

4-H CLUB NEWS

CASCADE LOCKS HANDICRAFT CLUB

(By Robert Morgan)

At the regular Handicraft club meeting last Thursday there were 13 members present. Howard Brolhar made a foot stool for his second requirement. Robert Morgan made a foot stool for his second requirement and a ballot box for his third requirement.

ODELL CAMP COOKING CLUB

(By Lillian Hugnet)

The Odell Camp Cookers, known as the Ramblin' Scramblers, held a business meeting last Thursday, April 29.

The president resigned from her office as she couldn't attend all meetings. The vice president, Gordon Arnold, took her place. We elected Robert Fletcher vice president.

The next cooking meeting is to be held Thursday, May 6. We are sure to cook stew.

OAK GROVE COOKING CLUB

(By Susan Parkhurst)

The Oak Grove school has organized a 4-H cooking club, consisting of 27 members, 13 girls and 14 boys. The leader is Miss V. Annala and the assistant leader is Miss Dorothy LeGore.

The first meeting was held March 26. Miss Annala opened the meeting. The following officers were elected: president, Mary Kawachi; vice president, Norman Hukari; secretary, Susan Parkhurst. The president then took over the meeting. There wasn't much done the first meeting, so the president adjourned the meeting. Then the first cooking lesson was started. The following three foods were made: apple sauce, toast, and goldenrod eggs. The members were divided into three groups. Miss Annala supervised two groups and Miss LeGore the other group. The food was eaten by the 4-H club members. It tasted very good.

PARKDALE HOMEMAKING CLUB

The Homemaking club organized January 7 under the leadership of Mrs. John Cooper. Since that time weekly meetings have been carried on, each girl has chosen various tasks which take a period of six weeks to complete, besides the chores and the sewing requirements. At several of the meetings girls were chosen to give demonstrations which have helped the girls in understanding their work better.

This afternoon we are having a demonstration at our leader's home on "Table Setting." Mrs. Brunquist has directed Margaret Ballweber and Audry Cox to give this.

PARKDALE GARDEN CLUB

(By Paul Benedetti)

The Garden club of Parkdale is now meeting every two weeks, but we will probably have only one more meeting during the rest of the school year.

The 4-H club leaders association met in Odell, Wednesday April 28, 1937, and changed the constitution to suit them. Mrs. Lloyd Kile led a very active part in the changing of it. Among the ones that attended were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brunquist, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kile, Mrs. Web Halliday, Mrs. Benedetti, and Paul Benedetti from Parkdale. There were many others from Hood River.

PARKDALE CAFE CLUB

(By Virginia Routson)

The regular meeting of the cafe club was held Wednesday, April 28. Frances Kile and Virginia Routson were chosen to do a demonstration, on how to make cottage cheese. It is to be given the night of the exhibit at the grade school. That night the cafe club is going to sell ice cream, to raise money for a scholarship. Don't forget to bring your nickels.

Another field trip is planned to be held in July. The club wants to visit the creamery, and some dairy farms.

PARKDALE HIGH SCHOOL CLOTHING CLUB

(By Harriet Enney)

The high school 4-H Clothing club, consisting of 15 members, meets every Tuesday and Friday afternoon with their leader, Miss Katherine Wise. Clothing III, IV, and V are combined into one standard club known as the "Pierettes."

Monday, April 12, the club motored to Odell to see the sewing exhibits shown by Miss Cowgill. Those who went were Evelyn Gibbs, Esther Sato, Yukie Katayama, Letha Peyton, June Lowe, Eleanor Clapp, Harriett Monroe, Margery Sato, Eleanor Brunquist, Laura Pitts, Hope Rumbaugh, Maxine Enney, Kikue Suzukie, Naomi Hess, Harriet Enney, Miss Callahan and Miss Wise. Transportation was furnished by Virginia Lawrence, Mrs. Parrott, and Mrs. Brunquist.

Statistics received from the state 4-H club office show that Hood River county had the largest attendance at the recent series of sewing exhibits held in Oregon. Miss Cowgill visited twenty-eight counties.

County Gas Users Get \$9,943 Back

Gasoline tax refunds were made this year to 279 persons in Hood River county. Of this total, 245 were farmers, 14 were loggers and the remainder in miscellaneous classifications, according to Kenneth Dalton, who spoke briefly at yesterday's Pomona grange meeting at Odell. Dalton is field auditor for the refund division of the motor vehicle fuel tax, administered by Secretary of State Earl Snell.

A sum of \$9,943 was returned in this county, of which 73 per cent went to farmers at an average of about \$30 apiece. Total gasoline tax collections throughout the state were more than \$10,000,000, of which about \$1,250,000 was refunded.

Only gasoline which is used in machines and vehicles not operated on the highways and public roads is eligible to the tax refund of five cents per gallon.

Three major changes in the gasoline tax law have recently been made. They are:

- 1-Invoices may be submitted for verifying refund claims within one year from date, instead of six months as at present.
- 2-No affidavit to substantiate a claim will be required.
- 3-No fee will be charged for a consumer's permit. The fee is now 50 cents. Each of these features will take effect June 8.

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FISH NOTES

(By Rudy Schroeder)

Half a dozen good-sized steelhead were weighed in Sunday as fishing conditions picked up considerably over the preceding week. The Franz Hardware steelhead contest, originally slated to close May 1, was kept open until May 8 because of the extreme scarcity of early steelhead.

Big boys were hitting hard and often Sunday and Monday, but were not hooking because of high and rilly water. Hot sun on the snow sent Hood River up 18 inches Sunday, but the water was fairly clear and the fish were extremely active.

Trout fishing was not so good over the week-end. So far as I know, no limit catches were made, although several limits were taken in the Deschutes.

Steelhead were weighed in by Frank Barcus, who took an eight-pounder and a smaller one; Bob Dethman with two, both around eight pounds; McKenzie, who caught his first steelhead, weighing around eight pounds, and Bill Durland, who took a nine-pound nine-ounce beauty.

Delicious Apple Sauce

Did you know over-ripe Delicious apples will make apple sauce in the spring better than at any other time of the year?

Pare and quarter them, add one or two oranges, separated in sections, to each quart; also one cup of sugar. Cook with cover on kettle until apples are amber colored.

Rhubarb can be added instead of oranges. It is delicious, canned, to use during the summer time.—Mrs. R. G. Rumbaugh.

PARKING RESTRICTED

Monday morning Hood River motorists were greeted by fresh black-and-white signs the length of Oak street, in the business section, announcing that one-hour parking was the limit between 8 A. M. and 8 P. M. Officers were on the job to see that the one-hour limit was observed.

NO STRIKE HERE

Rumors of a strike at the Dee mill of the Oregon Lumber company in sympathy with striking loggers on the coast were declared last week-end to be without foundation, by Stanley Brown, secretary of the local organization of sawmill and timber workers.

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