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It Ain't All Roses

(by George Long)

Those who have advocated extensive restrictions on the use of forest land for commercial purposes have overlooked the renewable qualities of this resource, as well as the many other attributes of wood in an energy-short era.

Some of these attributes have been summarized by the head of a timber products company. He noted that the housing industry, with its low-energy requirements and high-employment impact, must receive special encouragement from government to help offset potential unemployment in industries related to petroleum and other energy uses. He observed that wood products, including paper and paperboard, may become replacements for a huge volume of plastic containers made from petrochemicals. There are many advantages in manufacturing building materials out of wood. Producing a ton of lumber requires about 430 kilowatt hours of electricity or its equivalent as compared to 2,700 kwh for a ton of steel and 17,000 kwh for a ton of aluminum. Wood is also a good insulating material. One inch of wood is four times as efficient an insulator as cinder block, six times as efficient as brick, 15 times as efficient as concrete or stone and 1,700 times as efficient as aluminum.

Along the Columbia River, north of Portland, one of the country's largest nuclear power plants, being built by a major electric company in the region, is nearing completion. For an area of the country that is growing rapidly and has skirted the abyss of a critical power shortage, the approaching completion of the most aptly named Trojan nuclear facility is good news indeed. When it goes on the line in July of 1975, the 1,133 million kilowatt plant will operate at "full bore" to help meet the energy needs of the Pacific Northwest.

A news story in the Oregon Journal raises a corner of the curtain on the energy world of tomorrow in the course of a progress report on Trojan.

Currently the plant is 77% complete. Construction employment has reached a peak of 1,170 persons—including 580 pipefitters and electricians. The cost of the project has risen approximately \$100 million above the original estimate of \$242 million. When the plant is completed, it will contain 2.5 million feet of cable and wire. It will be run by a permanent staff of 65—a staff that is now receiving on-the-job training. As the various systems of the huge project become operational, they are turned over to the permanent employees who then begin a long series of checks to insure proper functioning of all elements of each system. Like a gigantic spacecraft, each of Trojan's systems has three and four backup systems to provide absolute and instant control of the entire process.

The Journal article observes of Trojan, "Hopefully, next year at this time, it will be put into use and customers will begin to receive the first nuclear-produced electric power in Oregon." When that happens, Oregon and the Pacific Northwest will have reached a new plateau of technology to which the atom is slowly lifting American civilization, despite great obstacles thrown in its path by the skeptics and nonbelievers.

Correction

Proceeds earned from the Donkey Basketball Game and reported in last week's Enterprise as \$127.00 for the Canyon Scholarship Fund was incorrect. Amount realized from the game for the scholarship fund was \$178.00.

Annual Easter Egg Hunt Set For 1 p.m.

The annual Easter Egg Hunt, which is being sponsored this year by the Jr. Woman's Club, will begin at 1:00 p.m. Easter Sunday in the city park.

The hunt will be divided into five age groups — one year olds, two and three year olds, four and five, six and seven and the eight to ten year group.

Prizes will be awarded for the most eggs found in each age group and a special prize will be given for the child who finds the "Golden" egg.

The 70 dozen eggs which have been donated by the Santiam Chapter, AARP, and the Junior Woman's Club, will be cooked and colored by the Senior Woman's Club.

Boy Scout Troop #49 will be hiding the eggs. They will also be helping with the clean-up.

Junior Woman's Club members in charge of the egg hunt are Mrs. Berry Drake and Mrs. John Jerrim.

Information On Pre-School Age Children Needed By District

The local school is in need of knowledge regarding pre-school children who will be enrolling in the first grade next September. Information of how many students will be in school is essential in that the correct amount of learning materials needed will be purchased and available on the opening day of school.

Persons knowing of a child who will be six by November 15, 1974, would be doing a service to the child and the school by encouraging the parents to contact the school, phone 897-2311, at their earliest convenience.

Detroit Easter Egg Hunt Sunday, April 14 at 1 p.m.

DETROIT — The annual Easter Egg Hunt sponsored by the Detroit Woman's Civic Club will be held Easter Sunday, April 14, at 1:00 p.m. on the grade school grounds for pre-school children up through the fourth grade only.

Children will be divided into three age groups with members of the club supervising the event.

Prize eggs will be marked with money denominations.

Fishermens Benefit Breakfast To Be Held April 27

DETROIT — The Detroit High School senior class will sponsor a fishermens benefit breakfast on the opening day of trout season, April 27, from 4:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

The breakfast, consisting of pancakes, eggs and bacon, will be held in the elementary school cafeteria. Charge for youngsters from 12 years of age and under will be \$1.00, adults \$1.50.

