

Around the County

DAYS CREEK

DAYS CREEK, July 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Guy Metcalf were Glendale visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Barbara Hopkins of Canyonville was the guest of Mrs. Zed Chaney for a few days. Raymond Spore suffered an injury to his left eye recently while working on the road.

Mrs. Ralph Weaver spent Saturday in Canyonville at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ruth Metcalf.

Mr. and Mrs. Zed Chaney were visiting friends and transacting business in Riddle Thursday.

Wm. Racher was a Roseburg visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Ruth Metcalf of Canyonville was a Sunday visitor at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Metcalf.

Mrs. M. A. Clough, Miss Bess Clough and Miss Grace Dumont were callers at the Emory Marsters home on South Myrtle creek Saturday afternoon.

H. B. Roadman and Ross Hutchinson, county commissioners, and Floyd Frear, road master, were inspecting roads and bridges in this vicinity last Wednesday.

Mrs. R. S. Mesick went to Canyonville Saturday to meet her mother, Mrs. Alice McLaughlin, of Aberdeen, South Dakota, who expects to spend several weeks at the Mesick home.

Herman Burke of Eugene has arrived to visit at the Alva Matthews home.

Mrs. Irene Nutter was the guest of friends and relatives at Grants Pass several days last week.

Dale Tison, who recently enrolled in the CCC and is now working at Diamond Lake, visited at his home here during the weekend.

Mrs. C. C. Stone has returned to her home following several weeks at Sheridan and Portland, where she was the guest of friends and relatives.

Sunday guests at the Ray Wright home included Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tison and Miss Beverly Tison of Irwin.

Ira Brock and Harley Gunion returned to their work at Union Creek Sunday evening.

C. S. Reynolds of Mountlake is enjoying a vacation in this vicinity. He is camped at the Slim Water camp ground.

Charles Mather, who was over from Glendale for the week-end, returned to work Monday morning.

Merlin Dean and his son, John, were Roseburg visitors Tuesday.

Mr. Dean received medical attention for his hand injured several weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Tison and son, and Mrs. C. S. Jackson and son, Roy, of Drew, were Roseburg visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Bromley, nee Susie Hutchinson, who with Mr. Bromley recently returned to Ashland following the completion of the summer term at the University of Washington, is spending a couple of days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hutchinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Perkins and son, Johnnie, and Mrs. Henry Bachor were visiting and shopping in Roseburg Friday. When they returned, Mrs. Mandia Wildrig accompanied them to visit friends and relatives here during the week-end.

Mrs. Alva Matthews and Dorothy Gardfield were visiting friends and shopping in Roseburg Saturday. They were accompanied by Carlton Wilder, who returned to his home after a week's visit at the Matthews home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Moore and their sons, Leon and Jimmie, were attending to business matters in Roseburg Saturday. When they returned, Roy Duncan and Harry Van Norman, who are employed at Camanche Valley, came out with them to spend the week-end at their respective homes.

Last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hutchinson and daughters, Gem and Wilhelma, Mable Moore and Wayne Smith enjoyed the day at the Picket Butte lookout, where John Hutchinson is stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rhoads, Byer Putnam and Norman Bergstrom returned Sunday from Ashland. They recently moved their camp from their former location on upper Days creek to a site on the South Umpqua road above Tiller.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sumner have received an announcement of the birth of a son, Keith Stanley, July 9, to their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Durrell Babbs, who now live at Rochelle, Illinois. Mrs. Babbs was Eunice Sumner before her marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, who live on Coffee creek, came down Friday evening after their saddle horses that were at the R. A. Moore ranch. They returned home Saturday evening. Earl Duncan of Tiller was also an overnight guest at the Moore home Friday.

Glenn Boyd, who is employed at Medford returned there Tuesday evening, following a short visit with his parents at their home near Milo.

A pleasant evening was enjoyed at the D. O. Crispen home the evening of July 28, when a few neighbors gathered to assist Miss Susie Crispen celebrate her birthday anniversary. Delicious refreshments were served to the honor guest, Miss Crispen, Juanita Liles, Mrs. D. O. Crispen, Ernest and Ralph Stone and S. A. Harris. Cards were enjoyed during the evening. Miss Crispen received numerous lovely gifts.

Saturday morning Mr. and Mrs. Archie Ferguson and Mrs. John Ferguson went to Roseburg to assist Mrs. H. R. Ferguson with the packing and storing of her household effects. Mrs. John Ferguson remained in Roseburg until Monday evening, when she came home with John Ferguson and Mrs. Bruce Ferguson and son, Jerry, who had gone to town Monday morning. Archie Ferguson, who returned to Roseburg Sunday morning, came home Monday evening, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. H. R. Ferguson, who will visit here indefinitely.

Bud Lowell, who is stationed at the Coffin Butte lookout, was quite

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

with

Major Hoople



HMM! BAXTER, I SUPPOSE YOU ARE TAKING YOUR VACATION THIS YEAR IN THE USUAL WAY—SITTING ON THE BACK PORCH BRUSHING AWAY FLIES AND WATCHING THE WORMS EAT YOUR CABBAGES—HAR-RUMPH!

I HAVE DECIDED TO GET AWAY FROM IT ALL FOR A FORTNIGHT IN A SECLUDED WOODLAND RETREAT REMOTE FROM THE RIFF-RAFF WE CONTACT IN EVERYDAY LIFE! HAK-KAFF! A PROMINENT INDUSTRIALIST HAS INVITED ME TO BE HIS GUIDE AND COMPANION—

YAS!

THAT TAKES A LOAD OFF ME, MAJOR, AS THE HORSE SAID TO MRS. ASTOR! I SAW YOU LUGGING A BASS DRUM DOWN THIRD AVENUE THE OTHER DAY, AND FOR A WHILE I WAS AFRAID YOU HAD FORSAKEN US AND ENLISTED IN THE SALVATION ARMY!

