

# Local News

**Reported Ill**—Homer Grow is reported to be ill at his home on Cobb street.

**Attends To Business**—W. C. Lunney of Sutherlin spent yesterday in this city on business.

**Will Teach Here**—Miss Beth Weaver, of Glendale, Calif., and Miss Brown, of Camas Valley, have accepted contracts to teach in the Roseburg junior high school and during the school year will make their home with

Mrs. B. L. Eddy on South Main street.

**Shops And Visits**—Mrs. T. Erlebach of Tiller spent a few hours here yesterday shopping and visiting.

**Working At Penney's**—Mrs. George Pankey has accepted employment at the local J. C. Penney company store.

**Leaves for College**—Carlton Wilder, who has been spending the summer here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wilder, has left for Walla Walla, Wash., to resume his studies at Whitman college.

**Meeting Called**—An open meeting has been called by the state grange officers to be held at the Riversdale grange hall Monday evening, September 20, at 8 o'clock for the purpose of discussing grange work. The

meeting is open to all persons interested in the grange. Ladies are asked to bring sandwiches and cookies. The grange will furnish coffee.

**Special Meeting Called**—A special meeting of Union Encampment No. 9, I. O. O. F., has been called for Thursday evening to follow the subordinate lodge session. The officers have requested all members to be present.

**Odd Fellows To Meet**—Joe E. Morgan, noble grand of Philaterran lodge No. 8, I. O. O. F., urges all members to attend the meeting to be held Thursday night at 8 o'clock at the hall for the purpose of work in the second and third degrees.

**Returns To Grants Pass**—Cyrus Bush returned to his home in Grants Pass yesterday, following a trip here with Mrs. Bush to attend to business and visit friends. Mrs. Bush is remaining here for a short time to look after property interests. The family formerly resided here.

**Leaves For Portland**—Mrs. Harry Oakley left today for her home in Portland, following two weeks in this city visiting at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oakley, and family, on Glenn street. She formerly made her home here.

**Meets Wife Here**—Mr. Stephens, of Grants Pass came to Roseburg today to get his wife, formerly Eileen Rummage of this city, who has been here visiting Mrs. Flossie Hampson, Mrs. Stephens and Mrs. Hampson spent a couple of weeks at Port Angeles, Wash., visiting and just returned here a few days ago.

**Spend Short Time In Eugene**—Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Iles and the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Story Iles, of this city took the Story Iles' small granddaughter, Loralee Iles, back to her home in Eugene last evening and spent a few hours visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs. F. Iles, Loralee has been spending the last few weeks visiting here.

**Eastern Star to Meet**—Roseburg chapter of Eastern Star will meet Thursday night at 8 o'clock at the Masonic temple with Gladys H. Strong, worthy matron, presiding. An old-fashioned party and games will be enjoyed during the social hour with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Grow acting as joint chairmen. Refreshments will be in charge of Mrs. Roy Catching and Mrs. S. J. Shoemaker. Members, visiting members and their husbands are invited to attend.

**Dr. Dunn To Take Vacation**—Dr. R. L. Dunn, Roseburg Chiropractor, expects to leave this evening for Los Angeles to spend a couple of weeks visiting his daughter, Miss Derfla Dunn, and

## King of the Cowboys



Roy Rogers in "King of the Cowboys" starting tonight at the Rose Theatre for a four day run.

his son, David Dunn, both of whom are employed in an airplane factory in southern California. Miss Derfla expects to take her vacation during the coming week to accompany her father on a trip to San Diego to visit relatives and friends. During Dr. Dunn's absence, his office in the Douglas hotel building will be in charge of his office attendant, Mrs. H. D. Palmer.

## Grange Meetings Set to Meet New Rural Residents

Under the sponsorship of the subordinate granges of the county, "get acquainted" meetings will be held at the Riversdale and Myrtle Creek grange halls next week. All farm residents of these areas have been invited. The Riversdale meeting will be held Monday, September 20, and the Myrtle Creek meeting the following evening. Purpose of the meetings, both of which are scheduled at 8 p. m., is to acquaint new farm residents with the grange membership and work of the organization.

Although much of the program will be given over to entertainment features under the direction of Mrs. Edyth Bohnest, state grange youth superintendent, brief talks will be made by Bertha J. Beck, state grange secretary, and local grange leaders. Pomona and subordinate grange lecturers are cooperating with Mrs. Bohnest in the preparation of the program details. Refreshments will be served by the local granges.

## VITAL STATISTICS

**BORN**  
FERGUSON—To Br. and Mrs. Bruce Ferguson, of Tiller, at Mercy hospital, Tuesday, September 14, a daughter, Kay Marie; weight eight pounds two ounces.

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## Gas Allocation Method Faulty, Official Charges

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15—(AP)—An official of the OPA contended yesterday that the gasoline allocation policy of the petroleum administration for war was primarily responsible for recurring shortages of gas for farm uses.

Charles F. Phillips, OPA director of automotive supply rationing, told a senate agriculture subcommittee that PAV, headed by Secretary Ickes, sets gasoline quotas on a broad regional basis without consideration of local area needs of such groups as farmers and war plant workers. He termed it an "historical quota" system in which allocations are fixed at a percentage of 1941 consumption in various sections of the country.

"The result is that some localities within a region are likely to have an oversupply of gasoline while other areas, where OPA rationing boards have determined there is a large local need, have serious shortages," Phillips said. "There is at this time no relationship between the PAV quota system and our OPA issuance of gasoline coupons."

Phillips said he thought the farm gas problem could be solved by two steps, first, making the PAV quotas and OPA coupon volume coincide, and second, allocation of gasoline by the PAV on the basis of coupons issued rather than on the "historical quota" basis.

Senator Aiken (R-Vt.), acting chairman of the subcommittee, said representatives of the PAV would be called to testify later.

## Seymour Quant, Former Douglas Resident, Dies

Seymour Clark Quant, 68, resident of Newport, passed away there September 11 as the result of a heart attack. He was born at Clarksville, Michigan, and later moved with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Quant, to Douglas county. He attended the Wilbur schools and after several years of teaching, engaged in building and contracting.

June 25, 1903, he married Miss Jessie Taylor. He is survived by all of their children: Joe E., Laura Willotha, and Polly, of Newport; Wilford, now in the service in the South Seas; and Andrew and Shirley, Prineville. His mother, Mrs. Lucila Quant, and two sisters, Blanche McCulloch and Mrs. Harry E. Mahoney, the two latter of Oakland, also survive him.

## L. K. Nosler Opens Mill Equipment Store

Layton K. Nosler, for 13 years associated with the A. B. Daly firm at Marshfield, opened his own store, the Industrial Supply company, this week on South Stephens street, Roseburg. The store handles sawmill and logging supplies.

Mr. Nosler, his wife and three small sons, are residing in Roseburg.

**FREE LEMONADE**  
BLUEFIELD, Va.—(AP)—The Bluefield Chamber of Commerce makes a practice of serving free lemonade on downtown streets every day the mercury reaches 90 degrees in this mountain-top city. Only once, however, since the stunt was started in 1934 has the refresher been served. In August, 1941, when Bluefield thermometers soared to 91.

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