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COMING EVENTS

Sept. 15-----State Jam Session- Warner Grange-----New Era, Oregon
Sept. 22-----Jam Session- Whitacre School-----Eugene, Oregon
Sept. 22-----Jam Session- Applegate Ranch

PRINCE GEORGE CONTEST B.C. CONTEST, AUG. 8-10th

A huge crowd attended this fine contest, being attracted by special guest Graham Townsend, famous North American Fiddle Champ from Toronto, Canada. What a fiddler this young man is! Being born nearly blind, he has never driven a car or done a lot of things others have, but his sensitive feelings for music have been developed to such a high degree of perfection so as to make his fiddling, piano playing, guitar and mandolin picking something to behold. Winners in this contest were; Marj Lewis of Montana won the Ladies. Stan Prudin of Quesnell, B.C. won the Srs. In the Open it was Frank Ferrell 1st. Bob Montgomery of Prince George 2nd. John Givens, Burford, Ontario 3rd. John Melinchuk of Lebanon, Oregon 4th. Art Lindstrom of Prince George 5th. Bill Warwick of Williams, Oregon 6th. Jim Ropp, Spokane, Wash. 10th.

Bill Warwick was piloted up there by Keith Whiting of Grants Pass. Jim Ropp flew Aaron Lowe up from Spokane. The boys all four had a good time and flew for home Sunday morning, complete with their burp bags.

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On August 17th, some of our fiddlers and accompanists played to a very, very small audience in a very fine Studio room at Mt. Hood Community College in Gresham. The fiddlers were Mura Collins, Clarence Davis, Harold Shivley, Fred Hildebrandt, George Jenkerson, Wes Brunson, Penny Mead, Bill Wilson, Gladys Braskett, Charlie Johnson, Valdemar Nelson, Palmer Olson and Jim Ramsey. Accompanists were; Frank Warner, Jim Braskett, Marshall Jackson and Penny Mead on Guitar. Piano Accompanists were; Minnie Bennett, Millie Shivley and Gladys Braskett. Penny Mead played Bass Fiddle. Specials were offered by Harold Shivley and Clarence Davis, playing a Fiddle Duet. Fred Hildebrandt and Gladys Braskett, Fiddle Duet, John Dougherty and Marshall Jackson played Mandolin specials. Thank you for helping out on this occasion.

Marshall Jackson

DISTRICT 1 REPORTS:

Our Fiddlers are still busy when they can get there. With summer vacations and work, it's been a little difficult, but we have played at Lakeview, Oregon for a street dance on Friday July 26th. L.D. Daniels, Ivan Johnson, Perry Forga and Homer McLain and Larry McLain were the Fiddlers. Doris Clark, Cliff Tunnell, Anne Johnson

