

The Weather

(Courtesy Cottage Grove Lake Weather Station)

Aug. 13	73	52
Aug. 14	76	48
Aug. 15	74	50
Aug. 16	76	49
Aug. 17	71	53
Aug. 18	71	56
Aug. 19	53	

Moderate to heavy fogs prevailing in the early morning.

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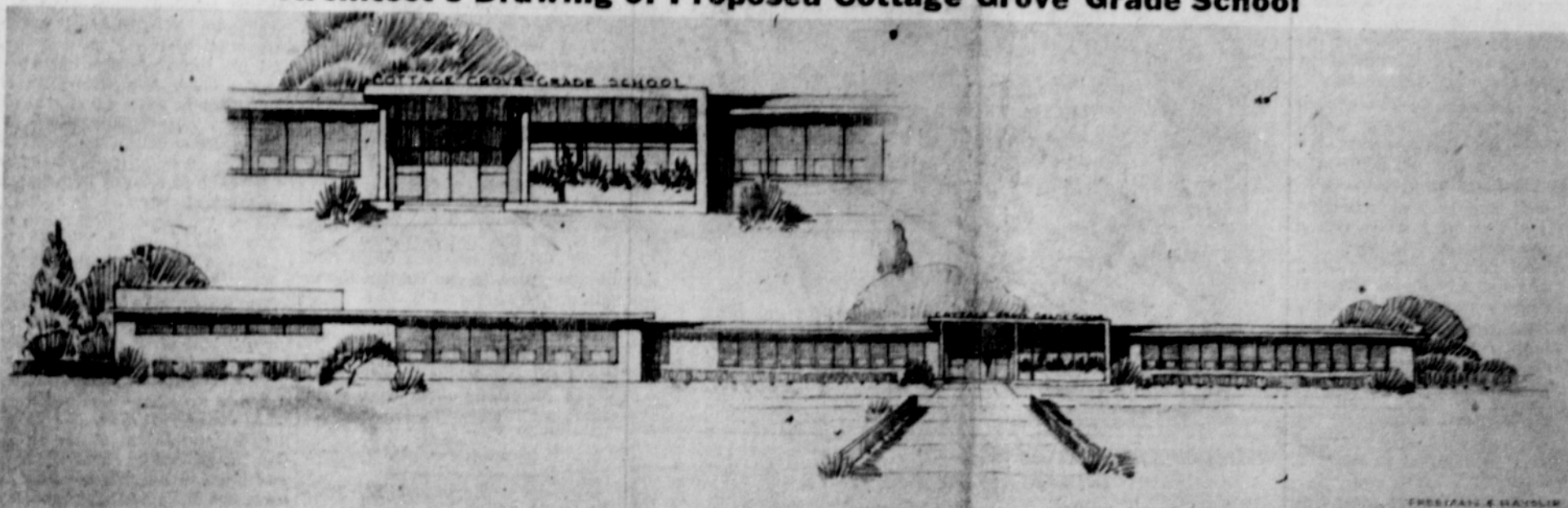
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Bennett Creek
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Architect's Drawing of Proposed Cottage Grove Grade School



Bids on New School Building Open September 1

Cottage Grove school Dist. No. 45 will open bids on its new six-room school building on September 1. The plan is to construct a six-room building which will be used to house the primary grades which have experienced a very rapid growth during the past three years. It is so planned and constructed that it can ultimately become a plant of 15 classrooms and a multi-purpose room.

The building will be located on the west side of south Tenth street between Quincy and Harrison and will be of pumice block, brick veneer construction with directional glass block lighting.

The school board began making plans for this new building in January and hoped to have the plant ready for use at the beginning of the coming school year. However, in spite of all their efforts to rush the work, numerous delays have held up the work so that construction will begin at least three months later than was anticipated.

Architects, Freeman and Hayship, estimate that the building can be completed in 150 days.

Red Cross Swim Classes Awarded

The Red Cross swimming classes, which have been underway this summer at the Cottage Grove lake, have come to a close and many awards have been given to the various groups from Polywogs to Junior lifesaving.

The swimming classes were under the direction of Don and Wallace Ciochetti of Eugene, and were in connection with the summer recreational program, which was directed by Bob Dusenberry, high school coach.

Receiving awards in the Polywog group were: Susan Griggs, Nancy Huggard, Annette Treat, Jacqueline Owens, Mona Funk, Kay Plunkett, Carol Hollister, Teddy Picknell, Marie Longfellow, Linda Schilling, Stanley Bullard, Polly Barker and Leon Hickok.

