



STEVE VITTEOE shows off the winning ticket for the 10,000 free green stamps given away by the Hoodland Park Plaza merchants. Steve is a second grader at Welches.

Legislature reapportionment due following recent census

Reapportionment may turn out to be the most controversial issue before the Oregon Legislature and up to this point it has received hardly any public notice.

All legislatures must be reappointed after each federal census so that the vote of a citizen in one part of the state elects approximately as many legislators as the vote of a citizen in another part of the state. The Oregon Constitution since 1952, has contained a complex formula for apportioning legislative seats based on county lines. Some legislators run from a single county such as Jackson County. Others run from several counties in one legislative district such as Umatilla, Union and Wallowa.

Others run from numbered positions in metropolitan counties such as Multnomah where more than one legislator is elected from the same county. In the House of Representatives, legislators from Multnomah County run from one of five sub-districts within the county. Since counties are not of equal size, any apportionment plan based on county lines cannot come out exactly equal in terms of population.

The Supreme Court of the United States on a number of occasions has ruled that legislative districts should be as equal in population as practicable. The rulings of the United States Supreme Court supercede any conflicting state law. The issue before the legislature is whether a reapportionment can comply both with the Oregon Constitution and the ruling of the United States Supreme Court. A complete population plan could be developed with the aid of computers which would ignore county lines and might reach some very strange results in terms of community of interest, but should reduce the disparity of districts to about one percent.

On the other hand, a plan to comply with the Oregon Constitution could keep county lines as the basis for districts and get within ten percent disparity. The issues are of course not to be considered in a vacuum. The result of the apportionment will mean which individual incumbent legislators lose their seats. Different apportionment plans also can have an effect on the party balance in the legislature.

Republicans, for example, generally favor single member districts for a metropolitan county, which would cut down on the large Democratic vote when legislators run in the county at large.

Tapes Stolen

Tape deck and tapes valued at \$192 were reported stolen May 6 from the Reynolds high school senior building parking lot.

Sheriff's reports said thieves apparently forced open a car window to steal the goods which belonged to Jack K. Lewis, Rt. 2, Box 121, Gresham.

Drawing winners announced

Winners were announced Tuesday of the Green Stamp drawing at the Hoodland Plaza Shopping Center.

The center gave away 20,000 green stamps in all in celebration of the stores in the center giving away green stamps with all purchases now.

Lester Phillips of 1043 NE Dean, Portland, won first place of 10,000 stamps; Mrs. Roy Baylis of P.O. Box 7, Brightwood, won second place prize of 5,000 stamps; Vera M. Bittman of Welches Rd., Wemme, took third prize of 2,500 stamps; and Joe Pickett of 4660 NE Portland Hiway, took fourth place in the drawing and won 2,500 stamps.

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- Steve Vittetoe, a second grader at Welches grade school, did the drawing of the names on Tuesday morning.
- Welches School District
May 17-21
MONDAY
Italian Spaghetti
Buttered Spinach
French Bread
Applesauce
Milk
TUESDAY
Creamed Chicken
on Parsleyed Rice
Green Beans
Peanut Butter Sandwich
Prunes
Milk
WEDNESDAY
Tacos
Potato Salad
Cookie
Jello
Milk
THURSDAY
Baked Beans w-Ham
Carrot Sticks
Hot Buttered Roll
Fruit
Milk
FRIDAY
Fish and Chips
Cole Slaw
Bread-Butter
Pudding
Milk

Balloonist to visit

David Martindale, the world famous balloonist, will be at the old fairgrounds in Gresham Saturday and Sunday, with balloons.

Martindale's visit is a boost for the Flea Market held at the site each week.

He is coming at the invitation of his friend Jack Hurd of Lake Oswego who said Martindale was a colorful personality with great fame. He travels all over the nation in a Rolls Royce that has 31 coats of paint.

Home robbed

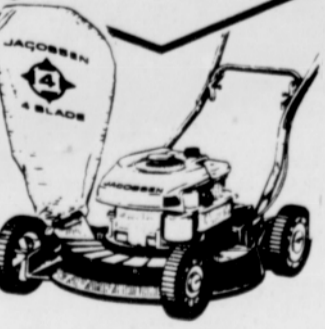
Approximately \$135 in cash was reported stolen May 7 from the home of Glenn L. Lewis, of 18300 NE Flanders.

Sheriff's reports said the thieves entered the home through an unlocked front door while Lewis was at work.

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PGE creates environment department

Frank M. Warren, president of Portland General Electric company, announced the appointment of George Eicher as manager of the newly created department of environmental services.

In making the appointment Warren commented that this move "reflects the need to more closely orient company policy and planning to environmental considerations with reference to future developments as well as ongoing projects".

Eicher will supervise a four-man department composed of ecologist James Chandler, former aquatic biologist at the Round Butte project; biologists Donald Clark of Gresham and Elwood Madden of Madras; and Don Ratliff, a recent Oregon State graduate in fisheries science who will succeed Chandler at Round Butte. The new department is established under the direction of the vice president for administration, Estes Snedecor, Jr.

McAllister on visit

George McAllister, Gresham attorney, and his wife left for Japan Monday by plane for a month visit with their son, Air Force Capt. Grant McAllister, who is stationed near Tokyo.

The captain who is married and has two children has been in Japan since 1969 and expects to be there until April 1972.

McAllister said he wants especially to ride on Japan's fast trains and to get out into the country and see how the people live. He said he was not much interested in the cities because they are all the same, dirty.

The McAllisters expect also to spend a week in Hawaii. McAllister came to Gresham as a young man in 1915. He was elected to the City Council in 1949 and in 1951 was appointed city attorney a post he has held since.

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| Hunt's TOMATO JUICE 46 OZ. CAN 25¢ | Scotties FACIAL TISSUE BOXES OF 200 - 2 PLY SHEETS 4 \$1 | Liquid Detergent IVORY LIQUID 22 OZ. BOTTLE 39¢ | Shur-Flavor ICE CREAM HALF GALLON CARTON 58¢ |
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