

Local News

Idleyd Visitor—Mrs. Della Hahn was an Idleyd visitor in Roseburg Friday.

From Myrtle Creek—Mrs. G. M. Dyer spent Thursday in Roseburg from Myrtle Creek.

On Business—Mrs. Ray Norton of Myrtle Creek was in Roseburg on business Thursday.

Visiting in Eugene—Mrs. Dell Smith of Roseburg is spending today visiting in Eugene.

Visits in Roseburg—Mrs. L. E. Deveraux of Sutherlin spent Tuesday visiting in Roseburg.

Business Visitor—Frank Matthews of Riddle was a business visitor in Roseburg Wednesday.

Transacts Business—Leslie Solomon of Oakland transacted business in Roseburg recently.

Attends To Business—Lawrence Barkdoll of Sutherlin attended to business in Roseburg recently.

From Brockway—Mrs. J. H. Barrett attended to business in Roseburg Friday from Brockway.

Lookingglass Visitors—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buell were lookingglass visitors in Roseburg Thursday.

Leaves For Fort Lewis—Sergeant and Mrs. Bernard Saar have left for Fort Lewis, where he will report for reassignment.

He has been visiting his wife, father, A. P. Saar, brother, C. M. Saar, and Mrs. Saar's mother, Mrs. Alvia Weatherell while in Roseburg. Mrs. Saar plans to remain at Fort Lewis while her husband is stationed there.

Arrives From Michigan—Mrs. Lizzie Shellenbarger has arrived in Roseburg from Odessa, Mich., to spend the winter months with her sister, Mrs. Paul Blaskey.

Also visiting at the Blaskey home are Mrs. Blaskey's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hafer of Sturgis, Mich., sister-in-law, Mrs. Myrtle Porter, formerly of Cincinnati, Ohio, and brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dan S. Porter, and their daughter, Jean.

Russians Smash Into Brandenburg Province
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yet taken by the red army. Soviet forces last night were 8 miles from Königsberg, East Prussian capital. The German home radio told of the evacuation of civilians from Danzig and the Polish corridor.

The right wing of Marshal Zhukov's forces crossed the Bromberg canal west of Bydgoszcz, indicating a sweep into the Polish corridor to widen the break between East Prussia and the German homeland.

Allied war planes, despite bad weather, resumed offensive operations on the western front yesterday, continuing the destruction of German armor withdrawing before the advancing Americans.

A captured German general in a broadcast from Moscow last night urged the people of the Reich to put an end to "this criminal madness by revolting against Hitler, or perish with him."

Action on the Italian front was limited to patrolling again as driving rains turned deep snow to slush.

Superforts Again Lash Tokyo, Setting Fires
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motives, 46 railroad cars, 18 tanks, and 535 trucks and staff cars.

Before the B-29s swept over Tokyo, Emperor Hirohito approved a record Japanese military budget of \$5,000,000,000 yen for the first fiscal year. This is one fourth larger than Japan's estimated national income and doesn't include the regular budget.

Sea Battle Reported. The Chinese army newspaper Sao Tang Pao again published unconfirmed reports that 40 to 50 American and Japanese warships fought a battle off the China coast Tuesday. It said "the broken Japanese navy" fled and may have taken refuge off the Chekiang coast back of Formosa and the Ryukyu Islands.

Troops of the 15th Indian corps swarmed over the beaches of Chedub Island in the British amphibious push toward Rangoon and Singapore. In 30 days, five landings have advanced the British 100 miles from Akyab to Chedub.

The sinking of 21 more enemy vessels, including a light cruiser, by American submarines in far eastern waters was announced. A

large tanker and a large cargo transport were also sent to the bottom. The action brought to 979 the total of such sinkings, including 104 combat ships.

Unconfirmed Tokyo broadcasts claimed Japanese submarines operating in central Philippines waters hit two transports and a seaplane tender, presumably on the way to Luzon Island.

