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The Weather
Forecast for interior southwest Oregon: Unsettled tonight and Wednesday, probably with snow; continued cold.
Highest temperature yesterday 30
Lowest temperature last night 21

By FRANK JENKINS
THE big shipbuilders hire a high-priced lobbyist to muss up the naval disarmament conference at Geneva—which, if it had been successful, might have hurt their business.

Their high-priced lobbyist, seeking to make a hit, passes on to them a wild tale about British schemes for making trouble in this country, with which they rush breathlessly to the navy department.

Now it develops that their wild tale was a widely published satire, which everybody knew about but the gullible shipbuilders, who are now being given the hoarse hoot of derision—especially in the United States senate, which suspects that it might have been gulled along with the shipbuilders, so it laughs all the harder and says: "Ha! Ha! We knew it all the time!"

THUS, you see, it isn't always the little fellow, unskilled in the ways of business, who gets swindled by the clever, smooth-talking sharper. The big fellows fall hard also, and when they fall, they fall hard.

THE big shipbuilders send lobbyists to Geneva to head off naval disarmament. How sadly shortsighted they are! If the frightful wastage of war could be prevented, the shipbuilders would make dollars out of the resulting stimulus to peaceful industry, where they now make pennies out of catering to war.

BACK in Iowa, where the tall corn grows, they have a factory that is making 100,000 square feet of wallboard per day of cornstalks, which in the past have been burned or plowed under in the fields.

Down in Louisiana, they are making building material out of the stalks of sugar cane from which the juice has been pressed—a waste product which was formerly burned at considerable cost.

CARRY this news to Gifford Pinchot, who some 30 years ago was telling us that in a quarter of a century more the country's timber would all be gone, and whose inaccurate and unground predictions did more than anything else to hamper and cripple a great industry.

WHAT made possible the making of wallboard out of discarded cornstalks? What made possible the manufacture of building material from the refuse of the cane mills?

Here is the answer: "Scientific research, applied to the problems of industry." Whatever you do, don't laugh at the scientist who sits in his laboratory and studies out new ways of making use of materials which in the past have been discarded.

BACK in the East, the big publishers are frightened because they have just been given a demonstration of the completeness of Canadian control of the supplies of pulp wood from which the paper on which Eastern publications are printed is made.

Out here on the Pacific Coast, we are burning up more than enough waste wood to make all the print paper that is needed back East.

WHY do we do it? Because the scientists have not yet discovered cheap and efficient ways to turn this waste into paper at a price that will meet foreign competition. So the waste goes on—just as for generations the waste of Iowa's cornstalks and Louisiana's cane refuse went on.

PASS any sawmill out in this country and you will see refuse burners glowing redly. These burners are destroying materials that someday will be immensely valuable. What will make them valuable? The answer is simple: The discoveries of the men of science who spend their lives in their laboratories finding out things that we do not know now.

DOG PREFERRED TO WIFE, SUIT ALLEGES

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 14.—A charge that her husband, Frederick Kreick, 22, took his dog to bed with him nearly every night and showed it more affection than he did his wife and minor child was lodged against Kreick today in a divorce action Mrs. Ina Grace Kreick brought. They were married here in July, 1927.

COUNTY ROAD MAINTENANCE PLAN CHANGED

Total of Supervisors Cut From 62 to 24; Heavier Machinery Will Be Used In Work.

Experiments Prove Benefit of New System, Bearing Approval of League of Taxpayers.

After several years of discussion and experimenting, the county court, with the sanction of the Douglas County Taxpayers' league, has adopted a new system for road maintenance work in Douglas county, grouping districts under one patrolman, so that the list of road supervisors has been reduced from 62 to 24.

Many different plans to obtain more efficient road work and to have the work done on a more economical basis have been discussed. The county court has had the proposal under consideration for several years, and has been conducting experiments during the past year in several sections of the county to determine whether the plan would be effective before putting it into execution.

No boundaries changed. Under the new system road districts are left intact, but instead of each district having its own patrolman, as has been the case in the past, each patrolman is given supervision over several districts. On an average each patrolman has about 50 miles of road to take care of, but the actual amount varies from 7 to 96 miles. The districts consolidated for maintenance work have been grouped according to general location, so that each patrolman will be able to work his roads efficiently, without any long transfers of machinery and equipment.

