



Canyon Avenue Parade

By DON PETERSON

Baseball has been crowding out much of the political discussions and until the world's championship is decided. The Yankees and the Dodgers stand even up today at one game each, but I am predicting that the Dodgers will come out on top this year. You can take that for what it's worth.

We need at least two candidates for the posts of city councilmen this fall and time has run about out on the filing of petitions for these positions in our city government. Saturday is the last day for filing petitions and each petition is to carry the signatures of 10 citizens of Mill City.

Terms of Councilmen Greene and Toman will expire January 1 and they or someone else will have to be elected to fill their places. At present Greene is serving as mayor and Toman has also served in that capacity for one year. Both have given freely of their time and ability to give a good administration. Both have been criticized and praised for their actions, but none will deny they have worked hard to serve the city in their elected posts. We are all grateful to them for their personal sacrifice and if they are re-elected we believe they will continue to serve the city well.

It is hoped that others will make themselves available to serve on the city council. That is the democratic way of our life. We should have a choice when we go to the polls, so that we can thereby choose the best man available for the job.

Hunters are all very disappointed in the curtailment of the hunting season. Weather has continued to plague the hunters and the failure of the rains to come has forced the closing of the forests to both loggers and hunters. The logging operators have all agreed to keep their gates closed and guards posted to keep out everyone without any business in the woods according to information passed along by Fire Warden Keith Phillips. The logging operators promise to open up their gates as soon as weather conditions permit so that the hunters can go after their meat supply.

Eastern Oregon is about the only place left open to hunters after the action of the governor this afternoon in closing western Oregon forests.

"Walk East on Beacon" is a movie that tells a story that everyone should see. It is a story of the FBI made with their assistance and co-operation telling about a red spy hunt here in the U. S. The point I felt most was that their methods were sure and accurate—they got their men and/or women as the case may be. The duty that we as citizens have is to give our information to the FBI and let them take over from there without our playing detective.

The lesson was very clear that the FBI can do a better job than any of us could possibly do, and the sooner that all the McCarthys, Nixons and Fulton Lewises turn their information over to the FBI and stop publicizing innocent men and women along with a possible suspect the better off we will all be. Perhaps those gentlemen don't want to catch the real culprit but would rather play football with them and make a political issue of it—it would appear that that is the case by their reckless and stupid publicity.

It would certainly be foolhardy of me or anyone else to publicize a list of names of a group I know about after I had turned it over to the FBI. How could the FBI catch the guilty ones after they were warned by such irresponsible public officials or private citizens?

PTA International Dinner Scheduled

The Mill City Parent-Teacher association announces that plans are nearly complete for their fifth annual International Progressive dinner, scheduled for Thursday, November 6.

Countries to be represented this year are Ireland, Norway, Mexico, and Denmark. A special effort is being made to feature various objects of interest from these nations, such as silver, jewelry, linens, clothing, etc. As always international music will be played at each course, and a special program will be presented on the stage of the grade school gymnasium, featuring the music and dances of these four nations.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Veness are the dinner chairmen this year, and promise an outstanding evening. Adult tickets will be \$1.00 and children under 14 will pay 50c. Mill City Camp Fire leaders are assisting, and Mrs. Harry Dyhrman has charge of the stage entertainment. Further details will appear each week.

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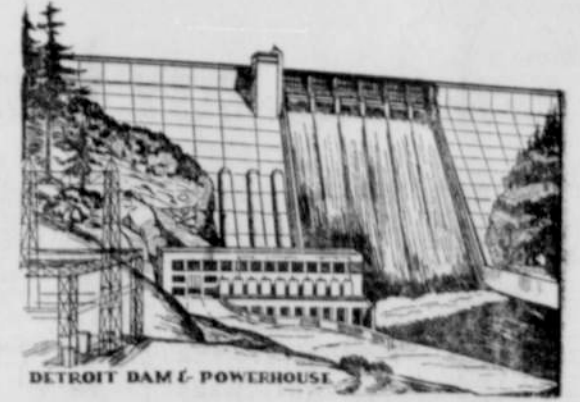
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY—Lewis Theodore "T" Henness, Gates, third from left, celebrated his 98th birthday Sunday at a reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Millsap at their home in Gates. Others in photo, from left, are Lincoln Henness, 89, a brother, Gates; Mrs. Ida Geddes, 97, Mill City; Mrs. Edna Ratzburg, a daughter, Salem; Mrs. Glen Henness and Glen Henness, a grandson, Gates; and Mrs. Lincoln Henness.

