

GOLD HILL

Boy Scouts Go Camping

By MRS. CLYDE KELL
Gold Hill—Activities of two different local organizations for young people have kept many children and teen-agers occupied during the summer vacation, and in recognition for their efforts several have received outstanding awards in scouting and 4-H work.

Twenty-two scouts of the Gold Hill troop and Explorer Post 43 spent one week at Camp McLaughlin. While there, two youths were awarded outstanding scouting honors. Charles Johnson, a Scout, was given the Scout Life Guard badge. Prior to arrival of other Scouts, Charles spent the previous week working on the staff of Camp McLaughlin.

Kerry Koopman, a scout of Troop 43, was awarded the honorary Order of the Arrow, during the calling out ceremony at Boy Scout Camp. He was elected to receive the honor by Gold Hill Scout Troop 43.

Other Scouts who spent the week at Camp McLaughlin were Mark Schmidt, Jack Peterson, and Calvin Smith of the local Post. Those going from the troop were Johnny Price, Kerby Koopman, Jimmy Arnold, Earl Meister, Bobby Turner, Mike Mowery, Oden Kellogg Jr., Gregg Schmidt, David Hixon, Philip Van Horn, Billy Shoemaker, Billy Smith, David Force, Gregory Applin, Ronald Brown, Donald Gail, and Steve Wakeman.

H. D. Force and Oden Kellogg each spent three days at the camp substituting as Scoutmaster in the place of the regular scoutmaster, Raymond Dusenberry, who was unable to remain.

Several parents furnished transportation. They included Mr. and Mrs. Truman Price, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gail, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wakeman, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Van Horn, H. D. Force, Mr. and Mrs. Oden Kellogg, and Raymond Dusenberry, Scoutmaster.

The Scouts have continued to meet each week during the summer vacation months. Robert Schmidt is advisor for the Explorer Post.

The Gold Hill 4-H Livestock club made an outstanding showing at the recent Jackson county 4-H and FFA fair. Seventeen of the 18 members of the club participated in the fair.

Marie Jones won grand champion with her Berkshire market hog. She also exhibited a fat lamb and breeding sheep in her fourth year in 4-H work, which has included both livestock and sewing projects. This is the first year that Marie has entered a pig at the fair.

Terry Gail won grand champion on a fat lamb and grand champion on his pen of three lambs this year. Terry is a sophomore at Rogue River High school and this is his seventh year in 4-H. In addition to his lamb exhibits, he entered breeding sheep and a fat steer. Terry's sister, Candy Gail, also active in 4-H work exhibited a fat lamb and Hereford breeding stock which included a cow, heifer, and calf.

Donald Gail, an active 4-H worker for three years, won a reserve grand champion award on his fat lamb. Donald also exhibited a market hog, gilt hog and breeding sheep this year.

Other club members who exhibited and won places included Earl Bowen who exhibited breeding sheep and a fat lamb; Sharon and Marlene Wright, each entered a fat lamb; Dwight Priest, a fat lamb; Dwight and his brother, LeeRoy, each exhibited a market hog; Peggy Martin exhibited her breeding sheep and fat lamb; Melvin Smith and his sister, Marilee Smith, entered their market pigs and dairy exhibits; Jeanette King exhibited her market hog; Susie, Linda, and Dennis Cornutt each exhibited a fat lamb and Linda and Dennis each entered a dairy animal.

Another member of the local livestock club, Jim Smith, who participates in several projects, was unable to exhibit his animals because he was working and could not be present.

The Gold Hill R-H Livestock club, under the leadership of Norman Gail, had a champion pen of five fat lambs and a champion pen of five breeding ewes.

Officers of the local Livestock club are Terry Gail, president; Earl Bowen, vice president; Marie Jones, secretary; LeeRoy Priest, reporter; Candy Gail, song leader; and Billy Jones, historian.

Several girls in the Gold Hill 4-H sewing class under the leadership of Mrs. Al Beman exhibited clothes in the recent fair.

