

Clean Sweep of Main Street by Jaycee Members Made May 8 in Improvement Campaign Which Continues to May 22



READY . . . SET . . . WAITING FOR THE signal to start their work. A husky crew of Jaycees is shown above. From left, Al Reilly, L. E. Wicks, Wilbur Heath, Harold Monaghan, Dick Olson, Walt Sorensen, Gene Cutts, George Drury, Bob Goodrich, Stan Daugherty, Al Johnson, Bob Goodrich, Jim Roles and Bob Boyce.

Members of Cottage Grove Junior Chamber of Commerce are working hard during their two-week "Clean up, fix up, paint up" campaign. The project is carried out yearly by Jaycees. Junior Chamber members announced Tuesday that May 16 and May 23 are the dates selected for pickup of rubbish by the men. If rubbish (ashes, old papers, etc.) is placed on curb (preferably in containers) it will be collected at 9 a.m. on the afore-mentioned days. Rubbish will be picked up within the city limits only. Jaycees will use a large truck for the pickups. As part of their campaign, they cleaned up the city park last evening. In honor of the two-week period, Mayor Joe Crepeau has designated the period as "Clean-Up" weeks.



HERE WE GO! JAYCEES really went to it last Saturday morning. Clean up detail pictured includes, from left: George Drury, Jim Roles, Bob Goodrich, Harold Monaghan, Al Johnson, Wayne McCall, Stan Daugherty, Marv Jacobson, Dick Olson, Wilbur Heath and L. E. Wicks. Hosemen wore rubber boots.

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The Weather

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	H	L	P
May 5	56	44	.00
May 6	62	37	.00
May 7	72	46	.00
May 8	81	47	.00
May 9	74	46	.00
May 10	61	47	.00
May 11	76	48	.00

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Slavens Bros. Sign Contract To Build Houses in Oak Park

Deal Subject to FHA Approval; Purchasers Have Choice in Building Plans

Chick Hillbrand, Chamber of Commerce manager, announced Tuesday that option on 34 lots in Oak Park addition by Earl and Maynard Wilson was signed by C. E. Slavens Brothers Construction Co., of Eugene. This firm was the builder of Game Bird Village, northeast of Eugene. The deal here is subject to the approval of the FHA.

Mr. Slavens stated that a sales office will be opened on the property within the next two weeks, and that purchasers may have the choice of 36 roof plans and 19 floor plans. Construction will start as soon as the FHA approves.

Ten Houses Initially

The Slavens firm will erect ten houses in the initial effort and the balance as needed up to 34 locations optioned in the Oak Park addition. The contractors plan to employ 60 percent of labor needed locally. Union men are employed. Concrete mix for foundations and driveways, flues and drainage tile will be purchased locally, it was understood.

Mr. Slavens reports much interest by Cottage Grove prospects. Some 25 to 30 people have inspected the Game Bird Village project. Also there are several prospects who live in Eugene or Springfield, but who work in this vicinity.

Low Down Payment

The need of housing possible to buy on low down payments of around \$400.00 has long been felt here, Mr. Hillbrand reports, to meet the present and future requirements. The Woodard plywood mill, expected to be ready next year, will need additional housing. There are other prospects in the future which will call for more housing.

If the present housing project is carried through, it will have a potential value of around \$272,000, which will aid the city in its improvements through taxes.

Further details of the Oak Park addition will likely be available in the next issue of the Sentinel.

Business Men Tell Hi School Students Employers' Likes

More than 60 students from three Lane county high schools met at Cottage Grove Union high school Tuesday evening to hear three local business men discuss the topic "What the Employer Expects When Hiring a High School Business Student." The business forum was sponsored by the Future Business Leaders of America.

Participants were Joe Bricher, H. E. Eakin and Richard Thwing. Panel moderator was Larry Grewelle, a junior at the high school. The men answered a series of 11 panel questions relating to the main topic.

Students from Springfield, Eugene and Cottage Grove high school FBLA chapters were present along with other interested students. The discussion started at 7:30 p.m.

Advisor to the local FBLA chapter, which arranged for the meeting, is Verlin Odell.

A complete report of the forum will appear in next week's Sentinel.