Proceeds will be used for the senior class graduation activities.

Break-ins Solved On Recycling Center

The Mill City Police Department reported this week that three local juveniles had been apprehended in connection with several break-ins at the Recycling Center.

The juveniles were turned over to their parents. Authorities indicated the youths will make restitution for damages to the center.

Project Childfind Now In Operation

Project Childfind needs your help. This is a state wide effort to locate and identify school aged children who are not currently receiving educational services of any kind.

A new Oregon Law, House Bill 2444, affirms the right of all school age youngsters (up to age 21 for the handicapped) to benefit from free public education. This bill places upon school districts in Oregon the responsibility for surveying "Educational and other needs of children who are not attending school, sufficient to enable the district board to determine whether or not a need exists for special programs of education and for corrective and related services."

If you are the parent of a child who is not receiving educational benefits, or if you know of such a child, please contact Rich Moore, counselor at Santiam High School.

Senior Citizens Bingo Party Set For Wed., April 17

The senior citizens bingo party, sponsored each month by the Junior Woman's Club, will be held Wednesday, April 17, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the Presbyterian Church.

The bingo parties are a free community service to all senior citizens and prizes are baked and donated by the club members.

Any senior citizen needing transportation to the party may call Mrs. John Jerrim at 897-3167.

Hostesses for the April party are Mrs. Jerrim, Mrs. Doug Suckling and Mrs. Tom Jeleniewski.

Good Friday Services Set

The Mill City Ministerial Assn. has planned special services in observance of Easter.

Good Friday services will be conducted Friday evening at 7:30 p.m. at the First Christian Church with communion at the close of the service.

Sunrise services will be at 6:30 a.m. Easter Sunday morning in the Presbyterian Church. Ministers and laymen will take part in the services and everyone is welcome to attend.

Girl Of The Month



Christie May Spurgeon

Christie May Spurgeon has been chosen Girl of the Month for March. Christie is a junior at Santiam High School and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spurgeon of Mill City.

She has been very busy with school activities, among them are pep club, Wolverettes, drama club and JV Rally. This year she is a varsity cheerleader and was homecoming princess. Christie plans to go to college at Merie Davis Business College in Salem or Linn-Benton Community College in Albany.

1974 Prom Queen



Queen Cathy Ohrt and her escort, Don Hoover. Cathy was chosen prom queen Saturday night at Santiam High School. Princesses Diane Wills and Mary Hamilton and their escorts completed the court.

Easter Sunrise Breakfast Set For Sunday

Easter Breakfast chairman, Bill Beyer, indicated this week that those attending the annual Easter Sunrise Breakfast Sunday morning will enjoy delicious food and good fellowship.

Breakfast will be served from 7:00 to 11:00 a.m. with individuals from various organizations assisting at the breakfast which is sponsored by the Mill City Steering Committee.

Advance ticket sales have been in process the past few weeks. Tickets may also be purchased at the door Easter morning.

All proceeds from the breakfast will go towards the July Fourth Celebration and the queen coronation expenses.

Mill City Weather

Date	Hi	Lo	Pcp.
March 31	48	39	0.26
April 1	52	40	0.70
April 2	50	38	0.31
April 3	51	38	0.38
April 4	54	37	0.13
April 5	54	47	0.27
April 6	56	40	0.13
Total Pcp. for the week	2.18"		

Boy Of The Month



James Douglas Rose

James Douglas Rose, a junior at Santiam High School, has been chosen Boy of the Month for March. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Rose of Mill City.

Among his many activities are baseball, football, basketball and sports. Last year he was chosen Boy of the Month in February. This year he is track and field manager, junior class president and in students for action in education.

Jim plans on attending the U. of O after graduation from Santiam and major in sociology.

Citizens Committee Holds First Meeting

The first meeting of the Citizens Committee on Sewerage Problems was held at the city hall Wednesday, April 3, with most members present, along with other interested persons.

Mayor Clyde Bate and Councilman James Jaquette were present to acquaint the committee with the work that has been done to date concerning the sewerage issue.

Vern Shaw was elected chairman of the group and Alice Farman, secretary.

Councilman Jaquette read correspondence to and from the the Mid-Willamette Valley Council of Governments regarding the Mill City sewerage problems. He also pointed out the issues to be studied and investigated and the work that lay ahead in order to completely determine the sewer needs of the community.

