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Mar. 31	49	36	.07
Apr. 1	50	38	.40
Apr. 2	47	34	.16
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Apr. 4	49	31	.11
Apr. 5	55	30	—
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PP & L District To Get 1/2 Million For Construction

Pacific Power and Light company will spend \$12,655,500 on construction in 1955, according to budget figures released yesterday by Floyd Hilliker, manager.

Of this total, \$465,000 has been allocated for construction in the company's Springfield district, which includes Cottage Grove, according to Hilliker.

In addition to these construction expenditures, Pacific plans to spend \$619,000 in investigating and planning for development of new power resources, Hilliker said.

He pointed out that investigations are under way on the Santiam river, the Lewis river, the Middle Snake and the Clearwater, and in addition atomic power is being investigated by Pacific Power and neighboring power companies.

Hilliker said that this year's construction expenditure will bring the total amount of money spent by Pacific since the war on expansion and improvements to \$147,650,000.

Neighbor Week To Fight Cancer

In new action in the ever-widening fight against cancer, Neighbor-to-Neighbor Week, April 18, was designated today as Neighbor-to-Neighbor Week for the American Cancer Society in Cottage Grove.

During that week, according to Charlie Whipples, ACS campaign chairman, neighbor will call on neighbors as part of a major drive to collect funds toward the support of the continuing nationwide war on that disease. Cancer took the lives of more than 230,000 Americans in 1954.

"Neighbor-to-Neighbor Week," the chairman said, "is a new and meaningful development in the annual crusade during April, Cancer Control month, in Cottage Grove. We believe it will prove a strong arm in our effort to alert our neighbors to protective measures against cancer."

Whipples explained that Neighbor-to-Neighbor Week was developed by the American Cancer Society to put its yearly crusade on a more friendly and neighborly basis.

"People talking to people can be a great force in winning the battle against cancer," he pointed out. "Neighbor-to-Neighbor Week will offer an opportunity for the people of Cottage Grove to link themselves personally in the fight to save lives here and throughout the country."

In this method of fund-raising and education, a large ACS packet-envelope is passed around the block. Each family takes out an informative pamphlet about cancer, and a small envelope in which it is asked to make a contribution to aid the battle against "man's cruellest enemy."

Then the small envelope is sealed, placed in the large envelope, and the packet is handed on to the family next door.

One of the facts cited by the national Society as a reason for extending the attack on cancer is that 40,000,000 Americans now living will develop that malady if present rates continue.

Whipples Names Week Chairman

Mrs. Robert L. Sedergeren has been appointed organization chairman for the American Cancer Society's Neighbor-to-Neighbor program which will take place this month, according to Charlie Whipples, Cottage Grove chairman of the cancer drive.

All groups interested in assisting with this campaign are asked to contact Mrs. Sedergeren for information and materials.

Ladies of the Elks are cooperating with the American Cancer Society in its education and fund-raising campaign. Neighbor-to-Neighbor packets were assembled Tuesday at the executive meeting of the Ladies of the Elks, under the supervision of Mrs. Sedergeren. A film provided by the American Cancer Society was shown Wednesday evening.

B. J. Bachand to Get Award in National Citizenship Program

Bernard J. Bachand, manager of the Cottage Grove Safeway Store has been selected as a winner in the National Citizenship Award Program, sponsored by the National Association of Food Chains.

Winners in the contest represent the top 25% of the managers in each participating company, as rated in a test devised by Columbia University.

Mr. Bachand will be a candidate for the National Citizen-Manager of the year. This selection is to be made next October.

In recognition of this achievement, Mr. Bachand will receive a Certificate which will be presented to him at a special meeting to be called by H. J. Johnson, district manager for Safeway Stores, Incorporated.

Commission Lane, Do. Bids

SALEM—Next regular meeting of the Oregon State Highway Commission will be April 13 and 14, in Portland. At this meeting, the commission will receive bids on 42 highway, bridge and rock production projects at an estimated cost of \$2,900,000.

These projects include 30.42 miles of grading, 39.41 miles of stone base, 87.5 miles of oiling and 11.75 miles of paving. Also included in the projects are construction of 11 bridges, 4,500 rods of right-of-way fence, 6,600 feet of guard rail and furnishing 89,580 cubic yards of crushed stone in stockpiles.

