

Local News

Groups to Hold Joint Meeting—The Chief Joseph Camp Fire group and guardian, Mrs. H. L. Bailey, and the Odako Camp Fire group and guardian, Mrs. Robert Harvie, will hold a joint meeting Wednesday at 4 o'clock at the Bailey home on Spruce street. All members of the two groups are requested to be present.

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Degree Staff to Practice—The Rebekah degree staff will practice Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock at the L.O.O.F. hall.

Pythian Sisters to Meet—The Pythian Sisters will meet Wednesday night at 8 at the K. of P. hall. Plans will be discussed for a degree staff and all members are asked to be present.

Ladies Club to Meet—The Calapooia Ladies club will hold an all-day meeting Wednesday with a noon potluck luncheon at the clubhouse. Quilting, Red Cross sewing and sewing for the bazaar will be enjoyed.

Leave for Merced—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Suksdorf and daughters, Mary Ellen and Marlene, of Coos Junction, left yesterday for Merced, Calif., to attend to property interests for a couple of months.

Back From Vacation—Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Berg and daughter, Mrs. Fred Briggs, and the latter's small daughter, Karen, have returned to their home in Roseburg, following a visit at Pendleton with relatives and friends.

Returns to Seattle—Lewis E. Jones, Jr., ACM 1st U. S. Navy, has returned to Seattle to continue his special training, following a visit in Roseburg with his mother, Mrs. Lewis E. Jones and family. He has recently been awarded the air medal.

R.A. and E. Club to Meet—The Roseburg Art and Embroidery club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. F. Snyder at 409 Cobb street with Mrs. William Bailey as hostess, instead of meeting at the Bailey home on South Deer creek as previously planned.

Iwa Group to Meet—The Iwa Camp Fire group will meet Wednesday at 3:30 o'clock at St. Joseph's Catholic school.

Pottowatomi Group to Meet—The Pottowatomi Camp Fire group will meet Wednesday, September 19, at 4 o'clock at the Roseburg Woman's clubhouse. All members are urged to be present.

Tawanka Group to Elect Officers—New officers of the Tawanka Camp Fire group will be elected Thursday at a meeting at 4 o'clock at the Fullerton school. All members and prospective members are asked to attend.

Batch of Offenders Pay Fines in Justice Court

Traffic fines paid in the Roseburg justice court were reported by Judge Thomas C. Hartfield today to include James R. Green, \$10, unit overload; George R. Wilkin, \$10, unit overload; James L. Rutherford, \$35, overload; George R. Wilkin, \$45, overload; Frederick W. Berwert, \$40, overload; George W. Butts, \$10, unit overload; Lester L. Coy, \$25 axle overload. A fine of \$25 was paid by Wallace O. Schull who pleaded guilty to a charge of attempting to shoot fish.

G. E. Stanciliff Funeral To Be Held Wednesday

Funeral services for George Ellis Stanciliff, 68, will be held in the chapel of the Roseburg Funeral home at 3 P. M., Wednesday, September 19. Mr. Stanciliff, a resident of Roseburg for 60 years, died at his home in Miller's Addition to Roseburg Monday. Surviving are a son, Ellis, Roseburg; a daughter, Georgia Rose, Roseburg; one sister, Mrs. Grace Krueger, Portland; two brothers, Frank, Roberts Creek; John, Roseburg; and one grandchild.

Federal Positions Open
Applications for positions of stenographer and typist for employment in various Federal government agencies in the states of Idaho, Montana, Oregon and Washington are being sought by the Civil Service commission, A. B. Casy, local secretary, announced today.

Salaries for stenographer are \$1704 to \$1902 a year and typist \$1506 to \$1902 a year. Complete information and forms for applying may be obtained from Mr. Casy at the Roseburg post office. Applications will be accepted until the needs of the service have been met.

Monte Johnson Funeral Set
Services for Monte Oscar Johnson, who died Monday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Johnson, Sutherlin, will be held in the Methodist church, Sutherlin, Sunday at 2 P. M., Rev. R. E. Matthews officiating. Interment will be in the Valley View cemetery. Arrangements are in care of the Stearns mortuary, Oakland.

Couple Accused
W. E. Eppler and Mildred Bassham, Roseburg, were at liberty under bail of \$200 each following their arrest today on a charge of cohabitation, Justice of the Peace Thomas C. Hartfield reported. They were admitted to bail following appearance in the justice court.

Sgt. L. E. Wright Returning
Sgt. Loren E. Wright, Roseburg, is scheduled to arrive in New York Wednesday aboard the Queen Elizabeth, according to report by the Associated Press.

DIVORCE COMPLAINTS
WESTCOTT—Marie vs. Clarence C. Westcott; married at Reno, Nev., July 3, 1944; cruelty.

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International Grip On Mediterranean World Peace Prop

By DeWITT MacKENZIE
(AP Foreign Affairs Analyst)
America's proposal, now before the Big Five council of foreign ministers in London, that Italy's colonies be placed under international trusteeship of the United Nations looks like a master stroke in the interests of world peace.

