

Local News

Visit in Eugene—Mr. and Mrs. Dan Olson of Roseburg recently visited in Eugene on business.

P. E. O. to Meet—Chapter B1 of the P. E. O. Sisterhood will meet Friday at 1:15 o'clock at the home of Mrs. G. W. Marshall on East Douglas street.

United Workers Class to Meet—The United Workers class of the First Christian church will meet Friday at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. D. Church on Commercial avenue.

Reported To Be Doing Nicely—Ernest "Eric" Crane of Roseburg is reported to be doing nicely at the Sacred Heart hospital in Eugene, where he recently underwent a major operation.

Post and Auxiliary to Meet—Patrick W. Kelly post and auxiliary to Veterans of Foreign Wars will meet at 8 p. m. Friday at the K. of P. hall with the new officers in charge.

Grange to Hold Meeting—Riverside grange will meet Friday night at 8:15 o'clock at the hall with C. T. Tipton, chairman, and the men of the grange in charge of refreshments.

Return to Homes—Mrs. Martin Dantz of Manistec, Mich., and Mrs. H. F. Daniels of Dixon, Mont., have returned to their home after spending some time at the home of their sister, Mrs. R. C. Colley at Winchester.

Visits in Portland—Mrs. Reba Hartly of Roseburg accompanied Mrs. Lula C. Gorrell to Monmouth last weekend and from there on to Portland, where Mrs. Gorrell spent a short visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ardis Ashby, and Mrs. Hartly visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Craig. Mr. Craig is a brother of Mrs. Hartly and Mrs. Gorrell.

Attend Annual Conference—Those attending the Monmouth annual spring conference for elementary teachers from Roseburg over the weekend were: Mrs. Lula C. Gorrell, E. S. Hall, Ina Farnsworth, Mrs. Alvia Weatherell, Mrs. Mildred Henson, Vera Fredrickson, Verna Carothers, Mrs. Kitti Winiford, Mrs. Carrie Tison and Mrs. Margaret Adair.

In Roseburg—Mrs. Bertha Kohlman, supervisor of home economics at the state department of vocational education, was in Roseburg recently conferring with Mrs. Boyer at the Senior High school and Mrs. Allen at the Junior High school. "It is hoped that the home economics course in the Junior High school may be expanded next year," it was stated.

Visiting Here—Mrs. Ella C. McCoy is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. A. Feenstra, for the first time in a year and a half. She left her other daughter, Mrs. Fred Alphin on McNeill's island the first of January and has been visiting friends and relatives in Yakima, Ellensburg, Spokane, Albany, Corvallis, Sheridan and Monmouth before her arrival here Thursday.

Recent Visitors in Roseburg—Recent visitors in Roseburg from out of town were: A. W. Weakley, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Prunner, Mrs. J. H. Bower, Mrs. E. Hammersley, Mrs. Don Clarke, Mrs. Floyd Howard and J. L. Atkins of Riddle; Mrs. Roy Adsit of Glendale, Mrs. Wen Truitt and daughter, Ruth, and Mrs. Mary Schell of Oakland; Gerald Bacon and Mrs. Walter Kruse of Umpqua; Mrs. Abe Rice, Mrs. Roy McAlpine and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis of Dillard; Mrs. Elvin Crook and daughter of Garden Valley and G. E. Clayton and E. W. Hollinger of Myrtle Creek.

Vital Statistics

MARRIAGE LICENSES
HAAS-MAHAN—Herbert Haas and Margaret Rowena Mahan, both residents of Camas Valley.

DIVORCE DECREES
MORSE—Lola from James L. Morse, married at Roseburg Aug. 1, 1943; cruelty.

OSBORNE—Bessie B. from Roy Osborne, married at Myrtle Point, April 5, 1943; cruelty.

TOWNSEND—Inez from William J. Townsend, married at Olympia, Wash., June 3, 1930; cruelty.

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FATHER OF FASCISM COMES TO INGLOURIOUS END—There lies the once mighty Mussolini, his bullet-riddled head resting on the body of his young mistress, Clara Petacci, who was slain with him by partisans in Milan. As his grim and historic picture was taken, armed partisans were fighting to restrain crowds that sought to trample the body of the fallen dictator.

Slain With Il Duce



(NEA Radio-Telephoto)
A recent portrait of Claretta Petacci, the young Italian actress who was Benito Mussolini's mistress and died with him before the guns of patriots in Milan.

