Noted In File Of County Sheriff

WEDDING RING DEPARTS

One white gold wedding ring with five small diamonds, value unknown, has departed the home of Mrs. Lon Kinnaman, Route 1, Box 620, Aloha, who reports the theft.

The bit of jewelry turned up missing about March 28, from a powder jar located in her bathroom.

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YOU JUST NEVER KNOW

Follow up report on the 1,000 pound welder, reported stolen from a Portland supply house, was made April 6 by Henry Mayfield, Beaverton police officer. The equipment has been found in Castle Rock, Washington, and the guilty thieves apprehended.

Just showing how the human mind works when it lays the finger of suspicion, the file points out that the suspect originally listed as a "probable" was not connected in any way with the deed.

How often first suspicious run afoul the truth!

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PARKING "PROWLERS"

William Warrens, Lois Avenue, Reedville, on April 11, passed on a report from the woman next door that an old model sedan with two tail lights and headlights close together as well as a possible auxiliary fog light, spent 15 or 20 minutes in her driveway.

Nothing was known to have been disturbed on premises.

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BICYCLE LARCENY

Larceny of one Rambler's girl bicycle, April 7, one 16" Chevrolet wheel and Firestone tire, several consignments of gasoline and approximately 100 jars of fruit during the last six months, has been reported by Mrs. F. E. Cummings, 415 Walker Road.

A young man in the neighborhood is the present suspect. The bicycle was founr April 8 at West Slope by State Police Officer Blank.

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SUSPICIOUS BLACK CAR

Ed Coon, Route 3, Portland—Bonny Slope—reports two suspicious men in a '46 or '47 black Buick sedan with California license plates have been trying to get young kids into his car with them, at Laidlow Road and Bonny Slope.

One is described as 50 years old, 6' 10", weighing about 245 pounds with glasses and a grey suit. The other is heavy set with thick spectacle frames and wearing a hat with turned down brim.

Officers have been unable to locate the duo but one is alleged to have passed as an insulation salesman.

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NO COMPLAINT SIGNED

Kenneth Andrews, Route 1, Box 390, Sherwood, did not want to sign a complaint in the matter but he reported that on April 7, about 8:45 p. m., a Norwood acquaintance attacked him in his home as Andrews was changing clothes to attend the light ceremony.

Both had a drink or so before the fracas.

Baseball Squad Faces Jinx But Keeps on Trying

With the first round of play nearly over, Beaverton's baseball team has yet to break into the win column. The Beavers have dropped their first four games this season although two of them have been by close margins.

The season's opener at Forest Grove saw Beaverton drop a 5-2 verdict although Norman Haines gave up only one hit.

The locals again outhit their opponents when they met Newberg but faulty fielding and erratic pitching allowed the Tigers to score 8 runs to the Beavers 3.

Beaverton was leading 3-0 and flinger Haines had allowed only one hit up to that time but a 4-run explosion in the fourth inning enabled the McMinnville Grizzlies to edge out Beaverton 4-3.

In a real pitchers duel, Hilhi Spartans took a 2-1 nod from the Beavers. Hurler Reucker limited Beaverton to only two hits while Bud Ramsdell gave up four. The balk rule worked against the locals in this game as it was responsible for one of Hillsboro's runs.

R. Hutchinson

Services and interment for Raymond R. Hutchinson, 78, of Route 1, Deer Island, Ore., were held at Crescent Grove Cemetery, Beaverton on Wednesday, April 19, at 10:30 a.m.

The Rev. George Springer officiated. Pegg's Mortuary, Beaverton, was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Hutchinson was born on October 16, 1871, in Peoria County, Illinois. He was a retired railroad trainman and had spent many years railroading at Peoria, Illinois.

He came to Oregon in 1935 where he made his home with his sister at Deer Island until his death on April 14.

He is survived by 1 brother and 2 sisters: Harry Hutchinson, of Rte. 1, Aloha, Mrs. Rose Smith, of Rte. 1, Deer Island, Ore., and Mrs. Aura Leonard of East Peoria, Ill., as well as nieces and nephews.

WEEKEND IN SPOKANE

Mr. and Mrs. Hercules Alex and daughter of Pacific Ave., visited from Friday until Sunday with Mrs. Alex's sister in Spokane, Washington.

Beaverton Wins Annual 10-Team Relays Session

A speedy, well-balanced Beaver thinclad team placed in six events and scored 44 points to win the annual Beaverton Relays here last Friday. By nabbing two first place berths and four seconds, Coach Ed Bader's boys out-distanced runner-up Gresham by 10 points.

The shuttle hurdle team of Don Chambers, Ray DeYoung, Jerome Olson and Burton Gredvig contributed the main surprise by cutting 9/10 of a second off the shuttle-hurdle record, despite a soggy track. The boys ran the course in 52.3 seconds breaking the old record set by Hillsboro in 1947. Only other Bevo first was in the sprint medley.

Runner-up Gresham won three first places and two thirds to net them 34 points and second place in the meet.

Points are given on a 10-6-2 basis.

Results:

Shuttle hurdles: Beaverton, Hillsboro, Tigard. Time: :52.3 (new record.

3-mile relay: Newberg, McMinnville, Gresham. Time: 14:46.4.

One mile relay: Gresham, Beaverton, Hillsboro. Time: 3:51.2.

Sprint medley: Beaverton, Seaside, Tigard: Time 1:12.9.

Distance medley: Gresham, Beaverton, West Linn. Time: 8:41.8.

High jump: Hillsboro, Beaverton, Gresham. Height: 15'.

