

# Local News

**Here on Business**—J. M. Weber of Seattle is spending several days in Roseburg on business.

**Attending to Business**—Mrs. Lawrence Henninger of Roseburg is spending a few days in Eugene on business.

**Here from Eugene**—T. V. Williams, adjuster for the Fire Company Adjustment Bureau Inc., Eugene, spent Monday in Roseburg on business.

**Here on Business**—Mrs. Howard Melvin, Mrs. Harry Davis and daughters and Mrs. Floyd Hickman, all of Glendale, were visitors in Roseburg Monday.

**Visiting Grandparents**—Miss Suzanne Singleton of Medford is in Roseburg visiting her parental grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Singleton, and other relatives and friends.

**Working in Front Office**—Miss Jo Carpenter, who has been on the reporter staff of the News-Review for the last year, has been transferred to the business office.

**Returns to Seattle**—Mrs. Clark Leedy, nee Meredith Anne Jenkins, has left for her home in Seattle, following a vacation spent in Roseburg visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jenkins.

**Daughter is Born**—A daughter was born Monday, July 30, to Lt. and Mrs. Gilbert Finlay at Long Branch, N. J., according to word received here. Lt. Finlay is a son of Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Finlay of Roseburg.

**Leave for South**—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Berg of Portland left for San Francisco on business following a stop-over in Roseburg visiting his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Berg and family.

**Visiting at Gruver Home**—Mrs. Ethel Mitchell of Portland is in Roseburg visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Gruver on Kane street. She plans to return home Thursday and will be accompanied by Mrs. Gruver, who will spend a week visiting in Portland.

**Visiting at Young Home**—Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Young and daughter, Elizabeth, and son, John, of San Francisco, are in Roseburg visiting Mr. Young's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Young, and also with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Young and family.

**Here on Leave**—William Gordon Kenny, PT-1c, U. S. navy, is spending his 28-day leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kenny, at Glendale. He has had 22 months' sea duty and served at Leyte and Okinawa. Following his leave he will report at Portland. He is a former student of Glendale schools, Monday Mr. Kenny and his mother spent the day in Roseburg visiting relatives and friends.

**Called to Portland**—Mrs. C. M. McDermott and daughter, Dorothy, and son, Robert, of Roseburg, left for Portland where they were called by the death of Mrs. McDermott's uncle. From Portland they expect to proceed to Neskonwinn to spend a few days vacationing.

**Called Home**—Corporal Bert T. Ridgeway arrived Saturday from Camp Wolters, Tex., having been called by the illness of his father, Thomas B. Ridgeway, who is a patient at Mercy hospital. He will be accompanied back to Texas by his wife and daughter, Joanne.

**Leave on Vacation**—Mr. and Mrs. Maurice J. Newland and daughter, Marcia, and son, Roderick of Roseburg, left Saturday for Diamond lake to enjoy a vacation which will be completed next week at the coast. Mr. Newland is employed by the Roseburg branch of the U. S. National bank.

**Bellview Club to Meet**—The Bellview club will meet Wednesday at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. J. Kester. A miscellaneous shower will be given by the club members for the Clyde Kester family, who recently lost their home by fire. Final plans will be made for the annual club picnic, which will be held August 14 at the Delbert Parker home on Deer Creek.

**Will Arrive Here**—Mrs. Earl Titus of Lookingglass has received word from her son, Sgt. Doyle R. Blacketer, who has just been given his discharge from service, that he is en route home following three and a half years' duty at the general headquarters in the South Pacific war area. He plans to send for his wife and baby who are now in Australia, and they expect to make their home in Roseburg.

**Leaves for East**—Mrs. R. M. Church of Roseburg left this morning for Minneapolis, Minn., to visit her uncle and meet her husband, Private R. M. Church, who has been stationed at Fort Sill, Okla., and who will accompany her back to Roseburg to spend his furlough. Private Church reports he had enjoyed meeting Lt. Col. Karl Connor, formerly of Roseburg. Both Private Church and Lt. Col. Connor formerly taught in Roseburg Junior High school.

**Spirit of Sherlock Holmes**—London, July 30—(AP)—Scotland Yard, preserving its world reputation despite a wartime shortage of detectives, had solved every London murder this year, the Daily Sketch said.

## Tuesday Thru Saturday at Star Theatre



George Murphy and Pat O'Brien play a couple of amateur sleuths in RKO Radio's hilarious murder mystery "Having a Wonderful Crime"

STAMPS GOOD DURING AUGUST			Stamps Expiring August 31st
BOOK 4	LETTER OR NUMBER	VALUE	
	Q2 thru Z2	10 points per stamp	Q2 thru U2
	and new stamps		
	Y2 and Z2	10 points per stamp	Y2 and Z2
	and new stamps		
	36	5 pounds	36

Chart above shows food ration stamps you may use during August and which ones won't be good in September. IMPORTANT: Uncle Sam says "Take care of your ration book. When red and blue stamps are used up, other stamps in the book will be used for meats, fats and processed foods."

### "Cure-All" Device in Hands of Law

PORTLAND, Ore., July 30—(AP)—A machine federal agents said today was a "cure-all" device, believed to have netted its promoters an estimated \$800,000, has been seized here on a U. S. Food and Drug bureau complaint. According to literature confiscated by U. S. Marshal Caulfield, the machine, called a "spectrochrome," was not for sale, but came free with a \$90 course claiming to restore "normalization of imbalance."

