

Observe Firm's Fifteenth Anniversary



Employees of the MacKenzie Motor company took time out this week to consider their years of association with a firm which has seen 15 years of existence in Hillsboro. Gathered in front of one of the company's 1940 model cars, those in the picture above are the concern's present office staff and repair shop crew. (Seated, left to right) George Mull, Lewis Schmidt, Roy Seldon, Floyd Rice, Tom Nielsen; (standing, left to right) Roy L. Barnett, H. L. MacKenzie, Katherine Hartman, Robert Beattie and Dallas Cook. Miss Hartman has been with the company since its start and Rice and Nielsen have been on the payroll for 14 years.

H. L. MacKenzie Motor Company Observes Fifteenth Anniversary Of Establishment in Hillsboro

Fifteenth anniversary of the establishment of the MacKenzie Motor company in Hillsboro was observed here this week by H. L. MacKenzie, proprietor and manager, and employees. The firm was organized here on January 20, 1925.

Including one employee who has been with the automobile firm since it started and two others who have a service record of 14 years with the firm, there are now nine persons on the MacKenzie payroll—a bookkeeper, two salesmen, a parts man and five mechanics in the back shop.

New Building Erected

When the company was first established by Mr. MacKenzie, the agency was located where the Farmers' Union warehouse is now. Prior to that time, the Otto Erickson & Co. was in the building. In August, 1925, a new building was constructed for the firm. These quarters are now occupied by Bush's Service Garage.

Exactly ten years later, in August, 1935, the MacKenzie Motor company leased the building in which they are now located.

"As near as I can estimate, this company has sold about 1430 new cars and about 2200 used cars during the 15-year period of its existence," MacKenzie said on the anniversary date.

Started in 1911
The general agency executive got his start in the automobile business in 1911 with Frank C. Riggs company, Packard agency in Portland, where he stayed until 1914. In this year, he took a job as chauffeur for the president of the Spokane, Portland & Seattle railroad, remaining with this work until 1917, when he joined the army and served in France.

After the war he went on the road for the Marshall-Wells company, selling auto accessories, and later took a position with the Tidewater Oil Sales corporation, which firm kept him employed until he organized his business in Hillsboro.

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School Opens After Closure

HAZELDALE—School opened Monday morning after a week's closure because of two cases of scarlet fever in the district.

Mrs. Claud Webber has been confined to her home with illness. Mrs. George Sanford returned home last week from Dayton, Wash., where she has been for several weeks looking after property interests.

Sunday school and young people's meeting will be held as usual next Sunday.

Mrs. W. P. Brooks has spring flowers in bloom in her yard. Snapdragons and violets are also in bloom at the home of Mrs. Bessie Bridgman.

Happy Hour club met last Thursday with Mrs. Al Jelders. Plans were made for an entertainment to be given Friday evening, March 8, at the basement of the school. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Tom Miller February 8.

Mr. and Mrs. John Imhah and children attended the golden wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. Imhah's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Imhah, January 21 at the Graven Grange hall near Cloverdale. Over 200 guests attended the program and reception, including five children and eighteen grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Walker entertained with a party at their home January 20, honoring the birthday anniversaries of Charles Shaper and Clarence Walker. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shaper, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bear and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Webber.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Walker received word Sunday of the death of Dan Ruten at Gates. Mrs. Dan Ruten spent several weeks at the Walker home in December while her husband was in a Portland hospital. Death came very suddenly as it was thought he had fully recovered from an operation.

Last Rites Today For Reedville Boy

Lloyd Donald Mullendore, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mullendore, Reedville, died at his home Tuesday of complications following an attack of influenza. Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. today (Thursday) in the Donelson and Sevel chapel. Rev. William Lindsay officiating, with interment in the Rose City cemetery at Portland.

He is survived by both parents, the sister, Dolores, and one brother, Merle, all of Reedville. Lloyd Mullendore was born in Portland, January 11, 1932, and had been a resident of Reedville for the past year.

Honor Roll Given

HELVETIA—Honor roll for Helvetia school is as follows: Dolores Bleuer, Jean Yungen, Robert Yungen, Harold McCuen, Hesso Inahara, Robert Rufer and Marjory Meier.

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\$7000 Service Station to Rise On Baseline

A \$7000 service station will rise soon on the old J. W. Masters property on the corner of First and Baseline streets. It was learned Wednesday from City Recorder Ed Bowman, who issued a city permit to the General Petroleum company for construction of the building.

