

EXTENSION CLUB MEETS AT LUTHER'S; VISITORS TO PORTLAND

KEASEY—(Special to the Eagle) —The Keasey Extension Club met at Mrs. Luther's house December 5 and Mrs. Purvine demonstrated the pressure cooker. After the meal was served, the regular meeting was held and then the members enjoyed a Christmas tree. Those present were Mesdames: Helen Smith, Mildred Brady, Louise Nissen, Viola Treharne, Edith Parker, Mary Christiansen, Georgia Mellinger, Helen Roland, Ann Riggs, Hilda Keasey, Grace Pierce, Vivian Counts, Blanch DeWitt, Lyla Morris, Iva Gilham, Viola Comstock, Clara Lindsay Florence Kirkbride, the hostess, Ann Luther and Mrs. Maude Purvine.

The 4-H Club met at Mrs. Luther's December 5. Mrs. Maude Purvine, home demonstrator, gave a lecture on posture.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Krieger and three children, Evelyn, Marvin and Billy, visited at the W. J. Lindsay home Thursday evening.

Mrs. Heibert Counts made a trip to Portland Thursday.

Joe Lindley and Ted DeWitt drove to Portland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Krieger were in Portland Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Luther and son, Tommy, spent the weekend with Mrs. Ann Luther and son, Jimmy.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. White, Frank Emercon and Priscilla White spent Saturday and Sunday in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. DeVaney visited the J. O. DeVaney home Sunday.

Lyla Morris spent the weekend with Mrs. George Clark.

HERE FROM MONTANA RETURN FROM SCAPPOOSE TO WORK

RIV...RVIEW—(Special to The Eagle)—Mr. George Oliver Lindsay, brother of Mrs. J. Atkins and Mrs. Arthur Nanson, is visiting in Vernonia from St. Ignatius, Montana. He is accompanied on his trip by Mr. Conrad Phillips, also of St. Ignatius, Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Morin and daughter of Arlee, Montana, departed for home after visiting several weeks in Vernonia with Mrs. Morin's sisters, Mrs. J. H. Atkins and Mrs. Arthur Nanson.

The sewing club was entertained last Wednesday at the Warren Aldrich home. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Maurice Graves.

Mrs. D. Powell was visiting Mrs. Noble Dunlap Saturday.

Mrs. Ernest Gwin was in Portland Saturday and Sunday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rainey have moved from Mrs. Powell's apartments to Riverview.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lynch were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. George Woods Sunday.

Margaret Halman and Richard Banzer were at Seaside Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McMullen have returned from Scappoose. Mr. McMullen will return to work in the mill.

Mildred Wolf of Natal sustained a bad bruise on her cheek when she was bitten by a horse.

Eva Clark of Portland was here visiting her mother, Mrs. Cummings, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Gibson, Patsy, Claudine and Claude were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Veberes Sunday.

AN FRANCISCANS VISIT KIRKBRIDES; LA GRANDE MAN HERE

STONE POINT—(Special to The Eagle)—Mr. and Mrs. Ray McGee and daughter, were weekend visitors at the Bert DePue home.

Mrs. John Krinick was a Friday visitor at the Kirkbride home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Merrill of San Francisco, parents of Mrs. Myron Kirkbride, arrived Monday evening for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Browning and son spent the weekend at the Otto Boeck home near Keasey.

Mrs. Walter Thompson was a Saturday visitor at the Kirkbride home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bodell and sons were Forest Grove visitors Saturday.

U. S. Mellinger of LaGrande is visiting at the P. O. Mellinger home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Mellinger and children and Perry Mellinger were in St. Helens Monday on business.

FACTS FOR DRIVERS

Non-resident motor vehicle registrations in Oregon totaled 138,781 for the first ten months of 1939, an increase of six per cent over the registration for the same time last year, it was announced today by Earl Snell, Secretary of State.

Registration for the month of October totaled 8,082, an increase of 933 over the 7,749 registered in October in 1938.

