

Campaign For Lighted Field Moves Ahead

Civic leaders and sportsmen interested in furthering the cause of a lighted play field in the Canyon Tuesday night in the Mill City fire hall embarked with resolute hearts on benefit ticket sales and various fund raising campaigns with an eye on the acquiring in the near future of lighting facilities for the Mill City grade school athletic field.

Russell Kelly, chairman of the lighted play field campaign, opened discussion on the problems aired by representatives of the social groups of the canyon.

Mill City Fire Chief Arlo Tuers expressed a desire for assurance from responsible quarters that once the athletic field is lighted those and their successors making possible the lighting improvement on the Mill City grade school athletic field will be allowed the use of the field provided they defray the operational expenses on the lights and their activities do not conflict with the play schedules of the Mill City grade and high schools.

Chairman Kelly referred Fire Chief Tuers' inquiry to Donald Sheythe, chairman of the board of directors of Mill City school district 129-J. Mr. Sheythe expressed the feeling that he could see no objection to the use of the lighted field by the softball players, etc., as long as the operational expenses are properly met, having in mind that a lighted athletic field will benefit directly the school system.

In the course of the discussion on the cost of operation of the proposed athletic field lighting system, R. L. Stewart, district manager of Mountain States Power company, indicated that it would cost roughly \$2.00 per hour's use for power for the proposed lighting system. Burton Boroughs estimated that during the course of an evening's lighting one light bulb would fail and need replacement at a cost of some \$4.

In an interview on the problem of citizen use of the lighted athletic field on school grounds, Mill City high principal Harrison Caughey stated that "As long as the bills for lighting are paid and their scheduled play does not conflict with that of the schools' then they can use the field."

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Easter Egg Hunt Opens Saturday

Shades of "Harvey", the giant invisible rabbit—there's an Easter egg hunt extra special for the fleet-of-foot under 16 years of age in the Canyon at 12 o'clock noon Saturday in the Mill City city park.

Every child under 16 is assured of a fair chance in this Santiam Aerie No. 2745 of Mill City Easter Egg Festival in the city park Saturday. Three age groups will be arranged.

Those six years of age and under will have their own Easter egg hunting grounds. Youngsters aged six to ten are scheduled for a hunt of their own also. The third age group will be composed of those 10 to 16 years of age.

Some lucky Easter egg hunters will get more than just an Easter egg Saturday. Many of the Easter eggs are marked and a marked egg wins a special prize.

Santiam Aerie Eagles Al Haun, chairman, George Stewart, John W. Nelson, C. E. Coville and Donald Nelson are the hard working committee shaping Saturday's Easter egg hunt in the Mill City city park.

Santiam Aerie Auxiliary members Mrs. John Nelson, chairman; Mrs. Al Haun, and Mrs. H. F. Hinch, the women's committee, have been busy carrying out the tradition long ago begun by the Eagles fraternity.

All children in the upper Canyon area wishing transportation to the Mill City Easter egg hunt in the city park be at Baldwin's in Detroit or Davis' in Idanha Saturday morning at 11 a.m. sharp.

Coming Events . . .

MONDAY—

American Legion Auxiliary 3d Mon. Explorer Scouts Legion hall 7:30 p. Lions club meeting.
A. F. & A. M. No. 180 stated meeting third Monday.
O.E.S. meeting, 2d Monday month.

TUESDAY—

Chamber of Commerce 2 & 4 noon luncheon.
Lions Auxiliary 4th Tuesday Women's club 8 p.m. 1st, 3rd Tues.

WEDNESDAY—

Santiam Eagles and auxiliary 8 p.m. at Mill City fire hall.
Santiam Rebekah 166—1st and 3rd Wed. at 8 p.m.
Altar Society meets 3rd Wed.
Mill City PTA meets 2nd Wed.
City council first Wed. 7:30 p.m.

THURSDAY—

Theta Rho Club for Girls, meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays.
Gates PTA 1st Thursday 8 p.m.
American Legion 2d and 4th Thurs. Garden club fourth Thursday.
Firemen Auxiliary meets 3d Thurs.

FRIDAY—

I.O.O.F. meeting.
Mill City IWA meeting last Friday



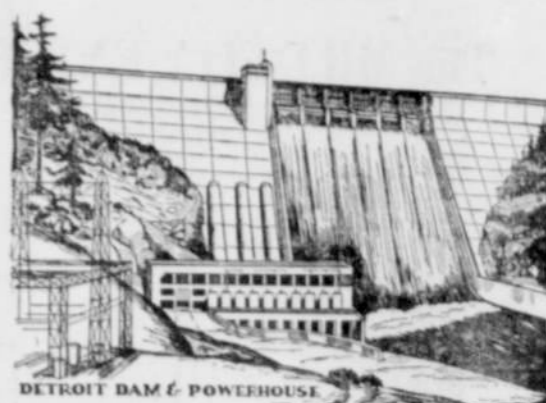
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Local District Gets \$5,687

The first payment of funds to Mill City School District 129-J from federal appropriations under public law 874 passed by the 81st congress was made public by the office of education in Washington, D.C., Wednesday, March 21.

