

Local News

New Idea Club to Meet — The New Idea club will meet Wednesday at a 1 o'clock luncheon at the home of Mrs. W. D. Harris.

R. A. and E. club to Meet — The Roseburg Art and Embroidery club will meet Wednesday at a 1 o'clock potluck luncheon at the home of Mrs. C. W. Lawson at 546 Cobb street.

Health Clinic to Be Held — The regular health clinic, scheduled for Thursday, has been changed to Friday, Feb. 9, at the courthouse. The meeting was changed on account of the health officers being out of town until Friday.

Lady Lions to Hold Dinner — The Lady Lions are asked to meet Monday, Feb. 12, at a 7 o'clock dinner at the Rainbow Hall and all members desiring to attend are asked to make reservations by calling the hostess, Mrs. Bruce C. Elliott at 677-J.

Takes Wife Home — Ralph Hunsaker of Eugene came to Roseburg Saturday to join his wife at the Hotel Rose and to take her back home Sunday. Mrs. Hunsaker had been spending the week in Roseburg visiting her mother, Mrs. E. Henninger, who was a medical patient during that time at Mercy hospital. Mrs. Henninger, who makes her home at the Hotel Rose, is now reported to be convalescing satisfactorily.

Death in Battle Of Pvt. J. W. Hess Told by Captain

Mrs. Nellie O. Hess, Roseburg, today received a communication from Captain Jack A. Royster, commanding officer of the company with which her son, James W. Hess, was serving when killed in action Oct. 21, 1944. The captain's letter related that Pvt. Hess was advancing with his squad on Labiranan Head, a portion of Catmon Hill, Leyte, when mortally wounded by rifle fire from an enemy sniper. He died shortly thereafter without regaining consciousness. He was buried in a temporary military cemetery, San Jose No. 1, on Leyte. "Perhaps the knowledge that he died as he had lived, with courage and honor, will give you some small measure of comfort," Captain Royster wrote. "James was an irreplaceable member of our organization and could always be counted on by his comrades to work and fight in a thorough and conscientious manner."

Mrs. Hess has received the Purple Heart medal awarded posthumously.

Charge of Grand Larceny is Faced

Walter T. Whisman, arrested on a charge of grand larceny, was continued in custody today in lieu of \$500 after a preliminary hearing in the Roseburg justice court and being ordered held to the grand jury, Judge Thomas Hartfield reported. He is accused, Judge Hartfield said, of theft of a rifle, axe and knife belonging to Harry O. Warren.

Vernon A. Svendall, transient, was sentenced to 30 days in jail on a charge of operating a motor vehicle without a registration card. His release within the 30-day period will be permitted, the court stated, if a checkup on ownership of the vehicle is satisfactory.

Sentences of 30 days each on charges of vagrancy were imposed upon Lawrence G. Selbert, Sylvia and Marie McGee, while a like sentence was given Donald W. Carson, accused of soliciting a ride.

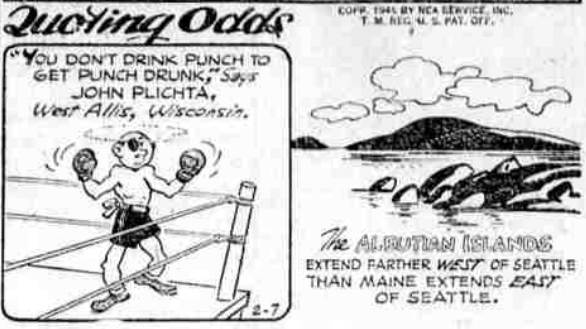
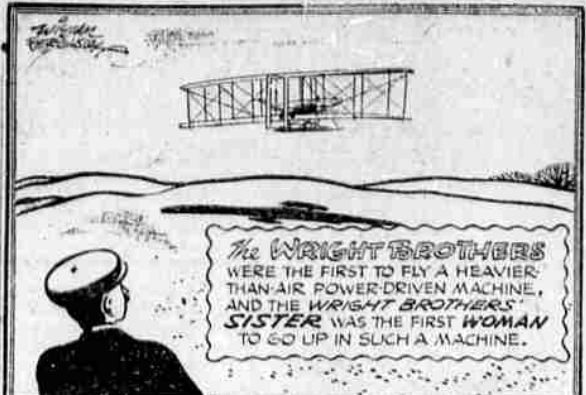
A fine of \$10 was paid by Charles B. Darling, who pleaded guilty, Judge Hartfield stated, to operating a motor vehicle without a driver's license.