Tadpoles: Naomi Richardson, Doris Faulkner, Sally Bullard, Darlene Wilson, Roger Whetham and Gary Brook.

Beginners: Maria Clifton, Wilma June Crane, Janet Ottinger, Sharon Hagen, Selma Sugg, Janis Wedel, Arlo Benson, Chester Nance, Monte Bullard, Skeeter Stuart, Gary Hughes, Kenneth Radloff, Beverly Attridge, John Wilson, Richard Snapp, Jean Crepeau, Joan Crepeau, Betty Axley, Joe Griggs, Dale Brenden, Byron Angel and Shirley Boone.

Intermediates: Virgil Huff, Robert Dalberg, Rowena Miller, Rosemary Rickard, Janie Kelly, Jo Ann Funk, Donna Decker, Jean Crepeau and Joan Crepeau.

Swimmers: Jean Crepeau, Ronald Lewis, Dickie Heath, Elaine Radway, Neala Richardson, Joan Crepeau and Dick Miller.

Junior Lifesaving: Katherine Heath, Jean Crepeau, Dick Miller, Ronald Lewis and Richard Lewis.

Howard F. Farlow Services Tuesday

Howard Franklin Farlow, 60, a cook at the mess hall at Dorena dam succumbed as the result of a heart attack Saturday morning, August 14, at the dam. He was born February 19, 1888 at Crescent City, California.

Survivors include his wife at Albany and a brother at Oak Grove.

Funeral services were held at Mills Mortuary Tuesday at 2:30 p.m., with the Rev. Frank Brown officiating. Interment was in the Masonic-IOOF cemetery.

John Philip Sousa Memorial Concert Heard by Record Crowd Wednesday Eve

Probably one of the largest crowds ever assembled in the city park heard the Eugene Municipal Band give an unusually fine concert in memorial to the great band composer, John Philip Sousa, Wednesday night, Aug. 18, under the direction of Professor John H. Stehn of the University of Oregon.

The concert was under the auspices of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and financed by Local 689 of the American Federation of Musicians by the means of the Recording and Transcription Fund.

The approximate 500 persons present enjoyed the entire program which was: King Cotton March by Sousa, Invincible Eagle

Meat Boycott Will Continue

The housewives association in Eugene voted to continue the meat boycott indefinitely in Lane county.

The women voted down a motion to buy only 60-cent beef, and one to buy meat once a week. On a unanimous voice vote they declared their intention to keep up their use of meat substitutes until prices come down.

Mrs. F. Hansen of Springfield, who had once been voted the "typical customer" of the Los Angeles area, spoke on her findings in a survey of the meat business from the pasture to the pressure cooker.

"Nowhere," said she, "did I find a single person making a profit on meat... they all sing the same sad tune." She observed that consumers in this area pay about the same for grass-fed beef as easterners pay for grain-fed steer beef. "Somebody is making money," she declared.

Mrs. Hansen also declared that in Eugene only, is the meat inspection enforced by law. In other parts of the county, butchers comply with health inspections if they want and there is no standard grading in the county.

At the same meeting, committees were signed up to begin the price resistance along other fronts. Principal targets were listed as milk, baby clothes, shoes and fuel oil.

The next meeting is set for Aug. 24, with the time and place to be announced.

Meanwhile, the group reported that Gov. John Hall had invited them to attend a public hearing here next Monday in the courthouse at 1:30 p.m. Representatives from the State Department of Agriculture will discuss milk grades and prices.

Local butchers reported, in a Sentinel survey early this week, that business is about as usual. With few exceptions the over-all sales volume has been normal despite slight rises by the wholesalers that of course are reflected in the retail markets.

The customer is a little bit choosier and debates a little longer, but he buys.

The nation-wide outlook is about the same with some scattered fluctuations, but no general swings either way in prices. Prices on meat as compared with last year at this time stand 23 per cent higher. Ground round was priced here at 79c a pound this week while national comparisons were: Dallas, 78c; Denver, 1.05; New York, 1.10; Chicago, 98c; New Orleans, 99c; Los Angeles, 65c. A year ago it was .40 in Cottage Grove.

Local organizers are agreed that a sustained yield program should be put in operation, but the program being launched on the public, threatens the economy of the whole county and strangulation of independent mills.

