

HILTS Room Mothers Have Party

By MRS. M. F. CAVIN
Hilts—The seventh and eighth grade room mothers, Mrs. Al Simmen and Mrs. Doug Whitaker, were hostesses at a benefit card party March 10 at the home of Mrs. Simmen. Proceeds went toward sending basketball teams to Alturas where they will compete in the tournament.

Prizes for the card games were donated and were won by Mrs. Italo Marin, high, and Mrs. Orville Rife, low, in canasta; and Mrs. Fred Haynes, high, Mrs. Ozzie Bernheisel, second high, and Mrs. H. G. Thompson and Mrs. Art Blanchard, both low, in pinocchle.

Refreshments of apple crisp and coffee were served to Mrs. Cal Sharp, Mrs. Don Ward, Mrs. Ernest Spannaus, Mrs. M. G. King, Mrs. Louis Dettmar and Mrs. Malcolm Robinson of Montague.

Contributing to the fund but unable to be present were Mrs. Vic Van de Weghe, Mrs. James Cain and Mrs. Gilbert Luper.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brazil of Yreka were calling on friends and relatives here Sunday.

Visiting Sunday at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Mendes and Mr. and Mrs. Vic Van de Weghe were Mr. and Mrs. Florent Van de Weghe of Hornbrook.

Mrs. Fred Bloomingcamp visited Tuesday at the M. F. Cavin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Clark of Glendale were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Trinca and daughters, La Wana and Nancy. The Clarks are Mrs. Trinca's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Walker and children of Cottonwood were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walt Laustalot and sons.

Mrs. Rodney Eastman returned home Tuesday night from the Ashland General hospital where she had been a patient for several days.

Roy Williams of Yreka took his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Williams, to Ashland and Medford on Saturday. The Saturday previous Mr. and Mrs. Dick Williams accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams and daughter, Brenda, to Ashland and to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Parker and family on the old Highway 99.

A family dinner on Sunday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donivan Ward, honored the fifth and second birthdays of their grand-nephews, Bobby and Johnny De Voe of Medford. Other guests were the boys' mother, Mrs. Robert De Voe, their grandmother, Mrs. Jackie McCullough of Medford, their great grandfather, Frank Ward of Hornbrook, Mrs. Mike Nunes and Gayel Ward.

Correspondence received from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ayris expresses gratitude for the gifts presented to them when they moved to Central Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Ari Blanchard and son, James, went to Redding Sunday where a dinner at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hemstead, honored the birthday of Mrs. Blanchard. Another guest was their son, Raymond Blanchard, of Sacramento.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Van de Weghe and children, Victor and Yvonne, were guests of Mrs. Van de Weghe's mother, Mrs. Anna Wolff, in Central Point Saturday, celebrating her birthday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wolff of Grants Pass, Mr. and Mrs. Orris Wolff and children, Freddie and Annette, of Tokeeta Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boardman and Francine of Grants Pass; Mr. and Mrs. Les Boardman, and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Stickney and Alanna, all of Medford.

The Hilts Community club met Thursday, March 12, at the club rooms in the center building with Mrs. Joe Caston as hostess. St. Patrick's Day theme was carried out in the table decorations. Coffee, strawberry sundaes and wafers were served and pinocchle played by Mrs. Ernest Spannaus, Mrs. Frank Graves, Mrs. Art Blanchard, Mrs. Louis Dettmar, Mrs. Ethel White, Mrs. H. G. Thompson, and Mrs. Fred Haynes. High score went to Mrs. Spannaus and low to Mrs. Graves.

Canasta was played by Mrs. Ozzie Bernheisel, Mrs. Jim Kunkel, Mrs. Orville Rife and Mrs. Art Hartman. Mrs. Kunkel won high prize, and Mrs. Rife, low.

Mrs. Vic Van de Weghe's birthday on March 11 was honored by friends and relatives visiting. Ice cream, coffee and cake were served. The cakes were baked by Mrs. James Cain and Mrs. M.

M. Sief. Present were Mrs. Frank Boardman of Grants Pass, Mrs. Les Boardman of Medford, and Mrs. Anna Wolff of Central Point, all relatives of Mrs. Van de Weghe's. Friends there were Mrs. M. M. Sief, Mrs. James Cain, David and Karen, and Lynn Davenport, Mrs. Grady Rabjohn and Rhonda, Mrs. Dick Williams, Mrs. George Hamilton, and Becky and Cathy; and Mrs. Henry De Clerck.

Girl Scout Troop 221 won the sweepstakes ribbon for the West Siskiyou district for their display on Scout work. Scouts participating were Miriam Barron, Edith Cain, Barbara De Clerck, Carolyn Preston, Sherrice and Shirley Staley, and La Wana Trinca. Leaders are Mrs. Audomara De Clerck and Mrs. M. E. Barron.

On Friday, March 13, 21 students, coaches, Aristotle Perez and John Fenton and chaperones, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cavin and Mr. and Mrs. Walt Laustalot left by school bus for Alturas to compete in the Invitational Basketball tournament sponsored by the Alturas 20-30 club, which was held in the gymnasium of the Alturas High school.

