

REGIONAL NEWS

Organization of Jewett School PTA Favored

Central Point - Members of the Central Point PTA favored organizing a separate Jewett school PTA by an eight vote margin at last week's PTA meeting.

Votes favoring the proposal totaled 132, while 124 were opposed. The matter will be given further study.

In other action, unanimous approval was given to the new slate of officers presented by the nominating committee. Frank Armstrong is the new president. Other officers include: Delores Armstrong, vice president; Bonnie Higginbotham, second vice president; Jackie Holbrook, secretary; and Shirley Langston, treasurer.

Proposed Budget
A revision of the bylaws was approved. Charles Meyer, District 6 superintendent, said the proposed district budget will be presented at a public hearing April 6. He urged PTA members to study the budget. Meyer also commended the district budget committee.

Allen Bishop, Boy Scout Troop 104 scoutmaster, told of problems the troop faces and possible solutions. Bishop said a major obstacle is a regular meeting place. He told of the current Scout-Community building being constructed in Eagle Point and indicated that Central Point could possibly undertake a similar project.

The sixth grade chorus presented the evening's entertainment. A display of the White House, Capitol building, President Kennedy and a flag made of red, white and blue paper chains was provided by first graders.

Scout Building Nears Completion

Eagle Point - Color schemes for the dining room and kitchen in the Eagle Point Scout-Community building will be presented for approval at the regular building committee meeting tonight at 8 p.m. in the new building.

Among other considerations will be the final decisions of the purchasing and installation of the kitchen utensils and equipment.

According to the group of workers this week end, most of the windows are framed in the dining room and the walls sanded. Painting can start immediately. A work detail started the filling and leveling the main auditorium. Harry Hanscom said that all help available will be needed when the cement for the floor is poured.

The septic tank hole and drain fields were dug and a crew can now start making the septic tank and connect sanitary facilities. When this is done, the building can be used on a small scale. It is hoped the floors and kitchen will be finished by the first of May. The gable ends still have to be paneled in the main auditorium.

Sonar Principle
The device operates on a sonar principle. Sonar waves are sent from an overhead device to the pavement, and then bounce back. As a car passes through the signal, a sound wave bounces back quicker than a sonar wave, triggering a light control mechanism.

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The city and state will split the expense of installation which will be approximately \$14,000.

Eagle Point Jaycees Nominate Officer Candidates at Meeting

Eagle Point - Keith Krambeal and Glenn Nelson were nominated for the presidency of the Eagle Point Junior Chamber of Commerce at their regular meeting last week at the Rogue Riviera in Shady Cove.

Other nominations included: Lloyd Mynatt and Larry

Davis, first vice president; Harold Hanscom and Gordon Peck, second vice president; Rick Wolgamott, secretary; Richard Wallace, treasurer; and Harry Hanscom, state director. Elections will be held at the next regular meeting of the organization in the Scout Community building April 6.

Logging operations are being carried on by the chamber to raise funds for completion of the Scout Community building. A tract of timber in the Butte Falls Ranger district has been secured and the timber felled.

The annual Jaycee sponsored Easter Egg Hunt is scheduled to be held Saturday, April 1 on the Eagle Point High school football field. The group plans to dye and prepare the eggs on the evening of March 31 at the Leonard Moebe residence on the Brophy rd.

Nearly 50,000 Trees Distributed In Eagle Point Grange Project

Eagle Point - A total of 50,000 trees will have been distributed by the end of this month by the Eagle Point Grange tree planting committee, according to committee chairman C. C. Hoover, Gregory rd.

The committee recently ordered 2,000 pine trees for distribution. Saturday the Big Y market in Medford put up money for 6,000 more trees to be given away at the market.

Someone recently remarked that this modern day "Johnny Appleseed" was "sprucing up" the county. Since most of the trees being distributed are varieties of spruce this may be true.

Potted Trees
The tree planting committee two months ago distributed 350 potted trees to the residents in Eagle Point. About 356 more were distributed to Eagle Point High school and 750 to the Eagle Point grade school.

About 1,250 were given Cub Scouts and 2,100 to the Girl Scouts.

On March 1 the tree planting committee headed by Hoover passed out 2,500 seedling trees to Medford school principals at the Oak Grove school. The trees were to be planted by the school children on the school grounds or at home.

