

Jack Couch Gets Scholarship Of Home Extension



JACK COUCH
...wins scholarship

Jack L. Couch of Milo, a 1954 graduate of Days Creek High School, was announced Monday as the winner of the first annual Douglas County Home Extension Scholarship.

The tuition scholarship was set up this year by the Douglas County Home Extension Committee to be awarded to some worthy boy or girl planning to enter the freshman class at Oregon State College. Couch will enter the school of engineering at the college.

Helen Chandler, county extension agent reported that this scholarship will be an annual project of the county extension groups which raise the money.

Factors considered in making the final selection of Couch were:

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City Manager Farrell Lists Need For Funds

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sum is asked for repairs of sewers. Engineering supplies and equipment will cost \$1,800 extra this year.

More office supplies have been asked in nearly every department, and the increases requested reflect the rising costs of utilities, a result of Copco's rate increase of last winter. Estimates also have been set high on telephone and telegraph services in anticipation of increases, Farrell noted.

A total of \$111,000 on the budget comes as a bonus revenue to the city from the state, which annually refunds part of the state gasoline tax to municipalities.

The sum is \$41,000 over that of last year because of the city's increased population and also because of a surplus of last year's refunds left unspent.

Street widening, tentatively on Mosher Street, will take up an estimated \$37,900. Repair of the bridge over Deer Creek on West Second Avenue and rehabilitation of Fowler Street will cost in the neighborhood of \$29,000. Materials, which include those for patching and other street repair, will take up about \$16,500.

Other items where more money is asked are in recreation and \$1,650 for a new roof on the city library. A street lighting plan for West Roseburg will cost \$2,700, and maintenance at the municipal airport will cost an estimated \$1,000 more.

Payments on bond principal and interest are \$8,905 higher for the coming fiscal year, mainly because of the issue let for the new fire substation.

There are areas in which the budget has been cut under the amount spent this year.

Fire hydrants, Farrell said, are in the best shape in several years, so money for new hydrants and replacements has been cut by \$500. Supplies for parking meters are down by \$1,000, although \$540 is asked for new meters on Kane Street.

The big cut came in allotments for repair and maintenance to the city hall. This year, \$7,000 was budgeted for those purposes. An addition to the building will be paid off soon, so \$1,200 is being asked next year.

The proposed budget, defeated last month, will be resubmitted to voters Friday between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. At issue is a tax levy of \$170,208.33 outside the 3 per cent limitation.

A list of polling places and outline of the budget will appear in Thursday's News-Review.

Friendship Club To Meet—Pythian Sisters Friendship Club will meet at K.P. Hall at 8 p.m. Thursday. Members are asked to come and bring cookies, recipes for exchange and coupons. Hostesses will be Thelma Cameron and Jessie Schlinsoy.

Academic record, financial need, contribution to school and community, character and general recommendation.

Damages Asked For Two Horses

David H. Loftis has filed a suit for damages against Wilburn White, charging White had shot two of his horses, killing one.

According to the complaint in circuit court, White shot a 1½-year-old palomino colt and a 5-year-old mare on Feb. 27.

Loftis states in the complaint that both animals were standing in the middle of Drys Creek Road. He charges that White "maliciously" shot and killed the colt and fired another shot into the rump of the mare, crippling her.

He asks \$500 special damages and \$300 punitive damages for loss of the colt and \$200 special and \$200 punitive damages for the mare. Loftis called the alleged act "utter disregard for the rights of others."

Neuberger Lashes Power Policies Of Sen. Cordon

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from its proceeds, and Grand Coulee is 19 per cent paid for.

He called the John Day arrangement worse than Hell's Canyon because, in the latter case, the government is just giving the site to the Idaho Power Co. In the case of John Day, he said, the government is even building the dam for PGE.

Turning to another example of his contention that Cordon is favoring utilities, Neuberger said a BPA transmission line was sold in Southern Oregon at a "bargain basement sale" to Copco last year, and voters were told what a saving the sale had been. Shortly after that, he said, Copco asked for and received a raise in rates.

One of the reasons the company included in the request was the cost of the transmission line.

Neuberger said he was stressing the loss of the public power projects because its loss was most imminent. "If we Democrats lose this election, we will lose public power," he predicted.

He also contended that Sen. Cordon had kept new industry out of Oregon by his opposition to public power. He said the heavy concentration of aluminum operations in Washington was a case in point.

As a last slap he had no kind words for the Cordon-Ellsworth timber bill. He quoted a U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service friend as calling it a "most thinly-disguised raid on the National Forest." He did not expound further on this point.

