

CONSTRUCTION IS ACTIVE IN C. C. C. CAMPS UP RIVER

The men from the 3-C camp at Oakridge have started work on the new road that is to extend up Salmon creek from Oakridge and have made good headway, according to C. C. Olsen, construction engineer in the Willamette national forest, who has returned from a trip to that section.

The men have completed the first mile of the road which is double width and which extends between the Willamette highway and the Flat Creek ranger station. It has been graded and is in excellent shape, Mr. Olsen said. Another crew is working on the same road at a point some distance up the creek and one is working on the Hills creek road above Kilton Springs.

A crew has practically completed the Heekletooth mountain trail, a bunk house at the Flat Creek ranger station has been completed and construction work has just begun on a house for the assistant ranger. Several of the men from this camp have been called out to fight fires during the past week but none of the fires has been bad, and all were quickly extinguished, Mr. Olsen said.

In the vicinity of the Rigdon camp a mile of road has been built along Summit lake on the road to Hills Peak and the Hills Peak bridge over the Willamette has been completed. Trails to Grass mountain and Bearbones mountain are well along and a 50-foot lookout tower on Grass mountain is about three-fourths completed, it was reported by the engineer.

Men are working on the betterment of the upper Willamette road in the way of widening and smoothing and fast time can be made over it by any vehicle.

PLAYS ARE PUT ON FOR WALTERVILLE

WALTERVILLE, Aug. 12—(Special)—The entertainment sponsored by the local Christian Endeavor and presented by the University players, a group of five young people, was a success in every way. The first number was a religious play in which the audience was carried back to the time of Christ and the scene along the shores of Galilee. Musical numbers followed and the rest of the evening was taken up with skits, comedy and fun. Two solos were sung. The door receipts were divided between the cast and the local Endeavor.

A pie and lemonade sale was held in the social room after the play and the proceeds went to the Endeavor treasury. A social time of visiting followed the play.

Eddie Lou Schultz of Gillespie Corners, who visited with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Scott, a week ago at Waltherville and returned to Bend with them, came home last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Schultz, who had gone to Bend after her. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Scott are planning another visit to their home in Waltherville soon.

E. E. Potter and C. L. Sylvester made a business trip to Eugene the latter part of the week.

Word has been received here by Mr. and Mrs. Greely Cabs of the marriage of Miss Mamie Cabs of Benton, Ark. to E. E. Brown of New York and they are now at Passaic, New Jersey. Mrs. Brown spent some time here last summer visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cabs, who live south of Waltherville, and made many friends while in Oregon. She returned home the first of August of last year.

The Workers' society met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lewman at Waltherville. Several of the membership were unable to be present because of the rush of the season's work.

Mr. and Mrs. George William and family of Upper Camp creek attended the play at the Waltherville church Friday evening. Several from Leaburg were also in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cooper and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lewman spent Saturday in the woods hazelnutting. Wild fruit and nuts are more scarce this year than had been for several years back. The cold weather of last winter seemed to freeze out the berry vines in places.

Grace Lutherans Plan Event Today

The Grace Lutheran church is to observe its annual mission festival in a picnic at the Cabin City auto park today.

There will be a first service at 11 o'clock, in which Walter Sylvester, Lutheran minister at Roseburg, will preach the sermon on "Phillip, an Everyday Missionary." Then a lunch will be served by the Ladies Aid. In the afternoon at 2:30 there will be another service, in which Pastor E. W. Hinrichs of Cornelius is speaking. His topic will be: "Wanted, a Missionary Church with a Backbone."

There will be music by the choir, the ladies' quartet, and the beginners' class. Refreshments will also be served.

In the long run those in authority in a democracy are best off when their acts are subjected to constant and impartial analysis and criticism—Alfred E. Smith.

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41 YEARS ON A BIKE!



Here is Billy Knickerbocker, Eugene resident, who has spent 41 years at bicycle riding. Knickerbocker is a familiar sight about town, and rides his wheel at express train speed. He expects to make a bicycle trip to California this week.

41 Years Riding A Bicycle And He's Still Going Strong

By RICHARD JOHNSTON

Forty-one years on the bridge of a cruising bicycle. That's the record hung up by Billy Knickerbocker, who has become a familiar sight in and about Eugene during the past few decades.

Knickerbocker's parents moved here in the fall of 1888, and Billy started his career as a bicycle rider in '02. He's been riding ever since, and how the boy can go! "Boy" is used advisedly, for anyone seeing Mr. Knickerbocker flitting about the streets at express train rate could place him in no other category, notwithstanding his 65 years.

Billy is a truly picturesque character. Clad in knee-breeches of a loud plaid material, a flannel shirt, and a cap surmounted by a flaming red feather, he stood in the Register-Guard office and told of his days on a "bicycle built for one." Like "the old man of the mountain" his feet are bare, but he does not wear long hair.

