

An Employment Office Will Be At the City Hall

Branch Office to Be Opened Soon Under Management of J. C. Branaman.

PERMANENT OFFICE WILL OPEN SEPTEMBER 1st

An employment office will be established here the latter part of the week, L. C. Schroeder, president of the Chamber of Commerce announced Tuesday. The office, a branch of the Lane county employment office under Ray Martin, director, will be established primarily to furnish laborers to the Cottage Grove dam.

The office will be located temporarily in the city hall. Permanent office quarters will be located in the building across the street from the Southern Pacific as soon as office quarters are remodeled.

Funds have been appropriated to operate the office for a period of six months, although requisition has been made to operate the office for three years. A young man from The Dalles, whose name was not learned, will be in charge of the office, it was reported.

George Belloni of Eugene, acting manager of the Lane county employment office with J. C. Branaman also with the Eugene office were down yesterday, making an inspection of the temporary office to be established in the council chamber at city hall. Mr. Belloni announced that Mr. Branaman would be in charge of the local office until the 15th, at which time George Machin of the Dalles would be in charge. Mr. Belloni explained that the employment office here is simply a referral proposition. The unemployed are listed and the names referred to the employer.

The office hopes to be of service to other industries in addition to aiding the labor supply in the construction of the Cottage Grove dam.

After September 1st, permanent office quarters will be established in the old express office across the street from the Southern Pacific depot.

Paul Carr Dies Of Injuries in an Accident Monday

Paul Eugene Carr, 21, employee of the Sheets and Pitcher Logging Co., was fatally injured early Monday morning while at work in the woods of the Scott Lumber Co. near Culp Creek when he was hit in the head by the bell of a choker. He sustained a badly fractured skull and after being given first aid here was rushed to a Eugene hospital where he died at 10:30 p. m. Monday evening. He never regained consciousness after the accident.

Young Carr was the son of W. S. Carr, store keeper and postmaster at Disston and had lived in this section all of his life. He had been employed in the woods for about three years and at the time of the accident held the position of utility man and was regarded as one of the most valued employees of this company.

Surviving are his parents Mr. and Mrs. John S. Carr, a sister Mrs. Florence F. Koski of Marshfield and five brothers, John S. Jr., Laurence, Claude R., Dale W. and Ray W. all of Disston.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 in the Mills chapel with the Rev. J. W. Hocker of Culp Creek, officiating. Interment was in the Masonic-L. O. O. F. cemetery.

Month of July Is One Of Driest on Record

Dry weather continues and although there is no comparative data available as this is written, July 1940 was probably the driest on record. According to records of C. E. Stewart, weather observer, there were nineteen clear days in July, six partly cloudy and six cloudy. The maximum temperature of 92 was reached on the first and 11th, the minimum of 68 on the 26th. Precipitation was only .22 of an inch. Direction of the prevailing wind was northwest. There were three smoky days the first part of the month.

ALTERATIONS IN LORANE RESIDENCES

Several additions and alterations are underway on residences in the Lorane community. T. P. Addison is building a new garage and woodshed. The residences of Hubert Addison and Harry Skelton are being altered. An addition is being built to the Clark Coffelt home and a bath room is being added to the T. B. Mitchell home.

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She's Mrs. Now



Film Star Loretta Young is Mrs. Tom Lewis now. Here they are, as they left Westwood, Calif., church after ceremony. Crowd of 1500 jammed around church. She's 27, he's a 38-year-old advertising executive.

Fifteen Blocks to Be Oiled in City

A city crew is engaged in oiling about fifteen blocks of streets this week in a street improvement program. The project may eventually include all of the unimproved or gravel streets within the city limits. Parts of First, Second, Third, Quincy and parts of several streets on the west side will be oiled before the project is finished. Streets to receive the oil have been generally repaired and it is hoped that the thoroughfares thus improved may be built into first class jobs.

