

County Senior Day Arranged at R. H. S.

The annual Senior day will be held Tuesday at Roseburg Senior high school for the third consecutive year.

Senior day is set aside each year for students of neighboring schools in Douglas county to visit at a designated place and hear professors from all of the colleges of Oregon. Both large and small schools will be represented by these men to give the students information regarding expenses, vocations, and college life in general. This year an emphasis is being made upon those students who as yet have not chosen their occupation. The schools intending to send seniors are Glendale, Myrtle Creek, Drain, Lookingglass, Glide, Yoncalla, Redmond, Oakland, Smith River, Elkton and Cannon Valley.

The program for the day:

- 9:30 Registration
- 10:00 Opening of conference, Welcome and introduction, Merrill Bart, Roseburg A.S.B. president; Robert Norton, Roseburg senior class president; vocal solo, Mrs. Hossinger, accompanied by Betty Owen.
- 10:20 Remarks: Dr. Poling; piano solo, Faith Young.
- 10:45 "Examination of Curricula," E. B. Lemon, chairman of committee on high school curricula; violin solo, P. H. Shanklin accompanied by Faith Young.
- 11:15 Luncheon and "Get-acquainted," special luncheon features: piano soloists, Anita Young, Betty Owen, Lucia Britton.
- 12:20 Special moving picture (representative, Mr. Louis Hill).
- 1:00 Assembly in auditorium; vocal solo, Maebv Wainrod; "Everybody Sing" Dr. Poling.
- 1:10 Group conference; Oregon State college, E. B. Lemon; University of Oregon, L. M. Dahlst; Oregon Normal school, Walter Redford; students not planning on attending college, Dr. Poling and Mr. Diefendorfer.
- 2:30 Piano solo, Stanley Gustin. Address, Dr. Poling.
- 3:00 Dismissal.

British Warplanes Hit Back at German Raiders

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throwing up a smoke screen against the defense craft.

In addition to the scouting flights over Bohemia and Austria, the air ministry said "security patrols were maintained over Heligoland light" and northwest Germany was surveyed.

The coastal command sighted three German destroyers Thursday, it announced, and dropped bombs close to the craft.

(The German high command announced two British planes were shot down, one on the western front yesterday and one when British craft attacked German destroyers.)

The air ministry, in reply to the German claims, announced: "A royal air force aircraft was attacked yesterday by four Messerschmitt fighters at 20,000 feet over Germany near the frontier of Luxembourg."

"After a running fight the British aircraft returned safely to its base and the allegation made in the German high command communication that it was shot down in flames is untrue.

"The further allegation in the same communication that British air craft were brought down and damaged whilst attacking enemy destroyers in Heligoland light equally is untrue."

Trawlers Attacked.

The sinking of the Hull trawler Lucia with the loss of her crew of 12 was reported. The vessel struck a mine off the northeast coast.

The crew of the trawler Eric Stroud reported a Nazi raider dropped 25 bombs but failed to score a hit.

Two other trawlers escaped attacks when rackets fired by one frightened away a German bomber.

German fliers aimed bombs at an unidentified 10,000-ton steamer, two trawlers and a lightship in darkness last night, but all reported they were not hit. At one point along the east coast, the shore was crowded with onlookers watching the flashes of a trawler shooting at a German warplane.

Casualty Toll Reported.

The 17th air ministry casualty list, announced last night, added the names of 118 men killed in action, 19 missing and believed killed in action, eight killed and 23 missing on active service and eight who died on active service.

It raised the totals of royal air force casualties since the last report, January 1, to 112 killed and three missing in action, 225 killed and 98 missing on active service and 105 who have died on active service. Eight have been taken prisoner, and nine others who are missing are believed also to be captives.

PARIS, Jan. 13.—(AP)—French military sources today reported that a second lieutenant and three sergeants piloted four French pursuit planes which yesterday shot down three German Messerschmitts, although outnumbered three to one.

Informants said infantry patrols witnessed the engagement over German lines and told of the Nazi losses.

ANKARA, Jan. 13.—(AP)—Intelligence that Italy is taking the lead for a "united front" in south eastern Europe against possible aggression by soviet Russia were

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World Due for Series of Quakes

Edgar C. Thrupp, Vancouver, B. C., member of the Engineering Institute of Canada who predicted the terrific earth tremor which recently struck Turkey and several other minor earthquakes in 1939, claims that the world is due for a series of disastrous earthquakes in 1940. Thrupp, who says Newton's law of gravity is all wrong, predicts quakes soon will occur in Chile, California and Japan. Between July 20 and Aug. 5 there will be another series, comparable with the disasters in Asia Minor in 1822 when 20,000 persons were killed, he says. He's shown examining a roll of intricate astronomical charts he uses in his predictions.