Varieties of trees included Colorado blue spruce, Sitka spruce, Norway spruce and Arizona cypress.

Other varieties which have been distributed this year are aborvitae, some cedar, Chinese elm and laurel.

Hoover conceived the tree planting project over two years ago while he was laying out his plots for subdivisions on the Agate desert near Eagle Point. Then, he thought of planting banks of hardwood trees whose foliage would turn bright colored in

the fall backed by ranks of tall, stately evergreens. The chain of sparkling blue lakes flanked by trees with rich green foliage and under blue southern Oregon skies would make a proper scenic setting for his housing project and his privately operated public recreation area.

Later, he thought such a tree-planting project should be carried on throughout Jackson county to make it a more beautiful place to live. He started at Eagle Point and worked down the Rogue valley.

Fan Mail
Besides the satisfaction of seeing these seedling trees grow, Hoover has received his share of fan mail from the school youngsters. Approximately 200 letters were mailed from Eagle Point elementary school pupils and 100 letters from Medford elementary school pupils who have received the trees in recent weeks.

Here are a few examples: "Thank you for the trees I planted my tree in a can. I like you, my tree is growing. Very truly, . . ."

"I am very thankful for my tree. I am pretty sure that everybody like theirs, too. I planted my tree in Mr. Wolgamott's yard because mine didn't have any place for it."

"I thank you for my tree. My brother likes it, too, and my mother wants me to take it with us when we move."

"Thank you for the tree. We planted it outside in the backyard. I like it very truly."

"Thank you for the tree. I like the tree very much. I didn't plant it yet. I did not get around to it."

"Thank you for the tree. It was nice of you to give it to me. We are going to take it when we move. Good-bye now."

"Thank you for the tree. We are thankful for the tree."

TO AFFECT TILLER

School Reorganization Proposal Explained

Tiller-Drew - A lively question and answer period followed talks by Bill Lovell, district superintendent, and Charles Porter, board member, at the regular meeting of the Days Creek PTSA Thursday, March 23.

Porter explained the proposed change in the grades at Days Creek and Tiller schools. Tiller school would have the first six grades instead of the eight they now have. Days Creek would have all grades through 12, except the fourth and fifth. Those fourth and fifth grade pupils who now attend Days Creek school would be transported to Tiller. According to Porter, this change would entail an added expense of \$5,100 for transportation, \$5,000 for an additional teacher, and \$4,000 for finishing and furnishing the two new rooms at Tiller.

Lovell explained the extensive advantages to be gained by the change. Each teacher would have only one grade and could give more individual attention to the pupils.

Whether or not this change is made will depend on how the people vote on the school budget. Jim Lordie, PTSA president, reminded everyone present of the budget hearing to be held at the Days Creek school March 28.

Lordie picked the following

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Correspondents: Upper Applegate Valley—Maude Ziegler; Lower Applegate Valley—Jeanette Head; Butte Falls—Jo Harris; Central Point—Dolores Armstrong and Flo Vincent; Eagle Point—Dottie Harrison; Gold Hill—Sama Valley—Mary Keil; Grandview—Lone Pine—Dot Simmons; Happy Camp—Hazel Davis, Betty Reedy; Hornbrook—Katherine Chapman; Illinois Valley—Katherine Scott; Jacksonville—Betty Hoskins; Medford—Caroline Harding; Murphy—Mrs. R. J. Millemann; O'Brien—Letha Cooke; Phoenix—Mrs. Leo Furry; Prospect—Velda Barr; Shady Cove—Evelyn Watson; Table Rock—R. E. Nealon; Tiller-Drew—Viola Rogers; Williams—Shirley Fischer; Yreka—Doris Robinson and Betty Calkins

Williams Church Has New Officers

Williams - A new slate of officers were recently elected at the Williams Community church.

Serving as elders are Ivan Lundy, Lester Sparlin, and Clem Blodgett. Tom Knight assumes the duties of treasurer; Joseph Inman, financial secretary; Mrs. Inez Blanchard, Sunday school superintendent, and Miss Anita Bledgett, organist.

The Rev. Roy Price was recently appointed pastor of the church.

The Triple F club of the church also held election of officers. Those chosen were Chris Beard and Teddy Peckham, co-chairmen; Shirley Sowell, social chairman; and Cookie Katzenbach, promotional chairman.