The first game on Friday evening was played with Alturas which the Hilts boys won by a score of 36 to 18. Saturday morning they played Lakeview losing this game by a score of 26 to 22.

On Saturday evening, the championship games were played teaming Hilts with Castle Rock school from Castella which Hilts won 24 to 20.

Teams participating in the "B" class were Alturas, Belber, Canby, Castle Rock, Adin, Cedarville, Lakeview and Hilts. First place trophy went to Cedarville, second place to Lakeview and third place to Hilts.

In the Class "A" division, Yreka won first place, Dunsuir second and Weed third. Other schools competing were Cottonwood, Lakeview and Alturas.

After the games on Saturday evening approximately 300 students, teachers and chaperones were honored with a banquet served in the cafeteria room of the Alturas High school, after which a dance was held in the high school gym.

Among those chosen for the first ten outstanding players in the class "B" were Charles Chase and David Whittaker. The top 10 was chosen from the eight schools competing, making a total of 80 boys from which to choose.

A medal was awarded to all the players on the winning teams, the third place being in the form of a medallion. The group returned home late Sunday afternoon.

Greet Spring

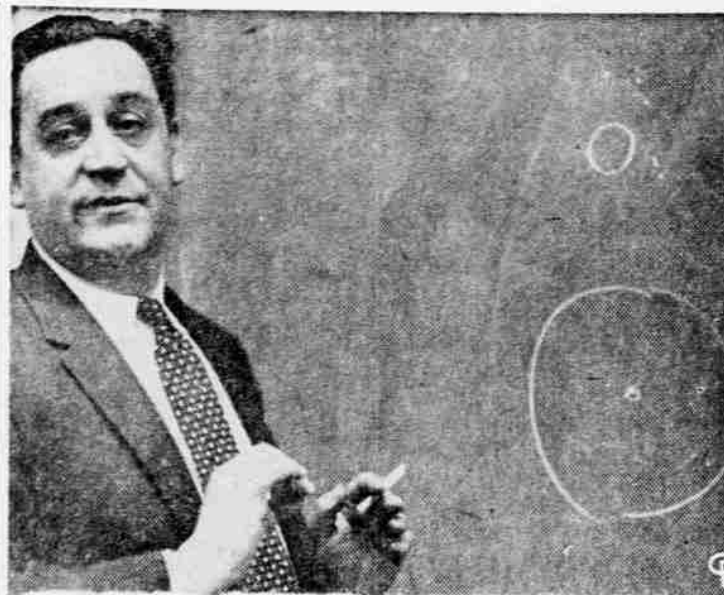


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School News

McLoughlin Junior High

By JOEL GREGORY
"Superstitions in Abstract" was the theme for the Student Council Dance, Friday, Mar. 13. Carl Washburn, student body president, was general chairman. John Alansky and Ruth Milligan were decoration co-chairmen. Lynda Grimes was refreshment, and Gene Offord, ticket chairman. Decorations included abstract paintings, mobiles, ad murals, with a false ceiling of crepe-paper. Several awards were given to the lucky couple standing in the spot light at the end of a specified dance.

The Junior Quill published its fourth edition on Wednesday, March 18. Editors were Joel Gregory and Lois Stedman. Mrs. Jean Shepherd is adviser.

An awards assembly was held on March 13, in the Boys' gym. Gene Offord, vice president of the student body, called the meeting to order. John Reed and Edward Doran presented the wrestling letters. Monte Jones was recognized as the outstanding wrestler of the year. Ralph Perkins and Howard Gang presented the seventh grade varsity and junior varsity basketball letters. Gene Helm, eighth grade basketball coach, awarded the eighth grade letters.

Dale Bates introduced the freshman team. George Clearwater, high scorer and rebounder, was named the outstanding player for the year. Bob Schroeder, top defensive man, was named honorary captain.

Albert Huntzman presented band letters to the first, second and third year winners. Elmer Ayres awarded orchestra letters. Don Darneille introduced the debate team and congratulated them on their fine job at Linfield in the speech tournament. The band provided entertainment.

The 1959 Bulldog track season has begun. Mr. Reed, Mr. Doran and Mr. Helm are the track coaches. Mac is looking forward to another successful year in the track and field events.

Notices were posted in the halls this week for the spring vacation program planned by the Medford YMCA. Many classes and events were planned for both members and non-members and all students were urged to participate.

With kite-flying weather approaching, safety precautions were emphasized by the California Oregon Power company. Notices were posted in the halls reminding the students of the rules to be observed when flying kites.

There was much excitement in the history department this week with the selection of students to participate in the annual DAR history tests. Students were selected for the contest on the basis of attitude, application and response and grades.

