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Tablets

By R. Nealon

Table Rock - A Christmas card from Val Ware, Chestnut ave., Long Beach, Calif., sends greetings to old neighbors and friends at Table Rock. The Wares, while residents here, lived in the house now occupied by the Hewitt family. Mrs. Ware passed away in California about one year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mayfield, Bend, Oregon, were recent visitors here. They are now staying with Mayfield's parents at the Joe Mayfield home in Sams Valley. Mayfield, Sr., is in poor health.

Many complaints have come our way lately from local folks who claim it is almost impossible to use the telephone, because it is being used constantly. One lady who works in Medford tried to telephone home to let her folks know she had made it safely through Tuesday's fog, but she couldn't get an open line until nearly noon. We wonder if we couldn't try to adhere to the legal rule of five minutes on our calls.

Peter O'Toole, our Irish friend, tells us that Robert Emmett, whom we were named for, was hanged for starting some kind of revolution in Ireland.

The talk about Kennedy wanting to appoint his brother Robert as attorney general reminds us of when Sheriff Ralph Jennings was running for reelection. He asked us if we knew why he was being opposed for reelection, by certain people. We told him the only reason we had heard of was because he had his son appointed as deputy sheriff. That was during prohibition when bootleggers were cunning and hard to catch. Jennings said he knew he could trust his boy if he told him to watch a suspicious looking car to see who got in or out of it. He would do as told if it took all day, and he wouldn't be leaving now and then for a so-called coffee break.

Among local people who are patients in the Rogue Valley hospital are Oils Hedge and John L. Nealon.

Bill Bray's Tuesday auction sale for all his sheep, goats and breeds of critters, brought forth some 1,200 cattle sold for as much or a little more than at recent sales, according to Elwood Abbott, who attended the sale.

An interesting letter from Thalia and Delmer Dooley in Amman, Jordan, is being passed around among the many friends here of the Dooleys. The letter tells of the Dooley's contract year being extended to next spring when they expect to be returning to the states. Also, it describes many places they have visited, including the fields of Ruth and Boaz, Rachel's tomb, the Gethsemane Road to Maribah and Martha's homes, Mount of Olives, Gethsemane, and many other places which are in Bible history. They saw Art Linkletter gathering material for his TV shows, and met Eula Wintermote, one-time resident here.

Basement news dug out of old newspapers in our basement:

From the Central Point Herald, 1916, Mervin Gleason suffering from a badly sprained ankle. Frances Davison was a Medford visitor Tuesday. Why pay 25 cents for coffee when we will sell you good quality for only 20 cents, Crane Grocery.

This editorial in big type from the Medford Daily News of Feb. 18, 1933: The second General Assembly of the Good Government Congress held at the Armory on Saturday, February eighteenth, voted UNANIMOUSLY DEMANDING THE RESIGNATION OF CIRCUIT JUDGE HARRY D. NORTON, DISTRICT ATTORNEY GEORGE CODDING AND THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE URSURPER, R. E. NEALON.

This was during the depression and some ambiguous come lately, people took advantage of the unfortunate situation and were trying to start a revolution, with some success with marches on the court house. Yours truly, I told that a rope with the proper noose, was kept in a handy place to be used if he refused to resign. The county was kept in an uproar for several months, only getting back to normal after the murder of a constable and long and costly court trials brought the instigators to justice.

Committees are going ahead with arrangements for the local Christmas tree, and program to be held Friday night,

New Officers Elected By Fire Department

Hornbrook - New officers of the Hornbrook Volunteer fire department were elected at their recent meeting at the school house.

Elected to head the department as fire chief was John Rosenberg. Alfred King was elected secretary-treasurer. Attending the meeting were volunteer firemen Ike Dooley, Joe Leoni, Bob Farmer, Ernest Pickard, Al King, Ralph Bennett, Norman O'Donnell and John Rosenberg.

Logging Drivers Honored at Dinner

Eagle Point - Don Stathos, insurer, honored drivers of the Steve Wilson Logging Company with their annual safety dinner to promote Logging Truck Safety Drivers, at the Mon Desir restaurant Saturday, Dec. 10.