SEARS CEMETERY ASSN.

TO CLEAN UP MAY 15-16
The Sears Cemetery Association has announced general clean-up days for May 15 and 16. Be sure to bring the necessary tools.

FILL THE POOL FUND

3 Drain Folk Killed in Plane Crash May 9

Lone Survivor Makes Way to Highway

By Miriam Adkins

Three Drain residents were fatally burned and another is in critical condition in a Eugene hospital suffering from burns on more than 50 percent of his body following a plane crash the morning of May 9, 20 miles east of Oakridge. The dead are Bernar France Asker, 32, his wife, Joy, 24, and Orvall Cecil Matoon, 29, owner and pilot of the plane, all of Drain. In critical condition is Wallace Asker, about 30, brother of Bernar, also of Drain.

The four took off from Drain last Sunday morning for Lakeview, where they planned to visit relatives. After the crash, Wallace Asker managed to walk out of the woods, although he was barefooted and badly burned, about one half mile to the highway. There he was picked up by a truck driver, Kenneth Keith of Seattle, who took him to medical aid.

The wrecked plane and bodies were found about noon on Monday by searching parties.

Funeral services for all three victims will be held at the Drain Methodist Church at 1:30 p.m., Friday, May 14, with the Rev. Elery Ecklin officiating. Interment will be in Lane Memorial Gardens, Eugene. Mills Funeral Service of Drain is in charge.

Orvall Cecil Matoon, 29, owner (Continued on page 2)

If Bothered by Dog Problem Call City Hall

City Recorder Parney Edwards said Monday that any Cottage Grove resident bothered by dog problem should notify City Hall at phone 114. In turn, the City Hall will contact the Lane County Humane Society in Eugene. The Humane Society comes down once a week to take care of the dog situation.

FIREMEN ANSWER 2 CALLS

Local Fire Department answered two fire calls May 10. Both were caused by defective flues. The first at 5:25 p.m. was at the home of Onis Radford five miles east on Mosby Creek Road. Less than three hours later, at 8:15 p.m., they answered a second alarm at the Fred Roles residence one mile east of the city limits.



A MIGHTY NICE VIEW. Councilmen Gil Gardner (left) and Jess Hill survey opened half of new Cottage Grove bridge. Both are members of City Council street committee. On left is Kent building now being torn down. Old bridge may be seen below building.

Local Guard Unit Plans 'Open House' Armed Forces Day

Co. B Equipment On Display in Armory

This Saturday marks the fifth annual Armed Forces Day in the United States. It is the day set aside each year on which the nation inspects its defense team, Citizens, including servicemen and women, have the opportunity to see how the U. S. is maintaining power for freedom and peace.

Most military installations, in this country and overseas, will throw open their doors to exhibit fighting equipment and use of it will be on display, and men will be present to answer questions concerning the weapons.

Lt. Thomas Engel of the unit said Tuesday that the Guard members hope all area residents come to the open house. He extended a particular welcome to parents with youngsters now in the service, and to wives and children of servicemen.

There will be coffee served to all Armory visitors throughout the day.

Rodeo Queen Contest Opens, Outsiders Invited

The queen committee for the Cottage Grove Riding Club Rodeo to be held July 10 and 11, met at the club house at the rodeo grounds, May 10, to formulate plans and make rules for this year's queen contest, which is now open.

Any girl, 16 years of age or over, owning her own horse and wishing to participate, is asked to contact one of the members of the queen committee: O. M. Patten, chairman; Mrs. Eddie Pyeatt, Mrs. Raymond Powers, Mrs. Stubs Mosby, or Paul O. Miller. Girls outside Cottage Grove are especially invited to enter.

This year the candidates will be judged on horsemanship as well as points received for sale of tickets to the Queen's Ball and Rodeo. Judging on horsemanship will be held at the rodeo grounds on Sunday, June 6, at 2 p.m., by qualified judges.



GETTING READY FOR GIRLS STATE to be held June 14-20 in Salem, Oregon, at Willamette University. Pictured from left: Jeanette Beck, Phyllis Higdon, Mabel Kief and alternate delegate Garnet Beach. (See story page 2)

South Lane Recreation, Inc. Meets Tues., Elects Directors, Plans Summer Project

The South Lane Recreation, Inc., met at the high school library Tuesday evening and discussed plans for the summer as well as plans for starting a swimming pool campaign.

