

CEMENT JOINTS TO SAVE CITY \$1000

A saving of over \$1000 will be effected this summer by using cement for pipe joints in water mains in place of lead. It was announced today by C. A. McClain, superintendent of public utilities. The cement has been thoroughly tested in California, and after a series of tests, it was adopted by the Portland water board.

The process of using the cement is much the same as lead. Oakum is first put in the joints, and the cement, without sand, is tamped in. This is then allowed to set for 48 hours, when the pipe is ready for use.

The difference in the cost can be readily seen, as lead for a 12-inch pipe joint costs \$1.75, while the cement required costs 3 or 4 cents. It takes a little longer to use the cement, and it is necessary to let it set two days, but the saving in spite of this is quite large.

The tests conducted in Portland proved that cement joints could stand even more strain than lead without leaking, and they have proved satisfactory in every way, it is stated. The cement will be used in Eugene wherever possible, says Mr. McClain. Some joints where it is hard to put in cement will have to be leaded, as will joints where the water cannot be shut off for 48 hours.

Chamber Rose Show To be Held June 3

Wednesday, June 3 has been set by the chamber of commerce auxiliary for the annual rose show sponsored by the organization. More entries than ever before are expected for this event, which every year attracts a great deal of attention.

Entries are to be brought to the chamber of commerce rooms between eight o'clock and eleven o'clock in the morning, and judging will take place in the afternoon, it is announced. The exhibition will be open to the public from 1 o'clock until nine in the evening.

Awards will be as follows: Single blooms, first \$1.50, second \$1, grand of three, first \$2.50, second \$1.50, groups of six, first \$3, second \$2, baskets, first \$2.50, second \$1.50, table displays, first \$5, second \$4 and third \$3.

Rules governing the contest are as follows: In groups, no buds and plants natural foliage only; in baskets, not less than 12 flowers of the same variety, but other greenery permissible; table display, not less than 12 different varieties.

Opening of Lunch Room is Postponed

The proposed cafeteria for employees in the newly-completed annex to the Eugene Fruit Growers' warehouse, Eighth avenue and Ferry street, will probably not be put into operation this year, announces J. D. Hamlin, office manager of the association. Because canning operations for fruit have been curtailed on account of crop shortages, the move is apparently not profitable at the present time.

The canning plant is now working on gooseberries, and a few strawberries are beginning to come in, it is stated. Some apricots are also being handled.

"Although we are short on fruits, the vegetable crop this year will be a heavy one," says Mr. Hamlin. "The recent rains have been splendid for growing vegetables. We expect to reach full speed on vegetable packing about the middle of June."

Water Main Work Starts Next Week

Work on the supply line to the site of the new reservoir on Fairmount heights is to start next week, announced C. A. McClain, superintendent of public utilities. A crew is now finishing a job of moving the main on Lincoln street, and as soon as they are through here, work on the new line will begin.

The new reservoir plans are completed, and bids will be called for soon, it is stated. It will serve residents of Fairmount who are too high for the present reservoirs.

SPRINGFIELD WINNER
SPRINGFIELD, May 22.—(Special)—The Springfield high school baseball team defeated the Eugene high school nine with a score of 7 to 4 in a return game yesterday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock on the local field. Eugene led with a 5 to 4 score up to the ninth inning, when Springfield rallied and made three winning runs, when Paul Vics got a base on an error after Lew Allen was out. Merl McMullen pitched for Springfield, with Hugh Cowart as catcher. The Eugene batters included Sushorn, Emmons and Schroder. The Eugene players defeated Springfield in a game last week.

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SOCIETY AND CLUBS

By MARIAN LOWRY

Mrs. Martha Drum is to leave today for Redwing, Minnesota, where she will spend most of the summer visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Verna Mayfield of Portland will be a visitor in Eugene over the weekend as the guest of Miss Kether Lusk.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Scott of Portland expect to return to their home tomorrow after spending the past week in Eugene.

Miss S. E. Skene has as her house guests over the week-end Miss Peggy Skene of Oregon City and Miss Hermina King of Portland, who arrived today.