The plan of reducing the number of road patrolmen was advocated at least 10 years ago, and since that time numerous plans have been offered. A movement was on foot within the last few years to completely redivide the county and make it into 12 large road districts, but this raised considerable objection on the grounds that it would reduce the amount of special tax to be voted, and might also operate against some of the small districts badly in need of local road improvement.

Check Proves Benefit. County Judges Hamilton and Commissioners Clough, and Bensen have been discussing the matter for the past year, and last year consolidated a group of districts near Drain and another group at Daves creek, under Patrolman Roy Smith and Pete Elam. These experiments proved the results in the consolidated districts as compared with the old system, and found that more efficient and economical results were obtained.

The court, however, felt that it

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WOMAN WRESTLER

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
GLOUCESTER, Mass., Jan. 14.—Mrs. Catherine J. Murphy, a 30-year-old sportsman who had engaged in women's wrestling matches, was killed today when her automobile skidded and struck a tree. Her neck was broken.

A companion, Mrs. Elizabeth Freitas, escaped injury. Mrs. Murphy, whose maiden name was Miss "Bobby" Wilson, wrestled with Cora Livingston, called women's wrestling champion, at one time. She was the wife of Edward Furey of New York.

MAURICE NEWLAND ELECTED HEAD OF C. OF C. DIRECTORS

A meeting of the new board of directors of the chamber of commerce was held last night and officers selected to serve for 1930. Maurice Newland was chosen president; B. R. Shoemaker, vice-president; and Glen Wimberly, treasurer.

Mr. Newland, the newly elected president, has been taking a very active part in municipal affairs during the past few years. He has served as a director of the chamber of commerce during the past year and has been particularly active in an attempt to standardize Umpqua valley products and secure shipment under the Indian head label. He was also the leader in the city beautiful campaign. He and Duette Shoemaker, the vice-president, are both active members of the Kiwanis club. Glen Wimberly, the treasurer, is also a Kiwanian.

The board of directors is composed of Maurice Newland, B. R. Shoemaker, John McIlwraith, C. C. Archibald, Harris Ellsworth, W. R. Strawn, O. C. Brown and Frank Norton. The committee appointments will be made at the next meeting of the directors.

LOBBY INQUIRERS EXONERATE HOOVER

Negotiations With American and Cuban Sugar Interests Not of Improper Nature

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—President Hoover was absolved today by the senate lobby investigation committee of any impropriety in connection with negotiations with Cuban and American sugar interests charged against the chief executive in testimony before that group.

Reporting to the senate, the committee, asserted in addition that a "reprehensible" effort had been made to stir up Latin-American antagonism against the United States by those opposing an increased tariff on sugar.

It listed the total expenditures of those for and against such an increase at more than \$400,000, with \$175,000, to \$200,000 spent by the former and \$200,000 to \$225,000 disbursed by the latter.

With reference to testimony that President Hoover had sought to bring about an agreement among the sugar interests on a sliding scale of sugar duties for incorporation in the pending tariff bill, the committee said that "in all this your committee finds no impropriety nor anything open to censure or criticism."

"It is quite likely," the report said, "that representatives of both the contending forces waited on the president to incline him favorably toward their views, respectively, and the sliding scale solution having been proposed, he suggested that they get together in an effort to work out some plan, and in that connection informed them that he would have inquiry made into the practicability of the idea by experts of the department."

Two Robbers and Officer Slain in Chicago Battle

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Two robbers and a detective were killed early today as the robbers, rushing from an apartment they had just held up, ran into a police squad that had responded to a burglar alarm. A third robber who barricaded himself in the apartment house was routed by tear bombs and captured.

The three bandits, in entering the first floor apartment of Harry Sucherman, set off a burglar alarm in the adjoining apartment of Sucherman's brother, Joseph, who called police.

The robbers were at work on a wall safe in the Sucherman flat, after lining up Sucherman's family at the point of pistols, when a police squad car roared up in front of the building.

With escape cut off in front, the robbers ran to a rear window. They shot Detective Jerry Murphy, cutting off their flight. One of them fired three shots, and Murphy dropped, fatally wounded.

Attempting to get out by the front door, the robbers were met by blazing police guns. They returned the fire, and Lieut. Edward Conroy fell, wounded in the shoulder.

