

Modoc Area Scout Council Votes To Put Age Changes Into Effect September 1

The executive board of the Modoc Area council at its meeting held Sunday, August 7, voted to put the new Boy Scout age adjustments into effect on September 1, 1949. This action is in line with the recommendation of the Boy Scout national council which voted to lower the age of the three scouting programs by one year beginning September 1.

It was pointed out at the board meeting by Chester Hamaker of Klamath Falls that this adjustment will require 35 per cent more Cub packs, Scout troops and Explorer units within a six-month period. There are approximately 1000 8-year-old boys available as prospective Cubs. It is expected that 75 per cent of these boys will actually enroll in Cub packs soon after the September 1 starting date.

Eleven-year-old boys now enrolled in Cubbing will transfer to Scout troops between September 1 and November 1. After November 1 all 11-year-old boys will have made the change to the troop program. Eleven-year-old boys will be eligible for attendance at next year's council camp and plans are being made by the camping committee to increase the facilities at Camp Makua on Crescent lake to accommodate a 30 per cent increase in attendance.

Alton F. Baker of Eugene, chairman of region 11 of the national council, attended the meeting of the executive board and discussed the new age program. He indicated that other councils were anticipating a similar gain and were making plans to accommodate many more boys.

The board unanimously accepted the allocation of funds made by the Klamath County Community Chest for 1950 operation.

Calvin Peyton, chairman of the camping committee, outlined the need for expanded dining facilities at the Crescent lake camp, indicating that they were taxed to the limit during the first four weeks of camp this season. He reported to the board on the improvements made since July 1, 1949, which included a cook's cottage, electric wiring in the hall and kitchen and installation of gas water heating and cooking equipment.

Chet Hamaker, vice president of the council, was elected by Dr. Adams to serve as chairman of the 1950 jamboree committee. Hamaker and a committee of six other men representative of the seven counties in this council will work out

plans to send 72 Scouts from this area to Valley Forge, Pa., to attend the national jamboree from June 28 to July 6, 1950.

Attending the meeting from Klamath Falls were Dr. F. C. Adams, Chet Hamaker, Arnold Gralapp, Vern Owens, James Patterson, Calvin Peyton, Ted Determann and Robert Lamott.

Hanford Plant Funds Marked

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9 (AP)—The atomic energy commission hopes to spend \$84,000,000 in new construction at its Hanford (Wash.) plant, Senator Cain (R-Wash.) said today.

He quoted a reporter a letter from David E. Lilienthal, AEC chairman, outlining plans for Hanford if congress approves requested appropriations.

About \$18,000,000 would be spent during the remainder of this calendar year on projects now under way and on contemplated new work, Lilienthal said.

A reduction in construction forces, which began about the middle of 1948, probably will continue until the last of this year, he said. About 5000 construction workers were being used at Hanford in July.

He added that "if necessary funds are available and no unforeseen technical difficulties are encountered with respect to the contemplated program, the employment trend should be reversed during the last few months of this calendar year."

Naval Reserve Open To Women

The naval reserve program has been expanded to allow women without previous military experience to enroll. Women high school graduates between the ages of 18 and 40 years, who have no minor dependents, are eligible and may contact the navy recruiting office, room 307 in the post office building.

Reservists remain civilians, and may receive navy training in their spare time. They also may join the naval reserve units that meet weekly. Interested parties may call 3431 for full information.

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New Buick Special



High on the list of engineering achievements on the new Buick Special is the design of the combined bumper and grille. Developed by Buick and offered for the first time, this innovation was accomplished by placing the verticle bumper grille bars forward of the single-piece bumper. Two bomb-shaped bumper guards, which also house the parking lamps, are mounted on the bumper.

Health Research Funds Granted

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9 (AP)—The national institutes of health awarded 217 grants, totaling \$2,596,426, today for continuation of medical and allied research projects at 94 institutions.

The projects include studies of deafness and speech defects, peptic ulcers, the common cold, and the regulation of the endocrine glands to aging.

The grants include: Alaska: department of health, Seward sanatorium, Seward, Lawrence H. Lowell, \$7700.

Oregon: Oregon State college, Corvallis, Vernon H. Chelodien, \$4420.

Washington: Washington State college, Pullman, Charles H. Drake, \$3077.

Rabbit Breeders To Meet Wednesday

A meeting will be held Wednesday for the rabbit breeders in the area. The purpose of the meeting will be for education and to form an association of rabbit breeders.

William Belding has instigated the meeting which will be held at 8 p. m. at the Standard Feed and Implement store.

Buick Special Adds New Car To Low Priced Field

The widely heralded Buick Special is making its long-anticipated debut tomorrow with public showing of the new car in the showrooms of H. E. Hauger, Buick dealer at 1330 Main street.

Radically new styling and many engineering changes are incorporated in the Buick Special, which has been out of production since last December. Lower and wider than its predecessor, the car yet retains the fundamental characteristics of Buick design, and although its over-all length has been shortened by more than three inches, its wheel base has been increased one-half inch over the previous model.

The new series is available in these models: a six-passenger four-door sedan, a six-passenger two-door sedan, and a three-passenger business coupe. Dynaflo, Buick's torque converter transmission, is optional equipment.

An entirely new and distinctive styling achievement is the bumper and radiator grille design. This was accomplished by placing the vertical bumper grille bars forward of the single-piece bumper. Two bomb-shaped bumper guards, which also house the parking lamps, are mounted on the bumper.

New also are sweeping fender and body contours which individualize the Special from a styling standpoint. The Buick ventports are re-located and are oval rather than circles. They are mounted in the hood instead of in the fenders as on the Buick Super and Roadmaster series. Visibility has been

greatly increased with 48 per cent more windshield space and a 56 per cent increase in the rear window.

The Buick Fireball straight-eight valve-in-head engine delivers 110 horsepower with the conventional gear shift and 120 horsepower with Dynaflo.

Coastal Waters To Close To Fishing

PORTLAND, Aug. 9 (AP)—Oregon coastal waters from Tillamook head to the California border will be closed to commercial crab fishing Aug. 25.

The state fish commission said new rules to end the season Aug. 15 were formulated too late to put into effect this year. The commission said the extension to Aug. 25 would permit fishermen to bring in their gear.

Henceforth, however, the season for that area will be from Nov. 15 of one year to Aug. 15 of the next.

PAY HEARING

VANCOUVER, B.C., Aug. 9 (AP) Negotiations continued today on the demands of 32,000 coastal loggers for a 15-cent-an-hour wage increase and the operators' counter proposal of a 13-cent-an-hour cut.

Operators made their counter-offer yesterday before a conciliation board hearing of the international woodworkers of America (CIO) wage demands.

It's Mighty . . . and Alive!

"THAT'S ALL" GROVETOWN, Ga., Aug. 8 (AP) "That's all," said Mayor J. N. Fields as he dismissed a session of municipal court last night.

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A physician said the 55-year-old mayor was stricken with a heart ailment.

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