

Local News

H. E. C. to Meet—The Azalea Grange Home Economics Club will meet Wednesday, March 20, at the grange hall.

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

Attending to Business—Dr. and Mrs. L. M. Leimbach of Roseburg have been spending the last few days in Portland on business.

Reported Improved—Mrs. G. V. Wimberly, who has been ill at her home on Glenn Street for the last few days, is reported to be improved.

Here From Seattle—Willard Moran of Seattle is in Roseburg visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Morgan, and with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morgan, and family.

Social Club to Meet—The O. E. S. Social Club of Canyonville will meet Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Clara Weaver with Ethel Hutchinson as co-hostess.

Baptist Women to Meet—The Baptist Women's Society will meet Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at the church parlors for a business session, to be followed by a 12:30 o'clock potluck luncheon. A program celebrating the 75th anniversary of the National Women's American Baptist Foreign Missionary Society will be held at 1:30 o'clock.

Leaves for East—Miss Helen Casev left last night for Portland, where she took the train for New York City and Washington, D. C., to enjoy several weeks vacation visiting relatives and friends. While in New York City she will be a guest of Mrs. Arthur W. Clarke, formerly of this city. In Washington, D. C., she will visit relatives and with Congressman and Mrs. Harris Ellsworth.

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1 Pictured
2 U. S. Representative
3 With eyelashes
4 Dread
5 Wolf-hound
6 One time
7 Pleasant
8 Belongs to it
9 Comes in
10 Hog
11 Anent
12 Like
13 Pint (ab.)
14 Note of scale
15 Smells
16 Inn
17 Born
18 Greek letter
19 Sea
20 Force back
21 Artificial language
22 South Carolina (ab.)
23 Type measure
24 Month (ab.)
25 Limb
26 Mistakes
27 Sorcery
28 Labor
29 Comfort
30 Level
31 Group of nine
32 Horns
33 Against
34 Birds

VERTICAL
1 Dropped
2 Sad cry
3 Waterfall (Scott.)
4 Tantalum (symbol)
5 English school
6 Lesse
7 Lover (Scott.)
8 Vase
9 Fall in drops
10 Tractable
11 Egypt's capital
12 She
13 Kingly
14 Cerium (symbol)
15 Perfume
16 Globes
17 Open spaces
18 Indian idol
19 Number
20 Pat
21 Decaim
22 Halo
23 She
24 Kingly
25 Meat cuts
26 Live coals
27 He represents
28 Terbulum (symbol)
29 (ab.)



Patch and Chat Club to Meet—The Patch and Chat Club will meet Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. E. H. Verrell.

Surplus War Goods Open To Public Next Monday

PORTLAND, March 19.—(AP)—The man in the street will be able to buy surplus goods here next Monday.

After that date, when the war assets administration takes over the disposal of surplus property, consumer goods will be sold here directly to buyers.

Previously consumer goods were handled through the Seattle office; and veterans groups and chambers of commerce objected that the system required too much traveling.

C. T. Mudge, Portland businessman, will head the WAA regional office here. Surplus goods disposal had previously been under the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

Charles Dickens and William Makepeace Thackeray who belonged to the same London clubs, and were giants of the Victorian novelists, were personal rivals and in one angry break didn't speak for five years.

Nimitz Opposes Planned Slash in Size of Navy

WASHINGTON, March 19.—(AP)—Adm. Chester W. Nimitz told a House committee today it would take a "minimum of six months" to bring the Navy back to its 1945 fighting strength if an emergency arose.

Nimitz, chief of Naval operations, told the Naval committee that proposed \$2,100,000,000 cut in Navy funds would "jeopardize the influence of our nation in world affairs and the defense of our homeland."

"If the nature of the emergency were such that demobilization could be stopped," he said, "I would estimate that a minimum of six months would be required" to rebuild the Navy to its strength of last fall.

Drifting Nippon Mines Peril Coast Fishermen

WASHINGTON, March 19.—(AP)—So many Japanese mines have drifted across the Pacific ocean into American waters West Coast fishermen want the Coast Guard to do something more about it.

Fishermen wrote Senator Magnuson (D-Wash.) they were "weary" of dodging mines that apparently broke loose from moorings in Japanese coastal waters and floated 5,000 miles with the current to the West Coast.

They complained that one fishing boat had to stand guard all day, watching a mine, before a Coast Guard vessel came to destroy it.

Oregon "Lifer" Loses Plea to Supreme Court

SALEM, Ore., March 19.—(AP)—The state Supreme Court today dismissed the appeal of Maley Stone, who was sentenced in Polk County to life imprisonment as an habitual criminal.

The grounds for the dismissal, requested by the Polk County district attorney, were that Stone's attorney, Leroy Lomas, failed to file the transcript of the lower court record with the state Supreme Court within the time prescribed by law.

Stone also was convicted of the Grande Ronde bank robbery two years ago.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Larson Funeral Services Set

Funeral services for Mrs. Wilhelmina Larson will be held at Fair Oaks Church at 4 A. M. Wednesday, March 20. The Rev. H. P. Sconce will officiate. Interment will be in Fair Oaks cemetery. Arrangements are in charge of Stearns Mortuary, Oakland.

