

# Local News

**Auxiliary to Meet**—The Ladies Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will meet Monday night at 7:30 o'clock at the Eagles Hall on South Pine Street.

**Circle No. 2 to Meet**—Circle No. 2 of St. Joseph's Altar Society will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Cecelia Watzig at 435 South Main Street with Mrs. Bruce Carter as co-hostess.

**Dance to Be Held**—The V.F.W. department of Oregon will sponsor a dance Monday night from 7:45 to 10 o'clock at the Veterans Facility. Members of the auxiliary of Patrick W. Kelley post and friends are invited to attend.

**Return to Eugene**—Mr. and Mrs. Duane Nichols have returned to their home in Eugene, following a visit in Roseburg with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rand and daughters, Joyce and Joan. Mrs. Nichols was formerly Miss Lois Spratlan of Roseburg.

**Lady Lions to Meet**—The Lady Lions will meet Monday night at 6:30 o'clock dinner at the Tavern Grille with Mrs. J. C. Bewley and Mrs. Charles Brundage, hostesses. Members are asked to make reservations by Saturday by calling Mrs. Bewley at 841.

**Stops Over Here**—Ensign William J. Shanklin, who has been stationed by the Navy in Honolulu, stopped over in Roseburg this week to visit his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Shanklin, en route to the Seattle Naval base. This was his first visit with the Shanklins in 18 years.

**Back From Eugene**—Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Welt and the former's mother, Mrs. Austin Welt, have returned to their home in Roseburg from a business trip to Eugene. Mrs. Welt is the former Vivian Domenico, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Domenico, who reside in Edenboro.

**Honorably Discharged**—Staff Sergeant Lee Zenor has been honorably discharged from the Army, following three years as administration specialist with the Army headquarters at Tucson, Arizona. He attended Roseburg Senior High and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Zenor of 305 Second Avenue South.

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**Reported Improved**—Mrs. Walter Cloak, if Roseburg is now reported to be improved at Mercy Hospital, where she has been receiving medical treatment for the last two weeks.

**Visiting Here**—Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Ritter, Jr. of Florence are spending a few days at Ritter's "Beck Party" on the North Umpqua at Winchester. The former is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Ritter, Sr.

**Back From Eugene**—Mrs. Fred A. Knight returned to her home on West First street last night, following several days in Eugene with her daughter, Mrs. R. B. Houser, nee Shirley Knight, who has been ill. Mrs. Houser is reported to be improving.

**Son Is Born**—A son, Max William H. Weigh, nine pounds and six ounces was born January 3 in the Sacred Heart hospital in Eugene to Mr. and Mrs. Karl F. Kimmel, of Roseburg. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hassler, of Mt. Angel, Ore., and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Max W. Kimmel, of Roseburg.

**Lions to Again Sponsor Polio Fund Benefit Ball**

The Roseburg Lions Club, at its regular Thursday night dinner meeting, agreed to again accept sponsorship of the annual ball given as a fund for the infantile paralysis benefit. Carl Felker, appointed general chairman, has named Dr. Bruce Tuck and Don Glantz to conduct the advance ticket sale; Thomas Hartfield, admissions; Lon Hunt, publicity; and Les Irvin, music.

The club will observe Past Presidents' night January 17 and plans will be presented former presidents who have not received their pins previously.

The program at last night's meeting featured a short talk by Carl Felker on his experiences with the armed forces. Felker was appointed to fill a vacancy on the board of directors.

President G. J. Gilho urged attendance of members at the zone meeting in Junction City January 21.

C. W. Wray of Coos Bay Lions Club was a guest at the meeting.

**Patronage Pleasing to State Bank in Roseburg**

"Distinct satisfaction" with the city's reception of the Douglas County State Bank since its organization last June 11 was expressed by Tom Garrison, president and chairman of the Board of Directors, this morning following the annual stockholders' meeting yesterday.

Garrison and five others were re-elected to the board, which in turn chose Garrison as president. Ed Young as vice-president and Clem Howard as cashier. Others on the board are Lawrence Henninger, Elmer Metzger and Roy Young.

"We have a feeling of deep satisfaction at the success of this, the only home-owned bank in Roseburg, as indicated by our two-and-a-half million dollars in assets," Garrison declared. "The reception given us is a very satisfactory sign that an independently-owned and operated bank was needed by this community."

**Pvt. Stanley Jantzer Discharged With Honors**  
AZALEA — Pfc. Stanley Jantzer returned to the United States recently, and was honorably discharged at Fort Lewis with 62 points to his credit. He was met in Seattle by his wife, Mrs. Stanley Jantzer, who accompanied him home after his discharge.

