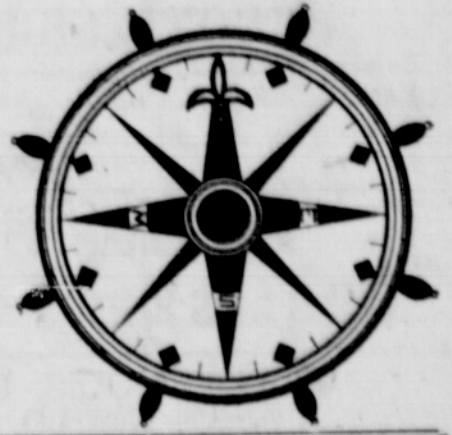


# Brookings-Harbor Pilot



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## Christmas Program Set For Tues.

### Fun Rites Held Monday P. M. For William Hubbell

### Interment At Smith River Cemetery After Services Here

Funeral services for William Hubbell, pioneer resident of the Harbor area, were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Baptist community church, Rev. E. C. Hicks, of Smith River, officiating. Interment was at Smith River cemetery.

Turley sang two solos: "Going Home" and "Crossing the Water," accompanied by Mrs. Turley.

Mr. Hubbell was born August 24, 1861 at East Troy, Ill., he was son of Geo. and Jane Stanton Hubbell. In his early years, the family lived in Wisconsin.

He came to Crescent City in 1890 where he was employed as a stevedore for Hobbs-Wall & Company, until 1912.

On New Year's Eve of 1910 he was united in marriage to Ida Hubbell at Crescent City. In 1913 the family moved to Oakland, Calif., but later returned to Brookings in 1920.

He transferred his Odd Fellow membership to Brookings in 1923 in Wisconsin where he had been a member many years.

Surviving are: Nellie Rodehead and Frank Pallady of Harbor, Lucile Irwin of Oakland, Mrs. Hoffman of San Jose and Mrs. Pallady of Richmond, Calif.

### Bruins Lose Three to Langlois Last Friday Evening

### "B" Squad Loses By Single Point In Only Bitter Battle

Brookings Bruins, who bowed to defeat on the local floor the week before in their first game of the season, took another "lacing" this time at hands of Langlois last Friday at the Langlois gym. Never ahead at any time, the Bruins came out on the short end of a 31 to 19 score.

Fairing no better, the volleyball team lost to the host team, 13 to 13, when the local girls actually had no defense for the volleys served by Langlois.

Reserving the remaining honor of the trip to the north end of the county, the B squad made the team double and re-double efforts in order to win by a single point, 20 to 19.

Beach Here Tomorrow With two defeats smarting from the aggregation, Gold Beach is leading the local court tomorrow.

### A. E. Sandbo Appointed To Elect. Co-op Board

At the recent annual election of Coos-Curry Electric Co-operative, early in October, the local area, through voting practices, found to be without a director on the board of the co-op.

Last Friday, at a meeting of the board, held at Coquille, a member from that area resigned, and A. E. Sandbo was appointed to represent this area. Mr. Sandbo just completed a year as president of Croft Lily Growers Association, and is justice of the peace.

### Boys Scouts Will Stage Show, Jan. 21

Brookings Scout committee re-organized, Tuesday evening, to function for the coming year, at Pete Lesmeister's office, when Charles E. Low was again named chairman. Other members and officers are:

Secretary—Pete Lesmeister.

Treasurer—Mike Page.

Bob Perkins and Dewey Akers, members.

Scouting was given impetus by appointment of Reginald Taylor to position of scoutmaster, with Gene Gould assistant. Mr. Taylor replaces Larry Metler, who has moved to Klamath Falls.

Cub pack activities will resume with George Widney as Cub master, and Leo Spangler as assistant. Den mothers and pack activities will be resumed this week.

To raise funds for carrying on scouting and cub activities, Norris Kemp has donated the Pine Cone Theatre for the evening of January 21, when the scouts and committee will stage a movie.

A suitable picture is being purchased by Mr. Kemp for the occasion, and will be announced at a later date.

Scouting activities will commence the Monday following the Christmas holiday.

Thursday, Jan. 2, the committee, scoutmaster, and cub den mothers and leaders will meet with Mr. Seaton, regional director of scouting, who will be here to start off activities.

### Legion, Auxiliary Enjoy "Dutch Feed" Monday

A Christmas party was observed Monday night at the Grange hall by members of the Chetco Post, No. 138 American Legion and Auxiliary, with a dutch lunch and plenty of fun afterwards.

One feature of the evening was the gift exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Kerns left the latter part of the week for Klamath Falls where they plan to spend the holidays with relatives.

Tomorrow evening for the third game of the season, Brookings, hoping to break into the win column, will likely play its best game.