Two Fined, One Jailed

One man was jailed and two men were fined for traffic violations. Justice of the Peace Thomas C. Hartfield reported this morning: Thomas Sidney Pendry, 30, 10 days for vagrancy; Everett Telkamp, defective headlights, \$10, and no tail-light, \$10; Elbert G. Godfrey, no muffler, \$10.

Every part of the world contributes coloring materials for the tiles in America's bathrooms. Cobalt for blue is obtained from Norway, Sweden, Finland and Canada; manganese for black comes from Brazil, Russia and India; chrome for pink, green and maroon is imported from Rhodesia, New Caledonia, Greece and Russia.

Red Cross chapters arranged for housekeepers for servicemen's wives returning home with new babies.

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Hitler's Phony Offer to Britain Via Sweden Told

NUERNBERG, March 19.—(AP)—Birger Dahlerus, a Swedish engineer, testified today that the Swedish government rejected a suggestion three weeks before the outbreak of World War II that it—or King Gustaf V—attempt to mediate between Germany and Britain.

However, Dahlerus told the International Military Tribunal, the government offered no objection to a private citizen attempting such intervention and he said he personally carried a six-point peace plan from Adolf Hitler to British Prime Minister Chamberlain four days before the Wehrmacht marched into Poland.

Much of the effect of Dahlerus' testimony seemed lost, however, when he said that near the end of his efforts "I then realized his (Hitler's) aim had been to split Poland and England and conquer Poland without running the risk of war with France and Britain."

Taking the stand as a defense witness for Hermann Goering, Dahlerus gave a vivid picture of a midnight meeting with the Fuehrer in Berlin. He said Hitler, highly excited, shouted:

"I will build U-boats, U-boats! U-boats I will build; I will build airplanes, airplanes, airplanes, and I will win the war."

Dahlerus' account of his negotiations paralleled in its essentials the story previously told in his book, "The Last Attempt," and included much material already related in a British foreign office Blue Book.

The witness said Hitler's proposals, which he took to 10 Downing Street on August 27, 1939, for submission to Chamberlain, Lord Halifax and others, were:

1. Germany would sign a pact of alliance with Britain.

2. England would help Germany obtain Danzig and the Polish corridor, but give the Poles the use of Danzig's port.

3. Germany would guarantee Poland's sovereignty.

4. Agreement on Germany's former colonies.

5. "Adequate guarantees" on the treatment of the German minority in Poland.

6. Germany would pledge to defend the British empire with the German Wehrmacht wherever it might be attacked.

Before handing over the proposals, Dahlerus said, Hitler upbraided the British and asked bitterly why he found it impossible to reach an agreement with Britain. Dahlerus said he responded that it was because the "British people lacked confidence in him."

Sutherland

SUTHERLIN—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Squier Mrs. Bud Holm, Bobbie Bratton and Henry Metzger went to Portland last Wednesday to give blood for a transfusion to Miss Edith Bratton, who is very ill in the Emanuel Hospital.

Mrs. Squier, Mr. Metzger and Bobbie Bratton's blood typed with hers, but only Bobbie's was used at this time.

Mrs. George Stamp is very ill at her home west of Sutherland with the flu.

Carl Thornton, Clint Bamber and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Peppit shopped and transacted business in Roseburg Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Squier have bought the property belonging to the Presbyterian Church, and

will build a house on the foundation of the burned church, which has been there for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Murphy of San Diego, Calif., arrived in Sutherland the latter part of the week to visit with the former's mother, Mrs. Maude Murphy and other relatives and friends. Harry has received his honorable discharge from the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Slack and son, Marvin, and Mrs. Brittain Slack shopped and transacted business in Eugene Tuesday.

Clara Holman of Portland was in Sutherland Monday, greeting friends and will soon be moving to California for the health of their young son, who has been ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Souler, shopped and transacted business in Roseburg Monday.

William Murphy of the Navy, who has been stationed at Seattle, arrived in Sutherland the latter part of the week and is visiting with his mother, Mrs. Maude Murphy, his sisters, Miss Edith Mae and Mrs. Myra Miller. Bill has received his honorable discharge from the Navy.

Million in Back Pay Granted Longshoremen

SEATTLE, March 19.—(AP)—A thousand longshoremen at Everett will receive approximately a million dollars in back pay and about \$500,000 will go to 20,000 longshoremen here under settlement of the eastwise retroactive pay issue which had been holding up 1946 contract negotiations, M. G. Ringenberg, president of the Waterfront Employers of Washington, said.

An agreement on payment of \$8,000,000 was reached at San Francisco yesterday between CIO longshoremen, officials and Pacific Coast waterfront employers.

Vital Statistics

Marriage License
LEE HAYES, Ovulun R. Lee and Betsy Hayes, both of Roseburg.

Divorce Complaint
WILLIAMS—Norman A. vs. Marie Emma Williams; married at Sutherland, June 10, 1940; cruelty.

