



DID YOU EVER stand on a street corner in a big city and try to determine, from a study of faces, what business, vocation or profession each may be following? If you ever have, you probably have noted that there is not much difference between the appearance of a capitalist or an elevator operator except that the elevator operator looks more like a capitalist.

AT KANSAS CITY a fire captain charged into smoke and fire to rescue someone yelling "Help! Help!" only to find that the cries came from a radio. Many of the rest of us have yelled "Help! Help!" when the radio was going.

AFTER NEXT YEAR we shall have three presidents upon which to blame the ills which befall us. At least we may expect that pleasant kind of an arrangement after reading the predictions of managers of the three principal candidates for white house honors.

ADOPTED SON of Secretary Harold Ickes has been barred from operating a motor vehicle in Massachusetts, but that probably won't hinder his continuing to drive for votes for the person in whose cabinet his adopted father serves.

MAN IN IDAHO hunting a skunk meets death. We believe this is the first instance of this kind of asphyxiation.

LETTUCE WORKERS in California have gone on strike and the crop may not be sent to market. Our small son wants to know why the spinach workers don't start something like that.

IN THESE torrid political days folks wish they could follow the old injunction and believe even half of what they hear.

SCIENTIST SAYS civilization started when man began to wear clothes. Now we know what is meant by wild women.

A HANDIT has returned \$6 which he stole from a taxicab company. Wonder if the taxicab boys are likely to get an idea from that example?

TEN-THOUSAND DOLLAR bank notes are becoming more common, the number being 112 more than a year ago. Guess we are losing our powers of observation.

SOME OF THE DAILIES are printing more nudes than are fit to print.

A GROUP of Harvard and Dartmouth experts have listed 18,000 epithets from the English language. It's this lack of variety that makes golf such a different game.

BARNUM SAID a sucker is born every minute. He may have been a good showman, but he was way behind in his arithmetic.

ROOSEVELT'S RECENT cruise was made on the Sewanna. Where did he find an alphabet with that many "a's" left in it.

TO HAVE enough to eat—and friends to eat it with—what more do we need to make life a round of pleasure?

MANY HAVE grasped large opportunities from small openings.

IF YOU DISLIKE applause, get into the country newspaper business.

THE PERSON HONEST enough to refuse praise he doesn't deserve hasn't offered to help Diogenes blow out his candle.

Brothers Meet After Many Years. Zee Randall, brother of L. A. Randall, from Redley, Cal., was a visitor here this week. The two brothers had not seen one another in 28 years when they left their old home in Iowa for different parts of the west. Mr. Randall was accompanied by a son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bittner of Los Angeles. The visitors left Wednesday for their homes.

Students Living Costs. Cooperative living organizations which enable students to attend school at a cost of about \$20 per month for board and room, have expanded on the campus of the University of Oregon this fall until approximately 100 men and women will take part in these projects.

Cottage Grove Lions Win From Philomath

Locals Score in First and Third Periods; Prospects Good for Winning Team.

By Journalism Student. The Cottage Grove Lions made an auspicious start on a successful football season Friday by a 13-0 victory over Philomath on Kelly field.

The Lions outweighed the visitors in both the backfield and the line. Philomath was in scoring territory only once—as a result of a long pass—while the Lions were in scoring territory several times, although unable to score but twice. The Lions scored first as Decker went off tackle and over from the two yard marker. Bartel kicked for the extra point. Their second score came in the third quarter on a pass from Decker to Griffin. The local team made twice as many yards from scrimmage as Philomath; but made only six first downs to their opponents' four.

Every man but one on the Lions' squad saw action. The lineup: Cottage Grove Philomath
Thornberry — ler — E. Spees
Guggisberg — ltr — Ayres
McKibben — lgr — Weinert
MacGibbon — c — Thompson
Scott — rgl — Peterson
Thies — rtl — Shaw
Merrill — rel — Byington
Smith — q — Buckingham
Griffin — rhl — Simons
Decker — lhr — Earl Spees
Deere — f — Fleming
Substitutions: Lions — Doolittle, Wertz, Ewing, Patton, Thoreson, Grannis, Bartel, McFarland, Weldon.

Elbert Smith Jr. Is Instructor at Iowa State College

Elbert Smith Jr., former resident who was graduated in June from Oregon State College, left Salem last week for Ames, Ia., where he has accepted a graduate assistant instructorship at the Iowa State college. The position also affords him an opportunity to study for a doctor's degree. Elbert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Smith, who now make their home in Salem. He was graduated from the local high school in 1931 and continued his studies at the University of Oregon, later receiving his degree at Oregon State. He spent a number of weeks in the city during the summer working on data for the National Youth survey of rural districts.

