More Than 400 Come From Near, Far To Attend Lake Square Dance Festival

By AGNES H. NEAVE

FRANCOIS LAKE — More than 400 persons turned out Saturday night to attend the Square Dance festival in the Farmers' Institute hall here. Two exhibition dances by the Pendleton Bay Seniors started the evening off with the Palling Juniors being the first group to have their dancing judged. The second set, "Take a Look at the Northern Lights" danced by the Red and White Sports club was called by Judy Carlson. Mike Palmer then called "Into the Kitchen and Take a Peek" for the second set of primary dancers. No. 2 set of the Red and White club danced the "Texas Star" called by Pat Palmer, followed by Palling Juniors with "Poor Little Robin." Cyril Shelford was chairman for the evening and judges were Ken Cassidy, Mrs. Grace Weldon and Mrs. Kullander.

When Mr. Fehr was coming out from Burns Lake to catch a ferry here and coming along a straight stretch of road the other side of Partingtons, the tie rod broke and he lost control of the car. It dove straight for the woods, crashed through a barbed wire fence, pushed two good-sized poplars out by the roots, and knocked so many more down on top of it that it was hard to see from the highway. Mr. Fehr was not hurt, and after working on the delivery at home (it was hauled home behind a truck) it is now on the road once more.

When our newlyweds, Laurette and Bobby Jeffrey, came home to their cottage on Tuesday they thought that nobody knew of their arrival from their honeymoon, but the grapevine had been busy and late that night neighbours livened things up by chivareeing them.

The Riding Club met at the Shaffer farm on Sunday morning and camp was pitched near the chuck wagon beside the lake on the edge of the hay meadow.

After a good meal the riders then cut across to Gordon Lawson's to try and find "Jerry" who was with a bunch of horses on the range. They located him caught him, bridled him and now Marvin Chapelle has a mount for the rides. He rode double with Keith Shaffer on his pony until they caught Jerry and were able to ride home single.

John Keefe drove his mother Mrs. John Keefe, home from Houston by the old road, cutting across to Noralee and then by the lake shore road to the Landing. This road has been impassable for many years, but is now quite good. Although there is no difference in the mileage coming this way rather than going to Burns Lake and then turning south, it made a pleasant change.

Pictures obtained from UBC by the Womens Institute were shown in the hall Thursday evening. Also shown were films taken of the May 24 celebration with the crowning of the Queen, the procession, square dancing and the square dance on horseback.

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HOME DECORATING is a cinch to some housewives and a problem to others, so I thought the following hints might just help some of the latter!

IF A SMALL ROOM is the problem, keep in mind that walls and woodwork painted the same color will make a room look larger. A light tint is better than a dark tint for the small room also.

IF YOU ARE BOTHERED by irregular and unattractive lines in a room, paint the ceilings, walls and woodwork the same color. The result will be a camouflage of the bothersome lines.

IF YOU WANT TO CHANGE your bedroom scheme, choose a quiet color. Soft blue-grey and yellow are restful colors for such rooms. But don't let it be monotonous—add touches of stronger color. Artificial lights will soften colors at night.

HIGH CEILINGS MAY BE lowered in appearance by painting them a deep color and possibly carrying the ceiling color down onto the wall for a foot or two. Light tints, especially blue imitating the sky, will make a low ceiling appear higher.

INCIDENTALLY, WHEN painting, if you find that paint trips down the can and onto the floor, no matter how careful you are, here is a trick that will solve your problem. Place either a paper or aluminum pie plate or just a good-sized piece of aluminum foil under your paint can. This can be moved easily from place to place without difficulty or muss.

IF YOU'VE EVEH WISHED for an easier way to shake down a thermometer than the usual violent flips of the wrist, try placing your thermometer in its own case, mercury end down, firmly attaching a double string to the clip at top of case, and whirling it around a few times by the string. Thermometer will be completely shaken down.

IF JUNIOR IS BEING difficult about drinking his daily ration of milk, a teaspoon of molasses added to each glass is a fine persuader. Good nutritionally, too. Lots of iron in molasses.

PERSONALS

Mrs. T. W. Brown and her daughter Anne, 407 Fifth Avenue West, returned home Saturday by plane via Terrace from Vancouver where Mrs. Brown has been receiving medical treatment. Miss Brown has just completed her teacher's training at Victoria Normal school. The Brown's plan to leave the city within the week to take up permanent residence in Vancouver where Mr. Brown has been appointed to the British Columbia Supreme Court.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stewart and daughters left the city Monday morning on the Union Steamship, Camosun, for Vancouver. Mr. Stewart was formerly on the teaching staff of King Edward Elementary school.

Mrs. A. L. Bell and her children, Linda and David, 325 Fourth Avenue East, left Monday by Canadian Pacific Airlines plane for Vancouver and Victoria where they will spend a month's holiday.

Civic Centre Opened at Burns Lake

Special to The Daily News

FRANCOIS LAKE—Burns Lake Dominion Day celebrations saw the opening of the new Civic Centre Monday with an inaugural dance.

Festivities included a parade and several ball games, highlight of which was the Francois Lake and Southbank fixture, which Southbank won 4-3 in a tense struggle that went 12 innings.

Other game results were:

Southbank 9, Prince George RCAF 4; Francois Lake 5, Endako 1; Prince George Legion 4, Burns Lake 3; Prince George Chevys 7, Prince George Legion 3; Southbank 6, Prince George Chevys 4.

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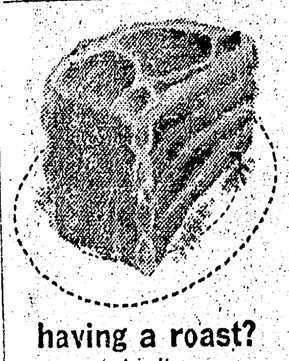
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