"I been ridin' a bicycle for 41 years," he related, "and a doctor told

me this year I got the best leg muscles of any man in Eugene. Yes, sir, you can't beat bicycle ridin' for exercise." Billy believes his long term aboard is a record, and challenges any other citizen of Eugene or the world to equal it.

"One bike lasts me about five years," he confided, "and then I get a new one. I've had a lot of 'em since I started in."

"How long do you expect to keep riding?" he was asked.

"Well, till I get to California, anyhow," was the reply. He went on to tell of his proposed trip. "I'm goin' to start south about the middle of next week, and I reckon I'll git there all right." For some time bicycle riding was scarcely the rage, but press reports indicate that the old-time sport is coming back, and by the time he reaches the Sunshine state, Knickerbocker should be "right in style." Style or none, however, that's the way he's going, and if he maintains the pace of the past 41 summers, dollars to dimes he'll make

often read, with "Trigger Justice" second and "Riders of San Pedro" third. "King Kong" is fourth in popularity, "42nd Street" is fifth and "The Gambling Kid" sixth.

The Drew men are from Nebraska. The books are in the travelling library of light fiction. Each camp in the district is also equipped with a permanent library of text books, non-fiction and heavier literary volumes.

Many Poultrymen To Be at Picnic

Many poultrymen from all sections of Lane county will attend the third annual Lane County Poultrymen's picnic at Dilley's Riverside park Sunday. Every person in the county interested in poultry is invited to attend and join the discussion to be held on the industry.

H. E. Cosby, extension poultry specialist, Oregon State college, will be a guest speaker. Music will be given by Cox's Melody Makers. A baseball game will be played between the Eugene branch of the Pacific Co-Operative Poultry Producer's association and the local plant of Swift and company.

The last reports received here from Beaton Miles is that he is very low. He is at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wid. Wise, in Eugene.

Henry Fannan came home from Mercy hospital in Roseburg the first of the week, and is reported to be a little better.

Mrs. Frank St. Ores has gone to Sisters where her husband is employed.

Miss Maureen Mattoon is in Oakridge this week visiting her cousin, Lena Mattoon.

Miss Gertrude Galliton has as her guest this week, Miss Helen Smith of Eugene.

Jesse Redington left this week for the John Day country where he will look for employment.

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SECOND 3-C MEET TO BE HELD TODAY

The second of a series of "vast pocket" track meets will be held on Hayward field Sunday with men from 21 C. C. C. camps and the headquarters detachment participating. The pole vault, broad jump and 220 yard runs will be staged this week with the preliminaries at 10 o'clock in the morning and the finals at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Fritz Kramer, Eugene high coach, is chairman of the events and is cooperating with the district headquarters in staging the meet. The purpose is to pick the track and field champions of the Eugene district. A third meet will be held next Sunday.

The men are brought into town on the last ration trucks to leave their camp and are returned with the first trucks to go out after the meet. This gives each man two or three days in town where he is quartered and fed at the headquarters detachment camp back of Skinner's Butte.

Bill Hayward, veteran Oregon track coach, has returned from his fishing trip to the Rogue river and will be on hand to lend his moral support to the meet. The University of Oregon is cooperating with district army officials and is supplying track shoes and equipment for the meets.

County Chamber To Hear Bailey, McMorran Speak

George H. McMorran, Eugene's general in the National Recovery Administration program, and Edward F. Bailey, newly named manager for the Eugene branch of the Home Owners' Loan bank, will be the two main speakers for the regular meeting of the county chamber of commerce at Sparks ranch, Blue River, next Thursday evening, announces Howard S. Merriam, president.

Mr. McMorran is to explain the relation of the NRA to the smaller communities and farmers; and Mr. Bailey will talk on the work of the home loan here.

It is expected that assistance will be asked the chamber by several in the county mining districts for the opening of roads adjoining the mines.

The dinner is to be at 6:30 p. m. and "it is to be better than ever, if that is possible," say officials when reminded of the "feed" there last year.

Many To Go For Mining Congress

Many from Eugene, Cottage Grove, and the Bohemia section, as well as other sections of the county, will be going to Baker this coming week-end to attend the annual meeting of the Oregon Mining congress which opens there at 10 a. m. Friday.

Robert M. Betts of this city is president. Dr. Warren D. Smith of the university is on the program for one of the main talks. Among those

going from here are Mr. and Mrs. Betts, Mr. and Mrs. George Jennings, Dr. Smith, and E. G. Harlan, chamber of commerce secretary.

A letter from Baker states more than 1000 miners from many parts are looked to be on hand. Spokane is sending a special big delegation to the event. Others will be present from British Columbia, Idaho, and other places of the northwest as well as Oregon and Washington.

ROAD OILING CREW FINISHING WORK

The Lane county road oiling crew is completing the job of patching the Eugene-Lorane highway surfacing and next will move to the Eugene-Crow road by way of Eleventh avenue west, according to P. M. Motse, county engineer.

