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Oregon Goes to the Dogs

Perhaps you have read the article by Sen. Richard Neuberger appearing recently in the Nation under the title, "Oregon Goes to the Dogs." This article is revealing on what the so-called pari-mutuel gambling on the greyhound races in Portland does to the citizens of Portland and perhaps other people who may go into Portland for the dog racing season, which takes about \$250,000 per night of operation.

What makes the situation bad is that the racing interests are protected by law. Out of state operators apparently pocket the money from such operations while the Oregonians with the gambling instinct pay the bills. When the greyhound races are on, the operations have a terrific impact on the economic life of the city. When the gambling is going full blast so are the collection agencies. Many merchants detect an immediate slump in payments when the greyhounds start running. People behind with their doctor's or grocery bill often show up at the pari-mutuel lines. A nightly handle of \$250,000 can only be taken out of the goods and services produced by the residents. Even the movie business there falls apart and the baseball park is virtually empty, says Neuberger.

The gamblers, says Neuberger, realize that agriculture support is their strength. If no special interest fought for the gamblers, their days would be numbered. Oregon track owners are said to have a tight grip on Oregon politics. The employees of the track obtain their jobs on the recommendation of members of the legislature. Greyhound pari-mutuels are legal in only seven states.

There isn't any doubt but that a large number of people don't like the situation in the state and more won't like it once they know, but the pari-mutuel toss to the agricultural fairs has kept down any action.

We Don't Use All Available Means

We don't use all means available to us to correct the weaknesses of our form of government and this applies to our local, state, county and federal government. In the county manager controversy we have heard the statement made that there were gross inequities in the methods of assessing the county taxes and once an error was made there was no way of correcting it. While we hold no brief for the present county assessor we think he is doing the best job he can with the funds he has to do the job with.

One instance was called to our attention where a Eugene corporation is apparently paying more than its share of taxes and in this instance the corporation has not been able to get an adjustment. Apparently the corporation did not know the board of equalization was in existence for the purpose of equalizing taxes. Of course after the taxes are computed and turned in to the tax collector there is no chance of getting an adjustment except by the order of the county court.

The present assessor is using methods recommended by the state tax commission for arriving at a fair valuation. Under any other system of county government this method would probably be continued.

Science Building To Be Dedicated At U of O April 25

University of Oregon, Eugene, (Special)—Four of the nation's top scientists will be on the campus of the University of Oregon April 25 and 26 to take part in the dedication of the university's new \$1,600,000 science building.

The group will be headed by Dr. Alan Tower Waterman, formerly of the office of naval research and now director of the National Science Foundation. Dr. Waterman will give the principal address of the two-day dedication on Friday night, April 25, at 8 p.m. The address will be on "The National Science Foundation."

He will also participate in the dedication ceremonies Friday afternoon and in a Saturday afternoon panel discussion on "Preparation for Science."

Other scientists scheduled for appearances at the ceremonies will be Dr. G. W. Beadle, chairman of the division of biology at California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, Calif.; Dr. G. Ross Robertson, professor of chemistry in the University of California at Los Angeles; and Dr. S. H. Allison, head of the institute for nuclear studies at the University of Chicago.

Each of these three men will conduct special 30-minute seminars Saturday, April 26. Following each of the seminars will be half hour discussion periods. All four of the guest scientists will participate in the Saturday afternoon panel, the chairman of which will be Dr. E. G. Ebbighausen, associate professor of physics in the University of Oregon.

Portland Jr. Symphony To Give Concert 26th

Portland, (Special)—The Portland Junior Symphony will present one of the most gala concerts of its 28 year history on Saturday, April 26, at 8:30 p.m. in the Portland public auditorium. Conductor Jacques Gerszkowitch will return to the podium after an absence of six months to lead his nationally famous 80 piece youth orchestra in the final concert of its 1951-52 season.

Four outstanding symphonic works will be presented for first Portland performance, David Campbell, one of the Northwest's leading musicians, will perform a piano solo.

A man who's only breaking even will soon be broke.

Citation Displayed At Local Library

Cottage Grove City Library has received for display a citation from the editors of Who's Who publication directed to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Woodard as donors of an American library to the community.

