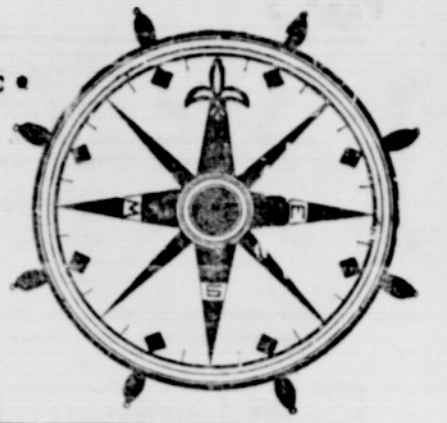


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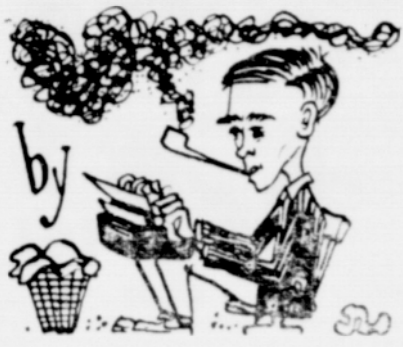
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## pipe dreams



by joe murphy

It's been an eventful week. Things have been happening so fast that it's hard to keep up. We spent Friday, Saturday and Sunday in Portland, or in the process of going to Portland to buy a new automatic press. The press arrived Wednesday, and then to try and get George to lift it off the truck, boy.

It is quite a little press. Automatic—in fact we plan on turning it on, and then go out for a little fishing, coming back just in time to turn it off. Very nice.

I wonder when Bill Thompson is coming back to Brookings. He's all moved into his new home—so you can come back now Bill.

There was a rumor that Flossie Buchanan was going to put up a sign in front of her diner saying Free Parking across the street.

That new bank building is really something. That open house is one I wouldn't miss for anything. Besides, I understand that they are going to give away free samples.

I didn't hear how Fox Brothers and Wilbanks Market made out in their "championship" match the other night, at the... I suspect that they both lost, otherwise certainly one of the team members would have been over here proclaiming their superiority.

This paper, incidently is the biggest sized paper we have ever put together. In it are 14 pages, which is two more than the previous record—providing, of course, that we get it out. It is in fact, more than double the size of some of the papers that we have printed in Brookings. Which naturally, means double the press runs, and double the troubles.

We would like to nominate Mayor Roy Brimm as the busiest man in Brookings. He has a meeting of some type just about every night, with the possible exception of Sunday. Now, we see that he made the jury list, and spends his days travelling to that fair city in order to hear the Highway cases up before the circuit court. He also has a business to run.

## ALBERT L. HALL

### SERVICES HELD

Funeral services were held in Richmond, California at 10:30 Monday morning for Albert L. Hall of Harbor, who passed away in that city the previous Thursday.

The services were under the auspices of the Alpha Masonic Lodge of Richmond of which he had been a long time member.

There were over fifty beautiful floral pieces and sprays attesting to the high esteem the Hall family is held in that area.

Mr. Hall was also a Past Commander of the Knights of Templar. He is survived by his wife, Violet, a son Eldon L. Hall and a daughter, Mrs. Violet Bassler both of Richmond; a sister, Mrs. James Smith of Harbor and two grand children, besides numerous nieces and nephews.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall came to Harbor about three years ago and were the proprietors of the Hall Cabins above the Harbor Store. They have been in Richmond for the past several months where Mr. Hall was under medical treatment. He underwent a major operation on April 21st and was apparently recovering nicely when he had to have another emergency operation last Thursday which was too much for his tired body.

His many friends in Harbor will miss him.

# U.S. NATIONAL BANK SET TO HOLD OPEN HOUSE

## WRESTLING SHOW HERE TUESDAY

Tuesday night the grapplers will be in Brookings—both male and female in a four match event. The brawl will take place in the new high school gym on May 10, at 8:30 p.m. It is sponsored by the Brookings-Harbor VFW post, with proceeds to go into the high school athletic fund.

When the first bell rings it will be Louise Taylor vs. Tiny Kim in a preliminary bout. A special event, Jerry Hunter vs. Jeanne Wilson will follow, with a girls Tag team match next. The main event will pit the Gerry Yogi Hussar against Johnnie Dobbs.

Advance tickets can be purchased in a number of Brookings business places.

## TRY TO PUT 101 ON U. S. SYSTEM

A copy of the telegram, sent to U. S. Senator Wayne Morse, Richard Neuberger, and congressmen Ellsworth Norblad, and Charles Grayshel, president of the Oregon Chamber of Commerce, Tuesday, was sent by the Oregon Coast Association.

