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EAGLE RANK IS WON BY TWO LOCAL LADS

Awards to Be Made at Huge Court of Honor to Be Held Friday.

The highest rank obtainable by boy scouts, that of eagle scout, will be conferred on two members of boy scout troop No. 16 of this city Wednesday night. The ceremony will be held at 8 o'clock Friday evening in the high school gymnasium. The two are the first local scouts to win the coveted honor since scoutmaster was organized here in October, 1927. Several members of troops Nos. 16 and 18 will be examined for advancement and merit badges, and several boys will be invested as tenderfoot scouts. The Eugene Eagle Scout commission, of which E. O. Inmel is chairman, is expected to be present, as well as a majority of the Lane county scoutmasters. A large number of guests are expected to attend. The scoutmaster of the Eugene Eagle Scout commission, of which E. O. Inmel is chairman, is expected to be present, as well as a majority of the Lane county scoutmasters. A large number of guests are expected to attend. The scoutmaster of the Eugene Eagle Scout commission, of which E. O. Inmel is chairman, is expected to be present, as well as a majority of the Lane county scoutmasters. A large number of guests are expected to attend.

Oak Falls in Slight Wind

An oak tree, a landmark of years' standing at the O. P. & E. station on south Fourth street, fell down about noon Wednesday but caused no damage beyond blocking the tracks to the railroad shops. The roots of the tree had rotted and only a slight gust of wind was required to topple the oak. The old oak, which stood 60 feet or more in height and had a spread of 75 feet or more, was a large tree when the first pioneers made a settlement here and undoubtedly 150 years or more of age. No doubt many Indian war wows were held in its shade. When the ground where the tree now stands was made a wheat field, this and many other oaks were permitted to stand. When the railway, at that time the Oregon & Southern, established its station, the buildings were placed as near to the oak stand. In the early days there was a spring near the base of the oak and from this water was carried by children of pioneers to areas that thrived the grain that grew where oak buildings and pretty homes have since grown.

MUCH IS NECESSARY BESIDES KNOWLEDGE

Commencement Speaker Points Out Need of Productive Imaginations.

Knowledge is important in the progress of the child when he reaches the age where he must learn two factors, but it is not knowledge that can be used, knowledge that is stored in such a way that it can be drawn upon instantly, said Professor C. P. Mitchell of O. S. A. C. in his address to the graduating class at commencement exercises Friday night. His subject was "The Path of Gold." Professor Mitchell emphasized that knowledge, to be of value, must be of the fundamental kind and related to the child's life work. By illustration he explained that education and knowledge are not always the same. "Knowledge," he explained, "is what we remember of the march we have been taught." He told of experiments by psychologists that show how little is retained of what is taught over a period of years. The pot of gold which the speaker held before the graduates was described as containing not material wealth alone. "Some things are higher and nobler than gold," he said, "and the most valuable of all possible expressions to our capabilities, the highest possible achievement in position, skill, influence, fame, with a maximum of contentment and happiness. Achievement of these things does not depend upon knowledge alone. Progress does not depend upon mastery of facts alone, it does not depend upon chance alone, important as the opportunity to give the goods, it does not depend upon wish and wait. We must employ productive imaginations. We must have the power of constructive thought, the ability to think independently and originally, the ability to visualize old ideas in new settings, the ability to apply our acquired information. Then we must have something to do with making our own chance. "Electricity, the radio, extension of human life, and all the items of progress have been produced by men with original ideas who did not wait for chance. The end of the rainbow, with its pot of gold and precious gems, may be found in a productive imagination in our own brains our fortunes lie."

New "Scotch" Currency Is on Display

The new paper money being issued by the federal government is on display here, both banks having received samples of the currency in four denominations, \$1, \$2, \$5 and \$10. It is of much smaller size than the old currency, so that the saving to the national government in producing the bills will be considerable. Cashier T. C. Wheeler of the First National Bank, who said some Scotchman must have gotten a job in the treasury department.

Unusual Thunder Is Cause of Fright

The weather man gave a novel twist to his program Monday night when there was considerable thunder with a light rain. Thunder is so unusual that it frightens many even among those who formerly lived in eastern states that have had thunder but who have during their residence here almost forgotten the sound. There were no reports of damage by lightning and the precipitation was less than half an inch.

CHICKENS, GASOLINE WATER ARE DISCUSSED

Council Asked to Act in Improvement of North Lane Street.

