

School News

Phoenix High School

Officers were appointed for the Phoenix chapter of Quill and Scroll. Nancy Pettitt, senior, was elected president. Nancy has served two years in this organization. Senior Lyle Logan was appointed vice president with senior Liz King, also a two-year member, secretary. April Burnett, junior, is treasurer. At the next meeting the chapter name will be decided upon.

A cartoon strip that became a holiday legend was the theme for the Sadie Hawkins dance Saturday night, Nov. 19. The dance was sponsored by the junior class. Students dressed as Dogcatchers. The traditional chase was in the high school gym. Prizes were awarded for the most original costume.

GAA and advisor, Mrs. Helen Thomas, attend bowling sessions once a week. Leaving after school on Wednesdays, the group bowls until about 9 p.m. Fund raising programs, such as selling boxes of candy for Christmas, are in progress. The boxes come in various sizes and wrapping for colorful decoration.

President of FFA, Ernie Bolz, stated that the FFA classes are choosing various ideas for raising money. Each class is to sponsor an activity and carry it through. The junior class committee headed by Steve Kessler is planning a skating party. A barn dance is one of the suggestions that heads the list at present time for the senior class.

New students entered in Phoenix High are Guy Bemis from Corvallis; Jan and Jim Moore from Glendale, Calif.; Gale Holesapple from Medford; and Valerie Winsett from Ashland.

Modern music and its demands are being met by a new combo that has been created in Phoenix. The group of five members call themselves the "Persuaders." The instrumental group consists of Jim Moore on the drums, Ricky Bolz with the guitar, Bill Oldham on the piano, and Ronnie Williams playing the saxophone. Joyce Rutherford will provide the vocal arrangements.

To arouse game interest and Gertrude Stanley and Verne Matthews.

Live Oak Grange held its regular meeting recently. Master Frank Hall presided.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gaines were admitted to membership, and one application for reinstatement was received.

Newly elected members Aletha Whiteman, Isabel and son, Kay, received their third and fourth degrees at Fruitdale Grange where the work was exemplified by the degree team from Roxy Ann. Principal business of the evening was election of officers for the coming year.

New officers are Cassie Goiding, master; Carl Christenson, overseer; Edna Thompson, lecturer; Harold Van Hoy, steward; Roy Frantz, assistant steward; Mable Brooks, chaplain; Belle Strahan, treasurer; Betty Frantz, Ceres; Jessie Frantz, Pomona; Ruth Van Hoy, Flora; Esther Fabric, lady assistant steward, and Roy Larson, Earl Brooks and Harry Skerington, executive

committee. school spirit, the cheerleaders have been exhibiting posters in the halls, selling Pirate decals, and preparing new dance routines. They have worked on some new yells and are hoping that interest will improve.

That new light green Chevrolet dashing around the school is the new driver's education car. It has a standard shift and dual controls. George Lucas, instructor, this year has a larger class than he has ever taught before at PHS.

Oak Grove School This year Oak Grove school is proud to have four fine pupils as their student body officers.

Student body president is Nancy Bogener, vice president is Ray McCraw, secretary is Marta Heffner and Carol Dykstra is the treasurer.

Penny Procter is a new girl

from Spain and is in Mrs. Corinne Kane's sixth grade room. We are studying some of the language she knows. For the last two years she lived in Spain.

Our sixth grade class has been writing letters to Latin America and other countries. We have been drawing maps of the countries, too. Mrs. Kane is the new sixth grade teacher.

The children in Mrs. Marjorie Gande's room made a mural about Thanksgiving. They named it "Pilgrims Going To Church"

They are making a booklet about Thanksgiving to take home.

Mrs. Ruth Dunn's second graders are happy to be in their new room. For open house Nov. 7, many parents and children visited here.

We now have a table for science and a table for library books. On our science table we have a bouquet of teasel weed pods, a garden in glass, an insect cage, and many interesting science books.

We made pictures in flow-

er and animal design using corn, bean, and pumpkin seeds. We drew crayon resist pictures of different ways we get ready for winter.

Our Monarch caterpillar turned into a beautiful, pale green chrysalis. After about two weeks the chrysalis turned dark and we could see the outline of a butterfly's wings. Alex saw the chrysalis crackling when it first emerged. It looked like an orange and black ball. Slowly it pumped fluid into its wings to strengthen them. Then it flew away to the pine tree.

Mrs. Mary Carlon's second graders moved into a new

room Monday. That night our mothers and fathers and friends came to open house to visit us.

Vicky Bogener wrote the following paragraph after moving off the stage. "We moved into our new room. I like my room. I like the colors."

