

GOLD HILL Fire Hazards Discussed

By MRS. CLYDE KELL
Gold Hill — Mayor Ernie Cooper presided at a meeting of the Gold Hill city council July 1, at which various ways of correcting the fire hazard situation within the city limits were discussed.

The council will continue working on the problem and further investigation will be made on this matter by the fire exposure committee, Kendall Dufur, Harry Foley and Truman Price.

A meeting was scheduled for July 3 for the city superintendent, Floyd Taylor to meet with the street committee Floyd Lance, Virgie Gribble, and Truman Price, on the matter of completing the oiling of certain streets.

Investigation in regard to purchasing a bulldozer will be made by the equipment committee, Harry Foley, Melford Hood and Kendall Dufur. There are funds for this purpose.

At a meeting Saturday evening, June 29, the council approved payments for June to allow completion of the fiscal year.

The resignation of Edward C. Kelly was accepted by the council at this time and the appointment of Miss Noreen Kelly as city attorney, by Mayor Cooper, was approved.

Joe Morgan Sr. has returned to his home following a week's vacation in Grand Island, Neb., where he visited his mother, Mrs. Katie Morgan.

Mrs. George McKnight has been called to Porterville, Calif., by the illness of her sister. She left July 3.

Chet Foley is convalescing at his home following major surgery in a Medford hospital last week.

The senior MYF of the Community Methodist church held its last meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melford Hood Sunday, June 30. The young people held a wiener roast around the outdoor fireplace in the yard. The Rev. Howard Walton is advisor for this group.

Miss Helen Hood is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Frank B. Jones, at her home in Jefferson, Ore.

Mrs. Lester Parker was host, June 27, at her home on Lampman road, to a meeting of the Amethyst Rebekah Past Noble Grands club. She was assisted by Mrs. Harry Newnam.

Mrs. Ralph Bell, president, conducted the business session and appointed Mrs. Lester Parker to serve on the flower committee and Mrs. George Dorman as press chairman for this year. The members decided to vacation during the months of July and August.

Many were remembered with gifts from their secret pals at this meeting.

July 10 has been set as clean up day at the IOOF hall by the Amethyst Rebekah lodge, according to Mrs. Lester Parker, noble grand. All Rebekahs are urged to help. Members are reminded that the time is 10 a.m. and a potluck lunch is planned for the noon hour that day.

Final plans are being made for the official visit of the president of the Rebekah Assembly, Mrs. Mary H. Barker, to Amethyst Rebekah lodge on July 12. Those who plan to attend the dinner that evening at the Dardanelle are requested to meet at the Oak's Motel by 6:20. Time set for dinner is 6:30.

David Kell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kell, was operated on June 26 for appendicitis in the Osteopathic hospital in Medford. He returned to his home Sunday.

Mrs. Dale Smith is convalescing at her home in Salem Valley following major surgery in the Rogue Valley Memorial hospital in Medford.

So far ten local Boy Scouts of Troop 43 have made plans to go to Camp McLoughlin from August 4 to 11. There is a membership at this time of 18 boys in troop 43.

New officers were elected recently. Greg Applin is patrol leader for the Flying Eagle patrol and Johnny Price is assistant.

Danny Richardson was elected leader of the Flaming Arrow Patrol and his assistant is Ogden Kellogg Jr.

David Molloy was elected scribe of the troop and Arlin White librarian.

Kerry Koopman was elected senior patrol leader by the green bar.

Boy Scout Troop 43 meets each Tuesday evening at 7 p.m. in the Scout hall on Fourth avenue. Scoutmaster is Jim Coward and assistant Scoutmaster is Ray Dusenberry.

The green bar meetings are held once a month in the homes of the boys.

Activities for troop 43 during June included a wiener roast and swimming party on Evans creek, and the annual Camporee June 8 and 9 on Butte creek.

The boys received the Boy's Life Banner for having one hundred per cent subscriptions for the magazine.

