Thompson works for Boeing Aircraft in Renton.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wyatt and sons, Stephen and Paul, spent Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wyatt and Wayne Wyatt. Also visiting at the Wyatt home is Mrs. Ray Wyatt's aunt, Mrs. Elsie Trigg who is from Iowa is spending the winter here visiting her niece.

Dorothy Pleyer left Sunday after a vacation at home from Concordia Lutheran college in Portland. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pleyer of Grant rd.

Dinner guests Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Grissom were Mr. and Mrs. Loren Cassman and family of

Crescent City, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bishop and children of Medford, and Donna, Gloria and Billy Thompson of Central Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendel Panter spent Thursday at Susanville, Calif., where they visited Panter's brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Panter and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Panter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Rock are the parents of a baby girl born Thanksgiving night. She has been named Dixie Lea.

Mrs. Bess Bayard was a Thanksgiving dinner guest at the home of Mrs. Josephine Whaley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Clason and daughters, Catherine and Carol of Seattle, Wash., visited overnight Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wyatt. The Clason's are former Central Point residents.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bohnert was the scene of a family gathering Thanksgiving day. There were 23 members of the family together. Mrs. Bohnert had the table set in the form of a T arrangement to provide seating space for the guests. Those attending were Mrs. P. A. Tracy, of Central Point, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Williams and sons, Martin and Joel, of Grants Pass, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coffman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Inman and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Lisenbee and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Bradshaw.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bohnert recently went to Corvallis where they attended the state 4-H leaders association executive committee meeting. Mrs. Bohnert is secretary-treasurer for the group. After the meeting the Bohnerts attended a football game.

Thanksgiving day guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Grissom were Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Malley and Miss Janet O'Malley of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Cassman of Crescent City, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sincade and Miss Vera Sincade of Talent, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Chapman and Mrs. Ethel Stimpson of Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Whippis and Phyllis, of Eugene, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Nelson of Medford. Guests from the Central Point area were Mrs. Robert Wolff, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Grissom, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cassman, Mrs. Lucy

Three Area Students Named to Cadet Posts

Corvallis—Darrel R. Brown and Warren W. Deakins of Medford, and Carl A. Dobrot of Central Point have been named to top cadet staff positions in the 900-student air force ROTC unit at Oregon State college.

Brown was selected as a group commanding officer, Deakins as a squadron adjutant, and Dobrot as a flight leader for the term. They are completing work for a reserve Air Force commission along with other studies.

Brown is a senior in business and technology. A 1954 graduate of Medford High school, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Orrin L. Brown of 1203 Queen Anne ave.

A 1955 graduate of Medford High school, Deakins is a junior in business and technology. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Deakins of 2008 Westerlund drive.

A junior in engineering, Dobrot is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Dobrot of route 1, box 580, Central Point. He is a 1955 graduate of Crater High school.

Grissom, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Thompson and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson and daughter.

Phoenix Man Arrested By Sheriff's Deputies

William Lee Morgan, 33, post office box 374, Phoenix, has been arrested on charges of obtaining state unemployment compensation benefits by false statement.

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