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ABOUT YOUR MAIL BOX

AN IDEA, IF CARRIED OUT, WILL HELP MAIL CARRIERS

Mr. Johnson, the postmaster, along with the Postal Department, are sponsoring the idea of better mail boxes and mail box stands.

They are out taking pictures of the boxes before they were put into good condition and after and there is quite a contrast. Perhaps you have noticed, when you were out taking that "Sunday Spin" the unsightliness of some of the mail boxes, and how well others looked. Also the difference it made in the corner or roadside where they were all found up in good shape.

The government spends a great deal of money during the year to get the mail distributed properly and the owners of those dilapidated boxes should see to it that his box is standing up straight and at the right height. Where there is a number of boxes all together the owners should get together and put them on a plank with a post at each end so that they will all be the same height and easy to get to by the Rural Mail carrier. This would be inexpensive and would improve the looks of many corners and roadsides. It will not only help your carrier but show the people that pass by your mail box that you not only appreciate the fact that the government spends this large sum of money each year for your benefit but that you are willing to do your part in helping them to keep it up and improve it in any way that it is possible. Mr. Johnson is more than willing to give you any suggestions and advice in this matter at any time and is anxious to see every box standing on a firm foundation and upright and not leaning away over to one side and about ready to fall over and hard to get to. We feel sure that if you put your box up in the proper shape that you will feel proud every time you go to get your mail, that your box is not ready to fall over.

There is a number of tourist that pass these boxes every year and let us have them say "that they saw the best upkept mail boxes when they passed through the state of Oregon and especially the Eastern part of Clackamas County."

Mr. Johnson wishes to state for your own information that the box should be four feet in height and leaning just a trifle to the road so that the carrier can drive up and see into the box quickly and easily. He also expects to send in his report in the next three weeks and is endeavoring to have the best report for the state of Oregon. The roads on the routes are said to be in exceptionally good condition due to the fact that the road trustees are putting forth their best efforts to bring this about.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

In connection with the neighborhood Drug Store 4 program, KGW, Friday evening 7:30 to 8:00 o'clock (this will go on the air)

Please listen carefully to the following announcement in connection with the Neighborhood Drug Store 4. The Blumauer-Frank Company will give away free to the first 500 persons who write to KGW each week some toilet preparation.

Any one wishing to participate in this must go to the Neighborhood Druggist and secure from them a label, letterhead or any piece of business stationery bearing their name; attach same to your letter and mail it to KGW not later than midnight, the following Monday and the article will be sent to the first 500 replies received, post paid by the Blumauer-Frank Drug Company in care of your Neighborhood Druggist from whom the label, letter-head or stationery was obtained.

Here is an opportunity for many radio fans to get some good toilet articles absolutely free.

Your Neighborhood Druggist will gladly give you a label, letter head or piece of stationery. Write a letter to KGW and enclose same.

Among those attending the American Legion Convention at La Grande are Atlee Erickson, Lawrence Weber, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Sylvester Lawrence. They left Wednesday morning and the Convention begins Thursday.

OREGON WEEKLY INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

Medford—Palmer Investment Corporation of Chicago will build \$50,000 fruit plant. Oregon will receive \$44,242 federal forest fire fighting funds this year.

Rend—Great Crooked River highway bridge, 350 feet high, dedicated. St. Helena—June postal receipts, \$11,372, are 6 per cent over June, 1926.

St. Helens—Exceptional hay crop being harvested here.

St. Helens—Three new buildings will be erected for county fair.

Eugene—Work begins on \$35,000 Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity house. Forest Grove—New Oregon Telephone office building nears completion.

Salem—Quarterly postal receipts are 18 per cent above last year's.

Klamath Falls—Labor unions buy \$7,000 site for \$40,000 labor temple.

West Linn—Union high school being remodeled at cost of \$15,000.

Senside—Work will begin at once on new \$25,000 west side water system.

Wallowa—O. W. R. & N. Railroad improving 24 miles of track.

Gardiner—Old planked trestle being filled and graveled.

Newberg—Spaulding Pulp & Paper Company mill will soon be in operation.

Marshfield—Heavy demand made for Oregon Myrtle wood for furniture.

Bandon—City will vote August 15 on selling electric plant for \$120,000.

Portland—Libby-McNeill & Libby fruit plant starts with 700 employees, and will employ 2,000 at capacity.

Klamath Falls—California-Oregon Power Company will build \$40,000 warehouse.