Entering the Army in June, 1944, Jantzer completed his training at Camp Wolters, Texas. He was sent overseas in December, 1944, where he served 10 months in the Philippines and two months in Japan.

He was awarded the Purple Heart, and holds the Combat Infantryman's Badge and the Asiatic-Pacific Theater Ribbon with two battle stars.

**Funeral Services Set For Rosa A. Heeschen**

Funeral services for Rosa Anna Heeschen, 71, who died Monday, will be held in The Dalles, Sunday, January 13, with the Roseburg Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Heeschen came to Roseburg to make her home six months ago from Portland. Surviving is her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Van Horn, of The Dalles Cemetery.

**Timothy N. Safford Dies At Veterans Hospital**

Timothy Nathan Safford, 67, died at the Veterans Hospital Tuesday. Mr. Safford was born April 5, 1878, at Trinidad, Calif., and was admitted to the hospital about three weeks ago from Klamath, Calif. He was a veteran of World War I. The body has been removed to the Douglas Funeral home and is being prepared for shipment to San Francisco, for burial in the National Cemetery.

**NOTICE**  
All Barber Shops in Roseburg will be closed on Saturday at 6:00 P. M. until further notice.

## Adventists Here Buy Residence For Their Teachers

Purchase of a house at 1021 Harvard Street as a residence for teachers in the Roseburg Church School was announced Wednesday night in the annual business meeting of the local Seventh Day Adventist Church. The meeting included a review of the church's work during the past year.

Mrs. O. T. Rogers, the church clerk, reported an increase in membership from 273 in 1944 to 311 in 1945. The treasurer, Mrs. W. A. Firman, reported the tithes and offerings given during the past year as \$55,941.20. A. D. Buthers, principal of the Roseburg Church School, reported the present enrollment of the school to be 86. Four full-time teachers are being employed for the current school term.

**The Dorcas Society**, under the leadership of Mrs. N. C. Erntson, reported 1,678 articles of clothing had been collected and shipped for distribution in Europe. The Missionary Volunteer Society has conducted a successful Sunday School at Cleveland Hill during 1945. The Sabbath School Department, with O. A. Keenel as superintendent, has been sponsoring one of the largest free religious programs in the city. The children's divisions alone numbered 125.

During the past six months the church has had the services of Mr. Eugene Hamlin, a graduate of Walla Walla College. He is serving as ministerial intern and is assisting Elder N. C. Erntson in the Roseburg district, which includes Drain, Sutherlin, Roseburg, and Myrtle Creek.

The local elders for the new year are: E. B. Estelle, Leona Webb, and A. L. Reinbaum, H. D. Matthews, John Howard, Arthur Walleen, Homer Rhoads and Othel Cook. The Home Missionary secretary, Ernest Johnson, reported that the church was very active in its missionary work.

**Slaughterings of Stock Start Off At Increased Rate**  
January slaughtering in federally inspected plants have started off at an increased rate with volume exceeding that of a year ago, according to the weekly livestock and wool review prepared by the OSC extension service from USDA market reports and other data. This increase follows smaller marketings of livestock in the late weeks in 1945 than a year earlier.

With 2800 head of cattle offered on the exchange at North Portland, Monday, buyers had a bargaining advantage and pressed for lower prices. Choice steers held unchanged at a top of \$17.50 but all other classes except yearlings and sausage bulls declined 25 cents to \$1. Cows were in weakest position and declined as much as \$1 on some grades. By Wednesday the market had been pretty well cleared under a board demand and prices were showing more strength.

At San Francisco, the market weakened but in the midwest, notably Chicago, prices strengthened despite larger arrivals. Offerings, however, were not as numerous as a year ago. A larger than usual proportion sold at the ceiling of \$18.

**Sheep Market Steady**  
The sheep and lamb market at North Portland held steady to strong Monday, and the 1200 offerings cleared readily. However, when another sizable supply of 1200 head appeared on Tuesday buyers were slow to take hold except at a 25-50 cent lower price level. A few sold at Monday's prices but most of the supply went at the lower figure. The top on lambs Wednesday and Thursday was \$14.

Marketings of hogs are increasing but they are still well below a year ago and below trade levels. Prices continue at trading levels.

For several weeks trading in wool at the Boston, the principal market of the U. S., has been of small volume and mostly involved foreign wools.

