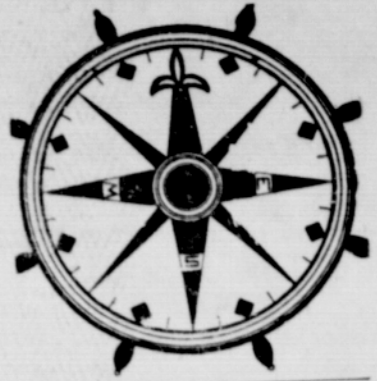


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CUB SCOUTS HAVE DINNER last week at VFW Hall. Several hundred Moms and Pops and their scouters joined in a feed and award night for the Cub Scouts. Vern Hanscam was in charge.

Brookings Youth Killed In Highway 101 Accident

A tragic accident on highway 101 north of Brookings snuffed out the life of a popular young high school student last Friday afternoon. The boy, Harrison Hale, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hale died following the accident in which the GMC 1953 pickup truck he was driving failed to negotiate a curve and slammed directly into a truck parked off the side of the road. A passenger, Dale Crump, 16, received only a knee cap injury.

1000 feet to flag traffic down to enable the equipment to pull out on the highway when he heard the pick-up coming. Witnesses reported that the curve wasn't hardy made at all by the pick-up, and it piled straight ahead into the truck tractor near the cab. The front end of the pick-up hit the truck almost square, and State Police reported that apparently the pick-up was traveling at a high rate of speed. Witnesses said that both boys got out of the pick-up unassisted. Hale took four or five faltering steps and pitched forward on his face. The men gave him first aid, and called Dr. Brown. The accident happened at about 4:45 p.m. The boys were on the way to Warren McNeely's place to pick up hay to be used in a school Twirp dance.

difficulty in breathing. He gave him oxygen, and he and Labine administered artificial respiration for 45 minutes. Hale's condition improved and they put him on a stretcher, and put him in the station wagon to drive him to the hospital. Hale regained consciousness and spoke a few words. By this time his mother and father had arrived. However, Dr. Brown said that abdominal hemorrhaging started, and he again took a turn for the worse. They took him out of the station wagon to administer more artificial respiration but his condition became worse and he died. Dr. Brown said that the boy had no broken ribs, and no chest injury, and also reported that his heart was O.K. Hale, a senior in school, was on the Varsity basketball team, in the chorus, and was a popular student. They have lived in Brookings for about six years, since the Brookings Plywood came into existence.

According to the state police who investigated the accident, here is what happened. A Fox Bros. Truck tractor, and Bert DeMoss's Lowboy were parked 18 feet off the highway in a wide parking area, about two miles south of Cape Ferrello road. The equipment was being rented by Merton Mansur, and the men had just loaded a cat on the truck, but hadn't started the engine as yet. Robert Henderson, Brookings, had just walked about

Dr. Brown, attending physician, said that Hale died of internal abdominal injuries. He said that when he arrived Hale was having

Brookings Area to Get Another Attorney Soon

John B. Ebinger, attorney, of Kamath Falls, will open for business in Brookings on April 1. He will conduct a general law practice in the Robinson building next to the City Hall.

Ebinger has a great deal of property in Brookings, although he has lived in Klamath Falls since 1937. He plans making the move to Brookings because the high altitude in Klamath Falls adverse-

ly affects his wife's health. He is a former member of the Board of Governors of the Oregon State Bar. Prior to 1937 he was with the First National Bank of Portland, as a special trust representative for all branches in the state. Ebinger is leasing an apartment from Grootendorst. The Fauerso-Lesmeister Real Estate firm handled the arrangements.

Brookings, County Goes Over Top

Curry County has gone "Over-the-Top" in their drive for funds for the Heart Association having collected \$1,311.05. C Ed Dempsey, Heart Chairman reported Tuesday. It is expected that many of the mailing envelopes left by the callers on Heart Sunday will be turned in as payrolls are made in the area.

The Brookings-Harbor area, including residences to Pistol River, collected \$872.94 in their Sunday calling and envelopes mailed in to date. In spite of the driving rains workers called at more than 1087 homes on Heart Sunday in this area alone.

Port Orford, with Mrs. Dolores Phillips captain of 21 workers, has turned in \$178.95 to Arnold Peabody, County Treasurer.

Mrs. L. C. Grimes, Heart Chairman for Gold Beach, has reported \$259.16 collected there. It is expected that some additional coverage of that area will be made this week.

There still is time for you to contribute to this worthwhile work by mailing your dimes and dollars to "HEART", care of your local Post Master, Mr. Dempsey said.

Cafe, Lounge Sale Announced

The purchase of the Chetco Cafe, and the B and J Lounge was announced this week by Tony Felipe, and Bob Defenbaugh, both local men, from Mr. and Mrs. Jim Robinson.

The Robinsons have operated the place of business for 12 years after buying it from Chad Chadwick in 1945.

