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250 PLYWOOD PEOPLE TAKE ANNUAL VACATION

The Brookings Plywood Corp. will shut down the plant for two weeks, beginning this weekend to give about 250 people their annual vacation.

Normally the shutdown comes over the July 4th period, but because orders were in, it was decided to wait until August before closing the mill down.

About 30 men will stay at the plant in maintenance, and in repair work which can't be done while the plant is in production.

The big Brookings plant will resume production on September 3.

The office will remain open, although it won't be fully staffed.

AZALEA GARDEN CLUB TOURS COMMUNITY GARDENS
Improvements made in the gardens of members of the Azalea Garden club were noted Thursday while on tour.

Because of weather conditions the luncheon was held at the Presbyterian Church with Mesdames Erma Rice, Cleo Rogers, and Martha Grayshel serving as hostesses.

Many guests were invited to participate in the afternoons events.

The garden of Mrs. Zelma Jensen, not yet finished, showed much improvement in the last year. The basic work requiring many hours of backbreaking, fingernail chipping work has been done—all of this by hand. Mrs. Jensen is to be congratulated on revealing what can be done by using the natural resources. A headgate and small pump have been installed in the creek so that water may be available for irrigation.

Rocks and native plants and shrubs have been used to stop erosion, and to beautify. A bridge connects the headgate, and cinder footpaths have been added.

Featuring a natural setting and those plantings that require shade and moisture are used at the Lillian and Roy Weideman home. Besides the native flowers and

RODEO IS BEING PLANNED FOR BROOKINGS SEPT. 1

A rodeo is being planned for Brookings by Fred Blunt and Warren McNeely on Sept. 1.

All the details for the rodeo aren't available as yet, but will be announced in succeeding issues of the Pilot.

The two men successfully put on the Curry County Rodeo last weekend.

May Blunt and Gladys Barkdahl served as "Jennie and the Mule" in the rodeo, and were very well received.

shrubs and trees the Weideman's have made an interesting approach by using New Zealand flax, Jack Pine, buddelia, and heather. Fushsias, hydrangeas, and begonias grow in profusion at the Weideman home and are artistically displayed. Six types of tritornia are at home in this garden.

Spacious and yet having hidden nooks for privacy and shade with the natural setting known only in southern Coastal Oregon, is the chief attraction of Mrs. Palm Stout's garden.

Dahlias for cut flowers is all that has been planted.

The Fred Anderson garden, in Harbor featured the blooming Century plant. This desert plant is supposed to bloom once in a hundred years, thus the name however, it does bloom after reaching maturity.

Announcement of a November meeting for making of corsages and wall plaques of dried material was made. This concluded an enjoyable and instructive afternoon.

The club Niche, entry for the fair was on display at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knox. It took second place, and a ten dollar bill for the club.

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EIGHT THOUSAND CAMP AT HARRIS BEACH PARK

Eight thousand people camped at Harris Beach State park during the month of July, reported Frank Stiles, park manager.

He reported 1820 camper nights, and 445 trailer homes in the park during the month.

The camp is growing each year both in demand and in size.

Many nights people have to be turned away, even after an addition of facilities this year.

Library Books Popular

A big increase in the number of library books taken out from the Brookings public library was reported for the year ending on June 30, 1957.

A total of 4004 Adult books, and 2854 Children books, and a grand total of 6854 volumes was reported.

This is an increase of 1369 books over the previous year, a very healthy increase.

There are 3,100 books on the shelves, and 698 registered borrowers.

A total of 836 books circulated in July, an increase of nearly 200 over June.

KESSLER LEAVE CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Kessler left Tuesday for Craig, Colorado, where they will join their son, Phillip, who has been working in that community since June. They took their trailer and plan to meet Mrs. Kessler's sister and family at Yellowstone Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Kessler and sons, Kay and Conner were former owners of Curry County Lumber Co. They expect to be gone for the school year.

The Kessler home has been leased to Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Pollard.

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