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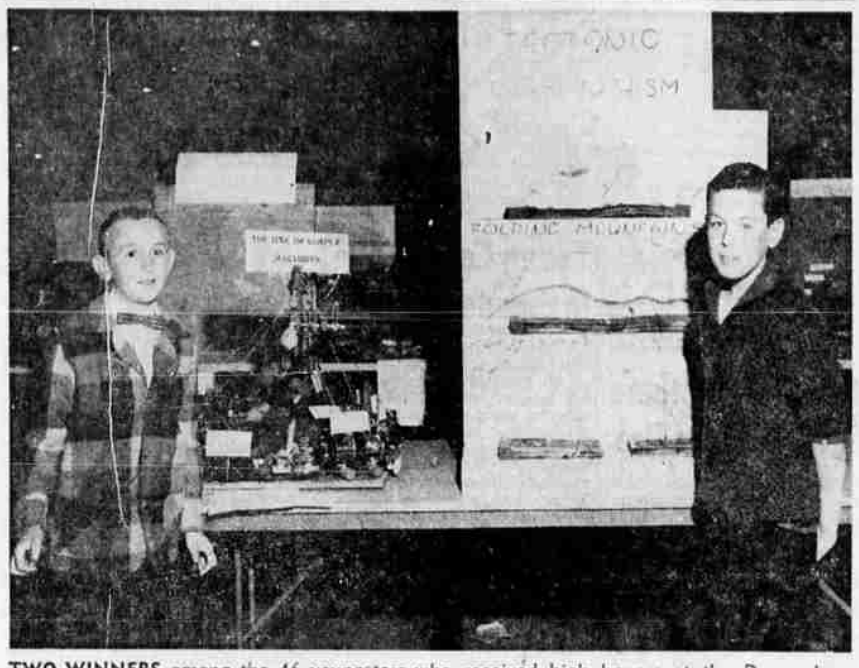

TWO WINNERS among the 46 youngsters who received high honors at the Douglas County Regional Science Fair Saturday and Sunday are shown with their exhibits. David Miller, fourth grade at Wilbur, is shown with his model logging operation entered in the "simple machines and their uses" category. Steve Cannon, seventh grade at Sutherlin, displays his project of cutaway views of earth he entered in the "major earth movements and folds" category. (News-Review photo)

46 Young Winners Selected In Regional Science Fair

The winners of the Douglas County Regional Science Fair have been selected.

The Science Fair, held at the Roseburg High School Saturday and Sunday, was slated for students from grades 1 to 10 throughout the county. Here, they displayed their projects with the hopes of winning and competing in the state, and possibly the national science fairs.

The 46 winning projects will go on to compete in the state Science Fair in Portland, April 23 to May 7.

Listed as winners in the first-grade level were Billy Kemper, Roseburg; Lloyd Strong, Roseburg; Terry Spencer, Oakland; Davi Stephens, Oakland; Camille Follett, Roseburg; Mrs. Geraldine Lee's class, Myrtle Creek; and Billy Hambrick, Oakland.

Second grade: Scott Whittenburg, Sutherlin; Linnea Hansen, Oakland; Eric L. Cannon, Sutherlin; Dwight Barnett, Oakland; Pat Barnett, Oakland; and Susan Johnson, Oakland.

Third grade: David Whittenburg, Sutherlin; Bobby Atterbury, Sutherlin; and Lee Ann Agost, Roseburg.

Fourth grade: Shelly Cone, Roseburg; Terry Ragsdale, Sutherlin; David Miller, Roseburg; Shawn Shelby, Myrtle Creek; and Kenneth Hanson, Roseburg.

Fifth grade: Romona Conley, Roseburg; Mike Sullivan, Roseburg; Floyd Pasch, Roseburg; Shannon Davis, Roseburg; Mike Rooney, Sutherlin; and Mike Harris, Sutherlin.

Sixth grade: Ken Simmons, Sutherlin; Pat Mullen, Sutherlin; Bobby Colvin, Sutherlin; Ronnie Scevers, Sutherlin; Kay Wonser, Sutherlin; Carla Parazoo, Sutherlin; David Nelson, Sutherlin; Dennis Shorey, Sutherlin; Kenny Palmer, Sutherlin, and Ronnie Hoyle, Sutherlin.

