

Griffin Creek School

Mrs. Ethel Cummings first grade had a lot of fun making a winter picture. Two large brown horses are pulling a long sled over the snow. All the people in the room are in the sled. Each one of us wrote a New Year's resolution and put it on the picture.

Mrs. Joan Williams' first graders are studying about the weather. We are learning what makes it rain and snow. We have made a weather chart.

Mrs. Edith Arnold's second graders are studying about the different kinds of cloth and the clothing into which they are made. We learned ways to take care of our clothes. In art, we made snowmen with cloth decorations on them. Several of the children in our room had interesting things to share after Christmas. Among them were Viewmaster pictures of the Navajo Indians, a cotton plant from southern California, and an unusual purse sent from Okinawa.

Mrs. Charlotte Stearn's second graders are enjoying a unit on weather. We record the temperature and weather for each day on individual weather charts. We also made thermometers showing the average temperatures for each season of the year.

In social studies we are studying about our community, and saw a film on the different stores and how their supplies are delivered to them.

In Mrs. Lois Stabler's room we have been learning to cut snowflakes and now have some pretty ones up around the room.

Kathy Young is back with us after being in California for a month. She brought us a peanut plant, so we could see peanuts grow. We decided we like roasted peanuts better than the unroasted ones.

In science, we just finished studying about insects. They are different in size, shape and color but are alike in some ways. We each wrote a story about them and drew a picture of our story.

Mrs. Mariece Lindsay's third grade has completed a unit on transportation. In the unit we learned how important transportation is to us today. We studied about all of the modern ways of transportation in our country and also about travel in some countries where animals are still used. We cut travel pictures from magazines and made a large wall chart. Each of us also made a large drawing showing one or more ways of traveling. We had a film on Air Travel and also many colored filmstrips on modern transportation. On Wednesdays and Fridays we have rhythms in PE class. We all enjoy folk dancing much.

In art class we practiced cutting snowflakes. We learned that real snowflakes always have six points or sides, and in order to get a perfect snowflake, the paper must be folded carefully. We mounted our best snowflakes for wall decorations. We also made snow scenes, using cut and torn paper.

In language class we are learning to write letters. A letter must have each of its five parts written in a certain place and in a certain way in order to be correct.

Mrs. Alma Austin's social studies class is learning many things about the countries along the Mediterranean Sea. We found that the climate of Greece is much like that of California. Greece has many currant vineyards and orange groves. We wrote a paragraph on the currants because they are such an important crop in Greece.

On Jan. 7, 13 boys and girls representing the fifth and sixth grade chorus sang for the PTA. They sang two

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songs, "Round-Up Lullaby," and "Go On, Train." Members of the group were Karen Perkins, Paula Minear, Donalyn Minear, Barbara Cain, Zella Mason, Janet Burke, Dan Kime, Carol Stuart, Charlene McCormick, Wesley Ober, Penny Hayes, Linda Youmans, Kristine Walker. Accompanying them on the piano was their director, Mrs. Judy Huck.

McLoughlin Junior High

By Rhoda Work, Sarah Matthews and Sue Williams
The "Shadows," senior high male quartet, will entertain at the annual FHA Valentine Dance to be held Feb. 12 from 7 to 10 p.m. in the girls' gym. Crowning of the king and queen will highlight the evening festivities.

The royal court will include eighth and ninth graders from which the king and queen will be elected by FHA members. Those nominated are Pat McCorkle, Sue Rambo, Marianne Goodwin, Sherlynn Christianson, and Vivian Little, ninth grade princesses; John Gates, Richie Bennett, Mike Watkins, Jerry Pitts, and Mike Neathamer, ninth grade princes.

Representing the eighth grade will be Nicki Ober, Barbara Champion, Leslie Stanley, Pam Jones, and Sue Elmgren, princesses; Pete Hinman, Bob Walker, Mike Barnes, Steve Ettles and Dave Corbett, princes.

The fifth and sixth period student in Mrs. Jean Shepherd's English classes have been studying mythology for the past several weeks. They climaxed the study last week by exchanging skits based on the early Greek chorus for class presentation.

Rhoda Work and Rafe Anders were in charge of the fifth period class presenting "The Twelve Deeds of Hercules." Susan Fox and Vic Snyder were in charge of the sixth period skit telling the story of Apollo and Cupid.

McLoughlin speech students are working on their speeches and debates in preparation for the trip to Linfield college Feb. 17 to compete against students from the state in the annual Oregon Speech tournament.

Students entering this year's contest are Robert Hoag, Gary Spafford, Larry Tuttle, John Gates, Elizabeth Clark, Linda Young, Marilyn Conrad, Linda Wilson, Laurie Cooper, Roma Sims, Georgia Mitchell and Janet Eddy. Certificates and trophies are presented to individual and team winners.

