

News of Douglas County

Riddle

RIDDLE, June 20.—Mr. and Mrs. U. T. Mellor visited last week-end at Medford with their daughter, Miss Betty Mellor, and with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Mellor.

Mrs. George Wilhelm who has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Logsdon the past month left Thursday to return to her home at San Diego, Cal.

Carver Howland, of Big Creek, Calif., is visiting here with his mother, Mrs. G. H. Howland, who has been ill.

Mrs. Natalie Baum of Roseburg was attending to business matters here Monday.

Miss Joyce Kummer is spending a few weeks visiting friends at Falls City, where she formerly resided.

Miss Thelma Smith, an instructor in the Eugene schools, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Smith at Glenbrook Ranch left Wednesday for Los Angeles where she will visit her brother Dale Smith and family.

Mrs. R. L. Bridges and son, Bruce, Mrs. Elmer Love and Mrs. J. H. Fogus were among Riddle people shopping and attending to business matters in Roseburg Wednesday.

Mrs. O. V. Logsdon returned to her home here Friday after visiting two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. A. P. Johnson at Vancouver, Wash. She was accompanied home by her grandson, Jimmie Lee Johnson, who will spend part of the summer here.

W. S. Phillips is visiting and attending to business matters in Portland this week.

Mrs. John Moore, of Bernie, Calif., a former resident of Riddle, visited friends here Saturday. She was accompanied here by her daughter, Miss Dorothy Moore, who went on to Portland to resume her course in nurse's training.

Mrs. Lee Kellar received word last Saturday of the death of her mother, Mrs. Bolander, of Wray, Colorado.

Staff Sergeant Richard Riddle of the U. S. army visited relatives here Thursday and also his sister, Mrs. Owen Ledgerwood, at Myrtle Creek. Richard is stationed in Mississippi but came west to study new models in airplane factories in California for a few weeks.

Mrs. Roy Campbell and children, Donald and Myrna of Bremerton, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hunnicut of Portland, and Mrs. Clara Morrison of Roseburg, were guests at the H. A. Sierlert home last Sunday. Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Hunnicut are nieces of Mrs. Sierlert and daughters of Mrs. Morrison.

Miss Katherine Diddel left Sunday for Corvallis, where she will attend summer school for three weeks.

Mrs. A. O. Speer, who has been visiting her son, Raymond Speer, at Tacoma, Wash. returned to her home here Thursday.

Mrs. Margaret Kimmel is reported ill at her home here.

The Community Club, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor last Sunday, enjoyed a lovely picnic dinner, then spent the afternoon in visiting.

The annual school meeting of District 70 passed off quietly Monday with few voters present. Darrel Carter was elected to serve as director for three years and Ken Hendricks was elected to serve as director for one year. Helena Riddle was re-elected clerk. The budget, with one small amendment, was accepted as read.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wilson received letter this week from their son, Billy, who is with the U. S. army in Australia. He was well and stated he was getting plenty of Australian mutton to eat. Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Nichols also received word from their son, Jimmie, who is in the air corps that he had been transferred from San Diego to Alaska and was promoted to petty officer.

Relatives here of local boys who were captured on Wake Island by the Japanese were made happy this week by information that they were interned at Shanghai and were alive and well. Mrs. Grace Becker received word of her son Zane, Fred McCullah of his son, Wesley, and Mrs. Asa Lawson of her son-in-law, Fred Ramsey. Mrs. H. A. Sierlert also received word that her nephew Buster Sporer was with the internees at Shanghai.

The funeral services of Cleo Bates who died at Salem, Sunday were held here Tuesday afternoon at the Community church, with Rev. Wayne Osborne in charge of the services. Cleo graduated from the Riddle high school with the class of 1940 and his fellow

high school students were pall bearers. Out of town relatives who attended the services were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bates, of Gold Hill, and their children, Robert, Walter and Evelyn; Mr. and Mrs. Loy Yokum of Wolf Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bates and daughter of Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Mont. Bates and Mrs. Emory Bates of Glendale, Ore.

Mrs. Ida Burgoyne entertained the Eastern Star club at her home Wednesday afternoon. A very enjoyable time was reported by those who attended. Refreshments were served and the afternoon spent in serving and visiting.

Mrs. C. E. Logsdon, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. George Wilhelm of San Diego, was hostess for the P. N. G. club of the local Rebekah lodge Tuesday afternoon. Anna Mills president of the club conducted the business meeting. Dainty tray refreshments were served to the twelve members and guests present.

Yoncalla

YONCALLA, June 22.—Mrs. L. H. Daugherty has returned from Portland where she was a delegate to the Methodist conference.

