

In And Around Gold Hill

Gold Hill, Apr. 28.—The school bond election held in District No. 6 on April 24, carried by a large majority. The vote at the school gym at Gold Hill was 95 yes and 47 no. The board included Mrs. Melford Hood, chairman and judge, Mrs. Paul Holderness, judge and clerk, Mrs. Ferd Jones, judge and clerk and Mrs. Dale Collins, clerk.

Mrs. Lillie MacKay was honored April 24 at a "mother-in-law" party and birthday shower at the Grange dining room. Mrs. MacKay was showered with birthday cards and gifts and also miscellaneous shower gifts for her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mackay of Wiseville, Cal., who were married March 10 in Reno, Nev. The refreshment committee were Mrs. R. E. Shaw, Mrs. Eleanor Ganong, Mrs. Gertrude Rosecrans, Mrs. Rolan Rosecrans and Mrs. Wilbur Martin. There were more than thirty guests present and included Mesdames A. A. Walker, Vaughn Quakenbush, L. L. Loeffler, Ed Shoemaker, R. E. Shaw, C. L. Dusenberry, Reed McKay, Robert Pugh, E. C. Fiene, R. G. Wigle, C. A. Jenks, Soren Christensen, Charles Askin, Cecil Johnson, Paul Holderness, D. H. Stewart, Rolan Rosecrans, Mesdames Lucy Lucy Edington, Ethel Edington, Eleanor Ganong, Neomia Deming, Elmira, Oregon, Hattie Flock, Eugene, Oregon, Myrtle Reel, Nina Dusenberry, Ella Mae Edwards, Selma Kelley, Charles Graybeal, Paradise, Calif., Gertrude Rosecrans and Miss Reta Davis, and Messers E. C. Friene, Reed McKay and Charles Askin, and the honoree.

Mrs. Neomia Deming of Elmira, Ore. and Mrs. Nettie Fleck of Eugene, Ore. were week end guests at the home of their niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Soren Christensen. They have been visiting with friends and relatives in California and stopped enroute to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hard of Modesto, Cal., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kies. Mrs. Hard is a niece of Mrs. Kies.

Miss Anne Christensen left April 15 to visit with her sister

and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Delmas Chapman at Seaview, Wash. She returned to her home April 24 after spending Sunday in Portland.

The P.T.A. sale held at Gail's store April 22, netted a fair profit for the club. All food was sold and contributions were given the fund other than the sales.

The pension meeting was held at the school gym April 22. Officers elected were Charles Askin, president; Helen Shoemaker, secretary; John Hays, treasurer. The organization has about 80 members. The group that assembled heard a talk on pensions given by Senator Joseph E. Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grabeal returned to the Paul Holderness home April 22, after spending a week visiting relatives and friends in Seattle and near Portland. They left early April 28, for their home in Paradise, Cal. They were accompanied by Mrs. Holderness to visit with friends on Cow Creek, Wednesday.

The City of Gold Hill will go on daylight saving time on Sunday, by a resolution passed by the city council at a recent meeting. The school and all churches and business houses will conduct business on the new time schedule.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kell were week end guests in Portland at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gray last week end and while there were honored at their 48th wedding anniversary. Their son, Clarence, accompanied them. Mrs. Gray is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kell. Mrs. Nina Sprecher of Brea, Cal., arrived April 23, for a visit with her brother and his family, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith at their home on Fourth avenue.

While here, she helped observe her brother's birthday on April 25. Mrs. Smith prepared a birthday dinner and had as guests friends from Medford and Mrs. Sprecher.

The school band held a concert in the gym April 19 which was enjoyed by friends and parents of the band members. There are only nine members in the band this year. Their program consisted of a group of nine selections, under direction of Charles Cook.

Members of the band are Bart Quakenbush, trumpet; Joyce Clutter, snare drum; Jay Dillon, bass horn; Grace Gail, bass drum; Monna Lee Milner, clarinet; Billy Mitchell, trombone; Nadra Moore, clarinet; Virgil Ott, cornet; Judith Smith, trumpet.

Mr. Cook was visited one day last week by L. R. Wagner, who was band instructor at Rutgers University, when Mr. Cook was a student there a number of years ago.

According to "The Band Bulletin" from Rutgers U several arrangements by Mr. Cook, who was director from 1928 to 1939 at Rutgers, are still being used at the college.

The Rev. H. A. Dierdorff announces that Sunday School and church services at the Community Methodist Church will be held in accordance with DST beginning, Sunday, April 30, Sunday school at 10 a.m. and church at 11 a.m.



BURNING PROTEST—Unidentified Doukhobor stands idly by as the fire he purposely set consumes his cabin near Kestova, B. C. During a six-day reign of terror, nude, hymn-singing Doukhobors have set fire to 13 homes and two autos to warn of World War III and protest the use of atom bombs.

