

Heavy Fall Of Snow on Mt. Hood

A heavy fall of snow occurred Monday night on Mt. Hood, according to reports from Mrs. Vernie Brown, operator of McMullins' Tavern, at the junction of the Mt. Hood Loop and Cooper Spur roads.

Mrs. Brown reported yesterday that not only the mountain, but the area all the way to the timberline was covered with snow. Snow was visible on ski jump hill and on Look-out Mountain. Yesterday Mrs. Brown climbed up to the heavier fall of snow and reported wet snow as low as the 4500 to 5000 foot level. From Ghost Ridge on up the mountain was well covered. Cooper Spur was well covered. Temperature at the Tavern yesterday morning was 42 degrees.

The first snow on the mountain fell Labor Day week-end, and the first heavy fall occurred Sunday.

Mrs. Brown has made improvements in her inn, which, since it is kept open throughout the year, is a popular stopping place for those who go to the ski grounds in winter months. She operates the only year-round inn on the north side of the mountain.

Russian Will Speak Of Soviet Union

Dr. T. V. Nepreak, who speaks with authority from factual evidences, on actual conditions in the Soviet Union of Russia, will address the public at the Baptist Church, on Friday, Oct. 7, at 8 p. m.

"All are cordially invited to hear this scholarly man who knows from first sources what he speaks," declared Rev. C. R. Delephine, pastor of the Baptist Church. "Dr. T. V. Nepreak is highly recommended and you will be glad to have heard him."

Portland Firm Low Bidder On Street Work

The bid of Babler Brothers of Portland, a contracting firm which has paved more than 300 miles of streets and highways in Oregon, was approved Monday night by the Hood River city council for the recently approved PWA project of surfacing the city's streets. The contract has not been let, as approval of the bid must be given by PWA headquarters in Portland before a deal is consummated.

Babler Brothers made low bid of \$48,816. Other bids were Oregon Contracting Company, \$48,885; United Contracting Company, \$53,882.90; Warren Northwest, Inc., \$49,463; and J. C. Thompson Company, \$50,637.

The project calls for surfacing quite a number of Hood River streets, for a total distance of 4.3 miles. Crushed rock to the volume of 65,265.9 square yards will be applied. A sum of \$27,000 PWA funds has been allowed for the project.

All members of the city council were present at the meeting Monday night when bids were opened, including W. L. Marshall, newly appointed councilman, who will fill the term of A. W. Peters, resigned, which expired December 1.

A resolution by the council to accept the Babler Brothers bid was passed by the civic body.

GYM GRANT GOES THROUGH

The Dalles school district received word late last week that the PWA grant of \$48,532 for a new school gymnasium had been allowed. Plans call for the construction of a \$100,000 building. It will be available for use next fall. Two weeks ago voters there approved their portion of the expenditure by an overwhelming majority.

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SATURDAY THE DEADLINE

The office of County Clerk W. L. Vannet will remain open Saturday night from 7 to 9 o'clock to accommodate voters in the November election who have not yet registered. Saturday is the last day for registration.

One observation heard this week was to the effect that if the voting privilege were denied to citizens, they would rise in protest, but since all adult citizens are allowed to vote, a large number fails to take advantage of the privilege.

Sprague Urges Utilization Of Power

"Bonneville's electric energy must be used for the development of our state," said Charles A. Sprague, republican nominee for governor in an address here Tuesday noon at the Columbia Gorge hotel. "There is an abundance of energy to provide comforts in all the homes of the tributary area and to power industries which will give employment, offer a market for raw materials and for foodstuffs grown on Oregon farms."

The morning had been spent in Cascade Locks meeting with local citizens and discussing local problems.

The Salem publisher speaking before a group of growers and business men impressed on them his sincerity of purpose with a direct straight-from-the-shoulder delivery that was devoid of hallyhoo, promises and oratory. It was one business man talking to other businessmen, one working man expressing his views and convictions to another. The crowd listened with attention to the many points he touched on.

Sprague said there should be close cooperation with the federal administrator to bring about the utilization of Bonneville power. The question of method of distribution he said, is a practical one for the people themselves to decide.

Dealing with campaign issues the nominee said the governor's job is principally that of the business administrator for the state and declared himself in favor of economical, efficient operation of state departments and institutions. There should be no wasting of public funds and no spoils raids on departments.

"Oregon is weary of the turmoil of recent years," said the nominee. "Both the public and industrial and labor interests are eager for a season of peace. That peace should be one based on a fair deal in the relations of employers and employees."

Sprague urged unity for the building up of the state, restoring its prosperity and providing more jobs for workers.

Annual Radio Show Set for October 31

Hood River's annual Radio Show, sponsored by local radio dealers and Pacific Power & Light Company will be held Monday, October 31, at the Columbia Gorge Hotel, according to announcement made this week. The show will be open to the public without charge.

Prominently displayed in the show will be 1938 models of radio sets, together with a number of educational exhibits showing the development of radio over the years.

The featured entertainment will be the Trail Blazers, famed radio entertainers from KGW, who are coming in person. The Trail Blazers will be heard in radiocasts at the show in the afternoon and twice in the evening.

These well-known radio entertainers from KGW at their personal appearance in Hood River will follow their broadcast routine in every detail. Their full show will be rehearsed and time to the second for an actual broadcast. The audience will see how a radio program is cued and time to end "right on the nose." And the Trail Blazers, for the first time away from the studio, will reveal how they get some of their sound effects.

The Trail Blazers will present a

Italy has a movement for shorter hours in textile mills.

This year's Spring Sample Fair in Praha, Czechoslovakia, was the largest in 18 years.

variety program featuring solo numbers, instrumental duets, trios, and ensemble arrangements of old-time and popular, descriptive and sentimental music.

Clarence "Toley" Tolman, who made such a hit during the 1938 radio show, is a member of the Trail Blazers and will be master of ceremonies. "Toley" will put his artists through their paces in a fast-moving program that will feature jigs, reels, hornpipes, square dances, polkas and mazurkas. He will be ably assisted by Ralph "Snooze" Hamilton, featured artist of the group, playing the accordion and piano; Charles "Johnny" Johnston, violinist and fiddle player; James "Jake" Schmidt, guitar and banjo player, and John "Poke Pickens" Nash,

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