

Pathfinders Spend Weekend at Resort

Recently, the Pathfinder Club spent the weekend at Kah-Nee-ta Hot Springs on the Warm Springs Indian Reservation. They slept in a genuine Indian Teepee and report having a wonderful time. Each one brought home a brand new sunburn as a souvenir.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

9:30 Sabbath School
11:00 Worship Service
7:00 P.M. Monday - Dorcas Society at Veal's home.
7:30 P.M. Wed. - Prayer Meeting at Veal's home.
7:00 P.M. Mon. - Pathfinders at Scout Cabin.



There are few occasions in life when you need a friend more than when you are involved in an automobile accident. We'd like to be that friend in need. You hope—and so do we—that accident never happens to you. But if it does, we'll be as close as the dial on the nearest telephone. See us for auto insurance that never stalls in rough going.

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MONDAY AFTERNOON 4-H activities at the Columbia County Fair were highlighted by the Showmanship class and walking off with Grand Champion honors was Christie Henecock, top photo while Reserve Champion was Sharon Love of Clatskanie, bottom photo. Placing third was Regina Housley, Miss Henecock is also the 1973 Columbia County Fair and Rodeo Queen.

Church Notes Evangelical

Friday evening at 6:30 there will be a time of prayer at the church. Those who have special needs may telephone their prayer requests to 429-8481. Saturday will be a workday at Jennings Lodge summer assembly grounds. The annual camp-meeting begins July 29 and there

has been indication that several from the church plan to attend this year.

Next Lord's Day activities begin with Sunday School at 9:45. Due to the monthly Birthday Sunday there will be no Pastor's Roundtable this week. The eleven o'clock worship hour features singing, prayer and a message from God's Word The Bible. The message this Sunday is entitled "The Language of Deceit."

Sunday School teachers meet at six Sunday evening while the Evangelical Youth are meeting in the Teen Room. The Sunday Classmeeting follows at seven. Hoot Owl Breakfast will be held next Tuesday anytime between 5-7:30 a.m.

A series of studies of favorite chapters of the Bible continues at the midweek service Wednesday evening. Next week study will be in Romans 8, a favorite chapter of Sandy Welch.

Christian

Women's Bible study Wednesdays at 10 a.m. at the church, each week.

Jr. high and high school, come join in choir practice tonight at the church at 7 p.m.

Also tonight Bible study at 8 p.m. at the Orv Olson home.

This Saturday another work day for the men. Work will be starting about 9 a.m.

Jr. high and CYF start at 7 p.m. at the church Sunday evening, several youth will be leaving for camp this day.

July 23 will be the first day of Vacation Bible School. The theme for this year is "One Way." A full program from the nursery through those now going into the 7th grade is offered. Classes will be held from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., for pre-school through 3rd grade and 7 to 9 p.m. for 4th grade through 7th grade. Remember, no CWF meeting July 25.

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Board of Commissioners

(Memorandum Minutes)

The Columbia County Board of Commissioners met in scheduled session July 11 with Chairman Fred Foshaug presiding. Commissioners Minkoff and Ahlborn, and secretary Gloria Salvey (deputy clerk) present.

Keith Thompson, roadmaster, and Sam Hollinger, deputy roadmaster, met with the board to discuss various road department matters.

Mrs. Nancy Wilson met with the board to complain about excessive dust on the Doane Road. Procedure adopted by the board as to furnishing of dust control emulsion was explained to her.

Thompson advised that local distributors are charging \$15 per hour for application but that she could do this herself. Mrs. Wilson also indicated that during the heavy snow last winter, a road department employee pulled her out of a ditch and wanted to charge her for this. She indicated that she had not paid him, and questioned this policy. She was advised that Thompson would look into the matter and reprimand the employee involved. She also discussed removal by the county of trees which she alleged were on her property.

W.A. "Will" Cross, department of Emergency Services, Clatsop County, met with the board to advise of a Clatsop-Tillamook Emergency Services application for 911 emergency telephone system, and reported this covered 78 families living in the Birkenfeld area, also.

