

Local News

Dixonville Visitor—Roy Hatfield was a Dixonville visitor in Roseburg Friday.

Business Visitor—Mrs. Guy Peuler of Oakland was a business visitor in Roseburg Friday.

Transacts Business—Mrs. John Robinson of Glendale transacted business in Roseburg Friday.

In Roseburg—Mrs. Wilma Pavia of Tyee spent Friday in Roseburg attending to business.

On Business—Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sparks of Oakland were in Roseburg on business Thursday.

Visits in Roseburg—Eldon Fisher of Oakland visited in Roseburg Thursday and attended to business.

Business Visitor—Mr. and Mrs. Elton Jackson of Tiller were business visitors in Roseburg Thursday.

Attend to Business—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Banning of the North Umpqua spent Friday in Roseburg on business.

Returns to Work—Mrs. William I. Moar has returned to her work at the J. C. Penney store after a leave of absence.

Return to Grande Ronde—Mr. and Mrs. James Joyce have returned to Grande Ronde but will come to Roseburg in a few days to make their home.

Unable to Be at Work—Miss Jo Carpenter, News-Review reporter, was unable to be at work today on account of being ill at her home in Sutherlin.

Potluck Supper to be Held—Melrose grange will meet Tuesday night at a 7 o'clock potluck supper at the hall. A program and business session will follow.

Club to Meet at Luncheon—The Twelve and Won club will meet at a one o'clock potluck luncheon Tuesday at the home of Mrs. B. Hargis at 1302 West First street.

Merry-Go-Round Club to Meet—The Merry-Go-Round club will meet Wednesday, February 7, at a 1:30 o'clock dessert-luncheon at the home of Mrs. Archie Wilson at Winston.

Valentine Party to be Held—The Eagles auxiliary will hold a Valentine party Tuesday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Eva Barrows at 804 Hamilton street. Members are asked to each bring a Valentine to exchange.

Navy Mothers Club to Meet—The Navy Mothers club will meet Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock at the Roseburg Woman's club house. All women eligible to membership in the club are invited.

Study Club to Meet—The Green P-T-A Study club will meet Tuesday at a noon potluck luncheon at the home of Mrs. Norma Magnus. Members are asked to each bring a valentine to exchange.

Junior Woman's Club to Meet—The Junior Woman's club will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the clubhouse for a short business session, to be followed by a theater party replacing the Valentine party, previously announced.

Phythian Sisters to Meet—The Phythian Sisters, temple No. 23, will hold its regular session tonight at 8 o'clock at the K. of P. hall. Officers have requested all members to be present.

Club to Meet Tonight—The Past Matrons club will meet tonight at a 7:30 o'clock, dessert supper at the home of Mrs. R. L. Whipple at 329 East Douglas street with Mrs. V. J. Micelli as co-hostess. Past matrons residing or visiting in Roseburg are invited.

Elected to Student Council—Miss Esther Harbour, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Harbour of Glendale, Ore., has been elected as representative of the freshman class to the student council of Whitworth college at Brookhaven, Miss., according to word received here. The new officers were installed at a recent ceremony held in Johnston Institute at the College.

Home On Furlough—Corporal Gordon Stewart, of the U. S. army training base at Camp Gordon, Ga., is spending his furlough in Roseburg visiting his wife, the former Lois Ann Whipple, and their daughter, Nancy, and his mother, Mrs. D. H. Lenox, and other relatives, as well as friends. Corporal Stewart was employed by Copco before entering the army service a year ago this week. He expects to leave Feb. 15 to report back at Camp Gordon.

Leave For South—Mrs. Kenneth Travis and daughter, Andrea, left last night for their home in Stockton, Calif., following a month with the former's sister-in-law, Mrs. Archie Wilson, and family, at Winston. A part of the month was spent at Fort Lewis, Wash., where Mr. Travis has been critically ill at the army hospital, but is now reported to be steadily improving in health. Mrs. Travis and Andrea were accompanied to Fort Lewis and back by Mrs. Wilson, a sister of Mr. Travis.

Ill at Home—Mrs. Fred Fitzman is reported to be ill at her home at 603 Hamilton street.

