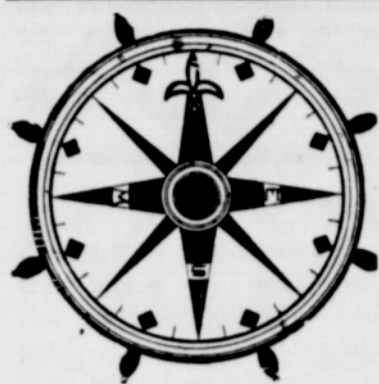


PRIMARY ELECTION FRIDAY ---- POLLS OPEN AT 8 a. m.

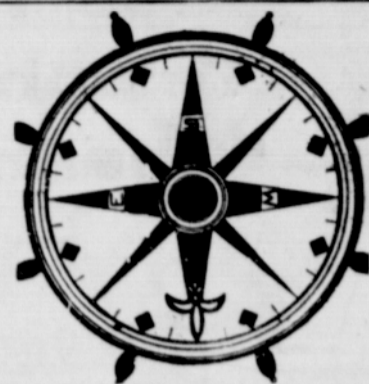


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★ Pipe Dreams



By JOE MURPHY

What a funny spring, everyone says. All the rumors about new industry and the like have stopped earlier than usual. Guess maybe the election took the people's mind off the rumors.

There is something about the election law in this state that just doesn't set right with me. According to ORS 260.350, "No person shall, at any place on the day of any election, ask, solicit or in any manner try to induce or persuade any voter to such election date to vote for or refrain from voting for any candidate . . ." And then, another law allows the candidates to write a gang of messy slogans on the ballots yet—trying to persuade or induce people to vote for them.

Personally I have never seen slogans on the ballot before, and old Joe has been around. I just don't follow the thinking of the lawmakers. Slogans such as "Peace, Progress, Prosperity", and "For Eisenhower and Progress", dot the ballots.

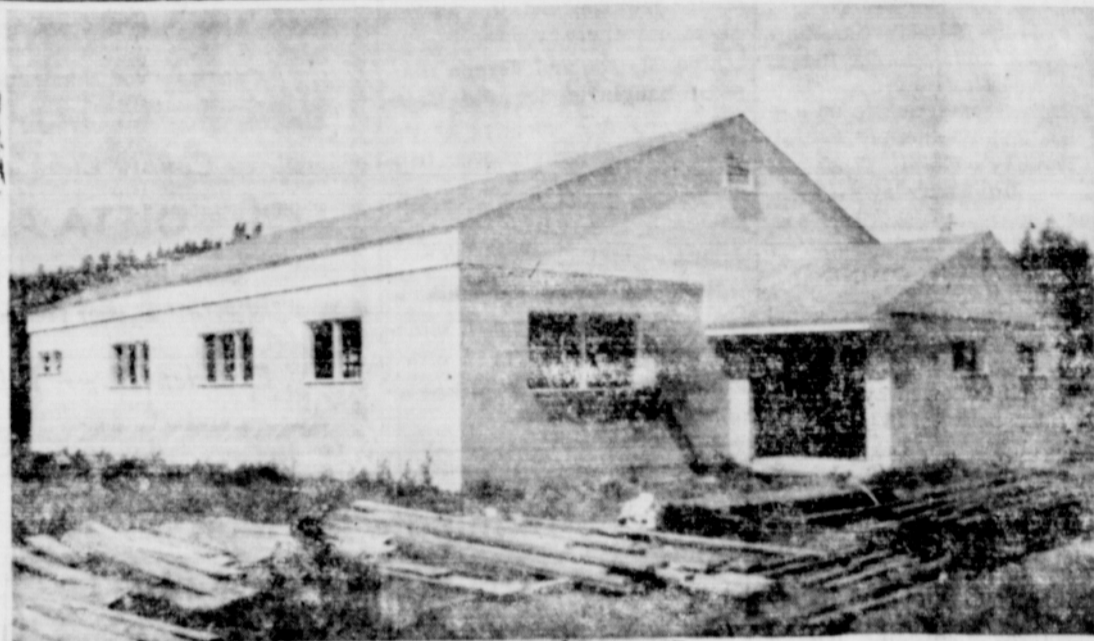
The current heat wave has contributed a great deal to the informality of dress in Brookings. There were approximately 40 men, businessmen and professional people at Rotary Tuesday. Only six of them—a college president, a banker, two lawyers and a couple of guests had genuine suits on. A half dozen more had sport coats on but the rest were strictly informal. Casual dress is the word for this community.

EXPLORER SCOUT FIREMEN

A beach fire which had been burning in the drift at Harris Beach State Park, was extinguished by the Explorer Scouts. Apparently left by some thoughtless persons, the blaze had spread to an area about 200 feet across during the three or four days it was smouldering. Beach fires come under the jurisdiction of the law enforcement authorities.



SAM HALL, Brookings attorney, and district attorney of Curry County is running for Republican nomination for legislature, and also National Convention Delegate.



