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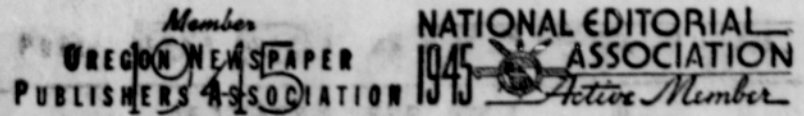
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56 YEARS OF SERVICE, 1889-1945

With this issue the Sentinel passes its fifty-sixth birthday. It looks as this is written that we of the Sentinel will really have something to celebrate...

On this occasion we, as well as the rest of our readers, have a rare privilege, a privilege to be thankful for in that we are alive in this history-marking period...

In so far as this small spot of the United States is concerned in the passing of another milestone. We know that we have our shortcomings and like other newspaper people...

In scanning some editorials the other day we came on a tribute to the weekly newspaper from a great southwestern daily, The Dallas, Texas, News...

"A heartwarming sign that the civilization we have known so long is still hanging on is the weekly newspaper. It is holding its own. From 1938 to 1943, a very trying time for newspapers as well as people...

"A few years ago there were those who forecast the death of the weekly. It could not withstand the radio. The drain of the city, the rush for defense jobs and call to arms would mean its doom. But the prophet did not know the small community...

"The little towns are still our strongholds. There we find devotion and affection for community life. Folks may be complacent at times, but they feel they are a part of their government, not little sapplings in a dense woodland...

CARD OF THANKS

We extend our sincere thanks to our friends, neighbors, the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs for their kindness and sympathy...

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WAITING FOR SENTINEL

Harvey Road, August 15, 1945. Cottage Grove Sentinel. Dear Editor:

Harvey road heard rumors today that there has been a big war some place and that the war has ended. We are just setting on needles and pins waiting for the Sentinel. If we see it in the Sentinel we know it's so. Folks down here don't take anything but the Sentinel and Oregon Farmer, but the Oregon Farmer won't be out for a couple of weeks and we don't want to be in suspense that long.

Some of the folks down here are getting tired of going barefooted and are thinking of buying a pair of shoes, but backed down after they heard shoes was rationed. What is this ration racket and how long has it been going on?

CLIFF ROBERTS

12 Local Boy Scouts Receive Awards at Camp Lucky Boy

CAMP LUCKY BOY—A new all-time high in scout advancement was made by Boy Scout troops attending this summer camp during period four as 70 per cent of the scouts received awards at the camp court of honor.

Appearing before the court of honor were 65 Boy Scouts who received a total of 30 advancements in rank and 142 merit badges. The previous high showing in advancement was during period 2 of Camp Lucky Boy—1945 when 52 per cent of the Boy Scout campers received awards.

Those from troop 18, Cottage Grove, who received awards at the court of honor held at Stafford Court include the following: Frank Rasmussen, Marvin Schaffer and Wesley Hansen for first class rank; and merit badges to Marvin Schaffer, swimming; Wesley Thompson, swimming; Jim Valentine, life saving; Wesley Hansen, swimming; George Walker, animal industry; Champ Husted, animal industry; Herb Lombard, angling, leathercraft, painting, mechanical drawing, woodturning, art, rowing; Dick Schmitt, life saving and Edward Lovegren, life saving.

Dorena

Mrs. Ada Jennings and Mrs. Mary Land of Harrisburg, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Brant and Gary Jennings of Cottage Grove were Sunday visitors at the Louis Dodge home.

Jerry Mosby and Virginia Wilcox of Eugene and Rod Nelson of Portland spent Saturday at the Mrs. M. Mosby home.

Mrs. Nettie Monroe, Lyman Williams and Billy Mortensen of Fall Creek were Sunday visitors at the Mrs. Florence Monroe home.

WAC PFC. Mildred Smith, who

is stationed at Colorado Springs, Colorado, is spending a furlough at her home here. Jot Nelson of Eugene was a Sunday visitor at the Mrs. M. Mosby home.

Church Activities

The public and more especially the young people of Cottage Grove are cordially invited to attend the youth rally here August 19, sponsored by the Crusaders of the Church of God. Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. to consider youth responsibility to the government for the security and liberty it provides with Mrs. G. E. Mendell as teacher.

At 11:00 a. m. sermon topic is "Releasing Youth From the Enticement of Sin," by the Rev. Joe Kernutt of Albany. At 12:30 there will be a basket dinner at the city park on East Main. At 2:30 representatives from the young people's group of Albany, Roseburg, Eugene and possibly Coquille will speak on topics of ministering for Christ.

At the morning worship in the First Baptist church the pastor, Rev. George E. Hardy, will bring a message on "Divine Benevolence."

