

Midland Empire News

TULELAKE CCC MEN OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY

TULELAKE — Commander John S. Caughman of Camp Tulelake, other officers and civilian conservation corps enrollees were hosts Sunday at dinner to 223 guests from all parts of the basin in observance of the eighth anniversary of the organization of the CCC. Observing the day also, Camp Lava Beds was host to many guests with entertainment directed by Lieutenant George Clyde Morton.

At Camp Tulelake guests were seated at long tables for the fried chicken dinner, prepared and served by the enrollees who included on the menu dressing and gravy, mashed potatoes, English peas, hot rolls, pickles, candies, nuts, ice cream and lemonade.

During the dinner hour Commander Caughman presented a resume of the work accomplished by the CCC, why it was established and what benefits the men have derived from the organization. Following Caughman, Clark Fensler, Tulelake, who was work superintendent of the original Camp Clear Lake which later became Camp Tulelake, compared the original camp, first located on the old highway, to Alturas to the present efficient setup west of Tulelake.

Men in camp are at present building dikes on Lower Klamath Lake in preparation for the proposed flooding of the old lake bed.

Following dinner the Tulelake town basketball squad downed the enrollees in a fast moving tilt, final score being 12-4.

Supper was served to 40 guests following a tour of the barracks, and other camp buildings.

At Camp Lava Beds guests from Malin, Klamath Falls and Tulelake enjoyed dinner with the officers and men conducting a tour of the camp followed by mass exercises presented by all enrollees, inter-barracks soft ball, basketball, volleyball and tennis matches.

In closing the program company 6411 said goodbye with formal retreat and lowering of the colors.

Camp Lava Beds has for the past several months followed a vigorous campaign of road building in the Lava Beds monument.

Camp Klamath will hold open house next Sunday, April 6, when the public is invited to come for a Dutch lunch at 1 p. m., it was announced this week by Lieutenant Robert C. Upchurch, commanding officer. Hours will be from 9 a. m. until 4:30 p. m. and entertainment following the dinner and a tour of the camp will include two boxing matches.

New replacements at Camp Klamath will arrive about April 10 to bring camp man strength back to 200. New men are coming from Alabama and Georgia in the fourth corps area. There are 125 men in the camp now.

Altamont Junior High Orchestra Gives Concert

ALTAMONT — The combined elementary orchestra which performed Tuesday morning at the Altamont Junior high auditorium, showed progress after only a few weeks of rehearsals.

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Sprague River Elated on Promise for Road Work

By SPRAGUE BOOSTER

SURAGUE RIVER—Citizens of Sprague River are very elated over the recent stand taken by the Klamath county chamber of commerce in naming the Sprague River road as its number one county road project for 1941. The chamber road committee has been unusually successful in accomplishing its goals and local people feel that this endorsement is one of the strongest boosts the local fight has ever received.

A delegation composed of Judge Ivy Clark, Superintendent of Schools Roland Parks, Durbin Cook and Skeet Richardson, local merchants, motorized to Klamath Falls last week to present the case to the board of directors of the chamber.

The story of Klamath county is the story of the building of roads. A few years ago, citizens remember the frightful South Sixth street road. With its improvement great strides in progress were made on that thoroughfare. The same seed of progress was sown when the road from Klamath Falls to Malin was finished. Then came the fight for roads to Bonanza, Bly and Chilgoquin with the resulting paved roads and great upbuilding of these outlying towns. Today progressive eyes are pointed

to Sprague River's road problem.

The county court has promised around \$5000 expenditure for this year, which is a slight increase of the average yearly expenditure for road patching on this strip. Reports of an additional \$40,000 in the road budget over last year make many feel that the number one road problem is worthy of much more than \$5000.

Sprague River, with its some 1000 inhabitants depends on Klamath Falls for medical and dental service, school supplies, plumbing and electrical service, most clothing and shelter supplies, legal advice, drugs, prescriptions, automobiles, theatres, and countless items which run into thousands of dollars annually.

The fact that the strip over the nine mile stretch is so bad during the stormy months has forced the community to be a mail order town instead of local county buyers.

Residents here feel that the situation is certainly worthy of action more than pacification, which has been the past method of handling the problem and Sprague River citizens will give every aid to the Klamath county chamber of commerce for its big brother stand on the county's most pressing road problem.

BLY CCC CAMP HAS OPEN HOUSE

BLY—Open house was held at the CCC camp at Bly Sunday, March 30. Guests at the 12 o'clock dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Detrick, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mengle, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Mann Varnum, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Harris, Melvin Stone, Bill Alcorn, Lois Osborne, Wayne Varnum.

A baseball game between the Podunk team and the CCC team formed the afternoon's entertainment. The final score was 9-5 in favor of Podunk.

Following the game all spectators were invited to enjoy refreshments in honor of the eighth anniversary establishment of the CCC. Lieutenant Grady Riels was commanding officer for the day and was responsible for the entertainment and success of the occasion.

Malin Teams to Enter FFA Meet At Corvallis

MALIN—In addition to competition in parliamentary drill at the state Future Farmers of America convention in Corvallis April 24, 25 and 26 the Malin chapter will enter two demonstration teams. It was announced Monday by A. E. Street, advisor. Street stated that chapter members will probably compete in the farm mechanics division and in dipping seed potatoes. The local chapter has for the past four years captured first place in the division of farm mechanics.