Friends will be glad to know that Mrs. A. L. Stewart of Fall Creek who has been ill for several weeks at this time is quite large.

LANE MEN CHOSEN BY FARMERS' UNION

Ralph P. Laird of Pleasant Hill was re-elected vice-president of the Oregon farmers' educational and cooperative union, and R. C. Jackson of Springfield, was re-elected executive committee man, at the annual convention closing yesterday in Corvallis it was announced today. Herbert Egbert of The Dalles began his third term as president.

Re-enactment of a state income tax was asked by three committees of the state union, and the entire convention asked the co-operation of sympathetic bodies in initiating an income tax law to be voted on at the next election. A resolution stating that the group was unalterably opposed to the Deanna resolution, prohibiting the enactment of an income tax or inheritance tax for 15 years, was adopted with considerable force. Other questions the convention opposed were the referendum on titling, tobacco tax and the bus and truck bills.

The next annual meeting will be held in Polk county, Mr. Laird reports.

Lane Farmers to O. A. C. on June 17

Farmers of Lane county are to journey to Corvallis June 17, which has been designated by Oregon Agricultural college as Lane County day. It is announced by O. S. Fletcher, county agent, who returned last night after a conference with officials. Each family of the county is expected to take a basket lunch, and the college will furnish coffee and cream.

Grain and forage crops will be well developed at this time, and will be the basis of talks, it is stated. Horticultural work will also be discussed. All who attend will also be taken on a tour of the buildings and campus of the college.

Responsive Crowd Comes to Revival

An unusually responsive audience gathered last night at the big tent where Rev. C. Orville Benham is conducting revival services, it is reported. Healing services attracted many, and in response to the question of how many present had been helped, over 100 hands were raised. Prayer was led by Rev. Finch, of the local Glad Tidings church, and an enthusiastic testimonial service

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PLENTY OF WATER READY FOR SUMMER

"Use all the water you want this summer," says C. A. McClain, superintendent of public utilities. "There will be no restrictions in any way, and lawns and gardens may have all the water they can use."

Two new filters, which greatly increase the available water supply, are now being installed, and will be working in a few days, says Mr. McClain. Settling tanks to take care of the increase are also being constructed. This will give Eugene facilities for 3,000,000 of water every 24 hours, which is ample for all purposes.

Last summer, which was much dryer than this season so far, the use of water never exceeded 4,000,000 gallons, and it is doubtful if this much will be required often this summer, it is stated.

License Suspended 90 Days for Speed

Stewart Foch, Eugene youth, has had his driver's license suspended for 90 days by Judge George A. Gilmore, in the local police court. The young man drives a motorcycle, and there has been considerable complaint that he was going about the streets too fast, it is said.

Motorcycle riders have a tendency to speed, it is said, and it is pointed out that the same speed limits that apply to motor cars are also in force for motorcycles. Judge Gilmore has also adopted the policy of suspending licenses of young drivers, rather than fining them, because usually a parent pays the fine and the speeding is continued, he says. If the license is taken away for a two or three months period, it is far more effective, he believes.

PONY TO BE SOLD

SPRINGFIELD, May 22.—(Special)—The 9-year-old gray pony which was picked up on the streets of Springfield a few days ago will be sold at auction tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock in front of the livery stable at Main and Mill streets, according to Reuben W. Smith, city recorder. Chief of Police George Vallier will be auctioneer. The animal, which weighs about 900 pounds, has remained unclaimed, and will be sold for its keep.

Nash Etching Press Received by U. of O.

An etching press for use of university students, donated by John Henry Nash, master printer of San Francisco, has arrived on the campus, and will be placed in the art department, it is announced. The press is designed especially for etching and is of the type used by professional etching artists.

Ten Speakers vie In Oratory Tonight

The last two oratorical contests of the year will be held tonight at Palo Alto, Cal., and Seattle, Wash. The semi-final of the Pacific region in the National constitution contest is to be held at Stanford, and seven colleges have entries in this. Jack McGuire will represent Oregon against the major colleges and universities of the coast.

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