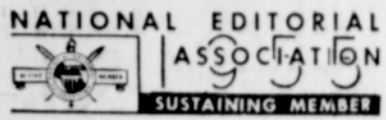


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Crime Increases With Leisure

It has been pretty definitely proven we think by official information that crime increases with the amount of leisure time people have to spend and this is especially true of the juveniles, where crime has increased greatly the past few years. Closely linked with more leisure time is a higher standard of living which creates a lure for easy money with which to buy the products of a higher standard of living.

More leisure time is detrimental to those not prepared to use it properly.

In years passed juvenile crime was retarded because the youthful members of the family had to help make a living. Now with more time for education and more time for leisure, temptations for easy living can be repressed somewhat by supervised recreation. At least the recreation offers the youth an opportunity to be employed by wholesome recreation and takes up a good portion of his free time.

The 35 hour work week is probably on its way, but before it comes we hope people are preparing themselves to accept it. Shorter hours won't accomplish anything unless we can adjust ourselves to a new method of living. It will affect the youth as well as the adult.

Wise Resources Use Said Vital

George E. Johnson, Mapleton, and Dan P. Allen, Eugene, Co-chairmen for Lane County Observance of Conservation Week, May 1-7, predicted today that Oregon could greatly increase its timber, game, fish, soil, and wildlife if everyone followed the basic rules for conservation and wise use. Johnson and Allen called waste by unthinking persons "a great crime against our natural heritage," and said that waste and unwise use could lead to a reduced standard of living.

Conservation Week is being sponsored on a state-wide basis by Gov. Paul Patterson's Committee on Natural Resources, and this statement was made in connection with the special week observance, during which particular emphasis will be placed on proper use of natural resources.

Schools, civic groups, sportsman clubs, conservation organizations, and public and private conservation agencies and business firms are joining in the Lane County observance, according to the committee chairmen.

Allen and Johnson reported that special attention would be given during the week to the following:

* Decrease the number of man-caused forest fires. Although last year's record was good, Oregon still averages three fires for every day of the year.

* Support programs to keep our waters clean. Many communities still lack adequate sewage treatment plants, and pollution is still being caused by industrial waste and dredging operations, to the detriment of fish life and agriculture. Clean water is a must.

* Wider acceptance of approved timber management practices.

* Improved agricultural and soil conservation methods.

* Need of fish and wildlife for improved and adequate habitat.

* Greater familiarity with the water resources of the state, and necessity for conservation of game.

* Good range and grassland management.

* Respect for property rights of private timber and agriculture land owners by the public. Much of Oregon's fish and game is on private lands, and continued access to these areas is dependent upon public appreciation of trespass privileges.

Gassaway, Bumpus Attend Episcopal Meet

William Bumpus and Donn Gassaway returned last week from Medford where they had attended the 67th convention of the Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Oregon. The Rev. Lee H. Young, vicar of St. Andrew's, and St. David's, Drain, also attended.

At the Convention Bishop Dagwell asked for a bishop coadjutor to succeed him when he retires in three years. The Convention unanimously granted his request. This request will be presented to the General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the United States of America when it meets in Honolulu this fall.

The Convention also approved a resolution sending a memorial to the General Convention that it consider changing the official name of the Church to: The Episcopal Church of the United States of America.

Baby Linda Ladd

Baby Linda Mary, five-month-old beloved little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ladd, died at the Cottage Grove hospital, April 23, 1955.

She leaves a brother, Larry Raymond, and grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Ladd of Cottage Grove, and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cooper of Toledo, Wash. Services were held at the Smith Funeral Chapel Monday at 1 p.m. Interment was in the Comstock cemetery. F. Sherwood Smith officiated.

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the conservation and intelligent development, use and protection of the natural resources of our country and state is of primary importance to our present generation, and to generations yet unborn, and inasmuch as our soil, water, forest, range, fish and wildlife, and mineral resources of the country and state are the very foundation of our economy and way of life; and

WHEREAS, the State of Oregon, through Governor Paul Patterson and his Committee on Natural Resources is coordinating and carrying forward a constructive program of conservation of these resources participated in by numerous agencies, service groups, business organizations, and countless individuals; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Natural Resources has designated the week of May 1-7, 1955, as a period for special observance of conservation of our natural resources; it being of utmost importance that all our citizens are made continually aware of the importance of conservation and efficient use of these resources to the betterment of all humankind;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mayor of Cottage Grove, in order to properly designate the importance of this special observance, and the importance of the work of conserving our resources, do hereby declare and proclaim the week of May 1 through May 7 in Cottage Grove as CONSERVATION WEEK

and respectfully urge all civic groups, and individual citizens of the community to develop and participate in conservation programs during that week.

Signed: JESS HILL,
Mayor.