The city of Ashland registered 1,649 out-of-state cars to lead registration stations in the state during October. Other heavy registration points were Cave City, 1,061; Arlington, 514; Umattilla, 425; Grants Pass, 415; Klamath Falls, 370; Portland, 341; Brookings, 324; Medford, 302.

A total of 105,522 cars, or 76 per cent of the total non-resident cars registered during the first ten months of the year were from the western states of Washington, California, Idaho, Nevada, Montana, Colorado, Utah, Wyoming, Arizona, and New Mexico. California was first with 65,418 cars while Washington was second with 25,913. Idaho sent 4,928 and Canada, 4,826.

Eagle Items Of Past Years

ONE YEAR AGO— WPA Camp Manning was under construction for the housing of men to be employed on the construction of that portion of the Wolf creek highway between Buxton and Davies' crossing at the pavement end north of Banks.

Announcement was made of the opening of the Red and Write store by Mr. and Mrs. Irving Thorn within a short time. The store was formerly operated under the same name by A. E. Adams.

Vernonia firemen were called to the Vernonia Laundry to quench a fire originating from overheated machinery. Very little loss was suffered to the machinery of the establishment.

FIVE YEARS AGO— A question of boundary between school district 47, Vernonia, and the Chapman district was decided in favor of Chapman at a hearing in St. Helens before the district boundary board Monday. The board is composed of the county court and the county school superintendent.

A house on Rose Avenue owned by Mrs. Alina Sitts was ruined by fire Tuesday afternoon and the furnishings destroyed. The fire was thought to have started from an overheated stove. Damage to the house totaled \$300 and to the furnishings, \$150.

TEN YEARS AGO— Completion of the 100 by 115 foot tile and concrete building by Tom Crawford helped make 1929 one of the best building years in the history for Vernonia.

Ed Tapp was named Worshipful Master of Vernonia lodge No. 184, A. F. and A. M.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO— Vernonia's new \$22,000 grade school building containing four school rooms will be completed about the first of the year.

Payment Rates For 1940 Farm Program Listed

Rates of payments which will be made to participating farmers in the 1940 AAA farm program were announced this week by the state office at Corvallis following the official beginning of the new year's program December 1.

Among principal changes is the rate to wheat growers. They will receive a performance payment of nine cents a bushel on the average yield of their allotted acreage, as

Medical Research Going On in Tuberculosis



Medical research in tuberculosis is one of the most valuable activities made possible by Christmas Seal income. Research is carried on throughout the year at six universities in this country.

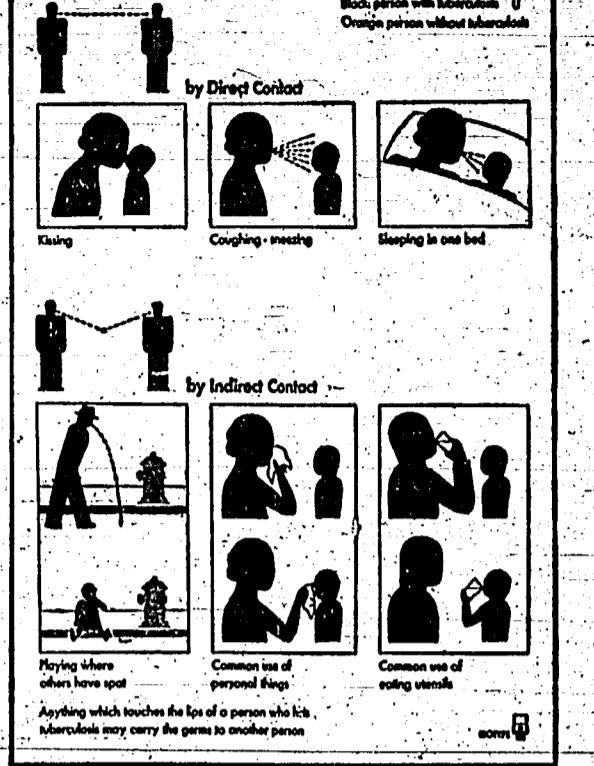
compared to 17 cents in 1939. "This reduction is made necessary by the fact that the United States acreage goal for 1940 has been raised from 55 million acres of wheat to 62 million acres," explained Will Steen of Milton, chairman of the state agricultural conservation committee. "This means that money appropriated by congress must be divided more, bringing a lower payment per acre."