Klamath Falls—Weyerhaeuser Co. will rush plans for great pine mill.

Reedsport—Bridge to be built at Winchester Bay, for Roosevelt Highway.

Central Oregon wheat promises a record yield this year.

La Grande—Rousch Hotel, now building, will be eight stories high.

Madras—Grain expected to average 30 bushels per acre.

Medford—Alluvial Mines Company at Prospect, incorporated with \$100,000.

Klamath County inspectors find no single case of bovine tuberculosis.

Eugene—Guaranty Oil Company strikes heavy gas flow in Well No. 1.

Ashland—Local cherry crop greatly exceeds early estimates.

Grants Pass—Famous Greenback mine sold to Los Angeles buyers.

Medford—E. W. J. Hearty of New York, pays \$100,000 for Medford fruit plant.

Hillsboro—District will spend \$5,000 on South Side grade School.

Graet Northern lets 45-mile contract from Shelvin-Hixon logging road to S. P. line at Chemault, to open Bend-Klamath Falls line this year.

Portland—Tennent Casting Company will establish plant here.

Klamath Falls building since January 1 totals \$23,285.

Albany—First car of barley from 1927 crop is shipped to Portland.

Milwaukie—Contract let for new heater and store building.

Dallas—"Itemizer-Observer" is building a fine new office.

Klamath Falls—Dairy production gains 400 per cent and potato growing 1000 per cent in five years.

La Grande building for six months is \$763,715, better than for any whole year so far.

Baker—Oregon Copper Company orders \$15,000 power and machine unit for Balm Creek shaft down 415 feet.

Toledo—Pacific Tel. & Tel. Company will spend \$15,000 installing better lines to Newport.

McMinnville—Oregon Telephone Company will spend \$25,000 improving service.

Corvallis—Pacific Telephone & Telegraph will expand local exchange.

Garibaldi—Catholic Church to be built in Rockway.

Sumpter—Oregon from 12 feet underground on Gibbs claim runs \$600 a ton.

Baker—Oregon from Eagle Creek assays 50 per cent copper.

Lumber exports from Coos Bay for year ended July 1 totaled \$2,003,127.

Brooks—First car of 1927 celery shipped to Omaha.

St. Helens—Lumber shipments for week ended July 9 are 3,700,000 feet.

Klamath Falls districts mills cut 415-900,000 feet lumber last year.

Astoria—Marke road to Svensen will be built of asphaltic type concrete.

Vale—Construction begins on Vale

LOVE

Fame may come in a dozen ways,
Wealth is found in a score of trades,
Every art to its genius pays,
Skill has various ranks and grades,
But soon or late we all come to know,
Love is the same for the high and low.
Man finds love in a woman's eyes;
Something tender and sweet and true,
Be he foolish or be he wise,
Sends him out in the world to woo.
A certain woman must whisper "yess"
If love is to crown him with happiness.
And whether the maid be dark or fair,
Pretty of face or plain to see,
If love abide with the mated pair,
None in the world can happier be;
For rich or poor it is all the same,
Love can exist without wealth or fame.
Honor and love have no degrees,
Richer than others a man may be;
Fame has limits and boundaries,
There are rank and caste on land and sea,
But who is welcomed by love at night
Has all that maketh a king's heart light.
—Just Plain Folks by E. A. Guest.

reclamation project.

Linto—Columbia Highway being widened to 48 feet for heavy travel.

Klamath Falls—New high school to cost \$290,000.

Eugene—Pacific Tel. & Tel. Company will spend \$400,000 here, \$400,000 here, \$200,000 for building alone.

Bend — Lumbermen's National Bank opens with \$100,000 capital.

Quite a few people from Estacada attended the Gladstone Chautauqua.

Vivian Gorham has been ill this week but is better now.

Mrs. Ollie Lovelace is employed at the Home restaurant.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Edith Cockerline and daughter of Los Angeles spent Saturday at the Fred Bartholomew home.

The Misses Claudie Plank and Rachel Halloway of Portland were Thursday dinner guests at the J. F. Lovelace home.

Mrs. Looney, who has been a reader of the News for some time was in Monday and made the editor smile by showing her subscription tag ahead a year.

Miss June Forbes of Gresham visited her cousin, Maerose Bartholomew Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Akers, and Mr. and Mrs. Chester were calling on M. T. and Mrs. Roy Douglas last Wednesday evening.

