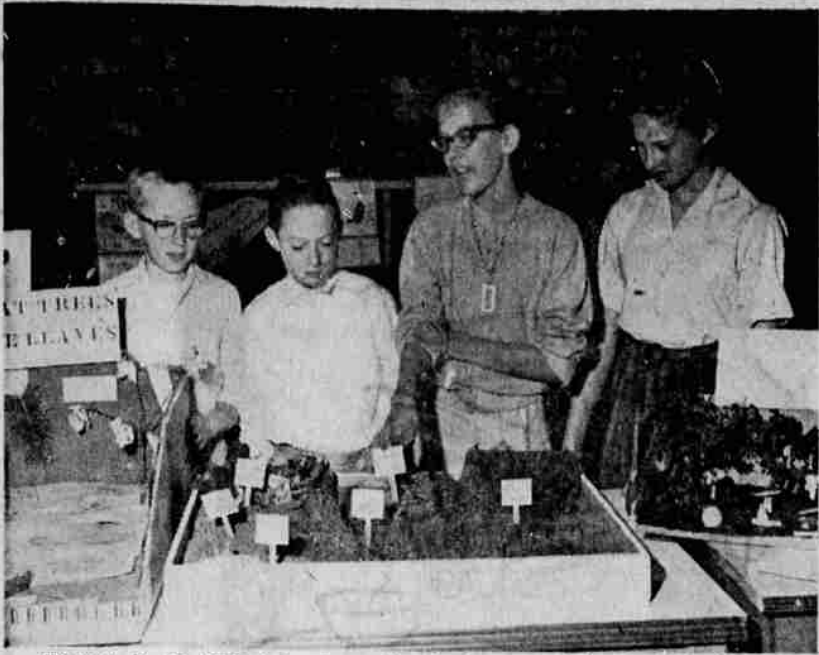




Winners in the biological science division of a science fair held at Griffin Creek school were (left to right) Donalyn Minear, first, Sheila Shockley, second, and Benny Smith and John Gross, who collaborated on a project. They are shown with Donalyn's project which demonstrated soil conserva-



Nicky Briggs, pupil at Griffin Creek school, won first prize in a science fair at the school for a telegraph set which he constructed in class. He is shown with Elizabeth Peters, (center) who won second place, and Paula Minear, who took third place in the physical science division. Micky was

School Fair Attracts Attention

A spring science fair planned and staged by Griffin Creek school teachers and pupils attracted wide attention from parents and teachers throughout the county. The fair, which closed last Friday, was visited by several hundred persons, including pupils and teachers from several schools and from Southern Oregon college, and was highly praised, it is reported.

The fair, held in the school gymnasium, was a science and social studies project according to Mrs. Myrna Frink, Griffin Creek principal. Most sixth grade pupils and some fifth graders entered science projects, and lower grades entered social studies exhibits. Displays were judged, and winners in the biological science section were Nicky Briggs, first; Elizabeth Peters, second; Paula Minear, third. Winners in the biological science division were Donalyn Minear, first; Sheila Shockley, second; Benny Smith and John Gross, third.

Students in the fifth and sixth grades are encouraged to do independent research on some topic of special interest to them. All entries were divided into the two groups for judging. The judges, Mrs. Gilbert Ellis and John McCormack from Hedrick Junior High school, used the Northwest Science Exposition score cards and stated that judging criteria are divided into six areas: creative ability, scientific thought, thoroughness, technical skill, clarity and dramatic value.

Booklets Made
Some first graders made large illustrated booklets on home and family which were displayed. Others made a mural of a Griffin Creek farm with a farmhouse, barn, pasture land and many animals, a pear orchard and a farmer on his tractor. Other murals depicted Lincoln and Washington.

Children in the second grade displayed a variety of cloth for clothing, together with articles hand woven by the children. They also made social studies booklets on Lincoln and Washington. Work displayed by children of the third grade included murals depicting pioneer families following the Oregon Trail to the Willamette valley. There were many individual illustrations of pioneer and "on the trail" life.

Another exhibit by children of the third grade included a panel filled with Indian de-

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Tennessee Woman Is Named American Mother of Year

New York — Mrs. Louise Sevier Giddings Curry, Lookout Mountain, Tenn., has been named American Mother of 1961 according to an announcement this morning by Mrs. Daniel A. Poling, president of the American Mothers committee.

Mothers from all over the nation, chosen by the state committees to represent their states, were gathered to hear the decision of the national jury.

Mrs. Curry is the mother of six children, and foster mother to hundreds of wards of the Hamilton County Juvenile court. Her children are Louise Sevier Curry Collins, 32, graduate of Sweet Briar college cum laude in international relations and now an analyst in the Department of Defense in Washington, D.C.; Bradley Norton Curry Jr., 30, scholarship graduate of Princeton university, who worked through the four years to cover his additional expenses and is now vice president of the Atlanta Trust company, Atlanta, Ga.; Frederick Giddings Curry, 28, who graduated in three years from the University of Chattanooga with a B.S. in business and economics and is with the Equitable Securities corporation, Houston, Tex.; Henry Douglas Curry, 24, a student at the University of Houston, Texas, who will be graduated in June with a B.S. in economics and mathematics; Robert Brownlee Curry, 21, enlisted for three years in the U.S. Army and who plans to attend college upon completion of his service with the Armored Division, Fort Lewis, Wash.; Elizabeth Norton Curry, 17, an honor student at Girls' Preparatory school and president of the senior class.