Baptist Officers Chosen; Progress Noted in Reports

Various departments of the First Baptist church of Roseburg reported success in all activities during the past year, as reports were received at the annual meeting conducted Wednesday evening. Bud Chandler served as moderator and entertainment included vocal solos by Miss Mary Apra. Reports revealed that 99 new members were received during the year. Approximately \$30,000 was given for all purposes, with \$10,000 being given to missions.

The following new officers were elected for the year: C. W. Harris, Carl Peavey, Noah Hatfield, deacons; Mrs. Ruth Smith, Mrs. Dorothy Rouse, Mrs. Rose Houston, deaconesses; Oliver Johnson, J. N. Sparks, T. P. Perry, Alvin Tipton for Pioneers; Mrs. Greta Caskey, Sunday school superintendent; Harry Howe, church treasurer; Elsie Weststein, missionary treasurer; Miss Mary Apra, youth director; Ben Irving, director of boys' work; Mrs. Beulah Palmer,

church clerk; Mrs. Noah Hatfield and Harry Wilson, board of education; Carlos Page, head usher.

Missing Sutherlin GI Reports Self Prisoner

Mrs. M. Patterson of Sutherlin has received a letter from her son, PFC Melbourne (Pat) Patterson, who had been reported missing in action since December 20, 1944, that he was a prisoner of the Germans and was in prison camp, Stalag 3A, Luckenwalde, Germany.

Truman Approves Bill Appropriating Billions

WASHINGTON, May 3.—(AP)—President Truman today signed the \$3,121,900,230 independent office appropriation bill containing more than \$2,000,000,000 for the veterans administration.

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Eagles Name New Officers; Mothers' Day Program Set

Jack Later was elected president of the Roseburg aerle of the Eagles lodge at the annual election meeting Tuesday. Other officers include: A. W. Rexroad, vice-president; Clayton Townsend, chaplain; L. E. Linthicum, conductor; L. P. Watson, inside guard; Hugh White, outside guard; Paul Dusseau, trustee; Vernon M. Orr, treasurer; George Frew, secretary; H. P. Scofield, aerle physician; M. R. Rockwell, past president.

Announcement was made that the annual Mothers' Day program will be held at the lodge hall Sunday, May 13, with appropriate entertainment.

A large class of candidates will be initiated at 1 p. m. preceding the Mothers' Day program, which will start at 2 o'clock.

Eagles desiring to participate in the entertainment are requested to contact Jack Later, committee chairman.

Fire Protection Zone Projected at Meeting

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equipment in use in the various districts, the majority of which contract with municipalities for service.

Equipment Considered

The plan to be followed by the Roseburg district, if created, will be formulated by the district board, but it was suggested, and appeared to be the opinion of the majority of persons attending, that the district should cooperate with the city of Roseburg in purchasing a fire engine particularly adapted for service in the area to be protected. It would be in the form of a truck carrying at least 500 gallons of water, a booster pump, and facilities for pumping from hydrants, cisterns, streams or ponds.

Formation of one large district is believed most feasible, as each district making application for organization must file a \$30 fee with the county court. A large district also would be less expensive to maintain, due to the greater valuation. A unified program efficient in management than would be several small districts.

Unanimous O. K. Voted
The meeting held last night was conducted by Charles V. Stanton, editor of the News-Review. Other speakers included County Judge D. N. Busenbark, Percy Croft,

Double Trouble for the Foe



Demonstrating a new "double dump" technique, paracutists tumble from both sides of a huge C-54 Skymaster transport plane at the Lawson Field, Ga., base of the 1st Troop Carrier Command.

chairman of the Roseburg board of fire commissioners; H. C. Wells, Copco manager; Glenn H. Taylor, Roseburg fire chief; County Commissioners H. B. Roadman and J. Ross Hutchinson and City Councilman G. C. Finlay, a member of the board of fire commissioners, also was in attendance.

The talk by Mr. Gilson was followed by a general discussion period in which residents of the affected areas indicated much interest in the program and asked pertinent questions in seeking to outline definite plans. A vote showed unanimous approval of organization. The group then elected its chairman, Horace Berg, and representatives from each area in turn appointed their members of the committee.

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Visit in Portland—Mr. and Mrs. Don Metzger and the latter's sister, Mrs. William Oeding, of Roseburg spent a few days recently in Portland visiting Mrs. Metzger and Mrs. Oeding's father, J. A. Cobb, who is a patient at St. Vincent's hospital.

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