British 14th army troops driving into central Burma smashed to within 15 miles of Mandalay, capturing the town of On-daw.

Robbery Culprit Given to Navy on Desertion Count

Bert Clarence Parker, 23, arrested in December on a charge of assault and robbery, was surrendered today to navy officials, Sheriff O. T. Carter reports. Parker was sentenced in circuit court late Friday to two years in the penitentiary, after entering a plea of guilty to the charge of assaulting and robbing Walter Elder, Canyonville resident. He was charged jointly with John Elmer Davis, 29, who also has pleaded guilty but is awaiting imposition of sentence.

The court was informed that Parker allegedly deserted from the navy in 1940, the sheriff stated. Circuit Judge Wimberly, imposing a sentence of two years, ordered that execution be stayed for a period of 30 days, giving the navy an opportunity to take the defendant into custody, if it desired to press the desertion charge. Notified of the court's action, navy officials requested surrender of the prisoner, who was turned over to shore patrol officers today to be taken to Portland.

School Funds From Income Tax Proposed
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their liquor and serve it to members in exchange for scrip was introduced by Senator Newberry and Reps. Cile, Roseburg, and Van Dyke, Ashland.

The bill is supported by several fraternal organizations. A bill to permit county courts to grant sick leaves and vacations to county employees was passed by the senate and sent to the house.

Senator Mahoney, Portland democrat, author of the bill, said some county courts have been doing so without legal authorization, while others have refused because there was no law.

Percy Croft Gives Talk To Rotary on Engines

Theory, construction and operation of the gasoline-propelled engines was presented in a very interesting talk by Percy Croft at the Roseburg Rotary meeting Thursday noon.

The meeting was the regular monthly birthday dinner honoring members having birthdays in January. Those present at the birthday table were: Jack Smilger, Andy Townsend, Harlan Carter, Louis Hallet and Story Iles.

Kaiser to Head Drive For Relief Clothing

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27 — (AP) — President Roosevelt has asked Henry J. Kaiser, west coast shipbuilder, to head a gigantic campaign to collect "usable used clothing" in this country for relief of Europe's destitute millions.

The campaign will begin in April with the objective of gathering 150,000,000 pounds of clothing, 10 times as much as the United Nations Relief administration obtained during a drive among the nation's churches some months ago.

It is understood that Kaiser agreed to perform the task.

Vital Statistics

BORN
BIDDINGTON—To Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Biddington, 94 East First street, Roseburg, at Mercy hospital, Thursday, January 25, a son, Johnie Lynn; weight seven pounds nine ounces.

CARPER—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Carper, Winchester, at Mercy hospital, Friday, January 26, a daughter, Janet Jean; weight eight pounds twelve ounces.

HARTER—Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Harter, Roseburg, at Mercy hospital, Saturday, January 27, a son, James Milton; weight, nine pounds one ounce.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
O'MALLEY-TIGHE—Malcolm J. O'Malley, Butte, Mont., and Margaret J. Tighe, Proctorville, Mo.

JOIN THE MARCH OF DIMES FIGHT INFANTILE PARALYSIS
JANUARY 14-31

Polio Campaign Fund in Douglas Reaches \$1,459

Receipts today for the polio campaign were \$1,459.80, according to the report on the Douglas County Infantile Paralysis fund by the treasurer. Half the funds received will go to the national headquarters for research and aid in epidemic areas, the remaining half being kept to defray expenses incurred in providing treatment for local cases.

The gross receipts approximately equal 848 feet in the goal for a "mile of dimes," or more than two blocks. Few donations outside of Roseburg are included. In the report are listed the first donation by Earl Wiley, the largest donations by the Douglas County Flour Mills and the A. F. of L. local unit at the Western Battery Separator company, each amounting to \$100.

Radio Station KRNZ in special advertisements and in its Wheel of Fortune program has attracted a steady yield of contributions. Numerous organizations, businesses and individuals have made large donations to be added to the multitude of small gifts, while others are still conducting their campaigns.

