

CITY BRIEFS

Dale Sears underwent an emergency appendectomy late Sunday night at the local hospital...

Announcement has been made that there will be a baptismal service at the Assembly of God next Sunday night...

Mrs. W. C. Martin, member of the board of trustees of Linfield college attended a semi-annual board meeting at McMinnville, January 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Githens, who were married shortly after Christmas, returned Saturday from a vacation spent in the South and hope to be relocated soon among their friends here.

Three focal couples attended the Bing Crosby Golf tournament at Pebble Beach, Calif., this past week end. They were Mr. and Mrs. Ken Onild, owners of the local golf course, Mr. and Mrs. Max Sears, and Mr. and Mrs. Hap Wolfard.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hoover, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Sadie Suit, left Saturday for Los Angeles to visit Mrs. Suit's son, Cecil Suit and family. The Hoovers are expected back the latter part of this week and Mrs. Suit will remain for a longer visit before returning to her home in Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Trembley returned Thursday morning from Seal Beach and Long Beach, Calif., where they celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Rippey, who were observing their fifth anniversary.

Dale and Dana Roberts, 4-year-old twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Roberts, are patients in the local hospital, Dale with a mild case of Meningitis and Dana with a bad cold. Both are reported in good condition as of Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Baird, of Anchorage, Alaska, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Manley C. Fuller, Bennett Creek drive. Mr. Baird recently sold his refrigeration service connections at Anchorage and is on his way to Texas, where they will visit with a son, David, Mr. Baird said that the sign on the side of his car reading "Baird's Refrigeration Service, Anchorage, Alaska" causes considerable comment relative to "selling ice boxes to the Eskimos."

Mr. and Mrs. Emory L. Welch and baby, Wayne, and Mrs. Welch's mother, Mrs. Clara Graham, all of Redwood City, Calif., arrived here Wednesday. The Welches were called to Eugene by the critical illness of Mr. Welch's father, Mrs. Graham is visiting old friends here and is a guest of Mrs. Cornacchia, at the Lou Hartwig home.

Robert Bowser spent last week in Portland studying Pacific Mercury television and attending a factory branch school there. He returned home Saturday.

Miss Opal Robinette

(Continued from page 1) rectomy, cut the nerves that had controlled the muscles on the inside of Miss Robinette's leg—muscles which had drawn the knees together, giving her a "scissors gait," and causing her to wear out the insides of her hose as the knees rubbed together constantly. No longer troubled by this now.



Miss Robinette

she takes two therapy treatments weekly at the Eugene Clinic and Hospital which help her develop the use of new muscles.

Before the help received from the two '53 operations, Miss Robinette's muscles were tight and ached all the time.

She speaks highly of Dr. Brooke, the bone and muscle specialist at the clinic. And she tells how he has given her never-ending encouragement.

Has Had Trouble

Not all of Miss Robinette's story has been on the positive side. She has fallen, many times; fallen when muscles refused to hold her up and collapsed without warning. At times these falls have occurred when there were no persons nearby to render assistance. But she has managed to work out the problem of regaining her stance though it required many hours.

Born in Silver Creek, Oregon, Miss Robinette lived at Creswell for 19 years. She arrived there at the age of 2. A graduate of Creswell high school, she later moved to Eugene, where she resided until 1949. That year she moved to Cottage Grove with her mother.

Miss Robinette has one other sister, Mrs. Harry Durlinger, who lives with her husband and family out at Delight Valley. She visits with them often and greatly enjoys the rides out to her sister's house.

Enjoys Sewing

An alterationist by profession, Miss Robinette says she enjoys sewing. Says too, that she enjoys the complete process starting with the cutting out of the pattern. She admits, though, that she really doesn't like corduroy since the material is difficult to match unless all pattern pieces are cut from material running the same directions.

In her spare time she enjoys reading and fancy work. She also does textile painting. Today, Miss Robinette is 47. She looks eagerly ahead to the future which for her, physically, will be much more agreeable. She will tell you, as she told me, of the wonderful work of the Infantile Paralysis Foundation.

Disston Mother's Club

DISSTON—Tuesday, January 26, is the date for the Mothers' club ladies to put quilt in the frames at Mrs. Lena Carr's. Bring a sack lunch. Mrs. Carr will serve coffee.