These students were judged as superior students and will enter the competition: Corla Earl, Sharon Baize, Lynne Culbertson, Elaine Davenport, Donald Kengla, Margo Shehab, Valerie Knights, Cheryl Vessey, Ronald Jennings, Kay Kent, Duane Malls, Ronald McGuire, Cynthia Hagen, Pamela Hosick, Sherry Morris, John Sanderson, Ona Lee Whipple, Barry Peterson, Barbara Edmonds, Hans Ewaldsen, Joan Gilmore, William Piche, Gary Dawson, Darlene Arnold, Ann Rix, Roberta Fetherston, Paggy Lake, Ursula Weston, David Quitt, Michael Barnes, Nancy Burger, and Sharon Ritchey.

On Wednesday, March 18, the students of McLoughlin and all the other Medford public schools were excused for spring vacation. Some left for the state basketball tournament in Eugene, to see the Medford Black Tornado in action in the state playoffs.

The ninth grade ensemble was once again busy. On Saturday, they sang for the Uni-

versity Women at the Girls' Community club. On Sunday they sang "My Heart and Altar," for the First Methodist church. Members of the group, directed by Ray Lewis, are Sandra Allen, Vivian DeWeerd, Claudia Owen, JoAnn Johnson, Lois Stedman, Julie Latham, Lenore Welch, Wally Huffman, Bill Allen, Rex Nicodemus, Rome Atkins, and Joel Gregory.

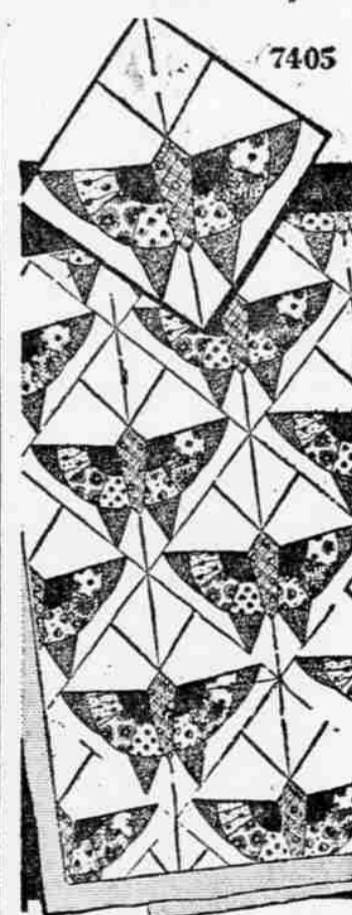
Earl Rogers, tennis coach, reports that tennis season is under way. Ninth grade boys started their season with a meeting in the cafeteria on Tuesday. Students interested in still going out are to report to Mr. Rogers.

William Stoughton's art classes again contributed to an interesting exhibit in the main hall display case. Soap carvings were featured. Those students whose carvings were exhibited were Lewis Campbell, Virginia Ritchey, Regina Holland, Melinda Homer, Lynne Culbertson, Marvin Olson, Brian Porter, Dick Hoover, Tom Mitchell, Corla Earl, Larry Byrne, Marilyn Biehn, John Lampkin, David Quitt, Dave Corbat, Don Kengla, Sharon Pullman, David Anderson, Sharon Baize, Diane Landis, and Barbara Danczig.

Jackson School
By LYDIA SCHULTZ
The Junior Scholastic Magazine is a great favorite at Jackson school. We like the crossword puzzles, the science news, visits with children of other lands and the jokes. This week we were especially interested in a story called "The Floating Tomb." It told of a strange ship wreck off Prussia in April, 1910.

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Wall Street Chatter 4-H CLUB NEWS

New York—(UPI)—Cautious optimism still is warranted toward the stock market and this goes hand in hand with the necessity of greater selectivity, says Joseph E. Granville, analyst for E. F. Hutton and Co.

Demand for tax exempt bonds has continued to match the supply, says Clark, Dodge and Co. Careful accumulation of equities could well result in worthwhile capital gains, according to Van Alstyne, Noel and Co.

W. E. Hutton and Co. estimates James Lees 1959 net income at \$5.50 a share, as against \$4.55 in 1958 and \$4.30 in 1957, and notes that in view of the company's strong cash position an increase in the \$2 dividend would seem a reasonable expectation.

Minneapolis-Honeywell earnings this year should surpass their all-time highs by as much as a dollar, suggesting possible liberalization of the current dividend to a level somewhat more in line with the average 56 per cent payout of recent years says Green, Ellis and Anderson.

Bache and Co. finds Atlantic Coast line has greatly improved its technical position.

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President Judy Guss was in charge of the meeting and Susan England called the roll and also served refreshments.

Each member is to bring four cookies for judging to the next meeting at 3:45 p.m., April 2 at the home of Mrs. James Stevens.

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EX-ACTRESS DIES

Moscow—(UPI)—Olga Leonardovna Knipper-Chekchova, 90, a former actress and widow of famed playwright Anton Chekhov, died here Sunday.

INDUSTRIALIST DIES

Gardena, Calif.—(UPI)—Don O. Scott, 73, retired industrialist known as the father of the automatic home laundry died Saturday.

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