

Local News

Visits in Roseburg — Dale Zeller of Brockway spent Tuesday visiting in Roseburg.

On Business — Earl Davis of Yoncalla was in Roseburg on business Tuesday.

Employed at Post Office — Miss Georgene Johnson of Roseburg is now employed at the post office in Roseburg.

Auxiliary to Meet — The ladies auxiliary of V. F. W. will meet Friday night at 8 o'clock at the K. of P. hall. The officers have requested all members to be present.

Leaves for Eugene — Mrs. S. T. Smith of Roseburg left today for Eugene to spend a week visiting relatives and friends and attending to business.

From Azalea — Ed Throne of Azalea was transacting business in Roseburg yesterday. He is again the contractor on the rural mail route operating in that locality.

On Grocery Staff — Two new clerks added at Easton's grocery are Freddie Brauninger, for several years engaged in dressmaking here, and Miss Doris Hill.

Two-Day Rummage Sale — The Benson P. T. A. will sponsor a two-day rummage sale Friday and Saturday at Powell's hardware store on North Jackson St. Parents are asked to send their donations to the school this week or to telephone 863-R and the articles will be called for.

Leaves for California — Mrs. W. M. Campbell, Jr., and baby son, William, III, left Wednesday for the home in Sacramento, Calif., following several weeks in Roseburg as guests of the baby's paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Campbell, Sr., on Winchester street.

Back From Portland — Mrs. W. M. Campbell has returned to her home on Winchester street in Roseburg, following a two-day stay in Portland attending the meeting of the board of Christian Education of the Presbyterian churches of Oregon. Mrs. Campbell is president of the Southwest Presbyterian association.

Daughter Is Born — Dr. and Mrs. Paul Hafner, Portland, are announcing the birth of a daughter, Mary Frances, March 31, in Portland. Mrs. Hafner, nee Frances Struble, is the granddaughter of Mrs. Emma Howard, 5 Main street, Roseburg. Mrs. Hafner is in Portland with her mother, Mrs. Burr Struble, while Dr. Hafner is serving in the army hospital in Chicago.

Return from Portland — Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Knight returned to their home at 316 West First street, Roseburg, last night, following a stay in Portland since Sunday attending to business and visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Attorney and Mrs. William W. Knight, and family. They were joined there Sunday by their son-in-law and daughter, Specialist (M) Bud Watson, U. S. navy, and Mrs. Watson, nee Marjorie Knight, of Seattle. Mrs. Watson accompanied them home to spend two weeks vacationing. She will be joined here this week-end by her husband, who is spending a few days at Newport visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Watson.

Grange to Meet — Riversdale grange will meet Friday night at 8:15 o'clock at the hall. Refreshments will be in charge of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Denton, Mr. and Mrs. John Denton and Harry Denton.

Russian Editor Scores Hoover's Peace Comments

MOSCOW, April 5. — (AP) — A Pravda editorial writer contended today that Herbert Hoover "not only fears but does not desire a long peace."

Jacob Viktorov, in an article discussing plans for world security, called Hoover an enemy of the Soviet Union and said the former president's suggestions regarding the Dumbarton Oaks proposals and the forthcoming San Francisco world security conference were "among the most suspicious."

(Hoover made his suggestions in a series of articles written for the North American Newspaper alliance and published last week.)

"Hoover calls for no haste in the formation of a security organization," Viktorov wrote, and he quoted the former president's articles as saying: "We must have time in order to cool off from the emotions of wartime. We cannot have simultaneously both peace and retribution."

"His thoughts are clear," the Pravda editorial said. "Hoover does not need peace, but he needs rejection of retribution in order to save war criminals from punishment."

In New York, Hoover declined comment on the editorial. "I don't think I want to get into a controversy with them," he said.

Chain Stores Head Found Asphyxiated in Home

SEATTLE, April 5. — (AP) — William L. Rhodes, 77-year-old president of the Rhodes Brothers Co., operator of 10-cent stores, was found asphyxiated in the basement of his home today, Acting Coroner C. L. Harris reported.

He was slumped in a chair in front of a gas burner and all windows had been closed. A note found nearby, Harris said, read: "Do not turn on furnace until have ventilated basement."

He had been in ill health for five years. The widow, Claudia, and son, William J. Rhodes, both of Seattle, survive.

Main Chinook Salmon Run in Umpqua Not Yet Begun

Chinook salmon now being caught in the upper Umpqua apparently came through in the first early run and the main body of the spring run has not yet entered the river, Dick Miles, state policeman at Reedsport, said today. Anglers took a number of fish in the Scottsburg area during the first run, but recently have had no luck. Miles reported while on an official visit in Roseburg today.

Quits as Posse Captain — Lynn Beckley has resigned his position as captain of the Douglas County Mounted police and at the posse meeting held Tuesday at Smith, former lieutenant, was elected to the captaincy.

Poultry Leader Cited — Mrs. Velma Anderson, Glendale, was selected today as one of the twelve best 4-H poultry club leaders in Oregon, according to a report from Corvallis. The selection was made by H. C. Seymour, state club leader.

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Noah Sellers Dies At Myrtle Creek

Noah Sellers, 67, well-known resident of Myrtle Creek passed away at his home there yesterday, following a brief illness. He was born January 20, 1878, at Howe's Mills, Missouri, later moving to Texas, from which state he came to Myrtle Creek in 1889. He was married to Cecilia Hansen at Grants Pass, Oregon, December 19, 1906. Mr. Sellers was a member of the Masonic lodge.

