

Jaycee Officers Installed at Joint Banquet

Eagle Point Officers of the Eagle Point Junior Chamber of Commerce, Eagle Point Jayceettes and Ashland Junior Chamber of Commerce were installed at a recent joint dinner meeting at the Mark Antony hotel in Ashland.

Installed as presidents were: Keith Krambeal, Eagle Point Jaycees; Mrs. Keith Krambeal, Eagle Point Jayceettes; and Bernie Sears, Ashland Jaycees. Krambeal teaches at Eagle Point. Sears is employed as an insurance agent. Mrs. Krambeal is secretary at Gates Furniture company in Medford.

Other Eagle Point Jaycee officers include: Lloyd Myatt, first vice president; Gordon Peck, second vice president; Richard Wolgamott, secretary, and Andy Meade, treasurer. Ashland officers are Gene Johnson, first vice president; Jim Benson, second vice president; Dale Williams, secretary, and Dell Hackert, treasurer. The Eagle Point Jayceettes installed Mrs. Ralph Humphrey, first vice president; Mrs. Helen Wolgamott, second vice president; Mrs. Leonard Modee, secretary, and Mrs. Richard Wallace, treasurer.

Recruiting Urged
Steve Bartlett, state Jaycee vice president encouraged the group to recruit new members and develop leadership qualities in the membership.

Key man awards for outstanding work were presented to Rick Wolgamott and Harold Hanscom, both of Eagle Point. Harry Hanscom of Eagle Point was presented with an outstanding local president's award. Hanscom briefly outlined the club's activities during his year in office.

Serving as master of ceremonies for the event was Glen Nelson, past state vice president and a member of the Eagle Point chapter.

Construction of Tunnel Progressing

O'Brien-Work at the Oregon mountain tunnel site has been confined mostly to clearing of slide dirt in recent days.

Drilling to remove excessive underground water caused by recent rains is being undertaken as part of a stabilization program ordered by the California Division of Industrial Safety.

Construction of the southern approach is progressing on schedule, according to Jim Wylie, project manager for Morrison-Knudsen, contractors. About 35 men are employed.

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Fish and Animals Keep Correspondent Busy

Jacksonville - Corresponding, tropical fish and caring for neighborhood animals are major activities of Bette Hoskins, Mail Tribune Jacksonville correspondent.

Mrs. Hoskins has been a M.T. regional correspondent for six years. Her previous experience included writing for the Central Point American.

About five years ago she and her husband, Carl, became interested in tropical fish. Today, Mrs. Hoskins says it is a hobby "that got out of hand." The Hoskins have gone into the tropical fish business and are busy adding finishing touches to an addition to their house specifically for fish aquariums.

Mrs. Hoskins says "I am sometimes known as the neighborhood humane society. Animals, especially cats, flock to my door."

She originally started corresponding because Jackson-



MURALS—A series of mural panels depicting five phases of achievement at Crater High school were put up recently on the front wall of the District 6 school administration building in Central Point. Crater student Beverly Klimko, assisted by Alvin Prilliman and Irene Wilson, painted the panels on masonite. The building was designed by Warren

Holbrook, Crater art instructor, with the idea of creating a permanent display area for art work done by students. Paintings will be rotated every two years or so, Holbrook said. Pictured looking at the paintings is school Superintendent Charles A. Meyer.

Plans for Summer School Being Made

Happy Camp—The date for the start of summer school at Happy Camp Elementary school will be announced in the near future, Herbert Sonneborn, elementary principal, said at the April meeting of the Happy Camp PTA.

Notices will be sent home with students when the date has been established, Sonneborn said.

James Foote, high school principal, said that his survey to explore interest in a high school summer program was "not very favorable." However, he added that he was attempting to work out a plan with the elementary school and hoped they would be able to offer courses in mathematics and Spanish.

According to PTA officials, the flower show held in conjunction with the elementary school open house April 25 was successful. Thirteen prizes were awarded for floral displays.

Mrs. LaVoone Walters, program chairman, introduced Angenette Thompson, a flower show judge, who awarded prizes to the following:

Grand prize, Tommy head; first prizes, Cindy Shannon, Carol Gayle and Brenda Reese; second prizes, Dalene Gayle, Meredith Walters and Bonnie Simmons; third prizes, Cella Higley, Joyce Bowers and Earl Minium; fourth prizes, Ricky Roads, Dovey Harrington and Linda Paul.

Central Point Home Missionary Preaches Personal Evangelism

By MAUDE ZIEGLER
Mail Tribune Correspondent

Central Point—As a home missionary, the Rev. Lewis R. Collins of Central Point has paced the floor of country school houses and dance halls preaching the word of God. With only the light from kerosene lamps in which to view his listeners, he told them he had a religion that worked. He has ridden horseback on the mission trail in the Peace river country of Canada, and has ministered to missionaries in Japan.

It is concerning this religion that he has written a book entitled "My God and I," published by the Word of Life Press, Tokyo, Japan. Mr. Collins has not sold the book to publishers, he stated, because he wrote it at the request of many Christian people, and he will use it in his ministry. However, the missionary said anyone desiring one of the books may obtain it from him.

