

PLANT YOUR ROSES IN THE FALL FOR THE BEST RESULTS



All-America Rose Selections advise gardeners in the northern states to take advantage of the fall planting season to give roses a head start. Prune lengthy canes back to a height of 18 to 24 inches as shown at left. Soak roots in water until planted. Dig hole large enough to accommodate roots without crowding and work soil carefully under the roots (center). When hole is two-thirds full, pour in half a pail of water to eliminate air pockets. Fill hole, tamping the earth firmly about the roots and mound soil to a height of eight inches around the base of the plant for winter protection (right).

Gates

Gates schools were dismissed Monday and Tuesday while the teachers attended teachers' conventions. The high school faculty was in Salem and the grade teachers went to Albany.

Bill Hutcheson is enlarging the building in which the Gates Furniture store is housed. An addition is being built between the furniture store and Gates General Store. It has not yet been decided what the space will be used for, but would be a good location for another business.

Gerald Garrison is installing a line of refrigerators and an electrical repair shop in the Gates Furniture store.

Mrs. Clarence Rush was called to Salem by the serious illness and subsequent death of her mother, Mrs. Sophia Chittick, who had been in ill health for several months.

Mrs. James Overlock of Seattle, accompanied her mother, Mrs. Ed Davis, on her return to Gates after a visit at her daughter's home. Mrs. Overlock and daughter were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shelton during her stay here. She returned to Seattle Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Joaquin were called to Eugene by the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Bester. They were accompanied by Mrs. Laura Joaquin. Mrs. Bester who was 81, had visited her granddaughter only a short time before her death, seemingly in good health.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson attended the stock show in Portland last week end and also visited relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Henness spent the week end in Vale on a pheasant hunting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Ryal and daughter Joan were over-Sunday visitors in Prineville.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jun and daughter Pat left Sunday morning for Los Angeles, their former home, where they plan to remain for the winter months. The Jun's recently purchased the Rambo home, which will be for rent until the owners return.

Mr. and Mrs. Einer Skinnerland, recently of Arkansas, are newcomers to Gates, residing in the Oak Park Motel. Skinnerland is an engineer with CBI.

Mr. and Mrs. Tex Allen flew to Seattle last week end to attend the Stanford-Washington football game. Allen received his degree from Stanford.

Mr. and Mrs. George Arthurs of Seattle has joined her husband who has been here for several months helping his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brisbin, in the construction of the new postoffice building. Mr. and Mrs. Arthurs plan to locate here and build a home on property they recently purchased.

IDANHA FIREMEN PLAN BENEFIT OCT. 29

The Idanha fire department will hold its annual benefit Saturday, Oct. 29. Proceeds will go for more equipment and supplies.

Music will be furnished by the Salem Top Hatters. Tickets may be purchased at most business places.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Haley and sons of Eugene were dinner guests at the Jim McKinney home Sunday. Mr. Haley's texts for next Sunday are: morning—"Perfot Unity"; evening—"A Man's Need Fulfilled."

Darlene Storey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Storey, was taken ill Friday night and was taken to Salem Saturday. She was treated and returned home, much improved.

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DEER HUNT PRIZES AWARDED

The upper Canyon's deer contest, for the largest buck of the hunting season, was won by Charles Cannon, Idanha, for a 215 pound kill.

The prize was a radio given by a local store there, Mrs. Denton, De-

troit, won second prize with a 211 pound buck, and third prize was won by Hank Davis, Detroit Ranger Station, with a 193-pounder.

RELIEF AT LAST

It used to be that the Mill City Theater was for women only. Now there's standing room.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Now They're Sitting Pretty

Squint Miller, who's working as a telephone lineman, was telling me about some birds that got into a fight with his company.

Seems a couple of woodpeckers set up housekeeping in a telephone pole. Nobody minded them living there, but they kept pecking at the wires—causing one short circuit after another.

Finally, the telephone people—who had nothing personal against the birds—just stopped up the hole where they lived. But they kept coming back. At last, the company

donated that pole to the woodpeckers and set up a brand-new one for their own use!

From where I sit, we'd all be better off if we were as tolerant with our own kind as that telephone outfit was with the woodpeckers. Let's consider the other fellow's point of view—whether it's his right to live where he wants, or to enjoy a friendly glass of temperate beer or ale when and if he pleases.

Joe Marsh

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W 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 15, Township 9 south, Range 3 East, W. M.

Sealed bids will be accepted in place of oral bids if received at the office of the State Forester, 2600 State Street, Salem, Oregon not later than the above time and date. Before submitting bids, prospective purchasers should secure a copy of the prospectus and bid form from the State Forester, Salem, Oregon, or Elmer Taylor, Mehama, Oregon. The Acting State Forester reserves the right to waive minor technicalities or to reject any and all bids.

Signed: George Spaur Acting State Forester

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