Thompson advised the Civil Service Commission secretary had not approved the personnel action hiring Mr. Hollinger because he was not paid in an established step range. He indicated that Hollinger had been promised \$1,000 per month with an annual increase of \$500 after six months' employment. The established step ranges were \$985.32 for Step 5, or \$1,026.12 for Step 6. After discussion, Hollinger indicated he would accept the \$1,026.12 figure, with no increase after six months.

Brief discussion followed regarding the responsibilities of the deputy roadmaster. Hollinger expressed the opinion that there were too many employees acting as foremen or supervisors, and not enough doing the actual work necessary. He added that there was inefficiency because of lack of planning ahead.

Thompson advised he had staked the airport road, and was awaiting approval by the port. He was advised that Wally Gainer had approved the project.

Thompson then stated he had talked to the Public Utilities Commissioner about the railroad crossing at Deer Island Road, and they had indicated there was no record of any application ever having been made, and would forward the necessary papers about what applications might apply. Thompson will have to meet with Burlington-Northern and with Union Oil Company representatives and will be getting more information.

Commissioner Ahlborn moved and Commissioner Minkoff seconded to approve Purchase Order 2149, in the amount of \$1,395 for a Stephenson Didigard radar unit. Thompson advised this would be road department equipment, and would be used about two months out of the year. At other times, it could be used by the sheriff's office.

Thompson reported on quotations he had received for partitioning and paneling of a portion of the equipment storage building for offices. The low quotation was received from C&M Construction Company, for \$2,250. Commissioner Ahlborn moved and Commissioner Minkoff seconded to approve Purchase Order 2150 for the project. Motion carried.

Commissioner Foshaug advised he had met with the auditors and they had indicated they would be going out to the road department to try to assist the office personnel in system for up-dating billings and invoices, so that invoices could be paid more timely.

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Paving, and 2157, for \$2838 to Chevron Asphalt, for 88 tons asphalt. Motion carried.

Commissioner Ahlborn discussed the considerable amount of grader patching which had been done on Gensman Road, and questioned whether it might not have been more economical to have had this done by contract.

Thompson explained the varying amounts of patching required would have made this not feasible. Hollinger added that there are many roads in the county which should have seal-coating but that the roads are not in condition for this to be done.

Commissioner Minkoff moved and Commissioner Ahlborn seconded to approve Purchase Order 2151 for \$3300 to Leupold & Stevens be approved, for six traffic counters. Motion carried.

Commissioner Minkoff moved and Commissioner Ahlborn seconded to approve Purchase Order 2155 for estimated \$4800, for tires and repairs from Liberty Tire Shop, and 2144, annual purchase order to Northwest Natural Gas for estimated \$1657.20 for heat. Motion carried.

Thompson presented for signature a compliance agreement as a part of the traffic safety grant application, which was signed.

Thompson, in reply to questions raised by the sheriff's department about billing for the period from January to April, indicated that in the future bills would be presented from the work records so that department heads could see what repairs and or maintenance had been done to the motor vehicles.

Thompson presented a list of the motor pool vehicles assigned to the various departments. He indicated the Vehicle Review Committee would be taking over the operation and had requested the billing be done from work records.

Allen Stephens, Royal Typewriter representative, met with the board to present costs for purchases of additional typewriters.

Commissioner Minkoff moved and Commissioner Ahlborn seconded upon recommendation of Ron Reeves, that a Surface Mining Permit be issued to Pete Matiac Company, for the Mayger site. Motion carried.

A letter was received from Mr. Cassidy, plant manager of Kaiser Gypsum Company, regarding posting of speed limit signs and stop signs at the Gable Road-Old Portland Road intersection. This letter was referred to the roadmaster, for corrective action.

Commissioner Minkoff moved and Commissioner Ahlborn seconded Resolution 40-73 be signed, declaring intent to vacate a portion of the C.L. Cleveland Road, No. P-158, directing the roadmaster's examination and setting August 22 as the date for public hearing. Motion carried.

Order No. 41-73 was signed, directing the refund of \$70 to Earl Seawright, which was paid to instigate advertising procedure for sale of mineral rights, since the property owner, Jessie Birkland, since purchased the mineral rights of Tract 96, Scappoose Acra Tracts.