They held a "Parenten Jury" at their last meeting and featured a courtroom scene, the jury consisting of three adults and three teenagers. Adult jurors were Mrs. Inez Blanchard, Mrs. Herbert Beard and Joe Inman. Teenagers were Chris Beard, Shirley Sowell and Roy Hart. Mr. Price officiated as judge. The cases were problems which young people face, sometime during their teenage years. A discussion on each problem was conducted and judged.



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Nine Enter Hornbrook School Board Election

Hornbrook—With only two vacancies on the Hornbrook school board to be filled, nine candidates have filed for the positions.

The list of candidates re-

leased last week by the county school superintendent's office carried the following names:

Jack L. Wayne (incumbent), Jack O. Cross (incumbent), A. L. McMaster, James Liskey, Ernest J. Pickard Jr., Andrew (Buck) Skehan, Thomas A. Burcell, Lester (Ike) Dooley and Joan Michaels.

On the Hornbrook recall election: Candidates filed to replace Frank Cardozo are Joan Michaels and Andrew (Buck) Skehan; candidates to replace Jack Wayne are Ernest J. Pickard Jr., Thomas A. Burcell and Lester (Ike) Dooley.

Candidates elected on the recall ballot will serve the remainder of the terms of the two recalled members. The terms expire July 1, 1961, when the term of office of the members newly elected to the board begins.

Election date is Tuesday, April 18. Also appearing on the ballot will be the override tax measure to raise the maximum tax rate from .80 to 1.30.

Yreka To Receive Sonar Detector

Yreka - Bids will be opened April 18 in the district office of the division of highways in Redding for an electronic signal to be installed in Yreka, Sen. Randolph Collier announced.

The signal, Yreka's first, will be placed at the intersection of West Miner and Main sts. It will be the first electronic detector traffic signal installed in northern California.

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Planning committee members have asked Cogswell to put into writing a general idea of his plans to give the planning committee members something concrete to study.

N. California Television Log

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KJEM-TV (Channel 3)

Monday:
5:30—Maggie Land of Alakazam
6:00—News
6:10—Weather
6:15—Douglas Edwards News
6:30—California
7:00—Best of the Post
7:30—To Tell the Truth
8:00—Tale and Gladys
8:30—Bringing Up Buddy
9:00—Danny Thomas Show
9:30—Andy Griffith
10:00—Hennessey
10:30—Nat. Masterson
11:00—News and Weather
Tuesday:
3:00—Brighter Day
3:15—Secret Storm
3:30—Edge of Night
4:00—Search for Tomorrow
4:15—Guiding Light
4:30—Sky King
5:00—Uncle Bill Show
5:30—Quick Draw McGraw
6:00—News
6:10—Weather
6:15—Douglas Edwards News
6:30—Championship Bowling
7:00—Adventures in Paradise
8:00—Father Knows Best
8:30—Leave It to Beaver
9:00—Tom Swell Show
9:30—Red Skelton
10:00—Harry Moore Show
11:00—News and Weather

KVIP-TV (Channel 7)

Monday:
5:30—Rin Tin Tin
6:00—Newsweek Northstate
6:15—NBC News
6:30—The Rebel
7:00—Lock Up
7:30—Cheyenne Show
8:00—Sundance 6
8:30—Adventures in Paradise
9:00—Peter Gunn
10:00—11th Hour News
11:00—Jack Paar
12:30—Late News and Sign Off
Tuesday:
5:00—Popeye and Friends
5:30—Rocky and His Friends
6:00—Newsweek Northstate
6:15—NBC News
6:30—Highway Patrol
7:00—Leave It to Beaver
7:30—My 3 Sons
8:00—Riflemen
8:30—Wyatt Earp
9:00—Stagecoach
10:00—Thriller
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Zoning Request To Be Considered

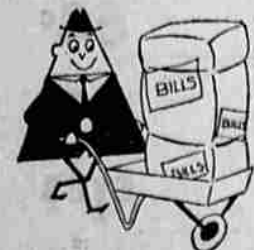
Gold Hill - A public hearing on rezoning will be held in Gold Hill Thursday, March 30 at 7:30 p.m. at the city hall on Second ave. H. D. Force, chairman of the city planning commission stressed that all property owners interested should plan to attend the hearing.

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