Seventh grade: Beryl Brown, Riddle; Joanne Manning, Oakland; Janice Betcher, Roseburg; Rose-Mary Snider, Roseburg; Stephen Smith, Roseburg; Jim Richmond, Roseburg; Steve Cannon, Sutherlin; Gene Richman, Roseburg; and Jim Michalek, Roseburg.

Eighth grade: Robert Palmateer, Roseburg; Roger Thrush, Camas Valley; Jan Springer, Myrtle Creek; Bonnie Wright, Myrtle Creek; Chris Evans, Glide; and Kent Dillon, Roseburg.

No winners were picked from the 9th and 12th grades, and only two were selected from the 10th and 11th; Gray Baker, Camas Valley and Jim O'Brien, Roseburg.

Saving Daughter Costs Father's Life

SALEM (AP) — A 90-year-old Salem man with a heart ailment died Saturday while fighting to protect his daughter from the blows of her husband, a former mental patient, police said.

William M. Miller fell dead on the lawn of his family home. Daniel G. Keidatz, his son-in-law, was committed later to the Oregon State Hospital for examination. He had been discharged only last summer from the U. S. Veterans Hospital at Roseburg.

Keidatz's wife, Helene, 41, and the family physician, Dr. Paul Wedel, whom she telephoned during the family argument, told police this story:

Keidatz had been despondent the past two days. Shortly before noon Saturday he came downstairs, seized his wife and shouted: "You think I'm crazy. But I'm not crazy."

When he began beating Mrs. Keidatz, her father, a frail man, took the cane he used for walking and hit Keidatz on the head. Keidatz seized the cane from him and began hitting him.

She said her father yelled to her, "Get out of here. Run while you can."

She did and shortly afterward police and a fire department crew, called by Dr. Wedel, arrived.

Minutes later state police and a sheriff's deputy found Keidatz walking along a road two blocks from home. He refused to speak and resisted the police as they apprehended him.

An autopsy was ordered to determine the basic cause of Miller's death.

S. Umpqua Pool Fund Effort Set

A talent show to raise funds for the South Umpqua Memorial Swimming Pool has been scheduled at 7:30 p.m. next Sunday in the Myrtle Creek High School gym.

Two television personalities will be on hand. They are Addie Bobkins, KVAL, and Buttons the Clown, KPIC. Al Flegel, Roseburg, will be master of ceremonies. He will be introduced by Mayor J. D. Groom.

A number of entertainers already have been booked for the show. They include Diane Wells, accordionist, Riddle; Eleanor Irwin, pantomimist, Canyonville; Art Lucas and his guitars, Tri-City; and the Sleeping Beauty Ballet Troupe of Tri-City and Myrtle Creek.

Don Martin, Vic Rice and Dr. Robert Schmidt will present selections on the organ and piano, according to correspondent Lorraine Birenbaum.

Tickets are on sale at the following locations: Dr. H. Goodwin, Warren Studio, Myrtle Drugs, Kelly Furniture, Young's Chevrolet and Pacific Finance.

Three Autos Damaged When Driver Taken Ill

Three cars received minor damage Sunday morning in a traffic scrape caused when a woman became ill and lost control of her car at Oak Ave. and Main St. in Roseburg.

Police said a car driven by Phyllis Ann Browning, 727 W. Pilger St., bumped parked cars registered to Wallace Hamerick, 1610 NW Mulholland Dr., and R. W. Pearson, Rt. 1 Box 451.

She was driving east on Oak when she became ill, Roseburg police said.

Roseburg Thief Prefers Cider, Police Report

The autumn cider season is long past, but someone still has a taste for the apple juice, a fruit stand owner told Roseburg police Saturday.

Clarence Mabley, whose stand is at Harvard Ave. and Stanton St., said 20 gallons of cider in one-gallon jugs was stolen over a period of time. A window screen was cut and removed to gain entry to the building.

SUCCUMBS AT 111

BOISE, Idaho (AP) — Anton Gordon, who claimed to be 111 years old and possibly Idaho's oldest citizen, died Friday.

U.S., State Income Tax Returns Due Tonight

The three-day grace period granted the 60 million Americans who file income tax returns ends today, and all returns must be filed by midnight tonight.

