

Written Questions Asked By League

Candidates for Jackson county, judicial and state legislative offices will answer written questions from the audience at the League of Women Voters' meeting in the Hedrick Junior high school gym on May 1.

The program's theme is "Meet Your Candidates." Each candidate will give a brief speech, according to Mrs. Thomas Rutter, chairman of the group. She said candidates would be available for individual questioning if time permits.

Everyone is invited to bring along questions, she said. Pencils and paper will be supplied at the meeting and the questions collected by Mrs. Norman Caspey. Questions will be read by Mrs. John Osterhout and Mrs. Dunbar Carpenter.

Burma, Indochina, Malaya and Thailand are bordering states in southwest Asia.

School News

Phoenix High School

Edited by—Sandy Skinner and Lola Good

Five new students have recently entered P.H.S. They are Lorene Stephenson, a junior who has been enrolled at Phoenix before, transferred from Grants Pass; Jerry Williams, freshman from Jacksonville; Wallie Reid, freshman from Portland; Darrell Udell, sophomore from Santa Clara, Calif; and Pat Stuart, junior.

P.H.S. students finished taking their six-week tests the past week. The tests marked the end of the fifth six-week period this year. Report cards will be distributed Wednesday, April 23.

The Camera club met Tuesday during activity period. There were nine members present. Among the many matters discussed, the organization of next year's club was most debated.

Suggestions were made about limiting the members of the club, fees for the use of the darkroom, more meetings, and gaining more interested students.

The club has one more scheduled meeting this year, a field trip.

A Sophomore - Freshmen track meet was held Tuesday after school under the supervision of Jack Woodward, coach. This is a special practice for boys who are not on the varsity track team. The freshmen won the event by one point.

Queen candidates for the Phoenix May Festival are now registering at Phoenix High.

This year the girls that are eligible are Phoenix High girls from the sophomore, junior, and senior classes.

The one selling the most tickets becomes queen of the festival and wins \$100 plus a wardrobe.

Jack Rinn, junior at P.H.S., has completed his shop project for this year, a 14-foot on the outside with the fibreglass colors of white and green.

Jack began this project at the first of the year. Approximate cost of the boat was \$160. Tuesday Jack's boat was on display in the hall. He said he intends to build more boats.

A G.A.A. playday was held Saturday, April 19, at the Phoenix High gym. Members of the Phoenix, Eagle Point, Jacksonville, and Medford G.A.A.'s will meet from 8:45 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Nadine Brood, Joyce Stockstill, Charlotte Unruh, and Barbara Gysin, each headed a committee for the play day. Planned entertainment was presented during the lunch hour.

Dorcas Johnson was elected president of F.H.A. at a meeting held April 15. Other officers are Susan Walker, vice president; Sandy Skinner, secretary; Frances Hensley, treasurer; Pat Imhausen, reporter; Lola Good, historian; and Mary Cole, parliamentarian.

Dorcas Johnson and Dana Halaas gave reports on the F.H.S. convention and plans for the spring style show were discussed.

McLoughlin Jr. High

By JOEL GREGORY

The track teams have started their seven - meet season. The managers of the teams are Dick Ragsdale, Ralph Lobdel, Royce Roland, Steve Bartlett, Bob Moore, and Roland Ganstee. Coaches for track are: John Reed, head coach, pole-vault, and distance running; Carlyle Dean, shot-put; Ed Doran, discus and javelin; Gene Helm, sprints and relays; and Keith Carr, high-jump and hurdles.

Single elimination tournaments in tennis are now in progress for ninth grade students. Boys entered in the tourney are Larry Scuggs, Eric Ewaldson, Bob Custance, Wayne Weaver, Gary Nelson, Mike Nelson, and Jim Randles. Winners so far are Larry Scuggs, Bob Custance, and Jim Randles.

Ninth grade girls playing in the tourney are Becky Gates, Glenda Glenn, Karen Simcox, Barbara Morton, Sharon Smith, Betty Young, Linda Hess, Jaci White, Christie Allingham, Nancy Himman, Jean Hiedeman, Louise Willis,

Claudia Mijo, Mary Kay Harris, Karen Stelle, Jerry Wick, Shirley Hopkins, DeAnne Taylor, Rita Johnson, and Roberta Willett.

The first inter-school match will be the ninth grade McLoughlin girls playing Jacksonville senior high girls on Monday, April 21.

The ninth grade boys will play their first match of the season against Hedrick ninth graders on Tuesday, April 22. Both matches will be played on the McLoughlin courts.

Three seventh-graders have had original poetry accepted for the National Poetry association anthology. The honored students are Johnny Cornell, Celia Batten, and Nancy Morrison.

The art classes have been going out of doors to sketch landscapes.

The girls' physical ed classes have been playing ping-pong and badminton.

The Spanish Club is playing a game using pictures of objects to help them learn common nouns.

Officers in home room 29 are Gretchen Meier, David Guches, Marsha Watson, and Carolyn Kieff.

Work on the operetta is progressing at a fast pace as production date nears. Scenery is being made for "The Belle of Bagdad" and parts are being polished. The operetta will have its public performance the evening of May 2.

This week, as an experiment, sack lunch bringers were allowed to eat on the football field, after which organized games were played. Waste cans were provided, and the novel idea appeared to be successful.

All eighth graders who wish to take a foreign language next year, were given a prognostic test on April 16.

Advisors came from the senior high school this week to assist the ninth graders in their registration for classes for next year.

Keeping the Beat . . .



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CAESAR MUZZIOLI, noted accordionist currently appearing at the Tally-Ho, is shown here with his new SONOLA "Ernie Felice" Model Electronic Accordion, recently purchased from "Musicians Headquarters" . . .

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Veteran Aging To Be Studied

Problems of the aging veteran will be studied by a recently created research unit in the Veterans' Administration Department of Medicine and Surgery, according to S. T. Brannock, manager of the Medford VA office.

He said the new research division will survey possibilities for research in physical or mental deterioration, a study of the aging process and a study of approximately 2,000 examinations of disorders associated with aging in present VA hospitals.

Dr. Charles C. Chapple, former head of the VA clinical studies division, will be in charge of the project which will focus skills of specialists on aging problems. Chemical, nutritional, psychological, biophysical, social and clinical aspects will be considered in the effect on an individual, according to Brannock.

The program will be developed under the guidance of five university consultants, each of whom is outstanding in a different scientific field, he added.

NAMED TO TOP POST

Cario — Lt. Gen. Afif Bizri, who resigned last month as head of the United Arab Republic's forces in the Syrian region, has been named by President Gamal Abdel Nasser as a member of the U.A.R. planning board, it was announced Saturday. The board is responsible for setting up the overall program for the republic's development.

NEW TWIST TO OLD TALE

London — The old children's tale about the little night visitors who made new shoes for the cobbler while he slept got a new twist Friday. Thieves broke into a shoe store and left their old ones in place of new shoes they took.

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