Rod and Gun Club to Fish and Frolic Soon

Members of the Cottage Grove Rod and Gun club in good standing, are invited to join in a mass fishing party and smoker of that organization scheduled for Saturday night, October 21, and November 1 at Charles Hall's cabin below Scottsburg.

Mr. Hall extended his invitation to the club at their regular meeting Monday evening, and it was accepted without delay.

Members planning to spend the night there are asked to furnish blankets. A committee was named to look after the food supply.

The club plans to repair their club house and shooting grounds at an early date and volunteer labor will be welcomed.

Proud of Corn.

George F. Garoutte proudly displayed in Cottage Grove Wednesday a basket of mature yellow dent corn raised on his 27-acre ranch a mile east of Cottage Grove. The ears averaged 10½ inches in length, and Mr. Garoutte states that almost all of the corn in the four-acre field will average this size. The stalks are nearly 12 feet tall. He was particularly interested in a freak ear that surpasses the famous quints—seven ears were joined together at the base in one cluster.

Veterans to Organize Landon-Knox Service Club; Hall, Chm.

Mark Hathaway, Eugene, county chairman of the Landon-Knox Veterans Service Club, announced Thursday the appointment of Chas. Hall to head the local club.

Mr. Hall and H. W. Lombard are scheduled to perfect a local organization within the next week.

Mr. Hathaway urged all veterans to register and vote, regardless of their party preferences.

Oregon Red Cross Roll Call Set for November 11-26

Cornelius C. Colt, senior vice president of the First National bank of Portland, has accepted for the second time the appointment of chairman of the Oregon state roll call committee for the American Red Cross, A. L. Schafer, Red Cross manager in the Pacific area, informed Oregon chapters yesterday. The Roll Call will be held November 11-26.

As state roll call chairman, Mr. Colt, long active in Red Cross, boy scout and Y.M.C.A. welfare work, will rally the 34 Red Cross chapters in the state to enroll 60,850 in response to an appeal from Admiral Cary T. Grayson, national chairman, for the nation to enroll five million members. This means an increase of practically 25 per cent for all units.

Oregon now has a membership of 46,634 or 4.89 per cent of the population. Arizona holds the Red Cross honor flag with 7.10 per cent of its population enrolled.

As part of the Oregon roll call plan one state and four regional conferences for Red Cross officers and members will be held in Oregon. The state conference will be held in Portland October 9. The regional meeting for this section will be held in Eugene October 30.

Runk Family Home at Lorane Burns; Ivan Runk Is Seriously Burned

Ivan Runk of Lorane, who is in the Eugene hospital as the result of serious burns sustained Sunday night when the family home was burned to the ground, is reported as slightly improved. His injuries were confined to the face and upper part of his body. The father, John Runk, and a sister Reatha were also painfully though not seriously burned. They were taken to Eugene for treatment but returned to Lorane and are being cared for at the home of friends. The mother, a fourth occupant of the house, escaped without injury. The fire was discovered about midnight. The family slept upstairs and the victims were burned while fighting their way to safety with bed clothing. The house was a 7-room structure located a short distance east of Lorane. It was completely destroyed and only a small part of the contents was saved. It is reported that a small amount of insurance was carried on the house but that the contents were not insured. It is not known how the blaze started.

Miners to Roseburg

Dave Von Needa and George McQueen plan to leave Saturday to attend a conference of southwestern Oregon counties for the purpose of discussing a proposed development of the mineral industry in the state. Governor Martin and other distinguished guests will take part in the program. Both Von Needa and McQueen are interested in the Bohemia mining country.

Fined for Illegal Deer.

William Vaughn was fined \$25 Wednesday by Justice of the Peace Young on the charge of illegal possession of part of a deer out of season.

National Crop Yield.

The national crop yield is estimated to be 17 per cent under the 1921-30 average, and total production 20 to 25 per cent below what would probably have been produced with normal weather, according to the O. S. C. extension service, while Oregon crop average is slightly above average. As a consequence Oregon farm price level is now 82 per cent of the 1926-30 average, 16 points, and 24 per cent above August 1935 prices.

S. L. Godard, who recently underwent an operation in a Eugene hospital, returned home Saturday and is able to be down town for a short time each day.

Further Legislation Needed to Prevent Stream Pollution

Board of Health Hampered by the Lack of Sufficiently Comprehensive Powers.