The same circumstance applies to Oregon returns, for which the additional grace period was allowed to conform with the federal tax deadline.

The regular April 15 deadline was extended this year because it coincided with Good Friday, a legal holiday in 13 states.

FLUE FIRE REPORTED

A flue fire was reported to the Roseburg Fire Department Saturday at 7:45 at the home of Joe Patton, 168 W Bodie St. No damage was reported.

'Toward New Horizons' Theme For Annual Homemakers Festival At Fairgounds Thursday

"Toward New Horizons," is the theme of the 1960 annual Homemakers Festival, to be held Thursday in the Community Building at the Douglas County Fairgrounds in Roseburg.

The program includes morning and afternoon sessions with registration at 9:30 a.m. The program begins at 10:15 a.m.

Mrs. Lois Sather, assistant food technologist at Oregon State College in Corvallis, will speak during the morning program at 10:15. She will discuss some of the results of food research being conducted at Oregon State College. She will tell about radiation preservation and freeze drying that may make it possible to store many of the foods of the future on the pantry shelf.

Mrs. Sather has been in charge of several studies of food flavors and consumer's preferences on beef. She has also studied food preservation problems in cooperation with industry. She will show samples of some of the results of research done at Oregon State.

Mrs. Edna Duncan of Carlton will appear on the afternoon program at 1 p.m. She will tell about her trip to Scotland and her experiences as Oregon's delegate to the meeting of the Associated Country Women of the World. Mrs. Duncan has been active in the Yamhill County home extension program and ACWW activities.

A style revue in the morning at about 11:15 will feature garments made by unit members in the clothing workshops held during the winter. Exhibits will show ideas from the extension home program. Special music and installation of the new county committee members are also on the program.

The festival is a yearly event sponsored jointly by the Douglas County Extension Service and the County Home Extension Advisory Committee. All interested women may attend, reports Data Hochhalter, Douglas County home extension agent.

MRS. LOIS SATHER
. . . to speak

The Weather

AIRPORT RECORDS

Cloudy with occasional rain tonight. Partial clearing Tuesday. Continued cool.

Highest temp. last 24 hours	59
Lowest temp. last 24 hours	43
Highest temp. any April ('57)	90
Lowest temp. any April ('55)	27
Precip. last 24 hours	.07
Precip. from April 1	1.57
Precip. from Sept. 1	25.64
Deficiency from Sept. 1	.62

Sunset tonight, 6:59 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow, 5:25 a.m.

Council Acts Tonight On New Building

The Roseburg City Council will meet in special session tonight to act on a contract for the first phase of remodeling the new city police and fire department building.

The council meeting is slated for 7:30 p.m. at the west side fire station.

In addition to discussing the $82,-196 apparent low bid on the police and fire department building, the council will meet in joint session with the eight citizen members of the city Budget Committee to discuss means of raising $11,000 needed to pay the city's share of the cost of installation of traffic lights on the proposed SE Pine-Stephens one-way couplet.

The apparent low bid on the first of two phases of remodeling the former Rose Motor Co. building at the corner of SE Lane Ave. and SE Rose St. was turned in Friday by Todd Building Co. of Roseburg.

Todd's bid was $94 under the only other bidder, Southern Oregon Construction Co., Roseburg. The second phase of the remodeling project will be carried out after a bid is let early in the next fiscal year, which starts July 1.

The budget committee action has been called for to enable the city government to offer a firm pledge of paying its share of the couplet traffic lighting cost. The state highway engineer has asked for this assurance to take before the Highway Commission at its April 21 meeting, while asking for the $200,-000 to $250,000 needed to construct the proposed couplet system.

Baby Found Safe After Kidnaping

SYDNEY MINES, N.S. (AP) — An 18-month-old boy, snatched from his crib just after midnight by a young man, was found safe and unharmed in a field behind the family home.

Police said they had picked up a man but gave no details immediately.

No explanation for the kidnaping was apparent. The child's father is a telephone company employe and the family has only modest means.

A store clerk, Jean McPhee, found the boy, Russell MacKenzie as she was walking to work.

A doctor examined the baby and said he was a little cold but otherwise in good condition. The lower half of his sleeping suit had been removed and he was wearing only a T-shirt.