The relationship between prices of domestic wool held by the Combed and Credit Corporation and foreign wools was strongly in favor of the foreign group until late November when handlers were authorized to sell government holdings of either shorn or pulled wool at a schedule which

averaged about 7 cents under that previously in effect.

Supplies of foreign-grown wool offered on U. S. markets have increased greatly during recent years. Imports of apparel wool, used largely for men's and women's outer wear, increased from an average of about 10 per cent of total U. S. production during the five years 1930-1934, to 20 per cent in 1935-1939, and to 150 per cent in 1940-1944. The proportion of total mill consumption of apparel wool in the U. S. accounted for by foreign wool increased from an average of about 10 per cent during the five years 1930-1934, to 14 per cent in 1935-1939, and to 45 per cent during the five years 1940-1944.

**Bataan March's Victims Put Blame On Gen. Homma**

MANILA, Jan. 10.—(AP)—A young Filipino captain—a man the Japanese couldn't kill—today confronted in a war crimes trial courtroom the commander accused of responsibility for Bataan death march atrocities, Lt. Gen. Homma.

At a Homma's order, Capt. Pedro L. Felix, one of only two survivors of the massacre of 400 Filipino officers, peeled off his shirt and exposed his bare back. Spectators gasped. Homma's bushy brows knitted as his black eyes saw four dark spots in the center of the young captain's back. Then he looked away.

The spots were scars left by four bayonet thrusts in April 1942, when Japanese guards lined up 400 Filipino officers and non-coms at the end of a ravine and beheaded or bayoneted them. Felix said the order to kill them was personally given by Gen. Nara, a subordinate of Homma.

Other death march survivors also testified.

T-Sgt. Idrace M. Clark of Salisbury, Md., said a Japanese officer, enraged because an American soldier collapsed and couldn't regain his feet, hacked off the prostrate man's head with two sword strokes.

Col. John H. Ball of Williamsport, Pa., wept as he described "death march" scenes.

Ball, wiping tears from his eyes, told how a Japanese guard bayoneted a Japanese Filipino who had flung himself down to drink dirt, water.

"His Filipino made a noise you can't forget—like a baby crying," said the officer, a veteran of 30 years' service. "There are many things about that march you mind wants to forget—and can't."

**Townsend's District Council to Meet Here**

The Fourth Congressional District Council of Townsend Clubs, comprising clubs in seven counties, will hold a meeting in Roseburg Sunday, January 13, at 1:30 o'clock at the Circuit Court room at the Courthouse. An executive meeting of the council will be held at the same place at 10:30 A. M. The public is invited to the afternoon session.

**Vital Statistics**

**BORN**  
WESLEY—To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wesley, of Roseburg, January 7, a daughter, Brenda Mary; weight seven pounds eleven ounces.

**NIEBUHR**—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Niebuhr of Roseburg at Mercy Hospital, Sunday, January 6, a daughter, Carol Jon; weight six pounds.

**MARTINSON**—To Mr. and Mrs. George Martinson, of Sutherlin, at Mercy Hospital, Tuesday, January 8, a daughter, Debra Victoria; weight nine pounds twelve ounces.

**Marriage Licenses**  
MURPHY — MURPHY — Lawrence Murphy and Sylvia Ilene Murphy, both of Roseburg.

**Divorce Complaint**  
DOLL, Clifford; Oliver vs. Irene Helen Doll; married at Sutherlin, Oct. 16, 1943; cruelty.

**Divorce Granted**  
BRATTON—Fertin from Audrey Bratton; married at Vancouver, Wash., March 22, 1941; cruelty; custody of daughter, Varen Ann Bratton, awarded to father.

## Sadistic Actions Of Streicher Told At Trial of Nazis

NUERNBERG, Germany, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Herman Goering's own secret investigation of Julius Streicher in 1939 showed the notorious Nazi Jew baiter as a sadist and thief, according to a document introduced before the International Military Tribunal today.

Both men listened intently from opposite sides of the dock in the war crimes trials of 22 leading Nazis. They did not glance at each other.

Earlier, the judges heard in the words of another defendant, Hans Frank, the Poles "slaves of the Greater German Empire."

Goering's investigation, made while he was still the second most powerful man in Germany, said: "Gaulleiter Streicher likes to beat people with a riding whip, but only if he is in company with several persons assisting him. Usually the beatings are carried out with sadistic brutality."

The report said that under Streicher's Aryanization program Jews were forced to sell their property at ten per cent of its value. Goering's investigating commission charged that Streicher himself obtained control of a big Jewish-owned publishing house through a "forced sale."