The commission will receive bids on two projects in Lane County. One project involves the improvement of 0.25 miles of N. River Road in Cottage Grove by the strengthening of the present rock base and by constructing a 3-inch asphaltic concrete pavement 20 feet in width. The improvement extends from the north city limit southerly almost to Birch Ave., and is to be completed by August 31.

Previous bids were received on the project in connection with work on U. S. Highway 99, but the bidder who received the highway work did not submit a bid for N. River Road.

The second project involves the replacement of the two overflow bridges at the crossing of the Coast Fork of the Willamette River on the Willamette Highway, about two miles east of Goshen. The new bridges are to be of reinforced concrete, replacing the old timber structures which were built when concrete and steel were restricted in use due to national war emergency conditions.

In Douglas County, bids will be received by the commission for correcting several slides on Pacific Highway between Anlauf and Rice Hill. The plans call for the removal of the slides which have occurred on this new section of highway, which is scheduled for completion this summer.

William Faulkner To Be Lecturer At UO April 13

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene (Special)—William Faulkner, famous American author, will be a guest lecturer at the university Wednesday, April 13, under the Failing Distinguished Lectures fund.

The Southern writer, considered by many critics as America's foremost novelist, has won numerous literary honors in the past 25 years of writing books and poems.

He received the 1949 Nobel prize for literature. He captured first prize in the O. Henry memorial short story award contests in 1939 and 1940. The National Book Gold award was presented him in 1950, as well as the Howells medal of the American Academy of Arts and Letters, of which he is a member.

He was one of 12 Americans in 1951 admitted to the Legion of Honor of France. The Oxford, Miss., author was awarded the National Book prize in January of this year for "The Fable."

He will speak here at a free public meeting Wednesday evening in Erb Memorial Union.

Civil Defense Chairmen Told

Elmer J. Kent, area civil defense director, has announced chairmen for various divisions of the Cottage Grove civil defense program.

Dr. David A. Morris will head the medical division, Police Chief C. E. Jones and Fire Chief Ernest Shipley will head the police and fire divisions, High School Superintendent Virgil Kingsley and Grade School Superintendent Jesse V. Fasold will head divisions in each of the school districts.

Kent announced that he is making a survey of transportation facilities in the area, including school and sawmill buses.

Kent asked that residents of the area remember that civil defense measures are of vital importance and guard against loss in time of national emergency.

The county civil defense organization meets monthly, Kent stated, and plans of the group will be publicized so that residents of the area may benefit.

Local Guard Unit Gives Information At April 13 Meet

Company "B", 186th Infantry Regiment will conduct a special meeting at the Cottage Grove Armory April 11 at 8 p.m. At that time local officers will attempt to answer the following questions that mothers of draftable boys might be asking:

What is my son's military future? How is he affected by Selective Service? When will he be called upon to serve? Will he be able to continue his education? All parents of young men 17 years of age or over are urged to attend the meeting.



"... I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die. . . ." (John 11:25-26)

Union Good Friday Service Planned For 7:30 P. M. at Free Methodist

Cottage Grove Ministerial Association is sponsoring a union Good Friday service Friday at 7:30 p.m., at Free Methodist Church, 915 S. 6th Street.

The program will be as follows:

Prelude Mrs. Sherwood Smith, pianist
Invocation Rev. Sydney Galtier
Hymn 96 Led by Sherwood Smith
Hymn 110 Led by Sherwood Smith
Violin Trio "In the Garden"
Dewey Mattie, David Garman, Bill Schwieder
Mrs. Gary Leathers, accompanist
Responsive Reading 621 Rev. H. D. Barkman
Prayer Rev. H. D. Barkman
Ladies' Trio "The Unveiled Christ"
Mrs. Edward C. Bush, Miss Dorothy Dodge, Mrs. Jerry Beers
Miss Darlene Cannon, pianist
Sermon Rev. W. Scott Ryan "Looking at the Cross"