Miss Carolyn White, Miss Marie Jones, Miss Joyce Dye, and Miss Jenny Lou Thompson entered the "teen-wise sewing division" and modeled their skirts, blouses and a dress in the style review. Miss

Vervia Beman modeled a sports outfit, which included a skirt, blouse and shorts which she exhibited in the "sun and fun" division.

The Gold Hill deadline date for filing petitions for nominations for city offices is October 3, according to City Recorder Ferd Jones. He said the difference in filing dates depends on the population of the individual towns, and Gold Hill petitions must be filed 30 days prior to the election date.

Gold Hill voters in the general election will elect a mayor, a city recorder, each for two-year terms, and three councilmen for four-year terms.

The main issue taken care of at the last city council meeting was a discussion on the current drainage problem within the city limits. Two officials of the highway department attended the meeting.

Many residents of the area have had recent houseguests, and several have taken outings, vacations and former residents have visited here.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hultman and daughter, Claudette, of Ft. Sill, Okla., have been houseguests in the home of Mrs. Louise Robinson the past week. Mrs. Hultman is the former Betty Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chaffee of Garden row entertained as their house guests for several days their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Chaffee, and sons, Kenyon and Wayne, of Artesia, Calif. While here the Chaffees visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones, and children, Miss Marie Jones and Billy Jones, of Highway 99 north, Gold Hill.

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Mrs. June Butts of Placerville, Calif., visited several weeks in the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bell. The Bells took their guest home and remained for the week end of August 16 in Placerville before returning to their home on Fourth ave., Gold Hill.

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Bill Force, who works for United Press International in Portland, was a recent guest in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Force and family. While here he attended the wedding of a former college classmate, Leland Johnson, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Johnson of La Grande.

Miss Mary Cribby, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Cribby, Grants Pass, became the bride of Leland Johnson in a ceremony held Sunday afternoon, August 17 at the Newman Methodist church in Grants Pass.

The groom, a former Medford resident, is a graduate of the University of Oregon medical school in clinical pathology. He has visited many times in the H. D. Force home in Gold Hill.

Mrs. Lee Malone has been working in the post office while Postmaster H. D. Force is on his annual vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Steinmetz and son, Harry Leigh, returned to their home in Gold Hill Aug. 21 after a 14 day vacation trip to their former home in Halfway, Ore., where they visited friends. They took a sightseeing trip to Brownlee dam in the Ox Bowl on the Snake river. The Steinmetzes also visited the McNary and the Dallas dam. They returned home by way of Walla Walla and stopped in Portland where they were guests in the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Steinmetz, and children, John, Robert, Mary Beth and Barbara.

George W. Ellis of Calistoga, Calif., has been visiting the past week in the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Christensen, north of Gold Hill.

This is the first time, in 12 years that Ellis has visited in Gold Hill. Prior to that time he had spent his vacation in southern Oregon each year. While here he is visiting with four of his nieces and

Cyclotron Inventor Dies in Hospital Following Surgery

Palo Alto, Calif. —(UPI)— Nobel Prize winner Dr. Ernest O. Lawrence, 57, inventor of the atom-smashing cyclotron, died in Palo Alto hospital Wednesday night after an operation.

He died after surgery for ulcerative colitis, from which he had been suffering for several weeks. He entered the hospital Aug. 12. His condition had not been believed serious.

At the time of his death, Lawrence was director of the Radiation Laboratory at the University of California at Berkeley. He won the Nobel Prize in 1939 for developing the cyclotron.

Talked With Scientists
Earlier this year, Lawrence had gone to Geneva for talks with scientists from the East and the West on means of detecting atomic tests. He had to leave the talks and return home because of a bronchial condition.

Lawrence leaves his wife Mary. They had six children, John, Margaret, Mary, Robert, Barbara and Susan.

Lawrence produced a "gadget" he called the cyclotron about 1930, when he was a 29-year-old associate professor at California.

This "gadget" was to become the machine which sends two billion electron volts into solid matter separating the millions of minute particles which form all mass.