The crew will then move to the Goshen-Pleasant Hill road and do some patching, and some work will be done around Cottage Grove. It is planned to soon break up the surface of several small sections of the Mohawk highway between Marcola and Donna where it is badly damaged and resurface it entirely like the mile or more of the Mohawk highway just out of Springfield was treated some time ago.

It is probable that a small crew of oil workers will be kept on the job the rest of the summer to do patching here and there, the engineer said. The surface of most of the oiled roads in the county was so badly damaged after the freezing weather of last winter that it necessitates almost constant repairing this year to keep it in condition.

Zane Grey Visits Near C. C. C. Camp

Zane Grey, popular fiction author, is vacationing with his son on the North Umpqua river near the Steamboat C. C. C. camp and many of the 3-C men have had an opportunity to meet him. A crew of 10 were employed by the famous writer to carry his luggage and equipment into his cabin.

Major Charles H. Corlett, district commander, and Lieut. Harry W. Kilpack, adjutant, visited Zane Grey while on an inspection trip of the southern camps. The author and his son have promised to visit the Steamboat camp in the near future.

Clinic To Be Held At Santa Clara

A pre-school clinic will be held at the Santa Clara community hall Thursday, Aug. 17, from 10 a. m. to 12 noon. It was announced at the office of the Lane county health unit Saturday, Dr. W. H. Chapman and Mrs. Della Fitzgerald, county nurse, will have charge.

A similar clinic was held by Dr. C. E. Hunt and Mrs. Fitzgerald at Lowell Saturday forenoon. The attendance was 14 and it was a very successful affair, Mrs. Fitzgerald said.

EUGENE SPEAKERS THRILL C.C.C. MEN

Thrilling stories of old pioneers and the equally thrilling if not so authentic stories of Paul Bunyan and his logging days were recounted to the men of the Rigdon 3-C camp by J. Ed Turnbull, and William Lyle Skinner, of Eugene, who attended the camp "pow wow" Friday night.

They were accompanied to the camp by Lieut. Roy Craft, public relations officer, and were the guests of Major Ralph C. Smith, company commander. The "pow wows" are a regular feature of the camp life and are staged informally around a campfire.

Turnbull, an authority on early Oregon history, told the men of the pioneer days. He explained how the road on which many of them are working was originally charted and told of the origin of the Rigdon Ranch where their camp is located. Skinner, a raconteur of tall stories, regaled the

group with Paul Bunyan and mining camp yarns. Several camp members rounded out the program with songs and music.

Major and Mrs. Smith and Lieut. and Mrs. John W. Kenting, entertained the Eugene party at their log cabin following the camp fire.

Marshfield Will Play Tennis Here

A group of Marshfield tennis players will be here today to play an Eugene aggregation on the University of Oregon courts at 2 p. m. The public is invited and there will be no admission charge.

Those playing in the singles for Eugene are Tom Mountain, No. 1, Eugene Slattery, No. 2, Carl Robbins Jr., No. 3, Pete Buck, No. 4, Dr. Carl Robbins, No. 5, Dr. C. A. Leighty, No. 6, Sanford Platt, No. 7, Jack Campbell, No. 8.

Playing for Eugene in the doubles will be Pete Buck and Carl Robbins Jr., Sanford Platt and Tom Mountain. A few women players are looked to come from Marshfield and effort will be made to match them with Eugene feminine players.

Home Loan Office Open Monday

The Eugene branch of the Home Owners' Loan bank will be open for business Monday morning, announced Edward F. Bailey, manager. The office will be at room 211 in the building, adjoining the law office of Mr. Bailey.

Oakridge, Eugene Lodges To Join

Two automobile loads of Oakridge and Eugene members of the Blue Eagle lodge at Oakridge visited Oakridge at 7:30 Thursday night and attended the joint work of the lodge. A committee arranged to meet and make plans for the affair to be held August 13. A program for the picnic at Roseburg are being invited to join. The place will be announced later.



How Does the 'Code' Affect Our Business?

WE signed the N.-R. A. agreement, and since August first have displayed the Blue Eagle

—Many customers have asked us the effect of this action on our business. A statement of the facts appears to be in order.

—Our organization is on a 40 hour week, except in several departments where a 48 hour week is permissible.

—This action required placing on a full-time schedule six employees who were working part-time before August 1. We have engaged six added part-time employees.

—This number will grow as Fall business develops. At the peak of the Fall season, probably 25 or 30 full-time and part-time employees will have been added, due to the Code.

—The effect on wages has not been material. The state minimum wage requirement is higher than the Code provides, except for apprentices. Consequently, only four employees of this store were receiving on August first a wage as low as that required by the Code. These four employees have, of course, been advanced.

—No employe of this store has received a wage reduction this year—except for a temporary emergency reduction in March during the bank closing. "Depression Wages" have never been paid by McMorrans & Washburne.

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