

News of Douglas County

MELROSE

MELROSE, Jan. 28.—George Sunberg, who is employed at Powers, arrived at Melrose Wednesday to look after his home and his sheep and visit with friends, and returned to Powers on Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Churchill of Coles valley, spent several days of the latter part of the week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Amy Matthews, and with her daughter, Mrs. Amy Kruse.

Miss Alice Backlund, who is employed in Roseburg, spent Saturday night and Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Backlund.

Mrs. Cora Brothers made a trip to North Bend the latter part of the week. She was accompanied by her brother-in-law, Vincent Preschern, and his son, Earl Preschern.

John Bodie returned to his home last Tuesday after being a patient in the Mercy hospital for the past three weeks.

Ora Weller of Roseburg made a business trip to Melrose Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Redie and their daughter, Miss Mary Maxine, of Snohomish, Washington, spent Sunday and Monday evening visiting Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Woodruff. The former is deputy assessor for the Fraternal Order of Eagles and is auditing the books for the Roseburg lodge. Mr. and Mrs. Redie have visited at Melrose on a number of occasions.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Matthews had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Matthews and family of Reston, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Matthews and son and daughter, from Lookingglass, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Matthews and daughter and Grace Colman and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Horn.

GLENDALE

GLENDALE, Jan. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wright have returned to their home here after a two weeks' visit with friends in California.

Mrs. G. I. Wardrip and daughters, Marie, Velma, Gertrude and Margery, left for Corvallis Saturday where they will join Mr. Wardrip. They are making their permanent home there.

Lee Beal left Thursday for his home in Oklahoma. For the past few months he has been visiting here with his uncle, Ray Robins.

Mrs. George Dyer returned Monday from Roseburg where she has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Harry Van Tongeren, who is ill.

Al Carley and Ed Andrews visited friends in Medford during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Normoyle and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Price left Monday for a visit in Eugene.

Miss Mary Alice Brunner visited friends in Albany over the week-end.

Mrs. Bert McDonald, of Portland, visited her husband here last week.

John Cox and daughter, Joan, and David King, of Medford, visited the W. L. Dobyns home last week.

DAYS CREEK

DAYS CREEK, Jan. 29.—Leslie Poole returned here Tuesday from Portland where he has been employed.

Mrs. N. N. Wood has been spending the week at Glendale visiting her sister, Mrs. Ed Everts, and their father, Perry Duncan.

Miss Gem Hutchinson, student at Southern Oregon Normal school at Ashland, arrived here Friday evening to spend the week-end visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hutchinson.

Lee Wehde and M. J. Willard are building a small house for the Wehde family on the Percy Beals property near the postoffice.

John Pinkerton of Dixonville is remodeling the kitchen at the J. J. Wright home above Days Creek.

Mrs. Dan Goin, who resides near Milo, is reported to be seriously ill at her home.

David Adamson, local seventh and eighth grade teacher and boys' athletic coach, who underwent an operation for ruptured appendix at Mercy hospital nearly two weeks ago, is reported to have taken a turn for the worse.

Newell Wood Jr. and Junior and Ruby Ostinger were confined to their respective homes by illness this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hunter of Tillamook are leaving soon for California. Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hart are talking over the Tillamook Tavern, where the Hunters have been operating.

The forest service is rebuilding the telephone line from the Tillamook station to Drew.

Mrs. Ray Wright and her sister, Miss Frances Michaels, returned here Tuesday from Portland where the former received medical attention. They stopped off at Salem and also at Corvallis where they visited their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Grey. Miss Michaels spent several days here at the home of her mother,

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then left Friday for Medford where she is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Spore and Bill Jobe transacted business at Roseburg Thursday.

Miss May Gross, local primary teacher, left Saturday morning for her home at Yoncalla to spend the week-end.

Miss Margaret Sagaberd, local high school teacher, and Miss Sue Hutchinson left Saturday morning to spend the week-end at the former's home at Gardiner. They were accompanied from Roseburg by Miss Sagaberd's mother, Mrs. Frank Sagaberd, who has been spending the week at Roseburg with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Luder. They made the trip in Miss Sagaberd's new Buick coupe which she brought from Portland last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Mettes delivered broccolli and attended to other business matters at Roseburg Friday.