Wilbur — LeRoy Smith and sons, Donald and Dick, arrived here from Salem and are staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Smith, while Mr. Smith is attending to business. He recently purchased the Sanitary Meat Market and was formerly employed

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NEXT: Long-distance bloodhounds.

in Salem Safeway stores. His wife will arrive here in a few days.

Edwin Grubbe of Seattle was here Friday visiting his aunt, Mrs. W. E. Thompson.

Mrs. Guy Wood left Friday for Arizona being called there by the serious illness of her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Holgren and family of Sweet Home, arrived here Monday and have moved into the old Hotel owned by Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thompson.

Mrs. George Short, Mrs. Vernon LaRant and Mrs. D. P. McKay, attended a shower party Thursday afternoon at the Garden Valley Club house, honoring Mrs. Harry Lee Cross, formerly Jean Ritchie.

Mrs. W. E. Russell, who spent the past three months in Oakland has moved back to her home here on the West side.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crosier arrived home from Portland Monday where their son, LeRoy received medical treatment for a few days.

Miss Louise Russell arrived home from Eugene for a few days visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Russell.

D. P. McKay, who was quite ill is improving.

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TENNILE — Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ollivant, of Olalla, who have been spending the winter in Medford have returned to Roseburg and are stopping in Cabin 4 at the South end camp ground while Earl is employed at the Oregon Turkey Growers plant for a few weeks.

LaVern Hahn, who has been quite sick with flu has returned to school.

Mrs. Harold Vance arrived from Myrtle Point Wednesday to spend a few days visiting her mother, Mrs. Gertrude Ward and her sister, Mrs. Gerold Coats, and a brother, Abe Ward, who is home from the Navy for a short visit.

Mrs. Molly Hickcock of Roseburg is spending a few days as house guest of her brother, John McCullough and visiting other relatives and friends in the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Centers were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mellius of Reston Sunday after the church service.

Miss Dorothy Fagen and Miss

Myrtle Creek

MYRTLE CREEK — Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Knox have moved from the Zehring Lumber camp sawmill on upper S. Myrtle to town where they are living in the Will McGovern house east of the schoolhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay L. Chaney, Jr., are spending the week here visiting with relatives and friends, having been called from Portland by the serious illness of Mr. Chaney's mother, Mrs. J. L. Chaney, Sr.

Mrs. Alice Starr of Oakridge is also here visiting and helping care for her sister, Mrs. J. L. Chaney.

Mrs. Wm. W. Berg, nee Marlorie Bates, and baby son, Bradley, went to Eugene Monday for a visit with Mrs. Berg's mother-in-law, who lives there.

Pvt. Leonard Dyer, who has been home several days visiting with his family has returned to his post.

The Jubilee Singers from a Mississippi college presented an interesting program Wednesday night. A large crowd was in attendance.

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LAST TIME TODAY

Tomorrow's LAUGH and LOVE STORY!

