

MIDLAND EMPIRE NEWS

HONOR STUDENTS NAMED AT MALIN

MALIN—John Loosley with a four-year grade average of 86.3 will represent the senior class of the Malin high school as valedictorian on commencement night, May 31, it was announced this week by A. E. Street, principal of the high school. Bessie Hanel, with an average of 85.4, will be salutatorian.

Both students have been active in extra-curricular activities. This year's class is the smallest in the past 20 years, only six students being enrolled as seniors. Of this number two boys are eligible before the end of the term for service in the armed forces.

Pre-graduation activities will be much the same as other years with the exception of the annual junior-senior ball. Because of the difficulty of obtaining an orchestra the ball will probably be shelved this spring, but graduates will be entertained at a banquet by the junior class. An achievement day program is also planned and music week will be observed by a public appearance of high school and junior high school students in a festival on May 10 under the direction of Mrs. Jean Blake. There will be no charge.

School will officially close in Malin on June 10, later than last year since students then were not required to make up during the term time lost during the month-long potato harvest vacation last fall.

New Pine Creek

This Saturday evening the East grange will open promptly at 8 o'clock, and after a short session there will be a dedication program of the service men's flag, beginning at 9, to which the public is invited.

The newly-organized Boy Scout troop which is being sponsored by the East Side grange has held two meetings, the last being Tuesday evening. Scoutmaster Pearl Steward invited Boy Scout Commissioner Milton Fisher of Lakeview to meet with the boys and help set up the organization machinery so that the boys can begin work on their tenderfoot badges. Nine boys were present, eligible to become tenderfoots as soon as they have passed the requirements, after which the troop can apply for a charter and begin scouting in earnest.

Five boys who are of the "cub" age group were present, and Fisher will work out some method by which they can take up the preliminary scout training under the "neighborhood den" plan. All the boys are showing real interest in the work and it is believed that a real lively troop can eventually be worked up. The meeting next Tuesday evening will be concerned with dividing the troop into two patrols, electing

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two patrol leaders, two patrol scribes and one troop scribe.

Hugh Mercer and Mr. Blum, two men active in scouting in Lakeview, accompanied Fisher and were present at the meeting to assist by telling how their boys were getting along, and to extend words of encouragement to the local scouts.

Last Wednesday afternoon, a week ago, the U. S. Star Route mail stage, running between Alturas and Lakeview, overturned near the old Black Hawk cinnabar mine on its return trip to Alturas. J. A. Corbin, the driver, and a man riding with him, whose name was not learned, were uninjured in the mishap, except for bruises and shock. The mail truck, damaged some, had not yet been brought back into service on Tuesday, and Corbin, who was not able to drive the substitute truck on the following day, is still off duty. Bill Larkin, a former driver on the route, is pinching hitting as a driver at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cloud and daughter, Mrs. Velma Newell, left Monday for Valjeo, where they will visit Ernest Cloud and family and other relatives for several weeks.

Jimmy Hanks, young brother of Mrs. Leroy Daniels, took the family 22 out to kill a magpie last Wednesday afternoon, and accidentally shot through his big toe, splintering the bone. He was taken to Lakeview for medical care and is reported to be getting along all right now.

Leroy Daniels has been quite sick with the flu, which developed into pneumonia on Friday and Saturday. Mrs. Raymond Reese attended him and assisted in bringing his fever down, so on Monday he was quite a bit better. He is believed to be entirely out of danger now. Roy Partin has been doing his work for him while he has been sick.

Mrs. Daisy Fleming entertained the Pinocchio club on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Faye Keller won high score and Mrs. Dorothy Blunt, low. The next meeting will be in two weeks, with Mrs. Faye Keller.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Blurton arrived in New Pine Creek on Thursday from San Francisco, where Blurton has been employed in the barber business.

Pete Svajl, ranch hand at the Robnett ranch, suffered quite a severe cut over one eye and his nose last Monday. The mishap occurred when he was getting brush under the wheels, it seems the pickup upon which he and Clyde McClain had loaded posts, got stuck. The binder was loosened and some of the posts were unloaded. Pete was putting brush under the rear wheels to keep them from spinning. Just as he bent over to put more brush under the wheels, a post came off, bounced against the fender, and kicked up into his face.

Kenneth Butler, who has been in the hospital with a serious bruise he sustained while playing basketball over a month ago, was some better last Tuesday, his father, Earl Butler, said. Infection of a deep-seated nature seemed to have begun but may be stopped now since he is better.

