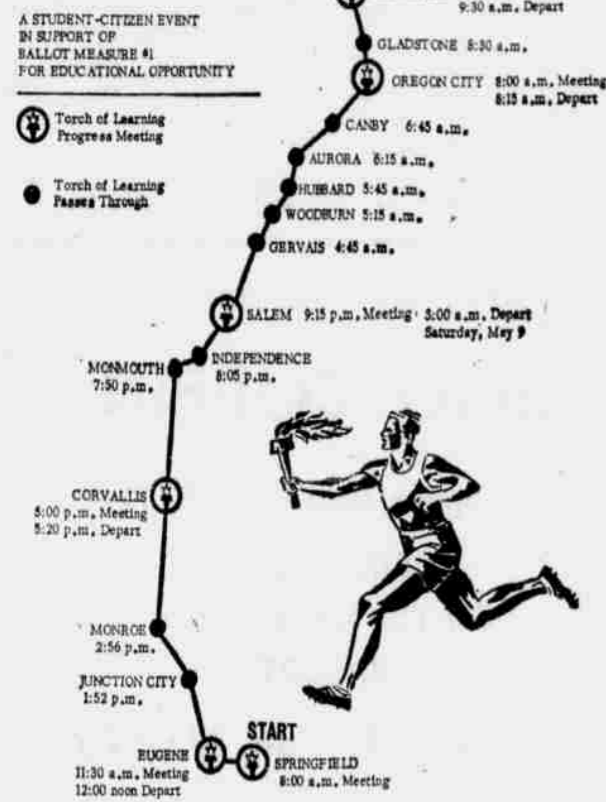


Torch of Learning-Progress Marathon



Students To Stage Marathon Run May 8

An all-out sincere student-citizen attempt to alert the entire state of Oregon to the crucial need for classrooms—and to the cooperative willingness of the thousands of responsible young people to help pay for them through bond-borrowing—will get underway Friday, May 8.

The events will continue through the week-end and until the eve of the May 15 primary election.

Students from Oregon's 18 colleges, universities, community colleges and vocational-technical schools have initiated the proposal to join hands with citizens in every county of the state to participate in a 14-hour "Torch of Learning Progress Marathon" and "Town Square Progress Meetings" in dozens of communities.

All events are keyed to the "Education Means Progress" theme of the multi-county Colleges for Oregon's future citizen committees which are headed by three former governors and have enrolled other leaders from broad cross-sections of the state.

The week-long series of activities will emphasize importance of passage of Measure No. 1 on the state ballot authorizing limited bond-borrowing for construction of post-high school instructional projects.

Participating in the series of events will be thousands of Oregonians, broadly representative of the state's community life—including business, industry,

government, labor, the professions, retired citizens and the students.

Starting from Springfield at 8 a.m. Friday with a torch-lighting ceremony and a town square meeting, students representing University of Oregon, Oregon Technical Institute, Eugene Vocational-Technical School, Southern Oregon College and Central Oregon College will begin the one-mile-per-student marathon run.

Oregon State University and Oregon College of Education students will join the marathon at a joint Benton-Linn county public meeting in Corvallis at 5 p.m. Friday and will run through Monmouth and Independence for a Marion-Polk county meeting in Salem Friday night at 9:15.

Joined by Portland State College and additional community college representatives, the student runners will head out Saturday morning for public meetings scheduled in Oregon City and Milwaukie. They will reach Portland for a metropolitan area meeting in the Lloyd Center Plaza at 10:30 a.m.

Meetings similar to those scheduled along the marathon route in which both students and community leaders will take part on behalf of the constitutional amendment on the May 15

Community Takes Part In Scouts' 'Fun Fair'

By LaVELLE PARTLOW

IRRIGON—The Scouts' "Fun Fair," sponsored Saturday by the Irrigon Lions club and the A. C. Houghton PTA, for the purpose of raising money for the Cub Scouts, the Boy Scouts and the Sea Explorers, was attended by a large crowd. A concessions stand provided refreshments for the crowd at noon, followed by an auction of donated items in the afternoon. Following the auction, races were run and those 10 and under participated in a "pig scramble" with Patti Proctor coming out victor. The Riverside High school and A. C. Houghton junior high bands combined to present a band concert during an intermission of the auction.

The afternoon concluded with a softball game between the scouts and their dads and Scoutmasters. The dads and Scoutmasters won 13-12. Cub Master LaVern Christensen, Scoutmaster Myron Riddle and Sea Explorer Advisor Al Reeves expressed appreciation to the Lions club, who donated the pig for the pig scramble, Jorgensens Grocery, Complete Food Store, Irrigon Grange, Carrie's Cafe, Golde's Thriftway and all individuals who donated items to make the Fair a success. Special

appreciation was voiced for Bill Weatherford of Heppner, who served as auctioneer.

The Riverside high school band, under the direction of Bandmaster Al Reeves, will present a band concert at the Riverside High gymnasium Friday night, May 8, at 8:00 p.m. The first part of the concert will feature better known classical numbers, and the second portion will consist of jazz and modern music.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wilson and Mrs. Myrtle Markham drove to Pendleton Monday to attend the funeral of Merrill Doble, Mrs. Wilson's uncle.

The A. C. Houghton Primary Track Meet will be held at the school Wednesday, May 13, at 10:00 a.m.