SHOWN ABOVE IS WHAT IS TO BE the meeting place for all Brookings-Harbor Scouts. Currently the building is known as the "Scout Building," but when it is completed it will carry the official name of King Memorial Building. This name was voted in at a Chetco Scout Building Committee meeting. To get this building ready for use of the Scouts including the Girl Scouts it will take around \$3,000. All those interested in contributing are urged to do so now. The building was started six years ago. All checks can be sent to Virgil Clark, Ray Reeser or Mike Page, or call 3532 and your check will be picked up.

Start Work On Leonard Building Here

Construction has been started on a new \$18,000 reinforced concrete building between the Pilot office and Yeltons, owned and to be occupied by The Leonard Real Estate office. Designed by Robert Keeney, who also designed the Brookings-Harbor high school, the structure will consist of a basement and one story with provision made for going up another later, if needed.

Many new features will be incorporated in the building; separate departments for the real estate, insurance and loan office, and also a dark room where motion or colored pictures may be shown clients of the various listings.

Contractors for the building are Blaine Gribble and Don Horton and it is hoped to be ready for occupancy in sixty days.

clean up TIME

It's clean-up time! A clean-up paint-up, fix-up campaign will get underway this next week, when Brookings-Harbor Chamber of Commerce kick-off their first annual drive to make the area even more attractive to tourists than it is.

The Chamber of Commerce and the City of Brookings have joined hands in the promotion. Businessmen have sponsored a full page advertisement in this week's Pilot urging the public to do their part in fixing up the city, before the tourist season, and before the Azalea Festival. The actual date set for the campaign is from May 21-31, 10 days, but one particular day will be set by the committee in charge for an all out "War on Dirt" next week end. The city has promised a truck and councilman Clive Manley is engineering the city council's part in the program.

The public in burning trash, fixing up their homes, painting and the like can do their part in the crusade.

BOY SCOUT DRIVE UNDERWAY

NEW COUNTY TRUCK

A six-wheel International truck has been ordered through Tony Christensen's local agency, with delivery expected in about a month. The truck is earmarked for use on the county roads around Brookings.

Sale of Kirby Store Reported

Announcement of the purchase of Kirby's Market was made this week by Tex Kimberlin, Crescent City, and Roy Collins, Klamath Falls. The two men are now running the store, located on Chetco Ave.

The store's name will be changed from Kirby's to the C and K Market. Kimberlin formerly worked at the Courtesy Market in Crescent. He is married, and he and his wife, Eugenia have two boys, 11 months and 2 years old. Collins and his wife, Ruth, have a small daughter.

Some major changes in the store are planned, and currently a re-stocking program is underway. The Kirby's will stay in Brookings. He will continue to work his plywood share.

The Annual Independent Boy Scout Fund Drive is underway according to Ben Phettaplace, chairman of the drive. At a meeting Wednesday night the team captains and lieutenants were given instructions in regards to their part in the campaign.

It was further announced that the traditional kickoff breakfast for all canvassers will be held in two shifts on Tuesday, May 29. One early, early bird breakfast will be held at Phettaplace Dairy Cream restaurant.

Paul Fauerso, Oregon Trail Council finance chairman is the overall chairman for the Curry District.

Another short organizational meeting for team officers will be held at the city hall next Wednesday, at 7 p.m.

LOUIS SIDLE FALLS

Louis Sidle, old time carpenter, is reported to have had a pretty bad fall Wednesday morning and was taken to Crescent City hospital for a thorough examination of his pultrine plates, rafters, etc.

Where To Vote

You must vote in the precinct in which you live. No ballot can be given any voter before signing poll book verifying residence within that precinct. Polls open at 8 a.m., May 18, and close on 8 p.m.

CHETCO PRECINCT

If you live between the ocean, the Chetco River, the State Line and the Josephine county line, VOTE at the Grange hall.

BROOKINGS PRECINCT NO. 1

If you live between the Chetco river, the ocean, highway 101, and Harris Beach Park in the city of Brookings, vote at the Brookings Odd Fellows Hall.

BROOKINGS PRECINCT NO. 2

If you live between the Chetco River, highway 101 and the Northeastly city limits, vote at the VFW hall.

FERELLO PRECINCT

If you live outside the city of Brookings and between the Ocean, Chetco River, and a line extending east and west at Stanley Colegrove's North Boundary to Josephine County line, vote at the South Coast Lumber Co.

Interest is high in local vote races

Council to Go Ahead on Bonds

After a rather stormy session Tuesday night the Brookings city council went on record as reaffirming their stand on the proposed buying of the sewer for the city. The group has ordered the city attorney to make the necessary arrangements for advertising of bids on the purchase of the \$50,000 bond issue needed by the city.

The first attempt to sell these bids earlier this month went without a bidder.

Mayor Brimm and councilman Jim Yelton met with Estes Morton manager of the U. S. National Bank to study the reasons for the fact that there were no bids turned in. Reasons reported were: 1. The seven day lapse of time between the closing of the bids, and the time the council would open the bid. 2. The mentioning in the first advertisement that the bonds would have to be sold at par value. 3. The five year recall on the bonds should be ten years to make it more attractive to bond players. 4. The fact that the city has not made it clear as to the procedure it would take on the purchase of the existing sewer. 5. The lack of a brochure of the city. 6. The high debt rate of the school district.

