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CITY HONORED—Clare Douglas, left, of the State Industrial Accident commission, presented two significant safety awards to the city of Eagle Point, represented by City Administrator Oran Chastain, right, and Council President Leland Meyer, Tuesday night. One award was in recognition of 36 years of uninterrupted coverage by the city under the Oregon workmen's compensation act. The other was in recognition of four years, 1957 through 1961, without loss of time because of accidental injury.

Contestants From Two States Compete at Arena

Central Point — Contestants from Oregon and California entered roping events held at the Poythress ranch and Midway arena Nov. 4.

Results were as follows:

Main event, team roping, (3) steer average:

Fast time winners — Chuck Poythress, Medford, and Homer Watson, Hilt, Calif., 10 seconds.

First place — Jim Perry, Eagle Point, and Dick Perry, Eagle Point, 64.0 seconds.

Second place — Jack Monchamp, Etna, Calif., and George Williams, Etna, Calif., 81.4 seconds.

Third place — Rich Vredenburg, Myrtle Creek, and Delmar Botts, Etna, Calif.

Draw Pot, (2) steer average:

First place — Rich Vredenburg, Myrtle Creek, and Ronnie Watson, Hilt, Calif., 17.1 seconds.

Second place — Earl Head, Eagle Point, and Ray Bernard,, Medford, 17.1 seconds.

Calf Roping, (3) calf average:

First place — Jim Perry, Eagle Point, 46.5 seconds.

Second place — Delmar Botts, Etna, Calif., 53.8.

Third place —Gordon Moxley, Eagle Point, 66.9

Anyone wishing to compete in any of these events should contact Midway Arena at 664-1806.

Talent City Council Recommends Approval Of Liquor Licenses

Talent — The Talent City Council gave its recommendation of approval to two applications for renewal of liquor licenses this week.

Approved without objection were applications from Seibers Shopping center, 117 North Pacific highway, and the Talent club, Old Pacific highway.

City council approval is only a formality, however, as the power to renew the licenses rests with the Oregon State Liquor Control commission.

Hornbrook Teacher's Art Is On Display

Hornbrook — Paintings by Mrs. Betty Walch, art teacher at the Hilt elementary school, are included in the showing at Rath's store in Medford which is running for one week, having started Wednesday.

Mrs. Walch is a student of Mrs. Ross Twidell, who is a teacher of art in the Medford public school system, and who is presenting the showing of her students' work.

UNDERGOES SURGERY

O'Brien — Mrs. Charles Ewing entered Josephine General hospital recently to undergo major surgery.

Dedication of Fountain Bridge Scheduled Sunday

O'Brien — The million dollar Fountain bridge over the Smith river, "clearest stream in California", will receive a new official title in memory of California's Howard Griffin, in dedication services this Sunday at 2 p.m.

The bridge, only a part of extensive construction planned for realignment of Redwood Highway 199 through Smith River canyon by California Division of Highways officials in conjunction with Randolph Collier tunnel, was completed by Peter Kiewit construction company.

The project, planned to eliminate a dangerous slide area and several curves, was estimated at $400,000 for actual bridge construction with approaches and channel changes bringing the total figure close to the million dollar mark.

Eagle Point Council Passes Sewer Bancrofting Measure

Eagle Point — Several important business transactions were completed by the councilmen at the regular meeting of the Eagle Point City council Tuesday night.

All six councilmen were present to declare an emergency and pass an ordinance to set up Bancrofting procedures to pay the assessments of sewer system users unable to pay their assessments at the present time. This ordinance will be published in the Mail Tribune on or about November 23.

Letters will be sent to all owners, both record and buyers, giving them the assessments due on their place and ten days to either pay the amount owed in full or come in and sign for bancrofting of that amount.

Due to the lack of a council quorum the past few meetings, an emergency was also declared and an ordinance adopted providing a planning commission for the city of Eagle Point.

Councilmen referred to the previously adopted sewer ordinance to establish rates on homes used by more than one family. According to the codes, if a dwelling has more than one single family unit it shall be charged a connection and usage fee for each unit. Homes where extra boarders are kept or rooms let out shall be charged the commercial rates for the dwelling.