Many visiting motorists took in the chautauqua at Gladstone this week. The program was splendid and was worth attending.

Mrs. W. W. Elder from Stayton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Maude Smith of the Estacada Telephone Company.

Vivian Wilcox is spending a few weeks with her aunt, Dr. Ella Smith in Portland.

Minnie Eash gave us a \$1.50 and wanted the Stationery order on the News which we are very proud to give and hope that there will be several more take advantage of this offer as it is a good one.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde English and daughter of Portland are spending their vacation at the Ernest Duus home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lichthorn and two daughters of California are visiting at the P. S. Stamp home.

Hugh H. Carlin, a stock raiser and farmer of the Githen-Carlin Ranch, came into the office the first part of the week and took advantage of our stationery offer on subscription. Mr. Carlin has crossed the plains from Illinois to Oregon eight different times and says that every time he goes back there that he likes this part of the country a little bit better. We are glad that he came in because he told us a quite a few things of interest about this country that most of our readers already know but are very interesting to us as we are total strangers here, just coming in from Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. J. Currin from Gresham and their children and their families and a number of old time friends of the Currin picniced in the Estacada Park Sunday.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. J. Currin, Gresham; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilcox; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Currin; Mrs. Clyde Denny; Mrs. Joe Supple and daughter Joan of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Greenman Fairview; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cox and two children, Logan; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Briges, Gresham; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McKeen and baby, Portland; Mrs. T. M. Freeman, Fairview; Mr. and Mrs. Al Cooke, Damascus; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Denning; Mr. and Mrs. Milt Marshall; Marion Deschields all of Estacada; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bell and baby, Mrs. Jessie Downing, Wm. Alt and Richard Weaver all of Sandy.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Robert Currin entertained in honor of Mrs. Don Allen's birthday anniversary, Monday evening. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Russell Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Denny, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ewalt and Mr. and Mrs. Don Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. August Polman from Portland and R. H. Currin and D. C. Johnson from Bull Run spent the evening at the R. H. Currin ranch Friday evening.

Atlee Erickson, son of Mr. E. E. Erickson, who are one of the many live wire farmers of this community was in and said to move his father's date tag up another year. Atlee is connected with the American Legion being one of its officers and is doing all that he can to make the legion here the best that is in the state and says that the rest of the members are all behind the captain's back and ready to help when called upon to do any thing.

Mrs. Nora Kandle and son, Chester Reid, and daughter, Mrs. Guy Wilcox, were over this way the last week picking cherries, leaving on Friday for Antelope, near where Mrs. Wilcox lives.

INTELLIGENT ADVERTISING BUILDS BUSINESS

The world marvels at the growth of the American telephone system. Nothing has done more to put telephones in practically every American home, than advertising.

Government owned telephone systems in Europe see no need for advertising. The taxpayer has to cover deficits, and there is no incentive for officials to maintain a growing telephone business and pay dividends to hundreds of thousands of stockholders.

To show why the American system grows, it is only necessary to read some of the advertising of local telephone companies. A good illustration is advertising appearing in Maryland newspapers during a recent month.

One advertisement appealed to the young person at school to ring up the folks at home and keep up the personal contact. Another, pointed out the cheer that is brought to parents when their young people who have gone out in different walks of life, make a little "phone visit" instead of merely trusting to an occasional letter. Yet another, suggested that a young person away from home, when confronted by problems, gets comfort and help by ringing up the home for advice.

All the advertising had the human touch and appealed to every member of every family. The American telephone system grows and gives the best and cheapest service in the world, largely as the result of continuous and intelligent advertising.

Weekly County Agent News

The cabbage maggot has made its annual appearance in parts of Clackamas County. The following information from Oregon Agricultural Extension Circular 65 gives direction for control of these pests in field.

Extension Circular 65 entitled "In Crops" is available at the County Agents office for the asking:

THE CABBAGE MAGGOT: The cabbage maggot is a most serious pest of cabbage, turnip, cauliflower, celery, rape, kale and radishes.

The larva is a typical maggot, waxy white or yellowish in color. The body is cylindrical, ending bluntly behind tapering to a point toward the head. When mature it measures about .32 inch in length.

SYMPTOMS: A few days after the cabbage plants are set in the field they show a sickly bluish cast. Upon pulling up the affected plant, the tunnel and the repulsive maggots are discovered.

CONTROL: Of a great variety of control measures recommended and practiced, the screenings of the cabbage seed-beds and the use of corrosive sublimate on the cabbages and similar plants in the field are the most practical and effective treatments.