The Mediterranean theater is one of the most important zones strategically on the face of the globe. Throughout the centuries the nation or alliance which has had the upper hand in the Mediterranean also has had a mighty grip on Europe. The waters of this great sea have contained the elements of both peace and war—to be conjured up to suit the desire of the power in control. That is as true today as it was before the Hitlerian conflict produced epochal changes.

Pays for Il Duce's Gamble
Thus, if the allies now can insure that this great water highway is bordered by territories pledged to peace, one of the worst danger spots will have been removed from the eastern hemisphere. It will be hard on Italy to lose her African possessions and the Dodecanese islands, but she certainly can't be surprised if that's the price she is made to pay for Mussolini's gamble with the devil.

We may never know exactly what Il Duce's ambition aimed at, but even before he made his pact with Nazism there were indications that he was reaching for control of the Mediterranean—mare nostrum (our sea). We see that in his development of Libya, his wicked conquest of Ethiopia and his assistance to Generalissimo Franco in the Spanish civil war.

Anyway, now is the time for the peace-seeking United Nations to erect their safeguards against any future Mussolini. So it is encouraging to see the proposition of international trusteeship being considered by the Big Five council.

This is of course a matter of moment to Britain, since the Mediterranean highway is an essential link in her chain of empire. It's the shortest to her Far Eastern possessions and dominions via the Suez canal. It gives her quick access to the Near East—and don't forget that this means oil. These facts explain why England has maintained her famous naval base at Gibraltar, and the powerful air and naval base at Malta, and why she has strong land, air and naval forces based on Egypt by treaty arrangement. The big island of Cyprus, Palestine and Iraq also fall within her sphere of control. However, there has been no public indication that Britain wouldn't welcome the trusteeship arrangement. It would, to be sure, mean a readjustment of the influence she has wielded in the Mediterranean heretofore, but it would give her the security she desires.

4-H Canning Exhibition To Be Held at Junior High

The annual county 4-H Canning Achievement day will be held Saturday, September 22, in the Roseburg Junior High school, starting at 10 A. M. More than 40 girls and boys will exhibit canning in four divisions which will include fruit, vegetables, meats, relishes and pickles. In addition to the canning, those 4-H members who did not exhibit at aning Achievement days can exhibit their complete projects on Saturday.

Exhibits will be on display most of the day. The public is invited to come in and look over the work done by Douglas County 4-H club boys and girls. Mrs. Cecilia Van Winkle, Coos County home demonstration agent, will be the judge for all exhibits.

Reedport "B" Eleven Downs "A" Class Rivals

REEDSPORT—The Umpqua Braves, Reedport High "B" football squad, won its first game of the season on the home grounds last Saturday afternoon, defeating

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Rickenbacker's Co-Pilot Dated in Roseburg for Story of Life-Raft Drift



Lt. James C. Whitaker, above, co-pilot on the famed flight with Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker, will tell the dramatic story of his experiences adrift on a life-raft when he speaks at the Baptist church in Roseburg Saturday night, 7:30 o'clock, Sept. 22. Lt. Whitaker will relate one of the great stories coming out of the war—the tale of eight men against the sea and how through weeks of helpless drifting they found strength in God.

Mr. Whitaker, who kept a diary during the despairing days before the Rickenbacker crew was found, has written a best-selling story of their experiences, "We Thought We Heard the Angels Sing."

The general public is invited to hear of this unusual experience. The Coos Bay High "A" team 13 to 0. The teams were of equal size, but the Braves backs outplayed the visitors and at no time was the home team in danger. The Braves have only been in training nine days and showed considerable rugged play and weakness on the ends. The visitors have been in training for the past two weeks, it is said.

Mauriello Scores TKO Over Gunnar Barlund

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 18—(AP)—Tami Mauriello, 204-pound New York heavyweight, scored a technical knockout over Gunnar Barlund last night when the veteran Finnish fighter was ruled unable to answer the bell for the third round of a scheduled 10-round bout.

From the start the result never was in doubt as Mauriello, who is gunning for a bout with champion Joe Louis, gave the Finn a brief boxing lesson.

First Fat Stock Sale by 4-H's Set for Sept. 29

The first Douglas County 4-H fat stock sale is to be held Saturday, September 29, at the Schrieker auction barn. Animals to be sold will be exhibited by owners during the morning and will be sold at 2:00 P. M. Larry Fitzgerald, Marjorie Zeller, Bill Weir and Bill Matthews will each have a fat steer to be auctioned off. Fat lambs will be exhibited by Colleen Moore, Mary Lynn Holm, Marvin and Ivan Sigfridson and Bill Matthews. Fat hogs

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owned by Herbert Woods and Bill Matthews will be auctioned off to highest bidders.

This sale this year is being held to stimulate interest in fat stock projects and also toward holding an annual sale in conjunction with a county fair and 4-H Achievement day program. The sale is open to the public and everyone is welcome to attend.

tend and look over the livestock to be sold.

Parking Meters at Issue
SALEM, Ore., Sept. 18.—(AP)—The city council opened six bids last night on installation of parking meters in the downtown area, but said it would delay action until a public hearing is held. The proposal is opposed by businessmen.

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