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Feathers

from the Duster

By The Over-time Editor

IF ALL GOES right there will be a small change at the head of this column next week. Instead of "Over-time Editor" it will read "Over-time Editor." Of course the name have been flying for the last month that the Dwellers had decided to retire, but things do take time to work out and we are nearing that point where an announcement of some sort seems necessary. We truly expect this to be our last as editors and publishers.

For those who have enjoyed this column, it will continue to be a feature of the Herald and some tips and comments may also be carried, but for the mechanics and management which was responsible for our decision to stop this nature, we bow out as gracefully as possible.

IT WAS September 26, 1929, that a skinny kid who preferred the more he-man name of Chuck the formal Charles took over the ownership, management and the ink print shop of the Concrete Herald. He was just a few years

Barney Barnett, Diablo, Dies In Seattle Hospital

E. E. (Barney) Barnett, 55, of Diablo died last Saturday, Aug. 22, in the University Hospital at Seattle of leukemia. Services are scheduled for today, Wednesday, at 2 p. m. from Hubbush Funeral Chapel, Burlington, with cremation at Hawthorne Lawn Memorial Cemetery.

Barnett was a gardener for Seattle City Light at Diablo for the last 19 years.

He was born Dec. 3, 1914, at Hamilton, Mont., and graduated in 1935 from Burlington High School. His marriage to Helen Pulliam took place Oct. 29, 1935, in Seattle.

He served with the Merchant Marines during World War II. He was a member of Public Service Employees Local No. 1239.

Besides his wife, Helen, at Diablo, he is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Jolene Cordray of Big Lake; Mrs. Judy Clark of Marblemount; and Mrs. Janis Jarmin of Rockport; one son, Jerry Barnett of Anaheim, Calif.; his mother, Neva Deupree of Anacortes; a brother, Melvin of Mount Vernon; and 11 grandchildren.

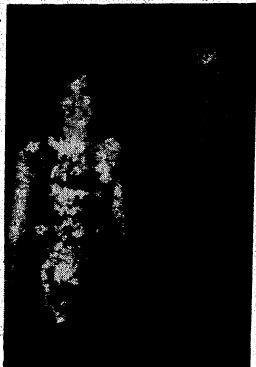
Football Turnouts To Start Today At C.H.S.

Concrete High School football players begin turnouts this afternoon at 1 p. m. for the 1970 season. About forty aspirants are expected to greet the coaching staff on opening day.

Pre-school turnout schedule is Wednesday, Aug. 26—1 to 6 p. m.; Thursday, August 27—1 to 6 p. m.; Friday, August 28 again at 1:00 and Saturday, August 29, at 9:00 a. m. The times indicated refer to the time each player is to report on the field.

Several outstanding 1969 seniors will be missing and in some cases their absence will be felt greatly, especially on the defensive unit.

Langley High School will again provide the opening baptism under fire for the Lion eleven. The two will meet on the local field Friday night, Sept. 11th.



Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Fleck of Concrete announce the engagement of their daughter, Bonnie Marie, to Charles L. White, Jr., son of Capt. (ret.) and Mrs. Charles L. White, Sr., also of Concrete.

No wedding date has been set.

Schools Start Monday With Five New Teachers In Concrete Classrooms

Five new teachers have joined the staff of the Concrete schools for the coming year, three on the high school faculty and two for the elementary school, announced Superintendent Fred Culbertson.

Mrs. Mary Novy will be the new kindergarten teacher. Her husband is district ranger at the Baker River Ranger Station. She attended Iowa State Teachers College and Drake University. She replaces Mrs. Dorothy Knechtel who with her family has moved to Mr. Knechtel's new station at Prineville, Ore.

Miss Kay Hamon will be the new third grade teacher. She is a graduate of East Wenatchee High School and received her B.A. degree from Eastern Washington State College at Cheney.

Danny L. Noel has been assigned to high school art and drama. He graduated from Cheney High School and also received his degree, a B.A. in art, from Eastern Washington State College.

Ray F. Eldridge will teach high school physical education and perform as coach. He is a graduate of Mount Vernon high school and from Washington State University where he received a master's degree in physical education.

Miss Meridith Moore, also a graduate of Mount Vernon high school, will teach Spanish and reading improvement at the high school. She is a graduate from the University of Washington with a B.A. degree in Spanish.

Changes in teacher assignments in the high school include the transfer of Richard Riehl back to industrial arts after teaching art

for two years. A second section of the seventh grade has been added with James Menzies and Mrs. Margaret Gerrits assigned to teach the extra English and social studies classes. Mrs. Nelda Pool has been transferred from developmental reading to grade five in the elementary school.

