

Man Accepts Portland Post

FORT ROCK — Burton Brown, who has operated a land leveling and clearing business here the past two years, has accepted a job as shop foreman for the James G. Rouse Transportation firm in Portland.

During 1956 Brown had three tractors and carryalls in operation for leveling. This season he ran two outfits.

He came to Fort Rock in 1952 and did logging and lumber hauling for the McGee sawmill. There were eight men on his payroll at that time. Brown then returned to leveling, the business started with his father, Owen Brown, in Redmond in 1947.

Mrs. Brown, the former Fern Pitcher, has lived in Ford Rock Valley since 1947. They have two sons, Leslie, 2½ years old and Timmy who is 11 months.

Leonard and Owen Pitcher will operate Brown's equipment here.



THE BURTON BROWN family prepare to move their trailer home to Portland where he will be shop foreman for the James G. Rouse Transportation firm. Brown's land leveling and clearing equipment and logging operations have contributed substantially to the economy of the Fort Rock Valley. Leslie, center, has a younger brother Timmy.

Recreation Report Given

MERRILL—Faculties of both Merrill schools were honored at the annual Parent-Patron teachers reception at the grade school.

Greeting guests as they entered the gymnasium decorated with fall flowers were Mrs. Clyde Fox and Mrs. Charles Cunningham of the hospitality committee.

Program for the evening was presented by Mrs. Kathleen Ward of Klamath Falls who showed a picturesque movie on India.

Following the program, refreshments were served by the executive committee headed by Mrs. James Lampkins, PPA president. Serving at the tea and coffee services were the wives of the school board members: Mrs. Roy Beasley, Mrs. Robert Petrik and Mrs. Troy Qualls. Incidental music was played throughout the refreshment hour by Mrs. Lawrence Geraghty.

Corsages and bougainees made by Mrs. Jerry Ahern, Mrs. Dan Barry and Mrs. Walt Fotheringham were presented to each of the honored guests.

Lumber Town Film To Be Made

McCLOUD—"I Live in a Lumber Town" is the title of a film to be shot in the McCloud area soon. It will be produced by Avis Film, producer of "The World Around Us" series.

Stephen Colombero, 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Colombero has been selected as the McCloud youth to take the lead in the picture. Others in the cast have not been chosen yet.

Norris Ewing of Burbank is the photographer and producer, and John Feracchino, elementary school vice principal, is consultant on the project.

Favorable weather will signal starting of the production.

OVER THE GARDEN GATE

EVERGREEN GARDEN CLUB

By Verona Dahler

The October meeting of the Evergreen Garden Club was held Wednesday, October 2, at the home of Mrs. Wesley (Pearl) Harsey, 4523 Bisbee Street. The speaker was Allen Baker, who conducted a question and answer talk on shrubs for this country.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Pearl Harsey, assisted by Pauline Christen. A short business meeting was held. It was announced that the National Council of State Garden Clubs will hold their 29th annual meeting in Seattle, next May and that the state convention will be held in Eugene next spring. Meeting adjourned after a plant sale.

Correspondence Study Set For High School Students

Supervised correspondence study for academic credit is being made available to Oregon high school students for the first time this year.

The program was developed by the General Extension Division of the Oregon State System of Higher Education and will be administered at the local level by officials of participating high schools.

High school students in at least three categories are expected to benefit from the plan, according to Dr. Howard J. Akers, head of

GED's Office of Correspondence Study. These are:

1. Gifted students capable of doing work beyond the normal high school level of difficulty.

2. Students who wish to take courses in subject areas not normally offered in high schools.

3. Students who wish to make up credits to meet graduation or other requirements.

Under the new plan high school students may select correspondence courses from the catalog of the General Extension Division, with the approval of the local school administrators. Cost of the courses will be one-half the regular cost of GED correspondence studies.

The student will work out the course under the direction of a local supervisor who will correct the written work and assist the student in understanding the material.

Examinations will be given under the supervision of a local instructor and will be graded by the General Extension Division.

SCHOOL CLOSURES

McCLOUD—The Pundosa Elementary School has closed due to 17 of the 36 pupils being ill with the flu and colds. James Hogin, principal of the McCloud elementary district, stated a check would be made Wednesday to determine whether a sufficient number of the students are able to attend classes to warrant reopening the school.

Mill's Safety Record Is High

MOUNT SHASTA — The Ralph Smith Lumber Company, Mount Shasta Division, under management of Robert Kohn has developed safety practices and equipment to the point that the insurance rate has been materially lowered.

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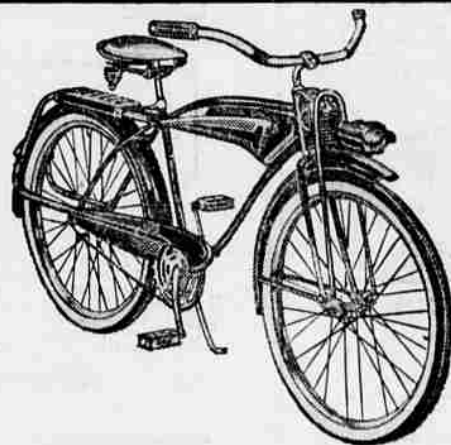
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