Mrs. Jack Whitsett arrived in Lakeview last Tuesday and was met by her mother, Mrs. Faye Keller, who brought her home. She plans to stay a while, but just how long was not learned.

Elks Asked to Come To Dance Earlier

In order to honor St. Patrick, before the midnight curfew, members of the Elks who are planning to attend the dance, Saturday, March 17, are asked to hold their cocktail parties at the club. Table service will begin at 7:30 p. m., and dancing to the marine band may be enjoyed from 8:30 to 11:30. The dance will be semi-formal, and all Elks and their ladies are invited.

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The Pine Needle club of Ivory Pine met at the home of Mrs. Elaine Larkey on Thursday, March 8 with nine members present and three visitors. At the business meeting it was voted to give \$25 to the Red Cross drive from the club fund. Letters received by Sarah McMillan from Carlos Lugo from Holland and Bill Peterson from Belgium were read. Refreshments were served to Maude Butler, Ellen Deaton, Lois McRoberts, Eva Stillwell, Rosie LaCasse, Ellen Michaelson, Peggy Patterson, Thelda McMillan, Mrs. Frost, Mrs. Hannon, Mrs. Taylor and hostess Elaine Larkey. The next meeting will be at the home of Eva Stillwell on March 22.

Mrs. Merlin Nixon entertained a group of children Friday, March 9 in honor of her son Bill's ninth birthday. Games were played during the evening and refreshments were served to Herbert Armstrong, Rodney Hadley, Nancy Lybrand, Odell Lybrand, Bobbie Hartar, Eddie Angus, Janet Griffin, Beverly and Jerry Swearingen, Patsy and Peggy Osborne, Dickie Schroit, Audrey Varnum, Gloria Bell, Irene Morris, Charles Dishno, Marlene and Lee Anna Nixon and honor guest Bill Nixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Russ Smith of Prospect, Oregon spent the weekend here visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Bill Casebeer and daughter Carol are visiting relatives here. Bill is with the navy and is at San Diego waiting further orders.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Algiers and children left Monday for Castle Rock, Wash. Mrs. Algiers and children plan to make their home there and Dale will report for induction March 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus and son spent the past weekend visiting here with Angus' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Angus. Lt. Angus, who was wounded in action in France, is going to the hospital at Walla Walla for an operation, and it is expected he will spend a year there. He received seven shrapnel wounds while serving in France.

The Women's club met at the home of Helen Smith on Wednesday, March 7. After a short business meeting, refreshments were served to Janet Mullins, Lyndell Harrison, Lila Ross, Ethel Gelsbeck, Ruth Oberchain, Veda Dixon, Jean Chino, Mary Luck, Frances Schallhorn, Ruby Hannek, Elizabeth Campbell and the hostess, Helen Smith.

Fort Klamath

Saturday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O. Dyche and son Jimmie were Joe, Emmett and Leonard La Hoda, all of Malin, and Mrs. Mary Micha of Corvallis, Ore.

On Sunday, the Dyches entertained the following group of friends: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Eicholz of Klamath Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thorpe and grandson, Jackie Thorpe, all of Fort Klamath.

Mrs. Gus A. Page and Mrs. C. L. Bluckenstaff were Chiloquin business visitors on Friday. H. L. Wimer spent Friday in Klamath Falls on a business trip.

Mrs. James Miller has received word from her husband, stating that he is now stationed at Fort Riley, Kansas, with a cavalry division, having been sent there recently from Fort Lewis, Wash.

S 1/c James Van Wormer, accompanied by his wife and son, spent the past several days visiting here at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wimer, from Klamath Falls. They left Tuesday to visit a few days at Sand Creek with her brother and family. Mr. and Mrs. William Branham and son Dannie. Van Wormer is enjoying a 21-day leave and reports back next week to San Francisco for further duty with the U. S. navy.

Herbert Heinz of Merrill, Wis., is visiting here with his father-in-law, Charles J. Brisco of the Crater Lake cafe, and plans to make an extended stay.

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Hopkins Visits Rome on Eve of Big Three Confab



After conferring with Pope Pius in Rome on eve of an expected Big Three conference between President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and Premier Stalin, Harry L. Hopkins (right), Roosevelt's personal adviser, looks over a war map with Lt. Gen. Joseph T. McNarney, deputy supreme Allied commander. Signal Corps Radio-telephoto.