JEAN ARTHUR
LEE BOWMAN
CHARLES COBURN
in *The Impatient Years*

STARTING WEDNESDAY

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Gene TIERNEY
Dana ANDREWS
Clifton WEBB
in *Laura*

with VINCENT PRICE
JUDITH ANDERSON

New Grange Instituted At Winchester Bay

REEDSPORT — A new grange was instituted at Winchester Bay, January 20, with 28 charter members and with several more signed up and ready to affiliate. The following officers were elected at this preliminary meeting and were installed, January 27, by State organizer E. McClure and a staff of assistants from other granges of this section: Harvey Beeson, master; A. Shirliff, overseer; Ruth Bell, lecturer; Florence Wood, secretary; J. Murphy, steward; Le Bell and Wilma Wood, assistant steward; Dorothy Tucker, chaplain; J. Shinn, treasurer; C. Tucker, gatekeeper; Margaret Conrad, Ceres; Mildred Wheeler, Pomona; Dorothy Shirliff, Flora; T. A. Richmond, C. Bell and L. Wood, trustees.

Youths Earn More Than Million on Oregon Farms

Approximately 18,000 Oregon boys and girls, who accounted for 54,791 youth placements in farm jobs made through county farm labor offices in 1944, earned more than a million dollars and picked crops valued at over \$10,000,000. Such is the estimate of Russel M. Adams, assistant state farm labor supervisor in charge of youth activities in the O. S. C. extension service, made on the basis of reports from county farm labor assistants.

None of the totals includes the thousands of youth who went out on picking jobs without registering at farm labor offices.

FSA Officials Date Visit to Roseburg

Mr. Victor B. Kuhlman, FSA supervisor, and Genevieve P. Nettleton, associate supervisor, will be in Roseburg on Thursday, Feb. 8. Anyone wishing to make a loan application may contact Mr. Kuhlman at the Production Credit association office in the Medical Arts building from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Mr. Kuhlman is succeeding Mr. Leonard Rice, former FSA supervisor and is located at Eugene, and will service all of Douglas county from the Eugene office.

Bivins Defeats Parks On Third Round T. K. O.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—(AP)—Jimmy Bivins' long layoff from ring activities hasn't dulled the Cleveland Negro heavyweight's punching power.

Bivins, making his first start in many months, needed only three rounds to dispose of George Parks, up-and-coming Washington Negro, last night. Parks, felled for nine counts twice in the third round, couldn't come out of his corner for the fourth so Bivins was awarded a fourth round technical knockout victory.

Dance Scheduled for Veterans at Facility

An informal dance for the veterans at the facility will be sponsored by the department of Oregon Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary and Patrick W. Kelly, auxiliary of Roseburg Wednesday evening, Feb. 7, at 8 o'clock. All women friends of the auxiliary are invited to attend the affair to assist the committee in making the dance a success.

★ ★ TODAY ★ ★
AT THE STAR

Kay Kyser
in *Carolina BLUES*
MUSIC BY CAROLINA BLUES BAND

NEWS — CARTOON SHORTS

WEDNESDAY

MADCAP MUSICAL

Music in Manhattan
ANNE SHIRLEY DENNIS DAY PHILIP TERRY

PLUS

SONG HITS BY THE CANTENFULLI

She's a SWEETHEART
JANE DARWELL TONY FRAZEE LARRY PARKS

Washington News From an Inside View

Argument, Sentiment, Comment

By HARRIS ELLSWORTH
Congressman, Fourth Oregon District

Wallace appointment. The discussion here on the hill of the Wallace appointment centers on two or three principal points. The question as to whether or not Mr. Wallace has the background of experience and the ability necessary to handle not only the cabinet post as secretary of commerce, but the war lending agencies including RFC as well, is a reasonable one. The defending answer is that the president thinks Wallace can do the job and made the appointment.

But did the president make this appointment because he thought Mr. Wallace was the best man for the job, or because Mr. Wallace was a political problem? In other words, those of us who think the Wallace appointment was a mistake believe that the president's mind when he named Henry Wallace was to pay off the former vice-president for loyal service to the party and to compensate him in part for the very real deal he received at the nominating convention last summer.

Inauguration ceremony. The inauguration ceremony was brief but quite impressive. A week ago I reported to you that the president seemed to be in excellent health. I still believe that to be a fact, but was a little shocked at his appearance on Inauguration day. He seemed to be very tired and showed signs of being irritable, but I suppose the strain of the various functions and duties of the week had taken their toll.

