

Fireman of year named

Richard Curtis, 22, of Rhododendron was selected as Firefighter of the Year at the Hoodland Fire Department's annual Christmas banquet, held Dec. 5 at Timberline Lodge.

Curtis worked his way up from the bottom, starting out in the department's auxiliary program when he was 16 years old. He worked for two summers for the department in the Youth for Employment Program, sponsored by the federal Comprehensive Employment Training Act.

He also worked as a volunteer fireman until he was hired on as a fulltime firefighter by the district two years ago.

An Emergency Medical Technician II and a Firefighter II, Curtis is in charge of special projects around the station. He also orders all equipment for the department.

Fire Chief Don Armintrout praised the support of Curtis's family, which he said really shows his contributions to the department.

He said that Curtis "has really dedicated himself to the Hoodland Fire Department, and has always been there when needed."

"He's multi-talented," Armintrout said. "He's one of our best engineers and engineer instructors."

Armintrout said that Curtis was selected by the department's chief officers, who voted for the firefighter that dedicates himself to helping the department the most.

In addition, their efforts during fire and emergency situations, and the work done on special projects, were all taken into consideration.

Monroe announces candidacy

State Senator Rod Monroe today announced his candidacy for the office of State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

At a press conference in Portland's Marriot Hotel, Monroe said, "At this critical time Oregonians deserve active and forceful leadership from our State Superintendent and they're not getting it. Verne Duncan, the incumbent is a nice fellow, but has failed this state as a leader."

Monroe said that after talking with other educators, parents, business leaders and legislators, "I have been urged to run for this position and fill the leadership gap myself."

Public notices

**IN THE CIRCUIT
COURT OF THE
STATE OF OREGON
FOR THE COUNTY
OF CLATSOP**
Probate Department
In the matter of the estate of:
GRETA M. OURECKY aka
GRETA M. ALBEL
Deceased
No. P81-11-19
Notice to
Interested Persons
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of the above estate. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present the same within four months from this date of the law offices of Richard Egner, Jr., Suite 302, Hood Center Professional Building, 1217 NE Burnside, Gresham, Oregon 97030.

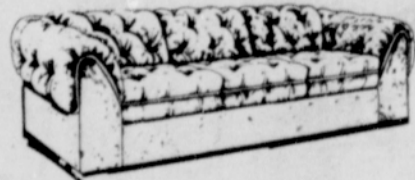
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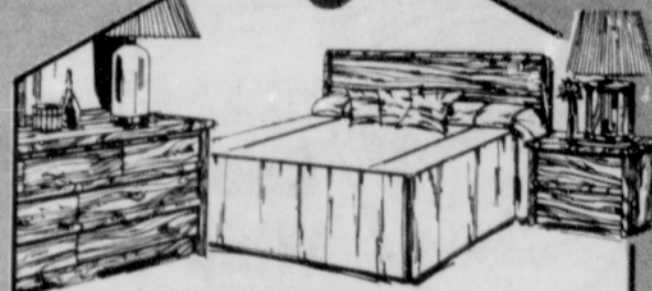
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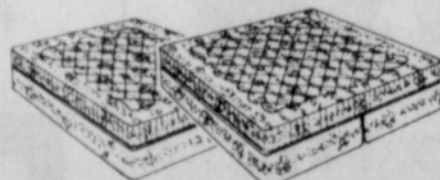
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