Our class made turkeys. They are made of paper plates and funny tails. We made Thanksgiving pictures with crayons and painted over them.

Monday we had fun playing in a cloud. Most people would call it fog. We are learning about weather. Patricia Gemaeich did an experi-

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MRS. LEO HOAG
Named County Chairman

Great Decisions Program Discussed For Coming Year

The Great Decisions program for 1981 for Jackson and Josephine counties was launched Thursday evening at a meeting in the county court-house auditorium.

Mrs. Leo Hoag was appointed the Great Decisions chairman in Jackson county for the coming year. Other committee members will be announced later.

Bruce Blake of the Foreign Policy association, Dr. Charles Dean of the general extension division, and Mrs. Mabel Mack of the cooperative extension service, were present to discuss plans with interested representatives.

Blake reviewed briefly past history of the Great Decisions program and explained that the Foreign Policy association, which sponsors the Great Decisions program, is a national non-partisan, non-governmental, and non-profit agency.

Blake stated that, "If we are to live in a true democracy it must come from the home and community. A county program is yours to do with in your own way."

Great Decisions will be held during February and March when community groups will meet to discuss problems facing the country in foreign policy.

Mrs. Merle Perkins of the Jackson county library system discussed the interest of the library system in the Great Decisions program and offered the library facilities to assist the program again this year.

Information regarding the organization of Great Decisions groups may be obtained by telephoning Mrs. Hoag, Spring 2-6927, or Mrs. Lee Sheehan or John McLoughlin, Spring 3-6211, extension 211.

Grange News

Eagle Point Grange Presentation of special awards to the Reese Creek Renegade 4-H club was given during the lecturer's program at the Eagle Point Grange Nov. 15.

Laquita Stephenson and Jerry Moore received barn desks as prizes won at pre-fair shows. The desks were presented by George Barr from the Medford Feed and Seed company.

Show halter, previously won by Jack Esp was presented to Laquita Stephenson as the youngest member of the dairy 4-H club.

Awards for a soil conservation contest were presented by C. C. Hoover and given in the name of the Eagle Point Grange. Winning the plaque for first place was Jan Callaway, second prize going to Laquita Stephenson and third to David Callaway. A club plaque was won by Jerry Moore as the outstanding member of the Reese Creek Renegade club. Cliff Moore, club leader, was in charge of the program.

Roscoe Roberts, county deputy and Grange insurance agent, was guest, and escorted to the master's station during the business meeting. He gave a short talk on insurance.

C. C. Hoover, on agriculture, reported on the cattle-

men's convention in Medford. A report was also given on the Nov. 15 feeder sale at the Midway Auction yard.

HEC Chairman Mrs. Lester McFall reported on the last rummage sale and announced the next HEC meeting will be held Nov. 30 at the home of Mrs. Dale Bigham.

Hoover, reporting for community service, told of a government survey team working at the White City Domiciliary center. This is of special interest to the Grange since it has been interested in getting a medical center which would consist of a hospital and domiciliary together there, and since the Sacred Heart hospital may be closed, it is felt that there will be a need for an institution of this sort here.

Mrs. Harvey Stanley was reported to be home from the hospital and that Stanley, who recently received several broken ribs, is expected to be home soon.

It was announced that installation of officers will be held at the Central Point Grange hall Dec. 4 and at the Eagle Point Grange hall Dec. 11. Both meetings will start at 1:30 p.m. and all officers should attend one of these meetings.

Serving refreshments following the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. James Edge, Mrs.

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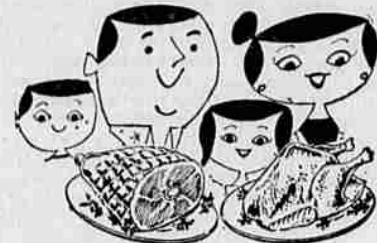
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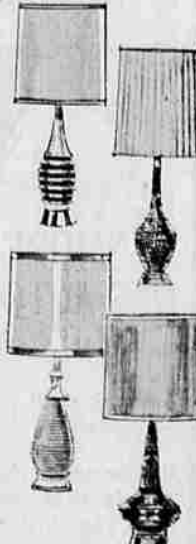
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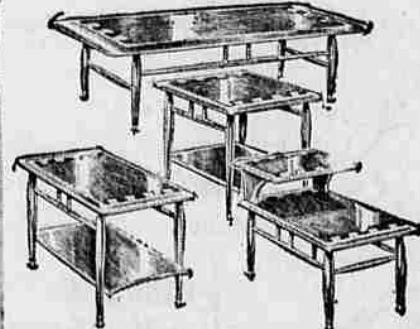
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