Firemen to Hold

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that, although we experienced an increase of 2.83 per cent in dwelling fires in 1954, the increase was almost entirely in the cities and districts that did not participate in a house-to-house inspection service," Taylor stated.

Of special concern to the fire prevention authorities throughout the country is the apparent apathy of the citizens toward fire in their homes. The attitude of the average home owner seems to be: "It can happen to someone else but not me." "But it is happening at an alarming rate of 30 home fires daily in Oregon and in almost all cases it is the first fire for each particular home. 151 of these dwelling fires resulted in casualties during 1954," Fire Marshal Taylor continued.

The wholehearted acceptance of qualified, properly uniformed firemen inspectors into the privacy of the home to point out means of eliminating common causes of fires is the easiest and simplest way to accomplish so much toward doing something about the increasing life and property loss from fire. Home owners must realize that fire is no respecter of class, color or creed nor of persons, places or time. The only thing certain about fire is the uncertainty of where it will strike next.

Thomas Parker

Funeral services for Thomas Parker, 86, Cottage Grove, were held at 1:30 p.m. Monday, April 25, at the Fisher Funeral Home, Albany, with interment in the Riverside cemetery. Dr. Morton Booth officiated.

Mr. Parker died Friday, April 22, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. D. Fink, Albany, following an extended illness. He was born March 23, 1869, near Molalla. He had lived in Newport, Albany, Spokane, Cottage Grove and Disston. The past four years he had lived in Cottage Grove.

Surviving are two daughters: Martha Ellen Fink, Albany, and Mary Elizabeth Whittemore, Newport; two granddaughters; six great-grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. Nina P. Ortel, Spokane, Wash. Four brothers and one sister preceded him in death: Edmund A. Virgil, Harry H., and Walter Parker and Mrs. Flora Parker Wheeler.

Herman O. Miller

Herman Otto Miller, 66, South River Road, Cottage Grove, died suddenly Sunday, April 24, at his home. He was born January 29, 1889, at Pleasant Hill and married Mary Powell in Eugene on June 25, 1918. He had been a resident of the state his entire life and of this community the past 25 years, living in Lorane before moving to Cottage Grove. He was a member of the American Legion.

Surviving are his wife; one son, Joseph, at home; two sisters and one brother: Hilda and Esther Miller, Cottage Grove, and Ed Miller, Pleasant Hill. One son preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be Thursday (today) at Mills Mortuary with interment in Rest Haven mausoleum. The Rev. D. Hugh Peniston will officiate and members of the American Legion will be pallbearers.

CG Guard Unit

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Participating in "Operation Minuteman" with Co. B were more than 5,600 other Army and Air National Guard units in about 2,200 other communities throughout the State, the 47 other states and in the District of Columbia, Alaska and Puerto Rico.

Local guardsmen wish to express their appreciation to the local radio station, local telephone operators, and the people of Cottage Grove, for without their help and cooperation, this operation would have been a failure.

This operation is the start of a nation-wide recruiting program. Any young man between the ages of 17 and 18½ years of age wishing to become a part of Company B, 186th Infantry contact Pfc. Jerald S. Jordan at the Armory or call 320.

Tom Allen Green

Tom Allen Green, 60, Drain, died at the Cottage Grove hospital Monday, April 25. He was born March 18, 1895, in Arkansas and was married at Benton, Ark., January 15, 1921, to Lena McAdoo. Mr. Green was a member of the Assembly of God and a veteran of World War I.

Surviving are three children: Arlin, Arkansas; Orville, Drain, and Aimee Fowler, Drain; eight grandchildren; and two brothers: S. Berry Green, Bryant, Ark., and E. Y. Green, Little Rock, Ark.

The body was shipped to Little Rock, Ark., for funeral service and burial. The Griffin-Leggett Funeral Home will conduct the service. Mills Mortuary was in charge of local arrangements.

MEMORY Lane

INFLATION

Remember when ground round was fifteen cents a pound, bacon was a dime, and the butcher gave you liver for free? That was before the word "inflation" was used so freely in discussing our national economy. In those days "inflation" meant the blowing up of a balloon, not the family pocket-book. Remember?

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Harvard Instructor Visits UO This Year

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, April (Special)—Pitirim A. Sorokin, world renowned sociologist of Harvard university, will be a visiting professor here during the summer session.

The three seminars he will conduct include Social and Cultural Dynamics, The Behavioral Sciences, and Creative Altruism. Sorokin has been on the sociology staff at Harvard since 1930, and for the past 10 years has been director of the creative altruism research center there.

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The sociologist has written more than 30 books, including "Contemporary Sociological Theory," "Social and Cultural Dynamics," "Society, Culture, and Personality," and "Altruistic Love."

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