Voluntary cooperation on the part of individuals and industries, and a strict adherence to a policy of modern and scientific sewage disposal by the state itself and its political subdivisions, must be effected if streams of Oregon are to be purified and kept in a sanitary condition, it is declared in a report just completed by the Oregon state planning board.

The report, compiled by John Ronchetti, research assistant for the board, under the direction of the board's advisory committee on stream purification, has been submitted to Governor Martin. The board submitted the report as a compilation of facts, and made no recommendations to accompany it.

After pointing out that eight states have coordinated codes which create independent agencies charged with administration of anti-pollution statutes, the report puts Oregon "within the classification of states which have enactments affording only a minimum degree of control."

The state board of health, while designated as the dominant enforcing agency in Oregon, is hampered by failure of the legislature to delegate to the board sufficiently comprehensive powers, the report declares. "The result is that the board of health is relegated in its effort to control pollution to redress through the medium of injunctive relief in the courts," it states.

Writers of the report found nine general defects of the Oregon statutes, which are cited as: Lack of concise coordination of statutes, lack of direct responsibility for enforcement, overlapping and duplication, probable unconstitutionality of section 59-422 of Oregon code of 1930, drastic provisions of penal sections, practical unenforceability, impossibility of progressive amelioratory regulation, lack of direct control over municipalities, and lack of proper delegation of powers to administrative agency.

Industrial Show Dates November 13 and 14

The Legion sponsored Industrial Show will be held at the Cottage Grove armory November 13 and 14. Charles Hall, who is in charge of arrangements, announced Wednesday. Booth space is going fast, and any business house or organization to be represented should contact Mr. Hall as soon as possible.

Ten Greatest Public Enemies.

The ten greatest public enemies would not be classified as such if they would improve such a simple thing as their manners," indicates the report. These enemies are classified as: "The bluffing road hog, the impatient driver, the careless pedestrian, the driver who insists on being at the head of the pack, the driver who will not signal, the double parker, the driver who will not dim his lights, the driver who turns in the middle of the street, the driver who weaves in and out of traffic, and the horn blower."

New Travel Record.

Establishing a new all time travel record, the Crater Lake National park attendance for the current season is rapidly approaching the 175,000 mark, the previous high was in 1931 with 170,284 visitors. All entrance roads are still in good condition.

Women Drivers Safe As Men.

"Women are just as efficient and careful in the operation of motor vehicles as men." Such was the statement of R. W. Haven, member of the Chicago staff of the National Safety council.

Thieves Enter Several Stores; Little Stolen

Back door thieves were busy in the city Wednesday night when two business places were entered and various articles reported stolen. The Darling Variety store was entered by breaking a glass window in the rear. Fred Knickerbocker, manager, reported that all the pennies in the cash register were taken as well as a quantity of candy and gum. The Rattle Bicycle shop was also entered and a revolver and cartridges reported missing. It is thought by officers and store owners that the robberies are the work of young boys. Juvenile officers were in the city today conducting an investigation.

FIRES UNDER CONTROL IN ROW RIVER COUNTRY

Two slashing fires reported in the upper Row river country, added smoke to the heavy pall that hung over the city this week. The first fire was reported on Frank Brice Creek in the Weyerhaeuser timber and caused grave concern as a heavy crew of men fought hard to keep it under control. It was reported that several thousand feet of cut logs were destroyed.

The Bohemia Lumber Co. on Culp Creek burned slashings in logged off country on Sharps Creek to avoid a possible fire danger. A crew of their men were holding the fire in check.

All logging operations ceased Sunday when the fire situation over the entire state became alarming. It was reported that some of the smaller camps reopened this morning (Thursday).

Democrats and Republicans Send Sound Trucks Here Tuesday.

A political caravan, with a loud speaker broadcasting truck, stopped on the main street of the city Tuesday evening for a democratic rally. N. E. Glass, candidate from this district for the state legislature, C. F. Hyde of Eugene, U. S. Burke, democratic candidate for state treasurer from Corvallis and Mr. Kirkpatrick, congressional candidate from the first district, were among the speakers.

Records furnished music for the program and the truck which was operated by Bob Quinn, president of the young democratic club of Alabama, and vice president of the national committee. The caravan was sponsored by the national Democratic committee.

A similar truck operated by the state republican committee, passed through the city earlier in the day. It paraded the streets for a short time.

California Good Customer.

Los Angeles and San Francisco took 2663 carloads of Oregon fruit and vegetables in 1935 and the equivalent of 1146 cars of fruit and vegetables entered California by truck from Oregon in the same year.

