

TALLEST TOWER
ROSWELL, N.M. (AP)—Construction of a TV tower 1,610 feet high which would be the tallest man-made structure in the world, is awaiting federal approval. John A. Barnett, owner of KSWO-TV, Roswell, said the tower, "134 feet taller than the Empire State Building—and that's pretty tall," will be built 43 miles east of Roswell.

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Owner Of Priceless Lewis And Clark Notes At Issue

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Who owns the priceless "lost" field notes of the Lewis and Clark expedition? The notes, penned by Capt. William Clark and covering the first 17 months of the historic expedition into the Western wilderness, turned up three years ago in an attic in St. Paul, Minn. No one even knew they existed.

The writings, of incalculable historical value, detailed the activities of the pioneers while camped at the mouth of the Missouri River, preparing for their journey into the Pacific Northwest.

The notes cover the period from December, 1803 to April, 1805. Persons who found the faded papers in an old desk were so surprised that they turned them over to the Minnesota Historical Society to determine their authenticity.

The desk belonged to Gen. John Henry Hammond, who died 65 years ago. It was in the attic of the home of his daughter, Mrs. Sophia V. H. Foster who died in 1952.

Authentication of the notes touched off a series of legal moves to establish their ownership. Heirs to the Hammond estate, the Minnesota Historical Society and Uncle Sam all claimed ownership. Justin Turner, a noted west Los

Angeles collector and attorney for the American Manuscript Society, said his society intends to file a new action within a week opposing the government's claim.

Gen. Hammond's heirs, represented by the First Trust Co. of St. Paul, contend they own the notes because they have been in the possession of the family for years. It was not known how the general acquired them.

The historical society claims it was given the notes by one of the heirs.

After the trust company sued the historical society for the papers in September, 1953, the federal government filed an intervening petition to contest the ownership.

Residents Returns To Canyonville

By VIRGINIA PROCTOR

Mrs. Raymond Carson returned home Saturday after spending three weeks in Portland, Sunday her daughter and family, the George McArthur's, of Portland, arrived for a week's visit.

Returns From Visit
Mrs. Claude Long with her three children, Donnie, Roney and Claudia, and their guest, Jackie Ripple, returned from a California vacation.

Mrs. Laura Yokum returned after spending several days over on the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Driggers of Roseburg were weekend guests of the O. F. Brinkley family.

Roger Richards and a college friend, Art Salazar, both of whom had attended the College of the Sequoias at Visalia, Calif., are spending the summer at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Huston.

Mr. and Mrs. David Myers of Los Angeles were recent guests of the Clarence Growls.

Attending the Masonic officers meeting in Roseburg Sunday were Guy McGee, D.D.G.M., and Bob Proctor and their families. Guests included Miss Donna Martin of Days Creek and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Proctor of San Fernando, Calif.

Catch Fish
Mr. and Mrs. Keith, Kenneth, and Delbert McGinnis spent the weekend fishing at Winchester Bay. Salmon, bass and cod were caught by the men.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Strahan were Saturday guests of Strahan's niece and family, the Willard Buchanan's, of Roseburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob LeBlanc and children, Idlewild Park and Mrs. Oliver LeBlanc were Sunday callers at the A. B. LeBlanc home on the Gabley road. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sparks of Glendale were other Sunday guests of the LeBlancs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. LeBlanc and Mrs. Belva Stewart, their guest from Seattle, Wash., spent Tuesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Butler in Grants Pass.

The Forest Glen staff held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Mildred Gaugler, Tri City.

CONDUCTOR NAMED

CALGARY, Alta. (AP)—Clayton Hare, conductor for seven years of the now-suspended Calgary Symphony Orchestra, has been appointed head of the Strings and Orchestra Department of the University of Portland, Portland, Ore. The violinist and conductor will conduct the university orchestra and will teach orchestration and conducting to students on the music degree courses.

Green Resident Returns To Home

By MARY WEIKUM

Mrs. Bryce, who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. George McDowell, of Green, has returned here after a visit with her son, Philip Bryce, who is engaged in the radio and television business in Hollywood. Mrs. Bryce also visited in San Jose.

She returned in company with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, of Detroit. Mrs. Bryce plans on accompanying them east when they return.

At that time they will travel through Wisconsin, where Mrs. Bryce will visit another son, Edward Bryce, who is a New York actor presently playing in a little Theatre group, in that state.

Pick Strawberries

Mrs. Cyrus Clark and family, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Hildebrand, are picking strawberries at the Big Sandy Farm. Cub Scout Pack no. 435 held a picnic in the Umpqua Park Sunday afternoon. During the afternoon the boys and their fathers played games. The earned awards were given out then.

Pfc. Darrel Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Myers, of Little Valley has been transferred from Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., to Fort Campbell, Ky.

Mrs. Louise Morrow of Stafford and Miss Myrtle Oldenstadt of Portland were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weikum and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Emerson and daughter, Gayle, and son, Frank, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Berney and family of Green.

AA MEET SPEAKER

KLAMATH FALLS (AP)—The general secretary of the San Francisco inter-county fellowship of Alcoholics Anonymous will speak at a Southern Oregon meeting of AA Saturday at the Klamath Falls Library Auditorium.

Elkton Club Enjoys Picnic

By MRS. ARIEL HUBBARD

The Saddle Club of Elkton held a picnic at the Jim Connon home last Sunday. The club has decided to ride horseback through the hills to Yoncalla Saturday morning.

Well-Baby Clinic

The Elkton Well-baby Clinic will be held July 12 at the Christian Church.

Church services will be held at the Methodist Church Sunday with Earl Fullerton as the speaker. Fullerton is a student at University of Oregon and a World War II veteran. He is from Springfield.

There will be a skating party sponsored by the churches of Elkton and the Lions Club. The Lions are furnishing the transportation to Roseburg. All children from the fifth grade through high school age are asked to meet in front of the Elkton Cash Market, Friday at 3 p.m. and are asked to take a lunch to eat on the bus. There is a 45 cent charge for skates and admission. Younger children are welcome if the parents can take them in their own cars.

The monthly potluck dinner at the Christian Church will be held Sunday. A business meeting will be held.

The Umpqua Valley Farm Bureau meeting was held Monday night. It was decided to meet next at the Norman Compton picnic grounds if the weather permits. It will be the fourth Monday in July.

Lodge Held

Masonic Lodge met Saturday night. Christian Hancock gave a report on his trip to grand lodge in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hoffman returned from Chicago where they have been spending their vacation. Friends have received word from Carl and Ruth Lickliter that they are in Victoria, B.C. this week. They attended a telephone meeting in Seattle last week.

Drain Man Appointed Willamette Director

Ernest J. Whipple, Drain, has been appointed director of development at Willamette University, announced President G. Herbert Smith.

Whipple has been studying for his master's degree at the University of Oregon this past year and obtained his BA degree in 1949.

Silver is 10.5 times as heavy as water.

Bids On Toketee Falls Addition Are Announced

Bids on a new addition to the Toketee Falls School in the Glendale School district will be opened by the school board at 8 p.m. July 29, reports Supt. Byron Evans.

The board met Tuesday night and approved plans for the addition which includes a playroom, classroom, shower and toilet facilities and a furnace room.

Lyle Glenn, Roseburg architect, will publish notice for the bids in the next few days, Evans told correspondent Mrs. Arthur Selby.

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