The drivers are on teams and the team with the least chargeable accidents are winners of a steak dinner. The losers win a hamburger dinner. Wives of the loggers were honored guests.

There were 66 in attendance. A ballot was taken for new team captains. Carl Robbins, the winning captain, was replaced by A. C. Larson and Rudy Weidman, the losing captain, was replaced by Larry Wilson. Their duties start July 1, 1961.

The following drivers were presented safety medals and cards from the National Safety Council of Chicago, Ill., for truck firms. A driver receiving a medal for one year driving equals the normal driving of five years for an average driver. During the year of July 1959 to July 1960 there were only seven chargeable accidents in over a million miles of driving for one year.

Receiving one year medals were log truck drivers Lloyd Myvatt, Sid Jones, Dick Schauble, Lester McFall, Monty Axtell, Carl Robbins, Kenneth Paulson, William McCracken, Claude Johnson, and the woods boss, Dean Wilson.

Two year medals were issued to drivers Larry Wilson and Wayne Griffith, also Jack Schauble and Tom Short, shop and woods crewmen.

A three year medal was awarded to log truck driver Gene Sawyer. Four year pins were given to log truck drivers A. C. Larson, lumber truck driver Gene Weidman. Other shop and woods crewmen receiving their four years pins were William Musbaum, Bob Sanderson, Wally West, John Wilson, Ed Leaming, Joe Wally and Jim Hopkins.

The safety committee for Wilson Logging Company are Carl Robbins, Rudy Weidman, Larry Wilson, A. C. Larson and Dean Wilson, the purpose being to promote Log Truck Safety Driving. Steve Wilson Company is a member of the National Safety Council.

Auxiliary Holds Christmas Meeting

Butte Falls - The Christmas meeting of the Butte Falls Lions auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Henry Tygart, Tuesday evening, Dec. 6. Mrs. Janice Williams was co-hostess for the evening.

Several fund-raising projects were discussed during the business meeting, a Christmas basket featuring a complete dinner for eight being the major project for the holiday season.

Mrs. Charles Capello, president, asked a special committee, Mrs. Ernest Smith, Mrs. Glen Cathey and Mrs. Michael Estes, to inquire further into a local problem which could possibly be used as the club's annual project for the year. Final decision will be made at the January meeting. The auxiliary has made it their practice to have one major project a year, generally a local problem to which they can put their money to good use.

Mrs. Leonard Stratton was asked to inquire further concerning Christmas baskets for the needy this year. Final decision was left for a later date.

Tentative plans were made to help sack Santa's candy at the Santa Claus general store. Santa Claus always puts in an appearance at the Christmas School Program, at which time he talks with the children and gives each a bag of candy. The auxiliary has always been counted among his helpers.

Packages were exchanged among members and refreshments served.

Dec. 23, at the schoolhouse, Santa will have treats for the kiddies and Mrs. Frank Myers will have her famous popcorn balls for all ages.

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Regional News

John Stafford, Regional Editor

Correspondents: Upper Applegate Valley—Maude Ziegler; Lower Applegate Valley—Jeanette Head; Butte Falls—Mary Jo Harris; Central Point—Dorothea Armstrong; Eagle Point—Dottie Harrison; Gold Hill—Sams Valley—Mary Kell; Grandview-Lone Pine—Dot Simmons; Happy Camp—Hazel Davis; Betty Reedy; Hornbrook—Katherine Chapman; Illinois Valley—Katherine Scott; Jacksonville—Betty Hoskins; Medford—Caroline Harding; Nearcoy—Nelle Bergman; Murphy—Mrs. R. J. Millmann; Phoenix—Ruth Igo; Prospect—Velda Barr; Rogue River—Orva Jean Cruise; Shady Cove—Evelyn Watson; Table Rock—R. E. Nelson; Talent—Bill Young; Tiller-Drew—Viola Rogers; Williams—Ann Katzenbach; Yreka—Doris Robinson and Mary Louise Gray.