The Mill City district got \$5,687.62 as its part of the public grant for aid to public schools in areas affected by federal activities. Mill City's school system was declared eligible for assistance because of the population increase brought on by the Detroit dam construction work.

Some reason for the need of such funds can be shown by examination of the following list of grade school students who received 4-H pins in recognition of their health achievements.

Receiving first year 4-H pins were Carolyn Andrews, Rosalie Bassett, Jimmy Bakimore, Lynn Brown, Clara Caudle, Zita Crosier, Lauren Dart, Colleen Esteson, Sharon Gibson, Rodney Goble, Penelope Gould, Sherry Hansen, Juanita Haney, Anna Lee Howell, Harold Kliever, Charles Marttala, John Mitchell, Terry Muir, Gregory Peterson, John Roten, Leonard Slater, Diana Slover, Evelyn Taylor, Carol Ann Thornley, Larry Urban, Dale Walczak, Frances Ward, Arthur Webb, Richard Ziebert, Norma Downer, Camille Goble, Evelyn Johnston, Truman Jones, Donald Lemke, Marlene Lovel, Winifred Murray, Michael O'Leary, Phyllis Provost, and Ellen Shelton.

Awarded second year 4-H health certificates were: Maurice Bassett, Glenda Christensen, Gerald Golden, Arthur Hedge, Ardis Meeks, Barbara Podrabsky, Delsie Roten, Charles Towell, Jean Thomas, and Darrell

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Canyon Aid Group Helps Three Homes

Three needy families were disclosed at the meeting of the Canyon Aid Tuesday night at the Detroit high school. Two of these families were taken to the clothing department at the CCC camp for available clothing. They also received requisitions for groceries. The third family, whose head has an incurable illness needs financial aid for medical care. As funds of the Canyon Aid are running low, a committee was named to decide means of raising money.

This subject was placed before the Santiam Willing Workers Wednesday at the residence of Mrs. James Gordon by their representative to the Canyon Aid, Mrs. George Barney. The club agreed to help with the fund raising project and to make clothing for the expected baby in one of the families.

The Legion Auxiliary, also have clothing for children to 10 years of age available, if these families are determined to be veterans. The Auxiliary, meeting with Mrs. Warren Stoll, last Tuesday night discussed sponsoring a candidate for the Oregon Mothers.

Final Signing Finishes Sale of Idanha Company

Idanha—The signing of final papers last week concluded the sale of the Harvey Lumber Co. of Idanha to George and Roy Russell of Oswego. The Russells, father and son, purchased the saw and planer mills and Harvey timber in the locality.

Roy, the son, will manage this business and move with his family to a house near the mill. The elder Russell will remain in Oswego and operate the planer mill he owns there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Harvey plan to remain at their present location.

Theatre Sponsors Easter Contest

An Easter Bonnet contest will highlight the pre-Easter matinee program at the Mill City Theatre at 2 p.m. Saturday afternoon, March 24, for the Roy Rogers Riders club.

Prizes will be awarded for the most ingenious creation by any child under 13 years of age. Material used can be anything—an old hat, crepe paper, etc. Assistance in making the bonnet by another person will be permitted. This contest, while appealing primarily to little girls will be open to boys if they wish to enter.

In addition to the contest, the program will offer four cartoons, a chapter of the serial, "Wild Bill Hickock", a magic show by "Prof. Venesso," and a feature picture, "Saga of Death Valley" starring Roy Rogers and Gabby Hayes.

All children are invited to join the Roy Rogers Riders club. New members are provided with a membership card and a colored photo of Roy Rogers. They are then eligible for membership pins, and many other premiums and prizes.

Purposes of this organization, founded two years ago by screen and radio star Roy Rogers are best summed up in the rules given every member upon joining the club.

They are: 1. Be neat and clean; 2. Be courteous and polite; 3. Always obey your parents; 4. Protect the weak and help them; 5. Be brave, but never take chances; 6. Study hard and learn all you can; 7. Be kind to animals and care for them; 8. Eat all your food and never waste any; 9. Love God and go to Sunday school regularly; 10. Always respect our Flag and our Country.

Club matinees start at 2 p.m. each Saturday and end promptly at 4:30 p.m. for the convenience of parents calling for their children.

Santiam Valley Grange Canyon Conclave Site

Those Wanting a Canyon-Wide Chamber Muster Wed., March 28

J. C. "Doc" Kimmel, chairman of the North Santiam Chamber of Commerce constitutional committee, issued today the official call for a canyon-wide organizational meeting for election of officers of the permanent North Santiam Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday, March 28, at 8 p.m. in the Santiam Valley Grange hall located between Lyons and Mehama.

