

Life Guard, Swim Teacher Courses To Open At KUHS

To qualify local residents to serve as life guards and swimming instructors at swimming pools in the area, the American Red Cross, Klamath Union High School, and the City Recreation Department are offering a free training course at the KUHS pool beginning February 23. The instruction will be given in three parts. Senior lifesaving classes will be held February 23, 24, 26, 27, March 2 and March 3. Applicants must be 16 years of age and be strong swimmers. Those enrolling must bring to the first class a copy of the Red Cross Lifesaving and Water Safety manual.

The instructor's preliminary course will be given March 5, 6, 9, 10, 12 and 13, and candidates for the course must hold a current senior lifesaving card. Each of these classes will be taught by Ella Redkey, KUHS instructor and manager of the Klamath Municipal Swimming Pool. Miss Redkey is

qualified as a Red Cross instructor, and successful completion of the courses taught by her will entitle the students to Red Cross certification.

The final phase of the training program will be conducted by Ed Stocking, National Red Cross area representative from San Francisco. To enter the instructor's course, candidates must hold current senior lifesaving cards and must have completed the instructors preliminary course. Instructors training will be given March 23, 24, 26, 27, 30 and 31.

All classes will meet from 7 to 10 p.m. Swimmers must take suits and towels and all girl swimmers must take caps. The courses are open to the public, free of charge.

Those interested may register for any of the courses with Mrs. Robert Lillard, swimming chairman for the Tulelake Red Cross, or at the chapter headquarters in Klamath Falls, TU 4-4125.



BOY SCOUT WEEK is being marked by Congressman Al Ullman by the wearing of the honorary scout pin he received from Cub Scout Eric Van Johnson of Washington, D. C.

Story In Utah Newspaper Aids Eye Disease Victim

NATCHEZ, Miss. (UPI) — Because a newspaper story caught the eye of a man in Utah, little Hugh Thornhill moved about his home with slowly improving vision and steadily increased confidence today.

A month ago today, seven-year-old Hugh was to have lost his one remaining eye because of the progressive ravages of glaucoma. The disease already had forced removal of the other eye.

But the day before Hugh (nicknamed Buddy) was to have gone to a hospital for removal of the eye, Col. Caleb Shreve picked up the newspaper at his home in Ogden, Utah, and read a United Press International dispatch about the boy's plight.

Shreve promptly got off a wire to Natchez mayor Troy Watkins. His grandchild had been in a similar situation, Shreve said—but a specialist in San Francisco had been able to save his sight.

The word went out, and citizens of Natchez began raising money. A prisoner at the Mississippi State Prison mailed a hand-made leather purse to Natchez police with orders to sell it and add proceeds to the fund. (It brought \$25).

So Hugh and his mother, Mrs. Louis A. Thornhill, boarded a plane and flew to San Francisco, where quarters had been provided for them.

On Hugh's seventh birthday, he was taken to the specialist, Dr. William Ferguson, who announced after examining the eye that there was a good chance it could be saved.

An operation was not considered necessary by Ferguson and the boy responded to medical treatment. After a brief recuperative period Hugh and his mother returned to Natchez. And now light

is beginning to come back into Hugh's life.

"You should see the difference," his mother told United Press International Friday. "And to think he would have stayed here and had his eye removed if it weren't for your story."

Only one thing stands in the way of clear vision for Hugh, according to doctors. That is a cataract which, if it is not absorbed as the eye heals, will require Hugh's return to the West Coast for corrective surgery.

Sportsmen Quit Council

TULELAKE—The Northeastern Council of Sportsmen's Clubs, through its president O. E. Pederson, has announced withdrawal of the Council from the California Wildlife Federation. Immediate action will be taken to terminate the affiliation, Pederson stated Friday.

The action is being taken, Pederson said, because the sportsmen groups of the northern part of California feel that the federation no longer cooperates to the best interests of its northern affiliates in legislation support or other matters pertaining to hunting and fishing conservation or regulations.

Pederson further stated that local sportsmen's groups have wired Gov. Edmund G. Brown seeking the immediate removal of Seth Gordon, director of the California Fish and Game Commission because of past actions deemed detrimental to the best interests of wild life in California.

