

Local News

Here Today — Mrs. William Bonebrake of Melrose spent today in this city shopping.

Here on Business — Henry Weber of Myrtle Creek was here today attending to business.

Here Visiting — Kathleen Anderson of Corvallis has spent the past few days in this city visiting with June McMillan at her home on Military street.

Arrives Here — Lynn Cloud, formerly of Roseburg, who has been employed in construction work in the South Pacific Islands, has arrived here to spend several days.

Back from California — Mrs. Ralph Moore of Rt. 2, Roseburg, has returned from Bakersfield, California, where she has been visiting for the past two weeks with her sister, Mrs. James Olives.

Fred Miller Here — Fred Miller, partner of Glenn Callen in the Callen-Miller barber shop, which was destroyed in last week's fire, arrived here yesterday evening from Vancouver, where he has been employed for several months in the Kaiser shipyard as a welder. Final settlement was made on the shop insurance. Miller stated and arrangements have been made by Callen to reopen in the Deer Creek barber shop, formerly operated by George Reed and located immediately north of the Deer Creek bridge.

Circus Animals One Happy Family



Born enemies because of their jungle heritage, animals from almost every continent have become one happy family in the transient zoo of Russell Bros. circus.

Are circus animals happy? An odd question, but it is often asked. An emphatic "yes" is the reply of animal keepers with Russell Bros. Great 3-Ring circus coming to Roseburg one night only, Friday July 9; no matinee. Circus grounds adjoining the highway immediately north of the city.

Animals which perform in the circus have been chosen carefully because of their intelligence and adaptability to circus life. They become as enthusiastic troupers as human performers, and love the excitement of crowds, band music, and applause as Buddy, the "talking" sea lion, and Bagdad, the high school camel.

Wild animals exhibited in the menagerie represents a lesson in world geography as well as zoology, yet they seem to live more agreeably together than do the human representatives of their native lands. Animals from almost every continent belong to this transient zoo, and each is a splendid specimen receiving the utmost care.

Circus patrons are privileged to view the zoological displays in the menagerie and see the main circus performance for the same price of admission. Doors open at 7 p. m. to permit a leisurely inspection of the menagerie before the start of the big show at 8.

Washington News From an Inside View

Argument, Sentiment, Comment

By HARRIS ELLSWORTH
Congressman, Fourth Oregon District

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 26.—Congress, particularly the house of representatives, has suddenly become aroused to the facts of life—as life runs on in this country during this war. The facts: The fighting end of the war is progressing in good shape. Our forces throughout the world are making an excellent showing. Production for war has reached, and even exceeded, quotas and expectations. But—the home civilian front is in a state of confusion, over-regulation, mismanagement and turmoil that will require straight thinking and strong acting on the part of congress to settle. That, I think, is a quick statement as to what has happened to the congressional state of mind during the last ten days—and why the sudden dynamic—even belligerent—attitude of congress.

The house has: Cracked down on OPA money; refused money for further subsidies; cracked down on the domestic branch of OWI; passed the anti-strike bill over the veto of the president. There have been other similar actions, but these are the headlines. All this within the last ten days.

This weekly letter has often mentioned the food problem. This is partly due to the fact that I am active on a food study committee, but is mostly due to the fact that the handling of our food supply is the number one issue of the day. There is ample production of most needed foods, but distribution and processing methods and machinery are shut down, bogged down and tied up to such an extent that actual hunger in a land of plenty is a possibility.

Here are some paragraphs taken from a report by the committee on agriculture in recommending the passage of the bill which, if passed, would place the control of food under one single head in the Department of Agriculture:

"A food crisis in a land of plenty is a disturbing condition which faces the American people for the next 12 months. With the largest supplies ever known of livestock, hogs, and poultry on the farms of the country, it is quite apparent to your committee that we are on the verge of a complete breakdown in the distribution of meat, poultry, and dairy products for military, government and civilian requirements.

"In 1942 we produced the greatest supply of crops in all history, including record crops of both corn and wheat, together with large carry-overs of each. Notwithstanding this fact, we find that many plants processing corn for the production of vital supplies have been forced to close their doors because no corn is available.