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Chamber Appoints Chairmen for 1954

Chamber of Commerce committee appointments for the year 1954 have been announced as follows, according to CC president, Taylor Young. Young said that other committees would be appointed as they were found necessary.

Agriculture: Dr. H. A. Hagen, chairman; Jess Hill, W. J. Hoopes, Russ Smith and Jack Godard.

Civic Interests: Grant Lovegren, chairman; Joe Bricher, Hap Wolfard, Doc Near and Art Weinkauf.

Highways and Roads: William Hesse, chairman; Ival Humphrey, John Finerman, Maynard Wilson and H. B. McMillan.

Legislation and National Affairs: Lloyd Liston, chairman; Herbert Lombard, Ray Albee, W. C. Martin and Richard Thwing.

Finance: the Rev. William Sutterlin, chairman; Miles Wicks and Grant Lovegren.

Recreation: Ray Albee, chairman; Glen Wicks, Percy Webb, R. S. Fitzgerald and W. W. Hillman.

Lumber: Carlton Woodard, chairman; Cecil Caldwell, Leo Rickard, Larry Chapman and Tom Gallo.

Industrial: George Drury, chairman; Warren Hansen, Pete Anlauf, Phil Glen and Cecil Beck.

Housing: Earl Wilson, chairman, Russell Woolcott, Fred Blicke, Max Sears, Floyd Hilliker, Bob Bowser.

Mining and Minerals: A. W. Hellwell, chairman; Ray Nelson, Wilbur Workman Jr. and Vinal Randall Jr.

Tax Committee: Miles Wicks, chairman; Jack Maulding, Mike Siebert, Verne Hooper, Maynard Wilson and Thomas Clapp.

Memberships: Robert Bauder, chairman; C. W. Hawkins, Glen Arne, Robert Gierau, Dumon Scott and Ray Denham.

Entertainment: Art Schaefer, chairman; Al Nowels and Virgil Kingsley.

Public Relations: Cy Eakin, chairman; George Drury, Cleo Morelock, H. B. McMillan and Dwight Near.

Education: Virgil Kingsley, Jess Fasold and the Rev. Sydney Gaither.

Retail Division: Howard Gilbert, and his executives to be elected.

Public Utilities: George Sibley, chairman; Lloyd Aldrich, C. Cotrell.

Off-Street Parking: Dr. H. A. Hagen, chairman; Hap Wolfard, W. C. Martin, Ken Ward and Cleo Morelock.

Special Committees: Federal Unit: Floyd Githens and committee.

President Young announced also that a special committee, composed of Howard Gilbert, George Drury and Carlton Woodard, has been named to find more suitable quarters for the Chamber office.

BIRTHS

Cottage Grove Hospital CARLILE—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wallace Carlile, Cottage Grove, a daughter, Molly Jean, January 11, 1954.

GRAHAM—To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Manassa Graham, Route 1, Cottage Grove, a son, Jeffrey Mitchell, January 12, 1954.

SWEARINGEN—To Mr. and Mrs. Harley Myron Swearingen, Oakland, Oreg., a son, Randy Ray, January 12, 1954.

ARBuckle—To Mr. and Mrs. James Grant Arbuckle, Cottage Grove, a son, William Grant, January 13, 1954.

ROSS—To Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Dale Ross, Route 1, Cottage Grove, a daughter, Lynn Renee, January 13, 1954.

BALCH—To Mr. and Mrs. Vernon (Dick) Balch, Springfield, a daughter, Rebecca Sue, January 13, 1954.

GORDON—To Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Gordon, Yoncalla, a son, Rickey Dale, January 14, 1954.

POTTER—To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Palmer Potter, Route 1, Cottage Grove, a daughter, January 14, 1954.

CUNNINGHAM—To Mr. and Mrs. Dean Albin Cunningham, Cottage Grove, a daughter, Josephine Louisa, January 14, 1954.

HERARD—To Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Neville Herard, Dorena, a daughter, Sheila Lee, January 15, 1954.

THOMAS—To Mr. and Mrs. William LeRoy Thomas, Route 1, Cottage Grove, a son, Ronald Glenn, January 16, 1954.

DORAN—To Mr. and Mrs. Paul James Doran, Oakland, Ore., a daughter, Debra Nellene, January 16, 1954.

