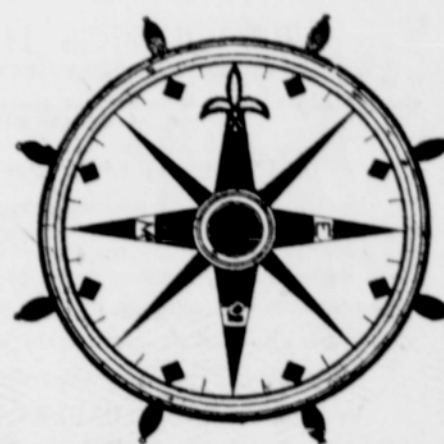


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Thursday, May 21, 1953

All Year Events Plans Working Azalea Festival

The All-Year Events Association has the Azalea Festival well planned and under control. Committees and heads have spent hours at work to make this one of the finest festivals Brookings has staged. All eyes are on the weather man and he does not wish to commit himself at this time—stating the dates are too far ahead to make any definite promises.

We are indebted to Mrs. Martha Grayshel for explanations of the workings of the festival.

Advance planning, the purpose for which the All Year Event Association was formed, is showing gratifying results this year. The committee chairman and officers have been meeting one night each week, usually at the Chetco Inn, since the first week in March, and George Funk, president, expressed his pleasure at the smooth functioning of the various committees who are working out the many details of this annual project. The community this year is very fortunate to have Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knox as vice-president and secretary-treasurer of the All Year Events, and both of them have contributed not only a great deal of time and effort but also refreshing enthusiasm.

The financing of any community affair is a major problem and this year this phase of the festival will be handled with the sale of badges at \$1.00 each. Jack Homes and Warren Smith are at the head of the finance committee. The assistants of the high school students has been solicited to distribute the badges and Mary Lou Berger will have charge of a group of girls who

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New Veneer Corp. To Improve Plant

Robert K. Molloy, Roseburg, will be local manager of the new corporation that will operate the Hedberg lumber plant in Harbor.

The new company will be known as the Chetco Veneer Corporation. Considerable work in the line of rearrangement and improvement will be made before the plant will be ready to operate.

Hiway Commission Opens Road Jobs

The largest project opened by the state highway commission in Portland Monday was for 2.1 miles of grading and 5.01 miles of paving on the Bush Creek-Frankport unit of Rocky Point-Gold Beach section of the Oregon Coast highway, 10 miles south of Port Orford in Curry county.

Accepted low bid was by Peter Kiewit Sons company of Longview, Wash., with \$984,239.

Advertising Pays Proof Is Given

It pays to advertise. Ask Wayne Bolvi a week before last he put a page advertisement in The Pilot on the new Richfield Bulk plant on Railroad street, next to the creamery. During his conversation he mentioned getting down to business on Friday. In the news article accompanying it the date was used and Wayne was bowled over by the rush of new business.

Now Wayne is yelling for help and says, "Please hold off a bit until we get some more building done and are ready to fill new orders."

The company of Foster and Bolvi will soon announce an opening date, after which they will be able to handle all new business.

Harris Park To Have Camping Facilities

A contract to construct and install facilities for over-night camping at Harris State Park has been awarded to LeRoy Weideman for \$27,462.

A road will be put in and city water and electricity piped to the area. Luther Tisdale, Mr. Dotson, and a crew of three from the Humboldt State Park, here three days, have brushed out the camping plot and for the electric lines.

This was begun the first of the month.

The site will be on the high point above the public parking space.

There are approximately 150 acres in the park, and comprise some of the finest coast scenery on the Pacific.

A charge will be made for the use of these facilities. There will be stoves and restrooms, as well as electricity and water for the convenience of the public.

Visitors may use the camping site for a period of one week.

'Rock' Display At Flower Show

The Mt. Emily Gem and Mineral club will meet Thursday, May 21 (tonight) at the VFW hall to make plans for the display at the Flower Show on May 30 and 31 at the school. One room has been set aside for their use and many people, old and young, will enjoy this interesting and educational hobby. The exhibits include some very valuable collections and individual pieces.

Newcomers to the area are invited to contact Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young or Mr. and Mrs. Tom Yokum relative to this show if they are not able to attend this evening meeting.

Some fine field trips are planned for families this summer.

Lions Auxiliary Charter Night Banquet Saturday

Brookings-Harbor Lions Auxiliary celebrated the presentation and acceptance of its charter Saturday evening with a banquet at the Chetco Inn.

Mrs. Clarence Humble, state first vice president, Klamath Falls, installed the officers and presented the charter which was accepted by Boots Shipley, president of the local organization.

Lion Herschel Chaney, master of ceremonies, introduced Robert Dimmick, mayor of Brookings, who welcomed the Lions Auxiliary and was answered by Mrs. Floyd E. White, vice-president of the auxiliary.

Pins to members were presented by Mrs. Humble. Herschel Chaney was "let in" for some kidding when he was asked to accept the pin for his bride of the month, Jessica, and was given a gift.