The citation will be framed and put on display at the local library. In a letter to the librarian, Mrs. Nellie Hamant, publisher of the Who's Who said that announcement of the citation for exceptional gifts to libraries appears in a new edition.

Circulation Up
Monthly report released by Mrs. Hamant showed that during March circulation and borrowers were still on the increase. A total of 2,004 adult and children's books were loaned, as compared with 1,947 in February. A total of 1,780 borrowers were listed for March as against 1,725 for February and only 1,288 a year ago.

Among the new best sellers on the shelf are the following volumes: The Sea Around Us by Rachel Carson; The Cruel Sea by Monsarrat; The Caine Mutiny, by Wouk; A Man Called Peter by Catherine Marshall; My Cousin Rachel by Daphne du Maurier, and The Town of Glory by Agnes Sligh Turnbull.

Lion Nominating Committee Named

At the April 17 session of the Lions club, J. B. Leonard, president announced the names of the nominating committee, who will suggest officers for the ensuing year. Named on the committee were: A. P. Weinkauff, Joe Brichner, and H. L. Wolfard. The committee is expected to suggest new officers within the next month.

During the program hour, Art Schaeffer presented a desk set to Virgil Kingsley, chairman of the program committee, in recognition of several years of faithful service.

Three vocal duets were sung by Anne Hill and Carol Skinner. The duets were accompanied by Lenore Porter. Messers Grant Lovegren and Bud Husted of the Lovegren and Husted Lumber Co., intimated that the three vocal duets were just a preview of a floor show this firm might present later.

At the April 24th meeting proponents of the county manager issue will address the club on the merits of the county manager plan. Bill Bowerman, track coach at the University of Oregon will be the speaker at the May 8th session.

A lawyer is known by the company that keeps him.

Eugene Lions Club Stages Home Show At Fair Grounds

The latest in home-building, remodeling, decorating and furnishing will be on display for Lane County residents April 24, 25 and 26, dates of the annual Lions Club Home Show at the Fairgrounds in Eugene.

Some 60 local merchants will show "what's new" for the home from the kitchen to the living room and on into the back yard. The show, which attracted record crowds last year has been planned to be even better this year, according to General Chairman Jack Baldoek. There will be a continuity in exhibits designed to answer problems for every room in your home.

The show will run nightly from 6:30 to 10 on Thursday and Friday and from 2:30 to 10 on Saturday. Some excellent entertainment features are on tap for each night and hundreds of merchandise awards will be made throughout the show. Admission is free.

Proceeds from sale of space to exhibitors is used by the Eugene Lions club for local charities.

Oregon U. Can Be Track Champs After April 26

University of Oregon, Eugene—Oregon's potent track and field squad can wrap up the 1952 Northern Division dual meet championship next Saturday (April 26) with a victory over the Idaho Vandals at Moscow.

Coach Bill Bowerman's powerhouse, a potent combination of youth and experience, has already marched past Washington and Washington State and must be considered a heavy favorite to whip the Vandals and the Oregon State Beavers in the two remaining meets.

The Webfoots will fly to the Inland Empire early Saturday morning and return after the meet. The squad will be made up of 22 men, the limit allowed under division rules.

The Ducks will be after their fifth straight victory over Idaho in competition which began in 1947. Coach Bowerman has rung up three of these and another win this week will boost his overall Northern Division record to 12 wins in 15 starts over the past four seasons.

A number of records could fall if the weather is good and the Ducks are in top form. Ted Anderson has bettered the 440-yard dash mark of 50 seconds. Jack Hutchins and Al Martin have both run better than the 1:59.8 mark in the 880 and the 4:28.4 mile standard. Wayne Reiser and Fred Turner have been consistent in the two mile at well under the current record of 9:50.7. Don McClure should top the broad jump mark of 22'11". Chet Noe could crack the shot put record of 46'4". and the Duck relay team can easily lower the current record time of 3:25.6.

Al Martin, former local high school star, has won the mile in two previous meets, against Washington University April 12 and against Washington State April 19, but will meet his stiffest competition in the northern division if he runs against Idaho's 4:20 miler Saturday. In the two meets he won the mile in 4:24.7 and 4:22.7.

