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## Sam Hall Reviewed Evolution of Rights From 'Centuries'

The battle for human rights is not new—it has been going on for centuries, Samuel A. Hall told the Rotarians Tuesday while reviewing the progress of rights of the individual. In prefacing his remarks he read three "Quotable Quotes" from Readers Digest, to put the Rotarians in the proper frame of mind in thinking out a solution of the rights of the individuals.

*honor, and it was refreshing to note their actions, especially the "bossing" about by the children who were hosts at the affair. The couple meekly obeyed, and the friends smiled, for the affair seemed to have them awed. The pile of presents which covered a large table gave them quite a thrill. The Altar society gave an electric blanket. The family joined in giving a hundred dollars, and the remainder of the presents were things for the home.*

Over the world it is a small percentage of couple who ever are blessed with privilege of observing their golden wedding. To be possible, usually, a couple must wed early in life to achieve this distinction. Further to achieve this goal, a couple must live in harmony, and must enjoy reasonable success.

*As in the case of Mr. and Mrs. Guerrettaz, the family life must play an important part. Children must respect their parents in the same degree after their marriages as before. Such was evidenced at the affair Sunday evening.*

Brookings area has attracted literally hundreds of people in the past two weeks while record salmon catches were first reported. A school of silversides, to be headed toward the Columbia river for the fall run, came near by and local sportsmen took full advantage of their presence.

*Cedar Lane Cannery and Parkers Anchorage both claim that this is the success which gives this area its greatest publicity. Frankly I am inclined to believe as they do about the matter. People like nothing better than to go fishing and to catch fish. Such has been the good fortune of almost everyone brave enough to go out to sea the past couple of weeks.*

There never will be any way to get an accurate check on the number caught. Parkers have but two boats to take out parties, and those using small boats don't often report to anyone. Cedar Lane Cannery reports only those fish the fishermen want canned—and the number has been high.

*The Pilot has not heard of any person returning empty-handed—there have always been quite a few fish on each trip out. It may be added, however, that some had "better luck" than others, but the degree of luck may not amount to any great number of fish.*

In mentioning Senator McCarthy of Wisconsin, whose vitriolic words on the floor of the senate shocked the nation and world, he went back some five centuries in English history to bring up the reason for the right of a legislator to even utter libelous remarks on the floor.

"A legislator has the right, on the floor of a house, to say almost anything, despite its resulting consequences, so long as these remarks are made in the proper spirit of debate on the legislation before the house.

whose laws were the pattern of our very one, slowly the kings' "Down through English history, power to stop any utterance became weaker and weaker. Imagine in our own country, if our presidents could, many of them might have the entire congress in jail for their disagreements and remarks.

"What to do about our foreign policy? One must remember that if we slow down, oftentimes a person bumps us in the rear. If we go forward—how far can we go? We cannot be content, for any such person who becomes contented is often a failure."

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By DEWEY

It is with genuine regret last Friday, to receive a letter from Orville Gensmer, of Gold Beach, telling that he was that day departing from Gold Beach. Death of his mother, and the fact that his father needed him at Portland, were given as reasons for leaving. Orville was well known about Brookings since he was manager of Title Guarantee and Abstract Co., and recently-elected president of Gold Beach Rotary Club.

for his town, county and club. He gave generously of his time to make things better for people in the county. I became acquainted with him about four years ago, and certainly it hurts to think we will not have Orville among us any more. My wishes for his future need not be mentioned for certainly he has them.

"Was pleased to have been invited, Sunday, to the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Cal Guerrettaz. I believe I have known this couple almost 40 years for he was the Rural Mail Carrier on Rt. 1, Tekoa, Wash., at the time I finished grade school, until after I had finished high school. Don't know just how long he remained carrier after I had left my home town.

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