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## News of a blessed event

A most unusual birth announcement arrived the other day. We'd like to share it with you. However, before the vital statistics are revealed, several things should be noted about this 'blessed event'.

Not only did the 'gestation period' last almost two years, but the 'labor pains' continued for several months. And to top it off, the tedious 'delivery' was complicated and delayed by trouble with new presses.

In spite of these obstacles, the

Sandy Centennial Committee has announced the birth, March 23, of a one pound .05 ounce book! They have named their off-spring 'Sandy Pioneers, Early Settlers and Barlow Road Days'.

All residents of Sandy-Hoodland area may share in the pride of this 'new edition' to the family. It will surely be treasured as a priceless record of our pioneer heritage.

To the exhausted 'parents', we'd like to say, 'congratulations on your baby!' (NB)

## Consolidation and the Fire 10 Levy

People normally don't think much about fire protection except at the moment they need it.

But they have lately in Gresham. Statements, pro and con, about fire protection have been issued and, we fear, more heat than light has been generated.

Briefly, this is what has happened: The City of Gresham presented to the Portland-Metropolitan Area Boundary Commission its version of the geographic area the city logically could serve. This meant some sizable annexations.

The Boundary Commission studied the plan, then commented that expanded fire protection would be needed, particularly in the area north of town—toward 12-Mile Corner.

The Boundary Commission suggested that the City either (a) annex to Fire District 10 (b) negotiate a contract with District 10 or (c) take steps to upgrade its service.

Gresham, of course, has some paid personnel but is largely a volunteer department. District 10 is entirely paid.

Directors of District 10 then issued a statement in which they raised

questions about the existing contractual (mutual aid) relationship with the City. City officials replied suggesting that District 10 was being unfair and that no hurried action should be taken with possible city-county consolidation in the wings.

There the matter stands. A lot of people are confused by the various statements, pro and con. We are, too.

We would like to suggest that a committee of disinterested citizens be appointed to study the whole situation, then make a recommendation.

We would suggest two or three people from Gresham (not city administrators or firemen), two or three people from Fire District 10 (not board members or firemen), plus an additional person named jointly by the two groups.

Then, let them sit down and sift through the welter of information. Let them come up with a conclusion which, one way or another, would be entirely free of any parochial concerns.

We don't think the present war of words is accomplishing much.

## The "OFFICIAL POSITION"



## On the Stefani Recall Movement

**CITIZENS COLLEGE FORUM**  
News and Views About  
Mt. Hood Community College  
by Chuck Niemi  
Coordinator of College  
Information

Registration for spring term classes continues through April 5 in the MHCC admissions office. Persons enrolling in night classes may do so by mail, by registering in person at the admissions office or by signing up at the first class session.

Famed economist Percy Greaves starts his ten-session seminar in Principles of the Market System March 28 at 7 p.m. in Room BT 101. The class continues through April 12 and carries three college credits.

Stanley Kubrick's award-winning films, "Dr. Strangelove" and "2001: A Space Odyssey," will be shown April 6-7 at 7 p.m. in the college theater. A minimal admission is charged. The Children's Film Series will feature "The Man from Button Willow" April 7 starting at 1 p.m. in the theater.

Mt. Hood's successful Contemporary Lecture Series concludes its 1973 offerings April 11 with a discussion of "The Wild and Wonderful World of Words."

Dr. Arthur Kreisman, Dean of Arts and Sciences at Southern Oregon College, is the featured guest. His program is said to be a lighthearted exploration of the development of the English vocabulary. He'll discuss where, how and why our particular words originated, and how they came to mean exactly what they mean today. All lectures begin at 10 a.m. at the Gateway Branch of Portland Federal Savings & Loan, 1307 NE 102.

Word will be coming out soon on MHCC's annual Charter Week Golf Tournament set for April 28 at Mountain View Golf Course. The 18-hole tournament is open to everyone in the community and, as always, includes an enjoyable dinner and a host of prizes.

Other Charter Week events include an all-day Man and the Land Conference, a staging of Romeo & Juliet, a vocal instrumental jazz concert, campus tours, a baseball game and numerous other events on campus. It all starts April 25. More details later.

The finals of the first annual Northwest Orchestra Festival are set for 7:30 p.m. March 31 in the MHCC gymnasium. Junior high and high school groups from throughout the Northwest are participating. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

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The Troutdale station weather readings are made by 5:30 p.m.