District Manager Larry Silviera of the Eagle Point Irrigation district presented a letter and petition of enclosure to the council to have the land the district owns in lots 7, 8, 9 and 10 included in its district.

Silviera told members of the council that the board's ordinance ORS-545 584 requires its offices to be within the irrigation district to allow certain legal matters to take place within them. The offices, shops, and yards are located on these lots within the city limits.

Silviera assured the council that the district had already paid its sewage frontage and would pay a sewage usage charge. He also said steps would be taken to see that the district boundries would be erased in case the area became over populated and the district dissolved several years from now. Permission was granted the city attorney to draw up the appropriate resolution for the petition of enclosure as requested.

In other action the council approved the renewal applications of both Town and Country market and Brown's market for liquor licenses.

Donald Kimmel and Theodore Hoffman were appointed to meet with City Administrator Oran Chastian and the City Attorney Gregg Hornecker along with Mrs. Peachy and her attorneys on the boundary disputes of the roadway and part of the park area still under controversy.

Chastian told members of the council he would have a drop box installed right away for people who find it impossible to pay their bills when the office is open. This action was taken following a discussion on the subject and the announcements that several water users are delinquent and have had warning notices sent to them.

Users are reminded by councilmen that their water will be shut off if not paid within the alloted time.

At present the office hours of the city hall are from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 8 a.m. to 12 noon Saturday, closed Monday.

Council members voted to send Chastain, David Hannaford and Recorder Marion Vannice to the League of Oregon Cities to represent the city this week.

Ashland Council Approves Zone Change for Motel

Ashland—The city council unanimously approved the recommendation of the planning commission at Tuesday night's session approving an ordinance to change property zoning on North Main and Helman sts. from residential to business zone.

The corner formerly owned by the Presbyterian church and an adjoining residence belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Karl Brostad has been purchased by the Elwood H. Larsen Co., Portland, for a deluxe motor hotel with swimming pool and restaurant.

With its zone change recommendation the planning commission suggested adoption of a continuing policy for providing additional parking along the North Main street property. The suggestion outlined in a letter from Dr. Elliott MacCracken, member of the commission, who appeared before the council, was discussed and will be given further consideration.

Other business coming before the council included renewal of several liquor licenses and approval of a package license for South Side Market; approval of the retail trades commission request for street decorations and erection of two Christmas trees for the holiday season beginning the week after Thanksgiving. As has been customary there will be a lighted tree on the Plaza and one on the boulevard opposite the fire station.

Tablets

By R. E. NEALON
Mail Tribune Table Rock Correspondent

The recent passing of the Rev. D. D. Randall, in Medford, came as a severe shock to his many friends here. During his past 39 years as a Sunday school missionary, in an area extending from Roseburg to Green Springs, he organized and kept in touch with some 80 Sunday schools. A Christian man, who believed in good morals, had no use for liquor or tobacco, and thought we had too many taverns. In a speech at the local Sunday school he said he thought that television could be a wonderful medium for teaching children, as they remember better what they see. But he also said he thought most of the programs they see currently could start them on the road to hell about as quick as anything you could devise. We asked him if we could quote his talk in the Tablets, he said, "Yes, I wish you would."

He was fearless and outspoken about things he believed to be wrong but always maintaining a cheerful, happy disposition. He leaves some big shoes for someone to fill, which will not be any easy task.

Dams and Fish

We learn that one of the reasons why the proposition to create a PUD in Josephine county came up was that people were told a dam in the river would destroy all the fish below it. We heard this same talk when the Bonneville dam was being considered and later approved. It was claimed that all the salmon would be destroyed, that the Indians who got their meat from salmon they caught and smoked would starve. Since the completion of the dam, we have stood by the side of the elevators and watched the salmon ride majestically up the elevators made for this purpose, and at the top swim out into the river.

Now we will mention a private dam on Rogue river which I helped build, known as the Gold Ray dam. After the dam was completed no fish ladder of any kind put in. Later at spawning time, salmon trying to reach the spawning grounds were halted here where they accumulated by the thousands. Now and then a husky salmon would try to leap over the dam, but would be thrown back by the swift falling water. Complaints began to pour in, and pressure from Salem caused the company to put in a make-shift ladder. Some years later an adequate ladder was put in. At one time, salmon were so thick below the dam that some said "One could walk across the river on the backs of salmon." Thousands of salmon were destroyed between the dam's completion and the putting in of fish ladders. The point we wish to make, is that when Uncle Sam puts in a dam, fish will be taken care of, and the dam will stay put for all time.