The wire requests the support of the Oregon Congress delegation in securing the inclusion of Oregon U.S. 101 in the Interstate highway system program, now before Congress.

The wire states that the Oregon Coast highway traverses the seven coastal counties and is vital in any defense of our Western shores. Bottle necks at both ends of this 300 mile highway, carries across the Columbia River at Astoria, and time consuming Gold Beach-Brookings area represent too large expenditure for state highway commission for many years. Federal aid is therefore necessary if coast line is to be defended.

Traffic on this water level year around Highway between Washington and California states show continuous and big increase in commercial and pleasure vehicles each year.

The Redwood Empire Association is also trying to put 101 in the Federal system.

## Logging Operators To Have Meeting In Gold Beach

Logging operators in this area will have a chance to discuss the new forest laws approved by the current session of the state legislature, as well as the plans and administration policies of the state forestry department in matters concerning protection during a meeting May 12 in Gold Beach, one of 11 scheduled throughout the state.

A number of important changes in the forest protection code which apply to the logger have been made. This includes pumping equipment, and water supply in active operations, tool boxes and their contents, fire extinguishers, truck equipment, watchman service, and the liability of the owner or operator in case of fire starting within his operating area.

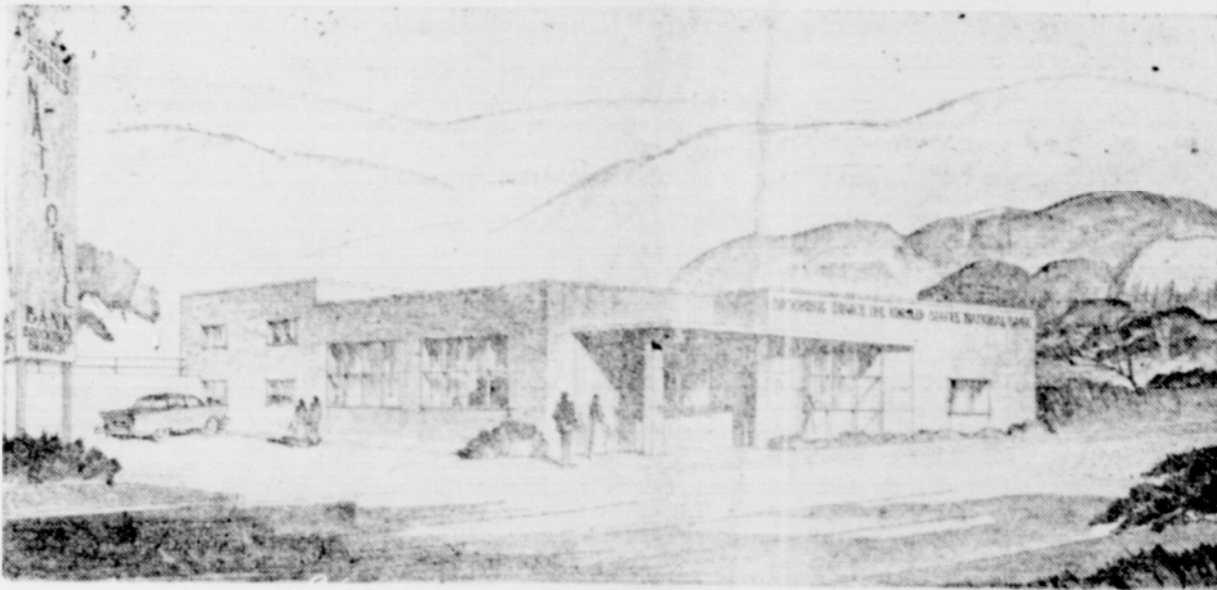
The state has had the best record for years in the past two years. In 1953-54 fire records indicate less than 4,000 acres burned during the two-year period.

## JOANNE SMITH IS QUEEN



JoAnne Smith, right, was named Azalea Festival Queen and Sherrill McClain was named Princess Royal. The selection was announced at the well attended Barbershop Cavalcade of Harmony last Saturday night.

## The New ...and the Old



## WHO WILL BE HYPNOTIZED BY MAGICIAN HERE

Who will be the girl to be hypnotized in Brookings on May 17? Tomorrow will be, according to the "Amazing Mr. Marvel" magician who will be here for one performance on that date.

Mr. Marvel said that for a publicity stunt, to attract attention to his show, he will hypnotize a girl, probably a high school girl in the window of Phillip's Dad and Led Clothing Store in the afternoon before the show.