Hamlet Doom Imminent

HERBRIGGEN, Switzerland (UPI)—Officials of this abandoned Alpine village said Saturday a shift to a warm southerly wind could send tons of ice and rock suspended above the hamlet crashing down "within a matter of hours."

"The cold and sunny weather we are having will only delay the actual fall of the landslide for some time, but if the warm wind we call the foehn blows from Italy, a major disaster may be expected," Fire Chief Josef Rovina said.

Portions of the estimated 300,000 tons of rock and ice already have begun to tear loose from the massive landslide which has threatened to engulf the village for the past seven days.

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THE PIONEER SPIRIT manifested itself in Mrs. Ruth Graham's sixth grade class room at Peterson School on Thursday when Larry Siegner, center, prompted by Steve Nelson, rear, came to the rescue of pretty Joanne English. It was all in fun, in commemoration of Oregon's centennial of statehood. — Photo by Kettler

Keep Pace With Tomorrow Drive At 80 Per Cent Total

The chamber of commerce, after hearing a third report on its drive for new members and more equitable dues participation, reported that 80 per cent of its \$40,000 goal had been reached.

The encouraging report was returned by solicitors in the business group division headed by co-chairmen Bob Veatch and Ralph Hunter.

By Friday morning's accounting, solicitors reported, \$31,983 of the chamber's goal of \$40,000 annual dues income had been reached.

Jim Wells, chairman of the "Keep Pace With Tomorrow" campaign, noted that results were encouraging, percentage-wise. But he said final results would depend upon what was being done by campaign workers who have not yet been heard from.

"We're like a football team with the ball on the 10-yard line," Wells said. "We're in a good position, but we still have to put the ball over."

A final report from the business groups division is scheduled for 10 a.m. Tuesday in the Wilma Hotel when Wells expects every worker to be present with his results.

Scheduled for Monday afternoon is a report from the special prospects division, co-chaired by Andy Collier and Russ Tidale, which was assigned to larger chamber memberships.

Best results from the business groups division, which in all reported 39 new chamber memberships and dues increases from 95 present members, was made by the agriculture group, headed by Dorm Turner and Jim Kerns. This group went 102 per cent over its goal with subscriptions of \$2,246 (\$2,200 minimum sought) from 10 new members and 11 increases from present members.

Friday's results from other divisions:

Professional—67 per cent, \$1,063 of \$2,400 from nine and one.

Real Estate and Insurance—84 per cent, \$1,760 of \$2,100 from four and 13.

Retail and Wholesale—86 per cent, \$8,324 of \$9,700 from seven and 21.

Diversified—80 per cent, \$4,846 of \$6,100 from two and 15.

The closing "Keep Pace With Tomorrow" report from both business group and special prospects divisions is scheduled for Thursday. "It should be in the very nature of a victory celebration," Wells said.

Judge Names Grand Jury

YREKA — David Sharbaro of Weed is the appointed foreman of Siskiyou County's new grand jury for 1959. The grand jury was appointed by Superior Judge James M. Allen.

Those named to form the new grand jury were Esther Reynolds, Robert B. Reynolds, Orel Lewis and Edward S. Burton, all of Fort Jones; L. C. Handley, Delbert H. Pillard and Ella Bryan, Yreka; Brice Martin, Montague, John H. Parsons, Mount Hebron; Floyd M. Barnum, H. G. Reents, Neva Kirk, Mrs. John Mantle and David Sharbaro, foreman, all of Weed; Harry B. Fairless, Dorris; Edward M. Axtell and Wayne Ralston, Grenada; Doris I. Coatsney, Etna; and Grace L. Hoyt, Mount Shasta.

NOVEL IN DEMAND
TOKYO (AP) — Boris Pasternak's novel "Dr. Zhivago" translated into Japanese has sold 80,000 copies and 20,000 more will be printed, the Japanese publishers report. The publishers, Jiji Press, said translations of successful foreign novels normally sell 20,000 to 30,000 copies.

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New Goldfine Probe Denied As Ridiculous

WASHINGTON (AP)—The ousted staff chief of the House subcommittee which touched off last year's Adams-Goldfine inquiry contends the group is sitting on further evidence of wrongdoing. The accusation was promptly denied.