Meets Need
The book tells of God's relationship to man and is intended by its author to meet a need in the lives of many people. It deals extensively with the deeper meanings of the crucifixion and the daily working power of the Holy Spirit in human lives. The author has dedicated the book to his mother, Mrs. F. E. Collins of Skiff, Alberta, Canada, who is 78 and "a child of God."

Mr. Collins also does a daily radio broadcast, "Joy of Living," over KRVC, Rogue Valley Christian station in Ashland. Throughout his 30 years of ministry his greatest desire has been to reach the unchurched, and this is his aim in the radio broadcasts.

Mr. Collins and his family have lived in Central Point for 12 years. He was pastor of community churches at Trail and Wonder in Josephine county for a short time, and he has done a great deal of work in personal evangelism. He also has ministered in the

Applegate area. Three years ago Mr. Collins spent four months in Japan, where he ministered to more than 1,000 missionaries, as well as speaking to Japanese Christian conferences and visiting Japanese homes. He also ministered to Chinese.

During the trip he was joined by Mrs. Collins, and the two visited former Rogue valley residents, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Fanger, son and daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fanger, Jacksonville highway, who are missionaries in Japan. Mr. Collins said their trip to the Fangers was made in the wake of a typhoon, and part of the journey was made by walking through rice fields and fording rivers where concrete bridges and highways had been washed away.

Visit Hiroshima
They also visited Hiroshima, where the missionary said there was little evidence left of atomic destruction, except in museum pieces. Mr. Collins described metal and glass particles melted from the heat. Plate glass windows from restaurants were fused together. He said a bank building still was standing, pitted from the heat, but one small area of the structure where a man had been sitting was not pitted.

Mr. Collins was born in Oklahoma and spent his boyhood in Canada. Although he was reared in the atmosphere of the church and Sunday school his yearning to save souls came after his own real conversion at the age of 19, while working on a farm in Canada. In his book the author describes his conversion as he drove a cultivator in the field. He soon went to Los Angeles, and as a youth he first talked to sinners on skid row. He was without answers and a full knowledge of the Bible, and was only able to say that Jesus had appeared to him and spoken his name. Later he graduated from St. Paul Bible college in Minnesota.

"The Lord gave me a great love for people," he said, "and visiting in homes has been a favorite means of contacting people with the story of salvation."

In the 1930s he served as a missionary while the Alcan highway was being built, covering the area on horseback. It was then he met his wife. They have four children. A son, Donald, is a missionary in Alberta, West Africa.

Butte Falls PTA To Meet May 15
Butte Falls—The Butte Falls PTA will hold its final meeting of the school year Monday, May 15 at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting will include reports of the recent state convention in Astoria, a pre-school clinic report, installation of officers and entertainment.

New officers are Mrs. William Lytle, president; Mrs. Randall Perkins, vice president; Mrs. Leonard Stratton, secretary, and Mrs. William Harris, treasurer.

STAR SIZES VARY
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REGIONAL NEWS

District 7 School Board Authorizes Construction Study

Grants Pass - Parents from many schools in District 7 (Grants Pass) attended the school board meeting on Tuesday, May 3, to bring to the board's attention the building needs of many schools in the district.

As a result of a motion introduced by William Otis of the Redwood area, the board, and Ralph Jones, city school superintendent, were instructed to make a study of the cost of construction necessary to relieve present overcrowding and to provide adequate room for the anticipated enrollment for several years. Also included in his motion was a request that a bond issue to cover such expenses be brought before the people of District 7 no later than September or October of this year.

Considerable discussion centered around what possible action the county unit district might take on a bond issue to build a junior high of their own which would relieve crowded conditions now existing in South Junior High school. Board members, Dr. Ray Johnson and Mrs. Edward Wall, commented on the fact that the county board was scheduled to begin discussions on this matter at their meeting to be held on Monday, May 8.

Jones noted, however, that while the building of such a school by the county would relieve conditions at South, it would not contribute in any way to solving the problems existing in the elementary schools at Redwood, Riverside and Roosevelt, Riverside.

In particular, presents a problem which was stated by its PTA president, Charles Snyder, in that there is no room for expansion at its present location and that a possible solution might be to build a new school at property already owned by the district in the New Hope or Portola areas.

Science Wing

Frank Thomas, principal of Grants Pass High school, clarified the need for a science wing which had been pointed out by high school PTSA president, Mrs. R. J. Milleman. Such a heavy enrollment in the laboratory courses has already been indicated for next year, that there is insufficient room to accommodate all the pupils who have signed up for the course. It may be necessary, he said, to schedule an 8 a.m. class or one after school which will complicate the transportation system. The only other alternative would be to equip another room completely, and this presents difficulties since all the classrooms are already in use for the full school day.

Leslie Green, in commenting on building needs in his area, made the suggestion that county and city school boards work together on the problem instead of each one waiting to see what the other would do. He urged the boards to get together to figure out the building needs for both districts and figure out a united plan which would then, in some manner, be submitted to the voters of both districts.