Mr. Marvel will put on a complete show in the evening, beginning at 8:15 p.m. in the new high school gym. It will consist of two acts, both modern and oriental magic.

The show is being sponsored by the Brookings Rotary Club in cooperation with the All-Year Events Association. All proceeds will go to that group.

The magician is well known in Northern and Southern California, and has appeared on TV radio and the stage. He recently returned from an oriental tour in Japan.

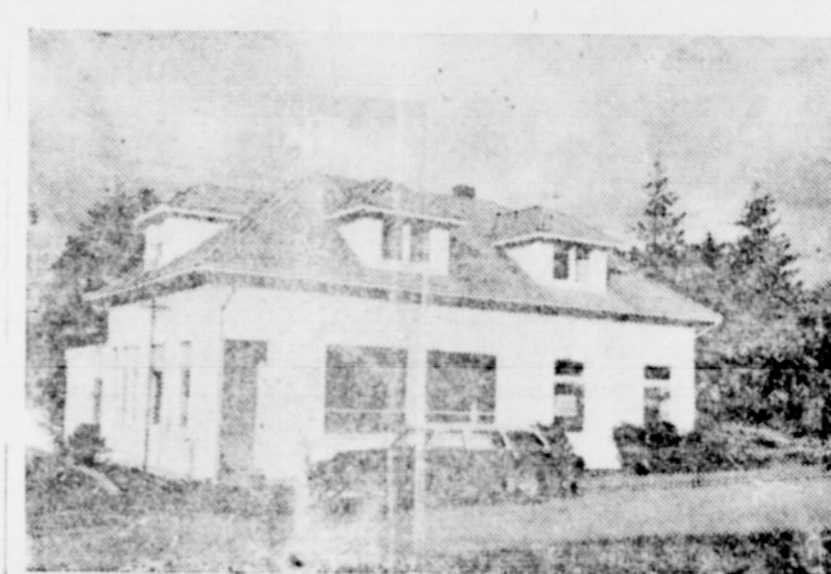
## NEW OPERATOR FOR CLIFF HOUSE

Gordy Williams, of Gold Beach, has taken over the management of the Cliff House in Brookings. Williams plans to reopen the night club on Saturday, May 7. It has been closed since Sunday.

Ed Watson was the former operator. He will remain here for a while until things get squared away. Williams said that he will keep the same personnel on, and plans to have plenty of entertainment. This Saturday he will have live entertainment in the person of Red Hill and his Hollywood Trio.

Williams is married, and has a six year old daughter. His family will be moving here from Gold Beach soon. They have lived in Gold Beach about six years.

He is optimistic about the future of the Cliff House, and is planning some changes in the building.



## Name Ed Seeger To School Post

Ed Seeger was named county superintendent of schools, despite a delegation from Brookings, who advocated Lynn Hampton for the position. The appointment was made Wednesday, at a meeting of the county court.

Robert Ismert, county official from Pistol River, abstained from voting on the appointment of Seeger because he favored Hampton for the post.

Seeger is the principal of the grade school in Gold Beach. Voting for him were county commissioner Tex Breedlove, and Judge Guy Forsyth. His appointment will run until the next general election, when the vacancy will be up for a vote.

## LAKE EARL FOOLIES SET FOR SATURDAY

The second annual "Lake Earl Foolies" a vaudeville and home talent show, sponsored by the Lake Earl Grange will be held Saturday evening, May 7th at the Grange Hall in Fort Dick, California. There will be entertainment for the old and young.

Curtain time is 8 p.m. daylight savings time.

## POLIO SHOTS HERE MONDAY

Polio shots, using the Salk vaccine, will be given Brookings children starting Monday morning at 10 a.m. at the high school.

The inoculations will be given by Dr. Paul Roninger. The shots are given only to those children whose parents request the shots.

A letter from the state health officer has disclosed that 73,000 children in the state will be scheduled to begin receiving shots of the vaccine Monday.

Harold M. Erickson, M.D., the state health officer, strongly urges those who are eligible to take the shots and made note of the fact that over 1,000,000 children have been inoculated with Paro-Taxis, of the type they are to use in Oregon, and to date no cases of polio have been reported in these children.

The peak immunity from polio is not reached until at least two weeks after the second injection of Salk vaccine. It was also emphasized that only 60 to 80 percent of the children will be protected by the vaccine.

## VOELKER RESIGNS COUNTY POST

Clifford H. Voelker, Curry County Superintendent of Schools for the past three years, has resigned effective July 15 to accept an intership in educational administration at Stanford University.