Agents said the device, which looks like a penny arcade picture box with a light bulb and eight colored plate glass slides, was charged with being misbranded. An attached plate said it was "for measurement and restoration of human radio-active and radio emanative equilibrium by attuned color waves." Its inventor was listed as Col. Dinshin P. Franz Ghadiali who signed himself "servant of suffering humanity" and who explains "my field—the cosmos. My faith—truth in the absolute. My aim—a spectro-chrome in every home." Food and drug bureau officials here said his aim reached about 9,000 homes from coast to coast, about 50 in Oregon where six of the machines have been located. Leaflets of instructions said subscribers to the course could meet with others once a month at "planet" meeting places. Portland was one of eight cities listed, with the "planet" meeting in a mid-town lodge temple, Caulfield reported.

The U. S. marshal said the inventor's name is as fictitious as the list of credentials which included "M. S. C., M. D., M. E., D. C., LL. D., N. D., D. OPT., D. F. S., D. H. T., and etc."

### Assets of Farmers Ten Times Their Total Debts

The balance sheet of U. S. agriculture underwent further improvement during 1944 and the total assets of agriculture on Jan. 1, 1945, were valued at 10 times the total indebtedness compared with the 1940 ratio of only 5 to 1, the USDA reports.

Continued high farm income is by far the most important single reason for the continued improve-

ment in the balance sheet. The Department of Agriculture cautions against a too rosy interpretation of the current balance sheet, pointing out that prudent farmers will allow for a possible decline in farm income after the war as they make plans for future operations. As an industry measured by the dollar value of its physical goods, agriculture increased from 69 billion dollars in 1943 to 74 billion in 1944. Its financial assets have jumped from 5 billion dollars on Jan. 1, 1940, to nearly 17 billion on Jan. 1, 1945. These assets increased nearly 4 billion dollars during 1944.

**Accused Mother Gives Bond**  
TACOMA, July 30—(AP)—Mrs. William Polesky has posted \$5,000 bond to guarantee her appearance in court on a charge of first degree assault on her new born daughter.

The child, found in a garbage can, still is in a hospital here.

**Elkton GI Returns**  
Corporal Lavern C. Thornton of Elkton, returning from combat in Europe, was scheduled to dock today at Hampton Roads, Va., aboard the SS Marine Raven, according to a report by the Associated Press.

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## Coast League Race Narrowed to Two Top Contenders

(By the Associated Press)  
With nine weeks left in the Pacific Coast Baseball league season the race for the 1945 bunting has narrowed down to a battle between the front-running Portland Beavers and the runner-up Seattle Rainiers.

Both Portland and Seattle, playing in California this week, will be endeavoring to improve their positions preliminary to their final series of the year starting August 7. The Rainiers, six games behind the pacesetter, will open a regulation engagement against the San Francisco Seals tonight while the Beavers will start their eight-game series against the Hollywood Stars in a Wednesday doubleheader.

Meanwhile, two San Francisco stars appear headed for the big time. President Charley Graham of the Seals announced yesterday that the New York Giants had asked for a price on Bob Joyce, 23-game winner, and Ben Guintini, talented outfielder.

Several major league clubs are known to be interested in Joyce, among them the Philadelphia Phillies, and the tall righthander appears sure to be drafted if he is not sold before the end of the season. He had one previous trial in the majors, with the Athletics in 1939.

### Water Projects Presage Thousands of Jobs

SEATTLE, July 31—(AP)—Thousands of jobs will be provided in the Pacific northwest with development of rivers and harbors in the postwar period. Rep. Henry D. Lawrence, Jr., of Louisiana, acting chairman of a

## DAILY DEVOTIONS

DR. CHARLES A. EDWARDS  
In his annual message to commencement, Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia University, made a devastating statement. He said if we do not rebuild our world on a moral foundation, the end of all that has been accomplished in five thousand years will not be far away. He traced the plight of civilization in our time to plain immorality growing out of calloused selfishness. He went on to affirm that the history of the world's religious philosophy, literature and science, regards wisdom on the highest plane, but that wisdom has failed to control the conduct of mankind. He insisted that the force that rules the world is conduct, whether it is moral or immoral. If it is moral at least there may be hope for the world; if immoral there is no hope. Young people will be called upon in the immediate future to determine whether mankind is intelligent and moral enough to put an end to the great brute force and pillage which threatened to bring civilization to an end. Sin is the greatest evil, and man's greatest menace.—Amen

rivers and harbors subcommittee, said here yesterday.

The committee is conducting an investigation of projects under consideration for the Pacific and gulf coasts.

"Beach erosion control has been at a standstill since the war," the congressman said, "and it is obvious that the government will have to embark on this program on a big scale as soon as a peace comes."

The project itself is important and it furthermore will furnish employment in many cases for returning soldiers as well as those out of work because of the cessation of war production.

## Large Audience Hears Roseburg School Band

The Roseburg School band, appearing in public for the first time in snappy new uniforms, played a brief concert at the Roseburg armory last night before a large audience. Prior to the concert, the band paraded Jackson street on the way to the armory. A concert also is to be played at the Veterans facility in the near future and arrangements are being made to attend the Reedsport rodeo Aug. 25 and 26.

**Scandal**  
TUCSON, Ariz., July 31—(AP)—Dr. F. H. Golderman says his 48 white hens are exchanging

suspicious, dark glances. An unidentified member of the flock recently laid a black egg.

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