Gasoline, chickens and water rates were the subjects of considerable discussion at Monday night's meeting of the city council. There is believed to be considerable danger from storage of gasoline in large quantities in containers kept in garages and buildings in proximity to city residences. Considerable quantities were believed to have been stored during the recent gasoline war. The city attorney was instructed to draft an ordinance regulating the storage of volatile liquids.

Haight Makes Record At College

In a recent canvass at the Oregon State Agricultural college, according to the O. S. C. Barometer, Reginald Haight of Delight Valley, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Haight, is classed as one of the outstanding students in campus activities. He is a junior in electrical engineering and is a member of the honor council of which he has been elected president for the coming year. Haight is also president of Eta Kappa Nu, national honorary fraternity in electrical engineering, and is a member of Tau Beta Pi, national honorary society of engineers. In addition Haight is president of the O. S. C. branch of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers. Members of Eta Kappa Nu recently erected a rustic cabin on Mary's peak. Haight says they are justly proud of this cabin, as so far as known theirs is the only chapter in the United States in its own name.

SOUTH LANE PUPILS PASS GRADE EXAMS

Geography and Physiology Tests Passed by Pupils of Lower Grades.

A list of pupils passing the eighth grade examinations, and a list of seventh grade pupils who took the compulsory examination in geography and the sixth graders who took a test in physiology, was announced at the office of county superintendent Monday. The list for south Lane county is as follows:

District 24.
Graduates—Malcolm Walker, Geography—Leo Dugan, Alpha Fisher, Eldon Jones, Elmer Crawford, Dale Crawford, Genevieve Colclatz, Glenn Potts.

District 25.
Geography—Joe Sorenson, Robert Kruse, Pauline Wertz, Edna Grubb, Helen Dillon, Jack Carter. Physiology—Edward McCall, Alice Poe, Edith Bushnell.

District 26.
Graduates—Virginia Adams, Robert Holmes, Lorelle Robinson, Anna Gray, Grace Zapp, Edith Landless, John Lionberger, George Lionberger.

District 31.
Graduates—Freida Castle, Geography—Ray Isaacson, Mildred Mooney, Isabel Kerr, Vera Kusel.

District 34.
Graduates—Florence Franklin, Viola Rohde, Lowell Cavin. Physiology—Melvin Cavin, Samuel Eynson.

District 48.
Graduates—Flossie Allen, Francis Kimball. Geography—Marguerite Hoffman, Vernon Taylor. Physiology—Alice Allison, Loren Hoffman, Ray Platz, Dossie Ismael.

District 50.
Geography—Clara Clark, Raymond Miller, William Simpson. Physiology—Lillian Hull, Lucy Edwards, Earl Murry.

District 61.
Geography—Hazel Spindel, Maxine Belts.

District 84.
Graduates—Marjorie G. Gleason. Physiology—Dean Pleurd.

District 93.
Graduates—Leo Williams, Zona Williams, Gladys Isham, Charles Doty, Harold Cooper, John Holstrom, Ernest Wagner. Geography—Grace Howell, Lois Williams, William Vaughn, Wayne Vaughn, Juanita Bales, Laura Doolittle, Helen Schultz. Physiology—Eleanor Brooks, Letta Mosby, Izola Isham, Orville Peterson, Earl Cooper, Carol Wicks, Robert Vanover.

District 119.
Graduates—One conditioned. Physiology—Alvin Chaffee.

District 122.
Geography—Maurine Shearer, Doris Owen. Physiology—Gerald Shearer.

District 124.
Graduates—Maxine Rhode, Margaret Mostachetti. Geography—Katy Tonole, Marion Wakefield. Physiology—Winston Russell, May Tonole, Evelyn Mostachetti.

District 128.
Graduates—Willard Arne, Lowell Johnson, June Lancaster; one conditioned. Geography—Marian Johnson, Darrel Arne, Theodore Coon. Physiology—Eva Lancaster, Velma Meyers.

District 131.
Physiology—Floyd Jones.

District 177.
Graduates—Harold Plank. Geography—Howard Norlin, Claud Carr.

District 191.
Geography—Maxine Nixon. Physiology—Phyllis Johnson, Donald Nixon, Gene Wither, Bob Barfield, Donald Haskins, Charlene Haskins.

LOCALS ARE BESTED BY EUGENE 9 TO 5

Cottage Grove Twirlers Get Most Strikeouts, Give Most Hits.

Behind the effective hurling of Fred Burton, Eugene lived up to expectations of the second game Sunday at the Lane county fair grounds and tied another defeat to the already much-labored Cottage Grove baseball team by a 9 to 5 count. A good crowd was out to see Eugene much over the league ball-clubbers. The fans were treated to a rather uneventful baseball spectacle, featuring flashes of good ball with a sprinkling of ragged play.