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Correspondent Calls Writing Her Hobby

Mrs. Mary Kell reports news events coming from 30 different organizations in the Gold Hill-Sams Valley area as part of her Mail Tribune correspondent work.

As Gold Hill-Sams Valley correspondent, Mrs. Kell writes news of schools, civic groups, city government, churches and young people's groups.

She calls writing her hobby. "Gathering news is always interesting and educational," she says. She particularly enjoys writing news of city government happenings. "Writing city news and attending city council session is an important part of being a correspondent since it concerns the business of many people," Mrs. Kell says.

In addition to her many straight news stories, Mrs. Kell recently took on the added assignment of writing Gold Hill Nuggets, a frequent regional page feature.

She and her husband Clyde have two children. Her greatest satisfaction in writing news of her area has been the cooperation she has received from school and city officials, local civic leaders and other people she has interviewed for news stories and feature articles.

Her home and family keep her quite busy when she isn't corresponding. One of her civic duties is to take emergency telephone calls for the Gold Hill volunteer fire department.

She is a member of the Amethyst Rebekah lodge, Gold Hill PTA, Gold Hill Health unit, Gold Hill Garden club and Gold Hill Community Methodist church.

She was chairman of the United Nation's International Children's Emergency fund drive in October. She is safety chairman of the PTA and is a member of the executive board of the summer recreation program this year.

Her other writing experience includes articles for the Oregon Pacific Odd Fellow magazine, Oregon Education magazine and Amethyst lodge. Gold Hill-Sams Valley residents may give news items to Mrs. Kell by telephoning ULrick 5-1126.

Lone Pine School Presenting Program

Lone Pine - Children of the Lone Pine school will present their annual Christmas program Thursday, Dec. 22, at 8 p.m. in the school gymnasium.

It is believed this is the 103rd Christmas program to be presented. Lee Merriman, principal, says that he thinks Christmas has always been observed in one form or another since the school began over 100 years ago.

The primary grades will be featured, supported by the intermediate chorus under the direction of Richard Michalis. Following the program Santa Claus will appear with treats for the elementary and pre-school children.

On Friday, Dec. 23, all grades will have room parties and gift exchanges. School dismissed at 1:45 p.m. There will be early busses at that time.

On Thursday, Dec. 15, the children had their first National Assembly program which featured William S. Willitt, who has spent six years in India. The assembly was entitled, "A Bazaar in India." Willitt displayed many items of interest. There are two more assembly programs scheduled for February and March.

School To Present Christmas Program

Eagle Point - "The Meaning of Christmas" will be the theme for the annual Christmas program presented by the Eagle Point Elementary school. Mrs. A. R. Copley is general chairman of the program with the primary grades participating.

The cast will include children from the first grade rooms of Mrs. A. R. Copley, Mrs. Vera Selby, and Mrs. F. L. Johnston; second grade rooms of Mrs. Elsie Turner, Mrs. Ernest Gregg, and Miss Nancy Rinabarger; third grade rooms of Mrs. Lelf Ostmo, Mrs. Richard Swinney and Miss Grace Bigham.

The Christmas program will start at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 20 in the elementary school gymnasium. There is no charge for viewing the program and community members are invited.

Mrs. Darral Stanley, president of the Eagle Point Elementary Parent-Teacher association, has announced that this program will take the place of the regular December meeting of the organization. The next regular meeting will be in January of 1961.

Santa Claus Coming To Eagle Point Soon

Eagle Point - Santa Claus will arrive in Eagle Point with his sack loaded with treats for all of the boys and girls in the area on Friday, Dec. 23 at 7 p.m.

A spokesman for Santa Claus stated he would arrive at the lighted community Christmas tree located on Main st. next to the Eagle Point city library and will be eager to talk to all children before going back to the North Pole to load his sleigh for Christmas eve.

This annual Christmas tree project is jointly sponsored by the Eagle Point Lions and the Eagle Point Jaycees. Due to the severe cold the last couple of years, the Christmas singing has been dispensed with.