It is expected that "parity payments" will again be made in 1940 to wheat growers. These will be made only if the 1939 average price of wheat is less than 75 per cent of parity.

There will be no charges in payment rates to growers of potatoes or commercial vegetables. Potato growers in those counties designated as commercial potato growing areas will continue to receive three cents a bushel on the average yield of their allotted acreage, if they comply with the farm program. Commercial vegetable growers cooperating in those counties designated as commercial vegetable growing areas will continue to receive \$1.50 an acre on their allotted acreage.

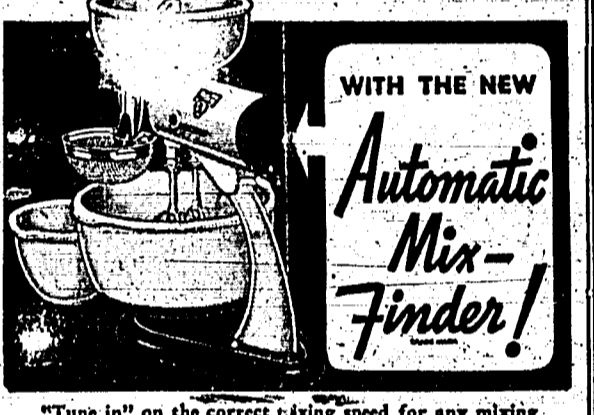
A rate of \$2 an acre has been set up for use in computing payments which may be earned by growers of commercial orchards and perennial vegetables such as strawberries and asparagus. The payments to growers of perennial vegetables who comply with acreage allotments are a new feature which has been added to the 1940 farm program.

Tuberculosis Germs are Passed from Person to Person in Many Ways



Anything which touches the lips of a person who has tuberculosis may carry the germs to another person.

THE NEW Sunbeam MIXMASTER



WITH THE NEW Automatic Mix-Finder! Tune in on the correct mixing speed for any mixing need by simply dialing the Mix-Finder. They are all plainly indicated on the dial—easy-to-see, easy-to-set and scientifically right. You can't go wrong. Come in and see the new Mixmaster with this marvelous exclusive feature. Complete with juice extractor, only \$24.50.

Oregon Gas & Electric Co.

Advertisement for Vernonia Auto Co. featuring a cartoon of a car and a driver, with text: 'Drive Right Over to The Vernonia Auto Co. Before long, you'll be running into sub-zero weather, icy streets and giant snow drifts. Your car will have to be in perfect shape to get through safely, without delay. We'll tune 'er up for winter driving! Stop in without fail. Give a Car Accessory as a Christmas Gift. Vernonia Auto Co. "A Safe Place to Trade" Chevrolet Motor Cars — Authorized Service Vernonia'

Advertisement for Egg Marks The Spot, Officer. Features a photo of a woman and a man, with text: 'Egg Marks The Spot, Officer. Patrolman Harold Nickerson of the Detroit Police put his ticket book away when Betty Dane, Wayne University student, explained that her driving with an egg was only part of a security initiation stunt. She did it, too, without breaking the egg, by using a Chevrolet, in which vacuum from the motor supplies nearly all the power necessary in shifting gears with the new steering-column shift lever.'

Advertisement for Gillette Blade. Features a photo of a man shaving, with text: 'Your Face Looks Better And Feels Better When You Shave With This New Gillette Blade At 1/2 Price! FOR you men who want really good-looking, comfortable shaves at a big saving... here's the best news in years. You can shave with a genuine Gillette Blade... precision made to fit your razor exactly... and pay only 10c for 4! The new Thin Gillette is made of easy-flexing steel hard enough to cut glass. What's more, it has edges of an entirely new kind that stand up for one swell shave after another. Buy a package of Thin Gillette from your dealer today and protect your face from smart and burn caused by misfit blades. Thin Gillette Blades Are Produced By The Maker Of The Famous Gillette'