Eugene got eleven hits off Hubbell and Oliver of the Grove, Burton gave out but four singles, two in the fourth and two in the seventh. Each of these hits resulted in a run for the visiting nine.

Eugene AB RH PO A E
Wirth, 2b 5 2 4 5 4 0
Dutton, cf 5 0 1 3 0 0
Van Dusen, lf 5 0 1 1 0 0
Schumann, c 2 0 3 1 0 0
Gould, rf 3 1 0 1 0 0
Emmons, 3 4 2 0 0 4 2
Hubbard, lb 4 2 1 12 0 0
Brauner, ss 3 1 0 2 3 3
Burton, p 4 1 1 0 2 4 0

Totals 38 9 11 27 13 7

Cottage Grove AB RH PO A E
Ross, 2b 5 0 0 0 3 0
Spies, lf 4 1 1 1 0 0
Schumann, c 2 0 3 1 0 0
Gould, rf 3 1 0 1 0 0
Morgan, ss 4 0 0 2 1 0
Hogan, 3 3 0 0 5 0 1
Armstrong, 2b 4 1 1 2 1 1
Brieker, cf 4 0 1 2 1 1
Hubbell, p 4 0 0 0 2 0
Derscham, of 2 1 0 2 0 0

Totals 35 5 4 27 9 6

Hits 9 4 1 1 1 3 1 0 11
Cottage Grove 0 1 0 0 2 0 4 5
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Summary: Struck out, Burton 4, Hubbell 5, Oliver 4, Walked, Gould 2, Emmons 3, Three batters, Wirth 2 batters, Wirth, Stolen base, Wirth, Dutton, Gould 2, Umpires, Leslie and Cochran. Score keeper, Ray Sims. Time 2 hours 30 minutes. Valley-Bay Standings.

W. B. Pott
Marshallfield 4 1 300
Eugene 3 2 300
Myrtle Point 2 1 3 400
Hubbell 1 3 000
Cottage Grove 0 3 000

Marshallfield plays here next Sunday.

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Glen McKibben of this city has won the signal honor of being selected as the best qualified young man of Lane, Linn, Benton and Douglas counties to go into the laboratories of Thomas Edison to become a successor to his knowledge of science and invention. No other young man who took the tests came close to the marks made by McKibben. Tests are being conducted at the request of Mr. Edison.

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BILL DAVIS WINS HILL CLIMB EVENT

New Record Is Set in Topping 84 Per Cent Grade of Mount David.

Before a crowd of 2,300 or 3,000 Bill Davis of Eugene, riding a Harley Davidson, won in the professional class in the hill climb on Mount David Sunday by topping the 84 per cent grade in the record time of 8:35 seconds for the 350 feet. The former record was 9:15 seconds, made in 1926 by Walter Mattson, Ben Fox, Aberdeen, also riding a Harley, took second place by topping the hill in 14:15 seconds.

Davis also won the 31 open event, his record in this being 10:15 seconds.

E. Jorgensen, Salem, on a Harley, won the novice event by climbing 241 feet. Glen Rice, Salem, on an Indian, was second with 229 feet.

There were a number of bad spills but no serious accidents. One rider dropped backward off his machine on the steep grade, but fell such a distance behind his machine that he was not struck by it as it slipped down the grade and was not injured.

Al Brown of Seattle gave a parachute jump during the hill climbing event, but he jumped so far from where the crowd was gathered that few knew that he had made the jump. His parachute opened perfectly and he made a successful landing.

Second Union Service Sunday.

The second union church service in the summer series will be held at 8 o'clock Sunday evening in the Methodist church and Rev. Louis Henry Randle of the Baptist church will be the speaker. Other ministers of the city will assist and music will be furnished by a union of church and choir.

The Presbyterian church will be filled for the first union service last Sunday night and Rev. W. J. Morrow of the Methodist church preached on "Man and His Relationship with God." Music was furnished by a union choir.

Mr. A. G. Sprinkle sang a solo. Mrs. Beattie Saterliffe was accompanist. Mrs. O. W. Blackmore was accompanist for the choir.

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He not only believes that such is the case but he proposes to act upon that belief and will charge negligent parents with contributing to the delinquency of minors.

Mr. King has found that most child offenders who appear before him are habitual cigarette smokers and he intends to proceed against those selling or giving cigarettes to minors, provided parents of such children wish him to do so.

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MAIN STREET MAIL IS PICKED UP AT 8 P. M.

