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The Weather (Courtesy Cottage Grove Lake Weather Station)				
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July 1	65	49	.35	
July 2	61	43	trace	
July 3	72	43	.00	
July 4	73	46	.00	
July 5	82	47	.00	
July 6	76	53	.00	
July 7	75	52	trace	
July 8	65	52	trace	

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GROVE'S EIGHTH ANNUAL RODEO SET FOR SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

United Fund Appeal Will Be Launched in Lane Co. This Fall

Lane County Chest Inc., American Red Cross Directors Agree to Appeal for Fall of '54

Julio Silva, president of the Lane County Chest, Inc. and Eldon Woodin, president of the Lane County Chapter, American Red Cross, announced that the directors of these organizations have agreed to a United Appeal for the fall of 1954.

This decision was based on the feeling of both Boards that the public wishes be granted. Committees have been working on a mutual agreement for several months. They point out that it should be made clear to the supporters, both the Community Chest and the Red Cross, that every effort is being made to include all of the major fund raising appeals to be included, but that some cannot participate because of national policy or other reasons. It is also to be understood by the contributors that this United Appeal is concurrent fund raising and not the uniting of functions or a merger of the organizations.

In order that this campaign be successful and not be forced to revert to separate appeals it will be necessary that sufficient funds be given to cover all of the organizations. In other words, the contributor should make his contribution at least as much or even more than his previous combined giving. All who are asked to serve in this campaign should be willing to participate for a successful campaign, and all firms should consult with their employees to establish a system of installment giving, which is best accomplished on a payroll deduction basis.

Dahl Chairman
M. O. Dahl who had previously accepted the general chairmanship of the Lane County Chest will be the general chairman for the United Appeal, and he urges all of the citizens of Lane County to get acquainted with all of the organizations that will benefit by a successful United Appeal—to know

Dahl has announced the appointment of two co-chairmen, George H. Weyerhaeuser and Howard O. Colburn, to the United Appeal. These two men will aid Mr. Dahl throughout the campaign in the selection of campaign personnel and the direction of the campaign. In accepting, Mr. Weyerhaeuser states: "I am accepting the co-chairmanship of the United Appeal drive because of a strong conviction that a successful campaign in the initial year will insure the continuance of the one drive approach in Lane County. This method, I believe, will result in raising the maximum dollars for the important work the agencies perform at time and money."

which ones are included and something of their functions. Those which are included in this appeal are: Lane County Chapter, American Red Cross; American Cancer Society; the Lane County Chest and the following agencies included in the Chest: Salvation Army, Catholic Charities for Lane County, Springfield Community Chest, Junction City Youth Fund, Y.W.C.A. and Y.M.C.A. of Eugene. (Continued on page 2)

Local Concerns Low Bidders on City Projects

Council Mulls Sweeper Purchase, Assessments

P. J. Bush & Sons contractors were low bidders for the storm sewer projects on Quincy and Oak Park while Buskirk and Gentry contractors bid low on all but one of Cottage Grove's paving projects at the council meeting Tuesday night, after City Engineer Coier had called for the bids. Purchase of a new street sweeper and sewer cleaning equipment and a review of the West Main street assessment problem were also discussed at the meeting.

Of a field of five, P. J. Bush & Sons' bid of \$5,344.72 was over \$200 lower than Jesse Bros. Construction & Coast Construction and Excavating Co. of Junction City, who were next in line. Other bids were Buskirk & Gentry, \$5,742.40; Fred Stubert of Springfield, \$5,873.65; and Bruce W. Keen of Springfield, \$5,992.80.

Two Bids on Paving Job
Buskirk & Gentry and P. J. Bush & Sons were the only bidders on the paving projects. Buskirk & Gentry were low on the following: Quincy from First to Third - \$9,373.02, Penneyer from Pacific highway to 11th - \$5,310.82, "O" Street from Bryant to Clark - \$2,915.45, Bryant from "M" Street to Oak Park - \$7,863.80, "N" Street from Bryant to Clark - \$3,074.54, Clark Ave. - \$2,101.44, "M" Street from West Main to Bryant - \$5,595.40.