The robbers retreated, and there was firing from both sides for many minutes. Tear bombs were tossed into the apartment building hallway to rout the gunmen.

Sergeant Richard O'Malley, in a second police squad, went to the scene, climbed by a side window. He found one robber dead, and another dying. A third surrendered.

The bandit killed outright was identified only as "Holman." Sam Wolfe, who was wounded five times, died an hour later in the Bridewell hospital.

FOUR KILLED WHEN PAY CAR IS DYNAMITED

Pennsylvania Bandits Flee After Murderous Deed Without Obtaining Any Money.

\$3,000 Believed Destroyed By Blast; Injured Man Saves Remainder of \$35,000.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
WILKESBARRE, Pa., Jan. 14.—Four men were dead today, victims of a robbery, when a pay car of the Glen Alden Coal company in an effort to obtain a \$35,000 payroll. Two others were injured, one critically.

All but about \$3,000 of the money was saved by the heroism of one of the injured men. That was believed to have been blown away by the blast. The dynamite, believed to have been four in number, escaped in a blue automobile bearing New York license plates. No trace of them had been found today.

The explosion occurred a mile from Nanticoke in a wild, mountainous section near the coal company's Trustee colliery. It rocked the district.

Motorman Gives Alarm. The pay car was being hauled up a narrow gauge railroad by a mine motor to carry off several hundred workers when the explosion occurred. The dynamite, which had been placed under the track, was exploded by means of wires and a battery hidden behind a barricade 200 feet away.

The force of the blast wrecked the pay car and unseated the motor. Without stopping for investigation, Harry Powell motorman, proceeded under full speed to the colliery and spread the alarm.

Arthur W. Webb, 32, of Scranton, paymaster in charge of the car, Frank Blinski, 40, a miner, and Martin Burns, 31, section foreman, were killed almost instantly. James Shillo, 32, a section foreman, died a few hours later. His legs were blown off, his arms crushed and his skull fractured.

Fred Pfaff, 40, a guard on the car, suffered crushed feet and a serious injury. He was in a critical condition today.

Bandits Flee. The payroll was saved by John Sookil, a 50-year-old miner, who was only slightly injured by the blast. Although dazed, he threatened away one of the bandits and consulted a doctor.

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N. Y. BANKER WITH BAD NERVES DIES IN 9-STORY DROP

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Herbert Spencer Martin, 47 years old, a vice president of S. W. Straus and company, investment banker, early today either fell or jumped to his death from a window of his ninth floor apartment in Park avenue.

His body was found in the rear courtyard by a house employee and a passerby who heard the loud crash of the body striking the ground. Mr. Martin also was a vice president of the Ambassador hotels corporation.

His wife, the former Madeline Straus, daughter of the banker, told the police he had suffered a nervous breakdown a year and a half ago and that he had been planning to sail today for Europe to consult a doctor.

Mr. Martin was a manufacturer of women's garments before entering the banking business. In 1923 he turned over the business founded by his father and capitalized at \$1,000,000 to four employees as a reward for long service. The employees were to assume full control and pay for the business out of its earnings on easy terms.

ROSEBURG FINANCE CORPORATION HAS PROSPEROUS YEAR

At the annual meeting of the Roseburg Finance corporation Monday evening, the following officers were elected: A. G. Sutherland, president; Henry Barth, vice-president; and H. O. Pargeter, secretary-treasurer. These men, with S. J. Shoemaker and Nathan Fullerton, will comprise the board of directors.

This corporation was organized one year ago for the purpose of handling dealers' contracts covering automobiles, radios, electrical appliances, etc. The annual report of the organization shows that over \$125,000 in business has been handled during the past year, and the institution is making a rapid growth. A limited amount today because of failure to pass mid-term academic examinations. Major General William R. Smith, superintendent, announced.

Chemical Frees Vessel Held By Ice In Drydock

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
QUEBEC, Jan. 14.—Science was credited with another victory over nature today after a chemical compound had liberated a steamship from an ice-bound drydock in three minutes.

Dr. Howard T. Barnes of McGill university, using a high-pressure pump and hose, sprayed the thick ice about the Champlain dry dock at Lauson, where the Italian freighter Concordia was frozen in and faced the prospect of being held prisoner until the spring breakup.