An order and deed were signed conveying mineral rights on Tract 96, Scappoose Acra Tracts, to Jessie A. Birkland.

Commissioner Minkoff moved and Commissioner Ahlborn seconded orders reimbursing taxes be signed, as follows: \$8.10, Philip S. Eichler, duplicate payment; \$290.20, Domenico Crosta, et al, excess payment because of tax relief granted. Motion carried.

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The board approved a letter addressed to the Senior Citizens Council endorsing the RSVP program.
An offer of \$500 each to purchase Lots 15 and 16, Block 78, St. Helens, was received from Wayne E. Powell, and referred to the assessor for evaluation.
An offer of \$1200 was received from James T. Litherland for Lots 20, 21, and 22, Block 119, St. Helens, and referred to the assessor for evaluation.



Summer Sale ENDS THIS WEEK



COAST-TO-COAST REGISTERED ONE COAT EXTERIOR LATEX HOUSE PAINT \$8.49 GAL.
COAST-TO-COAST LATEX HOUSE PAINT \$6.27 GAL.
SUMMER PAINT VALUES
C. 99c 15% OZ.



SUMMER SIZZLE \$1.29
A. 47c
C. 77c
D. 97c



A. Highly absorbent cellulose sponges. Package of 20. 103-1178
B. Folding camp stool. Heavy duty oak frame, canvas cover. 273-4200
C. "OFF" repellent. The most effective repellent developed! 490-4645
D. Bernz-O-Matic fuel cylinder. Limit two per customer. 311-6720

BRUNSMAN HARDWARE and ELECTRIC FINE FURNITURE WE DELIVER

Goulds balanced flow, no tank, no extras shallow well system \$127.00
.22 CALIBER LONG RIFLE CARTRIDGES 69c BOX OF 50
Coast to Coast Mastercraft .22 long rifle cartridges. Box of 50. 606-0085

JAMBOREE OLD-FASHIONED GOSPEL CONCERT
ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
660 Jefferson
Saturday, July 28, 7:30 P.M.
Featuring the Pixler Family
No Admission Charge No Reservations

LODGE AND CLUB NOTICES

VERNONIA JAYCEES
Meets the 2nd & 4th Tuesday of every month.
J.C. Hall—Old Mill Market 7:30 P.M.
Bob Carson, President
Bill Hunter, Secretary 3-73

VERNONIA LIONS CLUB
MEETS AT PINE CONE SUMMER RECESS
Darrold Proehl, President
Ted Forbes, Secretary 3-74

A.F.&A.M.
Vernonia Lodge No. 184 A.F. & A.M. meets at Masonic Temple. Stated communications on first Thursday of each month at 8:00 p.m.
Jim Norwood, W.M.
Walter E. Linn, Sec'y. 1-74

IWA Local 3-14
Meeting on 1st Monday of each month.
A.F.L. — C.I.O. 7:30 p.m. 4-74

Vernonia Barracks Veterans of World War I
Meets 4th Monday each month at the IOOF hall, 12 Noon
Noble Dunlap, Commander
Rev. H. L. Russell, Adjutant

AUXILIARY
Meets 4th Monday, I.O.O.F. Hall
Cora Lange, President
Faye Davis, Secretary 8-73

PYTHIAN SISTERS
VERNONIA TEMPLE NO. 61
Meetings: I.O.O.F. Hall Second and Fourth Wednesdays of each month at 8 p.m.
Leona Haverland, M.E.C.
Cora Lange, Secretary 3-74

NEHALEM VALLEY CHAPTER
Meets at West Oregon Electric Bldg., third Thursday of each month, 7:30 p.m.
Robert K. King, President
Ralph Bergerson, Sec'y. 3-74

VERNONIA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Board of Directors report to members quarterly. Board meets the second Monday, 8:00 p.m. at West Oregon Electric office. Visitors invited.
T. F. Tomlin, President
Mrs. Evelyn Heath, Sec'y. 7-73

MT. HEART REBEKAH LODGE NO. 243
Meets 2nd & 4th Thursday evenings of each month in the I.O.O.F. Hall.
Irma Chance, Noble Grand
Evelyn Heath, Sec'y. 3-74

Vernonia Lodge No. 246 I.O.O.F.
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