Bush bid of \$1,992.00 on the Tenth Street project from Villard Court to Grover Ave. was low.

Consensus Split
With about half of the replies in sent out by the city to "feel out" the opinions of West Main (Continued on Page 2)

TEEN AGE DANCES TO BEGIN
The first teen age dances for the summer will be held at the Jefferson gymnasium Friday at 8:30, announced Robert L. Dusenberry, director of Cottage Grove's summer recreation program. Dusenberry also announced that baton twirling classes are being held at the Cottage Grove park this week. Roberta Rickard and Patsy Pynes are the instructors.

JOHNSONS TRADE HOME
Mr. and Mrs. Murland G. Johnson are trading their home, 1336 S. Sixth, to Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Woods as partial payment for the Woods' farm in Delight Valley.

Stevenson Speaks In Eugene Sat.

In the hour and a quarter preceding Adlai Stevenson's major address in Eugene Civic Stadium at 4 p.m. Saturday, July 10, a colorful program of entertainment will be performed for early comers. Hale Thompson, local attorney, will serve as master of ceremonies.

Tickets for the Stevenson speech can be purchased locally at the Kelly Drug Company, it was announced by Walter H. Dodd, chairman of the South Lane Democrats. Children under 12 years of age will be admitted free to the Rally if accompanied by parents.

After Governor Stevenson's address in the Stadium, a reception in his honor will be given in the cafeteria of Eugene High School. Admission will be granted only to persons who have contributed \$2.50 or more and have also attended the Stadium Rally.

The City of Florence has contributed to the Saturday luncheon given for Stevenson in Springfield. Word came to Democratic headquarters in Eugene that two 20-pound salmon had been freshly caught for the event.

Adlai Stevenson is scheduled to leave Eugene at 7:52 p.m. on Saturday evening. He will board a West Coast Airlines plane out at Mahlon Sweet Airport enroute to Spokane.

Prominent South Lane Democrats made an attempt to get Mr. Stevenson to make an appearance at the Cottage Grove Rodeo Saturday afternoon, but he was unable to do so.

Girl Scouts Plan Trip Camping Out

Fifteen Girl Scouts from the Three Rivers Girl Scout Council, eight of them from Cottage Grove, will leave July 8 for a trip into Northern California. Trip camping is an advanced form of Girl Scout camping and is offered only to older members of the organization. Mrs. Harlan H. Clark, chairman of the troop and trip camp committee of the local council will be the trip director and will be accompanied by Mrs. Fritz Guggisberg of Cottage Grove and Mr. Frank Sipe.

First night will be spent at the Lake of the Woods near Klamath Falls and from there the girls will go to the lava beds national monument, and will make their own plans after that for the rest of the trip. All meals are cooked by the girls on the way and sleeping in sleeping bags and tents along the way.

Girls making the trip are: Carolyn Ann Crawford, Joy Gaither, Sharon Guggisberg, Susan Kenyon, Margaret Land, Anne Minkler, Mary Thiel, Diana Wert from Cottage Grove and Judith Skaggs from Creswell, with Carolee McMillan and Nancy Woodin of Eugene. Three Rivers Girl Scout Council is an agency of the Lane County Chest.

More Fun Than a Barrel of Brownies

Cottage Grove Girl, Brownie Scouts Wind Up Another Successful Day Camp

(by Mrs. J. H. Minkler, Girl Scout Chairman)

Cottage Grove Girl Scout and Brownie Scout mothers have completed another successful Day Camp for this area. For the past two weeks, on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, a daytime camping program was carried out teaching many skills that the girls are encouraged to carry into their family camping.

The preliminary organization and personnel recruiting was handled by Mrs. Bruce Lansbury, Jr., with each troop furnishing one adult for every 6 girls registering.

