

Leaves on Vacation — Miss Ollie Depew, Professor of English at Southern Oregon college left June 14 for Elkhart, Indiana where she will visit her mother during the summer. She will also visit her sister in Fort Wayne, Indiana and plans a trip to Chicago before returning to Ashland in September.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett are now living at 758 B street, formerly the home of the Ken Millers who have moved to Richmond, Calif.

It was announced by Fred Surber of Ashland that he has taken over the management of the Acme Cleaners at 1035 Iowa street and will operate a pick-up and delivery service.

Local Happenings

Return from Missouri — Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Love of 156 3rd street returned this week from a 3 months trip to Nevada, Missouri. They were called east by the serious illness of Mr. Love's sister. The Love's visited at various points in Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico and report that they saw plenty of oil everywhere. Mrs. Love stated this week that southern Oregon surely looked more beautiful to her than ever, after the extended trip through the mid-west.

Drama Editor Here — Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Marks and son Rupert of Portland stopped in Ashland Saturday while on their way south for a two weeks vacation. Mr. Rupert is drama editor for the Oregon Journal and while here he made reservations for his family and also Mr. and Mrs. Herb Larson and four children to spend three days in Ashland during the Shakespearean Festival in August. Mr. Larson is drama editor of the Oregonian. While on their vacation the Marks will spend two days in San Francisco, a week in Los Angeles and some time in San Diego and Reno.

Attend Convention — Mrs. Elizabeth Spencer, Worthy Matron of Alpha Chapter of O.E.S. and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde N. Caton spent from Sunday until today in Portland where the ladies attended Grand Chapter of O.E.S. Mr. Caton attended Grand lodge while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Litwiller and daughter Doris are spending the week vacationing in Yosemite and other California points of interest.

Dr. and Mrs. William Bracker and two small sons are leaving today for a six weeks trip which will take them to Boston and other eastern cities. They will also visit with relatives in Wisconsin before their return.

Professor and Mrs. Angus Bowmer are taking a final brief vacation in San Francisco this week before plunging into the Shakespearean season. On Monday the auditions are scheduled for the four plays which will be presented between August 2 and 24.

Fred Taylor and Eldon Scripser braved the week-end rains to camp along the Klamath river in northern California, where they were rewarded by some good fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pederson of Wightman street left on Monday for southern California where they will visit with relatives in and around Los Angeles.

Mrs. Jennie Wolcott of 248 3rd street left for Eugene last week to attend the university commencement of her grandson, Phil. She expects to visit in Salem before her return.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cooper of Rt. 1, Box 468, announce the arrival of a son Leo Richard born June 5 at the Ashland General hospital.

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Girl Scouts Spend Busy Week in Park

The Girl Scouts of the Ashland area got off to a late start with their week of summer "day camp" due to the inclement weather on Monday. But by 10 o'clock the next day the upper picnic grounds in Lithia park were literally "jumping" with animated girls of all sizes, from the new little Brownies to the junior high teen agers.

Under the leadership of Mrs. Jean Reagan, five different age groups are being directed in the varied activities of scouting. From swimming and games to handicrafts and hikes, each girl is participating in a week's program aimed at developing the abilities expected in a Girl Scout. On the opening day, lunches were brought, but thereafter each unit planned and prepared their noon meal over an open fire.

Mrs. Fred Jones, as camp nurse, checked on all the young campers, while Ellen Haptonstall led the nature hikes in the woods and along the stream, and Mrs. Rodney Keating conducted the daily story telling hour.

The older girls, under the leadership of Mildred Hutchinson and Pearl Bentley made more distant treks over the hill to the Girl Scout cabin on Liberty street and if the weather permits, a mountain "primitive" camp may be made in the Siskiyou before the week ends.

The girls have been divided as to age groups into five units under capable adult leaders. The youngest third grade unit is under the direction of Estel Sohl and Kay LeManquis, Unit 2, the fourth graders, are directed by Teresa Schell and Elaine Duffy, Unit 3, the fifth graders have Nancy Jennings and Erlene Wright, Unit 4, is under Edna Brown, Shirley Gilbert and Sandra Clary, while the oldest girls have Mildred Hutchinson and Pearl Bentley as leaders.

Interspersed with athletic events and games are classes in cooking and handwork which will furnish the basis for the display on Friday. At that time the mothers of the young campers will be their guests at a noon lunch prepared and served at the picnic tables. The beautiful setting for the Ashland "day camp" has long been the subject for admiration by visitors and the Scout leaders are proud of facilities within the city limits for a mountain camp. The work done during the brief time has given proof of the value of such training and shows the possibilities for more extended courses during the summer vacation season.

Old Time Reporter Writes 'Thirty'

Many long time readers of the News Review will remember a contributor who wrote under the pen name of "Old Timer" and "Uncle Josh." Last Saturday at the age of 87, Charles Fritz, the "Old Timer" passed away at his home in Talent.

A Nova Scotian by birth, Mr. Fritz came to the United States in 1883 at the age of 22. He graduated from Thiel college, Greenville, Penna., in 1889 and immediately took up newspaper work in the east. For a short time he lived in Florida, moving to Ashland in 1933, where he has resided continuously ever since.

He is survived by two brothers, Arthur of Nova Scotia and Ernest of Cape Cod, Mass. His wife Elizabeth, passed away in 1946.

Services were held Tuesday morning at 10:30 at the Litwiller Funeral Chapel with Rev. O. W. Klingsheim officiating. Interment was beside his wife in Hargadine cemetery.