The teaching staff of the Concrete high school is: Mike Elavsky, principal; William Blunt, biology, driver's education, earth science; Jack Bradley, guidance counselor, social studies; Ray Eldridge, boys' P.E.; Mrs. Margaret Gerrits, English, social studies; Mrs. Helen Jungbluth, home economics; James Kelly, business education, English; James Menzies, English, football; Miss Meridith Moore, reading, Spanish; Richard Riehl, industrial arts; Philip Reiter, social studies; Danny Noel, art; John Rantschler, music; Robert Sjoboen, mathematics, science; Durward Sobek, library; Mrs. Florence Sobek, English, social studies; William Thompson, science, mathematics, basketball; Mrs. Betty Torgeson, girls' P.E.

Mrs. Shirley Alger is Mr. Culbertson's secretary and Mrs. Ella Mae Wright is in charge of the high school office.

Concrete Grade School staff is: Howard Boulton, principal; Mrs. Novy, kindergarten; Mrs. Marion Sjoboen and Mrs. Helen Beaton, first grade; Miss Judith Bever, second; Mrs. Corrine Swanson and Miss Kay Hamon, third; Frank Dietz, fourth; Gordon Evans and Mrs. Nelda Pool, fifth; Stephen Shubert, sixth; Mrs. Mae Elavsky, librarian.

State Approves NCH Speed-Up

Another boost for early completion of the North Cross-State Highway came last week when the State Highway Commission approved another \$1 million for paving on a section of the highway ahead of schedule.

The plans is to call for bids on paving of nine miles of the highway between Granite Creek crossing and Rainy Pass, which is on this side of the mountain toward Ross Lake. The estimate set by the engineers is \$1,082,500. The money is to come from U. S. Forest Highway funds.

Contractors will be working on both sides of the mountains this coming year, both on paving and new bridges, leaving only a few contracts left before the highway will be ready for traffic.

All the activity in trying to get the highway completed is part of the program to open up the area now covered by the North Cascade National Park. The goal for opening of the highway is now 1972.

Time To Register For Kindergarten Classes

Children who will start kindergarten this fall should be registered at the Concrete Grade School this week, said Principal Howard Boulton. Registration may be made at the grade school office.

All children who will attend grades one through six, who have not been enrolled in the Concrete schools previously, also should register during the week.

Kindergarten students must be five years of age by Sept. 15 of this year and birth certificates must be presented at time of registration.

Kindergarten will be held throughout the entire school year instead of the previous broken sessions. One session only will be scheduled in the mornings at the beginning of school. However, if there are enough children registered it may be necessary to divide the kindergarten class into two sessions.

There is no hot lunch program at the elementary school, for the information of newcomers.

George Nieshe Services Held In Anacortes

George Nieshe, a long-time resident of Concrete, died last Wednesday, Aug. 19, in a Mount Vernon nursing home. Memorial services were held Saturday morning from the Bryson Funeral Home with interment in the Grandview Cemetery at Anacortes. The Rev. Frank Dawson of Anacortes officiated.

Mr. Nieshe, a retired carpenter, was born June 15, 1891, in Knox county, Nebraska.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Donald Richards of Acme and Mrs. Mel Bates of Anacortes; two sisters, Mrs. Anne Grimm of Everson and Mrs. Mary Greer of Eugene, Ore.; a brother, William Nieshe of Concrete; eight grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Don Blum of Chehalis announce the birth of a son, Todd, born Sunday, Aug. 23. The new arrival weighed 6 lbs., 6 oz., at birth. Mrs. Blum is the former Diane Worley of Rockport.

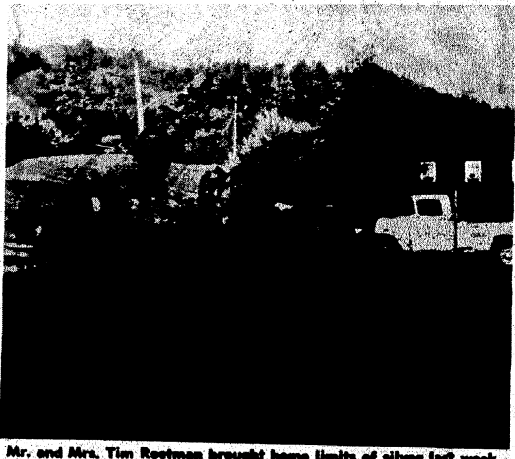
Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Worley of Chehalis and Mr. Blum of Winlock. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Mary McLeod of Rockport and Mrs. Maude Corcoran of Sedro Woolley.

California People Buy Elmer Sandstrom Home

The Elmer Sandstrom home and property was sold recently to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Matton of Los Angeles. They plans to move to this area next spring. In the interim the home will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Noel, Mr. Noel is the new art teacher at the high school next term.

The sale was handled by Two Rivers Realty.

Salmon Fishing Good On Peninsula Last Week!



Mr. and Mrs. Tim Rootman brought home limits of silver last week.

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