Musical entertainment was given by Viola Mosier and Violet Shuey.

Dancing at Don's Cliff House concluded the evening's entertainment.

27 SENIORS WILL BE GRADUATED: MARSHALL DANA SPEAKER AT H. S.

Brookings-Harbor high school Commencement exercises will be held at the high school auditorium Thursday, May 28, 1953, at 8 o'clock.

Marshall N. Dana, assistant to the President of the United States

Brookings Harbor High School Commencement Exercises will be held at the school auditorium Thursday, May 28, 1953, at 8 o'clock. Marshall N. Dana, assistant to the president of the United States National Bank, Portland, will deliver the address of the evening. Graduates number 27, compared with one girl and 16 boys in May, 1952.

Baccalaureate services will be held Sunday, May 24, at the Adventist Church.

PROFESSIONAL..... Mrs. Stanley Patterson
INVOCATION..... Dr. Charles Durden
Pastor, Community Baptist Church

SALUTATORIAN: Welcome..... Leslie Pullen
QUARTET..... Phillip Johnson, Lavaughn Salmon, Elaine La Clair
Dana Baird; Schell Bennett, accompanist

VALEDICTORIAN: Inner Contentment..... Carol Kay Johnson
COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS..... Marshall N. Dana
Assistant to the President United States National Bank

PRESENTATION OF CLASS..... Lynn O. Hampton
Superintendent-Principal

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS..... Virgil Goldsberry
Member Board of Directors

RECESSIONAL..... Mrs. Stanley Patterson

CLASS OF 1953

Carla Lee Whillick.
Elmer Lavaughn Salmon
Mary Elaine LaClair
Marjorie Eugene Freeman
Elizabeth Josephine Walter
Patsy Carolyn Hyland
Mary Lou Berger
Richard Joseph Scherer
Daniel Morris Jagers
Dennis Richard Fadling
Leslie Clarence Pullen
Raymond Eugene Murry
Orvan Dale Munson

Howard Neil Ritchey
Phillip LeRoy Johnson
Roscoe Alfred Ritchey, Jr
Janet Christina Stephenson
Bruce Gregor Yelton
Schell Bennett
Bonnie Irene Savage
Carol Kay Johnson
Geneva Lavonne Smith
Kathryn Dana Baird
Kenneth Joel McDonald
Kenneth Lawrence Morgan
Robert Thomas Curtis

Azalea Court Guests At Races

The Azalea Festival Queen and her court have been invited to attend the car races at the fair grounds at Gold Beach, Sunday, May 24 to be held between 1:00 and 5:30 p.m. under the sponsorship of the Del Cur Timing Association headed by Pat Smith and B. L. Holtzendorf.

Sunday has been designated as Brookings' Day and the Azalea Festival Queen will preside as "Trophy Queen." Tentative plans have been arranged for transportation to be provided by Ed Demsey with Jack Holmes as driver.

Adoption Of Daylight Saving Recommended

At a meeting of directors of the Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday night, it was voted to recommend that all businesses in the Brookings area voluntarily adopt daylight saving time.

It is felt that the confusion resulting from the different times at present used by this area and that across the California line would be alleviated by this change.

Veterans Attend District Meeting

About fifteen veterans and their ladies attended the district meeting of the VFW, held at Grants Pass last Sunday. There were about 250 served at the potluck dinner, all of whom attended the group meetings held afterward.

The Brookings post and Auxiliary came in for especial recognition because of their activities and J. G. Koehler, past commander of the local post, was elected for a line officer's job in the district.

The attractive shirts worn by the local bowling team came in for much favorable comment, especially for their attached badge showing them district champions.

Oiling Streets To Start As Weather Permits

Brookings is to have streets oiled as soon as weather conditions permit. Thirteen miles of street oiling is the goal of the city council, stated O. D. Arp, city inspector.

The streets to be oiled will be those that are most heavily traveled.

The wet weather has cut short all operations as the streets were practically ready for oiling before the heavy rain Monday, when 2.60 inches of precipitation was reported falling from 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

The streets must be dry before oiling can be done.

"After the first application of the oil mixture the streets can be held under control," said Mr. Arp.

Senior Honored After Graduation

A party following Commencement exercises on Thursday evening, May 28th, honoring the senior class of 1953 will be given by the high school Sunday-school class of the Baptist Community church in the church parlor.

It promises to be a "Peck of fun". The cooperation of parents and interested adults is earnestly desired.

Clean-Up Project Will Continue

Weather conditions have delayed the Clean-up campaign planned for this week. Work will be continued next week so that all will be in readiness May 30 and 31 for the Azalea Festival.

The city main street was scrapped at an early hour the first of the week awakening light sleepers with quarters on or near Chetco Ave.

Work will be continued by local owners as soon as weather permits. Bonfires were in evidence Sunday, telltales of workers. One thing is for certain—burning is quite safe during wet weather.