Cub Scout Pack Now Operating

To quote the words of Mr. Ray Steiner, Cubmaster, "Mill City Cub Scout Pack No. 84 is now in operation." This announcement culminates several weeks of intensive effort on the part of Mr. Steiner, assisted by the Cub Pack committeemen, and was made at the final organizational meeting held at the Steiner residence last Monday night.

Following the announced decision of the Parent Teachers Association in Mill City, a Pack committee was organized consisting of Messrs. Charles Harman, Herbert Schunk, Burton Boroughs, William Tickle, and Eldon Lents. Lee Donaldson was named to represent the PTA on the committee, and Ray Steiner volunteered to serve as cubmaster, with Ken Siler as assistant.

An effort was made to contact the parents of all boys in the age group eligible for membership in the Cub Scouts, in order to determine the number interested in the program and to secure the services of mothers to conduct the weekly den meetings. The enthusiastic response to this survey was most gratifying in that it indicated a potential membership of approximately 40 boys in the Cub Pack with the following ladies volunteering to serve as den mothers or assistants:

Mrs. Joseph McNealy, Mrs. Lillian Provost, Mrs. Arlo Tuers, Mrs. Zella Hautala, Mrs. Frank Dell, Mrs. Kenneth Siler, Mrs. O. D. Jones, Mrs. Eldon Lents, Mrs. William Tickle, Mrs. Geo. Ditter and Mrs. Grace Hutchinson.

The necessary initial membership applications have been received and forwarded to the Boy Scout Area Council together with the application for charter. A total of six den groups are scheduled to start their weekly meetings immediately, and plans are being formulated for the first Cub Pack meeting tentatively scheduled for Monday night, April 30.

The Cub Scout program is open to all boys within the age limits of 8 to 10 inclusive. The membership fee is \$1.00, which covers not only the Area Council fee but also the boy's first achievement book. A thrift plan requiring weekly dues of 10 cents has been adopted.

All parents interested in enrolling their boy in this program are urged to contact the Cubmaster, Mr. Ray Steiner or Mr. Herbert Schunk, who will accept applications and handle the den assignments.

O.P.S. Deadline Now Is April 30

Filing deadline for Ceiling Price Regulation 7 has been extended to April 30 because of requests from retailers throughout the country who said they could not meet the March 29 deadline.

Also extended by thirty days is the date after which a retailer cannot sell any item covered by Regulation 7 unless he has received acknowledgment from the Office of Price Stabilization of the filing of his chart. Original deadline of April 28 is extended to May 30.

Today's OPS action also extends the deadline from March 29 to April 30 for retailers to file reports with their charts showing margins which they had during the "Base Period" July 1, 1949 to June 30, 1950. These are the reports which will give the retailers and OPS a chance to compare existing margins with those in use in the year before the Korean outbreak.

Anton Moravec, Jr. Civic Aid Ceases

Anton Moravec Jr. followed his son, Terry Anton, in death last Wednesday, March 14, and in so doing settled forever a cloak of stillness over the personal efforts he always cheerfully lavished in behalf of his community, family and many friends.

Just before the sawmill accident stunned Anton "Tony" Moravec Jr. into fatal unconsciousness, he was heartily spearheading activity and formulating plans for the 25th reunion of those of the Mill City high school class of 1926 of which he was a member.

Those who were graduated from Mill City high school in 1926 are determined now that the planned 25th reunion be a success in memorial of their classmate, "Tony" Moravec.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Moravec Sr. announced the birth of Anton Moravec Jr. on April 3, 1908, in Phillips, Wis. The Moravec family came to Mill City some 10 years later. "Tony", after entering the Mill City school system, in due time was graduated and entered Oregon state college and was a student there during the years 1927 and 1928. Later he married Miss Frances Siegmund. To this union was born one child, a son, Terry Anton, who was accidentally drowned three years ago.

The Moravec berry and poultry farm on Fern Ridge is a model for others and a monument to the man who husbanded it. Tony was past master and lecturer of the Santiam Valley grange at the time of his death.

He carried much of the responsibility of the Santiam Memorial Hospital campaign and the Santiam Soil Conservation district work. Tony directed the taking of the 1950 federal census in the northeast part of Marion county. The Farmers Union and Mill City Bohemian club listed "Tony" Moravec as being one of them for many years.

Last rites for Anton Moravec Jr. on Saturday afternoon, March 17, found Ray Herman, John Lambrecht, Albert Toman, Bill Brady, Ken Golliet and Lloyd Girod the active pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers were Cornelius Bateson, Matt Martin, Leonard Burns, Fernando Smith, Bill Burrell, Ted Freres, Gene Teague, Wendel Freres, and Douglas Heater.

A graveside ceremony preceded interment of the remains beside those of Terry Anton Moravec in the Lone Oak cemetery.

Lions Club 3d Annual Talent and Amateur Show Thurs., March 29