N. California Television Log

Programs listed below are received from the television stations and the Mail Tribune assumes no responsibility except to make changes as supplied.

KVIP-TV (Channel 7)
Friday
5:00-Death Valley Days
5:30-Rin Tin Tin
6:00-Newsbeat Northstate
6:15-NBC News
6:30-Shogun Slade
7:00-Pony Express
7:30-Medicine 1960
8:30-Funstones
9:00-77 Sunset Strip
10:30-Detectives
11:00-11th Hour News
11:30-News and Sign Off
12:45-Late News and Sign Off

KIEM-TV (Channel 3)
Friday
5:30-Huckleberry Hound
6:00-Shell News
6:10-Weather
6:15-Douglas Edwards News
6:30-Two Faces West
7:00-Seahunt
7:30-Rawhide
8:30-Route 66
9:00-Garland Touch
10:00-Twilight Zone
10:30-11th Hour News
1:00-News and Weather
1:30-National League Football
4:30-TBA
5:30-Reading Out Loud
5:30-Why Teacher?
6:00-Price is Right
6:30-Tab Hunter
7:00-Ann Sothern
8:30-Perry Mason
9:30-Parent to Person
9:00-Angel
9:30-Have Gun, Will Travel
10:00-Gunslinger
10:30-Manhunt
11:00-Late Movie
1:00-News and Weather

Regional Calendar

Cave Junction - Cub Scout Pack 20 will meet tonight at the American Legion hall in Cave Junction at 7:30. Boys wishing to participate in the gift exchange are asked to bring a gift not exceeding 50 cents in value.

Cave Junction - The public card party originally scheduled for Dec. 23 has been rescheduled for Dec. 30 at the American Legion hall in Cave Junction. The public is invited.

Tiller-Drew - The Club 227 Christmas party will be held at the club hall Dec. 23.

Tiller-Drew - The south Umpqua Community church program will be held at the church Dec. 25 at 7 p.m.

Gold Hill - Deadline for entering the outdoor Christmas lighting contest, sponsored by Gold Hill Lions club is Tuesday, Dec. 20. To enter, send card to Gold Hill Lions club secretary.

Applegate - The Applegate school will hold its annual Christmas program on Dec. 22 at 8 p.m. in the school gym. Santa Claus will make his customary appearance at the end of the program with treats for all children.

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Committee To Consider School Building Needs

Grants Pass - The Josephine county school board completed naming members of a 10-member committee investigating building needs in county schools at the board's monthly meeting Dec. 12.

The committee will report its findings to the school board in the future.

On the recommendation of D. B. Noteboom, Illinois Valley representative on the board, member appointed was C. E. (Casey) Piller, Kerby, former school board member. In addition, Mrs. James Basker of Fruitdale was appointed in place of Mrs. F. L. Bristol who declined to serve. All other people selected to serve on the committee have been contacted, William Gilmore, board chairman, announced and have agreed to accept appointments. The committee consists of: Bob Holloway and C. R. Piller, Zone 1; Ray Carneille and Mrs. Jane Pangburn, Zone 2; R. E. Thomas and Mrs. Joan Millermann, Zone 3; Mrs. Basker and Cecil Johnson, Zone 4; and R. M. Hager and Don Wood, Zone 5. Wood is temporary chairman of the group.

In other business the board agreed to furnish a school bus and driver for the two-day trip to Portland, Eugene and Salem planned by the eighth grades of Murphy and Wolf Creek schools. Board members felt that the educational value of the trip, as outlined to them by Mrs. Phyllis Michaels of the Murphy teaching staff, made it a project worthy of assistance by the board to the extent of providing the bus and an allowance of \$50 for the driver's salary. All other expenses involved on the trip will be met by the students themselves who are engaged in many fundraising activities for this purpose.

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Rotary Clubs Join In Christmas Party

Yreka - The Yreka and Montague Rotary clubs met jointly with their wives and enjoyed a Christmas party in the Montague community hall Dec. 12.

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