I noted one thing in the ceremony that I have not seen otherwise reported. When Vice President Wallace administered the oath to Senator Truman, he did not mention Truman's name. In fact, Mr. Truman's name was not mentioned during the entire formal ceremony. I suppose this was an oversight, although it may have been in strict accordance with proper form. When the chief justice administered the oath to the president, he said, "Do you, Franklin Delano Roosevelt..." Mr. Wallace merely said, "Do you," and left the radio audience and the assembled multitude to take for granted that he was administering the oath to Senator Truman.

Following the formal inauguration ceremonies, we went into the White House and were served a buffet lunch.

Rationing. A much tighter rationing program is planned for 1945. I have just received a letter from Chester Bowles, administrator of the Office of Price Administration. The following paragraph from this letter is a summary of the situation:

"It was necessary to make the rationing program tighter because civilian food supplies were reaching low levels and were threatening to drop below the safe level at which our distribution machine could operate. The butter supply for 1945 is expected to be smaller than that for 1944; the meat supply will be 10 to 15 per cent less in this coming quarter than it was in the same three months of 1944. On December 1st of this year, supplies of commercially canned vegetables available for civilians were approximately 56 per cent of the quantity available for civilians at the same time last year. It is now expected that there will be in 1945 nine per cent less sugar than in 1944 available for civilians for use in the home and by bakeries, bottlers, candymakers, etc."

You may recall that last fall the story of the food situation was much more optimistic. There was no hint at that time that the shortages outlined in the above paragraph were imminent. Our food study committee, of which I am secretary, did not agree with the optimistic reports released last September and October. This committee is planning shortly to make an analysis of the current figures. From preliminary information we have, we are inclined to discount the shortage statement, at least to the extent stated above. There is no denying the fact, however, that food supplies will be somewhat less for 1945 than they were for 1944.

Farm labor. The congressional committee which has been questioning Selective Service officials regarding the directive sent out by General Hershey on Jan. 3, this week reported its findings in the form of a resolution. In brief, the committee found that the directive is interpreted by most of the local boards and state directors as an outright order to take farm workers who are physically qualified regardless of the Tydings amendment in the Selective Service law. (This amendment was mentioned in the letter last week.) The resolution then directs the director of Selective Service "to comply with the intent and spirit as well as with the letter of the Tydings amend-

How to prepare TIN CANS for collection

- 1 After emptying contents, wash the can thoroughly.
- 2 Cut off bottom, as well as top of can, or cut open so that can may be flattened.
- 3 Step heavily on can to flatten—but do not flatten by hammering. Now tear off paper label, which is loosened by flattening. Labels printed by fastening labels printed on can need not be removed.
- 4 Save your cans for tin can collection. Keep separate from other scrap. It collection has not yet started, save your prepared cans in a dry place—do not shove them out!

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ment" and directs him also to immediately issue a clarifying directive to all state Selective Service officials and local boards.

The resolution contains two other demands: (1) That the War Manpower commission immediately investigate the availability of manpower among the 3,300,783 civilian federal employees and to make a thorough investigation with relation to labor hoarding in industry with particular reference to the cost-plus War Industries. (2) That the house committee on agriculture immediately determine the effect of state director advice No. 288 released Jan. 3 upon agricultural production and on the war effort.

Alaskan House Would Tighten Divorce Law

JUNEAU, Alaska, Feb. 5.—(AP)—The House of the Alaskan Legislature passed two memorials Saturday.

One makes a year's residence necessary for securing a divorce in Alaska, and the second petitions congress to appropriate \$100,000 for the extermination of sea lions, which are devouring the fish in Alaska waters.

ROSE Theatre

TODAY

It's all Funk!

STRAW ON PARADE
LARRY PARKS - LYNN MERRICK RAY WALKER

PLUS

Strangers IN THE NIGHT
William TERRY Virginia GREY Helen TRAVIS Edna BARRETT Ann O'NEAL

WEDNESDAY

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