EXAMINER COMING AUG. 23

A drivers license examiner will be on duty in Cottage Grove, Monday, August 23, at the city hall, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., according to an announcement received from the Secretary of State's office.

Persons wishing licenses or permits to drive are asked to get in touch with the examiner well ahead of the scheduled closing hour in order to assure completion of their applications with a minimum of delay.



Gerald H. Kennedy Heads Methodist Church for Area

Bishop Gerald H. Kennedy, elected a general superintendent of the Methodist Church at the recent Western Jurisdictional Conference in Seattle, and assigned to the Portland Area, which includes Alaska, Idaho, Oregon and Washington, Bishop Kennedy will take up his residence in Portland about October 1, after filling a number of speaking engagements in the east and middle west.

Lumbermen Resist Co-op Forest Plan

Formation of a Lane County organization of independent loggers and lumbermen was launched at an informal meeting in Eugene last week end. Frank McCulloch, Eugene logger, was named chairman of a temporary organizing committee and G. A. Campbell, who operates a small sawmill near Coburg, was elected secretary.

Following a pattern already developed in several other Western Oregon counties, the local group will set up as the Lane County Section of Western Forest Industries Association. The latter is a regional organization which has been active in recent months in campaigning against the "monopolistic" features of cooperative forest agreements.

McCulloch said a general, all-county meeting has been scheduled for Friday, August 27, in Eugene.

Also named to serve on the organizing committee were the following: R. U. Bronson, W. Heup, F. V. Kimball and W. Paul Clarke of Eugene; Harry Veach of Florence; Walter Roberts of Blachly; Ralph Johnson of Veneta; Charles F. Johnson of Junction City; F. V. Kimball of Dexter; Emory Harris and Morry Kelly of Cottage Grove; Alex Lilla of Blue River; F. D. McCormack of Swisshome; Herb Robbins of Mohawk; Ralph Hull of Monroe.

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Sept. 8 Medical Examination for First Graders

Mrs. Stewart Carlson announces that the P. T. A. sponsored medical examinations for children entering the first grade will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 8, at the Adams school. Hours are from 9 to 5 and appointments must be made by calling Mrs. E. R. Husted, phone 700. These exams are for children who have not had the required entrance exams from their family doctor. First grade children should bring the filled out and signed medical papers the day they enter school. Dr. Glaede will supervise and he will be assisted by members of the P. T. A.

Three Fire Calls During Past Week

Three fire calls for the week were reported by V. C. Douglas, fire chief.

Early Sunday morning the department was called to the Lorane Valley mill "A" to extinguish a blaze caused by a short in wiring on a planer. No damage was incurred.

Called to the Golden Rule garage at 11:20 Monday morning, a fire that started from welder sparks, and caused 50 dollars damage, was put out.

At 11:46 a.m. Wednesday, paint and grease on the frame of a gas truck was ignited by a welding torch. No damage other than the paint on the truck was sustained.

New Barber Shop Opened on 6th St.

A new barber shop has opened in the repainted space formerly occupied by the State Employment Office on south Sixth street. Mr. A. I. McLean is the proprietor of the new chair shop located here permanently to bring the city another service.

HARMONY CIRCLE PICNIC

The Harmony Circle of the First Baptist church is sponsoring a potluck picnic for the members and their families Friday evening, August 20, at 6:30 at the home of Mrs. E. L. Couch. Each one is to bring his own table service, buns, wieners and a covered dish.

OLD LANDMARK DRAWS UNEXPECTED ATTENTION

The Main street bridge was unexpectedly closed Tuesday when a normally loaded piling truck passed over it and the underpinning of one section gave way. The section had to be removed and new timbers put under, causing a detour via the highway to the Evergreen Auto Court bridge.

City employees and a crew from Daugherty Piling company repaired the break which opened the bridge for traffic late Thursday.

Civic Music Group Organizing Now

The nucleus of the membership committee for the Eugene and University Civic Music Association, consisting of eight division chairmen, has been announced by Mrs. George Guistina, secretary and G. E. Gaylord, president of the Association.

In preparation for the annual membership campaign, Sept. 13th to 18th, with headquarters at the Osburn Hotel, the following division chairmen have accepted appointments: Mrs. W. C. Martin, Cottage Grove; Mrs. A. R. Sneed, Springfield; Mrs. J. D. Mills, Junction City; Mrs. L. O. Moisel, Mrs. Robert Horn, Mrs. Lotta Carl, Mrs. Cecil Stickney and Mrs. N. C. Martinsen all of Eugene. The full roster of the membership committee will be announced later according to Mrs. Guistina.