Sunrise Service to Be at Stadium

The annual Easter sunrise service of Cottage Grove Ministerial Association will be Sunday at 5:30 a.m. in the stadium of Cottage Grove Union High School. Breakfast will follow the service at 6:30 a.m., at First Presbyterian Church. Program for the Easter observance will be as follows:

Invocation Youths of Church of God
Hymn "He Lives" John 20:1-18
Scripture Lesson Mrs. Jerry Beers
Solo Frank Divers
Easter message "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"
Hymn Youths of Church of God
Benediction Miss Mary Lou Wolfard
Organist

Grade Schools Have 5 Vacancies

Cottage Grove elementary schools have five vacancies on teaching staff, according to an announcement by Superintendent Jesse V. Fasold.

Vacancies due to resignations at Harrison School are as follows: Mrs. Albert Reilly, 4th grade; Mrs. Bruce Johnson, 1st grade; Mrs. Tom Wright, 2nd grade.

Mrs. Eleanor Klenke, 5th grade, resigned at Jefferson School, and in addition there is a vacancy in girls' physical education.

Want to Get Rid of It? Try a Sentinel Want Ad

It matters not whether you want to buy, sell or give an article away, Sentinel classified ads bring results if results can be obtained. We have previously reported gratifying results from what you have to sell, trade or buy. One customer last week advertised a goat to give away and had 30 calls by Thursday. Here is the way the ad read:

WILL GIVE AWAY 6-mos. old nanny goat if you come and get her.

All-Student Talent Show Date Set

Cottage Grove Junior Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a student Talent Show Friday, April 22, in the high school auditorium. Auditions for the show will be Saturday, April 16, at the high school from 10 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Any Cottage Grove student and any student from the outlying areas is invited to participate.

Prizes will be divided into high school and grade school awards, with three prizes to be awarded within each grouping.

Co-chairmen for the show are Russ Guthner, call 216, and Eldon Forbis, who may be contacted at Southern Pacific Depot.

Tickets are available from any Jaycee member.

MRS. BEN HILIKER
WITH THE SENTINEL

Mrs. Ben Hiliker is substituting in the Sentinel news department for two weeks while Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roles are vacationing in the south. Al Martin of the news department is substituting as advertising manager during the fortnight period.

Portland 'A-Attack' To Alert Guard

Cottage Grove National Guardsmen, Company B, 186th Infantry, will participate in activities for Oregon during the simulated atomic attack on Portland which is scheduled for sometime this month, according to Sgt. Jerald Jordan of the local group.

At the time of the "attack," National Guard units throughout the state will be alerted.

Radio stations will flash messages of the "attack" and units will be given one hour to see how many men receive the message and arrive at their local armories and meeting places. Each unit will send hourly reports to Portland.

Unit headquarters will receive a phone call as notice at the start of the attack.

Sgt. Jordan has reminded local residents that this "attack" is for practice purposes only, and he asks that no one call the attention with questions since their line will be busy with reports. Jordan stated that to his knowledge the city fire sirens will not be blown during the "attack."

Seniors to Attend Preview Weekend At State Schools

PORTLAND (Special)—Seniors of Cottage Grove Union High School have been invited to join graduating students throughout the state as honor guests of the state system of higher education during the annual College Campus Preview Weekend, April 22 and 23. Seniors are invited to visit the campus of their choice in order to become acquainted with the state school they plan to attend.

The annual weekend event will be observed simultaneously at the University of Oregon, Eugene; Oregon State College, Corvallis; Oregon College of Education, Monmouth; Southern Oregon College of Education, Ashland; Eastern Oregon College of Education, La Grande; Portland State College, and Oregon Technical Institute, Klamath Falls.

Pre-college orientation of campus facilities has been arranged and all visiting students will have the opportunity of discussing educational plans with faculty advisers.

Programs of entertainment have been scheduled, including sports events, mixer dances and fireworks. Supervised housing will be arranged in dormitories, fraternities, sororities, cooperatives or in private homes.

Registration will begin at 7 p.m. Friday, April 22, at each campus. Seniors may obtain further information at the office of their principal.

The weekend preview is an inter-campus program coordinated by the High School-College Relations Committee of the General Extension Division for the state system.