The man stole the chubby, brown-eyed baby from his crib after knocking at the door of the MacKenzie home and pushing aside a baby sitter.

The kidnaper fled without saying a word. Russell was still sleeping as the man carried him out and sped away in a car.

Russell is the son of Frank MacKenzie, an employe of Canadian Overseas Telecommunications. The mother and father were attending a late movie in nearby North Sydney.

The baby was found at 7:10 a.m. The baby and his brother, Frank, 3, were being tended Sunday night by their aunt, Christina MacKenzie, 20.

Police launched an extensive search shortly after the heavy-set abductor, said to be about 27, fled with the child. The Canso Causeway, only road entrance from Cape Breton Island to mainland Nova Scotia, was sealed off.

Rainy Week Predicted For Douglas County

A rainy week is in store for Douglas County, the Weather Bureau said today in its five-day outlook.

Between one and two inches of rain is expected. It will be accompanied by below-normal temperatures ranging into the fifties during the day and thirties at nighttime.

The weatherman said the skies will clear partially Tuesday.

Police Advise Women

NEW YORK (AP)—Note on life in the big city: A police department advisory issued to women's groups urges women to avoid shortcuts home at night, to lock their doors, report anyone loitering around schools or playgrounds stay calm in case of burglary, robbery or other attack and call the police as soon as possible.

Tito Blasts West Plan

BELGRADE (AP) — President Tito today blasted West Germany's plan to set up military bases in Spain and urged that such a move be curbed before a new war breaks out.

Tito issued the call at a meeting of the Communist-dominated Socialist Alliance, which claims 6½ million Yugoslav members.

STUDENT TAKE OVER STATION — Members of the Roseburg High School Spanish Club were in charge of part of the Saturday programming at radio station KRNR in conjunction with their forthcoming trip to Mexico. Left to right are station manager John Williams, Janet Inman, Spike Dillon and Lavelle Wheeler. (Paul Jenkins) See Story on page 2.

YMCA Building Fund Drive Cleanup Underway Tonight

The next ten days has been designated as the "Y's Way" of building a greater Roseburg, according to "Chub" Church and Mrs. Lee Stewart, co-chairmen of this year's YMCA membership enrollment.

A crew of volunteers will begin tonight to contact members of the "Y" and others who've participated in the "Y" program or in some other way helped the YMCA in reaching the building goal.

Of special interest is the number of families who are planning to use the new "Y" building so that the Planning Committee, under the leadership of Dr. James Finlay, might more adequately schedule activities and swimming classes. A special survey blank has been developed by the "Y" to gather the necessary information concerning anticipated building use.

The committee is also anxious to know the age group demands of program time and response of the public to strong "family-centered" activities, such as family swims and fun nights.

Additional help is needed in making this survey and enrolling members of the "Y", and interested persons may contact the YMCA at OR 3-3556 for information on how they might assist in the "Y's Way" of helping to build a greater Roseburg.

Persons interested in the "Y" building project who are planning to use the new facilities should complete a survey blank during the next ten days, according to Wayne Schulz, YMCA general secretary.

Wholehearted cooperation of the community has permitted the "Y" board to accomplish the fund-raising task for building the structure for Roseburg and the Central Douglas County area, Schulz added.

The "Y" Board hopes to award the contract for the structure on May 3, with construction to begin by June 1. This means the building should be completed and ready for use by the end of this year. The drive is only $18,000 short of the $250,000 total, which will be completed by a $50,000 gift.

Facilities will include a 25-by-75-foot heated indoor swimming pool for recreation swims, instruction classes for children and adults, family swims, special "Splash Parties," a big 30-by-50-foot community room for ping pong and all sorts of games, parties, movies, meetings, dinners, some gymnasium activities such as tumbling, and special "slim-nastic" classes for the ladies.

In addition three 15-by-20 meeting and activity rooms for clubs, hobby classes, a 20-by-30 social lounge with fireplace, television, "easy" furniture, a living room which can be used while waiting for youngsters or resting after a swim, and games such as checkers, chess and so forth.

Membership in the YMCA is open to everyone regardless of race or creed. Members elect the board of directors and serve on various committees, who in turn plan and direct program activities of the association.