The charge comes from Bernard Schwartz, who was fired a year ago as chief counsel of the special subcommittee created to investigate federal regulatory agencies. Schwartz makes his charge in a newly-published book, "The Professor and the Commissions."

Rep. Oren Harris (D-Ark), the subcommittee chairman and a chief target in Schwartz' wide-ranging charges, took prompt issue with Schwartz' charges. Harris told a reporter:

"That's as ridiculous as the other charges he has been making in his book which is filled with distortions, half-truths and completely false statements. Further than that it isn't worth comment."

"I think the record of this committee speaks pretty well," Harris added. He said he would announce soon what his plans will be for continuing the inquiry.

In his book, Schwartz said the subcommittee had failed to develop fully 16 TV cases on which Schwartz said he had left evidence in subcommittee files.

The New York University law professor 35, said the subcommittee glossed over material he had dug up on "the almost complete lack of effective federal communications commission regulation of telephones and telegrams."

Virtually all of the cases Schwartz named have been mentioned before, with the principals generally denying improper action.

In the year since his firing, Schwartz said, the congressmen "have not gone substantially beyond the cases on which I did the investigative ground work."

"Sustained pressure can force a continuation of the investigation so that further improprieties in the commissions will come out into the light of day," he said.

Stockman Sells 2,675-Acre Ranch

PENDLETON, Ore. (AP)—Lowell Stockman, a longtime Oregon congressman, said Friday he sold his 2,675-acre wheat ranch north of Helix for an undisclosed price. Purchasers were Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Tucker, who have another 8,000-acre wheat ranch north of Walla Walla.

The Helix area ranch was homesteaded about 1880 by Stockman's uncle, John L. Stockman. Stockman now lives in Seattle.



ETNA FREE LIBRARY

Etna Library Puts Up Sign

By BERNITA TICKNER

ETNA—Erection of the new sign at the Etna Free Library and Reading Room was recently completed by volunteer labor. The library, which is affiliated with the Siskiyou County Free Library from which it receives books, was moved into the lower newly remodeled rooms of the same building last May, when an open house was held. The move was made with the help of the Camp Fire Girls, Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and other volunteer labor.

The remodeling of the building was sponsored by the Etna Lions Club with some financial aid from the Etna town board of trustees. The local men who deserve special recognition for volunteering much time and labor to this project are Lawrence Buchner, Al Snyder, Carl Robinson and George Edwards.

The present members of the board of library trustees are H. A. Green, Kate Berthelsen, Sadie Buchner, Amy Derham and Ellen Skillen.

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Spuds Needed By Red Cross

TULELAKE — Potatoes as well as dollars are being solicited in the 1959 Red Cross campaign here. Spurred by the need for additional funds to reach the goal of \$1,959 established by the Tulelake Branch of the Red Cross, William Burgess, campaign chairman for the March fund drive, has enlisted the cooperation of the Tulelake Growers.

Arrangements have been made with the Northwest Produce, Sunny State Produce, Jaybee Potato Company and Burger & Giacomini in Merrill, for growers to donate potatoes at the time of their sale.

Boards posted in the premises will list names of growers who are supporting the program through this method.

Burgess expressed confidence that growers will appreciate the opportunity to contribute potatoes, pointing out that the Tulelake Growers were among the first groups to rush disaster aid to the Yuba City and Marysville flood victims. At that time the growers contributed two carloads of potatoes to the Red Cross for distribution to those in need in the disaster area.

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Rotary Club Meeting Held

MONTAGUE—The Montague Rotary Club at its last meeting on February 9 voted to assume the responsibility of conducting the membership canvass in the Montague area for the Nor-Sis TV Corporation.

James B. McAdams, president of the corporation, presented the problem of conducting the membership drive to the club members.

Tom Williams, president of the Rotary Club, appointed Charles Phillips as chairman of the membership committee and other committee members will be named at the February 16 meeting of the club. The closing date of the canvass in Montague will also be determined.

Rotary members are being invited to attend the next board of directors meeting of Nor-Sis at the Copco office in Yreka on Wednesday, February 18, at 8 p.m.

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