Riverside High school Baccalaureate will be held at the Riverside High gymnasium Sunday evening, May 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wilson, Jim and Lonnie drove to Portland Friday evening, where they were overnight guests of Wilson's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilson and family. Mrs. Nora Wilson, Wilson's mother, returned to Irrigon with them Saturday evening for a visit.

City Plans Promoted

Members of the Irrigon City Council and the Park Board drove to Walla Walla Tuesday and met with the Corps of Engineers in order to coordinate planning of park facilities along the Columbia River within the city limits with the plans of the engineers. It is anticipated that the park will be constructed near the present boat ramp. Attending from Irrigon were: Mayor Chester Wilson, Mrs. Louis Shade, Mrs. Marguerite Houghton, Mrs. Albert Partlow, Orville Buchanan and Lloyd Cooley.

Joe Kozlovski, Planning Consultant of Lake Oswego, met with members of the Planning Commission, City Council and Park Board at the school house Wednesday evening. Mr. Kozlovski commended the group on the amount of work they had accomplished in planning for the City of Irrigon. The next work will involve the zoning phase.

Lloyd Cooley gave a report of the meeting between the Irrigon delegation and the Corps of Engineers in regard to park facilities in Irrigon. Perry Pummel presided over the meeting in the absence of the Planning Commission chairman, James Keith.

The Irrigon Baptist church held a potluck dinner at the church basement following their Sunday morning services, honoring their former pastor and his wife, Rev. and Mrs. Mel



THE LAST RUN—The last steam-powered Shay logging locomotive in the Pacific Northwest made her final run May 2 at Klickitat, Washington for St. Regis Paper Company's operations. Of all locomotives that crashed through the woods in the heyday of logging, the Shay was the favorite with her geared underpinning, she could climb the side of a mountain and go anywhere tracks could be laid. St. Regis is replacing the locomotive with diesel trucks to supply logs to its pine sawmill. But the Shay will always be remembered as the symbol of the most colorful era in logging industry.

Smith. Approximately 50 persons attended the dinner. Rev. Smith preached during the morning service, and special numbers were rendered by Susan McCoy, who played a flute solo accompanied by Georgene Hash, and by Rev. and Mrs. Mel Smith, who sang a duet.

The Morrow and Umatilla counties Retired Teachers Association met at the A. C. Houghton cafeteria Saturday afternoon for a potluck dinner and business meeting. Members present were: Maud Alexander, Anna Castric, Ollie Moorland, Joyce L. Guywits all of Hermiston, Sylvia A. Miller, Agnes McConnell and Mildred Bauer of Athena, Corinne Landreth and Ruth Foster of Pendleton, Lois Mayberry of Milton-Freewater, Myrtle McNamee and Sylvia Morgan of Irrigon. Corinne Landreth presided at the business meeting, in the absence of Hortense Coleburg. Each member told of her first teaching experience, and it was especially interesting to learn that Joyce L. Guywits, formerly Miss Rodaruck, was the first teacher at Irrigon. She and her mother both taught in Irrigon in 1906. Before adjourning, a picnic was announced for August, time and place to be announced at a later date.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Miller returned to Irrigon Friday, after spending the first part of the week camping and fishing at Rhea Creek near Heppner.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stephens attended a Golden Wedding anniversary in Lexington recently, honoring Mr. and Mrs. William Van Winkle. The reception was held at the Lexington Christian church. Cake, coffee and punch were served to the guests.

After visiting in Portland several days with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Fleming, Mrs. Grover Weaver went on to Silverton where she spent a week at the

Ferguson home. From Silverton she went to Medford where she visited for a week with her son, David Weaver, returning to Silverton for a week before returning to Irrigon.

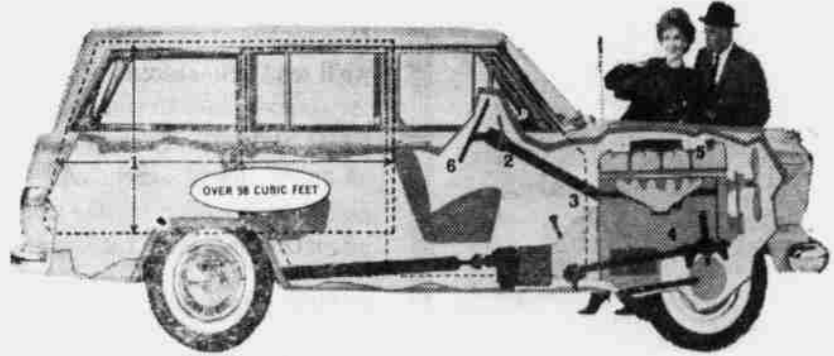
The Assembly of God Junior High Sunday school class met at the home of their Sunday school teacher, Mrs. Albert Partlow, Monday evening, for a "Hobo" party. The young people, attired as hobos, had the first course of their progressive meal at the Partlow residence, and went from there to the Assembly of God church basement, where they played games and ate chili beans from tin cans. The group concluded the evening at the Perry Pummel residence, where they had dessert.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Griffin are parents of a baby boy, Jeffrey Randall, born Saturday, May 2. The baby weighed 7 lbs., 9 oz., and has 3 older brothers. (Continued on page 8)

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