Fullerton Teacher Gets Scholarship

MRS. LEANERD NESSETH
. . . scholarship granted

Mrs. Leanerd Nesseth, third-grade teacher at Fullerton School in Roseburg, has been granted a scholarship from the National Science Foundation to participate in the Summer Arithmetic Institute at Ann Arbor, Mich.

She is one of 40 persons selected from over 900 applicants to take part in the summer session.

Persons selected to participate are required to have a scholarship level sufficient to make them acceptable to the Rackham School of Graduate Studies at the University of Michigan.

Mrs. Nesseth is a member of the state Scope and Sequence Committee for Mathematics, Roseburg, Oregon and National Education Assns., Oregon Council of Teachers of Mathematics, AAUW and Delta Kappa Gamma Society.

The summer session will be from July 18 to Aug. 13. Included in her scholarship is $300 for general expenses, tuition fees and travel.

Four sessions, foundations of arithmetic, psychology and teaching of arithmetic, studies and writing groups and lectures and demonstration and observation classes, are included in the summer institute.

Royalty Visits Japan

TOKYO (AP)—King Mahendra of Nepal and Queen Ratna arrived by plane for a one-week state visit to Japan. Their 13-year-old son, Prince Dhirendra, was with them. From Japan they go to the United States for a month.

Lookingglass Family Searching For House

A Lookingglass family whose son was killed last Thursday still is looking for a new house in the Winston-Dillard area.

The Lyle Strains lost their 14-year-old son, James, in a tractor accident. The family was looking for another house at the time—the farm they were living on just having been sold.

They are looking for a two- or three-bedroom house, according to Mrs. Ralph Blondell, who volunteered to accept calls for the Strain family. Her phone number is OS 9-5710.

Flaming Cross Burns

LONDON (AP)—A fiery cross, symbol of the race-baiting Ku Klux Klan, was burned on a railroad bridge in the Notting Hill area of London Sunday night. Notting Hill, the home of thousands of Negro West Indians, was the scene of violent race riots two years ago.

Voter Registration Closes Tuesday For Primary Vote

Voters who want to make their mark on that 36-inch Democratic and somewhat lesser-length Republican primary ballot must register by Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the Douglas County courthouse and earlier in many outlying precincts.

The courthouse elections bureau, under the direction of Mrs. Bess Wilken, will remain open until 8 p.m. but those registrars in outlying precincts are under no compulsion to remain open until that hour, according to Charles Doerner. Their only compulsion is to not remain open beyond 8 p.m., under state election law.

Voters should register who:

1. Have moved to the state of Oregon and fulfilled their six-months legal residence by May 20.
2. Have become or will become 21 years of age by May 20.
3. Were not registered before in primary or general election of 1958.
4. Have moved residence since the last registration.
5. Have changed their name by marriage.

The last voter recapitolation taken showed 11,675 Republican, 13,546 Democrat and approximately 460 miscellaneous, Doerner said.

Besides the Douglas County courthouse, the registrars from Drain south follow:

Drain, V. R. Thomas, city recorder, and George V. Sanders, The Club; Gunter, M. C. Gunter of Comstock, Irene Ames of Curtin; Yoncalla, Kittie Jobe of Yoncalla; Oakland, Fay Stearns of Stearns Hardware, Oakland; and Beulah DeMuth, Union Office Second and Locust; Sutherlin, William A. Crowell of Deward Insurance, Myrtle Musgrove, city recorder Ida Lehman, and Beulah DeMuth of Oakland.

Wilbur, Agnes Stout; Winchester, Catherine Weckerle; Edenbower precincts, Henry L. and Gertrude Goodman, 1157 NE Stephens, and the Roseburg rural fire station; Glide, C. F. and Agnes Moore; East Umpqua, Joseph A. and Beulah Withers, Little River Rt., and Little River Super Market; Toketee, Charles Murphy of the Toketee Falls Rt. and Ardythe Murphy of Idleyld Park; Dixonville, Elizabeth, Neil O. and Ton O. Hart, Dixonville Store.