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Two U. S. Navy Airplanes Collide; One Flier Killed

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brought them too close together. The upper plane sheered off a wing of the lower, and both spun crazily.

"We were flying at about 10,000 when we collided," said Jackson, who was flying with Funk and Crowson.

"I saw Ensign Funk bail out in a parachute and then I bailed out. The last I saw of Funk, he was floating away. One plane crashed on a hillside in flames."

It was Jackson who said he saw Crowson go down with his ship. "He seemed to be unable to jump and he must have been killed," Jackson said.

Haidoman Post was reported to have an injured foot. He was picked up and taken to Drawley.

FOUR PERSONS DIE WHEN PLANE CRASHES IN FIELD

CASEY, Ill., Jan. 13.—(AP)—Four persons were killed when their small plane ploughed into a muddy cornfield and burst into flames last night. The mangled bodies, found a hundred yards from the wreckage, indicated the victims met almost instant death. E. A. Lashmet, deputy Cumberland county coroner, identified three of the victims as members of a Detroit, Mich., family. They were Mrs. Mary Borowicz, 37, her son Leonard, 19, and her daughter, Joanne, 17. The fourth victim was William H. Maycock, 44, pilot and head of the Maycock Charter service of Detroit. Airport officials at Detroit said a new plane piloted by Maycock and with the Borowicz family as passengers took off at 9:30 last night.

Outlays for U. S. Defense Call for Tax Increases

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printing the \$1,800,000,000 which the president has recommended for defense in the next fiscal year, beginning July 1, has been expressed in both houses.

Chairman Walsh (R., Mass.) of the senate naval affairs committee has contended that the navy was asking authorization for the future program without having started building a single combat vessel under the \$1,000,000,000 fleet expansion approved by congress in 1938.

Tax Order Hits Officials.

The treasury disclosed yesterday that agents have been instructed to collect income taxes for the past three years from employees of state unemployment compensation offices who are paid with federal funds.

These employees, formerly considered employees of the states who nominally hired them, were classified as technically federal employees and thus subject to federal income taxes as long as they have received federal money. This view stems from one to five years in different states, but the statute of limitations bars back taxes for more than three years—1937-39 inclusive.

Although the social security board estimates that 34,000 persons are in the affected group, treasury officials said not more than 100 probably would have to pay nothing. Normal credits and deductions would let out most of them, because their average salary is only \$1,462, and the highest is \$7,500 a year.

Soviet Airplanes Stage Attack on Finnish Cities

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U. S. Army Troops Use Skis in Drill

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—(AP)—In northern New York, Minnesota, Alaska and other snow-covered American areas regular army troops are being drilled this winter to travel—and if need be, to fight—on skis and snowshoes, like the Finns.

War department officials said today, however, the training was in progress long before the Finns demonstrated spectacularly the possibilities of war in the snow by turning back the invading Russians.

Some 1,300 pairs of skis were supplied troops at Fort Snelling, Minn., by the war department a year ago, when the intention was to equip one battalion with skis and snowshoes.

Surplus stocks of troops in Alaska supplies 700 pairs of skis and the remainder were purchased. Equipment also has been supplied a limited number of troops at Fort Brady and Wayne, in Michigan.

Elsewhere, at the posts in northern New York, for instance, the training has been initiated and carried on by local commanders, and has been in the past more a matter of sport than military tactics.

In Alaska skis and snowshoes are essential in winter and have been used by troops since the gold rush days.

Courts Held Lax In Game Law Cases

PORTLAND, Jan. 13.—(AP)—James Gerow, biological survey enforcement officer, censured the absence of cooperation in the Oregon courts today in prosecuting game violations.

"We haven't got court cooperation worth a darn," he said in an Isaac Walton league address. "A game law violator almost has to be a murderer as well before we can convict him here."

He criticized "inequitable justice" in some justice courts. Some courts impose practically no penalty for others remit fines, he charged.

"You do not need any research program to find out what is happening to the Oregon blacktail deer," the federal officer stated. "The reason they are decreasing is because of the flashlight and gun."

He asserted he heard 12 shots one night in the Florence area but nothing was done about it.

Market hunters who use "slaughterhouse methods" have been found in the Sacramento valley, he added. "These market hunters kill more ducks in one week in the Sacramento valley than all the sportsmen in Oregon in the whole season."