Lowry Hoyer Low In Defeating Sig Ep Golfers

Lowry Hoyer, French Hall, shot a low 77 as his mates defeated the Sigma Phi Epsilon golfers, 8 1/2 to 3 1/2 Thursday afternoon in intramural league action. Hoyer is a local youth attending the University.

Following are the results with French Hall players listed first: Hoyer (77) over Rod Heenstand (81), 3-0; Bob Kennedy (87) over Jim Ekstrom (88), 2 1/2 to 1/2; Jim Stuart (84) over Jim Purcell (89), 2 1/2 to 1/2; and Dale Sears (91) lost to Bill Sage (88), 2 1/2 to 1/2.

Kenny Lillegren Has Serious Brain Operation

Kenny Lillegren, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lillegren of Disston, underwent brain surgery at Doernbecher Hospital in Portland Monday. His condition Wednesday was "fair."

Kenny had been hospitalized at a Eugene hospital for two weeks and the local hospital one week before being transferred to Doernbecher Hospital. Dr. Rath, a noted brain specialist, performed the operation. The Lillegrens' other two children, Larry and Signe, are with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Lillegren, while their parents are in Portland with Kenny.

4-H Poultry School SCHEDULED FOR 26TH
A 4-H Poultry School for all Lane county club members has been scheduled for 10 a.m. Saturday, April 26, at the Swift and Company plant in Eugene.

The school will be conducted by Noel Bennion, state extension poultry specialist.

BIRTHS

Cottage Grove Hospital
O'NEILL - To Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace O'Neill, Drain, a son, James Wade, April 15, 1952.

WOODY - To Mr. and Mrs. James Edgar Woody, Lorane route, Cottage Grove, a daughter, Brenda Lou, April 15, 1952.

ARMSTRONG - To Mr. and Mrs. George Custer Armstrong, Blackbutte route, Cottage Grove, a daughter, Lolita Louise, April 16, 1952.

LANTZ - To Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Howard Lantz, Drain, a son, Glenn Lee, April 16, 1952.

MYERS - To Mr. and Mrs. Norman Clyde Myers, Cottage Grove, a son, Marc Curtis, April 17, 1952.

BUCHANAN - To Mr. and Mrs. Phil Allan Buchanan, Dorena, a son, Stephen Levi, April 17, 1952.

OWENS - To Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bratton Owens, Sutherlin, a daughter, Sherry Lynn, April 17, 1952.

REARRICK - To Mr. and Mrs. Delmer LeRoy Rearrick, Cottage Grove, a daughter, Christine Ladel, April 18, 1952.

ANDES - To Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Quinn Andes, Drain, a daughter, Debra Jean, April 18, 1952.

MARTIN - To Mr. and Mrs. George Rudolph Martin, Cottage Grove, a daughter, Georgianna, April 19, 1952.

CARPENTER - To Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Carpenter, Cottage Grove, a son, Dwayne Dann, April 19, 1952.

AUCKLAND - To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leroy Auckland, Scottsburg, a daughter, Susan Louise, April 20, 1952.

LARSEN - To Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Larsen, Drain, a son, Carl J. Jr., April 20, 1952.

VROMAN - To Mr. and Mrs. Cyrenus Marion Vroman, Yoncalla, a son, Ernest Chester, April 21, 1952.

SUNDSMO - To Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Sundsmo, Cottage Grove, a daughter, Clara Myra, April 21, 1952.

LAKE - To Mr. and Mrs. Philip Henry Lake, Cottage Grove, a son, April 23, 1952.

Frank Paul Rupert

A resident of Oregon since 1914, Frank Paul Rupert, died at his home at Curtin Monday, April 21, 1952. He was born in Philadelphia, Pa., on April 15, 1882, and as a young man served five years in the British navy.

The 70-year-old Curtin resident is survived by a nephew in the East. Funeral services were held at Mills Mortuary Tuesday, at 2 p.m. with Sherwood Smith officiating. Interment was in the Comstock Cemetery.

Ardie V. Eby

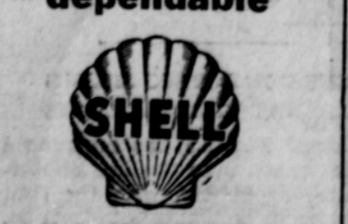
Ardie V. Eby, 49, a former resident of Cottage Grove, died in Coos Bay Saturday, April 19, 1952. He was born in Cottage Grove May 2, 1902, and lived in Coos Bay for the past 18 years. He was a member of the LL.W.U. local at Coos Bay.