Other bond buying groups contacted on this matter gave similar reasons.

Councilman Yelton, along with Tom McKenzie reported to the work done on the brochure to be used in this second attempt to sell the bonds. The brochure, entitled "Condition of the City" deals with the proposed plans of the city in regards to the sewer districts and their revenue plus other tax resources and other industrial and farming conditions.

Assuming the above mentioned "errors" in setting up the last attempt to sell the bonds are corrected the city believes they should have little trouble finding buyers.

Naturally, the discussion following centered on the procedure to be followed in regards to the \$50,000. The money will not be held in escrow as previously planned, but rather will be deposited in the regular city treasury until action by the council frees it to the rightful sewer owner. If no owned claims the money after the legal number of days the city will have to take condemnation steps in securing the system. These proceedings were outlined in brief by the city attorney to the council.

The council also discussed the Wranglers Option, with city attorney Ed Ackley objecting to the vested right to use for ten years, because it deprives the city of the free use of the site. Councilmen agreed to have Ackley and Fell Campbell re-negotiate.

Discussion on the fire hydrants at the Plywood plant were also made. The city felt they weren't liable for past bills, but they did feel that they should take the hydrants over now, and a check was to be made.

Sale of Garage Is Announced

The sale of the Brookings Garage, Body and Paint Shop operated by Claude Goldizen and George "Wally" Darling to John "Tiny" Drake and Gerald Hahn, was closed this week. Drake and Hahn also took a lease with an option to purchase, on the building owned by Goldizen and Darling.

The Brookings Machine Shop, owned and operated by Tony Christensen and Jesse Hoagland who have lease d space in the building for the past eight years will formulate future plans within the next sixty days.

Tiny Drake is a former Navy SeaBee, and served in the Marshall Islands. The family came here from Coos Bay. He has been employed by Menning Buick for the past year. He and his wife Martha have one son, David Martin, who is with the Navy and stationed on Guam. Martha is employed by the Union Oil Co. and will assist Tiny in the office.

Eugene Hahn is an Army veteran having served with the 165th Infantry in the South Pacific and Philippines. He and his wife, Venita and sons, Gerald Michael and Eugene came from Mt. Vernon, Illinois where he was foreman for the Chrysler-Plymouth dealership for eight years. He has also been employed by Menning Buick for the past nine months.

Both men and Mrs. Drake are ardent beerers.

Beginning May 20th they will be ready to serve the community with the best in service.

After the sale of their home on Pioneer Road, Mr. and Mrs. Goldizen will go to a drier climate farther south, hoping it will benefit Claude's health.

Mr. and Mrs. Darling will remain at their home on Pioneer road.

CAMPAIGN TO START

Campaigning for student body officers will begin on Thursday, May 18. Speeches will be given at a student body meeting and the candidates will be allowed to put up posters for a week. Election will be held on May 24.

Tomorrow (Friday, May 18) is the date a good many candidates have been sweating out. It is the Oregon Primary election. Polls will open at 8 a.m. and close at 8 p.m. Balloting places are listed elsewhere on this page.

The biggest interest locally is the Republican nomination for county commissioner, where Bob Ismert, present commissioner from Pistol River, is being opposed by Roy Brimm, Brookings mayor.

Another hot race has developed between Sam Hall, Brookings attorney and Curry County D. A. and Minnie King, who are both running for nomination for representative from the 17th district in the state legislature.

Dave Shaw, Gold Beach attorney and Charles Porter are dueling it out for the Democratic nomination for congress, while the Republican candidate, Harris Ellsworth is unopposed. In the seventh senatorial race, Rod McKenzie, from Sixes in Curry county is opposed by James Beddingfield, Jr. of Coos Bay.

Voters will have a chance to write in a candidate's name for president too.

Name Festival Court Winners

The Azalea Court Selection Committee has announced the following girls as the winners: Ann Baldwin, Melody Brimm, Sylvia Gates, Barbara Hedberg, Kay Nichols and Marlene Olson. Who is to be queen will be a secret until the evening of the Festival Ball.

Ground Leve'd For Drive-In

Work started this week end on the Drive-In theatre, which is to be built just north of Brookings. A dozer man, Mr. Hagan, has been leveling a hill just beyond South Coast mill, where the proposed theatre is to go.

Two Coos Bay men, Raymond Pope and Dave Irvin, were out in the theatre. They are both originally from the Midwest. The theatre, according to earlier announced plans was to have a 300 car capacity, and wide screen and cinemascope.

LIONS PLAN RACES



MAYOR ROY BRIMM, right, buying a ticket from Al Phillips, Lions President. The new race time was set so that it wouldn't conflict with another date in California which has attracted most of the drivers. The Evinrude Motor shown will be given away by the Lions at the race.

Clean up campaign to begin May 21