Eastwood, Mill West and Mill East, Harry and Gladys Underwood; Brookside Market, 2896 NE Diamond Lake Blvd.; Civil Bend, Arthur M. McGuire and Edna Myers, Real Estate and Insurance, Winston; Winston, H. J. Kleve, city recorder, Winston; Dillard, C. C. Fosback and Marie Cook; Melrose, Ed D. Feece, Melrose Store; Lookingglass, Veda and Wesley I. Meredith, Rt. 4; Olalla, J. H. Shultz of Tenmile.

Camas Valley, G. T. and Darlene M. Heilman, Camas Valley Store; Myrtle Creek, S. D. Myllenback, city recorder; Myrtle Creek adjacent, Virgil C. Baker, Steel Workers Hall; Tri-City, H. C. and Margaret Stokes, Tri-City Lumber Co.; Riddle, V. E. Sutton, Riddle Insurance and Accounting; Canyonville, Denzel W. Gill of Gill Insurance Agency and V. E. Sutton.

Days Creek, G. M. Krell garage and store; Tiller, Ella Jane (E. J.) Porter; Cow Creek, Julia and Samuel Osepion of the Azalea Grocery Store; Glendale, Elizabeth Bates of Glendale Grocery, Joyce Apperson at insurance office, and Oliver Dolson at Union Hall.

Roseburg; Lloyd J. Koegler, Fairhaven Cleaners, West Roseburg; Westside Fire Station, 2177 W. Harvard; Paul H. Krueger Insurance, 1346 SE Stephens; Mary H. Myers, 742 SE Roberts, Union Hall; and Eugene Miller, 271 Pacific Bldg., IWA Union.

Levity Fact Rant

By L. F. Reizenstein

A pertinent question is in order: Are you an active supporter of the "Greater Roseburg" program or merely a passive SIT-izen?

Budget Group To Consider Union's Bid

A 26-cent per hour pay increase was among several requests made of the Douglas County Court over the weekend by the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employes Local No. 263.

In addition to the wage hike, the group is seeking a health and welfare program, a change in the vacation plan, and a merit pay differential for "6-wheeler" dump truck drivers. The request was submitted by Albert Hall, secretary-treasurer of the labor organization.

County Judge V. T. Jackson said that the requests would be taken under consideration by the county Budget Committee and the court. He added that the union was comprised of a group of employes in the county road department.

The union asked that the county "initiate and sustain a health and welfare program." Judge Jackson explained that such programs are now financed solely by employes.

The vacation plan request would add time off for years of service. Currently 10 days' vacation is given to everyone regardless of tenure. Under the union request 12 days a year would be given to employes with 5 years of service and 15 days per year with 10 years' service.

Drivers of "6-wheeler" dump trucks merit 10 cents per hour additional pay, the labor organization contends.

"We feel these proposals are not unreasonable and are indeed necessary," said Hall.

Oakland Man Hurt In Pickup Accident

Wayne Kenton (Bud) Rice, a 36-year-old Oakland logger, is in Sacred Heart Hospital in Eugene today awaiting surgery for injuries received in a one-vehicle accident early Sunday morning at Scotts Valley.

His condition was described by the hospital as fair and improving. He has been scheduled for surgery Thursday.

The accident occurred on Highway 99 at the Scotts Valley interchange. State police said he was traveling alone in a pickup southbound on a four-lane stretch of the highway when the vehicle went off the west side of the highway. It crossed the Elkhead Rd. and came to rest against a bank.

His mother, Mrs. Marie Rice, reported that he had suffered two broken ribs, a broken nose and loosened teeth, as well as a slight concussion. Surgery is being postponed until his condition improves, she said.

Rice was taken first to the Cottage Grove Hospital and then transferred to Sacred Heart.

Cancer Society Slates Indian Theatre Movie

A movie dealing with recognition signals of cancer in women will be shown at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday in the Indian Theatre in Roseburg, according to John Williams, chairman of the Douglas County unit of the American Cancer Society.

Williams said the movie will be shown free of charge for all women in the county. After the movie, a panel of doctors will answer questions.

Prior to the movie, workers participating in a house-to-house educational campaign will assemble in the theater for instructions about the campaign in the Roseburg area.

The campaign will be April 26. Literature on cancer will be distributed that day. The Wednesday meeting for the workers will start at 10 a.m. Mrs. Hall Seely and Mrs. Arch Colbrunn are co-chairmen.