Mail is being picked up at 8 each evening from Main street mail boxes under a new service being given by the local postoffice. As few business men have been aware of the service it has not been used as much as it was expected it would be. This service is a considerable convenience to those in the business section who are away five or ten minutes every time they have letters to be mailed at closing time.

Irene Griggs Named Chairman.

Irene Griggs, sophomore in home economics at Oregon State Agricultural college, has been named one of two co-chairmen of the pop committee of the vocational students. The work of the pop committee will be entirely revised and the two chairmen will work together to get better results than have ever been obtained before. Miss Griggs is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Griggs of this city.

20 Days Clear in May

Clear days during May numbered 20, according to the weather report compiled by C. E. Stewart, cooperative observer. Cloudy days were four and partly cloudy days seven. Precipitation during the month totaled 1.29 inches. The maximum temperature was 80 degrees and the minimum 33. The mean maximum for May was 65.7 degrees, the mean minimum 39.7 and the mean 51.7.

Crowded Schools Make More Space Necessary

A special school election has been called for Monday, June 24, to vote upon an issue of \$10,000 in bonds for the purpose of constructing a four-room addition to the central grade building. This addition has been made necessary because of the crowded condition of the schools and because directors of the Smith-Hughes work for the federal government, which contributes half the expense of the work, have insisted that the home-making department must be moved out of the gymnasium. Unless new quarters are provided this work will have to be dropped or the district will have to bear the entire expense. The high school building is already crowded, so that there is no room there for the Smith-Hughes department, and any increase in attendance there will make additional space necessary.

King Gives Editor Box Of Strawberry

C. A. King plans to maintain this year his reputation as the berry potentate of this section. To make certain that this fact would receive due publicity, King deposited with the editor a box of strawberry. The singular use of the noun is almost correct. The editor quickly made away with the evidence.

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Wanted Everything

"Dad, I want a hot spot I just have to go to see 'Hot Sinners'— It's the year's best show. The gang's all going! And they'll think I'm a dud if I miss 'Hot Sinners'! Thanks, Dad, I knew you would!"

That's the Son and Heir, folks. And this is Daughter Dear. "Ma, I need a new dress! This one's lookin' queer. Ma, I need some money, Ma, I have to go! Ma, I've got to hurry and I hate dishwashing 'so!"

Sure, we ought to scold 'em. But, no, we hold our tongues; That's the way we acted When we were just as young!

By James Fenimore Hays

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

GOLLY, WHEN I SEE HOW SOME OF MY PATRONS ARE MAKING MONEY BY INTELLIGENT ADVERTISING, I AM TEMPTED TO QUIT MY JOB AND BECOME A PROSPEROUS ADVERTISER MYSELF

THE FEATHERHEADS

HA! WHERE DIDTA GET THE FUNNY LID?

I DIDNT EXPECT YOU TO LIKE IT FEELIN' ITS ONE OF THE SMARTEST SPRING CREATIONS AND EVERYONE THAT IVE SEEN HAS ADMIRERD IT

I WOULDN'T DENY YOUR DISCRIMINATING TASTE IN MILLINERY, BUT I APPRECIATE SO MUCH YOUR INTEREST IN MY SELECTION, BUT AFTER ALL I THINK THIS IS A VERY SMART HAT!

I SAID THE WRONG THING

Bill Linn Is Injured

Billy Linn, who had gone to work that day, was severely but not seriously injured at the Bohemia Lamb's company's logging operations Tuesday when he was struck by a line. His right arm and left leg were badly bruised and at first it was feared he had suffered a fractured leg. X-ray examination, however, showed no broken bones.

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Service at the county courthouse this week has been with a distinct smile. The reason is that salary boosts provided by the recent legislative became effective this week. The county judge's compensation was boosted from \$1500 to \$2400, those of the commissioners from \$1500 to \$2000, that of the sheriff and county clerk from \$2000 to \$2400, that of the assessor from \$1800 to \$2400, that of the school superintendent from \$1800 to \$2000 and that of the treasurer from \$1500 to \$1800. There is a possibility that these increases will be found retroactive to the first of this year.

Law, Whittlock Cars Crash.

A Ford coupe driven by a Whittlock boy and a Whippet sedan driven by J. H. Law collided Wednesday evening at the west Main and "A" street intersection. Both cars were traveling west. The Law car swung into the intersection to make a reverse turn. The Whittlock car following attempted to pass in front of the Law car as it came out of the intersection. Each car sustained damages to an amount of about \$50. Blame for the accident has not been placed.