New Fish Ponds to Be Built on Calapooia Creek

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on a suggested plan that during the coming fall, after the salmon held in the racks have been spawned, that the present racks be completely removed and the high water of next winter and spring be permitted to clean out the deposits in the spawning beds. The plan would provide that new permanent racks be built in the spring of 1941 to include a bypass for steelheads thereby eliminating the annually recurring charge that the racks are delaying the progress of steelheads.

The fish commission is reported to be giving considerable study to the matter of the racks at the Rock creek hatchery in addition to the improvement to be made on the Calapooia. Last year, in cooperation with the game commission, effective improvements were made at the fishway at the Winchester dam where it is believed there will no longer be any barrier to the upstream progress of fish during high water periods.

A request is being made to the fish commission by the Roseburg Rod and Gun club that it provide two million silverside salmon for release in the upper waters of the north and south forks of the Umpqua river. The request is based upon the success of plantings four years ago which resulted in salmon returning to those streams last year for the first time in more than a decade.

One in Ten Pay HOLC in Full on Mortgage

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—(AP)—The home owners loan corporation reported today that one in ten borrowers in the Pacific coast region had paid off his mortgage in full.

The HOLC reported that on Nov. 30 in the country as a whole 63,577 borrowers had paid back \$159,688,000 to cancel their debts in full, and that total repayments of principal on all mortgages had reached approximately \$700,000,000.

Judge Bowker Plans Trip to Aid in Land Tax Plan

County Judge Morris Bowker will spend next week in eastern Oregon counties where he will work as a committee member for the association of Oregon counties in connection with the program being advanced for payment to counties in lieu of taxes on Oregon lands. He will meet with county groups at The Dalles, Bend and Baker. Judge Bowker spent today Eugene attending a meeting relative to O. and C. grant lands.

Azalea

AZALEA, Jan. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. John Jantzer shopped in Grants Pass Saturday afternoon and evening.

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Greatest thrill in the life of Lillian Hillman, blind since birth, came when she achieved her lifelong ambition to be an actress. She is pictured here coached by Sidney Kingsley, author of "The World We Make," current Broadway drama. He heard her do a scene on a radio program, and wrote special part for her into the play.

Herbert Parker left last week for Port Orford. The latter two went to seek employment, the former has accepted employment at his son-in-law's camp ground.

Donna Olsen arrived home Saturday night from Portland where she had been visiting friends for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Rose and daughters, Barbara and Donna Fae, motored to Corvallis Saturday to spend the week-end with Mrs. Rose's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fae.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lehman and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Cotton of Junction City were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. Lehman's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Jantzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Curtis shopped in Grants Pass Monday afternoon.

George Jantzer and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jantzer were over night guests here Monday with relatives, en route to their home in Prospect after spending a couple of days in Portland on business. While there George Jantzer purchased a new Federal truck. They are former residents.

Sutherland

SUTHERLIN, Jan. 13.—Dick Pleur returned Thursday from a business trip to Marshfield and Florence.

Mrs. Claude Allen of Cottage Grove visited her daughter, Mrs. Johnny Poluchak, here last Friday and Saturday.

A good crowd attended a moving picture, Mickey Rooney in "The Hoosier School Boy," presented by the high school student body at the Community hall Monday night, January 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Petrie of Iowa, who have been spending several weeks visiting here with relatives, left Tuesday morning for their home by way of the southern route through Texas.

Jim Hunter of Wilbur was a business visitor in town Monday.

Joe Gleason of Cottage Grove visited over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Gleason, at their home west of town.

Mrs. Irene Emery left Saturday for Honolulu where she is employed. Mrs. Emery has been spending the holidays with her daughters and mother and brother at their home east of town.

Mrs. Grace Costolo, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Burton Avery, for a few weeks, left Sunday for Wallowa, Oregon, where she will visit for two weeks with her mother.

Lois Updike, who is employed in Roseburg, spent Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Updike.

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Padelford. Mr. Padelford recently underwent a tonsillectomy but is recovering slowly.

Mrs. Arthur Austin of Roseburg visited in Sutherland Monday.

Mrs. Jack Culver, Jr., shopped and attended to business in Roseburg Tuesday.

Mrs. Savilla Damber and Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Petrie were dinner guests at the Orville French home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Jeanette Pearce left Tuesday for her home in Coquille. Mrs. Pearce has been visiting here for some time with her daughter, Mrs. Frank O. Young, and family.

The small child of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Quimby has been quite ill with the flu.

Mrs. A. B. Chester was taken to Mercy hospital in Roseburg Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wagner returned to their home east of town Sunday for a trip to California.

At the last meeting of the Rebekah lodge a communication and Christmas present was received from the Roseburg P. N. G. club which was very much appreciated. The members also decided to visit the Oakland chapter at their next meeting.

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