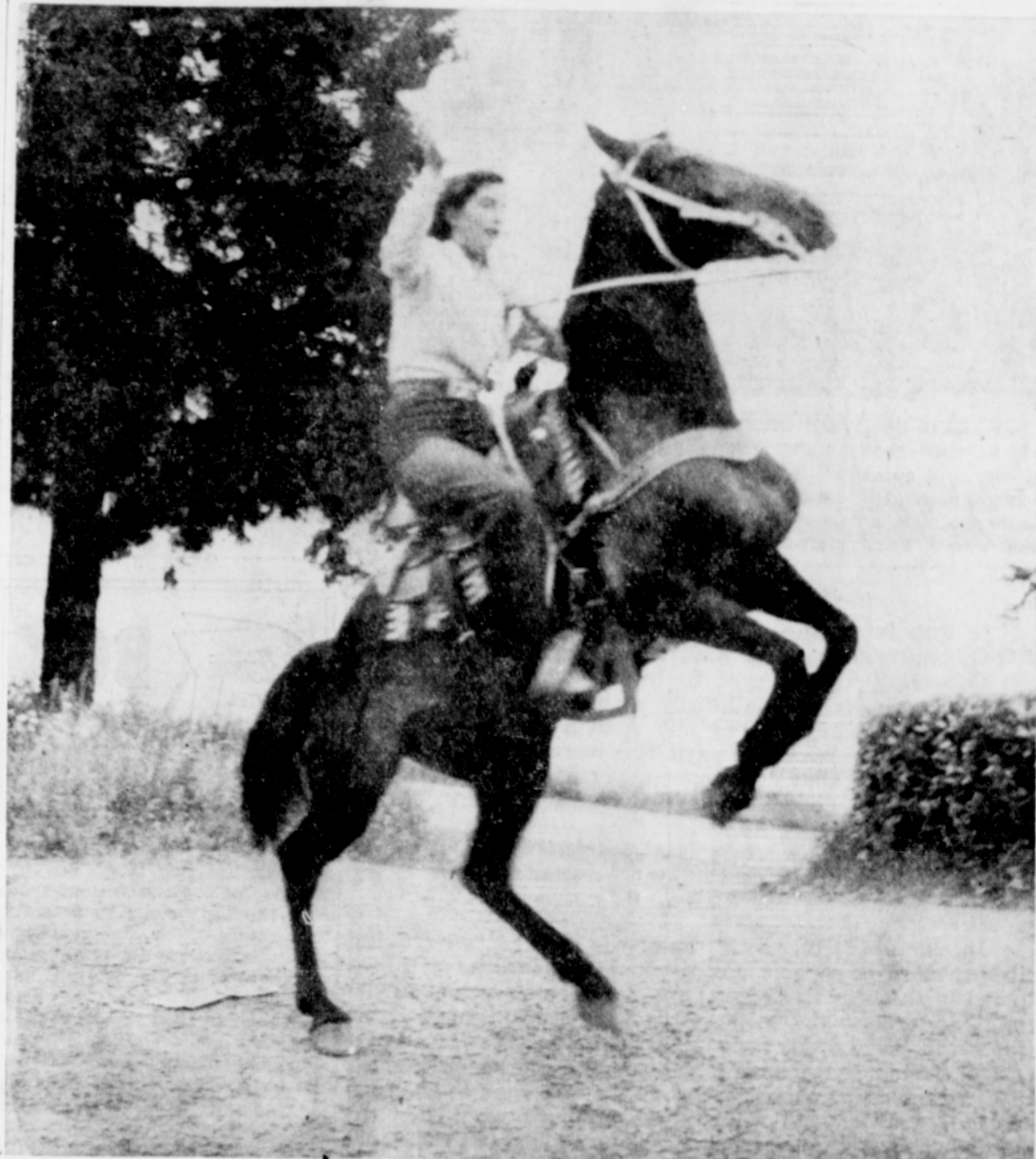
Mrs. Sears Director
Mrs. Max Sears was the Site Director over all units at the camp which was held on the Herman Rudolph farm west of town. Mrs. Henry Minkler and Mrs. Robert Nelson alternately took care of First Aid. Milk was brought out daily from the local dairy by Mrs. Cecil Beck.