"Notwithstanding the fact that our feed grains have been supplemented by vast quantities of wheat, we have a desperate feed shortage prevailing in all parts of the country outside of the commercial corn area. Dairy, livestock and poultry farmers have literally reached the point where many have gone out of business and others do not know how long they will be able to continue their operations.

"It appears that the production and distribution of fresh and canned vegetables and fruits will be so short as to leave consumers with limited or no supplies whatsoever. Legitimate processors and distributors of food products are closing their doors because of inability to secure supplies, and a large percentage of food is finding its way into the "black market". While consumers are short, large quantities of vegetables are rotting in the field because of the shortage of labor and lack of proper transportation, handling and distribution.

"We are convinced that the chief reason for this food crisis is the confusion and chaos resulting from the fact that a multiplicity of agencies are attempting to deal with food production and distribution. Lack of coordination, delay in formulating policies, and failure to consult men experienced in food problems appear to your committee to be important factors in bringing about the disastrous situation now confronting the country and our war effort."

The bill to consolidate the control of food, although patterned after the bill by Tom Jenkins, a republican from Ohio, was introduced and is being sponsored by the democratic side of the aisle. Democrats in congress, in substantial number, are breaking

with the administration so far as domestic policies are concerned. There appears to be no partisanship in connection with war policies.

The dates of the proposed congressional recess are not fixed yet, but apparently all urgent business will be completed by the end of next week. My own plans are indefinite, but if and when a recess is declared, I expect to spend several weeks in the district.

Old-Age Pension Funds Safe, Gov. Snell Says

SALEM, Ore., June 28.—(AP)—Governor Snell today said there will be enough revenue to maintain Oregon's old-age pension program during the biennium which begins next Thursday. "If liquor revenues don't hold up, we can issue certificates of indebtedness. The old people will get their money, and a special session of the legislature won't be necessary," the governor said.

Around the County

Wilbur

WILBUR, June 29.—Mrs. Alice Lee left for Nebraska Tuesday night after spending the past six months here with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Menzie Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wilder and family have moved back to their home in Winchester after spending the past six months in Roseburg.

Mrs. Irene McKike and daughters, Joyce and Bonnie, of Elkton were visiting relatives and friends in Wilbur over the weekend.

Mrs. Everett Phillips and daughter, Margaret Ellen, of Portland, spent Monday visiting at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. McKay.

Miss Lorna Chapman of Tacoma arrived here Sunday to visit relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Tiles of Portland are spending a few days here visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker.

Mrs. Frank Parker is in Portland visiting her daughter, Mrs. Alan Wickham, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lutheiser left for their home in Portland Wednesday after spending a week visiting relatives. They were accompanied home by Miss Beverly Brown and Miss Lorna Chapman of Tacoma.

Miss Martina Yraguesi and Mrs. Timmy's Echanis of Ontario, Oregon, and Mrs. Mary Arana of Sutherlin were guests Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Sabala.

George Beatty left Thursday for duty after a two-weeks furlough spent visiting his father, P. A. Beatty, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, who spent the past two weeks visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barneburg, left for their home in San Francisco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Hince, owners of the Elk Head movie, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grubbe.

Myrtle Creek

MYRTLE CREEK, June 29.—Community Gospel services are being carried on each night, except Thursday, at the Grange hall, under the auspices of the Misses M. Fisher of Idaho and A. Puckett of Oregon.

Mrs. Roscoe Chaney and children, Richard and Shirley, have returned from a visit with relatives in Berkeley, Calif.

Emmett Coors is here from Washington visiting with his sister, Mrs. Emma Wood.

Miss Ruby Coryell recently closed her school at Anchor. Following that she went to Lomita, Calif., and brought her mother, Mrs. Josephine Coryell home.

Fred C. Johnson is still suffering from rheumatic attacks.

Noah Sellers and J. W. Adamson are employed as night watch-

men at the new Climax sawmill. Mrs. Fred Potter of South Myrtle is visiting her sister, Miss Grace Stephens and Mrs. Anna Potter, in Myrtle Creek.

