



ONE OF THE SERVICES offered by the Klamath County YMCA is the health service, supervised by Bob Johnson, who here is giving Hugh Fenwick a treatment with the heat lamp. The health service offers massage, steam bath and ultra-violet lamp facilities.

County Extension Agent Explains Soil Bank Plan

By C. A. HENDERSON
County Extension Agent
Secretary of Agriculture Benson states that the administration's soil bank program will reduce surpluses and along with other economic changes will gradually bring production and markets into balance at fair prices. The secretary stated it will insure more economic security and fair prices to farm people. The soil bank is in two parts, the secretary stated: One called an Acreage Reserve and the other a conservation reserve. Under the acreage reserve, farmers would voluntarily reduce planting below their acreage allotments, and in return would receive certificates equal to a specified percentage of their normal yield on the acres they withheld. The certificates would be negotiable so farmers could convert them into cash, or they would be redeemable by the Commodity Credit Corporation either in cash or in a commodity at a specified rate. The farmer would contract neither to graze nor to harvest any other crop from acres put into the reserve. With production reduced, CCC could use part of its accumulated stocks to supply market needs without depressing farm prices. Under the conservation reserve, farmers would contract with the

government to shift land out of cultivated crops and into forage or trees and, where feasible, to ponds and reservoirs. Any farmer would be eligible to participate. He would be paid a fair share of the cost of establishing the forage or tree cover, up to a specified maximum amount per acre that would vary for different regions. The government would provide certain annual payments for a period of years related to the length of time needed to establish the new use of the land. Land put into this conservation reserve would represent a net reduction in the farm's cultivated acres and would be in addition to any land put in the acreage reserve. The farmer would agree to refrain from reverting these acres to cultivated crop production and not to graze them for a specified period of years.

OTI Lists Klamath County Residents On Honor Roll

The names of Klamath County residents who made the honor roll for the fall term at Oregon Technical Institute were announced today by W. D. Purvine, Institute director. Scholarship grades at OTI are based on the student's ability in both practical and classroom work in his particular field. Honor roll grades indicate work which is outstanding, or better than average achievement. A 4.0 grade point average is the highest obtainable at OTI. Students making the honor roll are listed below by community: **Beatty** - Vard McNair. **Tulelake** - Harvey Greenbank. **Malheur** - Eldon Johns, Marvin Macken, Teddy Walker. **Sprague River** - Finley Barney. **Chiloquin** - Jean Potter. **Bonanza** - Patsy Tofell. **Klamath Falls** - Clyde Caldwell, Francis E. Luquer, Thomas Roy Prema, Lydia Tetric, Graydon Gwyn, Herbert Dowell, Delmer Lepley, Kurt Uerlings, James Decker. **Judy Ferrell, Jackie Bonham, Dale Carpenter, Charles F. Harris, Harold Harris, Wayne Kressley, Glen Medina, Thomas Schofield, Dallas Sparks, Dorin Van Lue, Walter Wilson, Laverne Wonsler, Harold Busby, Richard Moen, James Porter, Milford Schorngen, Glenn Adams, Lee K. DeLay, Billy Ann Miller, Lillian Stein, Linda Williams, Louis Addaman, Floyd Coons, Kenneth Schrier, Viola Sherrick, Robert Snow, Wilbur Willard, Robert Davis, Donald Tarrant, Robert Beebe, David Hull, Richard Perkins.**

Oregon District Taxpayers To Receive Assistance

Taxpayers of the Oregon district will receive augmented assistance through a series of newspaper, television and radio programs which will explain many of the sections of the 1955 Internal Revenue forms. District Director R. C. Granquist announced today. The cooperation of a majority of television and radio stations of the area has been enlisted to broadcast the informational programs. In addition to the programs to be developed in this revenue district, programs also will be presented which will originate with the national office of the agency and with other organizations cooperating in the 1956 taxpayer assistance program. Qualified technical personnel at the district office and its subsidiary offices will conduct the planned programs and will offer tax hints and suggestions in readily understandable lay language.

Local Organ Club Meets

Quarterly meeting of the Klamath Falls Chord Organ Club was held Wednesday evening, January 25, at the Yacht Club, with 20 members present. Four new members joined the group. President Ed Hickman presided over the business meeting, assisted by Mrs. Ed Hickman, secretary. The club was divided into two groups for the next quarter, with group one holding its February meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Bonjorna. Group two will hold its February meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hickman. Jerry Slusser of the Mann Piano Company showed instructive films on different voices and effects that can be obtained with the electric chord organ, and Ed Hickman and Louie Mann played duets on the organ and piano. Other members of the group rendered various selections on the electric chord organ. Anyone interested in joining the club or getting information about it may call Mrs. Ed Hickman, secretary, telephone 5090.

On The Record

MUNICIPAL COURT
Harold Adcock, vagrancy, \$100 and 30 days.
Williams Cheyne, no registration visible, \$3 forfeited.
Roger Baer, no registration visible, \$3 forfeited.
KLAMATH FALLS
BIRTHS
FERGUSON - Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ferguson, January 26, a boy weighing 7 lb. at the Klamath Valley Hospital.
ANDERSON - Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Anderson, January 26, a girl weighing 6 lb. 8 oz. at the Klamath Valley Hospital.
WILDMAN - Born to Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wildman, January 26, a boy weighing 8 lb. 6 oz. at the Klamath Valley Hospital.
KLAMATH COUNTY
MARRIAGES
FELLEN-GREENE - James L. Fellen, 24, Klamath Falls, and Bernice M. Greene, 25, Klamath Falls.
KLAMATH COUNTY
SUITS
Ann Kothhoff vs. Paul Kothhoff, suit for divorce. Attorney for plaintiff, Edwin E. Driscoll.