Boys assisting mothers had their own camp unit on the Frank Richardson farm and were supervised by Mrs. Richardson and Mrs. Raymond Theis. Mrs. Ernest Dunnavin took care of any nursery-age children of the mothers at camp to leave them free to participate. Drinking water was brought by the campers or obtained at the Wallace Adair's residence nearby.

Nine Age Groups
Most of the 124 girls who were registered attended, camping in nine units according to age groups. Techniques learned ranged from handling a jack-knife properly to cooking with a Chippewa range. Garbage pits and latrines were dug and hand-washing units established as a minimum to setting up camp.

Various types of fires were used for different kinds of cookery such as aluminum foil, reflector oven, and stick cookery. Delicious stews and mulligans were made in #10 cans. Hikes were taken if the girls wished.

Song Fests Held
Song Fests were held after the flag ceremonies each morning and afternoon at the opening and closing. (Continued on page 6)



QUEEN LINDA I AND HER HORSE "QUEENIE" will reign over the weekend festivities beginning with the Buckaroo Breakfast Saturday morning and ending with the Rodeo Sunday afternoon. Events include another Rodeo performance Saturday afternoon and a dance Saturday night at the Cottage Grove armory.

Fire Regulations Are Now in Effect

On July 1 the fire regulations affecting the public went into effect according to R. H. Tubman, Laying Creek district ranger. The regulations are:

1. No smoking while travelling on a forest road.

2. Campfire permits are required for other than designated forest camps.

3. An axe, shovel and water bucket are necessary for camping.

Roads and tracts affected are posted. Fire danger at the present time is moderate, but Tubman added it would require only several days of east wind to reduce moisture content of the forest fuels and thus increase the fire hazard.

District Assistant Hogate is placing the protection personnel on the stations this week and is giving them additional training. Fairview and June Mountain are the first positions to be manned. The road crossing the divide to the Willamette side above Patterson Mountain is being constructed and travel across is not always possible, Tubman added.

Strike Picture Still Unchanged

Woodard Remains Idle

The strike front is still quiet in the Cottage Grove area with CIO mills and Woodard Lumber Company (AFL) still out of operation.

Vern Black, president of the local AFL, reported Thursday morning that in a Wednesday meeting, the union refused a proposal put forth by W. A. Woodard. Woodard's offer was a 3c increase, but union leaders felt this was not sufficient.

"It seems to me that W. A. thinks his 3c is just as good as somebody else's nickel," said Black, when speaking of the meeting. No further meetings have been scheduled and Black expects the strike to continue two or three weeks more.

Most of Woodard's workers have found employment with highway construction or working night shifts on smaller jobs. The bosses, or men with salaries that the strike does not affect, will do the construction work being carried on by Woodard's mill.

The other AFL mills are back in operation after a short or no shutdowns at all. These mills include Kickin's, Potter Brothers, and S & F.

Ralph Ross, president of the local CIO, reported Thursday that a committee in Portland was trying to arrange a meeting with employers and a federal mediator to discuss wage increases. No progress has yet been made in these attempts. There have been no local talks concerning the situation.

At present the CIO is trying to take care of members who have appealed to the strike fund. These members are being taken care of as fast as they apply.

New CG Treasurer Former Californian



New treasurer for the City of Cottage Grove is Mike Siebert. Born in Redley, Calif., just a whoop 'n holler away from Fresno, Mike is a comparative newcomer to south Lane county, coming here July 1, 1952.

Prior to leaving Fresno, he was assistant division accountant for the Santa Fe Railroads there, a position he had held since graduating from San Jose State College. He majored in business administration.

Mike and his brother, Jack, are partners in Siebert Accounting here in Cottage Grove. They share building space with Crepeau Construction, and you're just as likely to get Mike when you call Joe as not. Seems they utilize this "good neighbor" policy and help one another if one happens to be out of the office.

The new money man for CG is married. He and his wife Agnes and Michael, 8, live at 141 Madison.

Mike is a member of the local Lions club.

Festivities Include Parade, Horses, Food, Horses, Dance and More Horses

Christensen Bros. stock and noted rodeo performers arriving at the rodeo grounds Tuesday evening for the Cottage Grove Riding Club 1954 World Championship Rodeo, to be held Saturday and Sunday.