Central Point 7th Grader Wins Award

Central Point - Christine Bishop, seventh grade student at Central Point Junior High school, received honorable mention for her entry in the National High School Art exhibition in New York City recently.

She received a gold key award and was a finalist in the Junior Scholastic Art show, held earlier in the year at Portland. Her entry, a collage, made of colored tissue paper glued on drawing paper, then highlighted with in-

dia ink, is entitled "Purple Vase." Central Point Junior High students entering exhibits in the Portland show were: Russell Smith, Cheryl Cavin, Blayne Dye, Phillip Roach and Jack Peck, who also received a gold key award.

Regional Calendar

Murphy—Due to conflicting meetings in the area, the regular meeting of the Murphy PTA has been postponed from its usual date, May 9, to Thursday evening, May 18, at 8 p.m. at the school. Nancy Baker, French teacher at Grants Pass High school, will present a program on France.

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Tablets

By R. E. NEALON

Table Rock - "Table Rock Community club met Friday, Feb. 19, with an interesting program consisting of music by Prof. Erskine and wife, and his pupils, Misses Leola Jones, Corinn Harwood, Kathryn and Josephine Meade, readings by Roberta Hamlin, Edith Sage, Dorothy and Marjory Hunsley, and a skit by Mr. Mead, Kathryn and Josephine Mead."

The above item was taken from the Medford News of Feb. 23, 1934, published by Moore Hamilton, now Medford postmaster. We don't know who sent it in, as the correspondent's name is not given with this or any of the rural items. None of those taking part in the community club program reside here now.

Something unusual, it seems to us, is that in our community there is a man that has worked at the same place for more than 40 years. Fred Smith, an employee at the Modoc orchard, began working there in September, 1920, and since that time has been a continuous workman, doing the many jobs that were assigned to him in a cheerful, manner. The next highest in time served at Modoc is John Dickey, who started there in 1927.

This reminds us of the time we had a young fellow working for us, and one morning he brought a buddy along who was younger than he who he said wanted to learn to do farm work. When we seemed skeptical, he said if no one would hire his friend, he couldn't ever learn farming. We admitted he had a point, but told him he wanted me to give his buddy lessons in farming and pay him \$1.15 an hour for taking them.

The yellow blossoms of the wild turnip can be seen in many local fields, but a new weed much more harmful to crops has appeared in a few spots. This is known as nut grass, which has a tap root that will penetrate six inches into the ground, and has a small edible nut at the end. According to Sam Glass, who has had some experience with this pest, it is very difficult

to eradicate. Sam thinks it was brought into the valley by someone who got the seed in the Midwest and planted it for hog feed, as hogs are very fond of the nuts and will practically plow a piece of land with their noses hunting for the nuts.

The regular monthly meeting of the Table Rock Ladies club will be held Wednesday, May 10, at the home of Mrs. Ray Baker.

We have just received word that Raymond Reter has generously offered to furnish paint, tools and all materials to repair the monument commemorating the signing of the peace treaty with the Indians by General Lane. The work will be done by members of the local Community club.

A large crowd attended the Sunday school rally held at the schoolhouse Friday night. There were eight Sunday schools represented. Garland Shinn, American Sunday School Union missionary presided over the meeting. Forest Acres won the banner for the largest attendance present, and Table Rock won the quiz contest, with questions taken from the book of Philipians. Punch and cookies were served.

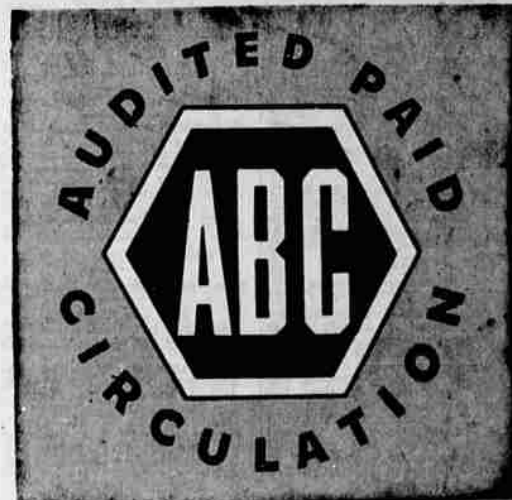
Linda Doran, Glenna Brown, Connie McDonough and Pat Striplin, motored to Klamath Falls, Saturday, April 29, and on Sunday attended the wedding of Carol Alberts, a former school mate at Crater High.

The Harold Sharp residence and acreage on Pumice lane has recently been purchased by David Rowell, of Portland, who with his family will be moving here in the next few days. Rowell and wife have two young daughters, ages one and three.

The mumps, it seems, don't respect persons or elevations. One of the latest victims is Mrs. John Dickey, on the hill at Modoc.

News of the recent death of Mrs. Frank Marsh, in Pasadena, Calif., came as a severe shock to friends here, where she resided with other members of the Lydiard family for several years. With her cheerful disposition, kind and loving ways, she endeared herself to all who knew her.

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