Voelker will also work for a doctor of education degree in administration while at Stanford.

He was elected for a four-year term at the last election to the Curry County post.

## CITIZENS GROUP MEETS TO DISCUSS CITY PROBLEMS

23 persons were present at the first meeting of the "Citizens Committee", Mayor Brimm's suggestion that officers be elected. The group was formed on Monday, May 2, at the home of Mrs. Fox. Secretary, Russell Jenkins.

Upon being seated the Chairman presented the agenda and discussion of the functions of this committee.

Mayor Brimm, Councilman Jim Patton and the State Sanitary engineer, T. M. Gerow, Jr. discussed at length on the subject.

Archibald Herdrieck presented an outline of the next budget to be presented to the City Council. It was decided by the committee to hold meetings every Wednesday at 8 p.m. until the emergency has passed; a period of six weeks was set, as time is of the essence in the matter before this committee.

M. Word, representing the firm concerned with the proposed housing development in the Hoagland Tract (Woodland Park), gave his company's views on the matters under discussion.

After general talk about the problems facing the City Administration, the meeting was adjourned at 10:55 p.m.

## DEMAND HIGH FOR NEW HOMES

The Leonard Real Estate Agency, agents for the Woodland Park Addition, in which the Beressa Co. intends to build 50 homes, said that there is a rapid rate of demand for the three bedroom homes for Veterans, and added that it is anticipated that all of these homes will be sold within the next two weeks or sooner.

As yet, no one should remember the Agency said, that the privilege of purchasing a home on a G.I. loan for World War II veterans will expire in the next two years.

At present there is no down payment on these homes, and occupancy is expected by September. It will take about 30 days for the processing of a Veterans loan for qualification.

Two men from the Beressa firm attended the meeting of the Brookings-Harbor Planning Commission Tuesday night, and discussed two plans for sewer development on their subdivision. They have to get several things worked out, and the commission plans to make no recommendation to the council at this time.

Also the commission recommended the acceptance, with modifications, of the Kerr subdivision on Ransom and 5th St.

## CHANCE OF 92 HOMES TO BE BUILT IN BROOKINGS IN 1955

Building in Brookings is still hitting along at a merry pace. According to Ralph Reed, city work superintendent, a total of 92 homes are being contemplated in Brookings.

However, permits has been taken out on 19 new homes since the first of the year, plus a goodly number of remodeling and other improvements. Two new business building permits have also been issued, one for Gordon Coats and the other for Hewitt's Anchorage.

Other houses being planned include 50 by Beressa, and 23 by the Horton Bros. So far building permits have totalled \$211,644 since January 1st, Reed said.

The Brookings branch of the U. S. National Bank will open for business Tuesday, May 10, in its new branch building on the Pacific Coast highway just one block east of the old location.

Open house will continue from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday, E. L. Morton, branch manager, announced. Opening day festivities will include organ music, corsages for the ladies, favors for the children and refreshments.

An exhibit of paintings by Bud "Barek" will be a special feature of the opening week. The display will also include work of some of his students and will feature many local scenes.

"We hope that the people of Brookings and adjoining communities will visit our new building and let us show them the many new services we have added. Morton said. "We're proud of our

Branch Manager



E. L. MORTON

new quarters and believe that we will have the most up-to-date banking facilities in this section."

U. S. National is opening its new branch building on the third anniversary of the establishment of the Oregon State Bank, Morton pointed out, and little more than a year after that bank joined the U. S. National family.

Modern in every detail, the new branch building will provide fast efficient banking service. The spacious, well-lighted lobby is paneled in redwood from floor to ceiling. Green tile has been used as floor covering with mineral acoustical tile on the ceiling. Counters and check desks are of formica with white metal edge strips.

Late-hour windows in the entrance area will be open from 3:00 to 5:30 p.m. weekdays and from noon to 3:00 p.m. Saturdays. A carefree parking lot adjoining the branch building will provide free parking for customers while banking at U. S. National.

Officers section and customer conference rooms are located on the main floor. A new safe deposit vault has been installed containing 500 safe deposit boxes. 50-seat booths for use by safe deposit customers are also provided.

Toilets and lunch rooms for employees are located on the mezzanine. Additional store rooms are also on the mezzanine.

Exterior of the building is brick veneer on concrete walls, with granite used in the main entrance. Doors and window frames are aluminum with redwood sash and trim.

Irving G. Smith was architect on the building project and James S. Hickey, Inc. was general contractor.