### Shortening Of Hwy 101 Aim Of Group In Coos County

### Association Circulates Petitions Through This Community

Petitions to the state highway commission for construction of a bridge over the Coquille river near Bandon and for the new hard-surfaced highway to connect the highway between Cape Arago and Bandon, are being widely circulated throughout southwest Oregon, especially in this area, when many citizens affixed their names to the documents. The new route will follow the general route of the Seven Devils road.

Recently a meeting was held at Bandon city hall with representatives present from North Bend, Empire, Charleston, Sunset Bay, Bandon and Gold Beach to discuss possibilities of the proposals.

North Bend was represented at this meeting by R. T. Mercer, president of the chamber of commerce, and J. C. Williams, secretary.

Resolutions from Chamber of Commerce offices of several towns located on Highway 101 were read at the meeting and will be presented along with the petitions.

The Oregon Coast Association will also be asked for co-operation on the project and to further publicize the Oregon coast highway, it was reported.

Association Is Formed A "Seven Devil's Road" association was formed with Dave Philpott, Bandon dairyman, as chairman and Lester E. Bundy, of Bullards, as secretary.

These men were in Brookings Wednesday obtaining signatures to petitions, which, they claim, will aid in generally shortening Highway 101, and eliminating so much of the hazards of the entire route.

From Bandon, northward, the highway can be shortened some dozen or more miles between the city limits of Bandon and North Bend, and at the same time putting the highway on higher land, away from flood possibilities and fog hazards present on the existing highway.

The highway, already, is constructed from North Bend to Cape Arago state park, and the remaining distance to be built under the proposed project would be only 12 miles.

### Local News Items

If one wants to see busy people, he need but go to either the Harbor or Brookings postoffices. It makes not too much difference whether it's "mail time" or not, for steady streams of patrons have swarmed these spots the last two or three weeks.

### Event Will Be Staged At 7:00 P. M. To Permit Families To Return Home To Any Events Already Planned.

For the first time since 1941, Brookings-Harbor area will observe Christmas with a community tree, and gifts for the children, at 7:00 p. m. next Tuesday. The event will be held in front of the Central building, where the Volunteer Firemen have erected a mammoth tree for the event.

Co-operating to make the event a success are every organization in the area, which have donated money for purchase of candy. The affair is directly under sponsorship of the Volunteer Firemen, Azalea Garden Club, and the Azalea Festival Association.

With Otto C. Turley directing, Christmas carols will be sung by the Baptist Community church choir, and the audience, followed by Santa Claus' appearance to give out candy to the children.

Set at 7:00 p. m. the event will be early enough to permit people to return home for any events already planned by the different families.

Christmas boxes placed at the various business houses, will be gathered up early next week, so all who wish to aid in the cause, may have done so.

Coos-Curry Electric Co-operative has strung the lights, and will furnish the current for the lighting of the tree. The Azalea Garden club and other women of the community are busily working at the task of sacking the candy and nuts to be given out.

The Volunteer firemen of the area are proud of the resumption of this annual event, stopped during the war years, and were grateful for the assistance given by the various organizations of the community, especially the Azalea Garden Club and Azalea Festival Association.

### Azalea Garden Club Will Go Caroling, Tuesday Eve

Following the Christmas Eve festivities in front of the Central Building, next Tuesday, Christmas Eve, a group of Azalea Garden Club members, calling themselves the "Carolers", will go out to sing carols about the area.

Anyone interested in aiding in the fun, are invited to assemble at the Christmas tree at 9 p. m. when and where the singing will commence.

### Wedding Social Event For Christmas Day

A social event of Christmas day is the wedding of Mary Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Zenier, to Valdemer A. Mendenhall Jr.

Following the wedding trip, the couple will make their home in the duplex, across the street from the McVay residence in Brookings.

Mr. Mendenhall is one of the proprietors of the Ed & Mendy Chevron Station.

Curzon MacKenzie was called to Chicago Monday by the serious illness of his mother.

### \$118 Raised At Legion Benefit Dance, Saturday

### Huge Crowd Swarms Grange Hall In First Benefit Dance Given

At the first benefit dance toward purchasing an ambulance for this area, the Chetco Post, No. 138, Saturday night turned over \$118 toward the fund, when the Grange hall was jammed to the limit with people who saw the merits of the movement.

### Legion Washes To Thank All

In a statement to the Pilot, on Tuesday, Earl Templar, commander of the post, told the Pilot he wished to thank the public, and all those who donated toward the fund. He thanked the Pilot for the publicity given the affair.

The Auxiliary, with Mrs. Haggerty as president, also wished to thank the public for its support.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Harris have returned from their trip to Redding, Calif.