Move Back to Roseburg—Mr. and Mrs. John Wyatt, who formerly resided at Winchester, where they sold their ranch, later moving to southern California, have moved back to Douglas county and will reside in Roseburg. They report they just recently sold their property in California.

Will Hold Kitchen Shower—The Rose P-T-A will hold a kitchen shower for the school kitchen Tuesday evening at the schoolhouse. The meeting will open at 7:30 and Mrs. Dorothy Rapp, Portland representative for the government food program, will be present to discuss the hot-lunch project with the parents. The project is expected to begin at the school early this month. Mrs. Vernon Keel is chairman of the committee.

Visiting in Corvallis—Mrs. Fred Briggs, the former Clarabelle Berg, and daughter, Karen, left today for Corvallis to visit Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Briggs, parents of her husband, Lieutenant Fred Briggs, now serving in the Pacific theater with the marine air corps. Mrs. Briggs recently returned to Roseburg from Santa Barbara, following the departure of her husband, and is making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Berg.

Poland to Assume Control of East Prussia, Silesia

WARSAW, Feb. 2.—(delayed)—(AP)—Jozef Bialy, president of the Polish national council announced today that Poland is immediately assuming control of civil administration in German Silesia and East Prussia.

"There will be Polish administration on what we regard as Polish soil, regardless of opinions to be expressed in international conferences," he asserted. "We've seen the attitude of the major powers. We don't think anyone will interfere with us."

He added that the question of the Teutonic area, the rich coal mining district annexed by Poland from Czechoslovakia in 1939, will be taken up in "friendly negotiations."

General asserted it is "utopian" to speak of rebuilding Warsaw in the near future with 250,000 German prisoners of war.

"Just to clear away the debris will require more than a year and reconstruction itself will continue many years. Since Warsaw is one of Europe's greatest cities of culture and tradition, it would be appropriate if other cultural nations participated in the reconstruction."

Recreation Bill For Week Listed

Mrs. Aileen Peterson, director of the Roseburg recreational program, today announced the following schedule of activities for Monday, Feb. 5-30:

Tuesday, 4:15-5:30, boys' chemistry group, Senior High school.

Tuesday, 7:30-9:30, adult leather tooling, room 212 Junior high.

Tuesday, 7:30-9:30, badminton, Junior High gym.

Wednesday, 7:30-9:30, men and boys' ping pong, room 212, Junior high.

Wednesday, 7:30-9:30, adult badminton, Junior High gym.

Thursday, 5:15-6:30, men and boys' volleyball, Junior High gym.

Thursday, 7:00-9:00, teen age leather tooling class, Presbyterian church basement, wood carving class, Presbyterian church basement; clay modeling class, Presbyterian church basement.

Friday, 7:30-10:30, teen age club armory.

Officers Elected by Posse Association

Lynn V. Beckley, captain of the Douglas County Mounted Police, was elected president of the Southern Oregon-Northern California Posse association at an organizational meeting held Saturday night at the Holland hotel in Medford. Shelby Tuttle, Medford, was elected vice-president, and W. H. Carter, Roseburg, was made secretary-treasurer. Directors were elected from Myrtle Point, Yreka, Eugene, Reedsport, and Klamath Falls. Nels Hogan was elected as a director from the Reedsport posse.

Plans were made for meetings between neighboring groups, with assistance at rodeos and other entertainments, and for an annual get-together for competitive drill and sports.

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RHS Quint Victor Over Myrtle Point Bobcats, 38 to 35

Roseburg basketball fans saw their most exciting game of the season Saturday night when the Indians nipped the Myrtle Point Bobcats, league leaders of district No. 5, by a score of 38 to 35. The last period was a pitching duel between Young, Roseburg southpaw, high scorer in district No. 6, and Walton and Sutphin scoring acres of the Coos county district.

Spectators saw the score tied five times, while the lead changed hands 12 times.

The first half was nip-and-tuck all of the way, with the score tied three times. The Bobcats had the ball in the air as the half-time signal sounded, breaking a 14-all tie to take a two-point—16 to 14—advantage.