GIVING BAXTER THE NEEDLE AND GETTING HIS EARS PINNED BACK—

Armless Wonder



Pretty Joan Whisnant never let the fact she had no arms bother her. For she educated her toes to do the work of fingers and her legs to do the double duty of both arms and legs. She's shown here—and with a ring on her toe, too—using the telephone as ambidextrously as anyone with more appendage equipment. Joan is 18, was a resident of Tulsa and is now one of the chief attractions in the Ripley Odditorium at the Western World's Fair on Treasure Island.

Seriously injured Tuesday while chopping wood when his ax glanced and struck him in the shoulder, inflicting a deep wound. Forest service employees, who answered his call for assistance, were able to check the flow of blood to a great extent before the arrival of a physician, who found it necessary to take several stitches to close the wound. Mr. Lowell was too weak from loss of blood to be brought out to Tiller Tuesday evening, but arrangements were made to take a horse to the lookout Wednesday to bring him to the road where a car met him and brought him to the Glenn Kunkle home at Tiller.

bill to increase the borrowing authority of the United States housing authority from \$800,000,000 to \$1,600,000,000.

A resolution by Representative Cavanagh (D., N. Y.) originally called for party endorsement of the two bills, but those pledges of support were stricken out, unanimously, when Cavanagh accepted a proposal by Representative Woodrum (D., Va.) to eliminate them.

With the controversial sections tossed aside, the caucus then adopted a resolution criticizing the republicans and pledging "our continued support of and devotion to the great social and economic program as enunciated by the president of the United States, Franklin D. Roosevelt."

Hatch Confident

Senator Hatch (R., N. M.) expressed confidence today President Roosevelt would sign his bill curtailing the political activities of most federal employees, despite Mr. Roosevelt's asserting yesterday some of the language of the bill was vague.

The president has until Thursday to act on the measure. If he does not act by then, it will become law without his signature. In discussing the bill with reporters yesterday, Mr. Roosevelt said he was in favor of its objectives but that it raised the question of what people could legitimately do under its very broad language.

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LIGHTNING IN HOT WAVE DEALS DEATH

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county. However, they were controlled by heavy rain.

Eugene sent 650 men to two fires burning over 150 acres in the Westfir region, and 350 men to a logged-over land fire.

The Bentley lightning flash shocked and injured Frank Payne, 30, Emil Mikulla and the rail gang foreman, Bernard Mueller.

TOLL OF DROWNINGS IN NORTHWEST CLIMBS TO 11

By the Associated Press.

The Pacific northwest, scorched for seven days, looked forward to cooler weather today, but the forest regions found little consolation in a forecast that promised scattered thunderstorms over the mountains.

Eighty-five forest fires were set by rainless thunderstorms in northern Idaho and along the Idaho-Montana border.

At least 11 persons have drowned since the heat wave started. One man drowned yesterday near Moses Lake, and a Yakima, Wash., youth, Lawrence Thibault, 18, drowned in the Yakima river.

A moonlight boat ride on North Lake, near Auburn, Wash., brought death by drowning to Miss Verba Schanek, 26, of Tacoma. Her companion, W. E. Burns, also of Tacoma, said their rowboat capsized while they were changing seats, and he was unable to save her.

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ALIEN OUSTER BILL PASSED BY HOUSE

WASHINGTON, July 29.—(AP)—Legislation designed to curb subversive activities of undesirable aliens was passed today by the house and sent to the senate.

The bill, by Representative Smith (D., Va.), would increase the number of deportable offenses, seek to guard army and navy personnel from subversive influences, direct deportation of anarchists and related classes of aliens advocating overthrow of the government by force, and compel prospective immigrants to be fingerprinted in their native land.

By a standing vote of 73 to 32, the house adopted an amendment by the bill's author prohibiting speeches or publications advocating overthrow of the government by force or violence.

Smith said this language would apply to "reasonable American citizens" as well as aliens.

The legislation, among other things, would make membership in the communist party at any time a deportable offense.

The supreme court held in a recent case that Joseph G. Streck of Little Rock, Ark., could not be deported because of membership in the communist party prior to deportation proceedings.

It was brought against him by the labor department.

ROSEBURG-EUGENE GOLF POSTPONED

The golf tournament scheduled between the Roseburg and Laurelwood (Eugene) clubs for Sunday has been postponed until Aug. 13.

Bob Kelly, local tournament chairman, Lawrence Thibault, 18, drowned in the Yakima river.

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FIRES SWEEP HOOD RIVER PLANTS AND VANCOUVER AREA

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and other employees near there were routed from bed to help fight the fires and to protect the rail road's equipment.

WATERFRONT BUILDINGS AT VANCOUVER FIRE'S PREY

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 29.—(AP)—Smoldering embers marked the sites of two waterfront buildings today after flames swept over a quarter-mile of Columbia river front last night.

Firemen tentatively estimated losses at \$70,000.

Apparently starting from a transformer explosion in the old "plate shop," once the biggest frame building on the Pacific coast, the fire leaped to a series of garages owned by the Vancouver Plywood and Veneer company, then to the A. B. & C. Packing corporation plant a block away.

CCC, Soldiers Give Aid

Firemen credited Vancouver barracks soldiers, CCC enrollees and volunteers with saving the plywood company and the Dabois Lumber company, which were searched. Three volunteers working on the roof of the Plywood company were overcome by smoke.

The old two-story 600-foot-long "plate shop" built for a ship construction firm in 1917 and used in preparation of steel plates for ships, housed the Washington Concrete Pipe company, the Northwest Steel and Equipment company, and the H. H. McLaughlin Lumber company.

Four fire companies and a fire-