Under the action of the chemical the ice splintered with a thunderous noise and the ship floated free. The ice was broken into such small particles that even small boats could be navigated about the dock and its approaches.

Experiments have been made with the compound to break up river ice and to remove snow from streets. This is the first time it has been used to shatter harbor ice.

PERMIT ASKED TO ESTABLISH NEW BANK AT ASTORIA

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
SALEM, Ore., Jan. 14.—Application has been made to A. A. Schramm, state superintendent of banks, for authority to organize a bank at Astoria to be known as the Bank of Astoria. The amount of proposed capital is \$100,000, with a surplus of \$15,000, and undivided profits of \$17,000.

The application is from M. R. Chessman, vice-president, Harry Burke, treasurer, Harry Burke, F. Kankonen, J. V. Burns, Charles Laly, Carl Meberg, J. C. Tenbrook, S. A. Kieker and C. C. Glingrich.

The proposed location is the former premises of the Astoria National bank, located at Twelfth and Duane streets.

This is the first application for a new bank since the enactment of the 1929 amendments to the banking law. The amended law requires that statutory notice of the application must be given through publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the city, town or county where the proposed bank is to be located.

Official action by the superintendent of banks approving or disapproving the application must be taken within 60 days from the filing of the proof of publication unless a majority of the applicants and the superintendent agree that the time may be extended an additional 30 days.

The names of the proposed active managers and officers of the bank are: President, C. O. Glingrich, vice-president, Harry Burke; cashier, H. P. Sprague. Those with the following would be the board of directors: E. S. McMinn, A. E. Engelbrecht, J. V. Burns, Charles Laly, Frank E. Fowler, M. R. Chessman and Henry Shilbe.

Glingrich is president of the First National banks of Centralia and Chehalis, Washington, and is engaged in the mercantile, farming and hotel business. Burke was president of the Bank of Commerce at Astoria which was later sold to the Pacific Bank corporation and nationalized. McMinn is a director of that bank.

AUTOIST ADMITS HOAX IN REPORTED BURKE APPEARANCE

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 14.—Ora Love, self-styled chauffeur for Fred R. Burke, notorious fugitive Chicago gangster, was held in jail at Centralia, Wash., on an open charge following his alleged confession last night that his story of driving Burke to the Pacific northwest was a hoax he related for sympathy.

Portland police continued their hunt for Burke on the strength of the identification of Burke's picture by J. J. Brands, Portland used car dealer, as the man who attempted to sell him (Brands) an automobile similar to the one Love said Burke drove.

Burke is wanted in Chicago in connection with the St. Valentine's day massacre. A reward which totals \$100,000 has been offered by various agencies for Burke's arrest.

MINE EXPLOSION TAKES SIX LIVES

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
SALEM, Ore., Jan. 14.—The state fair board, in annual session here yesterday, re-elected Mrs. Ella Schmitt Wilson secretary and re-elected A. C. Marsters of Roseburg as president of the board. The board also re-elected Mrs. Wilson as secretary of the board and manager of the state fair.

Governor Norblad sat with the board and promised the cooperation of his office in building up the fair. A financial report showed that the 1929 fair made a profit.

PSITTACUS TAKES SECOND LIFE IN OHIO

Three Other Cases Eyed In Toledo—Sick Parrot Affects Family In Pittsburgh.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
TOLEDO, Ohio, Jan. 14.—Miss Catherine Tierney, 37, housekeeper at Good Shepherd church parsonage, who died in a hospital here yesterday, is believed to be Toledo's second victim of psittacosis, the parrot disease.

Miss Tierney is believed to have contracted the disease from a parrot which the Rev. George A. Branigan, pastor of the church, brought back with him from South America in December.

The parrot died about 12 days ago and shortly after Miss Tierney complained of pains. The pains were followed by the general symptoms of psittacosis, and on January 9 she was taken to a hospital.

Three Other Cases. Dr. H. G. Pament, acting city health commissioner, is investigating three new suspected cases reported to him yesterday.

A man and two girls, he said, employees of a store where parrots were sold before Christmas, are seriously ill in their homes. Their physicians told Dr. Pament their symptoms resembled those of psittacosis.