Over 100 people attended the

On The Side

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Brooklynites never boast about their climate. They would be justified in doing so but are prevented by their innate modesty. The first electric sign to go up on Broadway bore the slogan "Swept By Ocean Breezes." It referred to Manhattan Beach, Brooklyn. There has been only one outstanding popular song written about a season. That is "In The Good Old Summertime." That immortal ditty was inspired by the spending of a perfect day by the sea in Brooklyn. In Brighton Beach to the exact George Evans, Ren Shields after spending the afternoon at the Brighton Beach race track, dined on the porch of the Brighton Beach Hotel. It was then that Evans happily observed, "There is nothing like the good old summertime." This gave Ren Shields an idea for a song title. He wrote the lyrics, Evans matched a tune to them.

Asking
Queries from clients. Q. Was the "Batting" in the name of

Pins Presented, Officers Installed By Gold Hill Lions

Gold Hill—New officers were installed and several pins awarded at a dinner meeting of the Gold Hill Lions' club and their wives recently in the Gold Hill Grange hall.

Neal Smith was installed president of the local club for the ensuing year. Larry Sheehan, district governor of district 36E for the state of Oregon, was installing officer.

Other officers installed were first vice-president, Cecil Van Horn; second vice-president, Virgil Gribble; treasurer, Jack Cannon; secretary, Ogden Kellogg; lion tamer, Dale Collins; tall twister, Donald Morrow; one year directors, Dr. Stanley Brown and Herb Elbert; two year directors, Norman Gail and John Cogswell.

Prior to installation, Smith was presented a key member pin.

100 Per Cent Pins
One hundred per cent pins were awarded to several members for their attendance during the past year. Receiving the pins were John J. Cannon, Les Grafis, Donald Morrow Smith, Alva A. Walker, and Delos Walker.

Delos Walker, who has served as president the past year, presented the new president's pin to Smith following installation.

The past president's pin was awarded to Delos Walker.

A sign which reads "another Gold Hill Lions' club project" has been placed on the property which has been leased from the railroad for use as a city park. The ground leveling has been completed.

The local Lions wore their new Lions' club regulation vests at the recent convention in Medford. The vests were furnished by the Ideal Cement company.

The Gold Hill Lions presented small gold nuggets on a stick pin to Lions from other clubs throughout the state at the convention.

Portland Area Warned Of Williamson Gang

Portland — Householders in the Portland area Saturday were warned that a group of itinerant roofers, known to police throughout the nation as the Williamson gang, may be operating in this area.

The group operates by selling a purported roof waterproofing service at exorbitant prices. The first rains usually wash off both the oil base stain and the so-called waterproofing. Authorities here said some members of the group recently purchased quantities of oil stain in Salem.

They have operated in Eugene and Coquille and have also been known to sell phony imported fabrics and laces.

reader is shown how the doctor diagnoses not only the illness but the patient, and how he plans his management of the case. This book, like all those mentioned above, is available from any Jackson County library agency as well as from the Medford Public Library headquarters.

Most of the population of Bolivia is Indian.

By E. V. Durling
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The boxer Battling Nelson, a nickname or a given name? A. The gallant ringman you mention was born in Denmark and christened Oscar Matthew Battling Nelson. Battling a Viking word meaning formidable... Q. What is the amount of the pension paid to ex-Mayor Bill O'Dwyer of New York? A. About \$12,000 a year... Q. What was the name of the editor of a New York magazine who was given a jail sentence for publishing untrue scandalous items? A. Steve Clow, editor of the Broadway Brevities magazine, was sentenced to imprisonment in the Atlanta, Ga. Federal prison. Not, however, for printing untrue items but for using the mails to defraud.

Stogie Department
Hazel Dawn was featured in the farce titled "Getting Gertie's Garter." That's what I said. A Jerseyite says Hazel appeared in a farce titled "Up In Mabel's Room" but never in the one about Gertie and her garter. He loses. Hazel appeared in that farce in 1921. Said Jerseyite will please forward one Pittsburgh stogie, carefully wrapped.