BROWN—To Mr. and Mrs. Cecil William Brown, Drain, a daughter, Cecilia May, January 16, 1954.

ROWLETT—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nathan Rowlett, Cottage Grove, a daughter, Sandra Lynn, January 17, 1954.

DRAEGER—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliott Draeger, Drain, a son, Charles David, January 18, 1954.

CG SANITARY CONDITIONS IMPROVING SPEEDILY

Work to clean up the sanitary sewer conditions within the city limits is speeding right along. Councilman H. B. McMillan said Tuesday that condition whereby the sewer was going into the river at the Kent building had been already corrected by Kent. McMillan added that other conditions were also being remedied.



TOPSY-TURVY, 1948 Ford pictured is owned by Herbert Fetter, 21, of Cottage Grove. Accident occurred early the morning of January 1 as Fetter was returning to his home. He was driving west on the Dorena road at an estimated speed of 20 m.p.h., when he dozed at the wheel and lost control of his car at the junction of Mosby Creek and Dorena road. Fetter was not injured in turn-over, but was shaken up. During the time when he went to get help, \$80 worth of tools were stolen from the trunk of his car. (Photo by K. J. Davis.)

Portland Man Victim of Auto Accident Tuesday

Ambrose Joseph Heilman, 40, of 16 S. W. Porter street, Portland, died enroute to Cottage Grove hospital in a Drain ambulance about 8:23 Tuesday night following an automobile accident which occurred shortly before 8 o'clock near Leona.

The automobile, a 1953 Ford, belonging to Heilman, was being driven by Richard Spoonemore, 30, of 6832 No. Missouri Avenue, Portland. The Heilman car which was traveling south, left the highway at a point just south of the Sand creek bridge, crashing into a group of trees just off the road. Speed of the vehicle, according to witnesses, was about 30 miles per hour. Investigation by state police showed that no attempt to apply brakes had been made.

Drain ambulance with Dr. Edwin Mickel of Drain in attendance rushed Heilman to Cottage Grove in a vain attempt to save his life. Death occurred just south of Cottage Grove.

Heilman and Spoonemore were enroute to Riddle for employment. Heilman is survived by his parents and several brothers and sisters in New Rockford, N. D. Spoonemore suffered a compound fracture of right forearm.

Preliminary investigation of the accident was made by State Police Officers Robert Lockyear of Eugene and Kenneth Thorn of Roseburg and Lane County Deputy Coroner Robert Mills. The body was removed to Mills Mortuary where arrangements are pending word from relatives.

Richard Spoonemore has been arrested by state police for driving under the influence of alcohol and is being held in the city jail for Douglas county state police. He will be arraigned in district court, Roseburg. Spoonemore will be charged with negligent homicide according to state police.

Variety of Events

(Continued from page 1) light on at 6 p.m. sharp so that they may be contacted. The areas cannot be retraced.

Complete instructions concerning the Mothers' March will be printed in next week's Sentinel.

Basketball "Blanket Toss" The Cottage Grove Union high school will wind up its March of Dimes drive at the local gym next Tuesday during the halftime of the Cottage Grove-Junction City basketball game. The Grove rally squad members will come out on the gym floor at the beginning of halftime, holding a large sheet. They will go to the center of the court. At that time adults and students who want to contribute something will throw their money from where they are sitting onto the sheet.

Students will be placed around the gymnasium to keep the money from rolling under the bleachers. CG high school chairman Jim Bottorff said that all contributions, big and small, will be welcomed.

"Back to School"

(Continued from page 1) They received \$33.34 after expenses were taken out.

The entire evening was well-planned and very capably carried out.

General Assembly Held The evening of classes closed with a general assembly for all "Students" in the high school auditorium. Visitors were welcomed by Superintendent Virgil Kingsley, then settled back to listen to a musical program which featured the "Pep Band" led by Charles Steele, which was followed by a mixed chorus and the girls' sextette (which contained seven members), directed by Millard Kinney.

Following the musical program, many adults adjourned to the cafeteria for a refresher course of "coffee and cake," as they sat around and discussed the evening's happenings.

PTA members said they were very pleased with the adult turnout, especially since weather conditions (driving rain) were not conducive to encouraging attendance.