(Photo courtesy of Capital Journal)

Chest Campaign Drive To Start October 15th

Mill City Community Chest drive will be under the chairmanship of "Bud" Bruder this year. The main drive will "max" during the week of the 15th to George Veteto, Mill City.

Chest officials held a short meeting Tuesday evening at the IOOF hall in Mill City. It was decided that there should be another planning meeting before the drive gets under way. The date of the projected meeting has not been announced.

Present for the short session Tuesday were Community Chest officials, Clyde Kells, co-chairman, and Clarke Lethin, field Scout executive from Albany, George Veteto, Mill City vice president; Irl Plymale, Mrs. Ed Chance, and several others were also present.

Funds solicited in the two communities of Gates and Mill City will be divided between Linn and Marion counties. Formerly funds obtained in these two communities went to Marion county alone.

Call for Bids for Hatchery Station

The Portland district, Corps of Engineers, will invite bids Tuesday, Sept. 30, for improvement of facilities at the Minto fish egg collecting station on the North Santiam river, eight miles east of Mill City.

Col. Thomas H. Lipscomb, Portland district engineer, said the work would consist of installing a training wall and new entrance stoplog guides, some rock excavation, and smoothing off one shoal area and removing boulders over eight inches in diameter.

He said the bids would be opened in his office at 2 p.m. October 8 and that the work must be completed within 90 days. Bids are being advertised under invitation No. CIVENG-35-026-53-65.

Legion Auxiliary Holds Annual Rummage Sale

American Legion Auxiliary of Mill City will hold its annual "white elephant" and rummage sale Friday and Saturday, Oct. 3 and 4, in the building vacated by the War Surplus store near the post office.

There is promised a large variety of clothing, jewelry and knickknacks. Anyone wishing to contribute unneeded articles from the home or used and outgrown clothing can call Muir's bakery 2222 and it will be picked up.

Dues are now payable for 1953. Mrs. Ina Chase will be present at the rummage sale, and dues may be paid to her at that time.

Richfield Service Has New Manager

Clyde's Richfield service in Mill City is now under the management of John Sadler. Sadler assumed operation of the service station Monday under the assumed name of Jack's Richfield Service. Clyde Golden, former proprietor, tentatively plans a move to eastern Oregon.

Jack's Richfield Service station is owned by Chas. Morgan of Stayton, Richfield agent. The Mill City Richfield station now managed by Sadler is located near the eastern boundary of Mill City on highway 222, near Kelly Lumber Sales lumber yard.

Sadler formerly lived at Four Corners outside of city limits of Salem. He is married and has a baby boy 10 months old. Mrs. Sadler is a registered nurse. The Sadlers are living in the Al Haun house located east of Mill City. Sadler attended grade and high school in Stayton. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sadler of Stayton. L. C. Sadler managed Freres Lumber yard in Mill City before it was sold to Kelly Lumber Sales.

John Sadler brings to his new position three years' experience in a Carlsbad, N. Mex., service station and two

Niagara Streets Vacated Tuesday

Niagara on highway 222 lost two streets and parts of two others, Tuesday morning of this week. Marion county court signed an order vacating the streets after hearing no objections. George H. Ditto had petitioned the court and asked that the streets be vacated.

D. R. Drew was the only other party affected by the vacating of these streets, and he made no objection. The Salem law association of Hewitt, Estep & Sorensen handled the legal work on the Ditto petition.

Streets vacated in their entirety were First and Second streets. Partly vacated were A street and B street in Niagara. The reason assigned for vacating these streets was the fact that the townsite of Niagara never developed.

years' work in a Walla Walla, Wash., general service station. Sadler also has been employed for six years by Freres Lumber Co. of Lyons. Sadler's move from Four Corners has caused his advertising for sale his house in Four Corners.

