

Directors Award Fuel, Insurance Contracts Monday

Farmers Insurance Group of Medford submitted the low bid for comprehensive liability insurance covering school directors, employees and busses at the August board of directors meeting of School District 6 Monday evening.

The Medford firm, which has written the policy for the past several years, was awarded the contract on their bid of \$1159.70.

Other bidders were: Faber-Stratton Insurance, \$1208.60; Bell & Stover, \$1238.93; Medford Insurance, \$1242.69 and Tucker Agency, \$1441.57.

Faber's Fuel, Richfield Oil Corporation and Standard Oil Co., were successful bidders for the gasoline and fuel bids for the district for the year July 1, 1956, to June 30, 1957.

Faber's Fuel won the stove oil, fuel oil and sawdust bids. Their quotation was: stove oil, 16.2c per gallon; fuel oil, 15.1c per gallon and sawdust, \$3.66 per unit or \$5.50 per truck load.

Richfield Oil Corporation won the gasoline contract for the district with quotations of 22.7c per gallon for regular and 25.7c per gallon for ethyl.

Standard Oil Co. was awarded the contract for fuel oil with a price of \$3.00 per barrel, FOB Eureka, California.

Other bidders were Associated Oil, Shell Oil Co and Union Oil Co.

In other business before the board, it was voted to add 50 feet of paving and 110 feet of gutter on the south side of Crater High school at the bus loading zone. Oiling of the school drive toward Upton road and paving of the tennis court at Gold Hill was also authorized. Work is to be done by T. R. Florey.

A motion was made and passed that two flag poles be purchased for the new elementary schools at Central Point and Gold Hill.

A routine resolution was passed allowing the district to borrow money from the bank during the summer months when tax payments are slow. A student insurance plan was also discussed.

Directors present were C. W. Anhorn, Lester James, Norman Gail, Wilton White and Bill Askwith.

Cub Scouts Picnic Slated August 23

The annual picnic of Pack 40, Cub Scouts of Central Point, will be held Thursday evening, August 23, beginning at 5 p.m., at Tou Velle state park on the Rogue River.

Games will be played and prizes given the winners. The picnic will be potluck with the pack furnishing beverages and ice cream.

All parents of Cub Scouts are urged to contact the den mothers in their locality as soon as possible.



U. S. Weather Bureau
Max. Min. Prec.

Aug. 9	90	54
Aug. 10	84	50
Aug. 11	87	49
Aug. 12	96	50
Aug. 13	91	52
Aug. 14	93	50
Aug. 15	85	53

Daughter Seeks Word About Missing Dad

A letter was recently received by Central Point police seeking information on the whereabouts of Paris Atchley, thought to be about 60 years of age.

Atchley was a Central Point resident about 20 years ago according to his daughter, Mrs. Marie Zolman, Alta-Pass, Illinois, who is seeking to locate him.

Persons who have any information about the man are asked to contact Police Chief Wallace Bowen.

Grange to Meet Friday Evening

Central Point Grange members will hold their regular meeting at 8 p.m. on Friday, August 17, at the grange hall in Central Point.

The degree work that had been scheduled for the September meetings has been postponed until later in the year.

Have you an heirloom? If so, be sure to bring it for the display table. Mrs. Marshall Weidman, HEC chairman, is in charge of the display table for this meeting. She will bring a family tree bedspread for the table. Other grangers are asked to bring items.

Delmar Smith, lecturer, expects to have his safety program for this meeting. Serving on the refreshment committee will be Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Edwards and Effie Caster.

Gates, Paulsen Plan Market Addition Opening Monday

The store addition in the Freeman building, being remodeled by Don Paulsen and Martin Gates of Paulsen Thrift Market, will be opened to customers next Monday, August 20.

The entire ground floor of the Freeman building has been remodeled and redecorated for use as a grocery store. A 40-foot archway has been constructed between the present market and the addition.

The two men announced that they will expand their grocery operation to utilize the additional space.

The meat department, operated by Frank Strauss, will be moved into the new addition and enlarged. The produce section of the present market will be enlarged.

Additional display islands, refrigerated cabinets and display tables will be added and rearranged for customer convenience.

The check stand location will be moved to better serve the enlarged store operation.

It was emphasized by Don Paulsen that the additional space and the present market will be devoted strictly to a super market operation. Foods, produce and meats will be featured. No specialty departments will be added to the operation.

Ball Players Asked To Return Uniforms

Boys who participated in the summer recreation program have been asked by Bill Esselstyn, recreation director, to return baseball suits as soon as possible.

Both Pee Wee and Intermediate ball players are asked to return their suits.

Uniforms may be left with Esselstyn at his home on East Pine street.

Snyder to Open Bakery Saturday In Howard Bldg.

The Patty Cake Bakery, formerly located in Medford, is being moved to Central Point this week and it is expected that the firm will be opened early next week.

The bakery is being moved into the Howard building on Pine street.

S. V. Snyder is the owner and operator of the new Central Point business firm. Snyder has a record of 27 years' experience in the bakery business. He has worked in New York City, New Jersey, Philadelphia and was chief baker for the U. S. Army at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, during World War II. For the past year and one-half, he has operated the Patty Cake Bakery in Medford.

Snyder announced that he will conduct a retail and wholesale bakery business. He will feature breads, cakes, pies, cookies and specialty goods.

If all arrangements of moving go well, Snyder said he may be ready to open the bakery on Saturday, August 18. If not, the firm will be opened next week, probably on Monday.

Mrs. Snyder will assist him in the bakery. Several other persons will also be employed in the firm.

Snyder is presently living in Medford. He anticipates moving to Central Point as soon as housing can be located.