John Henry Bartels Respected Pioneer Merchant Passes

John Henry Bartels, a resident of Cottage Grove the last 37 years, died Sunday at his home on south Sixth street after an illness of several weeks. Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2:30 at Mills chapel. Rev. Father Francis Leitzig of Eugene officiated. Interment was in the A. F. & A. M.-I. O. O. F. cemetery.

All of the local business houses were closed during the funeral.

Mr. Bartels was born December 15, 1854, in Bremen, Germany. He came to this country in his early youth. He was married to Louisa Max, February 22, 1878, at Neosho, Mo. They later resided in Kansas, coming to this community in 1899. Mr. Bartels was a butcher by trade and engaged in the meat business most of his life. He retired from business a short time ago and was devoting his time to interests in the Bohemia mining district. He was a member of the Lutheran church and of the Woodmen of the World lodge.

Surviving are the widow and seven children: Mrs. Mary Brown, Eugene; Fred J. Bartels, Mrs. Sarah Powers, William Bartels, all of Cottage Grove; Mrs. Mattie J. Clark, Portland; Mrs. Lillie Douglas, Medford; Mrs. Ethel Cahow, Dunsmuir, Cal. There are also 12 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Tent City Rises in Ashes of Bandon as Homeless Return

Cottage Grove Dispatches 3 Tons of Bedding, Clothes and Food to Stricken City.

Returning late Wednesday afternoon from fire-stricken Bandon, where they had taken a truck load of more than three tons of clothing, bedding and food stuffs, donated by various Cottage Grove residents and civic organizations, Vinal Randall, George Foster and Hugh Nixon found that once beautiful seaside resort city a desolate sight indeed.

With but very few exceptions the entire business district and residential section was totally destroyed, the men report. They found residents still apparently dazed from the disaster that came upon them so suddenly.

Relief agencies are working as rapidly as possible to erect a tent city for the former residents, until more permanent structures can be erected. They estimated that about 500 of the former residents have returned to the city and are now living in tents. Others will no doubt return later.

Bandon citizens and relief officials welcomed the Cottage Grove donation and assured the men delivering it that it would be placed to good use.

There was but little more smoke in the fire stricken area than in Cottage Grove Wednesday. No active fires were visible from the highway on the entire trip, the men stated, but some large fires were reported burning inland. They found that neither Coquille nor Marshfield suffered from the flames to any extent. The heat from the fire in Bandon was so intense that every building burned was almost totally destroyed. A single truck could haul all that remained of large homes and their contents. There was no wind blowing along the coast in the Coos-Curry fire zone Wednesday, and it is believed that the fires there will be controlled without further property damage unless another gale develops.

Madden's in Fire

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Madden of Cottage Grove were in Bandon when the fire struck that city late Saturday night. Mr. Madden had been trucking for Verne Garoutte who was logging on Halls Creek in that vicinity, and Mrs. Madden had driven there with a tire for her husband's truck.

They had planned to spend Sunday with Harry Dunn, who operated the Dunn's tourist cabins, and were located there when the fire entered the city.

"It was a terrible sight," Mr. Madden told a Sentinel reporter. "No one seemed to really believe that the city would be destroyed even when the fire was almost upon them. People even entered the local theater apparently unconcerned, shortly before the fire hit the outskirts. The wind was blowing so hard that once the fire entered the city it traveled faster than a man could run."

"We came out by way of Coquille and Marshfield and were obliged to keep the windows closed to keep the flames from entering. The heat was almost unbearable. One bridge was burning as we crossed it."

Mr. Garoutte had five donkey engines in the fire zone, and Mr. Madden believes these were destroyed, but has had no definite information. He believes that a careful check of the rural sections will show a greater death toll than the 11 listed.

Bob Savage, who had a crew of 4 men securing burls in the upper Sixes country and 5 more in the Pistol river region, reports that they all escaped, and saved their trucks, but with little time to spare.

Mrs. L. T. Lassiter and son Richard of Myrtle Point arrived Sunday and were visitors until Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Lassiter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Counts. They were in the danger zone and sought safety when the flaming peril threatened their home city. Mr. Lassiter brought them to Roseburg and returned to Myrtle Point.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McKaig of Coquille spent a few days this week at the home of a brother-in-law, John Read. Mrs. McKaig suffers from a heart ailment and grave concern was felt over her condition due to the smoke laden air and extreme low humidity. (Continued on Page 5)

Let's All Help!

Cottage Grove's Red Cross Chapter is scheduled to raise \$150 for Bandon relief purposes. This is only a very small part of the sum to be expended by that organization and should be raised very quickly.

Please leave your donation at the First National Bank as soon as possible.