The Robinsons still own the Robinson building, which is next door to the Cafe. They plan on remaining in Brookings.

Felipe lives in Harbor, while Defenbaugh moved to Smith River several years ago from Los Angeles, Calif.

They plan to name the establishment "Tony and Bob's Green Door". They have been closed for several days, since Monday, for renovating work, and will open either Thursday or Friday. The liquor permit has been transferred over to their name.

Valuable Gift

Probably few libraries in the country have on their shelves as complete a set of reference volumes on Roses as we have here.

Through the thoughtfulness of Mrs. Paul DeBlock, there are now available to the public the bound yearbooks of the American Rose Society for the past twenty years. While the illustrated works deal, primarily with roses, there is also considerable very valuable data on the growth of woody plants, in general pruning, the use of fertilizers, plant diseases and pests, and of special value the experiences of growers throughout the world, in handling plants under varied climatic conditions.

The collection is a fitting memorial to Mr. DeBlock and through it, he will long be remembered.

Spring Vacation Begins Friday

Parents—if your youngsters don't want to go to school next Monday, don't worry. Spring vacation is upon us. The annual vacation will begin on Friday, March 8th, and school won't begin until Monday morning March 18.

Many of the teachers, all of the administrative staff will attend the annual Oregon Educational Association convention. A fine panel of speakers have been planned, including Gov. Robert Holmes, John Fiebay, and others. The convention will bring out 8,000 to 10,000 teachers from Oregon.

FIVE GENERATIONS PICTURES TAKEN ON 93rd BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Peorge Anderson celebrated her 93rd birthday Monday by having her picture taken with her daughter, her granddaughter, her great granddaughter, and her great great granddaughter. The group was made up of Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Viola Hanscam, Mrs. Thelma Pettigrew, Mrs. Joan Crockett and little two months old Debra Crockett.

Mrs. Anderson, lived all of her life in the Illinois and Rogue River valleys before coming to the coast about ten years ago. She, with her family, lived for many years west of Salem on the Illinois River at what is now known as the old Anderson ranch. Besides Mrs. Viola Hanscam, two of her sons, Fred and Archie Anderson live in this area, and her other two daughters, Mrs. Fred Relling and Mrs. Tom Young live in Grants Pass and Lakeview, respectively.

Trial Docket Set

TRIAL DOCKET ANNOUNCED.

The trial docket for the Curry county circuit court was announced this week. The cases will be tried in the following order, beginning April 22 at 10 a.m. in the Curry County court house in Gold Beach.

John Ratzburg vs. State Ind. Acc. Comm.; Dorothy L. Dunagen vs. Ernest A. Cline; W. E. Herman vs. George Kalina; E. B. Lyman vs. George Kalina; Eugene Roehm vs. George Kalina; Earl Sargeant vs. George Kalina; Ruth Ferguson vs. J. C. Leith et al;

M. D. Davis vs. John E. Newcomb; Lawrence T. Coombes vs. Roy Chapman; Donald L. Johnson vs. J. H. Counts et al; Thomas M. McKenzie vs. Beresa, Inc. Second week: State Highway Comm. vs. L. E. Goudy et al; State Highway Comm. vs. L. E. Goudy et al; Highway Comm. vs.

L. E. Goudy et al; Dorothy Pedro vs. Joe Pinson; Florence Pedro vs. Joe Pinson; Yetta A. Owens vs. John Johnson et al; Lloyd M. Rice comp. Comm. vs. George Haines; Jr. vs. Bert Rice; State Unem. Arthur E. Sherman Jr. vs. Elmer Bankus et al; Arthur E. Sherman Jr. vs. Oscar E. Weber et ux; James L. Turner vs. H. W. Crook; Western Merc Agency vs. Clarence Byrd Jr.

Week of Monday, May 6: Fran-nie P. Hult vs. John B. Ebinger; Sara L. Biddle vs. Donald P. Sims; Ethel Anderson et vir vs. Crissey vs. Lee English et al; David A. DeHaven et ux; Wm. L. Doris Hansen et al vs. Robert M. Morrill et al. Betty Gardner vs. Raleigh Gardner; Olin Edward Moore vs. Artie May Moore; Raymond Murry vs. Elaine Murry; W. L. Crissey vs. Lee English.

Rainfall Total Pushes Upward

A lot of rain has come down during the past two weeks in Brookings. After a beautiful, practically semi-arid winter the rains started. Twice this week, and several times last week Brookings has been among the "wettest spots" in the nation.

Last week a total of 6.18 inches fell. This week there has been 3.10 inches, with more falling.

The weather:

	Max.	Min.	Prc.
February 27	64	47	.01
February 28	60	48	
March 1	52	46	tr.
March 2	52	41	.12
March 3	52	41	1.60
March 4	52	48	.96
March 5	52	49	.41

REPORT VANDALISM

Vandalism of the Terrace Drive-In theatre was reported this week. State Police were notified and are conducting an investigation. It was reported that glass had been broken in the refreshment building, and candy and other merchandise taken.