During World War II, Lawrence used his million dollar cyclotron and \$350 million to produce a cyclotron magnet which separated uranium 235 used in the atom bomb, from the heavier uranium found in a natural state. He called the device the Calutron.

In 1951, he developed a new television tube capable of receiving both color and black and white pictures without the use of a converter. He told friends he developed the tube almost as a lark at the prompting of his children.

Lawrence was born in Canton, S. D., Aug. 8, 1901.

Lawrence taught at Yale before going to the University of California in 1928.

He had at least 11 awards from science organizations all over the world.

Palo Alto, Calif. —(UPI)— Dr. Albert M. Snell, physician to Dr. Ernest O. Lawrence, said today radiation was "definitely not" the cause of Lawrence's death.

"Dr. Lawrence led a very strenuous life," Snell said. "He traveled all over the world in connection with his atomic research and did as much work in his lifetime as five ordinary men."

Snell said Lawrence had suffered from ulcerative colitis for some time. It is a relatively common disease among overworked businessmen.

Deadline Announced For Forest Program

Farmers planning to plant conservation reserve program must sign up between Sept. 2, 1958, and Oct. 3, 1958, according to Jack Mace, soil bank forester for this area.

Rates have been increased substantially for 1959, he said. Farmers retiring cultivated ground from crops and planting forest trees may receive up to \$25 per acre per year for a period of 10 years, he explained. The annual rate received by the farmers will depend on the productivity of his farm. The better farms will receive higher rates, Mace added.

"This program gives the farmer an excellent opportunity to start a young forest for timber or Christmas trees," Mace said.

The farmer will receive a reasonable rental for the land during the 10-year contract period. Upon expiration of the contract he may manage his forest as he sees fit.

Many tree plantings established in 1957 and 1958 under the conservation reserve program are making satisfactory growth. Owners realize the trees, like any other crop require reasonable care for survival, Mace said.

Farmers interested in con-

verting land, now growing crops, to trees should contact their county agricultural stabilization and conservation manager, in the county courthouse in Medford. Farmers are reminded the final sign-up date for 1959 planting is Oct. 3, 1958, Mace concluded.

Chile has a world monopoly on natural nitrates.

Rep. Magnuson Tells Experiences In Airliner Crash

Editor's note: Rep. Donald Magnuson (D-Wash.) was among the passengers aboard the Northwest Orient Airlines plane which crashed early today on takeoff from the Minneapolis-St. Paul Airport. Here is his account of the incident:

By REP. D. MAGNUSON
As Told To UPI

I was asleep in the rear end of the plane, but the first impact awoke me. We bounced and jolted—terrible jolts—five or six times, but the seat belt held me in.

The seats were torn loose, and the plane tipped onto the left side where I was sitting. I unfastened my seat belt and looked around. The aisle was

their families, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Chapman, all of Medford, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Washburn, in Gold Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Force went to McMinnville recently where they were guests of Mrs. Lydia Mapel for two days. Mrs. Mapel is a former resident of Gold Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hudson of Napa, Calif., were visitors Aug. 24 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Steinmetz. Mrs. Hudson is the former Mildred Myers and classmate of Mrs. Steinmetz when they attended Gold Hill High school.

In Grants Pass the Hudson's visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yorden. On North Pacific Highway 99 they stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Miller, and went to see Mrs. Robert Sutherland and Mrs. Nora Wait at their home on Sardine creek.

Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Yorden and Mrs. Sutherland were former classmates of Mrs. Hudson and Mrs. Steinmetz.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newnham and son, Wink Newnham, were among recent guests at a barbecue dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kime and family at their home in Medford. The occasion was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Biles of Long Beach, Calif. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Byron Ward, Mrs. Ida Biles, all of Medford, and Mr. and Mrs. Veltie Biles and sons, Dick and Jim Biles, of Grants Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Parker and daughter, Linda, went to the coast where they spent two days last week.