So Ike thinks Nixon is too energetic to be laid on the shelf and will be heard from politically in the future. During Ike's campaigning for Nixon we heard a Central Point Democrat say he was glad Ike was working for Nixon because the voters generally defeated anyone he worked for.

Table Rock Ladies Meet

The Table Rock Ladies club held their November meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Vernon Gebhard. About the usual number of members were in attendance. Entertainment consisted of playing games.

As previously mentioned in the Tablets the Table Rock Store will be closed Wednesday of each week until further notice. Some missed seeing the notice, or else forgot and went to the store Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lewis of Moses Lake, Wash. were week end visitors with Tom's parents at the Bob Lewis ranch.

Thought for the day — Did you gripers ever think about being thankful that you are citizens of a country where you are allowed to gripe?

Food Sale Planned Saturday in Phoenix

Phoenix—The ladies auxiliary of the Phoenix Volunteer Fire department will hold a baked food sale Saturday at the Phoenix Mart.

The auxiliary will use the money from the sale to buy outdoor lights for a community Christmas tree for the children of Phoenix. Further plans for this event will be published later.

NORTHERN CALIF.

KVIP-TV (Channel 7)

Friday
5:00—Jill's Party Time
5:30—Mickey Mouse Club
6:00—News Beat
6:15—Huntley-Brinkley
6:30—Films of the 50's
6:50—Films of the 50's: "Jim Thorpe—All American"
8:30—Flintstones
9:00—I'm Dickens, He's Fenster
9:30—77 Sunset Strip
10:30—Rebel
11:00—News Final
11:10—Sportscast
11:15—Tonight Show
12:25—Late News

Saturday
9:00—Shari Lewis
9:30—King Leonardo
10:00—Fury
10:30—Magic Midway
11:00—Make A Face
11:30—Top Cat
12:00—Bugs Bunny
12:30—Alakazam
1:00—My Friend Flicka
1:30—The Northener
2:00—Why Teacher?
2:30—Death Valley Days
3:0 —Disc Date
4:00—Dan Smoot
4:15—TBA
4:30—Touchdown
5:00—Wide World of Sports
6:30—Jetsons
7:00—Bell & Howell Closeup
8:00—Hazel
8:30—Joey Bishop
9:00—Lawrence Welk
10:00—Mr. Smith Goes to Washington
10:30—Saturday Night Movie "Apache"
12:00—Late News

Sunday
11:00—Faith for Today
11:30—Herald of Truth
12:00—The Northerner
12:30—Football: Dallas at Denver
3:30—Meet the Professor
4:00—Direction '63
4:30—Dan Smoot
4:45—Medical Discussion
5:00—Valiant Years
5:30—Bullwinkle
6:00—Mark Rogers Reports
6:30—McKeever & The Colonel
7:00—Ensign O'Toole
7:30—Walt Disney
8:30—Car 54, Where Are You?
9:00—Bonanza
10:00—Voice of Firestone
10:30—Howard K. Smith
11:00—David Brinkley
11:30—This is the Way
12:00—Late News

Talk On Scouting Set in CJ Monday

Cave Junction — A special meeting on cub scouting will be held at the American Legion hall here Monday at 1 p.m.

Neil Butterfield, scout executive from Grants Pass, will explain what cub scouting is. Parents with boys 8 or 9 who would like to be scouts are urged to attend.

The meeting is open to all interested persons. Questions will be answered.

A cub scout committee meeting was held last Monday night. Mel Quimby of Grants Pass was here to help make out the charter for 1963.

James Baldwin will be the new cubmaster, Tony Stava assistant cubmaster, and Loyce Warren will serve as committee chairman. Les Henery, committee member, will be institution representative again this year.

The next pack meeting will be held November 30, and the next committee meeting will be held December 10.

CLEANUP CONTINUES—Scenes like the above are still common in the forest areas north of Prospect as a result of the Columbus Day storm, reports Velda Barr, Mail Tribune Prospect correspondent, who took this picture in the Abbott Butte and McCall Creek rd. area. "The blowdown was awful," Mrs. Barr writes. "People don't realize how bad it was unless they go see it for themselves."