Corn Harvester, Dryer First Fruits of CG Ag Meets

As a result of the valuable information given by Paige Hall in the last agriculture meeting in the city hall, Glenn Perkey of Diston Route, Cottage Grove, located at the upper end of the Dorena Dam on what is known as the Baker Stewart ranch, has decided to plant 50 acres of corn and is contemplating the purchase of a drier and harvesting machine to handle same.

Perkey stated that he will install a larger capacity drier and harvesting machine than he would need for his own use if other farmers would be interested in using his facilities.

Dr. Hagen, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce agriculture committee suggests that anyone interested in using the above harvesting and drying equipment should contact Mr. Perkey for full information, phone 6-8694. This should be done immediately because corn planting time will be here within a few weeks.

Disston School To Add 2 Rooms

Albert Vik & Sons of Eugene, contractors, have been awarded the contract for addition of two classrooms at Disston School.

The firm's successful bid was \$16,964. Construction will begin in June, according to Louis M. Pinkston, school principal.

With the addition, the school will have five classrooms and a multi-purpose room.

Conservationist to Be At District Meet Monday

Upper Willamette Soil Conservation District will have its regular monthly meeting in Cottage Grove Monday at 8 p.m., in the council room of city hall.

Henry Pavelek, area soil conservationist, will attend the meeting.

Meetings will be held in various areas of the district to enable interested persons to attend. The meeting is open to the public.

Council Okays Storm Sewer; Acts on Paving Measures

Consideration of sewer lines and street paving were the main items of business Monday evening at the regular meeting of Cottage Grove City Council at City Hall.

Mayor Jess Hill informed council members that bidding would be reopened April 13 and 14 by the Oregon State Highway Commission for paving of N. River Road from the north city limit south to Birch Ave. He said that bids for Highway 99 construction which had included the Cottage Grove project had been rejected and the bidder who received the contract had not bid on N. River Road.

Mayor Hill had contacted R. H. Baldock, state highway engineer, by phone and Baldock had stated he would reopen bidding on the project.

The council accepted a petition for paving of S. 3rd St. from Quincy Ave. to 8 p.m. in the street, and moved that an ordinance be prepared for the paving, provided the petition was in order.

The following paving ordinances were read the first and second time by title only at the meeting, with final reading to take place in a month after letters of notification have been mailed to residents who will be assessed:

• 1475—N. 10th St., from Villard Court to Grover Ave.
• 1476—Penney Ave., from N. Pacific Hwy to N. 11th St.

Tax League Plans Wednesday Meet

Lane County Taxpayers League will meet in Cottage Grove Wednesday, April 20, at 8 p.m., in the Chamber of Commerce office.

The league, which has headquarters in Springfield, was organized in November.

Taxpayers are invited to attend the meeting, at which time the program and future plans for the organization will be explained and discussed.

Since the organizational meeting in November, the executive committee has been working on the immediate program and planning future activities.

The league is pressing for enactment into law of four bills on school taxation being introduced by Senator Lee Ohmart of Marion County. The committee on legislation is under the leadership of ex-State Senator Angus Gibson.

Directors of the organization from Cottage Grove—London are Floyd Githens, William Bartels, Joe Crepeau and Wayne Berggren. Creswell-DeHart Valley directors are E. A. Green and Mrs. Clyde Wright.

Used-Car Office Has Break, Enter

The used-car lot sales office at Albee Pontiac, 24 N. 9th St., was broken into sometime Tuesday night but nothing was taken or damaged.

City police investigated the entry Wednesday morning when the entry was discovered.

Ray Albee, owner, told investigating officers that until a few days ago keys for used cars on the lot had been kept in the lot office and he said he considered that the probable motive for the entry.

Building Permits \$56,500 for March

Cottage Grove building permits for March totaled \$56,500.

Biggest item for the month was the Cottage Grove swimming pool at \$48,000.

Two home building permits were issued for a total of \$7,000, and one for house repairs for \$1,500.



STATE GAME OFFICER A. F. Jacobs and cougar hunter Harry W. Neet examine a dead buck in the Wilson Creek area. The buck was turned over to state biologists for study as to cause of death.