AROUND HOLLYWOOD

By VIRGINIA MacPHERSON
United Press Correspondent

Hollywood, Apr. 28.—(U.P.)—Hollywood has been whooping up the movie stars long enough, Vincent Price said today. The time has come to let the movie stars publicize Hollywood for a while.

He allows as how there's nothing wrong with the town's reputation that a few speeches here and there couldn't help. He thinks it'd be a fine idea if all the big names turned press agent.

"Like Charles Laughton," Price pointed out. "He tours the country reading the Bible. You'd be amazed at the amount of good that does. Robert Young's another one. He lectures on public safety."

Actor Price works pretty hard in that league himself. His specialty is art and culture. He'll hit the "cream-chicken-and-mashed-potatoes" circuit at the drop of an invite.

He can talk for hours on "the esthetic responsibility of the citizen and the actor." And when he gets through, the people have pretty well forgotten Sen. Edwin Johnson's descriptions of Hollywood as a nasty den of depravity and sin.

Price will talk to anybody who'll listen. He's sounded off to women's clubs, Girl scouts, book societies, Red Cross rallies, bond drives, art gatherings, school assemblies and even a local sorority mothers' group.

Sometimes there are 3,000 people in his audience. Sometimes only 50. He gives 'em all the full treatment.

It isn't easy. He can't look a patty shell stuffed with creamed chicken in the face any more, but he's changed a lot of ideas.

"Now and then you run into a pretty belligerent gang," Price said, "so you level with them. You admit Hollywood has its faults. Then you bear down on it's good points. And, believe it or not, it works."

Employment Gains Continue To Be Strong in Oregon

Salem, Ore., Apr. 28.—(U.P.)—Employment gains in industries, trade and service groups of Oregon continued strong and steady well into the third month, the state employment compensation commission reported today.

At least 45,000 of the unemployed were reported back on the job and further upturns were predicted in all parts of the state.

Nearly 400,000 non-farm workers were busy in mid-March, just five weeks after the end of the severe cold spell. And preliminary figures this month indicate that total will come close to the April record of 413,500 established just two years ago. If the advance maintains the same pace for the next three months, the commission said, employment by mid-summer may approach the all-time peak of 481,300 in August, 1948. Last year the comparative figures were 408,000 at this time and 443,400 at the top.

Lumber and logging operations led the employment pickup by putting 10,000 back to work in the six weeks before March 15, with nearly as many more since that date. But construction made the sharpest next gain over the past month, increasing 3,600 to 20,300. The total was only 300 ahead of a year ago, however, and left nearly 9,000 to be made up before reaching the 1949 peak.

Trade and service groups also reported increases, with retail merchants accounting for most of the gain with 2,400 more at work in mid-March than a month before.

Other activities barely held even with recent reports, and transportation, utilities, and furniture and fixtures manufacturing were several hundred below similar totals last year.

The commission said unemployment was shrinking considerably all over Oregon, although increases in some areas were slight, if any.

In the Oregon City district, only 1,800 were seeking jobs April 1 as compared with 3,900 a month before and 3,000 a year ago. But Astoria, Toledo, La Grande, Eugene, Freewater,

ing for jobs, a 6.7 per cent decline from a year ago. Other areas had 36,365 unemployed, 12.4 per cent fewer than in 1949. The commission noted that 28.7 per cent of the Portland job-seekers were women, compared with 24.8 per cent in other parts of the state.

Unemployment declines also were reflected in the continuing drop in the number of claimants for compensation, although a complicating factor was the rapid increase in the number of those who had exhausted benefit rights for the year ending next June 30. Only 22,684 were asking for help in the third week

of April, compared with 65,731 at the early February peak and 28,493 a year ago. Exhaustions were past the 28,000 mark and growing at the rate of 1,000 to 1,200 a week. A year ago the total was about 14,000.

200 MILLION TREES,

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administratrix of the estate of Mary J. Wolf, Deceased, has filed in the Circuit Court of Jackson County, Oregon, her duly verified final account and said court has fixed Monday, May 8, 1950, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the courtroom of said court as the time and place for the hearing of said final account. All persons having objections to said final account are notified to make or present the same to said court at or before said time.

DATED—April 7, 1950.

Nora Billa
Administratrix of the Estate of Mary J. Wolf, Deceased
Gus Newbury, Attorney for Administratrix

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Jackson County, in the Matter of the Estate of GEORGE ALLEN PARRICK, Deceased
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator has filed her final report and account, and that the 31st day of May, 1950, at 9:30 o'clock A. M. in the Courtroom of the above entitled Court at the Courthouse in Medford, Oregon has been fixed by the Court as the time and place for hearing objections to said final account, and for the examination and allowance thereof.

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