Surviving are three brothers, Francis of Springfield; Cecil and Happy, both of North Bend; three sisters, Mrs. Fred Dobbin, Mrs. Frank Potts and Mrs. Gordon Watrous, all of Coos Bay. Graveside services were held at Cottage Grove IOOF Cemetery, Tuesday, at 3:30 p.m. The Rev. D. Hugh Penniston officiated. Mills Mortuary of Cottage Grove was in charge of arrangements.

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Hospital Patients

Visiting hours at the Cottage Grove Hospital are as follows:
Medical and surgery patients: 2 to 5 p.m.
Maternity patients: 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.
Evening hours for both departments are from 7 to 9:30 p.m.

Patients entering Cottage Grove hospital other than maternity cases between April 16 and 23 were: Patricia Tucker, Sharon Schoonmaker, Fred Albert Hayden, Jess Graves, Leah Paffton Betty McGuire, David Ward, Ray Spitzer, James Allen, Warren Huff, Gene Wooden, Leonard England, John Williams, William Gardner, Robert Conrad and Orvin Larsen, all of Cottage Grove; Ralph Frady, Larry Shoemaker, Elsie Wisegarver, Edward Meyers, all of Drain; William Kent, Mildred Blew, LeRoy Blew and Dallas E. Bragg, all of Yoncalla; Kenneth Lillegren of Disston; Johnny Johnson and Robert Bailey of Creswell; Patsy Logan of Dorena and Mrs. Arodis Vincelleto of Washougal, Wash.

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FOR SALE: Weaner pigs, \$12.50. Leon B. Poole, 9 miles up Mosby Creek. Phone 957J1. 37-3tc-39

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LORANE

Mrs. R. G. Conner
Phone 140M

The senior class of Lorane high school will give a ham dinner from noon to 3 p.m. Sunday, April 27. The dinner will be served at the grade school cafeteria.

Proceeds from the dinner will be used for the annual trip taken by the senior class. Plans at present are for the group to go to Canada, according to a member of the class.

Prices for the plates will be \$1 for a large serving. Smaller servings for 50 cents will also be served.

Last call for amateurs! Is your act all ready? The annual Parent-Teacher club amateur night will be held at 8 p.m. Friday, April 25, in the high school auditorium.

Contestants may arrange for their entry by seeing either Mrs. C. B. Mitchell or Mrs. Arvid Rothauge.

The Rev. Robert A. Green has announced his topic for Sunday morning services will be "A Preaching Religion." For the evening service he will speak on "Death—And Then."

James Kotric has been busy the past two weeks hauling loam and filling in for a new lawn. It is now about ready for seeding.

Sunday visitors at the Lynn Wyman home were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Stiff and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hayes of Cottage Grove. Late in the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Loren McBride and four children of Baker and a sister of Mr. McBride, Miss Lucile Bates of Los Angeles, arrived at the Wyman home for an overnight visit. The McBrides were returning from a vacation in Los Angeles. Mrs. Wyman and Mrs. McBride are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis have returned from spending a week with a daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cunningham at Korbel, Calif. Mrs. Cunningham and Carl King brought them home Saturday evening. Carl spent the night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. King.

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Mrs. Les King of Eugene has been substituting for Mrs. C. B. Mitchell in the third grade room the past several days.

Ricky Hausotter and his sister Roxie celebrated their birthdays together at school on April 15. Ricky was seven and Roxie was four.

Mrs. Hausotter brought a decorated cowboy cake to school to share with the first grade room. She took several flash pictures of the children.

Mrs. Whitney, first grade teacher, showed several strip films, "Animals of the Friendly Forest" for entertainment.

Busy Cookers Camp Cookery boys had one of the most enjoyable meetings of the year last week. They cooked wieners and toasted marshmallows over a campfire and also had kool ade for refreshments.

Two members, Donald Brown and Clifford Zirkle, have moved away.

No food will be prepared this week. A baseball game is planned if the weather permits.

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