**Window hit**  
The office of Dr. Warren Schafer, on Harrison Street in Milwaukie, was vandalized recently. A window was destroyed in the office, which also serves as headquarters for the recall movement aimed at Clackamas County Commissioner Fred Stefani.

## Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

Last week's published letter to the Hoodland Planning group by Stan and Betty Coleman gave the incorrect impression that Mr. Coleman was speaking for the Board of Directors of the Government Camp Property Owners' Association. To the contrary, the membership of the association approved the density levels of that comprehensive plan and the Board, of which I am also a member, has taken no action inconsistent with that membership action.

Government Camp property owners should not be made to suffer the loss of another building season pending further studies lower down on the mountain. The Government Camp aspect of the plan is completed and I join in the position of those who encourage rapid adoption of the plan by the county commissioners and enactment of zoning ordinances consistent with it without further delay.

Very truly yours,  
Paul Gerhardt

## Driver guilty

Richard James Miller, 46, 11258 NE Prescott St., received a five year probation term Tuesday on two charges of criminally negligent homicide in the traffic deaths of a young East County couple.

Miller had earlier pleaded guilty to the charges. Multnomah County Circuit Judge John C. Beatty Jr. ordered Miller to serve one year in the county correctional institution, with a recommendation for work-release, as a special condition of probation.

Killed in the traffic crash were Lindsey Loftis, 24, and his wife Vicky, 22, of 327 NE 199th Ave. They died after their car was struck by a hit-run vehicle and knocked into a utility pole at NE 158th Ave. and Halsey St.

As conditions of probation the judge ordered Miller to: Report to the Drug and Alcohol Section of the Oregon Mental Health Division for treatment; abstain from use of liquor and automobiles; pay \$100 a month into a trust fund for the two-year old child of the dead couple for five years and work, following release from MCCI, one shift each week for six months at the detoxification center in Portland.

## History of movies offered

Silent movies, foreign films and documentaries are all part of a "History of Motion Pictures" class offered spring quarter at Mt. Hood Community College.

MHCC drama instructor Robert Kirtley will conduct the seminar and show such films as "Battleship Potemkin," "Citizen Kane," "Open City," "Hiroshima Mon Amour," "La Dolce Vita," "Shoot the Piano Player," and "2001: A Space Odyssey."

Representatives of the motion picture industry will also speak during the course which meets Tuesdays from 7-10 p.m.

## Park trees vandalized

Trees planted by volunteers in Bella Vista neighborhood park last Saturday have already been vandalized.

City Manager Robert McWilliam reported Tuesday that

## Lawmakers to report

Another report from legislators will be made at a breakfast Saturday at 8 a.m. in the M & M Restaurant.

This is the sixth in a series of breakfasts sponsored by the Greater Gresham Chamber of Commerce.

Legislators scheduled to appear are Sen. Vern Cook, and representatives Glenn Ott, Harvey Akeson, Ed Linquist and Glen Whallon There will be short reports on what is happening in Salem and they will answer questions. The public is invited to participate.

at least 50 trees have been broken off.

He asks citizens' help in finding the culprits. He reported that the city offers up to \$500 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction for the vandalism of city property.

## Stereo heisted

A stereo component system valued at \$350 was reported stolen from the Robert J. Ketchum residence, 2714 SE 148th, sometime between March 21 and 23, according to sheriff's reports.

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## COW POKES

By Ace Reid



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## Land use petitions approved

Three petitions for the adoption of land use controls were approved at the meeting of the Clackamas County Planning Commission Monday evening. These were classified under RA-1 single family residential zoning.

The separate requests were for minimum one acre tracts of land heretofore unzoned in the Barton-Eagle Creek area. The third had requested about one quarter square mile in section 7 of the Boring area.



MEMBERS OF Sandy city administration and planning commission were present for the presentation of the Project Foresight program at the Chamber of Commerce meeting Tuesday. Shown left to right in the front row are councilmen Joe Youngbluth and Ed Burke, Howard Berger, and

councilman Joe Astleford. In the back row are city administrator Carl Hatfield, speaker Walter Lawson, mayor of Woodburn, Sandy mayor Melvin Haneberg, planning engineer Ed Storms, and planning commission member Olin Bignall.

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