In the evening at the union service held in the Baptist church the Rev. Mrs. Rozella Douglas, pastor of the Free Methodist church, will bring the message. Come and join our song service and lift your voice with us in praise and thanks giving for the closing of this war.

"Soul" will be the topic for the 11:00 o'clock service Sunday morning at the Christian Science church.

L. C. Parsons, superintendent of schools at Yoncalla, will be guest speaker at the Methodist church Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock in the absence of the pastor.

Sermon topics for next Sunday at the Christian church are: Morning, "Shadows of Truth," Evening subject, "Some things I know." There is a united adult Bible class in Bible doctrine taught by the pastor at 9:45 a. m. J. Michael Shelley, minister.

The Catholic church has announced a special Mass of thanksgiving for victory and the ending of the war to be held Sunday at 9:30 a. m. This victory Mass will be in addition to the regular Mass at 8:00 and will be conducted by a priest from Mt. Angel College in the absence of Father Sohler who will hold services at Oakridge.

There will be no preaching service at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning, August 19, due to illness of the supply minister who was to have filled the pulpit. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. as usual, but members of the church and congregation are urged to worship in other churches of the city at the 11:00 o'clock hour and give thanks to God for the ending of the war.

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From Old Files

20 YEARS AGO Water shortage emphasizes need of improvement.

Four fishermen from here who recently visited Crescent lake believe they have explored the oft-repeated tale that a sea serpent has its habitation there. They believe that what has been taken for such has been in reality but a vast school of small fish.

It may be necessary to call out the state militia to keep some one from carrying off our oil well. Upon the first visit, tools and small articles were carried off. Upon second bedding, clothing and personal effects were removed.

Mrs. Charles Gettys returned from trip to Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Garoutte spent yesterday in Eugene at the home of Mrs. Garoutte's parents.

R. L. Stewart left Tuesday on an outing at Yachats.

10 YEARS AGO

Children will return to studies September 16.

Work on flood control of Coast Fork continues in progress.

Stewart Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Roberts left today for a 14-day cruise to Alaska with 32 other Boy Scout members.

Mrs. R. B. Reed and Mrs. Chet VanDenberg left Wednesday for The Dalles to attend the American Legion Auxiliary convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Neet left Wednesday for Portland.

Laugh your fill with Will Will Rogers stars in "Doubting Thomas."

Church of God to Hold Youth Rally

The Church of God will be hosts to a youth rally Sunday, August 19 to thirteen southern Oregon churches. Five main services are planned for the rally with topics for discussion that will particularly appeal to youthful minds and help them with their religious problems.

The speakers chosen for the occasion will be men who think and speak in terms that appeal to the youth. Beginning at 2:30 p. m. representatives from young peoples groups of three or four congregations will talk on subjects vital and helpful to attain a joyous

Christian life. At 7:00 p. m. a moving picture will be shown, portraying the importance of the religion "Jesus Christ" in the lives of the youth. At 8:00 p. m. the Rev. Louis F. Gough of Oregon City will close the program with a sermon on the topic, "The Most Abundant Life."

The rally is sponsored by the Crusaders of the Cottage Grove Church of God. Every number on the program will be of general interest.

Delight Valley

Glen Smith of San Francisco spent the week end at the home of his sister, Mrs. Malcolm Horn. Mr. and Mrs. Max Sears spent the week end at Albany and Monmouth.

Mrs. Lawrence Bradford was a recent house guest at the Max Sears home.

Jack Joll was surprised Saturday evening, his birthday anniversary, by the following friends and neighbors: the Oscar Flaten family, the Elwyn Bales family, the Dave Hite family, the Joe Crick family, Mr. and Mrs. Hebard and son of Cottage Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sears and Jack Keahy.

These Men Made the Supreme Sacrifice

Below is a list of local boys, killed or lost in action. We have done the best we could to get correct information over the three-year period, but in the event of an error, the same will be gladly corrected if called to our attention.



J. S. WYNNE



C. LEBOW



C. E. BURKETT



C. BOYKIN



C. ZIMMERLY



N. WHIPPS



R. PALLECKE



M. TRASK



H. R. EASTBURN



R. L. BLAKE

THESE MEN PAID THE SUPREME SACRIFICE. (Pictures not obtainable for this issue.)

Dan Lansing, Oran Jenkins, Donald Thorp, Stuart Haynie, Francis Queener, Richard Lackey, Bill Walls, Lloyd Peters, Philip Gray, Rex McFarland, Tom Henry, George Gaebbles

Orville Blackmore, Art Bills, Harold Dudley, Clifford Hammons, Orville Isham, Earl Williams, Charles Rearrick, Bill Simons, James Flynn, Kammann, Clelland Kammann, Marvel Geer

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