CORROSIVE SUBLIMATE at the rate of 1 ounce to 12 gallons of water is a most efficient material for use on permanent plantings of cabbage, cauliflower, and similar plants. About 2 liquid ounces to the plant should be used, the material being simply poured on the surface soil about the plant. Four treatments should be given, the first treatment three days after transplanting and succeeding treatments at ten-day intervals until four have been made.

A barrel in the back end of a wagon, fitted with two leads of hose and soap cocks, affords a fairly rapid method of application.

Dissolve the corrosive sublimate in 1 quart of hot water in a glass, wooden or earthenware vessel. Dilute to 12 gallons.

Reasonable precaution should be observed because of the poisonous nature of the corrosive sublimate.

Several potato growers of George gathered recently at Chris Johnson's place for a short tour of potato fields of the community. Potato diseases were identified and discussed.

One of the best fields seen belonged to Henry Schmidt. It was clearly demonstrated here that commercial fertilizers pay even on new ground. The use of only 100 pounds of a 6-7-5 fertilizer made a big difference in the size of the tubers and the number and size of potatoes.

The date of the Clackamas County

Jersey Club picnic at Firwood has been changed from July 21 to July 22nd. Mr. and Mrs. Malar are making preparations for a large meeting Prof. G. V. Copson of the Oregon Agricultural College will be present and speak on the effects of pasteurizing milk.

BIG PLANT RAISING FAST

LIBBY, MCNEIL & LIBBY PLANT IS PUSHED FORWARD

Work on the plant being constructed for Libby, McNeil & Libby at East Twenty Second and Powell streets in Portland is progressing very rapidly. In fact, part of the building has been completed and part capacity operations have been carried on since June 15.

When the structure is completed it will have an annual capacity of 50,000 cases, or approximately 12,000,000 cans, according to G. B. Kile, general production manager for the Pacific Northwest. Fruit and vegetables are being canned by the Portland plant.

Construction of this building, which will cover approximately 200,000 square feet of space, has been watched with more than usual interest because it marks the entrance into Portland of one of the largest packers of foodstuffs in the world. The capital of the Libby, McNeil & Libby company is said to be \$65,000,000.

Thomas Yocum, one of Clackamas County's progressive farmers was in to see us the first part of the week and left a \$1.50 laying on the counter and said to mark up his subscription another year. Mr. Yocum has a ranch of 160 acres of which there are about 80 acres under cultivation. He has some of this in apples and cherries. He says that he now has 80 tons of hay already put up. Mr. Yocum is interested in the Telephone Company and the Bank. This farm is for sale and the crop all goes with it and can be had for the sum of \$100 an acre and anyone interested should get in touch with Mr. Yocum at once as he is going to sell this farm at a price like this.

Mr. Furgeson, deputy State Forest Ranger asked us to call your attention to the fact that this is the closed season for burning and will be until October the first. If you have any burning that you want to do you should get in touch with Mr. Oren Ballou, who is acting fire warden north of the Clackamas River to Bear Creek if you live in this territory. If you live South of the Clackamas River, Springfield and Dodge districts get in touch with Charles Colson. This is very important and this precaution should be heeded and save any trouble that might occur.

Mr. M. Chase, one of the News' family of readers was in the office the first part of the week, and had us mark his date tag put up a year ahead and also gave us a paid local that you will find elsewhere in this issue look for it as it might be of interest to you.

Charles Weaver, who had us add his name to the subscription list of the News readers, says that he has ten different varieties of berries and that every one of them is a good one. We are very glad to put his name on the list.

Mr. H. G. Foster, forest examiner from the U. S. Forest Office at Portland, passed through Estacada on his way to the La Dee Camp to look over the timber situation.

Chas. Schuster, a brakeman on the La Dee Logging train had his foot run over and nearly cut it off. He was brought to Estacada and afterwards taken to a hospital in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Johnson, of Independence, Kansas, are visiting with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Johnson for a couple of months.

Emerson Surface and daughter of California and Edwin Burlington of Gresham are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Palmateer. Mr. Surface was the pharmacist here at one time.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dale and Lois Smith are enjoying a vacation at the coast as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Cary.

Among those attending the Gladstone Chautauqua are William Wade, Mrs. Ada Smith and J. F. Lovelace.

Ed. Linn and Ed. Steinman made a trip to Salem Friday.