Previously Fourth street and one block of Taylor had been oiled. Also parts of lateral roads have received the oil treatment including the road up Mosby creek to the Mosby Creek side camp and the road leading past the Benton Schrenk farm. Oiling the latter projects was done by the county.

Heat Wave Brings New Fire Hazards

Increasing heat during the early part of the week increased the fire hazard over this section to the greatest degree of the season. Due to moisture in the Rujada section last week the situation there was described as normal Tuesday morning by H. E. D. Brown, forest ranger. "Two or three days of present temperatures will make the situation critical here," he said. High temperature Monday at Rujada was 95 with a humidity of 25. High temperature at Castle Rock lookout Monday was 81 with a humidity of 27 degrees.

A small grass fire near the Green Ridge mill in the Lynx Hollow section was brought under control by the mill crew.

Joe Yearous Is New Manager of Safeway

Joe Yearous, well known to many local people and formerly with the Safeway store here, is back with the Safeway as local manager. Mr. Yearous succeeds Warren Schisler, who has served as manager for the past year. It is understood Mr. Schisler plans to return to Eugene with his family where he will be associated with his father in business.

Mr. Yearous, who has been working at a Eugene Safeway store for several weeks, returned Monday morning to assume his new duties as manager.

RED BOOT SHOE SHOP REMODELS

Steve Gasper, proprietor of the Red Boot Shoe Shop, across the street from the Sentinel office, announced yesterday that the interior of his shop had been rearranged for better service and new equipment added. Mr. Gasper has added a counter and installed two new machines including a sewing machine and a cement press and in addition has rearranged his shop for convenience and better service.

SEVERS TOE

J. B. Monnett of Disston route sustained a painful injury Tuesday when he severed his left little toe while clearing brush on his farm.

Schoolmates of 1880-1895 Have Second Reunion at City Park

Saturday the second schoolmates reunion was held in the city park for pupils who attended school at Latham or Cottage Grove from 1880 to 1895. Husbands and wives and those unattached attended. One special feature of the day was the presence of newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee Baker (Miriam Piper). They received congratulations and best wishes from a host of old schoolmates. Dr. Curtis Harris of Eugene gave a history of his school days in Cottage Grove and mentioned several names of schoolmates and teachers that have passed away, Alvie H. B. Harvey of San Francisco was present and met friends and classmates he had not seen for forty years. Luke Knowlton, Albert Wallace, H. H. Harms, Hattie Best and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hart, all of Portland, Emma Branstetter, Los Angeles, and George Cooley of Paisley reviewed old school days. School songs of long ago were sung and stories told.

Election of officers was held with Charles McKibben elected president, Anna Petrie, vice president, and Ed Finnerty, secretary-treasurer. The next meeting will be held the Saturday before the first Sunday in August of 1941.

Those present included Ellen Carey Markley, Myra Cathcart Counts, Sam C. Newcomb, Albert Griffin, G. E. Finnerty, Etta Finnerty, Lizzie George Veatch, Lucinda Chrisman Veatch, Eva Veatch Holderman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Cochran, H. B. Harvey, Bert McDole, Oscar McDole, Addie McDole Veatch, Bernice McDole Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert Cooley, A. J. Willard, Minnie McKibben Sweet, George Sweet, J. L. Plaster, Minnie Thornton Plaster.

Here's Real News--Jackrabbit Comes To Town, Causes Lot of Commotion

"When the donkeys come to town, it's not news, but when the jackrabbits come to town, the natives should sit up and take notice," says George Foster, sage of the Randall building industry. Or maybe it's a bad omen for the growth and development of the community. At any rate a speeding jackrabbit caused quite a bit of commotion here recently when he came into the village by way of Sixth street, turned Main on two legs and headed north in the general direction of Eugene via the Delight Valley and Hoople Manor, where the Major Hoople was busily engaged in following a combine and sewing sacks.

