

# Cottage Grove Retrospective

A look back at Sentinel stories from 70 years ago

## Commencement at CG High: 1946

Commencement events for the senior class of Cottage Grove Union high school begin this weekend with the junior-senior banquet and prom Friday night and close with commencement exercises a week later.

Dr. J.R. Jewell, Dean of the school of Education at the University of Oregon will be guest-speaker at the seventh annual commencement exercises to be held for 74 students, 42 girls and 32 boys, Friday, May 31, at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Eight of the boys are now in the service of their country, and eight are returned service men who have completed their high school course during the year. Four class speakers, selected by the senior class and faculty, Helen Smith, Rosemary McCrigler, Wilbur Heath and Gordon Neidleigh, will talk on the "Four Freedoms."

Highest scholastic honors are awarded by the faculty to Shirley Allen, Helen Hudgins and Irene Schaffer. Seven seniors are members of the National Honor Society: Shirley Allen, Helen Hudgins, Rosemary McCrigler, Jerry Mickey, Irene Schaffer, Helen Smith and Barbara Valentine.

The American Legion Auxiliary and American Legion awards will be presented to the outstanding boy and girl of the class. Five

boys and five girls have been selected by the class who are eligible for this honor and final selection will be made by the faculty, with presentation of awards at the commencement exercises.

The class officers are: President, Jerry Mickey; vice president Robert McCoy; secretary, Helen Hudgins; treasurer, Patsy Dunlop. The class colors are red and white. The class flower is the white carnation. The motto is "Peace, Ours to Preserve."

On Sunday, May 26, at 8 p.m. at the high school auditorium the annual baccalaureate service will be held under the auspices of the Cottage Grove ministerial association. Reverend Hilton T. Park of the Assembly of God will give the address, with all ministers of the city assisting. Reverend A.J. Kammann, president of the ministerial association is assisting. Reverend A.J. Kammann will preside. The public is cordially invited.

Class night exercises will be held next Tuesday evening at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium. This event has been shifted to the evening so that a large number of parents and friends of the class would have an opportunity to attend.



## News from the state legislature and around Oregon

### From the legislature

Senate Bill 372 will be seen by the House this week and be one step closer to becoming law. The bill would allow Oregonians to butcher and consume any elk or deer struck accidentally by a vehicle as long as the driver reports the claim to Oregon Fish and Wildlife within 24 hours. The bill would also allow drivers to shoot a deer or elk that was struck by a vehicle and subsequently injured. The bill, if passed, would not take effect until 2019.

Renters around the state will be waiting for the outcome of a work session being held today regarding the no cause evictions bill. House bill 2004 would do away with a statewide ban on rent control. It passed the House last month.

The Senate will take up the question of whether or not thousands of Oregonians are ineligible for Medicaid. Last month, it was alleged that the state had provided the Oregon Health Plan to thousands within the state who did not qualify for the program. The committee on health care will hold a hearing on the issue on Thursday.

### From around the state

Two people are dead and one critically injured after a known white supremacist stabbed them for attempting to intervene in his tirade against two teenage girls. The girls were riding the Max train in Portland when the man reportedly began to shout pejoratives at them. When 53-year-old Ricky Best and 23-year-old Taliesin Myrddin Namkai Meche attempted to intervene, the assailant stabbed the men to death. A third man, 21-year-old Micah Fletcher was also injured in the attack and is recovering from non life-threatening injuries.

On June 3 Oregon State Parks will be free to the public. The freebie comes as part of a State Parks Day and camping will be free of charge in all RV and tent sites until June 4.

Oregon will remain the only state in the union without a method to remove its governor after the Senate declined to move forward House efforts to create a constitutional amendment allowing the state's governor to be impeached. The effort was a broad one and not tied to an effort to impeach the sitting governor.

## POLICE BLOTTER

Cottage Grove Police Department 24-Hour Anonymous Tip Line: 767-0504

### May 28

Motorhome broke down in the lane and another vehicle attempting to assist at Currin Connector.

Trespass reported. Caller advised there are people living in a van on Walmart property that have been reported to be using Village Green property.

Complainant reported a Hispanic male on 6TH St. yelling and throwing things.

Complainant reported woman upstairs at location on 5th St. was yelling "At no one in particular."

Complainant called local authorities citing a car drove passed her house shouting a pejorative at her on 8th St.

### May 27

Suspicious subject reported on Ash Ave. riding a bike slowly through the area.

Complainant report neighbor cutting down trees since 6 a.m. when city ordinance mandates work begin at 7 a.m.

Complainant reported a smoker stolen from their property on Taylor Ave.

Disturbance reported at CG Market as male-on-male physical pushing.

Caller advised that there is a woman on the roof at location on 16th St.

Disorderly subject reported on 8th St. Original call noted juveniles climbing the fence at Harrison Elementary School.

Illegal burn cited on 12th St.

### May 26

Incident on N. Douglas Ave. reported of a neighbor attempting to mow the grass when neighbor "came out and started yelling and screaming at him for no reason."

Complainant reported an aggressive panhandler in the area of E. Gibbs and 9th St.

Reckless burning was reported North Regional Park. Two arrested.

Incident of theft at Lincoln Middle School reported. Complainant reports a SIM card stolen from a cell phone.

Suspicious condition reported at location on Quincy Ave. Complainant reports an outdoor plant with damage from chemical substance.

Disorderly subject reported ay HWY. 99 and Jefferson. Caller advises the subject running into traffic, yelling at people.

Caller identifies a male subject staggering toward a red pickup at Great Western Pub.

Suspicious subject reported on Taylor. Caller advises seeing a male walking up and down the driveways on the street, nothing in his hands, jogging and looking back.

### May 25

Possible meth found on individual behind Stacy's during a custodial search in pre-booking.

Complainant at the front desk asked to speak to officers regarding high school children harassing his kids on the way to school.

Caller advised there were people drinking on the street outside the old Veeley House.

Possible theft reported at Grocery Outlet. Male wearing a blue jumpsuit and backpack reported going through the store concealing items.

Individual taken into custody on Gateway Blvd for drug possession and giving false information to a police officer.

Shoplift reported at Walmart on Row River. Items totaled \$45.38.

Assault reported on Gateway Blvd. Caller advised she was assaulted by male friend who was in the apartment. No arrests made.

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## 6-day weather forecast

<b>THURSDAY JUNE 1</b> 70°   47°  <b>SHOWERS</b>	<b>FRIDAY JUNE 2</b> 70°   47°  <b>CLOUDY</b>
<b>SATURDAY JUNE 3</b> 70°   47°  <b>CLOUDY</b>	<b>SUNDAY JUNE 4</b> 74°   45°  <b>CLOUDY</b>
<b>MONDAY JUNE 5</b> 77°   49°  <b>PARTIAL SUN</b>	<b>TUESDAY JUNE 6</b> 82°   51°  <b>CLOUDY</b>

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