Malin

The American Legion auxiliary met at the auxiliary hall March 5 with 21 members answering roll call. Hostesses were Mrs. Bess McCulley and Mrs. Ann Lahoda. Mrs. Ethel Hamilton, president, was in the chair. Dainty refreshments were served to Mrs. Freitag, Mrs. Irene Trout, Mrs. Ann Storli, Mrs. Brickner, Mrs. Helen Loosley, Mrs. Alice Nyhart, Mrs. Emma Wilde, Mrs. Hazel Kallina, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Sam Woodley, Mrs. Leah Street, Mrs. Woods, Mrs. Frank Victorine, Mrs. Ann Lahoda, Mrs. Bess McCulley, Mrs. Ethel Hamilton, Mrs. Martha Brothnek, Mrs. Irvine, Mrs. Ethel Roberts and Mrs. Agnes Schreiner.

The members initiated Madeline Schreiner, daughter of Mrs. Agnes Schreiner.

Hostesses for the next meeting will be Mrs. Nyhart and Mrs. Schreiner.

The Happy Hour Bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Johnson March 6 with three tables in play. High honors went to Mrs. Marion Wilson, second high to Mrs. Agnes Schreiner and the traveling prize to Mrs. Arlie Mae Johnson.

Members voted to give \$5 to the Red Cross and to meet next at the home of Mrs. Ethel Hamilton.

Present for the evening were Mrs. Schreiner, Mrs. Leah Street, Mrs. Ethel Hamilton, Mrs. Maud Thomas, Mrs. Arlie Mae Johnson, Mrs. Elizabeth Dalton, Mrs. Doris Smith, Mrs. Dorothea Haley, Mrs. Marion Wilson, Mrs. Nell Wood, Mrs. Martha Brothnek and Mrs. Annie Petrasek.

Malin chapter, Future Farmers of America, playing basketball at Grants Pass during the Southern Oregon district FFA contests took a game from Myrtle Point, 39-18, and a second game from Roseburg, 25-6. Princeton.



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Two Named Directors For War Memorials

SAN FRANCISCO, March 15 (AP)—James Richardson, manager of Portland Multnomah stadium, and Royal Brougham, Seattle Post-Intelligencer sports editor, have been named Oregon and Washington directors for the national commission for living war memorials. Sam Hayes, the commission's Pacific coast advisor, announced.

Mrs. William Graham, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Wilma Huntork, are in Palm Springs where they are visiting Lester Graham, who is hospitalized there after being returned wounded from the European theater of war.

Mrs. Charles Maupin, Ashland, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Luther Holbrook, Ashland, here recently for a brief visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John McCulley. Mr. Holbrook was a guest of his brother, W. J. Holbrook and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dearborn and Mark spent Sunday at Bonanza with his mother, Mrs. Mary Dearborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frazier visited Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Reg Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Brown have moved to Klamath Falls where Mrs. Brown will live while Barney is in the Seabees.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Dearborn and family and Pete Hriczke and Kenneth were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Les Leavitt and family. Mrs. Rhea House and Jean and Hazel Gift were afternoon visitors.

Mrs. Ray March and family spent Wednesday with Mrs. Bill Burnett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Brickner of Merrill and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frazier visited at the R. M. Tenre ranch Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burnett and sons spent Sunday at Midland with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pinelli.

Mrs. Frank Brown and baby daughter, Trudy Kay, are home from Klamath Falls. Mrs. Ruby

Brown of Bonanza is staying with her son and family.

Mrs. Mary Smith spent the week in Klamath Falls at the Hall hotel.

Mrs. Oscar Campbell and daughter, Evelyn, are home after several months at Arbutus, Calif., where Oscar wintered cattle.

Don Horsley, Gilbert Joy and Ted Pepple, all of Klamath Falls, spent the weekend at Ted's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Pepple.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Dearborn and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Dearborn and son.

Mrs. Nellie Dean and Mrs. Mary Dearborn visited Mrs. Pepple and Bob of Klamath Falls on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray March spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ray March.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Jones and son of Bonanza spent Saturday with the Ed Jones family.

Bill Burnett and Frank McCulley made a business trip to Grants Pass on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Anderson and Joyce were visitors at Leavitt home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frazier spent Sunday evening with Ray Marchants.

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