Weldon Bradford of the Farm Bureau and a Sherrin Williams spray salesman were contacting local orchardists Thursday.

CAMAS VALLEY

The old barn on the Nicewood place and the one on the Dunbeck place were both blown down. Both buildings were very badly out of repair at the time.

Miss Verna Tittle from Monmouth, who is substituting at Willis creek, spent the week-end with Miss Bertha Lary. Miss Tittle taught in the blind school for six years and taught Verna Baldwin during the child's first three years at the school. Miss Tittle called at the Baldwin home Sunday afternoon before returning to Willis creek.

The Townsend club had speakers out from Roseburg Monday night to discuss the measures to be voted on at the special election January 31.

Ralph Richter has called a meeting of all persons interested in an electricity plan for the valley to be held at the school house Wednesday evening, Jan. 22.

John Moore and Guy Lawson went to the hills Monday to look up some of Mr. Porter's cattle. They were successful in finding several head and bringing them in to his ranch.

YONCALLA

Ory Tandy of Newport, Wash. is visiting at the Herbert Tandy home for a few days.

Mrs. Percy Applegate and son Jackie and Mrs. Howard Woolman and Worth Woolman left Thursday for Portland where little Jackie Applegate will receive medical treatment at the Doernbecher hospital.

Several new cars have made their appearance in town. Fred Merk has a new Pontiac sedan, Roy Brant a Chevrolet and Schosso Bros. have a new Chevrolet truck.

E. H. Rothwell of Sutherlin had charge of the Rexall drug store for a couple of days last week, while the proprietor, H. L. Stonaker, was in Medford, due to the serious illness of Mrs. Stonaker's father.

At a recent meeting of the Elkhead telephone stockholders, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Payne, Sid Woodward was elected president, J. C. Pringle, secretary and Merlin Allen, treasurer.

Miss Wanda Eastwood and Miss Genevieve Groves motored to Eugene Thursday evening where they attended a musical concert.

Mrs. R. W. Davis and Mrs. Sam Wadsworth transacted business in Cottage Grove Saturday.

Mrs. Charlie Dear of Eugene visited at the Ernest Warner home last week.

Joe Lasswell left Sunday for Portland where he will visit his son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lawwell, and transact business.

The new Asbury Memorial Episcopal church, of Charleston, S. C., was opened with a marriage ceremony in the morning, a baptismal service in the afternoon and a worship service which saw 15 membership additions in the evening.

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TICKET SALE GOOD FOR BIRTHDAY BALL

Advance ticket sales and general interest shown in the President's Birthday ball, to be observed locally Thursday night, as a part of the nationwide campaign against infantile paralysis, promise a record attendance.

Don Radabaugh, chairman of the ticket sale, reports an excellent response, and, in fact, scores of tickets are being sold to non-dancers who desire to aid in the campaign to which proceeds are to be applied.

Many non-dancers will enjoy the excellent entertainment which a committee under the direction of Mrs. Walter Fisher has arranged to start at the armory at 8 p. m., continuing until 2:30.

Musical dancing is to be furnished by Joe Shirey's Pied Pipers, popular dance band.

Seventy per cent of all net proceeds will be retained in a local fund, which will be administered through local health authorities in providing transportation of children crippled by infantile paralysis to the Shrine hospitals, and in providing appliances and other relief. Roy Young is to serve as treasurer of the fund. Thirty per cent will go to the national fund to be used in maintaining the Warm Springs, Georgia, foundation.

HAW LEADING DANA FOR FEDERAL POST

YAKIMA, Jan. 29.—(AP)—John W. Haw, agricultural agent for the Northern Pacific, appears to have the most support of National Reclamation association leaders for appointment as successor to Dr. Elwood Mead, as commissioner of reclamation, according to H. Lloyd Miller of Sunnyside, the association vice-president.

Haw leads Marshall N. Dana, of Portland, by a scant margin in the telegram that has poured in from all western states from association members.

MAGNUS JOHNSON BATTLES FOR LIFE

ST. PAUL, Jan. 29.—(AP)—Magnus Johnson, former United States senator and congressman from Minnesota, suffering from pneumonia, following an automobile accident, was reported "still holding his own" today.

