

House *from A1*

was like 'end of an era, Benjamin Lurch dead in San Francisco.'"

Prior to his death, Lurch had quick-claimed the property to his daughter, Lilly, but she didn't hang onto it very long. Somewhere between 1922 and 1926, the house was moved from its location on Main Street to where it sits now, next to the Red Oak tree on Adams Street. A developer named Earl Hill was in possession of the property by 1936 and, in 1946, 412 Adams was sold to and held by a family for more than 50 years.

Cora Dailey and the Dailey family held the home until 2014, when it was sold to a member of *The Sentinel's* previous sales staff — a man who used to sit at the desk Santana currently occupies.

"There's a lot of connections between *The Sentinel* and the house," he said. "There were so many things — signs that led us to the house."

By the time Santana entered the house in 2018, it was a mess. The electrical system wasn't up to code, the exterior needed a lot of work and some of the rooms had been left half renovated.

"I had started pulling down the cobwebs and the wallpaper, but the more I thought about the house and the history, I started wondering if I should be taking all of these things down," he said.

So, Santana embarked on a journey to uncover the history of his new home with the help of the local historical society.

Now, Santana is working with the historical society to give a talk later this year on the property's history and, with the exception of the exterior, the interior of the house is livable again and mirrors the house's history.

"We changed some things," Santana said. "But except for a few fixtures and some drywall in the entry, it's back to livable."

The family doesn't mind the renovation process. Before moving from California, they owned an old Victorian house in a popular area of the state that used to be home to writer Jack Kerouac. When they decided to leave the area, one place topped their list: Paradise, Calif.

"Yeah," Santana said, "We almost moved to Paradise."

The city became a ghost town after a wildfire spread through the community, decimating houses, leaving entire blocks



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Gerald Santana sits at his desk at *The Sentinel*, pulling up old articles and photos of his new home--the oldest house in Cottage Grove.

more than half empty; all months after the Santana family settled in Oregon.

"My gut was telling me, leave California and we did," he said, noting that he has always been

a history buff in terms of cinema and he landed in the town famous for Buster Keaton. "We

are in the right place," he said.

Laws *from A1*

with at least 500 employees provide a "good faith estimate" of work hours and provide em-

ployees their work schedules a week in advance.

Starting Jan. 1, workers were

able to take legal action if those terms were not met by their employer.

In 2017, the state legislature passed the Oregon Equal Pay Act — several key components of the law went into effect at the start of this month. Employees can file against their employers for unpaid wages and should a difference in pay exist between employees, the only acceptable reasons include merit, education, experience and quality of work.

The law is intended to add additional protections to prevent wage disparities on the basis of gender, race, sexual orientation, veteran status, marital status, age or disability.

The law also prohibits em-

ployers from hiring individuals based on their salary history.

Domestic violence laws:

Strangulation during the course of a domestic violence incident is now a felony in the state of Oregon. The act was previously considered a misdemeanor.

The "boyfriend loophole" is now closed. Individuals convicted of domestic abuse are barred from owning a firearm under House Bill 4145.

Previously, abusers who were not married to their victim and did not share children with them could maintain their gun ownership leaving leeway for those who were simply dating the person they were convicted

of abusing to own a firearm.

Childcare laws:

Foster kids in the state can now receive tuition waivers for community college and universities.

As of Jan. 1, students will no longer have to complete 30 hours of community service to qualify if they've spent time in the state's foster care system.

House Bill 4067 expands the definition of special education allowing children with developmental disabilities under the age of 10 to receive free services within the public education system.

Hit and run:

In 2013, sisters Abigail Robinson and Anna Dieter-Eckert were killed when a neighbor hit them with her vehicle while they were playing in a pile of leaves near the street. The neighbor felt what she described as a "bump" but continued driving, not imagining she had hit two children.

The neighbor eventually turned herself in after connecting her car ride to the girls' deaths and was sentenced to probation and community service.

Anna and Abigail's law, in effect as of Jan. 1, requires drivers to return to the scene as soon as they have reason to believe they hit a person or a pet.

Retirement:

The state can no longer consider pension funds or funds being held in a retirement account when determining whether or not a family is eligible for temporary assistance such as food stamps.

Worship Directory

DRAIN:
HOPE U.M.C.
131 W "A" St. Drain, OR
541-315-1617
Pastor: Lura Kidner-Miesen
Fellowship & Song: 11:30am
Potluck Lunch: 12:00pm
Worship: 12:30pm

COTTAGE GROVE:
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195 N. 6th St. • 541-942-3822
10:00am
Christian Education:
Pre-K through 5th
www.6thandgibbs.com

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77873 S 6th St • 541-942-4290
Pastor: Riley Hendricks
Sunday School: 9:45am
Worship: 11:00am
The Journey: Sunday 5:00pm
Praying Thru Life: Wednesday 6:00pm

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1447 Hwy 99 (Village Plaza)
541-942-6842
Pastor: Jeff Smith
Two Services on Sun:
9am & 10:45am
Youth Group Bible Study
Child Care 10:45am Service Only
www.cgcalvary.org

Church of Christ
420 Monroe St • 541-942-8565
Sunday Service: 10:30am

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1200 East Quincy Avenue
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www.cg4.tv
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33087 Saginaw Rd. East
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10:30am - Contemporary in the Auditorium

First Baptist Church
301 S. 6th st • 541-942-8242
Interim Pastor: Reed Webster
Sunday School 9:30am
Worship Service 11:00am
Youth Wednesday 6:30pm
cgfirstbaptist.com

First Presbyterian Church
3rd and Adams St
541-942-4479
Rev.: Karen Hill
Worship: 10:00am
Sunday School: 10:00am
fpcgrove.com

Hope Fellowship
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541-942-8928
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Sunday Bible Study: 10:00am
Sunday Worship: 10:50am & 5:30pm
www.penoyeravcecoc.com

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541-942-5213
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6th & Quincy • 541-942-2373
Pastor: James L. Markus
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9:15am
Sunday Worship 10:30 am
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5:00pm TLC Groups
tlccg.com

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324 Washington • 541-942-3033
Pastor: Lura Kidner-Miesen
Worship: 10:30am
umcgrove.org

"VICTORY" Country Church
913 S. 6th Street • 541-942-5913
Pastor: Barbara Dockery
Worship Service: 10:00am
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