

# Society and Clubs

By JO CARPENTER

## COUPLE MARRIES IN ROSEBURG

Miss Emmagene Woods, daughter of Mrs. O. N. Wallace of 224 Bowen, Roseburg, and Private Victor F. Meiser, son of Mrs. Ed Dinsno, Bly, Oregon, were married Wednesday, August 23, by Dr. C. A. Edwards at his home in Roseburg.

The bride wore a lovely suit of apple green with brown accessories and a beautiful corsage of white stephanotis.

Only the immediate family was present.

Mrs. Wallace, mother of the bride, wore a charming black dress and matching coat.

Pvt. and Mrs. Meiser left Friday for Bly, Oregon, where they visited with Mr. Meiser's mother and then continued on to Alexandria, La., where Pvt. Meiser is stationed. He is in the army air force band there.

Mrs. Meiser attended the Roseburg senior high school.

## ROSEBURG COUPLE HONORED SATURDAY

GLIDE—Miss Rosemary Fishback and Walter Naff of Roseburg were guests of honor on Saturday evening when Glide grange sponsored a social evening and miscellaneous show for them.

A mock wedding with the bride and her attendant carrying bouquets of kitchen utensils caused much merriment. Those taking part in the mock wedding were: Billie Sue Rodgers, Norma Jean Shrum, Charles Boise, May Woods, August Spiedel, and Fred Chilson.

The honor guests were presented with many lovely gifts. A card instructed Mr. Naff to look in the kitchen, where he found a lady cleverly constructed of mop, broom, brushes, etc., and whose "insides" were made up of everything needed for cleaning.

Refreshments of pie and ice cream were served at a late hour. Those enjoying the evening were: Miss Rosemary Fishback, Walter Naff, Rev. and Mrs. Len Fishback, Winona Mae and Dick Fishback, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Green, all of Roseburg; Mr. and Mrs. George Casebeer, and son,

Richard; Miss Ada Wood, Mrs. Belle Dunlap, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Harris, Ralph and Novella Harris, George Reed, M. H. McCord, Mrs. Ed Hartz and children, Norman and Ronald Mr. and Mrs. Lester Blakeley, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gardner, James and Marvin Gardner, Rev. Ivan Correll Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Schosso, Gertrude Schosso, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Belcher, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Harris, Fred Chilson, Perry Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Woods, Herbert and Betty Woods, Mrs. Fearn Moore, Linda Moore, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Blakeley and daughter, Marilyn, Mr. and Mrs. August Spiedel, Robert Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Casebeer, Miss Stella Woods, Miss Betty Greenley, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Shrum, Norma Jean and Duane Shrum, Mrs. Melvin McCord, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Trued.

## REBEKAH LODGE NO. 41 HOLDS MEETING

The Roseburg Rebekah Lodge No. 41 held a regular meeting Tuesday evening, August 22, with Noble Grande Lois Uplike presiding.

Lester D. Spencer, as chairman of the entertainment committee, invited the members to be present at the Oddfellows party which will be held at the I. O. O. F. hall Thursday evening August 31, at 8 p. m.

It was announced that the district convention of district No. 11 would be held at Elkton, October 30, instead of the date formerly given.

Ina Farnsworth, Ruth Plumer, and Gertrude Halford were appointed as a committee to familiarize Assembly President Ethel Bailey with the movement to secure free fishing rights, without necessity of purchasing a license for servicemen home on furlough, so that she might present it to the Rebekah lodge in the state.

Following the meeting delightful refreshments were served by the refreshment committee in the banquet room.

The next regular meeting will be Tuesday evening, Sept. 12, at 8 o'clock at the I. O. O. F. hall.

## OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



**EARLY-DAY INDIANS**  
BELIEVED THE GOLD IN CALIFORNIA SOIL RESULTED FROM FALLING PETALS OF THE GOLDEN CALIFORNIA POPPY.



## WFA Egg Supply Won't be Dumped

War Food administration has repeated its earlier assertion that its egg holdings won't be dumped on the market, but will be held for sale at ceiling prices and will not reach the market in large volume at any one time. WFA holdings in storage on August 4 were 1.4 million cases of shell eggs and 37.5 million pounds of frozen eggs.