Mrs. George Wood spent the week end in North Bend where she visited friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Patrick and son of Corvallis spent the week end visiting at the A. H. Patrick home.

Ray Atkinson, who underwent a mastoid operation in Eugene last week, returned to his home here Thursday.

Miss Nancy Madden left Tuesday for Eugene where she will take training preparatory to entering defense work.

Ray McAllister spent Wednesday in Eugene.

Mrs. George Roberts and son, Freddie, visited at the Fred Sef-ton home Tuesday. Wednesday they left for a week's visit with relatives in Portland before returning to their home on Culp Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Phillips and daughter visited at the Harold Phillips home in Hayhurst this week en route to Vancouver where Mr. Phillips is employed in the ship yards as an electric welder.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Dupper of North Bend are being congratulated on the arrival of an 8 lb. son, born June 16th. Mrs. Dupper will be remembered as Miss Euna Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Phillips. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips made a trip to North Bend Wednesday to see their new grandson.

Harold Phillips, who had his foot badly smashed while working for the Chapman Lumber Co., two months ago, is still under the doctor's care and made a trip to Eugene Friday for medical treatment.

Mrs. John Kruse, Mrs. Fred Kruse and Mrs. George Edes spent Tuesday in Curtal on the sugar rationing board.

Mrs. Paul Uphaw and son, Mike, of Portland visited friends and relatives here last week.

Norman Main left last week for Seattle, Wash., where he will seek employment.

Misses Lee Madden and Erlene Howard left Monday for Eugene where they have secured work for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole and baby of Spokane, Wash., are visiting at the A. H. Patrick home.

Mrs. P. E. Switzer, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Connolly for the last two weeks, resumed her journey to Glendale, Calif., to visit a sister, Mrs. H. Gaster, after which she will return to her home in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor left last week for New Mexico, where Mrs. Taylor will make her home with her parents, while Mr. Taylor is in the army. About 25 friends, employees from the Win-stanley saw mill gave Mr. and Mrs. Taylor a farewell party at their home Saturday night.

A potluck dinner was enjoyed at the Nathan Crowe home Sunday following the regular church services.

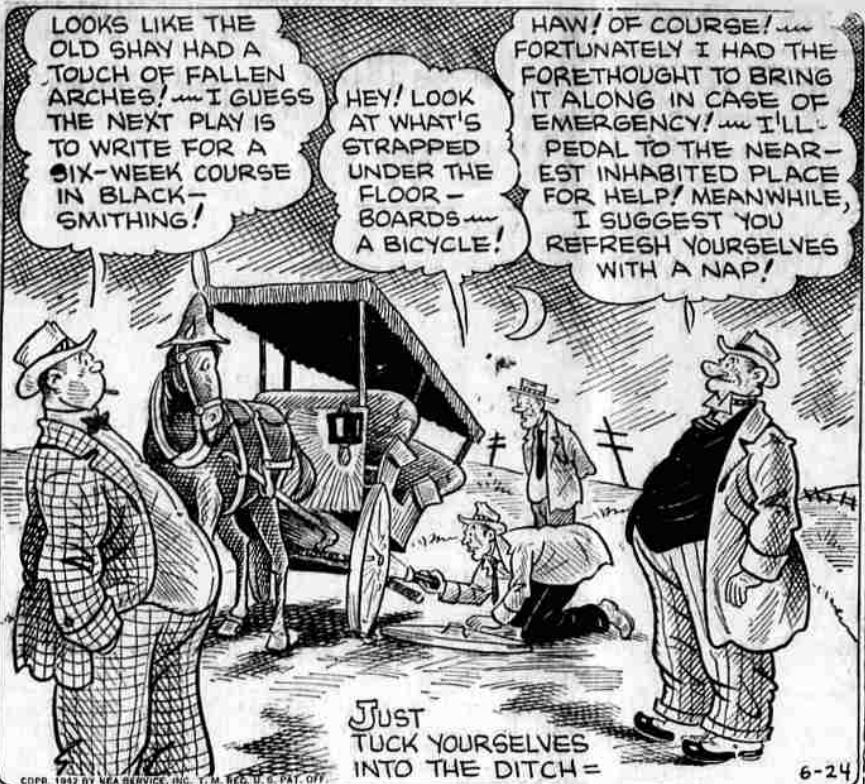
Myrtle Creek

MYRTLE CREEK, June 20.—School election was a very tame affair here last Monday as only ten voters turned out. John Wilson was re-elected director to serve for a term of three years and Paul Froehlich, clerk for a one-year term.

On Boomer hill two school directors were elected, Jason Tillotson, director and Doc Hall clerk. At Cedar Grove, after an interrupted service of 20 years as clerk, Perry Edwards declined the honor to succeed himself again and Mrs. Ralph Young was chosen. Mrs. Minnie Trankle was elected director for the three-year term.