Wedding Medley
Playing a "Silver Wedding Medley" at 25th wedding anniversary parties has been quite a popular practice. The tunes played and danced to are those that were popular when the celebrating couple were on their honeymoon. This year's "Silver Wedding Medley" calling for the hit songs of 1932 includes such ditties as "Brother, Can You Spare a Dime?" "I've Told Every Little Star," "Night and Day," "April in Paris," "You're Getting To Be A Habit With Me" and "Did You Ever See A Dream Walking?"

Scotch Dinner
In New York you can get a typical Irish dinner at Cavanaugh's. No matter what Irish specialty you mention they can serve it. But where in New York or any other city in this country can you get a typical Scotch dinner? One that includes Cock-a-Leikie, Haggis and Neeps and Scotch Woodcock? What follows is the menu of a typical Scotch dinner served at the North British Hotel, Edinburgh: "Shrimp Cocktail, Cock-a-Leikie, Supreme of Tay Salmon (Sauce Hollandaise), Haggis and Neeps, Roast Sirloin of Elgin Beef, Almond Potatoes, Peas in Butter, Scotch Woodcock, Coffee."

Get it Right
The most melancholy people in the world are the Danes and it is revealed by the fact that Denmark has the highest suicide rate in the world. So I note it said. That is wrong. Japan has the highest suicide rate in the world. Denmark is second. What country has the lowest suicide rate? Why, sir, it is Ireland. The average Irishman has many melancholy periods but his sense of humor eliminates any thought of self-destruction.

Fishing
A remarkable section of this country from a fisherman's standpoint is the area around Orlando, Fla. Within a radius of 50 miles of Orlando are 15,000 lakes! These include Lake Apopka which has been called "The World's Most Dependable Bass Lake."

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Navy Plane Missing In Sea Near Eureka

Eureka, Calif. — A twin-engine Navy anti-submarine plane carrying three crewmen and one passenger is missing and believed to have crashed into the sea 20 miles north of here early Saturday.

Wreckage of the plane, which is attached to the anti-submarine squadron VS21, San Diego Naval Air Station, was found at 8 a.m., p.d.t. by two fishermen, George Curry and David A. Radford.

They said they found a flare bomb, jump seat pads and what looked like flesh stuck to the pads.

The plane landed at Alameda Naval Air Station in the Bay area at 4:08 a.m. Saturday en route to Port Angeles, Wash., where it was due at 8:23 a.m. At 5:15 yesterday morning the Coast Guard reported a very low flying aircraft over its Trinidad Head Light Station, and it was believed to have attempted a ditching off the coast.

PAPER PUBLISHER DIES
Texarkana, Ark. — Clyde E. Palmer, 80, publisher of a group of newspapers and owner of radio and television stations, died Thursday night of a cerebral hemorrhage.

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MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—NINE

Fire Burns 130 Acres Near Lakeview Friday

Lakeview — Fire burned 130 acres of timber about 30 miles south of here Friday.

J. C. Windle, of the forest service, said the fire was "man caused."

The fire started about 2:35 p.m. Friday and wasn't brought under control until after 6 p.m.

Three crews of 20 men fought the fire that was fanned by a 15 mile per hour wind.

The area burned had been selectively burned and was covered by slash left by the logging operations.

Man Found Two Days After Death in Fall
Portland — Police said Friday that the body of a man who apparently fell out of a window to his death lay at the rear of an apartment house for two days before someone called authorities.

Deputy Coroner Earl Shea said Leo Umatata, 61, who lived at the apartment house was reported to have fallen from a third-story window.

Bodies of Honeymooners Found in Plane Wreckage

Bennington, Vt. — The bodies of a honeymooning couple were found Thursday night in the wreckage of their light plane on a rugged side of Glastenbury Mountain near here.

Mark La Rue, 24, of Hudson Falls, N.Y., and his bride of 13 days crashed Sunday night while returning from a Nantucket, Mass., honeymoon.

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