Hospital attaches said his condition was still "critical." He was knocked down by a car Jan. 20.

A. E. Duke, Bannock county, Idaho, agent, started a new kind of gold rush when he announced that from \$4 to \$5 a day can be made by trapping jackrabbits. Pelts, he said, are worth 25 to 35 cents a pound.

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Pension Taxes on Childless Couples and Unwed Persons Advocated by Sociologist

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Professor Frank G. Dickinson, sociologist, recommended today that taxes to meet old age pension costs be levied on bachelors, spinsters and childless married couples.

Originator of a mathematical system of rating college teams Prof. Dickinson, of the University of Illinois, advanced his theory in a talk prepared for delivery before a meeting of the Union League club.

Sociology, he said, recognizes that no generation repays the cost of its rearing to the parents who labored, worried and economized, but that this debt is discharged as each generation rears another group of children.

"Those adults who furnish no offspring dodge, avoid and refuse payment for their own conception, birth and rearing," he said. "If they refuse voluntarily to pay their debt to society the state should tax them to pay the cost of old age assistance."

"Adults without progeny should just bear their burden! That is social security with social justice."

Prof. Dickinson said he had no definite plan of taxation to propose, but suggested that the federal social security act be changed to provide for revenue through a tax on incomes of the unwed and childless.

He said he favored the income tax for three reasons:

"1. It cannot be easily shifted back upon other citizens.

"2. It is better than a poll tax because it is related to the ability to pay.

"3. A parent with one offspring could be given some exemption, and a parent of more than two children complete exemption.

"The bachelor and the bachelor girl," he said, "enjoy unearned increment in our scheme of distribu-

TOWNSEND PLAN CLAIMS 50 CONGRESSMEN PLEDGED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—(AP)—The Townsend National Weekly today listed 59 representatives as "pledged" to support a bill to pay \$200 a month pension to citizens over 69.

The magazine, official organ of the pension plan, also listed 28 as "undecided" and 14 "opposed."

The pledges were obtained in a poll of the members of the house just before congress convened this month, the magazine said.

Thirteen of the 59 pledges were from representatives of California, the home state of Dr. F. E. Townsend, originator of the plan. Nine were republicans, two farmer-labor, two progressive and the rest democrats.

Those listed as "pledged," by states, included:

Oregon—Mott, republican, and Pierce, democrat.

Washington—Walkren, Smith and Knute Hill, democrats.

California—Englebright, Welch, Carter and Gearhart, republicans; Tolan, McGrath, Stebbins, McGinnis, Hoepfel, Kramer, Ford, Costello, Scott, democrats.

Idaho—White and Clark, democrats.

RELIEF FOR FROZEN REGION FORECAST

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—(AP)—Warm winds from the Pacific coast thawed out the frozen midwest today, but the weatherman kept his ear-muffs for another siege of zero cold.

A 20-degree jump in the temperatures was forecast before nightfall for Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana and parts of Michigan and Wisconsin, where the mercury has hugged the zero mark for a full week.

It was predicted the whole region east of the Rockies would feel the warm-up, which was due to reach its full strength tomorrow in Arkansas, Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky and Tennessee.

The break in the zero weather was welcome, for deaths from the cold had mounted to the total of 260 in eleven days.

With the temperature 3 below in Chicago, an explosion and fire wrecked a five-story building in the heart of the Randolph street market district early today, injuring one man and delaying thousands of loop-bound workers for several hours. The building housed the Midland Paper company, whose president, George A. Mueller, estimated damage to the structure and stock at more than \$150,000. The cause of the explosion was unknown.

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GLEE CLUB GETS NEW MUSIC SUPPLY

The Roseburg Men's Glee club today received a shipment of new music to be used in making up the program for the club's annual spring concert. Rehearsals of the new music will start Thursday night, when the club holds its regular weekly meetings.

Under the direction of Ralph Church, the club has already prepared several good numbers, and the new music will assure a pleasing public program to be presented at some date during the coming spring months.

Membership in the club is open for a short time but will soon be

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