To be of all-metal construction, the station will be erected on a 90x100-foot lot with concrete and asphalt surfacing covering an area 60x90 feet in size. Three pumps and storage tanks of 1,000, 550 and 550 gallons capacity will be installed. The Masters property was sold some time ago to O. Caslett, who in turn sold a piece of it to the oil company.

Including all other building and remodeling permits issued during the month, a total of \$19,940 in new construction and alterations were recorded on the city's books for the first month of the year.

Huber Garden Club Advances

ALOHA-HUBER—The Garden club held at Huber hall last Saturday evening was a success. More than 50 garden enthusiasts were present. Valuable cultural hints were given and great interest was shown in the grafting demonstration given by Dan Shaw, who is an expert in that line, having been an orchardist and farmer in this district for many years.

Robert Stewart, of the Men's Garden club of Portland, related some of the activities of that organization. Mrs. Robert Stewart told of the Women's Garden club of Beaverton, also of the great value to be derived from membership in such an organization. Both speakers gave valuable suggestions for future activity in the Huber Garden club.

Next meeting of the Huber Garden club will be held at the hall, Tuesday February 13, at 8 p. m. Everyone interested is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Turner, of Yakima, Wash., visitors two days last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Turner, A. E. and J. L. Turner are brothers.

Friday, January 26
West Coast Lumbermen's association holds reciprocal trade agreements big blow for lumber.

National labor board orders three northwest lumber companies to disestablish the Industrial Employees' Union and its affiliated locals as a bargaining agency for lumber camp workers.

Ex-Senator Gooding of Idaho appointed to succeed late Senator Borah.

Saturday, January 27
Beaten Soviet Russian army flies in disorder from Finland.

Winston Churchill, head of British admiralty, declares Germany weaker now than the Germany of 1914.

Vice-President Garner tells friends that opposition of John L. Lewis is "the best political asset I have."

Farm bill undergoes new cuts in congress.

Sunday, January 28
France and Britain give Rumanian government to understand that they may be forced to discontinue economic relations with Rumania unless there is a satisfactory solution of the oil conflict. Forced allied sale of oil to Germany led to clash.

Finnish close jaws of trap on Russian troops.

Monday, January 29
Russian war planes rain more than 1000 bombs on southern Finnish cities. Scores of civilians killed and wounded.

German planes attack 14 British merchant ships.

International Typographical union, one of the oldest labor organizations in the country, suffered complete suspension from A. F. of L. for a continual refusal to pay special assessments for organization purposes.

Tuesday, January 30
Adolph Hitler predicts ominously before a vast Sport Palace mass meeting that England and France alike will get "the fight" he said they had asked for, and voiced his utmost confidence that Germany would win the war.

President Roosevelt expresses hope that proceeds of the annual birthday celebration might be extended in future years "to the care of all crippled children."

House appropriations committee votes 31 per cent cut in agricultural department supply bill.

President Roosevelt proposes to congress that government build 50 hospitals in the impoverished communities throughout the country with an appropriation of \$7,500,000 to \$10,000,000.

Wednesday, January 31
Two days of German air raids on British shipping takes more than 50 lives, and ships bombed and machine-gunned still limping into port.

British Prime Minister Chamberlain assures U. S. and Japan that Britain is anxious to avoid friction or disturbance in her trade and other relations with them and other neutrals in the war against Germany.

Snow Interrupts Mountain Schools

CHEHALEM MOUNTAIN—Winter weather Thursday and Friday interrupted the schools here. There was no school at Mountain Top Friday because the teacher, Mrs. Muriel Thompson, who lives in Newberg could not get here. Mrs. Don Cochran, who teaches the Buck Heaven school and lives in Forest Grove, walked up the mountain both days and arrived Thursday after the pupils had given her up.

G. W. Doherty of Tacoma, Wash., are having five acres more of filberts set out on the nut farm here.

Bob Lyons was brought home January 24 from a Portland hospital where he had been for several weeks receiving treatment for a doctor's care for some time.

Mrs. Whitmore Hostess
Mrs. Clayton Whitmore will be hostess Saturday evening at her home when the Fir Grove ladies give their semi-monthly card party.

