

Walking Blood Bank Growing

Six hundred people had been typed for the walking blood bank by Tuesday, and the list was still growing, although not so fast as it had been.

Dr. Ed Samuel, however, will still continue to keep his regular hours at the city hall as long as there are still people to be typed.

Hours are three to five Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, and six to 8:30 Wednesday evening.

The committee in charge of the blood bank have hopes that 2,000 people in this area will be checked and recorded before the program is finished.

One of the most important factors in the blood typing is one that has not previously been mentioned very often. That it is the revelation of the RH factor which might prove to be very important for prospective brides and grooms.

If persons with incompatible RH factors are wedded, there is sometime danger to the welfare of their children. This doesn't mean that they cannot have children, but it does mean that physicians attending the birth should be prepared to take steps in case such a situation occurs.

If the parents have been typed, as they are being at the blood bank, and if the RH factor is bad, then the physician can be prepared to take necessary action for the child's welfare.

The knowledge, then, that is gained at the blood bank concerning the RH factor of local people, may prevent a tragedy in the future.

Increase Noted In Veterans Loans

Applications for the Oregon veterans' 4 per cent home and farm loan amounted to 525 in August, highest month in the history of the program, Director H. C. Saalfeld of the state Department of Veterans' Affairs reported this week.

The August applications represented a 160 per cent increase over the average of about 200 a month received during the past year.

Greatest single reason for the upsurge, according to Saalfeld, was the new higher loan maximums approved by the 1953 legislature and made available to veterans starting July 21. The new act enables a veteran to borrow up to \$9000 to acquire a home or \$15,000 for a farm. Previously the maximum was \$6,000 on both homes and farms.

Despite the higher loan maximums, veterans still may not borrow an amount in excess of 75 per cent of the appraised value of the property. They are required under department regulations to have some equity in the property and to have good credit and employment records.

The loan is available to honorably discharged World War II and Korean veterans who either were Oregon residents when they entered active service, or lived in Oregon for two years or more following discharge. The World War II veteran applying on the basis of postwar residence must have spent his two years in Oregon prior to December 31, 1950.

The money is loaned direct to the veteran from the state veterans' department, at a rate of 4 per cent interest on the unpaid balance. Applications may be filed locally through county veterans' service officers, through the aid of real estate brokers, or by mail to the Department of Veterans' Affairs, State Library Building, Salem. Veterans in the Portland area may apply in person at the

Hawaii in Del Norte



SMITH RIVER—Mrs. Edwin Eagles of Pelican Bay, leadership chairman for Smith River area and leader for Smith River Intermediate Girl Scouts won second award for the beautiful Hawaiian Luau feast and stunt at the first annual play day for Del Norte Girl Scouts at Camp Lado Del Rio on Highway 199 near Darlingtonia. Assisting were Mrs. Robert Browne, Mrs. Constance Barton, Mrs. Frank Bettincourt and Miss Shirley Birquist. Mrs. William Owen of Smith River is the county chairman for Del Norte Girl Scouts. Camp Lado Del Rio, consisting of ten acres of valuable recreation land along the upper Smith river was presented to the Del Norte Girl Scouts by Mrs. Prudence Muncy in memory of her husband the late Mr. Muncy.—Maudie Luick Photo)

Negligence Factor In Forest Fire

A forest fire that no one took the trouble to report until two hours after it was seen was brought under control Saturday morning, after an all-night battle. The fire was on property owned by Dale Smith, southwest of Jack creek, and covered a 40-acre area before it was conquered.

Cause of the fire was not immediately known, although Fire Warden Jimmy Konkler is sure it was man-caused, possibly by illegal hunters in the area. The fire burned slashings and young timber although there was no commercial timber in the burned area.

The fire started, probably about 7 p.m. and two local people admit having seen it about nine, but didn't report it because they figured it had been reported. It was not until 11 p.m. that a report was made, and by then the fire was well under way.

Eleven men fought the fire Friday night, bringing it under control Saturday morning about eight. A number of times the men had lines built around it, but spot fires kept jumping the boundaries.

Warden Konkler pointed out that the fire could have been brought under control easily if the fire had been reported two hours earlier, when first sighted. Such negligence, he said, could possibly have caused loss of life as well as even greater property damage.

The warden asked that all persons report fires to the Brookings guard station or phone 2342, if there is the least possible doubt that a fire has been reported. Such a procedure, he pointed out, is the only way to make sure of getting the fires soon after they start.

CLOTHING FOR KOREA

Dr. Charles Durden of the Community Baptist Church is heading the Curry County drive for Clothing for Korea. Anyone who has clothing to donate to this worthy cause is asked to put it in cartons and bring it to the parsonage garage.

Garments do not have to be freshly cleaned unless they are badly soiled.

The drive will continue until World Wide Communion Day, October 4.

department's office in the new State Office building there.

Earl Templer, former owner of the Brookings hotel was a Thursday overnight guest there with his bride of a week.

Edward Carpenter of Gold Beach was honored on his birthday with a party which was attended by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Judson Bell of Carpenterville and a number of friends.

Henry Siker of Portland was a recent visitor at the Hanks home. He and Percy have been friends for many years, having lived as neighbors at Cortez, Colo., 50 years ago.

LIKE TO SING?

The Chetco Choral Club is still looking for new members. If you like to sing why not join them Monday evenings from 8 to 9:30 at the Baptist Community church?

Frederic C. Busch, assistant manager of the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, New York City, and Mrs. Busch, with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Busch, of Oswego, Ore., were guests of the Westward Motel Tuesday, Sept. 22. It was their first trip to the Oregon coast, and they were very much impressed with the beauty of the country around Brookings and the Oregon coast.

BROOKINGS PRESBYTERIAN
REV. HUGH BRONSON, Minister
V.F.W. Hall
Sunday Service
Church worship service, 11 a.m.
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.

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SIMPSON-CHAPMAN

Charlotte Simpson, Brookings, and Curtis Chapman, Jr., Harbor, were united in marriage September 19 at the Presbyterian parsonage. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Don Vaughn, and only members of the immediate families were present.

Following the ceremony, the couple left for a brief trip to the Bay area. They will be at home September 26 at the Hendricks apartments.

McGINNISSES VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGinnis will spend the weekend in Monterey.

GEMS OF THOUGHT OPPORTUNITY

Take all the swift advantage of the hours.—Shakespeare.

We own no past, no future, we possess only now. If the reliable now is carelessly lost in speaking or in acting, it comes not back again.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Great opportunities come to all, but many do not know they have met them. The only preparation to take advantage of them, is simple fidelity to what each day brings.—A. E. Dunning.

Opportunity is rare, and a wise man will never let it go by him.—Bayard Taylor.

The secret of success in life, is for a man to be ready for his opportunity when it comes.—Disraeli.

There is a tide in the affairs of men, which, taken at the flood, leads on to fortune.—Shakespeare.

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