Mrs. Walter McLean has returned to her home on Second ave. following a week's visit in the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Borskey, at Empire, Ore. The Borskeys were overnight guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter McLean when they brought Mrs. McLean back to Gold Hill last week end.

Terry Cooper returned to his home here Aug. 24 after several days vacation in Coos Bay where he visited relatives.

clogged with baggage, utensils from the counter, and people. I spotted a small fire outside the plane under us, possibly a gasoline fire. It looked small. I and another passenger tried to break the glass in a window to get to the flame, but were unable to do so.

Escape Hatches Opened
We started moving forward. We got up front and found two escape hatches had been opened above our heads.

I saw a woman on the floor picking up things and putting them in her purse.

I said, "Lady, I don't know what you are looking for, but you had better get out of here."

We shoved her up and out, and also another woman. We were virtually the last ones out and found ourselves in a corn field. We gathered about 100 feet away from the plane.

The flames then were shooting about 100 feet into the air. We were sure didn't have much time to spare.

The whole crowd behaved. There was a great spirit of helpfulness. The servicemen were especially helpful and there was one colored private I'd like to thank personally.

Thankful To God
The pilot also did a good job. We can all be thankful to God that we survived. It was really miraculous. I'm glad I bought that insurance. I've got five kids at home.

I was bruised a bit. I got some contusions on both legs, and am sore around the middle—apparently from the seat belt—and have a sore shoulder.

I expect to leave this noon for home on another plane.

Cooler Weather Greet's Fair Opening

Salem —(UPI)— Cool, cloudy weather greeted the first patrons of the 93rd Oregon State Fair which opened here this morning.

Gov. Robert D. Holmes officially opened the fair at 8 a.m. by sawing his way through an 18-inch log symbolizing Oregon's lumber industry.

A power saw was used in the gate opening ceremony. Dedication of the new \$300,000 4-H and FFA building was a highlight of the morning activities.

The fairgrounds and buildings were colorful with flowers and new paint as the first patrons entered.

The cooler weather also had revived some of the shrubs and flowers in the floral show which had showed some signs of wilting Wednesday.

Coos Bay Union Approves Contract

Coos Bay —(UPI)— Business agent H. K. Johnson of Local 7-261 International Wood workers of America said today the union has approved a two-year contract with Weyerhaeuser Timber Company.

The contract leaves the wage issue open to negotiations on any June 1 or October 1.



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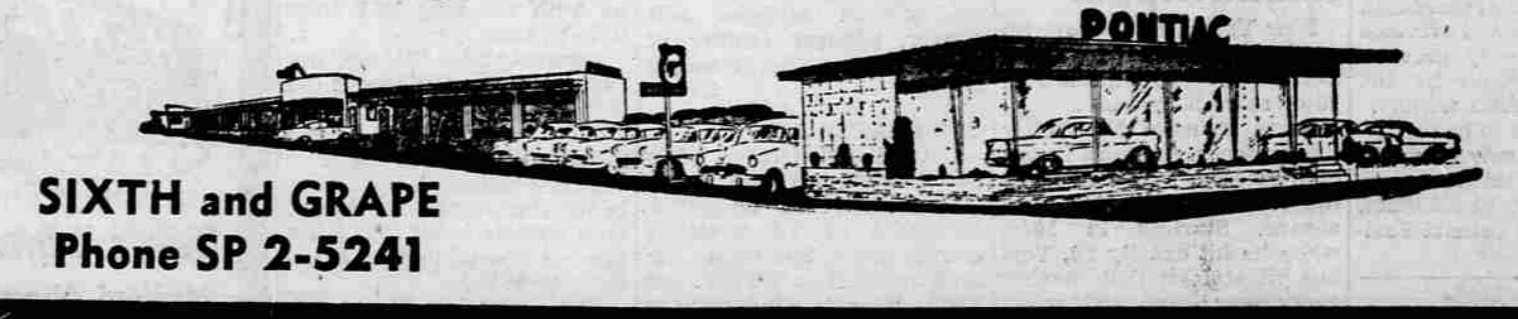
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