Mrs. Norman Richards was chosen president and Bob Dusenberry as vice president, replacing Grant Lovegren. Jesse Fasold replaced Virgil Kingsley on the board.

In the election of three directors, whose terms have expired, Mrs. W. H. Daugherty was reelected as well as the Rev. Hugh Peniston. On motion of Virgil Kingsley, retiring director, the group elected Jesse Fasold, all directors to serve a term of three years.

Following the election of directors, the group discussed the proposed swimming campaign to be in a Springfield pool sometime in August. Those familiar with the past swimming campaigns held here said the swimmers could be transported to Springfield as cheaply as the way the program here had been run. A project for the school band as well as baseball programs are planned for the summer and the probability of



PLENTY OF ROOM FOR TWO CARS on just half the new bridge over the Coast Fork of the Willamette River. First cars went over the new structure shortly after 3 p.m., May 6. Bridge work is more than two-thirds completed.

Swim Pool Drive Starts Mon. in South Lane Area

Captains to Meet This Morn at 10 at D-M Cafe; Residents May Pledge or Pay in Campaign

An area-wide drive for funds to build the swimming pool for South Lane county gets underway Monday. The campaign, set for May 17 through 24, will be conducted on a house-to-house basis throughout the southern portion of the county. South Lane Recreation, Inc. chairman, Mrs. Kathleen Richards said Wednesday that the pool stands an excellent chance of being built this year if this drive brings in somewhere in the neighborhood of \$40,000-\$50,000.

The sum itself, when apportioned throughout the area is not so vast as it would seem, she added. "For example," she said, "if 3,000 families were to each give \$25, a total of \$75,000 would be brought in."

A meeting of all drive captains will be held this morning at the D-M cafe at 10 a.m. At this time complete oral instructions will be given and workers will receive along with the instruction sheet a brochure explaining more about the campaign drive. Coffee will be served.

Several special weeks are being planned to keep South Lane residents informed about the drive day by day. One of them is a large thermometer which will be placed in the downtown area Monday. The rising mercury will indicate the progress of the swim pool campaign.

In addition, area habitants have received, through the mail, information concerning the campaign and its needs.

A window, sculpted in paper mache is to be placed in one of the front windows at Western Auto to publicize the drive. High school students plan to canvass the South Lane area Saturday to tell residents about the campaign.

All drive workers are making sure that folks understand that pledges or whatever amount the person, family or group wishes to contribute can be paid over a period of months rather than immediately. They will, of course, accept cash contributions.

Persons wishing to contribute and not contacted are asked to please call Mrs. Richards at phone 895 or Mrs. Virginia Bricher, residence drive chairman, at phone 257.

US Senate Aspiree To Visit CG Friday

Richard L. Neuberger, Democratic candidate for the United States Senate, will be in Cottage Grove Friday afternoon.

Following Neuberger's luncheon speech at Cresswell, he will visit here for several hours to meet people of this area. The Neuberger headquarters will be at the D-M Cafe, Pacific Highway South.

He is the author of numerous books, including the "Royal Mounted Police" and "The Lewis and Clark Expedition." He has contributed to such magazines as Saturday Evening Post, Reader's Digest, Collier's, Harper's, and the New York Times Magazine.

Neuberger, along with his wife Maurine who is a member of the Oregon House of Representatives, comprise the nation's only husband-and-wife legislative team. They are native Oregonians. Both have long championed development of the Northwest's natural resources and cheap, plentiful electric power.

The public is cordially invited to speak with Neuberger Friday, it was announced Monday by Walter H. Dodd, chairman of the South Lane Democrats.

FCC APPROVES SALE LOCAL RADIO STATION

FCC May 12 approved sale of Radio Station KSGA at Cottage Grove to Orlo M. Bagley, Cottage Grove businessman, according to United Press, Bagley is buying the station's stock for \$37,500 from the four present stockholders, W. Gordon Allen, John Truhan, Lawrence Morley and Walter H. Dodd.