About 75 per cent of the 5 million cases of eggs bought by WFA to support egg prices between the first week of April and the middle of July, have been diverted into war consumption channels and about \$35,000,000 of the total price of \$50,000,000 has been liquidated to date. The WFA buying program is estimated to have saved producers from a potential loss of \$200,000,000 that would have taken place if the market price of eggs had dropped as much as 10 cents a dozen.

At the outside, the final loss incurred by WFA on the eggs purchased is not expected to exceed \$10,000,000 or about one dollar for every 20 saved for producers.

In an effort to bolster the current egg market, WFA has announced that during September it will buy up to 100 per cent of the capacity production of egg drying plants. Egg prices have weakened recently because of heavier-than-seasonal production and large withdrawals of eggs from storage. Total egg production for the first 7 months of 1944 was 6 per cent above last year and egg production for all 1944 is expected to be 3 per cent above 1943's all-time record.

**KWIZ KOINOR**  
WHO WAS VICE-PRESIDENT DURING FRANKLIN ROOSEVELT'S FIRST TERM?  
HUMAN...! ANCIENT HISTORY KWIZ.

**THE FIRST FLIGHT**  
OF MAN INTO SPACE WAS MADE 161 YEARS AGO, IN FRANCE!  
PILATRE DE ROZIER AND THE MARQUIS D'ARLANDES, IN 1783, ASCENDED IN A FREE BALLOON WHICH THEY KEPT ALOFT BY BURNING BUNDLES OF STRAW! BEFORE DESCENDING, THE CRAFT CARRIED ITS TWO FRIGHTENED PASSENGERS OVER THE CITY OF PARIS.

ANSWER: John Nance Garner of Texas.

## Revised Reconversion Bill, Aimed At Avoidance of Postwar Debt Hike, Assailed as Coalition Subterfuge

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29. (AP) Legislation for postwar demobilization and reconversion, emphasizing economy in federal expenditures, was taken to the house floor today and immediately confronted with a contention by Rep. Collier (D-N. Y.) that it was drawn by "the republican party and the democratic bourgeois."

Chairman Doughton (D-N. C.) of the ways and means committee presented the "states rights" legislation with an admonition that "diligent care" should be taken "in the launching of new and expensive program" without first providing taxes to cover the costs.

"With the public debt approaching \$200,000,000,000," Doughton said, "even a nation as wealthy as ours cannot continue a policy of deficit financing after the war."

But Collier, in a formal statement said that "under the banner of 'states rights,' congress is asked to abdicate its responsibility to the American people," adding: "The responsibility for this less than half-hearted attempt to create jobs for returning veterans and civilians suffering cutbacks and war contract terminations, this less than half-hearted approach to continuing the purchasing power of the nation by giving compensation allowances in the case of unemployment must be laid at the door of the republican party and the democratic bourgeois of the house."

The legislation, embodying the issue of how far the federal treasury should underwrite the security of the working man in the reconversion era, is a skeletonized version of the senate-approved demobilization bill which leaves an employment benefits up to the states.

Prior to opening of the house debate, a bipartisan group met with Rep. Foran (R-N. Y.), ways and means member and organized a campaign to amend the bill to provide more liberal unemployment benefits.

## High Grade Bauxite Ore Found in Oregon Area

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 29. (AP)—High grade bauxite ore deposits in northern Washington county of Oregon, about 30 miles

## DAILY DEVOTIONS

DR. CHARLES A. EDWARDS

Be strong is a very popular slogan for today. Be strong physically, financially, politically, socially, in military might, and in leadership. People like the idea. But the Christian man goes further. "Be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might." To have this strength one must first belong to the Lord's company, walking in faith and obedience to His way. To have this strength one must give careful attention to the spiritual food, remembering that "man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God." Again, he must watch for any weakening factors that might touch his life and guard against them. He must put on the whole armor of God, that he may be able to stand against the forces of evil, armed with the shield of faith, the helmet of Salvation, and the sword of the Spirit. We are able to overcome with Christ. St. Paul gives a vivid description of the Christian's armor, and clothed thus, the Christian goes forth day by day, to meet the forces of evil, and overcomes the enemy of our souls. "Be strong, say not the days are evil, who's to blame, and fold the hands and acquiesce, stand up and bravely in 'God's name be strong.' Amen.

## Milk Output Boost Patriotic as Well As Profitable

Two good reasons why Douglas county farmers should make a determined effort to keep their milk production just as high as possible are the increasing military requirements for milk products and the increase in dairy production payments which go in to effect the first of September, Leo Spawks, chairman of the county AAA committee, suggests.