Recent realty transactions in the community are announced as follows: C. A. Roberts has purchased the South Myrtle ranch of Vance Buffington. The latter has moved to town. V. S. Miller has sold his South Myrtle ranch, which he purchased from Emory Marsters, and has bought the Lawrence place on North Myrtle in the Cedar Grove district.

Gale Moan is home from Salem where she attends the school for the blind, and will spend her vacation visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pico of Montesano, Wash., were here last week. Mr. Pico is the manager of logging operations for the Climax Lumber Co.

Mrs. Norma Short, Myrtle Creek's leader in the observation post service, is in Eugene attending the instruction school for post workers.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Jeffries of Onalaska, Wash., were here visiting at the E. C. Wood home from Monday to Thursday. Mrs. Jeffries was Miss Ruby Moreland before her marriage and was the only sister of Mrs. Wood. They came to attend the funeral of Mrs. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Wood, the former pastor of the Carleton Christian church, and Mrs. Del Wood and children, Joyce, David and Sylvia, all motored down from their homes at Carleton to attend the funeral of Mrs. E. C. Wood, Wednesday afternoon.

The service was read by Evangelist Willie White of Drain.

Mrs. Clara Baily, who has been very ill for some time, is much better and still improving.

Little Sue Adsit, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adsit, received very serious and painful face injuries, when she dashed out into the road in front of a bicycle one day last week. Several stitches were required to close a wound in her upper lip and one eye was badly bumped and bruised.

G. F. Patterson and Mrs. Patterson were business visitors in Myrtle Creek last week. Mr. Patterson was the last editor of the Myrtle Creek Mail. They returned to Vallejo Monday where they are engaged in war work.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Epping have purchased a new Pontiac car.

Camas Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Johnson and children of Roseburg were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Barnhart.

The Church of God members from Douglas county and some other points held an all-day meeting with a potluck dinner at the noon hour at the Camas Valley church Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kleeman and son Billy, of Silverton, were house guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Wilson at Johnson's mill from Thursday until Monday.

Jack Markham arrived at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Markham, Tuesday from Bremerton, Wash., on an eighteen day furlough. He has been transferred to a new ship which is not yet finished.

Mrs. Ethel Brown has received word from her son, Lt. Neal Brown, that he has been transferred from Needles, Calif., to Barta, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hiebert and family have moved from Twelve Mile to a small place they have purchased near Olalla. Mr. Hiebert drives back and forth to his work at the Owen's mill.

Mr. Henry of Eugene visited his small granddaughter, Rozelle Brown, at the home of Mrs. Ethel Brown Tuesday. From here he went to Los Angeles where he will visit his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Brown, and if he finds suitable employment, will stay there and work for a while.

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LAST TIMES TODAY

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QUITTING ODDS

A WOMAN REDUCING FOR HER HEALTH HAS EVERYTHING TO GAIN AND NOTHING TO LOSE! Says Mrs. ALICE NISBET, Kent's, Connecticut.

UNITED STATES HAS BEEN AT WAR ONE HUNDRED ELEVEN TIMES, COUNTING INDIAN WARS WITH VARIOUS TRIBAL NATIONS.

Reside in Healdsburg — Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. Walla Whitney and two sons are now residing in Healdsburg, Calif., where Mr. Whitney, former building superintendent for the Douglas Building and Loan association of this city, has accepted employment in the Safety stores.

Here Yesterday—Bill Gann of Umpqua was a business visitor here yesterday.

Leave Last Night—Mrs. Crystal Johnson, owner of the Hotel Valley, and daughter, Barbara, left last night for San Francisco on a vacation.

Returns from Los Angeles — Mrs. J. L. Yarnell, owner of the Style Shop, has returned from Los Angeles, where she attended market week.

Returns to Work — Mrs. La Vera Henningan Rutter has returned to work at Velma's Beauty salon after an absence of four months.

Reported Improving—Miss Delma Grobe, of the Style shop, who had a serious heart attack several days ago, is now reported to be improving at the Mercy hospital.

To Leave Tomorrow — Mrs. Morris Connelly and son, Gordon, are leaving for their home in Eugene tomorrow, following several days here visiting at the home of Mrs. Connelly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Kronke, on Winchester street.

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