Glen Edward Dillon Set For Naval Reserve Cruise

Midshipman Glen Edward Dillon, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Henry Dillon of 981 Siskiyou Blvd., and a student at Oregon State college is scheduled to participate in the annual six week Naval Reserve Officer training cruise, beginning June 17, it has been announced by the ninth naval district.

One hundred fifty-three midshipmen seniors and 824 midshipmen sophomores from 24 colleges, representing all sections of the United States, will report to the Treasure Island naval station June 17 and 18 for orientation and assignment to a cruise ship.

The cruise will include a visit to Pearl Harbor, where organized tours covering the varied scenic interests in the city of Honolulu and around the Island of Oahu have been arranged.



ROY deMILLE OF ASHLAND, who has become well known for his western paintings, not only contributed the first article for the News Review's Old Timer Corner, but also the pen and ink sketch, shown above, which will hereafter appear as the identifying heading for the new feature.

Pioneer Days in Ashland's Lithia Park

In these beautiful mountains the pioneer days have nearly been forgotten. The old Indian trails and the early wagon trails will soon be blotted out over the Siskiyou range. No tongue can tell the hardships which the pioneers had to endure. Settlers came to the valley where Ashland now stands from many places in the east and the middle west. They traveled by Concord stages, the old freight wagons rumbling down the mountain sides through the canyons over what we would consider no roads at all. Stage coaches used six horses, and freighters used twelve to sixteen. The mule skinner used a spring board that slipped under the bed of the wagon behind the wheel team. Sometimes he rode the spring board and sometimes he rode the left wheel horse, using a jerk line on the left lead horse.

What is now Lithia park was the center of much activity in early days. John Chandler built and operated the first shingle mill in 1877 using the power from Ashland creek. There used to be a sawmill located near

what is now the reservoir. It sawed and finished most of the lumber used in the buildings of Ashland. A. P. Hammond, a millwright by profession, engineered the building of many houses. There were many other pioneer business men who brought settlers to this area. Some of them are still well remembered by the old timers of Ashland. In 1854 the first flour mill was built by A. D. Helman, Jacob Wagner and E. K. Anderson. J. W. Zimmerman built and operated the first iron foundry and machine shop about 1876, and A. D. Helman and L. S. T. Marsh owned a furniture factory near where the band shell is today. It was built in 1862 and did an active business for many years.

What is now Lithia park was the center of much activity in the early days of settlement. After the city of Ashland bought the property which extends up the canyon and along the creek, John McLaren, the designer of the famous Golden Gate park in San Francisco, laid out and landscaped the park. It is considered one of the finest of natural parks in Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McKeever drove to Portland the first of the week where they met Mrs. McKeever's mother and sister, Mrs. S. D. Scripser and Mrs. Pearl Underhill of Detroit, Kansas, who will return for a visit with the McKeever's and other relatives in Ashland.

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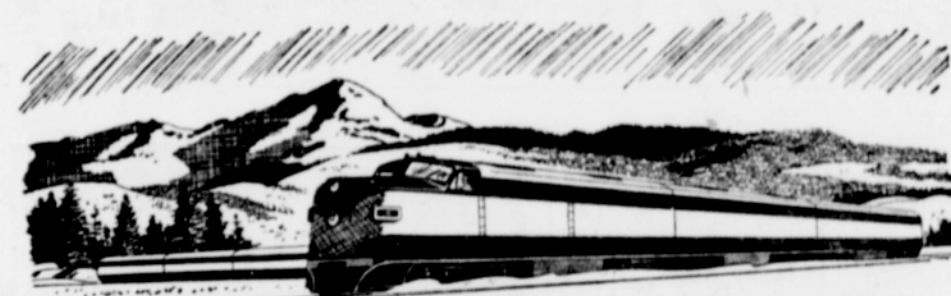
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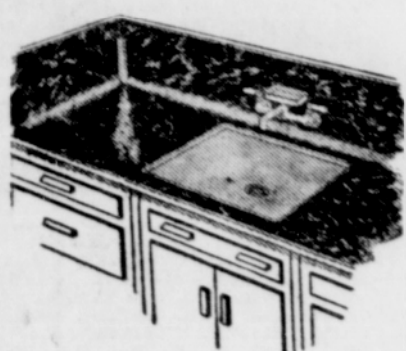
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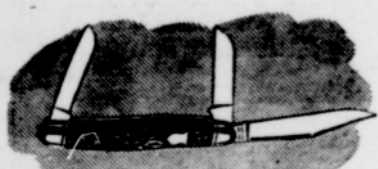
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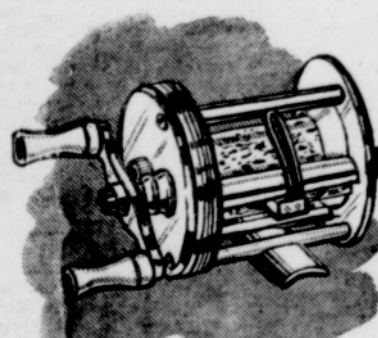
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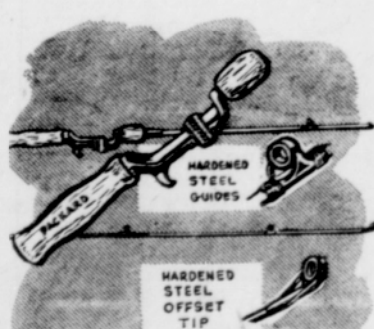
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