

X-Ray Survey Unit Slated at South Douglas Places

MYRTLE CREEK—The Chest X-ray survey unit will be in Myrtle Creek at the school, 10 A. M. to 12 noon and from 1 P. M. until 4 P. M. Free chest x-ray will be made available not only to people of Myrtle Creek but to all of those living in the Southern part of the county, according to Mrs. Verne L. Adams, chairman for Myrtle Creek.

Registration blanks can be obtained for the use of Myrtle Creek residents at the Myrtle Creek town hall, Myrtle Creek Drug company or at the school. In Canyonville, T. L. Weaver is in charge of registration at the Weaver Realty company, with Mrs. Otto Pleitold at the OPA office assisting.

Mrs. Verna Powell is chairman at Riddle and blanks may be secured at Hart's Hardware company.

Other registration points are Day's Creek, Mrs. Wade Worthington and Mrs. Fritz Snyder being in charge, blanks being available at the post office; Milo registers at its post office; Mrs. R. C. Hodgkinson in charge; Mrs. Elton Jackson is chairman for Tiller and Mrs. Audrey Gabriel for Drew. Residents of Glendale will be x-rayed at Grants Pass when the unit visits the latter city.

All persons wishing to take advantage of this opportunity to have the free x-ray are asked to sign up within the week at their nearest registration point.

Increased Supply Of Eggs Short of Meeting Demands

Three billion eggs from United States hens in October were not enough to satisfy consumer demand, nor were the 28 million laid by Oregon hens that month. These totals were 5 and 7 per cent under a year ago, but were 43 and 17 per cent, respectively, above the 10-year average.

The dearth of supply compared with demand has continued through November with prices at ceilings through the week ending November 27, though receipts at terminals indicate a slight gain in production.

Storage stocks were freely used and are reported at a low level. Indications are that storage reserves will be well cleaned up by the time current receipts become sufficient for the demand. At Portland large grade AA eggs sold to retailers at 61 cents while grade A's were 59 cents. Grade A mediums were 54 and smalls 46 cents. These are ceiling prices and have prevailed since mid-November. Ceiling prices of eggs on the Pacific coast are scheduled to remain at present levels until mid-December when the seasonal decline begins.

The poultry market at Portland has taken on a little easier tone recently. Offerings of young chickens have increased and on occasion were in excess of the slower demand. Current arrivals were showing a high proportion of young stock and light receipts of hens. Paying prices however, were unchanged.

Turkey buyers the past few days have become more aggressive and a larger percentage of sales at Portland has occurred at the outside of recent price ranges. Grade A young hens yesterday brought 40-41 cents f.o.b. the dressing plant while young toms were 35-36 cents.

Hatchery operations for the country as a whole during October were at a record high for the month. Output was 43 per

cent larger than last year and 5 per cent above the previous October record which occurred in 1943. The number of chicks hatched during the first 10 months of this year exceeded the output during the same months of last year by 25 per cent. All sections of the country, with the exception of the Mountain States, reported increased hatchings in October as compared with a year earlier.

Colorful Groups Slated in Concert By Band and Chorus

Friday night's concert by the Roseburg School band and combined chorus will be pleasing to the eye as well as the ear, Les Irving, conductor, reported today. The band will be garbed in attractive uniforms, recently purchased, while girls of the chorus will appear in formal gowns.

The concert, to be given at Senior High school gymnasium, starting at 8 o'clock, will include band selections, vocal numbers by the advanced girls chorus, combined girls chorus, boys chorus and combined mixed chorus, together with vocal duets, whistling solo and other specialty numbers. The music will range from marches, cornet and light concert, to the heavy classics, offering something to please every musical taste, Irvin states.

Proceeds will be used to buy instruments needed to complete the band's instrumentation.

"Visual Education" to Be P.-T. A. Meet Topic

A forum on "Visual Education" will be conducted by Alva Laws, assisted by Mrs. Iris Arkell, at a meeting of the Fullerton P.T.A. to be held Monday, December 3, at 3:30 o'clock at the school house. Mrs. Gordon Bennett, president, has asked all parents to be present. Refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting.