Surviving, besides his widow, are four children, Roy C. Sellers, Troutdale, Oregon; Mrs. Helen Duncan, Seattle, Wash.; Evelyn Sellers, Seattle, Wash.; and Mrs. Bruce (Ethel) Wyner of Myrtle Creek. He is also survived by two brothers and two sisters, Otho Sellers and John Sellers, both of Myrtle Creek; Mrs. Mary Newton, Coquille, Oregon; and Mrs. Tennie Kelsay, Joseph, Oregon, and by five grandchildren.

The body has been removed to the Douglas Funeral home and funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Oregon's Farm Prices Soar to World War 1 Top

CORVALLIS, Ore., April 5. — (AP) — Oregon's farm prices have climbed to the peak of the World War 1 boom, Oregon State college extension service reported today.

L. R. Brethaupt said average prices of farm land now stand at 165 per cent of the 1935-39 level — just equal to the average price in 1920-21.

Farm sales reached a peak in the first three months of 1944, he said, with fewer sales reported since that time. Nevertheless, farm costs are still rising, with the average price last month 11 per cent above a year ago.

Ickes Expects Order to Take Over Coal Mines

WASHINGTON, April 5. — (AP) — Solid Fuels Administrator Ickes said today he hoped to receive an order for government seizure of soft coal mines today.

Termining the coal situation "worse than unfortunate," Ickes said that 13 blast furnaces of the United States Steel corporation have shut down and that 20 more

will be down by tomorrow noon. As Ickes spoke, reports from the soft coal areas indicated that at least 40,000 of the miners still remained away from their jobs despite United Mine Workers President John L. Lewis' request that they continue work at least until May 1 while a new contract is being negotiated. The SFA has estimated the absenteeism is costing production of from 800,000 to 900,000 tons of bituminous coal daily.

Dog Uncovers Buried Box of Stolen Radium

LOS ANGELES, April 5. — (AP) — While taking a walk with his mistress, Mrs. E. H. James, a dog, named Toby, ran into a vacant lot and began digging furiously.

After awhile, Toby uncovered a jewel box, which was found to contain 14 slim platinum tubes. Mrs. James' husband, having read the theft of \$3,200 worth of radium from the offices of Dr. Wilnot R. Robinson, telephoned the physician, who identified Toby's find as the missing element.

U. S. War Casualties Increased to 692,909

WASHINGTON, April 5. — (AP) — Army and navy casualties since the beginning of the war have reached 692,909.

Secretary of War Stimson today reported army losses of 798,383 while the navy listed its cas-

ualties at 94,526. The total represented an increase of 20,047 since last week's announcement. Stimson also estimated Japanese casualties in the Philippines at more than 311,000, including 187,799 counted dead, against total U. S. casualties of 35,581, including 8,138 killed. He pointed out that the ratio of enemy counted killed to the Americans reported killed runs 23 to 1.

Three Officers Penalized For Gambling Conviction

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 4. — (AP) — Three deputy sheriffs were under sentence today on a charge of accepting a \$100 bribe to permit a gambling club to function in a housing project area.

Gene O. Johnson and Harry Ritter were sentenced yesterday to 30 days in county jail, with ten days of each sentence suspended. The third deputy, William Carter, was fined \$75 and costs. All were discharged as deputies.

William Orr, Negro proprietor of the club, was fined \$50, given a suspended 15-day sentence, and ordered to leave Vancouver.

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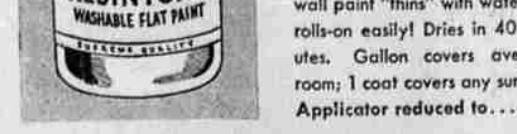
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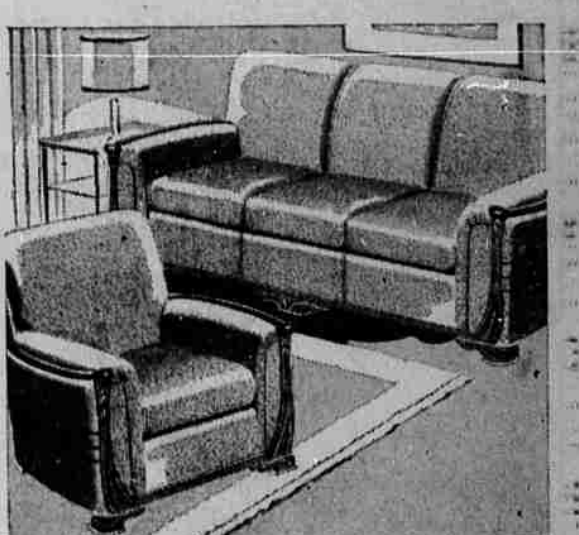


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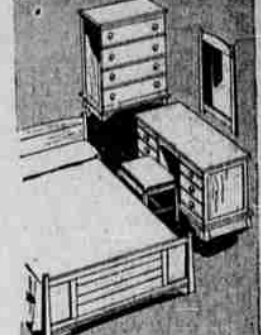
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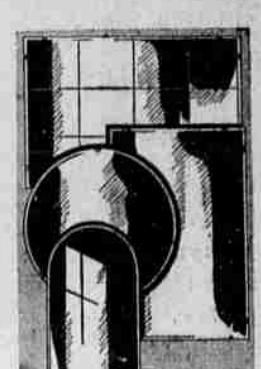


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