Indian Bids Receive Call

Sealed bids are invited for purchases of 28 items of allotment land on the Klamath Indian Reservation. The bids will be opened at 2 p.m., February 24, at the Bureau of Indian Affairs office at Klamath Agency. The land to be sold totals more than 2,600 acres, the largest allotments being several of 160 acres each. Some of the tracts are grazing land, some are cleared and have dwelling houses, barns and shed buildings. Item 28 is lot 9, block 15, first addition, town of Chiloquin including a two-bedroom house. The land advertised will be sold subject to existing leases, most of which expire on February 28 of this year. All oil and gas and mineral rights are reserved in trust to the grantor. Copies of the complete advertisement for bids may be obtained from the office of the Klamath Indian Agency, Klamath Agency, according to A. W. Galbraith, superintendent of the reservation.

Importance Of Obtaining All W-2 Forms Described

Taxpayers who worked for more than one employer during 1955 must be careful to attach to their federal income tax returns for the year all their W-2 withholding tax certificates. District Director Ralph C. Granquist warned today. Normally, employers issue W-2's to regular employees by February 1. "Many people work for several business firms during a year," Mr. Granquist pointed out. "Generally, such firms will furnish employees who have left their employ proper certificates shortly after they leave the company. It's important to keep these certificates for use in computing tax status at the end of the year. "Far too often we receive returns lacking two or three such withholding forms. Checking against our own copies of the W-2's, furnished us by employers, reveals frequent tax discrepancies. Short-term workers who have never received W-2's from firms by which they were employed should apply for them at once, and those who have lost them should request duplicates. "Numerous professional and semi-professional people take on contract jobs for various employers who pay them on the withholding basis. Paid workers in political campaigns are another example of such type employment. Publicity and press agents often fall within the same category. "What it boils down to is this: everyone who pays federal taxes through pay deduction must produce all his withholding certificates. Their cumulative total may help him get a refund, and more often than not they do, but there are instances in which slight additional tax is sometimes due, because of changes in income bracket status between jobs. "Employers also were asked by Mr. Granquist to make sure that all temporary or part-time help have received W-2 forms due them. If you filed a 1040 tax return last year, and have not moved, you should have automatically received your new form by mail. They are obtainable at any federal tax office.

Morty Meekle



Non-Farm Work Said Higher

Non-agricultural employment in Oregon climbed 1,700 in December to 474,000, about 12,400 higher than a year ago and the best year-end total ever reported to the State Unemployment Compensation Commission. Preliminary estimates, made in co-operation with the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, were based on reports from 1,900 representative establishments. Record employment in trade, transportation, services and government provided the main impetus, although gains in ship repairing, machinery and metals enabled the manufacturing total to remain at 135,400, same as a year before when lumbering operations were considerably higher. Logging and sawmill jobs were estimated at 58,700 last month and compared with 61,300 in late 1954. Construction remained at 23,100, same as in November and 2,100 above a year ago. Food processing dropped 2,000 to 15,500. Retail trade reported 88,000 persons employed in December, highest on record and 3,800 above the previous year's holiday period. State and local government had 58,300 employees against 55,900; service went from 52,200 to 54,300; and transportation and utilities gained 1,500 to 47,700. Preliminary employment index for December reached a new top of 114. This figure is based on 1947-9 totals and is seasonally adjusted.

Weed Scouts Get Awards

WEED—"Pirate Waters" was the theme of the January pack meeting of the four local dens of Cub Scouts. Den Two won the dinner flag with 81 per cent of parents present, topping Den One by one point. Cubmaster Harold Cedros presented awards as follows: Robert Speer, bear; Gary Turney, second year; Billy Gray, wolf; Don Welch, one year; Tommy Pease, one year, silver arrow; Billy Duchi, one bobcat; Frank Belcastro, wolf; one denner stripe; Billy Speer, wolf; Stanley Ellison, wolf; Richard Cedros, gold arrow; Jerry Bates, gold arrow; Dennis Michael, denner stripe; Timmy Layton, assistant denner stripe; Lewis Shelton, denner; Jeff Reents, assistant denner.

College Manager Accused Of Theft

NEW YORK (AP)—The assistant business manager of Hunter College has been arrested and accused of stealing \$48,000 of the school's GI bill of rights funds the past five years. Philip Steltz, 50, married and the father of three children, was seized last night at his Yonkers, N.Y., home. Authorities quoted him as saying he could not live within his \$6,300-a-year salary. Steltz had worked for the city-owned college 31 years. He became assistant business manager in 1916. He was booked on charges of grand larceny and making false entries.

Ernest Stanley Retires From RR

DUNSMUIR — Ernest Stanley entered the ranks of retired engineers when he stepped off Southern Pacific's crack passenger train the Cascade, at 3 a.m. Sunday morning. He had chalked up 49 years of continuous SP service, 29 years as a locomotive engineer. Stanley, a native of Ashland, Oregon, entered SP employments on December 2, 1907 as a fireman and was promoted to engineer in 1917. Last Sunday afternoon his friends gathered at his home to congratulate him. He and Mrs. Stanley who own their home here, plan to remain in Dunsmuir. Their daughter, Grace, works as a stenographer in Shasta Division offices in Dunsmuir.

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