Bruins Win 13 Games out of 22 Played

Despite a slow finish, due partly to injuries, the Brookings Bruins under Coach Cal Pace had a good season. They finished with 13 wins and nine losses in 22 games. It was coach Pace's first season in Brookings.

The Brooks high point of the year came during the middle of the schedule, when they had compiled a string of five straight, and four straight, winning nine out of their first 11 games, losing only to Eureka in the opener, and Del Norte in their second meeting.

Then Eagle Point, rated sixth in the state at the time dumped

the Brooks, and Brookings came right back to decision the Eagles 35-29.

However things got a little more difficult, and with ace scorer Marv Bullock out of the line-up the Bruins managed only three wins in the last nine games to bring their season record down.

One of the best features about the squad is their age. Three of the five starters, including the entire front line will be back next year. Also several other players saw enough action during the year to insure Coach Pace of plenty of help next season. A good Junior Varsity squad will also add to next seasons team materially.

Coach Pace will lose three good men in Jerry Anderson, Stan Gribble and Ron Lane, all of whom were good ball handlers and better than average shots.

The seasons record:

Brookings 37	Eureka 56
Brookings 35	De Norte 334
Brookings 43	Rogue River 28
Brookings 42	Glendale 34
Brookings 48	Rogue River 28
Brookings 61	Gold Beach 35
Brookings 44	Del Norte 40
Brookings 31	Glendale 38
Brookings 48	Gold Beach 44
Brookings 53	Port Orford 48
Brookings 45	Phoenix 39
Brookings 47	Eagle Point 58
Brookings 35	Eagle Point 29
Brookings 44	IV 46
Brookings 53	Phoenix 55
Brookings 47	Arcata 36
Brookings 46	Eagle Point 50
Brookings 41	Eagle Point 50
Brookings 40	IV 41
Brookings 52	IV 49
Brookings 39	Eagle Point 45
Brookings 56	Glendale 50

Announce Polio Shots For Brookings Area

The polio vaccination schedule for the month of March has been announced by the county health department. For this area Dr. David Brown will give shots on March 21, at the Brookings Grage school at 9:30 a.m. On March 29, Dr. Leschin will give immunization shots at 1 p.m., also at the Brookings grade school.

German People To Live Here

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schmid, and granddaughter, Miss Eva Siegler of Stuttgart, Germany will soon join the O. J. Ellis family, who sponsored for them.

They will fly from Stuttgart on the German Lufthansa Airlines about March 14, and they hope to arrive at the Crescent City Airport on the 16th, where they shall receive a hearty welcome from Mrs. Marianne Ellis, and Mr. Orin Ellis, and Miss Bellita Rose.

The Schmid's hope to make their permanent residence here in Brookings, and perhaps engage in cabinet making. Mr. Schmid was in the furniture making business for many years prior to the war, and is very competent and efficient in making finished wood products.

He will be looking for opportunities to show his skill and workmanship. They shall reside at 302 Memory Lane.

Volunteer Fire Dept. Plans First Aid

The Brookings Volunteer Fire Dept. is sponsoring a first aid class. This class will be taught through the cooperation of the Oregon State Industrial Accident Commission and their Accident Prevention Division field instructor.

The local Curry County Chapter of the American Red Cross is cooperating in every way possible.

This class will start at 7 p.m. March 14 at the Brookings Fire Hall. Anyone over 15 years old will be welcome, and a charge of 75c for the text book will be the only charge.

Elks Lodge Donates Playground Equipment

Playground equipment donated by the Elks Lodge is now up and installed. Four basketball goals set up outside by workement, and are keeping 60 or 70 youngsters busy all the time—rain or shine.

SCHOOL BOARD TO MEET

There will be a school board meeting on Thursday night this week in the school administration office.

PIPE DREAMS . . .



By Joe Murphy

All it takes is a little bit of thinking at the morning coffee break and most every problem can be solved. For example, the other day a few of us came up with the final solution of the surplus plywood problem burdening the Northwest.

We reasoned this way. If we can find a liquid solution that will made plywood pliable and easy to bend we will install a big tank of this stuff at the end of the production line, and as the sheets come off we will simply dunk them in the tank. Then another crew will roll the soft plywood up in a tight roll like a newspaper. The plywood firms will have no trouble selling these rolls as telephone poles.

We've got a few bugs to iron out, but our panel of experts believe that we could even devise some artificial branches to stick on the end of the rolled plywood and we would be able to sell them to parks for trees. For example Arizona, and other treeless states would buy our product by the carload—and viola—our problem is licked.

I assume most of the plywood people are busily engaged in figuring how to solve the problems in the newspaper business.

We're glad to see our friend George Funk arrived back in town Monday. He was back east peddling bulbs, and ran into some health difficulties.