Looks like the local cops sorter slipped in letting the animal exceed the speed limit.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES IN PORTLAND

Mrs. A. M. Jacobs, mother of Mrs. E. R. Lemley of this city, passed away at her home in Portland, Tuesday, it was learned yesterday. Funeral services will be Saturday afternoon in Portland at 2:00 p. m. and interment will be made in a Portland cemetery.

Mrs. Jacobs lived here for a number of years and was well known to old residents here.

GEORGE'S DAIRY CHANGES NAME AND OWNERSHIP

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Linebaugh have taken over the management of George's Dairy formerly operated by George Marquardt and have changed the name of the dairy to the Sunrise Dairy. The new owners assumed management the first of the week. They will continue to operate the dairy on the Marquardt farm located north east of the Steel Bridge on Row river.

There will be no change in the policy of the dairy's operation. The new management will continue to distribute the highest possible quality product. See the announcement in this issue for further details.

SPRINGFIELD BABY ELECTROCUTED

John Hugh Walker, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsie Walker of Springfield, was electrocuted Friday evening while playing near his home when he touched an electrified wire fence used to enclose livestock. Efforts to revive the boy by use of a pulmotor from the Eugene fire department failed. He was found lying under the fence by his brother, aged ten, a few minutes after the accident.

This Plant Had U. S. Contract



Fires like this one—a \$2,000,000 disaster taking estimated seven lives at a Camden, N. J., paint plant—make defense officials jittery. Company had Army and Navy orders, which prompted inquiry into possible sabotage angles in fire. But, regardless of sabotage, defense chiefs need all plant capacity they can get, hence are watching strategic factories closely.

Feels Better



"Gee, that feels better now," said Bob Feller, Cleveland's star pitcher, after removal of a tooth that was cracked when he was hit in face by sandlotter's ball. Sandlotter was trying out for team.

Repairs Are Active For Month of July

Repairs were active during the month of July with some new construction started. The following permits were issued: Frank Heck, alterations to store building, new Pacific highway; W. L. Workman, repairs to residence at 1038 Ash avenue; N. J. Nelson Jr., 131 south 7th, new roof to residence; A. Wynn, 655 Harrison, general repairs; A. Wynn, same address, new garage; James P. Graham, 141 3rd street, new garage; Matt Maddess, 5 I street, new roof on residence; William Morelock, 49 5th street, repairs to residence; W. L. Workman, West Main and Q street, new residence; P. R. Gibson, 727 North 10th, roof and general repairs to residence; G. L. Ballew, garage; Vinal Randall, Jefferson and Eighth, office building; Ruth England, 518 North 10th street, new roof to residence.

Rites Mrs. Susan Klopfenstein Held Sunday Afternoon

Rites for Mrs. Susan Jane Klopfenstein, 69, were held at the Smith chapel Sunday afternoon at 2:00 p. m. with the Rev. Gordon Hypes, Christian minister, officiating, and following a memorial service held by the Cottage Grove Rebekah lodge. Interment was in the L.O.O.F.-Masonic cemetery.

Mrs. Klopfenstein passed away at the family home at 654 Birch avenue Friday morning. She came to Oregon in 1927 and had lived here continuously since that time. She was born at Yancey Hills, Missouri, April 13, 1871. Here her early years were spent. On December 21, 1927, she was married to John Klopfenstein, an early settler of Cottage Grove, who came here in 1892. She was a member of the Baptist church in Indian Creek, Missouri, and of the Rebekah lodge in Cottage Grove. Surviving are her husband and two sisters, Mrs. Frank Turner of Cottage Grove, and Mrs. Julia Gable of Missouri; two brothers, Milford E. and Robert H. Jackson of Missouri three nephews, J. C. and Robert H. Jackson of Portland, and Guss Turner of Cottage Grove, and a niece, Mrs. A. M. Brown, also of Cottage Grove.