Vital Statistics

BORN

PORTER—To Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Porter of Myrtle Creek at the Myrtle Creek hospital, November 22, a daughter, Rosemary Jane; weight seven pounds fourteen ounces.

LAMM—To Mr. and Mrs. Rex J. Lamm of Canyonville at the Myrtle Creek hospital, November 25, a daughter, Janet Mary; weight seven pounds twelve and one-half ounces.

Peace Hanging in Balance Because Of Big 3 Discord

By DeWITT MacKENZIE
LONDON, Nov. 29.—(AP)—This column ventured the prediction weeks ago that the coming year would largely determine whether we are to have real peace or whether mankind is to commit atomic hara-kiri.

The signs have seemed to me to indicate that in this general period (for I'm not trying to pin the thing down to an exact length of time) we shall encounter the paramount international problems upon which peace hinges. Among these, of course, are the sharp and dangerous differences which have arisen among the Big Three, whose solidarity is synonymous with peace and security.

Now the corollary to this is that the quicker the new United Nations peace organization gets into action to help settle the difficulties, the better will be our chances of avoiding further conflict. With that thought in mind I've been making inquiries in circles of the preparatory commission which is getting the security organization assembly, and have found ready agreement with this thesis.

Our whole new peace organization may be functioning in a little more than a month if things move as well as expected. Then the world's major problems, both political and economic, can come before the United Nations.

Atomic Energy Tops
One of the earliest questions

to be dealt with by the assembly will be the control of atomic energy—a subject which is causing international heart-burnings that are smoldering but none the less dangerous. However, there is a wide range of problems which can come before the assembly, for any issue which threatens international tranquility is grist for the peace mill.

If this idea is pursued to its logical conclusion we may see the United Nations organization dealing with some issues which heretofore would have been regarded as not international in character but as purely the business of the nation immediately concerned. Thus a civil war, such as now exists in China, may become the concern of the world at large since it certainly threatens the peace of more than China.

Dairy Payment Deadline

November 30 is an important deadline. It's the last day for farmers to make application for dairy production payments on sales of milk and butterfat during the third quarter. Payment rates for this period—July, August and September—are 13 cents a pound for butterfat, 55 cents a hundredweight for whole milk.

Hurley's Rap At State Dept. Backed Up by Two Others

ATLANTA, Nov. 29.—(AP)—A former American diplomat today lauded Maj. Gen. Patrick Hurley for "revealing the obstructionist tactics of American foreign service 'career' officers in the Far East and the State department."

Hug G. Grant of Atlanta, former minister to Albania, minister to Siam and member of the State department during 1933-42, said of Hurley's resignation as ambassador to China:

"Ambassador Hurley is on the right track about the confusion of our foreign policy as a result of the tactics of professional 'career' officers in the lower brackets of the service."

"Under the existing system," he said in an interview in the Atlanta Journal, "neither an ambassador nor a minister has any real control over his own mission, since the 'career' officers are assigned from the department and in many cases have 'timelines' to powerful fellow

"career" officers in the department. These men can absolutely 'break' a chief of mission and they can ignore and circumvent the established foreign policy of the president and the secretary of state."

Grant said "General Hurley's description of his experiences with 'career' diplomats in China sounds like a chapter out of my own experiences in two missions abroad" which he said led to his resignation—which he had not tendered—being accepted "by cablegram from acting Secretary of State Sumner Welles, a top 'career' officer."

FORT WORTH, Tex., Nov. 29.—(AP)—Patrick J. Hurley's indictment of United States foreign policy administration in the Far East had the endorsement of Maj. Gen. Claire L. Chennault, former commander of the "Flying Tigers" and the 14th Air Force in China.

In an interview here, Chennault expressed praise for Hurley's action in "placing the issue of foreign policy in China squarely before the people."

"It's time that we decide what our policy in the Far East will be, and having made that decision, that we implement it 100

per cent with all our efforts and caused the others because of 'an act of God'."

STERN JUSTICE
WATERTOWN, N. Y., Nov. 29.—(AP)—City Judge Michael Renzi was one of more than 100 motorists to receive parking tickets when their automobiles were stalled in a 36-inch snowfall. Renzi fined himself \$1 but ex-

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