Shot put: Gresham, Seaside, Hillsboro. Distance: 120'.

Football throw: Seaside, Beaverton, Newberg. Distance: 416' 3".

School scores:

Beaverton 44, Gresham 34, Seaside 22, Hillsboro 20, Newberg 12, McMinnville 6, Tigard 4, West Linn 2, Oregon City and Forest Grove did not place.

Beaver cindermen will play host to Tigard and Newberg high schools in a 3-way track meet Thursday. Fourteen events will be held in the first regular meet of the season.

High and low hurdles, 100-yard and 220-yard dashes, 440, 880, one half mile relay and the mile will be the running events. Broad and high jumping, pole vaulting, shot put, discus, and javelin will complete the tussel.

An inter-class track meet has been planned for Friday. Competition is open to both boys and girls but track lettermen cannot take part.

TYV League Passes Annual Hayward Relays, Apr. 21-22

SLOWDOWN BY WEATHER AND DATE CONFLICTS PUT STOPPERS ON ENTRIES FOR THIS YEAR

TYV league entries in the annual Hayward Relays, sponsored by the Eugene Active club at the University of Oregon on April 21-22, have come up against date conflicts and slowdowns occasioned by the relutance of Spring weather, according to I. R. Metzler, president of the league. As far as is known at press-time, no league schools will enter the competition.

A large and talented field will come to the post for the 13th annual track event, according to announcement made from the entry lists of Oregon and Washington schools for the 1950 prep classic.

For the first time since 1941 out of state schools are being entered in the meet and the 1941 champion, Vancouver high school, leads the list. It seems certain that the Washington schools will have at least a half a dozen teams trying for championships in the three divisions.

The state prep track powers are also registering their squad lists and the heavy field which competed in the 1949 Hayward Relays may be exceeded when the last entry has been accepted. Last year the totals were 19 teams in Class A, and 14 in both Class B and C.

All of the contenders for the 1949 titles will be on hand to meet the challenge of the large entry list. Klamath Falls and Medford, who ran one-two in the tight race for the Class A title, will face a stiff test from teams which have improved over last season.

In the Class B division Cottage Grove and Ashland, the two dominate entries last season both face the prospect of a rugged afternoon. Henley, one of the powers in Class C for a number of years, also will have its hands full winning again.

The Class A division will be run on Saturday this season and the Class B and C teams will fight it out on Friday. The Class A schools will share the track with the Oregon-Washington State Northern Division dual meets. The preps will start their field events at 11 a. m. and the running events at noon. The varsity track meet between the Ducks and the Cougars will follow the presentation of the trophies.

HAZELDALE SETS UP SOFTBALL ACTIVITY

A softball team has been organized for Hazeldale and Carl Huth, Sr. has been named manager.

Practice will start Sunday April 23 at 1 p. m. on the school diamond. They hope to have a large turnout of the local citizenry to view their efforts.

WSCS Hear First Hand Report On Mission In India

The WSCS of the First Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. C. Roseman on Farmington road Friday April 14 at 1:30 p. m. with 29 attending.

After refreshments were served by Mrs. Roseman the meeting was called to order by Gladys Strickland. Mrs. Margaret Miller led the devotions.

At the end of business, the group was given a real treat when Miss Jennie Smith, sister of Mrs. Roseman gave a talk on experiences as a missionary in India. Miss Smith spent 33 years in this work and is now retired.

SUNDAY VISITORS

Visitors at August Goege home were Mrs. P. W. Peets and family and Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Thompson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Boyd and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hughes from Battle Ground also were callers at the Foege home Sunday evening.

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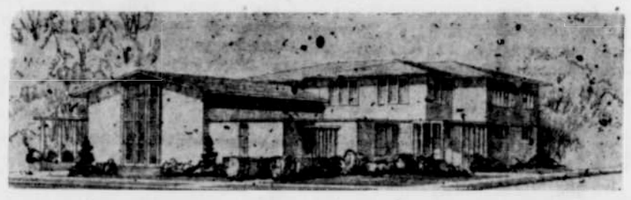

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NICARAGUAN STUDIES COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE METHODS

R. A. Salmeron, of Managua, Nicaragua, recently completed an eight months study of U. S. agricultural extension service methods, finishing with a ten day investigation in Washington county. Purpose of his visit, he explained, was to learn of the program in order to apply it in his own country.

The Oregon service, he said, is outstanding. Its 4-H activity, for instance, is unusual in that it includes youth of cities as well as in rural areas. Such a setup he believes would admirably fit the needs of Nicaragua.

Mr. Salmeron pointed out that he had no concern with the county agent program, such as seed certification, soil testing or any of the innumerable phases of the work. He only sought to interpret the extension idea as he might apply it in his own country.

At home, he relates, farmers live in towns and go out to the land to farm. Thus, youth who live in towns might well use Oregon 4H methods to carry out club projects. Of course, before a 4H movement can get underway in Nicaragua, it will be necessary to train adults as leaders.

About 80% of Nicaragua's population is agricultural, either directly or indirectly, Salmeron says. There is not too much specialization as agricultural producers must do a little of everything.

In addition to heavy coffee production, there is beef, cane sugar, corn, beans, rice and banana. Other significant pursuits are gold mining and hardwood lumbering. Nicaragua is about 57,000 square miles in area, about the size of Wisconsin, with a population of 1,200,000.

Size of the country and export-import restrictions complicate agriculture and discourage specialization. The lack of unity between the many Central American countries accounts for duplication of production and the lessening of commercial development.

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