Lions club members canvassed stores and industrial plants Thursday for contributions and to sell tickets for the President's ball at the armory Monday night.

Students Giving Aid
Senior high, junior high and elementary schools were organized by rooms, classes and school units to collect dimes, with winners to be announced next week. Tin banks served for collections in the junior high. Class presidents in the senior high school led their groups in contest for largest contributions. When last reported the seniors were leading the juniors in a neck-and-neck race ahead of the sophomores.

Joe Wilkoff, chairman of the business and labor committee, is soliciting the employees of the planer shifts in the Roseburg Lumber company. Members of his committee for the mill are Mrs. J. P. Molschenbacher, office employees; Larry Strode, truck drivers and log haulers; Delbert Nelson, mill and yard employees.

Lester Williams, president of the Roseburg Central Labor Council of A. F. of L. who is assisting Mr. Wilkoff, reports that action is being taken in other parts of the county, and that locals will donate in their own names to the Douglas County Infantile Paralysis fund. Representatives appointed for Roseburg locals are as follows: Barbers, "Bill" Thompson; carpenters John Cornelsen; butchers, Mr. Kruse; painters, J. D. West; machinists, Mr. Ellis; lumber and sawmill workers, John Walker of the Roseburg Lumber company, Roy Hayden of the Western Battery Separator company, and Coy Short of Young's Bay Lumber company; electrical workers, Adam Flurry; culinary alliance, Mildred DeGnath. Mr. Williams, as a member, is soliciting the teamsters. He says that he expects every mill to cooperate with the union in this work and that he requested a report from each local by Monday, January 29.

Grade Hoopsters To Stage Prelim For Tilt Tonight

Mel Ingram, athletic coach of the Roseburg high school, who has been endeavoring to stimulate basketball in grade schools for the purpose of starting early training, leading up to better high school teams, reports the first grade school competition will be seen tonight as a preliminary to the Roseburg-North Bend game at the Roseburg high gymnasium.

"Gymnasium equipment is hard to get these days," Ingram said, "so some of the players may be barefoot and will have only swimming trunks for gym suits, but they'll be learning basketball and a few years from now fans may have the satisfaction of seeing a Roseburg basketball star who got his start in tonight's preliminary."

Four Teams Organized. Four teams have been organized to participate in tonight's preliminary contest. Two teams

have been formed at the Rose school and two at Fullerton school. There will be a round of short periods, after which the two best teams of the group will be pitted in a ten-minute game.

The grade school contest will be completed in time to start the Roseburg-North Bend contest at 8:15 o'clock.

In meeting the Bulldogs, the Roseburg Indians will be paired against tough opposition as the North Bend team is one of the strongest in the Coos-Curry district.

Mrs. Amanda Kirk Passes On at 86

Mrs. Amanda M. Kirk, 86, died at her home on South Main street in Roseburg early today. Born in Virginia, January 24, 1859, she came to Roseburg 51 years ago and had resided continuously in the Roseburg community since that time.

Surviving are two sons, Frank Kirk, Melrose, and William C. Kirk, Portland, and a daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Powell of Oak Grove, Oregon. She also leaves three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the chapel of the Roseburg Funeral home conducted by Dr. Morris H. Roach. Interment will follow in the Masonic cemetery.

Mrs. Augusta Sjogren of Melrose Passes Away

Mrs. Augusta Sjogren, 53, resident of Melrose, died at Mercy hospital in Roseburg last night following a short illness. A native of Sweden, she had made her home at Melrose for a number of years. The body has been removed to the Douglas Funeral home. Arrangements for services have not been made.

Holiness Assn. Sets Meeting for Sunday

A meeting of the Douglas County Holiness association to be held at 3 p. m. Sunday at the Free Methodist church was announced today. Rev. V. W. Anglin, evangelist appearing at the Church of the Nazarene, will be the principal speaker. Rev. Forest Hill will be in charge of the meeting. A business session will be held in connection with the worship period.

