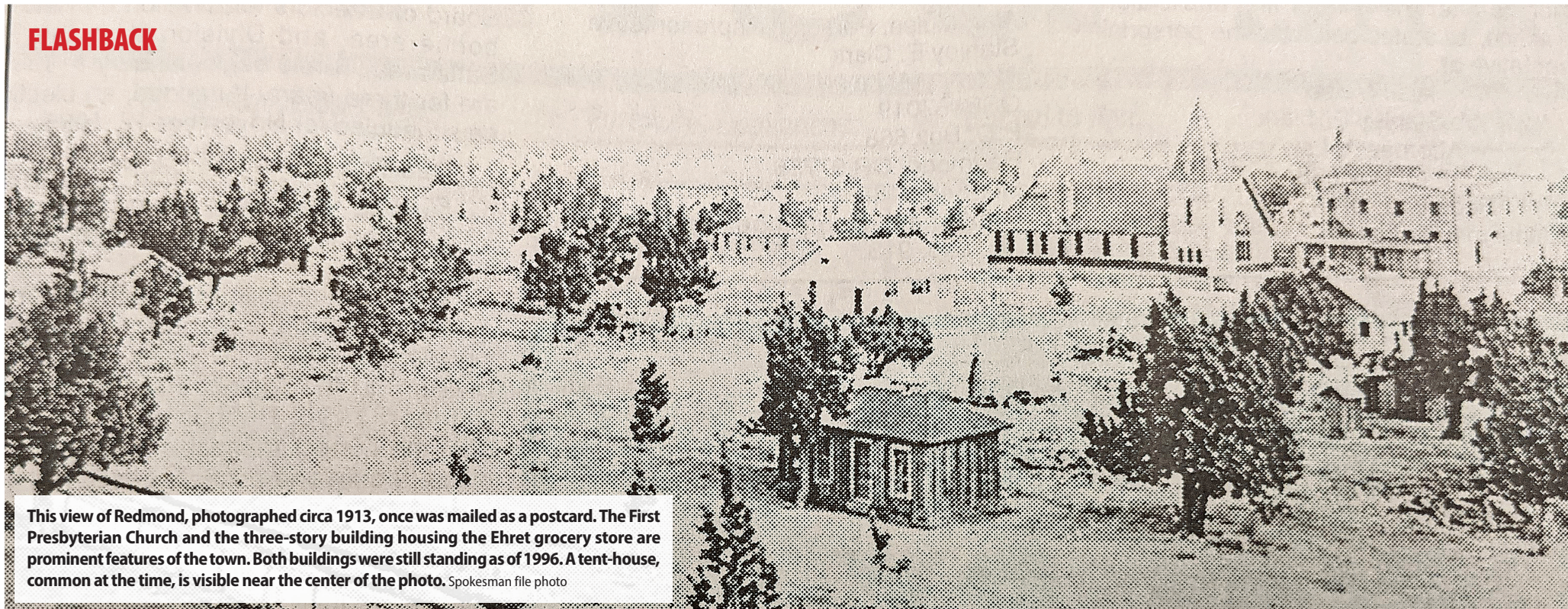


FLASHBACK



This view of Redmond, photographed circa 1913, once was mailed as a postcard. The First Presbyterian Church and the three-story building housing the Ehret grocery store are prominent features of the town. Both buildings were still standing as of 1996. A tent-house, common at the time, is visible near the center of the photo. Spokesman file photo

REDMOND IN 1996: POLICE WEBSITE OFFERS NEW POSSIBILITIES

100 years ago

Sept. 29, 1921 — Pumping plant contract let to Sweeney

Contract for the installation of a new city water pumping plant on the Deschutes River near Cline Falls was let Tuesday evening to Thomas Sweeney, president of the Inland Construction Co., of Portland. To provide money for the payment of Sweeney to install new pipe and make other repairs on the system, the council voted to sell a bond issue of \$42,000 to Clark, Kendall Co. of Portland.

In addition to installation of the 50 horsepower pump, Sweeney's contract calls for the replacement of the present pipe line between the river and the municipal reservoir at the top of Forked Horn Butte.

75 years ago

Oct. 3, 1946 — Roofless GIs focus gaze on six men

Eyes of roofless ex-GIs in Redmond are turning now to a six-man committee which has the job of selecting 24 of them from a list of over 70 ap-

plicants for renting apartments in the city's 24-unit Federal Public Housing Administration housing project.

The apartments should be ready for occupancy in early November. There will be four three-bedroom apartments, eight two-bedroom apartments and 12 one-bedroom apartments. The site is on city property at the west city limits on the McKenzie Highway.

50 years ago

Oct. 6, 1971 — Gals crash all-male United Fund contest

"You've come a long way, baby," is only a pre-game taunt for the progressive ladies of the Redmond Soroptimist Club, who last week picked up the United Fund ball, dropped by one men's service club, with the promise to go that extra mile.

The gals, in their first encounter in the previously all-male game of Redmond United Fund inter-club competition, are promising to give men in the four other organizations (Rotary, Kiwanis, Jaycees, Toastmasters) a run for their money — United Fund donations, that is.

25 years ago

Oct. 2, 1996 — Police web site a hit locally and abroad

The Redmond Police Department's homepage has gained quite a following. Since the Web site debuted July 10, more than 3,700 clicks have registered on the opening page's counter.

In seven days in the first half of September, the homepage's various sections received 1,668 hits, or visits. Over those same seven days, 114 new people clicked on some part of the homepage.

The media log is by far the most popular location in the homepage, getting more hits than any other part, and Thursdays have consistently been the busiest days.

The final programming bugs were worked out last week so the department can update the log without going to an outside programmer. The change means information will be updated in a more timely manner.