With a forecast of another sold out season, members both old and new, are urged to renew their membership as soon as possible as they are being accepted now, it was announced by Association officials at the permanent headquarters, U. S. National Bank Building.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

Two former members of the Alcoholics Anonymous group here, who have moved to Corvallis, will start a group there next Saturday. The local group and the group from Eugene will participate.

The regular meeting of the Cottage Grove group will be postponed until Saturday, August 28. The time and place of the Corvallis meeting will be published later.

Former Resident Buried Here Mon.

Funeral services were held at 12:30 p.m., Monday in the Little Chapel of the Chimes, Portland, for Linley P. Bennett, 57, a former Cottage Grove resident and retired state construction superintendent for the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company. Mr. Bennett died Friday at his home, 5315 N. Haight avenue, after an extended illness.

He was born in Iowa and came to Cottage Grove at the age of seven years. He began his career with the telephone company in 1906, serving 37 years, when he was retired in 1943.

He was a member of the Presbyterian church, A. F. & M. Sunnyside lodge, the Royal Arch of the Knights Templar and the Telephone Pioneers of America.

Surviving are his widow, Leta Sanford Bennett, and a brother, William E. Bennett of Portland. Interment was in the local Masonic-IOOF cemetery Monday at 5:30 p.m. with Mills Mortuary in charge of local arrangements.

Building Crusade Kick-Off Dinner

Members and friends of First Methodist Church gathered in the dining room of the church Wednesday evening for the building crusade kickoff dinner. Dr. John Henry Soltman, of the Board of Church Extension of the Methodist Church, brought the inspirational talk of the evening as he challenged the people to arise to the needs of the hour in providing for this city the best possible type of church building within the means of the congregation. Colored slides were shown of the progress of the building program to date. Arrangements for the dinner were under the direction of the Women's Society of Christian Service with Mrs. John Englund as chairman.

CHILD HEALTH CONFERENCE

Mrs. E. R. Husted, chairman of the Child Health Conference, announced that the meeting scheduled for August 19th, has been cancelled due to the absence of Dr. Triolo.

The next regular meeting will be September 16 in the health room.

Out O' Town Motel Recently Erected



The Out O' Town Motel recently constructed is located at Latham, two and one-half miles south of town. The owners, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson, came from Whittier, California, about a year ago, and have built this strictly modern motel, which has three double cabins and two singles. As soon as possible the Wilsons plan to add more cabins on their two-acre tract. The landscaping is not completed, but they plan to make it very attractive and modern. They have been operating the Out O' Town Motel for about a month. The Out O' Town Motel is for tourists only and does not rent to permanent residents.

Cottage Grove was chosen as the location of the new court after Mr. and Mrs. Wilson had toured the whole state. "Seemed like the most logical place to grow in the part of the state that appealed to us most," said Mrs. Wilson.

Three Enter Race For City Mayoralty

C. G. High Plans Expanded Music Program This Year

The Cottage Grove Union High under the leadership of Elwood R. Rickman, instrumental instructor, and Neil Hergert, vocal instructor, is planning an expanded music program with the aim of bringing this department to a high level. Mr. Rickman was band leader at Elmira high school last year, where his band won an A rating. Mrs. Hergert was for eleven years in charge of vocal music at Parkrose high school in Portland with many successes to her record.

Three periods will be devoted daily to instrumental music and two to vocal music. All students who have an interest in either are urged to register for them.

The building of successful music departments takes time, effort and money. The band is in need of additional instruments for proper instrumentation. Needed particularly are two double French horns, one E-flat sousaphone, one baritone horn, and one baritone saxophone. Anyone having these instruments they would either sell or donate or other instruments they would do the same with, please call the high school office.

Rod and Gun Club Begins New Home

Monday evening at a special meeting of the Rod and Gun Club, the long planned club house began to take definite shape. On 25 acres of gentle slope, in the western foothills just off highway 99, five miles north of the city, in a setting of true northwestern scenery, the sportsmen have begun their building.

It will be 24 by 88 feet, housing main hall and meeting room, kitchen, and caretakers quarters. On the second floor will be a small arms range that will be used extensively in the winter months.

A large fireplace will be in the main hall, which will be finished in attractive knotty cedar, and will open to the north where the trap shooting ranges will face an ideal skyline.

The rifle range directed toward the foothills in a northwesterly direction is protected from windage by a stand of trees bordering the southern edge of the grounds.