Contestants will be decided upon in the next few days.

DANCE PROVIDES BLY PARTY FUND

BLY — The junior class of Bly high school is highly appreciative of the support given them as evidenced by the large crowd at a benefit dance on Saturday at the high school gym.

Sufficient funds were realized from the event to take care of the expenses relevant to entertaining the seniors at a banquet and theatre party early in May. Those who assisted the adviser, Mrs. Helen Hoffman, in making the affair a success were Freddy Kohler, who decorated the gym; Dale Smith, assisted by Martha Givan and Paula Blanton, publicity; Superintendent G. N. Elliott, Bryan Capps, who managed the pop concession; X. C. Capps, Mrs. Mann Varnum, Mrs. Gertrude Coke, who helped serve the plate lunch; Mann Varnum, who cleaned the gym, and A. T. Hoffman and Norman Smith, who acted as floor managers.

Music was furnished by Jimmie Coons and his orchestra. Highlight of the evening was the jitterbug contest, first place going to MaryCile McMullan and her partner Beryl Passmore. At 1 o'clock the balloon dance was held with hundreds of gay balloons falling from all parts of the gym's ceiling.

Quartz Mt.

Mrs. Vera Real, Mrs. Merle Brown and young James Brown motored to Lakeview Monday evening to attend the theatre.

Three Ewauna school children, James Brown, Betty and Roger Wright, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carter, their teacher, motored to Lakeview Tuesday where they visited the city schools for the day. The children enjoyed a profitable day and were served hot chocolate with their lunch. Mrs. Carter visited many rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brandenburg spent the weekend visiting her people at Sprague River.

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Fort Klamath, parents of Lee Ferguson, visited Quartz Mountain Wednesday enroute to Lakeview where they will spend several days visiting their daughter, Mrs. Jack Briscoe.

Mrs. Vera Real left Thursday for Sprague River where she spent two days visiting friends at Ewauna camp. On Friday she was entertained at a luncheon given by Mrs. Pearl Lehto. Those present were Mrs. Wayne Greshong, Mrs. Jack Congo, Mr. and Mrs. Hertzog, Mrs. Clayton Piggott, Mrs. Earl McMurrin, Mrs. Frank Kirkland and Mrs. Leo Lehto.

Peggy Brown and Richard Wright, both three years of age, attended school Wednesday. The tiny tots had a grand time "playing school."

Mr. and Mrs. John Stafford announced the arrival of an eight pound baby boy, Raymond Alfred, March 28, at 11:30 p. m. Mother and baby are reported doing well at Dr. Robertson's maternity home in Lakeview. Stafford has returned to work at Ewauna camp, Sprague River.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carter left Friday for Portland where Mr. Carter will remain to find work. Mrs. Carter returned Monday to finish the school term of teaching before joining her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and family were weekend guests in Klamath Falls at the home of her father, C. J. Evans.

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Upchurch Called From Merrill To Active Duty

MERRILL — Lieutenant Robert C. Upchurch, who since last August has been commanding officer at CCC Camp Klamath will be relieved April 10 to resume active naval duty at Newport News, Va.

Lieutenant Upchurch spent 23 years in the navy as an engineering officer previous to his present detail and will be stationed on the USS Hornet, an airplane carrier. He will be succeeded in command here by Lieutenant Thomas, a junior officer at Camp Klamath.

Malin

Easter night pinocle greeted the Friday night pinocle group at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sheldon Saturday night when the members of the club terminated this year's round of play with a potluck supper.

A jolly Easter bunny, clutching a gay yellow daffodil peeped from a mound of crepe paper in spring colors. Tall green tapers in matching holders flanked the center motif. Place cards marked places for Mr. and Mrs. Merle Loosley, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ratliff, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hundley, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kester, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. King, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sheldon, Mrs. J. Perry Haley and Miss Juanita Haley. Grand prizes covered

ing the entire season's play went to Mrs. Charles Hamilton and Jack Ratliff. Runners up were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. King. First prize for the evening went to Mrs. Hamilton and A. J. King and consolation awards to Mrs. King and Guy Sheldon.

The Malin unit of the county home extension group will meet Friday, April 4, at the home of Mrs. Dick Henzel instead of with Mrs. Perry Haley.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Robinson, Grants Pass, were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McCollum. McCollum and Mrs. Robinson are brother and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Semon at their summer home on the Umpqua river.

The Helping Hand society will meet Wednesday, April 2, at the home of Mrs. Oscar Hammer. Losers in the annual attendance contest sponsored by the society will entertain the winners on April 9 at the home of Mrs. C. M. Kirkpatrick.

Skits presented by the junior class of the high school and the eighth grade of the junior high school with part of the high school glee club and band will go to Keno and Bonanza high schools this week to present a return assembly program. Both schools entertained her recently. One of the two winners in stunt night contest will also be chosen by the high school to represent Malin in the county

skit festival to be held in Klamath Falls Friday night.

Seniors of the Malin and Merrill high schools will confer this week here on plans for the annual senior ball to be held in the Malin high school gymnasium with both classes as hosts. May 9 has been set as the date, and other details will be worked out by committees and advisors.

New CCC Camp Doctor Arrives

TULELAKE — Dr. Alphonso Schubert of San Francisco arrived recently to take up his duties as camp surgeon at CCC Camp Lava Beds, succeeding Dr. Canlah Bigelow whose contract with the government has terminated.

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