The armed forces get more than just food value out of their huge milk products requirements, such as the morale "lift" for the men in the front lines at Bougainville of two servings of ice cream a week.

Production of evaporated milk and whole milk powder is lagging behind needs and butter procurement for the armed forces must continue through October instead of "signing off" in September due to the sharp drop in butter production so far this year. In the first seven months of this year total milk produced on farms was only one-tenth of one per cent below last year and 12 per cent above the 10-year average.

Dairy production payments will be increased 25 cents a hundredweight for milk and 4 cents pound for butterfat beginning September 1. This payment is made to help farmers hold up milk production at a season when feed and other costs of dairying increase. "There's both profit and patriotism involved in doing our part to keep milk production high enough to meet all war needs," Leo Spawks advises.

## Germans At Last Defense Line of Their Frontier

By DEWITT MacKENZIE (Associated Press War Analyst)

We are on the verge of the beaten Hitler's great retreat from western France to the defenses of his own frontier where he plans to fight just as long as he can find men who are willing to risk their lives for him.

Events have moved rapidly during the past few hours. Any chance the Germans may have had of holding the strategic line of the Marne river have been nullified by General Patton's drive to the world war battlefield of Chateau-Thierry, followed by the gallantry of our doughboys of a generation ago, and his daring thrust fourteen miles northward from Meux on that river.

This move by the adventurous two-gun commander not only has cut the river, but it has decided by increased the German danger of being flanked. Meantime westward towards the sea the Canadian-British forces have established another bridgehead across the Seine near the coast, thus increasing the very sure allied grip on that river.

The Seine and the Marne form a natural defensive barrier across northern France, and it had been the obvious intention of the Hitlerites to make a strong stand there, since this position protects their all-important channel defenses to the north, and their gateway through Belgium to the north. Now they will have to pull out quickly or suffer another disaster such as has been visited on them in the battle of Nonnand.

**Nazis Face Big Crisis**  
Actually it will be surprising if the Germans aren't already in the process of withdrawing. Their probable intention is to make their next big defense on the Somme river in the northern tip of France, and perhaps the Aisne, which forms a more or less continuous front with the Somme. The valleys of both these streams were the scene of bloody fighting in the last war.

Whether the Germans will be able to pull up their socks on the Somme is a matter of some question. They are under increasing pressure from the great and exceedingly mobile allied forces, which are bent on trapping the nazis against the coast of the English channel. Moreover, and this shouldn't be overlooked, the allied air forces are taking a ter-

rifle toll from all concentrations of enemy troops and from forces moving on the roads.

**Vital Ports at Stake**  
This aerial slaughter of men, destruction of equipment, and the consequent disorganization in Nazi ranks certainly will make it difficult for them to reform for a strong stand on the Somme. However, they must make the effort in order to protect their robot bomb launching grounds in the Pas de Calais area, and the ports of Calais and Boulogne only about 20 miles from the English coast.

While the allied troops have thus been energetically building the scaffold on which to hang Herr Hitler, our high command seems to have given another display of acumen in placing the responsibility for the security of Paris in the hands of the French themselves. There still is a certain amount of disorder in the capital and we shall avoid mention by leaving it to the French military to deal with. The situation is such that display of armed authority by foreigners might increase the difficulty.

## Second of Quadruplet Babies Taken by Death

GAINESVILLE, Ga., Aug. 29. (AP)—A second quadruplet son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Lee died today at Hall County Memorial hospital.

The infant was the third-born of four boys, born prematurely Sunday night to the 23-year-old wife of a farmer now serving in the army. The first-born, weighing 2 pounds 14 ounces, died last night.

Attending physicians said the remaining two boys were in good condition and were expected to survive.

The father, 25-year-old anti-tank gunner, stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla., was expected at the hospital today on emergency furlough.

Mrs. Lee, in good condition, had not been told of the death of the two babies.

## Prexy Opposes College Requests for U. S. Aid

PORTLAND, Aug. 30. (AP)—The new national advisory committee on colleges in scattering doubts that the wartime plight of colleges justifies their seeking federal aid, Dr. G. Herbert Smith, Willamette University president, said here yesterday.

Dr. Smith, a member of the group, told the Portland Kiwanis club that the "real problem of whether we as educators can afford to have the federal government loading with education."

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