The Myrtle Creek Mail, which is very conservative about saw-mill stories, has an interesting item this week. We quote: "F. S. McClellan and A. E. Watson of Myrtle Point have purchased the mill known as the Myrtle Creek Lumber Co. mill, and will put the plant in operation in a few days. Mr. McClellan and Mr. Watson

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are operating a mill at Myrtle Point and as soon as they complete their operations in that area, will devote their entire time to the mill in Myrtle Creek. At the present time Mr. McClellan will operate the local mill, while Mr. Watson handles the plant at Myrtle Point."

Mrs. R. R. Ady is home from Mercy hospital. Her father, R. D. Way, and her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Way, and baby daughter, Jean, visited her and other relatives over Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Vic Wynter and children, Bruce and April, expect to move to Portland shortly, where Mr. Wynter is employed with a state surveying road crew.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Brewer are both on the sick list at their home two miles east of town on the N. Myrtle road. Mr. Brewer had a bad fall and dislocated an ankle. She is unable to walk. Mrs. Arrena Newton went to Roseburg Friday and got some crutches for her and is taking care of the patients until Mrs. Clara Strong can come from Roseburg to help care for the invalids. Mrs. Newton and Mrs. Strong are sisters of Mr. Brewer.

A "near wreck" took place on the north Myrtle road a day or two ago that held possibilities of a good many casualties, when Bruce Briggs 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Russ Briggs, driving his car went to round the sharp curve in the road past the old orchard on the Hammett farm, met Mr. and Mrs. Jonesey Jones coming to town. Intent on avoiding the middle of the middle of the road, the Jones' took the ditch and Master Bruce skidded over the creek bank. Neither of the cars was damaged but as the Jones' had two sticks of dynamite on the seat with them the story might have had a different ending.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Rice went to Roseburg Friday to attend the Republican central committee meeting Friday evening and will stay over the week-end.

Glendale

GLENDAL, June 19.—Margaret Howard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Howard, returned Thursday from Oakland and Vallejo, Calif., where she has been visiting relatives and friends for several weeks.

Mrs. Esther Miller and daughter, Betty Lou, left Sunday for Eugene where they will stay for the summer.

Sam Witzel spent the week-end here from Medford where he is employed.

Mrs. Henry Howard and Mrs. John Bartle were business visitors in Myrtle Creek Tuesday.

Mrs. J. H. Tooley left Tuesday for Roseburg where she will receive medical attention.

Don Forbes of the U. S. Army has been visiting his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Forbes. Another brother, Lloyd Forbes, arrived Monday night for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Forbes. He is from Kansas City, Missouri.

Miss Mary Louise Rollins of Roseburg spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Abrahams.

Mrs. J. H. Stewart and Mrs. Virginia Wallace left Tuesday evening for Portland on business.

Bill Monchett returned Friday night from Portland where he visited with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blanchard.

Mrs. Marshall Davidson returned Saturday from Salem where she has been on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Monte Bates and son, Tommy, and daughter, Helen, and Mrs. Emory Bates, attended the funeral of Mr. Bates' nephew, Cleo Bates, at Riddle Tuesday.

Mrs. Roy Robinson and daughter, Marilyn, spent Friday until Sunday with friends on the coast.

Mrs. Paul Bartle and son, Jerry, left Wednesday morning

for Medford where she will visit for a week.

Howard Lewis spent Tuesday, home with his parents. He returned Wednesday to Hinkle Creek where he is employed with the forest service.

Mrs. Charles Boice and Mrs. H. M. Nixon were business visitors in Grants Pass Monday.

Mrs. Howard Burke and son, Edward, accompanied Mrs. Frank Thompson and daughter and son, Sally Jo, and Bill, to Grants Pass Friday where they attended to business.

Mrs. Tage Oleson, and children from Grants Pass visited here a week with her sister, Mrs. J. A. Wright.

Ward Ingham and Les Normoyle left Monday for a fishing trip at Gordon's Camp on the North Umpqua.

Mrs. Walt Meissner, Mrs. Melvin Nye, Mrs. Y. Blood, and son, Tommy, and Mrs. Ted Marshall spent Tuesday in Roseburg. Mrs. Marshall's sister, Dorothy Phillips, who lives at Roseburg, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Bates accompanied Mrs. Monte Bates and daughter, Helen, to Grants Pass, Saturday.

Mrs. John Moore and daughter, Dorothy and Barbara, of Burney, California, left Wednesday after spending a visit with Mrs. Moore's brother, Ira Lewis. Dorothy Moore left soon after arriving to go on to Portland where she is training at Emanuel Hospital.