Ward Stores' Seizure Illegal, Court Decides
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ment to uphold legality of the seizure and for an injunction to restrain Ward's officials from interfering with army operations. Judge Sullivan's opinion in the case, which developed out of Ward's refusal to obey the War labor board directives in a long standing labor dispute, said that if the disputants are not willing to obey the recommendations of the War Labor board, which are admittedly only advisory, then congress alone is the only branch of the government which can compel them to do it.

"It is the duty of congress to enact the laws, and the duty of the courts to interpret them," he said.

Judge Sullivan's decision, however, was in the nature of a first round in the legal controversy because atty. Gen Biddle said previously that the government would appeal if it lost.

Home Service Course's Objectives Explained

The Home Service course, taught here by Miss Estelle Jamison, Home Service field representative from California headquarters, is being given, it was stated today, to explain to the public what the Red Cross service can and can not do.

Those taking the course are: Mrs. Ed Loney and Mrs. H. Barker of Sutherlin; Rev. and Mrs. Forrest Hall, Mrs. Natalie Voyt, Mrs. Myrtle Kent, Mrs. Flagg, Mrs. Earl Strange, Mrs. Helen Davidson, Mrs. Verle Wells and Dick Preston.

Douglas Truckers Join Move for Rules Revision
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mission. State Representative Carl C. Hill was in attendance and explained in detail pending legislation and difficulties facing legislators in endeavoring to set up corrective measures. He told the truckers that there is lack of agreement in their own industry, as log haulers in one section of the state desire a different formula than those in other localities, and until truckers present a

unified front and agree among themselves upon the regulations desired, the legislature is handicapped. He also urged that truckers furnish their legislators with information, particularly statistical data which can be used in arriving at a solution for the current problem.

Truckers insisted that under the existing state laws regulating log trucks, it becomes almost impossible to load a truck so that axle overloads are prevented, and, due to varying weight of logs, trucks must be materially underloaded to keep within the combined load limits.

Wallace's Nomination Rejected by Committee
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lean steering committee into session today to consider the Wallace matter. He said most republicans he had talked to seemed to want to vote strictly on the question of confirming Wallace without reference to the divorce-ment bill.

"Mr. Wallace has made himself an issue," Taft declared. "It is no longer a question merely of giving the president a free hand to choose a member of his cabinet. Mr. Wallace has laid down his own program and has said what he will do."

Taft thought possibly 34 republican votes would be cast against the nominee. Democratic opponents have been talking of mustering 16 among their ranks.

Army Mothers To Meet—The Army Mothers club will meet Feb. 1, for installation of officers. A social evening will be held and refreshments served. All new members are cordially invited to be present.

Correction
Our advertisement listed Ivory Soap, large bars 3 for 20c. This price should have been 3 for 29c.

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HERE'S WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT THE March of Dimes CAMPAIGN

The March of Dimes is a campaign to raise funds to combat infantile paralysis, one of the most expensive diseases to treat. Unless a family is wealthy, the financial burden of caring for victims is almost impossible. That is why it is important to know that the March of Dimes funds are available to anyone needing help in recovering from polio. Many stricken families of moderate means feel that they cannot ask for help. But they can! Arrangements may be made for the care of patients depending on their condition, their family situation and general needs.

FIVE CENTS of every dime contributed stays with your local chapter for disbursement among local agencies and individuals. Not only are grants made to institutions for the care of infantile paralysis patients, but funds are also used for individual care.

HERE'S WHAT YOU SHOULD DO ABOUT THE MARCH of DIMES CAMPAIGN

Fill out coupon at right and mail it now with your generous contribution

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Mr. Maurice Newland, Treasurer 1945 March of Dimes Campaign Roseburg Branch United States National Bank

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