He continued that the offshore oil lands had already been given away, and Cordon had led the "give away" when proceeds under government ownership could have gone to education. He summarized the "give away" could expand to power and even timber.

After scathing Cordon, Neuberger expanded on his contention that one party has been in power too long in Oregon. As he had earlier Tuesday, Neuberger called on the Republicans' favorite present-day figure, President Eisenhower, to prove his point. He quoted Eisenhower as saying "political health is endangered" if one party stays in power too long. Neuberger said



COLORED WOMEN'S TRIO—The trio will appear in sacred concert at the First Church of the Nazarene, 400 E. Douglas St., Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. There is no admission, and the public is invited.

McCarthy Not To Be Invited For Oregon Talk

PORTLAND — Sen. Joseph McCarthy (R-Wis) probably won't be invited to speak in the state during the coming congressional campaign, Ed G. Boehnke, Eugene, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee said Tuesday.

The controversial senator's popularity has slumped considerably, Boehnke said. "There are many more things—major programs of the Republican administration—in which people are more interested," Boehnke added.

McCarthy was "quite a hero" when he appeared in Portland in 1952, "because he was doing a job that the Democratic administration had refused to do. But now the Republican administration is moving to shove out Communists and security risks in government," the GOP chairman declared.

Boehnke and two other party leaders will be in Roseburg tonight for strategy talks with Douglas County Republicans.

A dinner meeting is scheduled at the Hotel Umpqua at 6:30 p.m. Accompanying Boehnke on a tour of central and southern Oregon are Ralph Williams Jr., Portland, finance chairman, and Sam Wilderman, Portland, publicity director.

If this applies on a national scale, it also applies in Oregon. He pointed out that the last Democratic Legislature in the state was in 1938, and that George Chamberlain was the last Democratic U.S. Senator to serve. He was elected in 1914, "a year before I was born," Neuberger said.

He concluded that this year's will be one of the "most decisive" elections.

On hand to introduce Neuberger at the rally was Charles O. Porter, Eugene, who will oppose Harris Ellsworth for his seat in the U.S. House of Representatives. After getting in his own ticks, Porter concluded wistfully, "We hope they (Cordon and Ellsworth) will come back to campaign."

Mrs. Neuberger also spoke briefly.

Ex-Canyonville Woman Dies In Redmond Monday

Mrs. Elton (Elsa Marie) Bollenbaugh, former resident of Canyonville, died in a Redmond, Ore., hospital June 14.

Mrs. Bollenbaugh was born in Canyonville Nov. 14, 1894, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Kimmell. She was married to Elton Bollenbaugh Dec. 31, 1918 and was a member of the Eastern Star, Rebekahs and the Methodist Church of Canyonville.

Surviving besides her husband, is a brother, Max Kimmell, Roseburg; a niece, Mrs. Maynard Bell, Bozeman, Mont., and a nephew, Karl Kimmell, Eugene.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. at the Methodist Church in Canyonville. Interment will follow at the IOOF cemetery at Canyonville. Ganz Mortuary is in charge of arrangements.

Portland Man, 2 Others Die In Crash Of Plane

HOOD RIVER — Harry K. Coffey, Portland insurance man and veteran aviator, and two others were killed Tuesday when his light plane was caught in a downdraft and crashed against a hillside.

With Coffey, 59, was his 10-year-old grandson, Lance McDonald, and his gardener, Sam Camp, 65. A witness said Coffey tried to pull up and turned on full throttle. But the air current was too strong and the plane crashed into a brush-covered hill on the Oregon side of the Columbia River five miles west of here.

A bull moose can weigh as much as 1,800 pounds.

Seattle Hearings Extended One Day

SEATTLE — Faced with a parade of reluctant witnesses and an unexpected volume of testimony, the House Committee on Un-American Activities, decided late Tuesday night to extend its stay in Seattle an extra day.

Rep. Velde (R-Ill), chairman of the committee, announced after an executive session of the group that he and two other members will move to Portland Thursday as scheduled but the three remaining members will continue hearings in Seattle.

The hearings in Portland will last two days, winding up Saturday night.

"It is anticipated," Velde announced, "that the committee will continue Wednesday with testimony of Mrs. Barbara Hartle," the one "friendly" witness yet to appear before the group.

Mrs. Hagle has named a long list of persons she said worked with her in the Communist Party during the long period she was a member.

The 45-year-old waitress, one of five persons convicted here last year of conspiracy to advocate the government's overthrow by force, is under sentence to serve five years in federal prison.

Mattresses And Bedding Arrive For City Jail

Mattresses and bedding for the new city jail arrived in Roseburg Tuesday, said Police Chief Stan Olson said Wednesday that transfer of prisoners from the county jail will come today or Thursday.