The stolen checks page, which inspired creation of the page in the first place, isn't as busy, said Cpl. Bruce

Ludwig. But some visitors do look at it. In about one month, the checks page had about 273 hits.

The stolen checks service is so new that businesses have not had concrete results.

"We don't know if its use has led to arrests or prevented any check fraud," Ludwig said. "Merchants haven't said."

He encourages businesses to take advantage of the stolen checks list to stop forgeries of stolen checks. The names and account numbers of stolen checks are entered soon after they're reported stolen.

One business that has gone on-line to take advantage of the stolen checks information is Erickson's Sentry.

"We're just getting started," said Larry Pankey, manager of Erickson's.

The store prints out a list of stolen checks once a week, comparing it to the previous week's report and adding new names to the list provided for checkers.

"It will be a great tool," Pankey said. "With the amount of stolen checks out there, if it saves us one \$300 check it (the internet access) will pay for itself."

The department has received e-mail from a number of people thanking it for the page, Ludwig said. There have also been requests to add a dictionary of police jargon and abbreviations to the Frequently Asked Questions section — something that's on Ludwig's to-do list.

And while most visitors to the site are local, a few are taking a peek from as far away as Germany, Canada, Japan, Brazil, Finland and Israel.

The Israel National Police sent e-mail inquiring if Redmond police use bicycles; they were thinking of starting bike patrols.

The department also heart form a man who wanted information on community watch programs because he was new to town and wanted to get involved, Ludwig said. It turned out he worked at Microsoft, in Washington state, and had the wrong Redmond. He was directed to the right department.

Now that the department can update its own daily log, work will begin on expanding the number of pages — missing persons, most wanted and crimestoppers, Ludwig said.

SUBMISSIONS

LETTERS AND COLUMNS

Join in on the topics we're covering. The Spokesman welcomes letters to the editor and guest columnists.

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Fax: 541-598-3150

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Calendar

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at Roundabout Books as well as live-streamed on YouTube; 6-7 p.m.; Roundabout Books, online; visitbend.com or 541-306-6564.

The Ballybogs: The Irish trad band will perform weekly; 6-8 p.m.; Free; Porter Brewing Co., 611 NE Jackpine Court, Suite 2, Redmond; facebook.com/porterbrewingco

FRIDAY 10/1

Coffee Clatter with Century 21 North Homes: The Redmond Chamber of Commerce will host a networking event with the local real estate agency and other members; 8:30-9:30 a.m.; Free; Century 21 North Homes, 2421 S. U.S. Highway 97, Redmond; visitredmondoregon.com

First Friday: Art will be on display at participating businesses as well as local musicians and makers playing music and showing off their creations; 4-7 p.m.; Free; Downtown Redmond, Fifth, Sixth and Seventh streets,

Redmond; visitredmondoregon.com

Erin Cole-Baker, One Mad Man: The local folk artist will perform followed by the one-man band; 4-10 p.m.; Free; High Desert Music Hall, 818 SW Forest Ave., Redmond; highdesertmusic hall.com

Live at the Vineyard — Juju Eyeball: The local Beatles tribute band will perform; 6-9 p.m.; \$25 adults, \$10 children 12 and under, advance tickets required; Faith, Hope and Charity Vineyards, 70450 NW Lower Valley Drive, Terrebonne or 541-350-5384.

Friends of the Children 2021 Fundraiser: The fundraiser will include a silent and live auction, raffle and a special program; 6:30-8 p.m.; free to register, \$50 raffle ticket, \$50-\$150 party package; Friends of the Children, online; friendscentraloregon.org

Robert Henry Band: The country band will perform; 6:30 p.m. \$10 plus fees; General Duffy's Waterhole, 404 SW Forest Ave., Redmond; eventbrite.com

SATURDAY 10/2

Bans Off Our Bodies — Redmond, Oregon Solidarity March: The local

march will coincide with marches around the country supporting reproductive rights; 10 a.m.-Noon; Free; Centennial Park, corner of SW Seventh Street and Evergreen Avenue, Redmond; facebook.com

LeftSlide: The local rock band will perform; 7 p.m.; \$10 plus fees; General Duffy's Waterhole, 404 SW Forest Ave., Redmond; eventbrite.com

High Desert Bass: Bass DJs Yama, Ecstasy of Eden, Bayk and more will play; 7:30-10 p.m.; \$5 at the door; High Desert Music Hall, 818 SW Forest Ave., Redmond; highdesertmusic hall.com

MONDAY 10/4

Redmond Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee Meeting: A regular meeting will be held; 4-6 p.m.; Free; Redmond City Hall, 411 SW Ninth St., Redmond; redmondoregon.gov or 541-923-7710.

Redmond Planning Commission Meeting: A regular meeting will be held; 6:30-8:30 p.m.; Free; Redmond City Hall, 411 SW Ninth St., Redmond; redmondoregon.gov or 541-923-7710.

TUESDAY 10/5

Go Clean Energy Free & Virtual Conference: The conference will discuss pathways to cost savings and innovation for individuals, businesses and the government with 30 experts offering guidance; Noon-5 p.m.; Free, registration required for each panel; 350 Deschutes, online; gocleanenergy.com or 206-498-5887.

Virtual Redmond City Council Workshop: 6-8 p.m.; City Hall, online; redmondoregon.gov or 541-923-7710.

SOLUTION
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8	6	9	7	5	2	3	4	1
2	5	7	1	3	4	8	6	9
1	3	4	6	9	8	5	2	7
9	4	5	2	8	3	1	7	6
3	1	2	9	7	6	4	8	5
7	8	6	5	4	1	9	3	2
6	9	3	8	1	7	2	5	4
5	7	8	4	2	9	6	1	3
4	2	1	3	6	5	7	9	8

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