Mrs. Curry is known as an indefatigable champion of all neglected and dependent children, regardless of race or religion, and has worked through the years for the improvement of the conditions and the system in the juvenile courts. To her labors are attributed the abolishment of the whipping post in the State of Georgia and the separation of dependent and neglected children from delinquents held by the courts in her own state.

Her energies are currently directed toward a residential treatment center for mentally and emotionally disturbed children, and for the establishment of a "home" for juveniles returning from vocational training schools that they may have a decent place to live while finding their independent places in the community.

The 1961 American Mother, has raised hundreds of thousands of dollars for medical, educational, legal and welfare projects of major and vital need, including the erection of a modern Juvenile Court center at a cost of \$300,000, and the equipment and direction of a playground for Negro children. She has worked with the PTA, the school board of Lookout Mountain, on the Hamilton County committee for Crippled Children and Adults, the Y.W.C.A., the



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Church Women To Hold Session

Mrs. Walter Bish will discuss "The Educational Mission of the Church" at a meeting of the Women's Fellowship of the Congregational church Thursday, May 11. Mrs. Bish, superintendent of the Congregational church school, has recently returned from a Christian education meeting at Pilgrim First, the Washington Congregational conference grounds north of Tacoma.

The noon meeting will begin with a sack lunch and dessert will be served by the hostesses, Mrs. C. C. Furnas and Mrs. Maude Snider. Officers will be elected during the business meeting. There will also be a report on the Southern division of the East Willamette Association of Congregational Women held recently at Roseburg.

Relatives Are Guests Of Burcell Family

Hornbrook — Guests last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Burcell and seven children were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cedros and son of Weed, Calif.; Mrs. Lucy French, Cloverdale, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Woodward and daughter, Klamath Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cedros and children, Hilt, and Mrs. Alleen Widener and children, Yreka. All of the guests are relatives with the exception of the Woodwards, who are friends.

Juvenile Court commission, the Council of Community Forces, National Board of Probation and Parole, Culture and art also hold her interest. She is a member of a garden club, the Chattanooga Symphony association, the Art Association and the Opera Association of Chattanooga and the Chattanooga Little Theater.

Mrs. Curry will be honored as the American Mother of 1961 at the Annual Awards Luncheon of the American Mothers Committee, Inc., to be held at the Waldorf-Astoria, New York, on Friday, May 12th.

Teachers Visit Several Areas On Motor Trip

Hornbrook — A trip of unusual interest and beauty was taken last week end by Miss Phyllis Bird, Miss Marilyn Bruns, Yreka, and Miss Barbara Gratiot, Montague. Leaving Friday after school, the three young women drove to Etna, Sawyer's Bar, and Forks of Salmon, where they called on Miss Dell Brown, teacher at the Forks school.

From there, they drove on to Somes Bar and Orleans. They stayed overnight in Orleans, and on Saturday drove down to Welch and on to the Hoopa Indian reservation.

Here they visited friends of Miss Bird's, including Dr. and Mrs. Richard Rickles, and were taken to see the new hospital there. Some time ago, Dr. Rickles appeared on Ralph Edwards' television program, "This Is Your Life." Since that time, sufficient funds have come in to enable the hospital to be completed. Miss Bird obtained three Indian baskets and some Indian hats to add to her Indian collection. Saturday afternoon the trio drove to the coast and attended church Sunday morning, returning home that afternoon via the Redwood highway and Grants Pass.

Miss Bird is a teacher in the Hornbrook grammar school. Miss Gratiot teaches in Montague, and Miss Bruns is Siskiyou county school nurse. The travelers reported the dogwood and wild iris were all a-bloom in the Salm-

Return From Two Week Trip

Applegate — Mr. and Mrs. Norval Moore have recently returned from a two week trip. They flew their own airplane and visited in Farmington, N.M.; St. George, Utah; Ft. Apache and Yuma, Ariz.; and parts of southern California.

While in Arizona they spent three days visiting the Gilmans, missionaries among the Apache Indians.

Women of Moose Plan Initiation

Women of the Moose will hold initiation Wednesday, May 10, at 8 p.m. at the Moose hall, 11 Newtown street. Refreshments will follow the meeting.

Several members of the Academy of Friendship and four candidates to receive their friendship degree attended an Academy session held in Albany May 7. Mrs. Harvey Wyatt of Medford participated in the ceremony.

Members and their husbands making the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Webster, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Sweet, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Huffman, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wyatt, and Mrs. Richard Pruitt, all of Medford and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Long, Talent.

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