Birth Announcements The Sentinel

No Hunting or Trespassing Signs The Sentinel

Missionary Tells Congo Experiences

The Rev. Phil Uhlinger, missionary from the Belgian Congo in Africa, was a speaker at the First Baptist church here last Thursday evening, telling of some of his experiences among the native tribes.

People, he said, had asked him about the future in the Congo, which he said was changing rapidly. The Baptist missionary said he was impressed by the family ties among the natives, which were very strong. The natives take care of their family problems. There is no need for an orphanage such as we have in the United States, because the people there take care of their own. Polygamy is practiced in the Congo to some extent, but is passing he said.

The missionaries of the country do not yet have the solution for some of the pressing problems. Our country is vitally interested in the Congo because of its richness and much of the radium used in the modern bomb is found there.

The open door of opportunity is presented in the Congo, the speaker asserted. Churches sending missionaries to that area have been forced to enter the field of education, since there is no other form of education to be had there. The large city of Leopoldville has only three protestant churches in its area.

The Rev. Uhlinger closed his talk with the remark that "God has blessed our work in the Congo and the people have responded." After the talk the speaker showed several slides of pictures taken near and in the mission field there.

ETHAN TONOLE GETS 15TH AWARD

Ethan Tonole of Coos Bay, son of Pete Tonole of Cottage Grove, was one of the two Safeway truck drivers to carry off top honors for 15 years without an accident. Tonole was one of the 71 truck drivers of Safeway to be honored with an award Saturday at a luncheon in Portland. The awards were presented by John A. Richardson, captain of traffic on the Portland police department.

Tonole was one of the drivers to average 570,000 miles in 1953 without an accident.

COMMUNITY CENTER CLUB MEETING SCHEDULED 2ND

A meeting of the Community Center club members has been announced for 2 p.m. Friday, January 22, in the clubroom at the public library.

Men in Service

PVT. BASH GRADUATES FROM SIGNAL SCHOOL

FORT MONMOUTH, N.J.—Pvt. John P. Bash, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Bash, Cottage Grove, Ore., was graduated this week from the Signal School, this installation, after completing the Still Photo Course.

Prior to entering military service in 1953, Pvt. Bash attended Cottage Grove Union High School and later worked as a truck driver for C. W. McElmurry.

Pvt. Bash is expected to assume service duties pertaining to his new military occupational specialty shortly.

PVT. GRAHAM IN KOREA

45TH DIV., KOREA—Pvt. Clifford W. Graham, 20, son of James W. Graham, Cottage Grove, Ore., recently joined the 45th Infantry Division in Korea.

The first National Guard division to see combat since World War II, the 45th Infantry was federalized in 1950 and arrived in Korea during December 1951. It is now receiving intensive post-truce training.

Private Graham, whose mother, Mrs. Rotha W. Heyne, lives at 306 Flint Street, Reno, Nev., entered the Army in February 1953 and arrived overseas last December.

Art Gum erasers—The Sentinel

Four Oakridge Residents Miss CC Banquet Mon. Due to Car Collision

Four Oakridge residents escaped serious injury Monday evening when the car in which they were riding struck the back of a vehicle in the road in front of them north of Creswell. They were enroute to Cottage Grove to attend the Chamber of Commerce First Citizen and Installation Banquet at the time of the accident. The collision occurred when the car in front of them stopped suddenly to avoid hitting a vehicle that was being taken across the highway. The car was badly damaged, but the occupants, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Fitzgerald and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Harris, escaped with bruises in addition to being badly shaken up. They were taken into a Eugene hospital for observation and later released.

Big Problem

Cottage Grove almost didn't have a "First Citizen" present at the Chamber of Commerce "First Citizen" and Installation banquet. Mayor Joe Crepaud, who was to receive the award, went home to bed sick Monday afternoon. He then sent word to the Chamber that he'd be unable to be at the banquet to represent the city. (He didn't know he'd also be getting the "First Citizen" Plaque.) Chamber members chewed their fingernails and tried to persuade the Mayor to come. No soap. Finally, they called in H. B. McMillan, Mac, by using every talking point at his command as to "why the Mayor should be at the banquet" got Joe to come. But the new "First Citizen" wasn't feeling very sprightly throughout the evening and it was necessary for him to take medicine during the proceedings. However, all's well, etc.

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