On the eastern line, facing green mountains, is a small creek, which in the long range plans, may be altered to form a casting pool and possibly become the stage for their annual Indian Pageant.

Claude Sherman will be permanently on the construction job while the rest of the labor will be volunteered and donated by members, friends and local businessmen.

Some of the materials have already been donated to the club by local mills, but others are still being solicited and every bit will be appreciated.

The president, Warren Edwards, believes every person in the community will at some time or other be benefited by the new installation. The Boy Scouts have already been promised use of some facilities and the national guard has voiced a desire to use the rifle range.

To sportsmen in this district it will be a meeting place and recreation center where skills will be tested and where competitive meets will be held with other clubs. The present 250 members claim a wide representation of communities besides Cottage Grove and Creswell between which lies the new headquarters. "We," said Mr. Edwards, "will welcome newcomers in any capacity in which they come."

'Dog Patch Drag' Scheduled Friday

A big teen-age "Dog Patch Drag" is on schedule at the Jefferson gym at 9:00 p.m. this Friday night. Prizes will be given for the best costumes. The decorating committee of Barbara Gleason Mae Malcolm and Charlene Young are going all out for decorations for the last summer dance. Herold Witherspoon is responsible for the unique posters advertising the dance.

City Recorder D. J. Allen reported Wednesday that petitions had been received at the city hall for three candidates seeking the office of mayor of Cottage Grove. The petitions filed are for D. L. Watkins, E. R. Lemley and W. A. Edwards.

Mr. Lemley told the Sentinel that he plans to talk to the various clubs and civic organizations concerning the wants and needs of the city and to discuss the public's relationship with local government. "I feel that the wants of the community should be thoroughly talked over at this time," he said.

Regarding the job of mayor becoming a full time paying job, Mr. Lemley thinks that some remuneration should be forthcoming if the mayor is expected to handle all phases of the city's business—which would make it a full time job. The pay rate should be scaled to correspond with any similar business undertaking, but with consideration of what the city can afford to pay, in his opinion.

A petition is being circulated to make the mayor's job full time and will appear on the same ballot in the coming city election, it was learned today.

When asked about his plans for the coming campaign, Mr. Edwards thought that it was a little early to make any definite statements and has no talks scheduled.

The third candidate, Mr. Dewey Watkins, could not be contacted before publication but as the campaign takes shape the Sentinel will bring to the public the views of all candidates.

Also filed for the city elections were four candidates for the council. Three are from the first ward: Reazan Longfellow, J. E. Bricher, and Elmer Kent. Ward two had one filed, Oscar Smith; and the third ward had no candidates as late as Wednesday night.

Bob Gasper Goes to Nat'l Tournament

Bob Gasper recently returned from Lincoln, Nebraska where he competed in the 5-day national junior golf tournament. Bob was eligible to compete in the national tournament by receiving fourth place in the state tournament held in Portland in June. These junior tournaments are for boys up to and including 19 years of age.

Bob is very grateful and appreciative of the efforts of the local golf club and individuals who helped financially and made this trip possible for him. He got a real bang out of the trip, enjoying every minute, even to the seven inches of rain awaiting the next day by 110 degrees. He stated the golf course was a beautiful one, with a swimming tank and tennis court in addition to the course.

Saturday Bob and Larry Wolfard will go to Portland to play in a tournament being held at Eastmoreland golf course from August 24 to 27, which will be a state junior tournament.

Editor Martin on Canadian Vacation

W. C. Martin, editor and publisher of the Sentinel, left Friday with Mrs. Martin, for a short vacation in British Columbia.

Stops included on their trip were to be Lake Louise, Victoria and Grand Coulee Dam.

From the little correspondence received it was apparent that they were enjoying the trip.

Car Accident Fri. Hospitalizes Man

G. J. Ferguson of Lynx Hollow was seriously injured in a highway accident on Friday evening last. Mrs. W. H. Bricker, daughter of Mr. Ferguson, reported that his car was struck after he had made a left hand turn at the mouth of Lynx Hollow road, by a 1948 Lincoln driven by Theodore Jackson of Portland. Mr. Jackson was attempting to pass a freight truck and was traveling at high speed. Mr. Ferguson was thrown thru the windshield and received head lacerations and a broken hip. His car was badly damaged. He was taken to the hospital at the A. G. Ferguson Lumber Company, and was returning home from work when struck.

Latest reports from his doctor yesterday showed little improvement.