In describing Streicher's sadistic nature, the report related a case in which he bloodily beat a Prof. Steiruck in a prison cell. Streicher remarked to a colleague: "Now I am relieved. I needed that again."

"Later, he also stated several times that he needed another Steiruck case in order to 'relieve himself,' the report said.

Pornographic pictures and articles appearing in Streicher's newspaper denouncing the Jews and demanding their extermination also were offered in evidence by a young British prosecutor, who charged they served as "incitement to murder."

Streicher wrote in a German medical journal: "One of the Jews' main purposes in life is to seduce Aryan women. One single cohabitation of a Jew with an Aryan woman is sufficient to poison her blood forever."

"Never again will she be able to bear purely Aryan children, even when married to an Aryan. They will all be bastards with dual souls and bodies of a mixed breed."

Frank, who attempted to take his own life at the time of his arrest, sat stiffly in the prisoners' box as Assistant U. S. Prosecutor Baldwin read from his diary a list of brutal ages.

"Once we have won the war," read an entry in Frank's diary on Jan. 14, 1944, "then for all I care

miscellaneous can be made of the Poles."

Over and over again Frank called upon his aides to be brutal and ruthless in carrying out Hitler's program for Poland—a program that specified a low standard of living, elimination of the power of the Roman Catholic Church and a ban preventing the intelligentsia from forming into a ruling class.

**"Ike" Sees No Reason for Punishing Manila GIs**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower reported to President Truman today that there was no need for disciplinary action against troops who demonstrated at Manila in protest against a slow-down in demobilization.

The Army chief of staff told the President there was no need of action because there had been "no acts of violence or disorder."

Mr. Truman made public a memorandum from Eisenhower approving the decision of Lt. Gen. William D. Styer, commanding general in the Philippines, who attributed the discontent to "acute homesickness aggravated by the termination of hostilities."

While basing his memorandum on the report "from Styer, Eisenhower also reported that Gen. Douglas MacArthur, supreme allied commander in Japan, had said of the demonstrating soldiers:

**Highway Conditions in Oregon Reported Better**

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 11.—(AP)—Highways in the Willamette Valley were dangerously icy this morning, but the State Highway Commission predicted the pavement would be cleared later in the day by rising temperatures.

The South Santiam Highway, which had been closed by a slide at Upper Soda for one day, was reopened yesterday.

The daily road report included: Siskiyou summit—Clear, 18 degrees. Icy spots been sanded. Packed snow on Highway 66, but sanded.

Klamath Falls—All roads in good shape and sanded. Temperatures 10 degrees below zero at Sun Mountain on The Dalles-California highway.

Eugene—Frosty and fog. One-way traffic at Blue River bridge Thursday.

Medford—Heavy fog, freezing. Coquille—Some ice on pavement, being sanded. Heavy fog.

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## Noted Preacher to Speak in Roseburg

Rev. Bron Clifford of Boston, Mass., will begin a series of special meetings at the First Baptist Church in Roseburg Tuesday night, January 13 at 7:30. Rev. Mr. Clifford is the son of Dr. Henry Clifford, who for many years was pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Boston. He is a direct descendant of Dr. John Glendon, who was known as the "Gladstone of English Baptists."

His mother is a direct descendant of the famous Welsh preacher, Christian Evans. Bron, who is a single man and only twenty-seven years of age, was recently offered the leading part in the movie based on the book, "The Robe." He has spoken to over 400 student bodies in the United States and Canada. He has preached face to face to more than four million people in the past seven years. He had charge of the Temple of Religion at the New York World's Fair. Bron will lead the singing and sing solos as well as preach.

**Agreement Calls Off Pickets at Grants Pass**

GRANTS PASS, Ore., Jan. 10.—(AP)—Pickets at the Redwoods Coffee Shop were called off their beat Wednesday afternoon after an agreement was signed between the shop and local number 329 of the Hotel and Restaurant Employees International Alliance.

Picketing was begun December 18 in an effort by the union to gain recognition and an agreement on wage scale.

The agreement was signed for the coffee shop by Mrs. Coral Robertson, manager, and Mrs. Marjorie Barnes, secretary for local 329.

**Train Hits Empty Auto, Injuring Ex-Occupant**

PORTLAND, Jan. 11.—(AP)—A freak crash involving a car and a north-bound passenger train near Canby last night left Mrs. Velma May Oberg, 35, Portland, seriously injured in a hospital here today.

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auto—hurled from the track by a train—struck Mrs. Oberg. Beck was not injured, officers said, but the car was demolished.

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