Olson said there are only three or four men to be moved from the courthouse to the city jail.

The transfer comes after a five-month contract between the city and county. The city has been paying the county 12 per cent per day at the county jail. Olson estimates that the cost of keeping prisoners may be approximately halved in the new quarters.

Donald Sterling, Retired Journal Editor, Passes

PORTLAND — Donald J. Sterling, retired managing editor of the Oregon Journal, died Tuesday at a Portland hospital from the effects of a stroke suffered four days ago. He was 67.

A native of Battle Creek, Mich., Sterling began his newspaper career in 1908 as a reporter on his home town newspaper. A year later he moved to Portland and became Sunday editor of the Journal.

Strike Action Still Pending Over Northwest

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unions of six states approved a strike. Most councils have set Monday as the strike deadline.

Davis said about 5,000 men walked out in all operations—woods, lumber, plywood, etc.—under the Redwood council's jurisdiction. Despite the name, about 70 per cent of the timber cut there is fir.

Davis said Hammond Lumber Co. of Eureka, Calif., employing around 1,000 men, last night offered a company-paid health and welfare plan estimated worth about 7½ or 8 cents an hour to workers. The mill workers accepted this, he said, but woods workers deferred decision until some points were clarified. Davis said these were minor.

Vital Statistics

Marriage License — CROUCH-STEWART — Willard Warren Crouch and Betty Lou Stewart, both of Roseburg.

Jaycee Driving School Session Slated Tonight

The second session of this year's annual Junior Chamber of Commerce driving school will get under way tonight at 6:30 at Roseburg High School.

The class has been closely coordinated in order to eliminate much of the waiting time experienced by those receiving instruction, and to permit more individual instruction in vehicle parking and general highway driving.

Chairman Mervyn Hizez said that any person who has a learner's permit and access to an automobile is eligible to participate, even though they did not attend last Wednesday's class.

Jury Awards Calahan Partial Disability Claim

A circuit court jury in Roseburg Monday afternoon returned a verdict allowing Walter Guy Calahan 35 per cent permanent partial disability of his left leg.

He had asked for 75 per cent and the State Industrial Accident Commission had allowed 10 per cent.

In his complaint, Calahan stated he had been working for Keystone Lumber Co. as a millwright on June 5, 1953, when the accident allegedly occurred. He said he fell while descending a steep stairway and had suffered a broken ankle and other injuries to his leg.

Sen. Neuberger Quotes Ike At Kiwanis Meeting

State Sen. Richard Neuberger took a quote from President Eisenhower Tuesday noon to explain the reason he is in politics.

He told Roseburg Kiwanians that former Gov. Charles Sprague, publisher of the Salem Statesman and an ardent Republican, asked him several weeks ago why he didn't stick to his writing instead of engaging in the harsh game of politics.

Neuberger, equally ardent as a Democrat, used the quote from Ike to answer. The President maintained last year that when one political party becomes deeply entrenched in office, then government is in danger.

The Democratic candidate for Congress alluded to that thought on the state level.

Neuberger's talk was meant to be non-political, for the service club backs no candidate. Even at that, he put in several digs at his opposition.

In the main, though, he stuck to his subject—his career as a nationally-known free-lance writer. He described his trip last summer over the Lolo Trail through the wilderness of central Idaho's Bitterroot Mountains.

He also briefed the club on road conditions in Canada, with which he claims to be familiar.

Mrs. Neuberger also was a guest during the luncheon. Later, the couple appeared at an open house at the Roseburg Woman's Club in the afternoon.

Mrs. Howard Johnson Passes At Tiller Home

Mrs. Howard (Sue Pearl) Johnson, 47, died Tuesday morning, June 15, at her home in Tiller. She was born April 13, 1907, in Mt. Pleasant, Utah, and came to this community 12 years ago. She was a member of the Latter Day Saints Church in Mt. Pleasant.

Surviving are her husband, Howard, Tiller; her mother, Mrs. Susan Smith, Mt. Pleasant, Utah; three sisters; Mrs. Mildred Arnold, Sweet Home; Mrs. Wanda Stewart, Billings, Mont.; Mrs. Melba Averett, Mt. Pleasant; four brothers; Arthur and Sherman Smith, both of Mt. Pleasant; Allen Smith, Los Angeles; Richard Smith, Glendale, and two nephews, Allen and Pete Smith, Tiller.

Funeral services will be held in The Chapel of the Roses, Roseburg Funeral Home, Friday, June 18, at 2 p.m. Bishop Fred Waugh of the Latter Day Saints Church will officiate. Vault interment will follow in the Civil Bend Cemetery.

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