Saturday was a record breaking warm winter day here when the thermometer registered 53 degrees at one o'clock.

Miss Helen Peak of Newberg delivered the message at the Mountain Top church Sunday morning. George Meeker spoke at the evening services. Laura Murray led the C. E. Mrs. Ansel Tykeson will lead next Sunday. Mr. Backston of Portland will preside here before morning and evening next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Whitmore entertained with a dinner party Sunday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and family. All of Hillsboro; Arthur McCormick of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Whitmore and family. Covers were laid for 16.

Jesse Meyers, who has a coffee shop at Willamina, visited relatives in the Fir Grove district from January 23 until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Meeker and Mrs. Meeker's sister, Chuck of Portland visited at the Glenn Meeker home Sunday and Monday.

Eldon Haveman had the cast removed from his knee January 22. It had been on since he broke his knee cap December 6, when he slipped and fell.

Mrs. E. I. Haveman, who has been ill since before Christmas, was able to attend Sunday school at Mountain Top Sunday and perform her duties as superintendent.

West Union Local To Meet Tonight
West Union local of the Farmers Union will meet at the North Plains K. P. hall tonight (Thursday). Miss Kathleen McCracken, county demonstration agent, will be present to tell about her work.

Russell Loftis, Pete Jorgenson and E. F. Lemming, who attended the annual meeting of the Farmers Union commission company in Portland, will give a report. Loftis will also report on the State Farmers Union co-operative association, which he attended at Salem.

Something special is planned for the juniors who are urged to attend. Women are asked to bring lunch as usual.

The various sections of Beaverton high school activities presented a program at Beaverton high school Tuesday evening, January 23. The various sections taking part were the band, orchestra, glee club, gym class and drum corps. Gladys Berglund played the piano and Ronald Zahler violin in the orchestra. They are students from this community.

Peter Rahn has returned to Munson Hill after a trip to The Dalles.

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Club Sponsors Party Series

SCHOLLS—Scholls Junior Woman's club is giving a series of benefit bridge parties at the Odd Fellows hall at Scholls. Tuesday, February 6, will be the date of the first party. Other dates are February 20, March 5 and March 9. The young ladies on the entertainment committee for the Junior Woman's club are Grete Hesse, Thelma Ziegler, Doris Heaton and Peggy Haynes. Refreshments will be served afterwards.

Join the Navy

Curly and Bud Holcomb, who formerly lived at Midway and Scholls, have joined the navy and are now stationed in California.

Mrs. Heaton Honored

Mrs. Earl Shipley last week gave a dinner party in honor of her mother, Mrs. Audrey Heaton, on her birthday anniversary.

The Cliff Larkin family is sick with the flu this week.

There were 67 present at the potluck dinner last Friday night at the Methodist church.

Harold Mattoon of Beaverton, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bunnell, is very sick with mumps.

Has Scarlet Fever

Fred Aebischer is sick with scarlet fever at his home near Midway.

Dan Aebischer has been absent from high school for three weeks with poison oak and complications. He is a student at Hillsboro high school.

The Earl Shipleys are living on the farm of Mrs. Audrey Heaton.

Cecil Tripp of Oregon City was leader of the Epworth League Sunday at the Methodist church. There were 50 leaguers present.

Washington County Federation of churches met Tuesday night.

Tickets to the Father and Son banquet can be had at the Potter and Trask store at Scholls. This banquet will be given at the Scholls Methodist church on the night of February 16.

Mrs. Ferd Groner gave a "Galloping Dinner" Tuesday at her home Over 20 were present.

Mrs. W. B. Chandie sang a solo Sunday at the Methodist church. The junior choir under the direction of Mrs. Walter Jaquith sang a number of selections.

Mrs. Frank Fisher gave a dinner party last week. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Snyder and son Jesse, Rev. and Mrs. F. R. Sibley, Mr. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts and daughter Joan, Howard Piebinbrock and Ethel Newberry.

Attends Fraternity Banquet—J. W. Poynter attended a meeting and banquet of the Phi Delta Kappa fraternity, Saturday evening at Salem.

Mrs. Jack Connell returned Sunday from a visit with her mother, Mrs. John P. Hunt, in Woodburn. Mrs. Hunt accompanied her here and visited a couple days. Mrs. Connell was in Woodburn two weeks while Mr. Connell was in the east on a business trip for Ray-Maing Co.

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