Tips for the Flower Exhibitor at the Fair

Here are some tips for flower exhibitors, who may contemplate exhibiting at the South Lane County Fair, as given by Mrs. S. L. Godard, committee chairman:

Have flowers clean and healthy. Include some of their own foliage, although it may be detached from blossom. This should be clean, whole, not bug-eaten or diseased.

No other kind of foliage or flower should be included. No spent petals. These can sometimes be clipped out, or off, without detriment.

For potted plants, pots should be painted, or covered.

Miniature gardens may be built in flats, pans, dishes or glass bowls.

DEPOT TO GET NEW ROOF

Among the new improvements noted is a new roof for the S. P. depot. Painting the exterior would be still more of an improvement. Maybe this will come next. Not to be outdone the O. P. & E. has replaced a number of ties near the depot of that road.

Dam Site Activity Dues to Increase Next Two Weeks

Diversion of Channel Is Expected to Start August 21.

FOUR CARS OF EQUIPMENT ENROUTE HERE.

Activity is in evidence at the Cottage Grove damsite in the Hebron community, where a crew of men are working carryalls and a bulldozer, throwing up an embankment for a road which will be built just behind the dam. Two carryalls and a bulldozer are being used in the present operations, which will be expanded when additional equipment arrives. J. F. Collins, general superintendent, said yesterday four cars of additional equipment are enroute here. Work of diverting the Coast Fork channel will not start until August 21st, at which time the Woodward flume will be dismantled.

Clearings have been made on the east bank of the river for several yards in preparation for construction of a road on the east shore line of the proposed reservoir. "We have made no plans as to the grade of the detour road along the west shoreline of the reservoir," Mr. Collins stated when questioned concerning an alleged protest entered by two local lumbermen, who are said to have protested to the county that the grade of the road would be too steep for log hauling.

Due to limited operations, the number of new men employed on the project have been relatively few, but additional men will be employed as operations are expanded.

Equipment has been slow in arriving, due to the fact that it had to be assembled and shipped from several points, but more is being shipped. Yesterday it was said four cars of equipment were enroute here.

Latham, Hebron, Divide Districts to Vote on Bond Issue

Voters of the newly consolidated Latham, Hebron, Divide school district will vote on a bond issue August 19th to finance a building program for the district. A bond issue of \$14,000 has been proposed which will finance a school building consisting of four class rooms, a gymnasium and a play shed.

About a month ago school patrons of the Hebron and Latham districts voted to consolidate the two districts and Friday evening the patrons of the consolidated Latham district and the patrons of the Divide district voted to merge. The vote at Latham was unanimous with nine for and none against while the vote at Divide was nineteen for and fourteen against. Last week the Latham district voted to move the present building consisting of two rooms to the Hull ranch about a quarter of a mile southeast of the present location. Under the bond issue it is proposed to add two more rooms, build a gymnasium and a play shed. Three teachers have been employed for the consolidated district another year and there is a good possibility that another teacher will be added, now that Divide has entered the district.

Health Conference to Be Held Here Aug. 15

Another child health conference will be held here August 15th from 1:00 to 3:00 p. m., Miss Beatrice Turtle, South Lane health nurse, announced here Monday. The place of the conference is at the health nurse's office, upstairs at the corner of Fifth and Main. Those already scheduled will be given preference, Miss Turtle said. Those wishing appointments for September should make appointment any Thursday morning.

The conference will be in charge of Dr. E. L. Gardner, Mmes. W. E. Lebow, Verne Williams, Brighton Leonard, Anne Leffingwell and Miss Bettie Schaphohl, assisting.

BEAN PICKING SPEEDED

Dry, hot weather, which has prevailed over western Oregon for several days has speeded the bean gathering operations according to reports from the bean centers. The canning supply is expected to last about a month longer, it was said.

FRANK BENNETT QUILTS POST Frank Bennett, co-ordinator of the Lane County electrical cooperative No. 18 of the REA, for several months has tendered his resignation, effective August 15th, and the resignation accepted, it was understood. A list of applicants for the position has been received, but the board has taken no action as yet.