After long discussion on all phases of the issue, it was decided to meet again in the near future to carry on with the plans.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

Athletic Banquet Scheduled

Ted Wilson, head basketball coach at Linfield College will be the featured speaker at the annual athletic banquet Thurs., April 18 at 7 p.m. at the Santiam High School Cafeteria. Mr. Wilson has won seven titles and has made five trips to the national tournament in Kansas City. Linfield tied for the conference title last year.

Ted's teams have won 225 and lost 27 over the last 13 years.

This year's banquet will feature the state champion basketball team.

The boys and girls teams will be presented by their respective coaches, Michele Stickney, girls track and volleyball; Jerry Gibson, football coach; Bid Sanders, basketball coach; Mike McClain, track coach and John Jerrim, baseball coach.

The varsity and JV cheerleaders will be presented by their advisor Mrs. Jane Pumphrey. The Wolverettes, coached by Mrs. Stickney, will also be in attendance.

Both fathers and mothers are invited to the banquet. The fried chicken dinner will cost \$2.50 a person.

Two Local Lmbr. Firms Take Bids

DETROIT — Two North Santiam Canyon lumber firms bid a total of \$7,253,596.82 for an estimated 22,600,000 board feet of Willamette National Forest timber in two sales, conducted at Detroit Ranger Station Friday.

Freres Veneer, Lyons, was the successful bidder at \$6,302,211.86 for an estimated 17,200,000 board feet of timber in the Woodpecker No. Three Timber Sale. The firm bid \$388 per thousand for 15,700 MBF of Douglas-Fir advertised at \$121.00 per M, \$258.92 above the advertised rate. Fifteen hundred MBF of Western Hemlock and other coniferous species sold at the advertised rate of \$92.50 per 1,000. The firm was one of 13 oral board bidders. Included in the sale were 233 acres of all species of logs advertised at \$308.42 per acre. The western Hemlock and other coniferous species and the all species log acreage sold at fixed rates. The sale is located approximately eight miles east of Idanha via Road 1054.

Young & Morgan Inc., Mill City, was the successful bidder at \$951,384.96 for an estimated 5,400,000 board feet of federal timber, in the timber Butte No. Two Timber Sale. The firm bid \$186 per thousand for 2,700 MBF of Douglas Fir advertised at \$85.79 per M, \$100.21 above the advertised rate. Twenty seven hundred MBF of Western Hemlock and other coniferous species advertised at \$47.36 per thousand sold for \$166 per 1,000, \$118.64 above the advertised rate.

Included in the sale were 216 acres of all species logs advertised at \$4.56 per acre. There were ten qualified board bidders.

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Upper Canyon Egg Hunt Set For Sat.

An old fashioned Easter Egg Hunt will be held Saturday, April 13, at the Marion Forks Campground. The hunt will start promptly at 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

All children in the canyon area, age 12 and under, are invited to participate. A separate section will be set aside for toddlers and prizes will be awarded.

The hunt will take place, rain or shine, according to the sponsors, Marion Forks Inn.

Choralaires To Be At AARP Meeting

The Choralaires, a group of 25 women singers from Salem, will furnish entertainment at the Santiam Chapter, AARP meeting April 23 at 8:00 p.m. at the Santiam High School auditorium. The public is invited to attend and AARP is extending a special invitation to the Junior Woman's Club in appreciation of their efforts for senior citizens in the community. A free will offering will be accepted to help defray expenses for the group.

The AARP meeting will start promptly at 7:00 p.m. Wesley Jahn, Supt. of School Dist. 129J, will be present to answer questions on the school budget.

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New High School Switchboard and Night Hours Given

Santiam High School has installed a new switchboard and the night hours are 4:15 p.m. through 7:45 a.m. each school day, Saturday, Sunday and holidays.

Residents may call the following places: Mill City Elementary school office, 897-2313; Santiam high school office, 897-2312; clerk's office, 897-2311. During school hours, please call 897-2311 as usual.

Detroit Dam - Weather

	Max.	Min.	Elev.	Pcp.
Apr. 3	43	36	1535.88	0.44
Apr. 4	45	37	1535.65	0.17
Apr. 5	55	39	1535.04	0.29
Apr. 6	49	40	1534.54	0.46
Apr. 7	49	40	1534.41	0.20
Apr. 8	58	42	1534.16	0.00
Apr. 9	55	37	1533.77	0.33
Total Pcp. for Week	1.94"			