Pvt. Robert E. Lewis and Pvt. Earl Hopwood, who are stationed at Willows, California, arrived Tuesday for a short visit with Pvt. Lewis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wright received a telephone call Tuesday night from their son, James Wright in Honolulu. He is in the hospital there.

Mrs. Alice Moore, who has been visiting her sister at Oreville, California, returned Wednesday. She has also been visiting at Burney, Calif.

E. J. McMullen spent the week-end at Jacksonville and Medford. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Murray and daughter, Dorothy Gail, of Bakersfield, California, are here visiting with their relatives Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Harbour and family.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Fawcett were Medford visitors Saturday, where Mrs. Fawcett visited her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Will Dyer and sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wimer. Dr. Fawcett also attended the meeting of the Southern Oregon Medical Association, at Chalker's Inn near Gold Hill.

Mrs. Les Normoyle was a visitor in Medford Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McMullen were Grants Pass visitors Saturday where Mrs. McMullen received medical attention for an injured ankle.

Mrs. W. T. Harbour, daughters, Esther and Doll, and Mrs. J. L. Murray and daughter, Dorothy Gail, were Grants Pass visitors Monday.

Mrs. Francis Nilson and son, Jon, arrived here Sunday for a short visit with relatives and friends. Mrs. Jess Bowman, who was in Eugene on business, came home with them and accompanied them back to Eugene Wednesday.

Henry and Leslie Pete of Portland and Mrs. Ilma O'Grady of Oakland, California, are here visiting their mother, Mrs. Susan Pete.

The Fire Dept. of Glendale, burned a slashing on the hill below the reservoir Sunday. The sides of the road to the reservoir, have been cleared and the grass along the other streets has been cut and also the high grass in vacant lots. Several men who are not on the Fire Dept. helped with the work.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sloane of Glendale, at their home in Glendale, Monday, June 8, a

with MAJOR HOOPLE

LOOKS LIKE THE OLD SHAY HAD A TOUCH OF FALLEN ARCHES! I GUESS THE NEXT PLAY IS TO WRITE FOR A SIX-WEEK COURSE IN BLACK-SMITHING!

HEY! LOOK AT WHAT'S STRAPPED UNDER THE FLOOR-BOARDS—A BICYCLE!

HAW! OF COURSE! I HAD THE FORTHOUGHT TO BRING IT ALONG IN CASE OF EMERGENCY! I'LL PEDAL TO THE NEAREST INHABITED PLACE FOR HELP! MEANWHILE, I SUGGEST YOU REFRESH YOURSELVES WITH A NAP!

son, Ralph George Jr. weighing eight pounds, eight ounces.

High school letters have been received by B. C. Huntington, principal, and are being distributed to their owners. The letters were given for softball, volleyball, basketball, football, glee club and band. 18 boys and 23 girls from the Freshman to the Seniors, received awards. Out of the seventh and eighth grades 21 received awards. These were for band, glee club, and Red Peppers.

Sutherlin

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Walters of Marced, California are visiting their sons, Glen and Frank Walters, in the Hawthorne district east of Sutherlin.

Among Sutherlin people shopping in Roseburg Friday were Mrs. Alice McCormack, Mrs. H. C. Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Newman, the Misses Patty Jordan, Betty Jean Davis and John Musgrove Jr.

Mrs. Al Cooper returned Thursday night from Halsey where she had been visiting her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Terman of the upper Calapooia district attended to business in Sutherlin Friday.

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AZELEA, June 22.—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neuman transacted business in Roseburg Friday.

Mrs. Harry Hill left the first of the week for Seattle, Wash., where she will spend several weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Hazel Davis shopped in Roseburg Saturday.

Mrs. F. N. Harrel spent several days last week at Cottage Grove on business.

Among those shopping in Roseburg Wednesday from this vicinity were T. C. Johns, L. S. Johns, Mrs. Chester Smith and Miss Mildred Ames.

Frank Tripp, E. O. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gaedecke and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hill spent the week-end fishing on Rogue river and Whiskey creek.

Mrs. Forrest Farnam entertained Sunday with a lovely birthday dinner honoring her granddaughter, Beverly Johns of Salem, and Sharon Caylor. Covers were placed for the honor guests, Mrs. Vernon Caylor, and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Farnam. The girls received many lovely gifts.

Mrs. Ora Condray and daughter, Colleen, shopped in Roseburg Thursday.

At the regular grange meeting Monday night twenty-nine members were present. After the business session games were enjoyed, after which refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tanner and Mrs. Frank Hill. Their will be a community picnic at the grange grove July Fourth.

Senate Approves Bill to Merge Telegraph Firms

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