Return to the rest period, Myrtle Point ran up the long lead of the game, 22 to 15, but the Indians started driving and by the time the contest reached the fourth quarter the Bobcats were out in front by only two points, 24-22.

Young, who had found the range on the basket, assisted by Benson and Krell, succeeded in outdistancing Walton, long range artist, and Sutphin, the latter tying Young for high score in the game, after Walton had been bottled up by the Indian defense.

Lineups: Roseburg (38) Pos (35) M. P. Benson (12) F (14) Walton Young (18) F (18) Sutphin Krell (3) G (2) Wise James (2) G (2) Belloni Harvey G (1) Morris

Substitutions: Roseburg—Jacobson 2, Caskey 1, Colley, Atterbury, Gerretsen; Myrtle Point—Wells. Officials: Turner and Greisch.

Oregon Troupes Huskies; O. S. C. Loses to Vandals

(By the Associated Press)

Major weekend developments in the northern division Pacific Coast conference basketball race, saw the University of Oregon defeat Washington's Huskies and the University of Idaho win its first conference game of the season.

The Vandals' 32-31 upset win over Oregon State left the Idahoans still going nowhere in the circuit race, but it did much to weaken the challenge of the Beavers, who now stack up as the most likely contenders for the Webfoots' leadership.

Washington and Washington State still have a ghostly mathematical chance at the pennant but are very likely to knock each other out of the race when they clash Friday and Saturday at Pullman. Oregon and Oregon State meet Saturday at Eugene.

It was the floor generalship of little Bob Hamilton, the shooting of Dick Wilkins and the backboard skill of Ken Hays that led Oregon to its 58-48 win over the Huskies Saturday at the Washington pavilion. The Huskies had won the night before to keep their pennant hopes still glowing.

Forrest Stevens Dies At County Hospital

Forrest Stevens, 75, a resident of Douglas county for the past 45 years, died Sunday at the county hospital following a long period of ill health. He was born in Springfield, Ohio, May 17, 1869. The body has been removed to the Roseburg funeral home. Arrangements for services have not been completed.

Wind Storm During Night Lashes Roseburg

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munication lines. Some telephone circuits between Roseburg and Coos Bay were interrupted temporarily, but communication was not entirely halted.

Homes Without Power.

The north and east residential districts of Roseburg were without power service for several hours this morning, due to short circuiting between the residential and street lighting circuits.

All damage was of a minor nature, but restoration of service was delayed because of lack of manpower. H. C. Wells, Copco manager, reported.

The weather bureau forecast

Basketball Scores

(By the Associated Press)

Eugene 62, Milwaukie 24.

Central Point 43, Grants Pass 32.

Klamath Falls 42, Ashland 32.

Medford 57, Bend 7.

BASKETBALL

Tuesday, February 6

Roseburg

vs.

Cottage Grove

Preliminary 7 p. m.

Main Game 8:15 p. m.

Reserved section until 8 p. m. for season ticket holders.

General Admission: 60c adults; 30c students.

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Resistance was only moderate and the Third army again found some pillboxes unmanned. Only sporadic German artillery fire was reported.

Northwestern States Hit by New Snowfalls

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Business was expected to be near a standstill today after Gov. Lausche's proclamation urging curtailment of non-essential activities.

All Ohio places of amusement will be closed two nights a week in an effort to slow down consumption of coal and gas. Ohioans have been asked to turn off gas hot water heaters, and many families saw their coal stocks growing smaller without knowing where they could replenish them.

Thunderstorms, accompanied by heavy rains, soaked the Texas and Louisiana coast last night, accompanied by drops in temperature.

Highway traffic in Illinois, Michigan, Iowa and Wisconsin was partially paralyzed and walking was made hazardous by a freezing rain yesterday that formed a coat of ice which was covered later by a snowfall.

Vital Statistics

BORN

CRAWFORD—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crawford, Roseburg, at Mercy hospital, this morning, February 5, a daughter, Kathleen Nancy; weight seven pounds fifteen ounces.

Traffic Fines Paid

Traffic fines paid in the Roseburg justice court were reported today by Judge Thomas C. Hartley to include Kenneth A. Harding \$10, axle overload; Frank A. O'Dell, \$10, no declared weight receipt.

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