District 6 Members Of Eastern Tour Group Tell Trip Highlights

By MARY ALICE BRUSHA
Mail Tribune Corfrespondent

Central Point — At the District 6 school board meeting Tuesday night, Superintendent Charles A. Meyer and board members C. W. Anhorn and Wilton White reported on their recent visit to the eastern part of the country.

The group from Crater was part of a group of Oregon school representatives interested in the practice of team teaching, and the tour was for the observers to see and decide the feasibility of such a practice here in Oregon.

Meyer explained that the flexible scheduling now being practiced in the East could be of great use to Crater in time to come, but stated further study is needed.

Much of the trip was spent in packing and unpacking, although as much as eleven hours a day were spent in discussions and conferences with the different officials and school representatives of the various schools and colleges there.

It was noted in one of the Eastern fruit markets that 193 size Rogue Valley pears were being sold for fifteen cents each.

All in all the trip was more than worthwhile the group said, and the board recommended a letter of appreciation be sent to Superintendent Leonard B. Mayfield of Medford for the invitation to District 6.

Jack McCoy, principal of Central Point Elementary school, spoke to the group on the value of the SRA reading program now being practiced in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades, stating that by this method children are able to read at their own individual level.

The system is a continuous testing program, building and encouraging more interest for the child to study further, while at the same time developing closer relationship and better understanding between the teacher and the student he said.

McCoy reported that grade 6 started experimenting with the SRA method last year and be invited all interested board members to visit the classrooms and observe the forty minute instruction period while in session.

The possibility of a new school site was briefly discussed by the members. Ghelardi presented the material he received from the Eugene school board and explained that the policy there was the joint operation of the City of Eugene and school officials to maintain and use city parks and school facilities on a cooperative basis.

15 Members Of Crater FTA Go To Convention

Central Point — The Crater chapter of the Future Teachers of America (FTA) sent 15 of its members to the annual state convention of the organization Nov. 10 at Oregon State university in Corvallis.

The theme of the convention was "Striving for Sterling Standards." It was also the 25th anniversary of the FTA. The theme colors were red, black, and white.

Special speaker for the general assembly was Dr. Ten Pas. Classes were also held in the afternoon, and they were directed by college professors.

Students going from Crater were: Ray White, Kevin Elberts, Mary Daniels, Janice Mooster, JoAnn Trautman, Linda Monia, Donna Hammond, Peggy Dye, Janine Parish, Kathy Frederick, Karen Griggs, Royal Harger, Rick Mayes, Shirley Roach, and Joyce Dye.

Chaperones were Mrs. Walter Dye, Mrs. Lloyd Hammond and Mrs. Shirley Drysdale. Mrs. Drysdale is also the Crater FTA chapter advisor.

RegionalCalendar

Illinois Valley — Saturday, 9 p.m., Illinois Valley Volunteer firemen will hold their annual ball. Tickets have been mailed to the public.

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Prospect—Tuesday, Garden club will meet at the Prospect public park and resume work, weather permitting.

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Illinois Valley — Sunday, 1 p.m., Illinois Valley Stamp club will hold a reorganization meeting at Evergreen school.

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Illinois Valley — Saturday, 8:30 p.m., Shamrock square dance in high school band room. Van Johnson, caller. Teenage group gathers Sunday afternoons at home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Piper, Kerby, for practice sessions.

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Wilderville—Saturday Methodist Men's club of Wilderville Methodist church will have family get-together and potluck dinners.

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Gold Hill — Tuesday, after school, den one of Cub Scout Pack 43 will meet at the home of den mother, Mrs. James Kenney, Colonial Way.

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Gold Hill — Tuesday, after school, Girl Scout troop 55 will meet at the Scout hall in the old city hall building.

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Gold Hill—Tuesday, 7 p.m., Boy Scout troop 43 will meet at the Scout hall in the I.O.O.F. building.

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Gold Hill—Tuesday, 8 p.m., Odd Fellows lodge 129 will meet at the I.O.O.F. hall.

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Gold Hill — Wednesday, 8 p.m., Amethyst Rebekah lodge will meet in the I.O.O.F. hall.

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