Eagle Point School

Pupils in Mrs. Emily Griggs' room at Eagle Point are building bird houses. They are making plans first out of paper, then wood. They

will be for different kinds of birds. The houses will be made according to the sizes of the birds. Pictures of bird houses were first painted and colored.

Mrs. Briggs put a snowman on the bulletin board for January. It has a black top hat and a brown broom. On a map of the United States the students traced the route Monty Jantzer, one of the students, and his family traveled during a recent trip from Medford to Mississippi by way of California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas.

Elk Trail School

By Peggy Johnson
Now that mid-term has arrived it is time to elect a new student council to replace the present one that has served us well. When the present student council took over last fall, there were many things to do; and they have accomplished much.

The student body treasury has been increased from \$41.11 to \$101.87 by various projects, such as student body tickets, popcorn and candy sales, and Christmas Card sale. A part of the money that was raised was spent for National Assembly programs, a Halloween movie, letters for the team and yell leaders, school newspaper contest awards, and an award party is still to be given to the fourth grade which won the Christmas Card sale. The balance on hand will be used to meet future student body needs.

We are proud of both of our basketball teams this year. The junior varsity team has won two of its four games, and the varsity is undefeated to date. The varsity has beaten Shady Cove 38 to 29, Gold Hill 33 to 22, Eagle Point 28 to 16 and Prospect 36 to 20.

The boys on the varsity are Dan Bliss, Earl Naumann, Leonard Hanson, Dennis Murphy, Pat Smith, Bob and Loy Pointevint.

The junior varsity boys are Morgan Miller, Dan Loper, Ray Ragsdale, Dennis Anderson, Wayne Millard, Billy Lawson, James and David Cuddy, Billy Wilson, Billy Eastin, Frank Patrick.

Our school yell leaders are Glenna Albert, Margaret Hanson, Marlene Young.

The mid-year talent show was held recently with students from every grade taking part. Many of the acts were good, and both parents and students who were in attendance seemed to enjoy the entire show.

Hedrick Junior High

By Vicki Toenniges
Basketball intramural games started last week during the noon activity program. There are 33 teams in

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the tournament, which means lots of cooperation on a tight schedule.

The Stinger drill team and the Hedrick band performed during the half-time at the Crater-Hedrick varsity game held after school Friday.

The seventh grade Stingers have been practicing for a play this week.

Eighth grade dance committee chairmen met for a planning session on Friday during home-room period.

Hunter safety class, which has been meeting at noon Thursdays, has been changed to Mondays at noon.

The American Junior Red Cross is now distributing boxes to home-rooms to be filled with soap, toothpaste, pencils, or small items that a girl or boy would like as bobby pins, belt and so on. The gift boxes are a project sponsored by the American Red Cross Children's Fund and will be sent to needy children overseas.

Students were reminded that all library fines and lunch charges must be paid or report cards will be held.

The Camera club under the supervision of John McCormack met during the noon hour Thursday. They ate sack lunches during the meeting.

The annual homemaking dinner honoring "Mom and Dad" was held in the school cafeteria Thursday.

Each group of four girls arranged its own table, decorations, centerpiece, and service. Each group was also responsible for the preparation of the dishes which it served. A program in the little theater followed. Eleanor Alphonso, Future Homemakers of America president, welcomed the parents and guests and introduced Mrs. Dorothy Sneed, homemaking teacher. Also on the program were Glenn Linn, principal; the faculty quartet made up of Mr. Drysdale, Mr. Swisher, Mr. Graber, and Mr. Bartlett; Susan Sneed who gave an oration on "Parents"; and Fred Hauptert who did a monologue.

A total of 216 attended the dinner.

Speech students are perfecting their orations and other presentations which will be given at the Linfield college speech tournament.

The seventh and eighth grade wrestling team defeated McLoughlin in the final team match on Tuesday.

The first meeting of Hedrick's Junior Honor Society was held Monday. Members were informed as to what the honor society is and why it was founded. Plans were made for the election of officers and the drawing up of a constitution.

March of Dimes envelopes were sent home on Wednesday to be filled by the students and mailed as early as possible.

Oak Grove School

By Teresa Gardner and Beverly Biehn
Mrs. Marjorie Gandee's room has been making snow flakes and snow men in art.

Mrs. Mary Carlson's room has been studying measure of dozen, pound, foot, yard, quarts, and pints.

They have been making winter pictures by drawing with white chalk on dark paper.

The boys and girls reading in "Friendly Village" reader have been reading about the seashore. They have learned a song about the seashore and put up a bulletin board and made shore pictures.

They have been studying about thermometers and how they work in science.

Oak Grove school's Mrs. Florence Connors, fifth grade teacher, is sick and was in Rogue Valley Memorial hospital with pneumonia.

James Hennebeck's room has been studying South America in geography. One group of arithmetic students has been working with decimals.

During physical education, as a warm up exercise, all classes have worked on "jump rope" drills and have mastered a couple of exercises.

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