Another man, also employed in the store, returned to work after being ill with a disease which physicians said might have been psittacosis.

Family Stricken. PITTSBURGH, Jan. 14.—The illness of Mary Walker, 9, of Freeport, was diagnosed today as probably "parrot fever," rare tropical disease which, it is believed, caused the death of the girl's grandmother, Mrs. William Shields, 51, last Saturday. A daughter of Mrs. Shields, Elaine, 15, also is ill of what is thought to be the same malady.

All three persons, it was said, had handled a sick parrot purchased in Pittsburgh December 25.

Meningitis Strikes. PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 14.—Schools and theatres in Safford and Solomonsville, in southeastern Arizona, voluntarily are closed today, following a report by the state board of health that ten cases of spinal meningitis have developed in that section. The report indicated that twenty-five

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LINN COUNTY LINE WILL BE OPERATED BY TWO RAILWAYS

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 14.—Official announcement was expected today of the signing of an agreement by the Southern Pacific railroad and the Oregon Electric for joint operation of a new 70-mile line to be built from Lebanon up the Santiam to Sweet Home, an area containing rich timber resources, particularly in eastern Linn county. Such construction, estimates have it, would mean an investment of approximately one million dollars.

Reports have been current here that the project would be financed by the Great Northern railroad. The Great Northern, with the Southern Pacific, owns the Spokane, Portland & Seattle line, owner, in turn, of the Oregon Electric system.

The Weyerhaeuser interests are heavily interested in the timber lands in the district, as is Louis W. Hill, former chairman of the board of the Great Northern line.

Those familiar with railroad operations here see particular significance in the extension as it is regarded as placing the Great Northern in a strategic position for connection with its line at Bend by way of the Santiam pass. The project will give this railroad feeder lines on the western slopes of the Cascades, similar to its branches on the east side of the mountains.

MARSTERS AGAIN HEADS FAIR BOARD

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RY LAW REPORT STIRS LAWMAKERS

Planned Legislation Not to Clash With States; One Bill Asks Liquor Act Repeal

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Despite the far reaching scope of the proposed prohibition reorganization, the administration is expected to carry it out along lines preventing any conflict with the power of the states in enforcement of their own laws.

This was indicated in well informed circles today as both the legislative and executive branches of the government moved to place in operation the program outlined by the law enforcement commission and sponsored by President Hoover.

The first actual step was taken at the white house side of the capitol with the introduction of a bill by Chairman Williamson of the committee on expenditures to provide for the transfer of the prohibition enforcement unit from the treasury to justice department.

At the same time treasury officials took stock of the stupendous task proposed to be placed on their hands by the consolidation of all border patrol work under coast guard supervision. This re-alignment would place a new military force along the border, as the coast guard is a military branch of the government just as the army and navy.

Williamson's measure is expected to be followed shortly by bills designed to carry out other recommendations.

A bill "to reduce crime and general discontent and resentment on the part of law abiding Americans by repealing the national prohibition act was introduced today by Representative Sabath, democrat, Illinois.

THREE SOUTHERN STATES RAVAGED BY RISING WATER

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 14.—Rising flood waters in Arkansas, Kentucky and Tennessee drove many families from their homes today as the rainfall of the past week continued in the lower Mississippi valley.

Several hundred families along the White and St. Francis rivers in Arkansas have been forced to quit their homes. Farm lands have been inundated and in some villages the water is more than two feet deep. Levees protecting valuable land and many towns in the vicinity of Big Lake are being pelted.

VINCENNES, Ind., Jan. 14.—A break in the Wabash river levee two miles west of Eminon, Ind., late last night, poured flood waters today over a farm area of more than 20,000 acres, damaging wheat and unharvested corn. Not more than a dozen families live in the district flooded, and none was reported in danger.

Report is nine miles north of Vincennes. The break, believed at least temporarily flooded conditions here, where the lower parts of the city were inundated. The river level dropped a foot after the levee gave way.

Flood conditions prevailed today at several points along the Wabash and White rivers and their tributaries.

MARKS, Miss., Jan. 14.—A huge wave was torn in the Cassidy Bayou levee, two miles south of Belen, near here, by a charge of dynamite, set off during the night by unidentified persons. Flood bonnets have been ordered here and Clarksville to aid in a search for those responsible.