Special Bulletin

Fire Warden Keith Phillips, informed us this morning that all logging operations in the area have been contacted and are joining in a move to limit fire danger during this dry spell. Operators stated that until it rains or there is a break in the weather, gates in their logging areas will be kept locked and a man posted at them. No permits to enter the areas will be issued. They emphasized that they wish to co-operate with hunters and that logging areas will be re-opened to hunters as soon as this can be done without undue fire danger.

John Davis, Idanha, Receives PTA Award

John Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Davis of Idanha is one of two students from Marion county now attending the Oregon College of Education at Monmouth under a PTA scholarship. The other winner is Carolyn Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Jones of Salem.

Serving in a concrete way to demonstrate its support of education in the state, the Oregon Congress of Parents and Teachers last year awarded \$10,300 in tuition scholarships to prospective teachers in elementary and junior high schools of Oregon.

John Davis received the first seven years of his education in Bend, then went to the Detroit-Idanha school in the eighth grade. Then he attended Detroit high school. While in high school, he took part in dramatics, music, arts and crafts, and was either of the high school annual, also cheer leader. He was the salutatorian for his graduating class.

New scholarships issued to 41 college students, plus renewals of previously granted scholarships, bring to 104 the total of students now receiving aid. Each grant includes the total tuition at any of the Oregon Colleges of Education, an amount totalling \$120 per year.

Tuition scholarships are granted on the basis of high school scholastic performance, participation in extra-curricular activities in high school, personality, and good citizenship, among other qualifications generally considered to contribute to superior teaching ability. Financial need is not considered in making the selections, according to R. E. Lieuallen of the Oregon College of Education who serves the Oregon Congress as its tuition scholarship chairman.

Fire Fighting Crews Stop Sardine Blaze

By MRS. S. T. MOORE
Detroit—The second hold-over fire of the season was extinguished Wednesday in the Sardine Creek burn area where fire fighters found a massive "clinker" in a burning snag, evidence of a long-smoldering fire.

The fire was confined to a quarter acre by efforts of forest service and logging crews. A previous fire in the area in August was also found to have flared up as the result of fire burning deep in a snag for nearly a year.

Fire fighting crews were called out late Tuesday to extinguish a fire in an equipment shed and truck on the North Santiam river where the Drayer Construction company has assembled equipment for the installation of a log boom.

The shed and contents of tools and power equipment were lost in the fire and the truck was badly damaged. Loss was reported to be covered by insurance.

Thornton, Democrat, Seeks Attorney Post

State Representative Robert Y. Thornton, Democratic nominee for state attorney general, and Mrs. Thornton will visit Marion county on October 10, it was announced here yesterday by R. F. Shutler, Marion county Democratic chairman.



ROBERT Y. THORNTON

A comparative newcomer to state politics, Thornton, when a candidate for representative in 1950, was elected by the largest majority in his county of any candidate running for a state or local office, and defeated the Republican incumbent better than two to one. He was twice appointed city attorney of Tillamook, and held the same post for the cities of Garibaldi and Nehalem.

The 42-year-old Tillamook lawyer and World War II veteran is a graduate of Stanford and attended Oregon and George Washington law schools, earning his own way entirely.

After graduation, he did legal work for congress, which included co-authoring "Constitution of the U. S." a widely circulated legal reference book. He was assistant solicitor of the U. S. Department of Interior when he resigned in 1938 to return to Oregon and enter private practice.

In civic work Thornton has served as director of the Tillamook YMCA, Veterans Housing Authority and Chamber of Commerce; president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Kiwanis club; commander, American Legion; and as county chairman of fund drives for the Red Cross and Crusade for Freedom.

St. Catherine's Food Sale Saturday, Oct. 11

St. Catherine's Altar society is planning a food sale to be held at Stiffler's store on Saturday, October 11 from 10 a.m. until noon. Come early and buy all the fixings for your dinner.

The ladies plan to have a selection of salads, breads, hot dishes and desserts. Turkey sandwiches and coffee will also be available for those desiring a luncheon out.



Site of "old" Detroit in the Detroit dam reservoir, now cleared of trees and worthwhile salvage is ready to be burned over preparatory to inundation when Detroit reservoir at this point is indicated by the clearing line for timber shown in the background of the top photograph. Below: Relics of old Detroit that will vanish after fire and bulldozers have finished clearing the site.

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