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Jalopies Race Sunday At G. P. Fair Grounds

A fifteen car destruction race featuring old jalopies unfit for highway use will take place next Sunday afternoon starting at 3 o'clock at the Caveman Speedway of the Josephine County Fairgrounds.

With emphasis upon the safety factor, the sponsors of the race have endeavored to get all the unfit cars available in the area to participate in the race in an effort to get the cars off the highway. Every precaution is being made to insure safety for the racing drivers and an explanation will be given to the assembled fans as to the mechanical features that have rendered the jalopies unfit to roam the public highways.

The regular time trials and the trophy dash will precede the destruction race which will be run until all but one of the cars in the race have been knocked off the track.

CARL B. GILLE

Funeral services were held in Portland last Monday, October 3, at the Colonial Mortuary, for Carl B. Gille, who passed away very suddenly last Thursday afternoon, from a heart attack, shortly after he had gone to work for W. & W. Lumber Company at Takilma.

Survivors are his mother, Mrs. Pauline Gille; a brother William L. Gille; sisters, Beatrice Pierce, Anna Laurie and Paule Gille. Vault entombment was in River-view Abbey mausoleum.

Forestry Organization To Promote Better Forest Practices

Douglas fir region's forestland owners have set up a new overall forestry organization to promote better forest practices, better protection, tree farms and improved management practices on taxpay-

Pacific Northwest Development Association

"The CVA bypasses our normal democratic processes of government and completely eliminates control by Congress," stressed Berkeley Snow, Portland businessman, before the Medford Rotary, Tuesday. "It is in reality another step on the road toward the totalitarian state, and is therefore a dangerous step for us to take in free America."

Mr. Snow emphasized before over a hundred Rotarians that the CVA is in the same category as farm support, subsidized federal housing and socialized medicine and he urged that we not take any of these steps along the line or we will reach a point along the road to the totalitarian state from which there is no return.

ROY FREITAS ASSIGNED TO 49th FIELD ARTILLERY

Private Roy E. Freitas, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Freitas, Cave Junction, has recently been assigned to Service Battery, 49th Field Artillery Battalion, of the 7th Infantry Division.

Private Freitas entered the army on the 9th of January, 1949, at Eugene, and took his initial training at Fort Ord, California. Upon completion of his initial training, Private Freitas was shipped to Japan. Prior to entering the army, Private Freitas attended the Kerby High School.

Measuring Spoon

Grease your measuring spoon or cup with margarine before measuring molasses, honey, or syrup. You will find that the sticky liquids pour more easily.

ing timber holdings. Called Forest Conservation Committee of Pacific Northwest Forest Industries, the new organization embraces industrial timber owners in the sawmill, plywood and pulp business as well as farm forest owners.

THE AMERICAN WAY



But He's The Doctor You Ordered, Lefty!

GOVERNOR McKAY'S NATIONAL NEWSPAPER WEEK STATEMENT

You would have to hunt a long time and range far afield to find a more appropriate slogan than that adopted for the tenth annual National Newspaper Week, October 1 to 8: "Freedom Goes Where the Newspaper Goes."

Those six words testify to the impact of an unfettered press with a force and clarity no flow of prose or oratory could match. They say, in effect, that newspapers which speak honestly without fear of censorship, and people who have earned the same liberty of expression are invariably found together. Where you have one, you automatically have the other. One brings the other about and demands its perpetuation with no strings attached.

Any man in the public eye should welcome the justified criticism of the press. It stands for reassurance that the processes by which he attained official stature are safeguarded by enlightened public opinion that is constantly refreshed by the vigilant reporter and editorial writer. Hence, the dailies and weeklies of Oregon and the other 47 states are really crusading for better government as they discharge their obligation to inform and educate their readers.

Certain unfortunate countries deny their newspapers and their citizens the right to give and receive this vital service. I, personally, would want no part of the life of those countries.

Douglas McKay,
Governor.

Locals

Mrs. J. M. Smock and Mrs. George W. Thrasher of Holland, made a trip to Grants Pass last week. Mrs. Thrasher proceeded on to Medford later where she was called by the illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Peterson of Junction City, were here for the weekend visiting the former's brother, R. A. Peterson of the Kerby Market and his uncle, Grant Carothers of Cave Junction.

Mrs. A. M. Carson, Mrs. Dorene



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training at Fort Ord, California, and will report for duty at Fort Benning, Georgia, by September 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hickey of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Fischer of Central Point, visited last weekend at the home of John H. Dow on Caves highway. Messrs. Hickey and Fischer were also callers at the News office, the former being an old time printer who worked with Mr. Athey's brother, the late O. W. Athey, years ago when both were employed at the Portland Journal. Mr. Fisher also on the retired list is a well known Oregon publisher.

On Tuesday evening a number of neighbors and friends surprised Mrs. John Hill, on her birthday. The company enjoyed a social evening of visiting and singing using the new Spinnet piano of the Hill's. Refreshments of sandwiches, cakes and coffee were served

by the ladies, and many happy returns of the day wished Mrs. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morey spent the weekend in Medford where they visited the former's mother, Mrs. W. B. Lesh. They made a trip to Ashland where they also visited their daughter who recently left to attend SOCE. Mrs. Morey brought the news which will be of interest to many of the Kerby students that Bob Magwire was elected president of the Freshman class at SOCE. He attended Kerby last year.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Treve Allen of Cave Junction, Friday, September 20, at 8:10 p. m., a baby girl, weight 7 pounds 4 ounces.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Leonard of Bridgeview, at the Josephine General hospital in Grants Pass, a baby girl, born Wednesday morning, October 5th.

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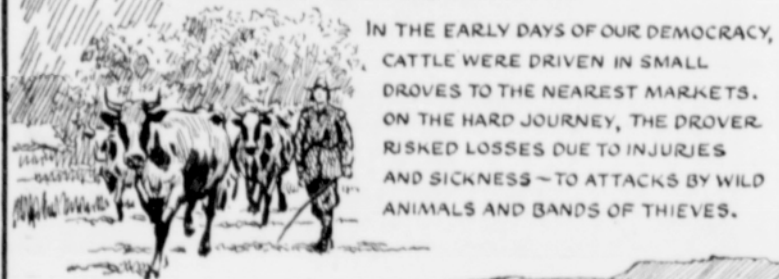
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Directly across the street from American Legion Hall

OUR DEMOCRACY—by Mat

THE DROVER



IN THE EARLY DAYS OF OUR DEMOCRACY, CATTLE WERE DRIVEN IN SMALL DROVES TO THE NEAREST MARKETS. ON THE HARD JOURNEY, THE DROVER, RISKED LOSSES DUE TO INJURIES AND SICKNESS—TO ATTACKS BY WILD ANIMALS AND BANDS OF THIEVES.



ATER, AS THE WEST OPENED UP, CATTLE WERE DRIVEN IN GREAT HERDS FOR LONG DISTANCES ACROSS BARREN COUNTRY TO RAIL HEADS... THE LOSSES, BOTH IN SIZE OF HERDS AND WEIGHT OF CATTLE, WERE ENORMOUS.



TODAY, OUR COUNTRY'S MODERN SYSTEMS OF TRANSPORTATION MAKE IT POSSIBLE TO SHIP CATTLE, BY TRUCK AND RAIL, WITH SUCH SPEED AND EFFICIENCY, THAT THEY REACH MARKET IN PRIME CONDITION WITH VIRTUALLY NO RISK—AND COMPARATIVELY LITTLE LOSS.