Among the Christensen Bros. bucking stock which will be featured are Miss Red Bluff, a saddle horse which has never been ridden a full eight seconds, Red River, another "toughie," a Brahma bull which has never been ridden in the past three years, and Joe Lewis, a buckler seldom ridden by any cowboy. Miss Red Bluff, according to Christensen's cowboys is one of their wildest horses.

Top Notch Cowboys enter
Among the outstanding cowboys to enter in the Cottage Grove rodeo will be Jack Spurling, championship bareback rider at the Molalla Rodeo, Bill Kunkle, all around cowboy at the Grants Pass and Santa Maria, Calif. rodeos this year, Bill Hartman, champion bulldogger, and Jack Holter, Brahma bull rider.

Other added attractions this year will be Red Reynolds of KVAL TV, who will attend Sunday's performance and Regina Pierre, Arlee, Montana trick rider. After the show Reynolds will visit with any "young cowpoke" who wishes to talk with him.

"Moonlight" to Strut Stuff
Cottage Grove's own E. O. Albritton will put his trick horse, "Moonlight," through the ropes at the rodeo.

Beside the regular professional events of saddle horse riding, bareback riding, calf roping, bulldogging, and Brahma bull riding, there will be a goat roping contest for local club members only, a quarter mile stock horse race for boys and girls under 16 and a quarter mile free for all horse race.

No list of local entries was available as Jimmy Kincaid, secretary of local events, stated he will not take any local entries until Saturday.

Larry Daniels will be the announcer at the rodeo and Bill Markey will be the clown.

Parade Starts at 10 a. m.
The rodeo parade Saturday will form on Ash before 9:30 and will start promptly at 10 a. m. The parade will proceed down West Main, across the bridge, through Main and turn right on Washington to Sixth, go down Sixth to the highway and leave from there to the rodeo grounds.

The Lane County Sheriff's Posse and Lane County Girls' Posse will ride in the parade as well as drill in both days' shows. The dinner held June 30 at the Hebron Grange Hall honoring the queen, her court and her sponsors was well attended and enjoyed by all.

The Riding Club wishes to remind everyone that there will be a "Big Western" dance at the Cottage Grove Armory Saturday night, featuring the music of the Sunshine Playboys. The Playboys also played at the Queen's Ball June 19.

Oregon to Receive \$12,889,469 Of Federal Aid to State Highways

News dispatches reveal the Oregon State Highway department has been advised by the federal department of commerce that the state's share of federal aid for highways for the fiscal year of 1955 will be in the amount of \$12,889,469 and that programming and contracting may begin at once. This amount exceeds by \$4,427,658 the amount allotted the state last year and is available for contracting six months earlier.

Of the \$12,889,469 allotted Oregon, only \$2,330,696 may be used on highways of "interstate" classification. In this instance only two highways are classified as interstate these being the US 99 and US 30, between Portland and the Idaho state line.

Of the remaining \$10,558,773, the sum of \$1,387,166 will be allocated to primary highways in urban areas having populations in excess of 5,000; \$5,398,620 to primary highways in rural areas; and \$3,772,987 to highways in the federal aid secondary system.

As a condition to receiving the federal aid allotted to it, the state must "match" the federal moneys with state or county moneys in ratios approximating 40 percent of state or county moneys to 60 percent of federal moneys.

In addition to the federal aid made available to Oregon for expenditure by the Oregon State Highway Department as above described, the federal government has allotted \$3,100,000 of federal funds for expenditure by the U. S. (Continued on Page 6)



PIRATES !!! These sturdy swabbies head for Captain Kidd's treasure buried somewhere on the Herman Rudolph farm west of Cottage Grove. Pictured are the Unit 7 Brownies ("Sandy Land") led by Theresa Langston, unit director. The hunt was part of the activities of troop 68's Brownie and Girl Scouts' Day Camp, which has been held for the past two weeks.



A MONSTROUS "TURNAPULL" roars down the mountainside in back of the high school with 15 yards of dirt. Construction on the new highway in this section has been going on for three weeks.