The Howard building location was the former location of a bakery which was operated for a time shortly after World War II.

Council, Board Agree to Closer City-School Aid

Councilmen composing the police and fire committees of Central Point city council, fire and police chiefs and Mayor Donald E. Faber attended the School District 6 directors meeting Monday evening to propose closer cooperation between the city and the school district.

Councilmen attending were E. R. Yocom, M. C. Gleason and L. J. Bigham. Fire Chief D. D. Turner and Police Chief Wallace Bowen were also present.

The purpose of the meeting, as stated by Councilman Gleason, was to ask the school board to outline what is expected of the city police and fire departments regarding school matters.

It was also brought out that the principals of the local schools and the chiefs of the two departments would meet later to work out specific areas of cooperation and assistance.

Police Chief Bowen presented his suggestions for a 10-point program in which, city police officers would aid and cooperate with school personnel. Main point of this program was a suggestion that twice-monthly discussion groups be set up between officers and student drivers and bike riders.

Fire Chief Turner mentioned that the city department should work more closely with the schools on fire drills and fire prevention matters.

Both bodies agreed to closer cooperation between the city and schools.

Myers-Holland Legion Post Wins State Member Trophy

Street Oiling Set Next Week

Preparation of city streets for oiling is being carried on this week by the city street crew.

It is planned to oil those streets which were not treated last year. In addition, a number of intersections will be re-worked and oiled to repair winter damage.

Employees of the city have been grading and spreading granite-oil mixture on city streets in preparation for oiling.

If preparation work is completed, it is planned to spread the oil next week. Hughes & Dodd, the same firm which sprayed the oil last year, will do the work this year.

Streets to be oiled include: Cherry, north First, Seventh, Fifth, Alder from the highway to Fourth, Ninth from Maple to Hazel, Bigham Drive and Bush.

Motorists are asked to drive carefully next week and allow the oil to set on the treated streets.

Kincaid Elected New Chairman of Plan Commission

W. B. Kincaid of Central Point was elected permanent chairman of the Central Point planning commission during the August meeting held Monday evening at the city hall.

Kincaid, who has been acting as temporary chairman, takes over the post from William Askwith, who resigned to take a chair on the board of directors of School District 6.

Members of the commission approved and sent to the city council a petition asking for a zone change in the southwest part of the city.

The area changed from heavy industrial (zone 4) to residential (zone 1) is located south of west Pine street. The zone runs south on Amy street to the alley between Alder and Ash streets; jogs over to Haskell street at the Alder street intersection and continues to Glenn Way.

It was also voted to accept the temporary plot plan of extension four of the Lotus subdivision in the White City area.

A request for a proposed subdivision of Jake Meyers property was tabled for the present pending a conference of adjoining property owners.

Members of the commission present were W. B. Kincaid, Oliver Obenchain, J. R. Krupp, Victor Noel, and L. P. Lovejoy.

Motorist Cited After Collision

The car driven by Ruth Aileen Clemmer, 23, of Route 1, Central Point, received minor damage at 8:30 p.m. Saturday, August 11, when struck by the vehicle driven by Jesse M. Storm, 75, Shady Cove.

The accident occurred at the intersection of Front and Pine streets. Clemmer was traveling on Pine street and Storm was traveling on Front street.

Clemmer was driving a 1951 DeSota and Storm was driving a 1947 Chevrolet.

Storm was cited by city police for failure to stop at a red light.

Myers - Holland Post 129, American Legion of Central Point, established another first last Thursday evening when it was presented the Clyde R. Dickey Membership trophy for having the greatest percentage gain in membership over the past four years.

The local post, the first in Southern Oregon to receive this trophy from the Department of Oregon, American Legion, showed a membership gain of over 200 per cent during the period.

In addition to the trophy, the post was awarded an honor ribbon for reaching its membership quota by December 31, 1956, and a citation for exceeding its quota by June 20, 1956. All three awards are on display in the window of Central Point Pharmacy.

Presentation of the awards was made by Gene Orr, past district commander, who represented the department commander.

Members attending the Thursday evening meeting, also heard reports of the department convention given by the three delegates, Comdr. Jerry Bianconi, Dewey Gearin and William Keizur.

It was announced that newly installed District 13 Commander, Fred Dayton of Grants Pass, has called a district post officers and executive committee meeting for 8 p.m. Monday, August 20, at the Legion Memorial hall in Central Point. Every officer and executive committeemen of every post in the district is urged to attend. Members are also asked to be present.

The next regular meeting of Myers-Holland Post 129 will be Thursday evening, August 23, in a joint meeting with Unit 129, Ladies Auxiliary.

Homestead Farm Shows Champion

Homeplace Elenmere 402, Black Angus bull owned by the Homestead Angus Farm of Central Point, was named grand champion Black Angus at the Josephine County Fair held last week in Grants Pass.

The animal is owned by Mr. and Mrs. John Cupp, owners and operators of the local farm.

Homestead Angus Farm also won six blue ribbons and five red ribbons with the other Black Angus exhibited at the fair.

The blue ribbons were for: senior get of sire, pair of yearling bulls, pair of yearling heifers, champion male champion female and junior get of sire.

Benny Peek of Central Point is herdsman for the farm.

Fish Ladder Job Started at GH

GOLD HILL — Contractors Cline and White have begun work on the new fish ladder for the Ideal Cement company's hydro plant at Gold Hill.

They will widen the canal which will bring water to the forebay 75 to 95 feet. The old ladder is to be straightened and lead directly into the river. Trash will be carried on an automatic belt and dumped on the side. Before men from the plant had to clean it by hand.

Solid rock near the bottom of the new fish ladder is being drilled for blasting. The blasting job has been sub-contracted.