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Mrs. R. L. Faust and Mrs. Bob Trask and children were in Albany Monday visiting Mrs. Alton Parks.
 Miss Daisy Hendricson and Mrs. Charles Wolverton called on Mr. and Mrs. Van Dahl, former owners of the Mill City Logue, in Albany Monday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bob Taylor of Sterling, Colo., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beebe.
 Miss Margaret Oberg was united in marriage to Rudy Bove on Saturday, August 6 at 8 P. M. in the Centenary Wilbur Methodist Church, Portland. It was a candlelight ceremony.
 The couple plan to spend their honeymoon touring Nevada and will be at home at 86th and Foster Road, Portland after August 15.
 A reception was held at the church parlors for 300 guests. Mrs. Eugene Gregory, sister of the bridegroom, cut the cake.
 Mr. Bove attended the Mill City High School.
 Mrs. Wanda Batterson, Gene and LeRoy Fay of Nehalem spent Tuesday and Wednesday visiting her brother and family, Eugene Gregory, her sister and family, Mrs. Council Smith, and brothers, Bud, Paul, and Dick Gregory.



CLAUDE JARMAN JR., who starred in The Yearling, now plays an appealing role in "The Sun Comes Up" at the Mill City Theatre Sunday and Monday. With him, above, is Lassie, a star herself.

Light transmission facilities will be used.

Charcoal Plant Finds Use for Mill Waste

In the interests of fuller use of forest products, we present another story of an apparently successful experiment — this time charcoal.

A ten-day trial run of a new process for producing charcoal from saw mill waste is expected to attract visitors to Eugene from all over the Northwest. From Aug. 10 to 20 a test run will be made there.

Current methods for producing charcoal require several hours. The method developed in Eugene by OSC Forest Products Laboratory takes only 15 minutes after the wood waste enters the retort.

Scientists from the laboratory are headed by Dean Paul Dunn and include Dr. Phinister Proctor and Charles W. Ross, both of the forestry school.

H. R. Swanson, Eugene lumberman, carried on the development after its originator, H. S. Phillipson, died last year.

At the plant, wood waste enters the top of the retort and drops into a series of three troughs, moved by a screw conveyor system. By regulating the speed of the screws, the exact volatile content of the finished product can be determined. Air is excluded, and the gases resulting in the carbonization process are distilled.

"Progressive line production is the secret of the whole thing, said R. U. Bronson, owner of the Trio Lumber Co. and an officer in the charcoal firm.

The reaction may be considered in three stages—drying, decomposition of wood and subsequent cracking of the primary tars to form secondary charcoal. Oils and tars are condensed. Research is now being conducted on the commercial value of these distillates.

Charcoal is fast resuming its former place in commerce—now in the important chemical and metallurgical industries.

"Industries in the East have their coal supplies from which they may

derive coke," said Mr. Bronson, "but we here on the Pacific coast have no source of uniform heat for industry—and charcoal is the product to fill the gap.

Other charcoal uses include domestic heating, fertilizer, an agent in poultry feed.

The project is backed by a group of lumbermen in the Eugene area, members of the Western Forest In-

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dustries Assn. The process is looked upon as feasible for salvaging logging waste that is left on the ground after sawlogs have been taken away.

Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Rambo have purchased a home in Mill City, formerly owned by Grandma Smith. Mrs. Delta Allen of Oakland, Calif. and Mrs. Fern Graham of Portland, Ore. visited recently at the home of Mrs. J. R. Geddes of Mill City.

Rosalie Bassett is visiting in Salem at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Shepard for a week.

Mrs. Frank Blazek went shopping in Salem Thursday.

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EN ROUTE TO INDIA

Mrs. Ira Shanks has received a letter from her son, the Rev. Max Chance, from Alexandria, Egypt, that he and his wife are en route to a mission field in India.

Their route took them near Gibraltar and Malta and will take them through the Suez and to Celon before eventual location in Assam, India.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh



Specs And I See Eye To Eye

Asked Specs Allen to go hunting last week. Known him all my life, so I wasn't surprised when he showed up with no gun. Specs doesn't like to kill anything.

Couldn't ask for a better hunting companion, though. We tramp around the woods, and whenever the dogs flush a bird, I blaze away while Specs just watches.

Told him once I was surprised he went along... feeling the way he does about shooting anything. "Well, Joe," he says, "you do what you think is right and I'll stick to what I think is right. I've no call to dislike you for not seeing everything the way I see it."

From where I sit, open-mindedness is a wonderful quality. There are plenty of things Specs admires that I don't care for. Like his fondness for buttermilk. I'd rather have a glass of beer anytime... but Specs Allen and I don't let little differences get in the way of something big like friendship.

Joe Marsh

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BIGGEST STATE FAIR YET PROMISED FOR OREGON

Grounds for the Oregon State Fair in Salem were being readied this week in preparation for the state's biggest outdoor show.

The last major construction for the 1949 exposition in Salem is a Kiddieland amusement area, now about finished. The 77 acres of parking space has been leveled.

Demand for commercial display space is reported to be the heaviest in the history of the show. Farm machinery alone will occupy two of the eight blocks on the midway.

Helene Hughes, San Francisco theatrical producer, has assured Manager Leo Spitsbart the night vaudeville show in front of the racing grandstand will be the finest ever offered at the fair. A trio of high wire acts will be free midway shows daily.

POWER PACT BOOSTS SUPPLY

Mountain States Power Co. was one of five Northwest utilities which joined in the purchase of 30,000 kw of power from the British Columbia Electric Co.

The power surplus of the Canadian firm was the result of additional generating capacity on a dam on Bridge River. The extra supply will help relieve the region's shortage of current. Bonneville and Seattle City

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