DAVIS, BOSS SENTENCED TO GALLOWS

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
SACRAMENTO, Calif., Jan. 14.—Alfred Boss and George Davis lost their first battle to dodge the gallows today when Judge J. Romeo Hughes denied the plea of their counsel for a new trial and sentenced the pair to hang at Folsom state prison on March 21.

Boss and Davis were convicted of murdering Clifford Carey, grocery store clerk, during a holdup here on the night of November 18.

While Boss and Davis are scheduled to hang March 21, the execution will not actually take place on that date, for after Judge Hughes pronounced the death sent, attorneys for the pair filed notice of appeal to the state supreme court.

SNOW DEPTH IN ROSEBURG AT NEW MARK

Mantle of 7.8 Inches Over City Heaviest Known in Records of Weather Bureau Station.

Numerous Accidents But No Casualties—Mercury In Eastern Oregon Far Under Zero.

Snowfall for the 24-hour period ending at 5 o'clock this morning was the heaviest ever recorded by the U. S. weather bureau station here, according to E. H. Fletcher, local meteorologist. While more snow fell in January of 1909, when there was 8 inches of snow in the 24-hour period, the depth on the ground was only 6 inches, as much of the early snow melted as it fell.

During the 24-hour period ending at the morning observation the instruments recorded 7.8 inches, while the depth on the ground was 7.5 inches. The snowfall records maintained in the weather bureau office cover only the past 49 years, as complete snowfall data was not kept prior to 1890. Since 1890 there has been no snow as deep on the ground as this year.

The total snowfall since January 1 has been 11.6 inches, as compared with a 50-year average for January of 2.7 inches.

The minimum temperature last night was 21 degrees below zero. The forecast is for unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday with probable snow and continued cold.

Mishaps Numerous. Numerous skidding accidents were reported yesterday and today. Motorists, for the most part, were using extreme care on the highways, and most of the cars had chains. As a result of the precautions that were taken, there were no injuries reported. An auto bus went into the ditch at Goose Junction yesterday afternoon, but as it was traveling at low speed there was no damage done. A tourist car rolled about 40 feet down a bank in Canyon Creek canyon, but fortunately without injury to the occupants, although the car was badly wrecked. Walter Coates of Tennessee damaged the front end of his car yesterday when he skidded into a ditch.

Power Line Affected. The California Oregon power company reported considerable snow trouble this morning. The line was thrown out between Dixonville and Prospect as a result of a falling tree, and service on the other feeding lines was interrupted several times, when falling

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MRS. J. H. SINNIGER DIES SUDDENLY AT HOME IN ROSEBURG

Sarah Scottie Sinniger, wife of J. H. Sinniger, local sheet metal worker, died suddenly yesterday afternoon at her home as a result of a heart attack. Mrs. Sinniger had apparently been in good health up to the time she was stricken, her condition manifesting itself by a severe pain in the heart, resulting in complete collapse and death within a few hours.

Mrs. Sinniger was born at Litchfield, Illinois, coming to this city with her husband 19 years ago. Mrs. Sinniger has conducted a sheet metal business in this city for a number of years.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Sinniger leaves a son, Jack, and a daughter, Mildred. Funeral services will be held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock from the Catholic church, of which Mrs. Sinniger was a member. Father Brennan will officiate and interment will take place in the Catholic cemetery. M. E. Ritter is in charge of arrangements.

MRS. J. B. STOBIE OF CAMAS VALLEY DIES AT VERNONIA

Nancy Violet Stobie, a resident of Camas Valley, died yesterday morning at 5 a. m. in Vernonia, Columbia county, while visiting with her son, Milford, and her daughter, Mrs. Martindale. She left Roseburg about two months ago to visit the children in Vernonia, and became ill a few days ago. She was 53 years of age.

She leaves a husband, J. B. Stobie, of Camas Valley, and nine children, Milford Stobie and Violet Martindale of Vernonia; Robert, Percy and Floyd Stobie of Camas Valley; Howard Stobie, North Bend; John Stobie, Laura Chapman and Kula Flint, Eugene.

The body will arrive in Roseburg tomorrow and funeral services will be held at Camas Valley. Time for the funeral services has not yet been fixed. M. E. Ritter is in charge of arrangements.