Divorce Decrees
CRIPPEN—Lorna from David A. Crippen; married at Vancouver, Wash., April 3, 1937; cruelty.

SIMMONS—Genevieve from Henry Dale Simmons; married at Roseburg, December 24, 1936; cruelty.

Stanley G. Jewett Passes in Portland

PORTLAND, March 19.—(AP)—Stanley G. Jewett, 64, former member of the Oregon Liquor Control Commission and an insurance representative here for nearly 40 years, died in his sleep at his home yesterday.

Born at Marysville, Calif., Oct. 29, 1881, he came here in 1908.

Survivors include the widow, a son, a brother and a sister.

Golf Class Slated

The first class in golf instruction to be conducted by the new pro of the Roseburg Country Club, Art Pearson, will be held at 1:30 o'clock Thursday at the club, according to an announcement made by the captain of the ladies, Mrs. J. F. Dillard. All club women interested in taking the instruction are asked to be at the clubhouse promptly at 1:30 o'clock.

Waterways Fund Lists \$5 Million For McNary Dam

PORTLAND, Ore., March 19.—(AP)—Congressional approval of \$5,000,000 for the McNary (Umatilla) dam would start work along the Columbia river site, but not actual construction of the dam itself, the Army engineers said today.

A sizable amount of the fund, recommended by the Senate appropriations committee, would be used to move the Columbia River Highway (U. S. 30) and railroad tracks on the Oregon and Washington sides of the Columbia to higher ground.

The money would also finance construction of buildings needed for the giant project—barracks and houses for workers; warehouses; mess halls; other buildings.

Completion of plans and specifications, already nearly finished, but subject to some possible revision, will quickly follow appropriation of the money, the Army engineers said.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—(AP)—The Senate appropriations committee yesterday approved funds for flood control work on the Willamette river and for starting work on McNary dam, both in Oregon.

Senator Cordon, member of the committee, said the committee authorized:

\$550,000 for bank protection on the Willamette river, where disastrous floods occurred in December;

\$2,000,000 for work on the Detroit reservoir, increasing by \$500,000 the amount approved by the House;

\$4,000,000 to start work on the Meridian dam at Lookout Point on the Middle Willamette;

\$5,000,000 for start of work on the McNary dam (Umatilla) across the Columbia river, and \$400,000 for widening and deepening the Vancouver, Wash., The Dalles, Ore., ship channel in the Columbia river.

Men, Not Wealth, Hold Control in Co-Operatives

"Cooperation is much more than one of the many forms of doing business," says Ottar Tirgum, field secretary, Wisconsin Association of Cooperatives, in the February Cooperative Digest.

"Important as its economic function is, cooperation contains and creates values far above and beyond anything that can be expressed in dollars and cents."

Declaring that every important advance which humanity has made came as a result of the willingness and ability of the many to join with one another for a common, unselfish cause, Tirgum states:

"The cooperative exerts a positive influence upon each of its members. Here in the cooperative, the farmer thinks, plans and works with the laborer from the factory; the Catholic joins hands with the Protestant to carry out a common task; the Republican agrees with the Democrat, the Jew and Gentile, black and white are on an equal footing. Cooperation is therefore much more than a form of business. . . . 'Anyone who believes that cooperation is only one of many forms of doing business has missed its greatest importance and

service to humanity and its greatest promise for the future, the promise of lasting peace to a war-torn world."

Tirgum, contending that the private profit system gives free rein to ruthless men who wish to increase their wealth or power merely for its own sake, adds:

Human Value Counts

"Men, and not wealth, control a cooperative, and men are recognized for what they are and not for what they have."

"A cooperative educational program that fails to point out this fundamental difference between cooperation and a private profit system, has missed or left out a very important part of its message to our young people."

Tirgum points out that the cooperative system should not be confused with socialist or "production for use" systems, since the latter are imposed and enforced by the state; whereas cooperation gains its end by the free and voluntary decisions of like-minded individuals banded together because of the greater effectiveness of group action.

Perfume ingredients are not all floral—they include ambergris from the whale, castor from the beaver, musk from the deer and civet from the civet cat.

Modern first aid practice has been traced back to the "Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem," founded nearly 800 years ago in England to give aid to pilgrims on the way to the Holy Land.

"Underpaid" Claim Of IWA Refuted by Lumber Operators

PORTLAND, March 19.—(AP)—The Willamette Valley Lumber Operators' Association said today that a statement by an International Woodworkers of America researcher that lumber industry workers are "grossly underpaid" is misleading.

The association's secretary, G. A. Metzger, of Eugene, protested against the union statement, which was issued in connection with a union suggestion that government aid be extended the lumber industry in its attempt to achieve reconversion to peacetime production.

The statement, prepared by Ellery Foster, union research director, said that in the 30 years up to June, 1945 lumber prices have advanced 211 per cent while during that time 54 per cent of workers in the industry were being paid less than 65 cents an hour.

"While the national average wage paid at that time might have been as Mr. Foster says, common laborers in the Douglas Fir industry—both in the camps and in the mills—receive a minimum of \$1.05 an hour," Metzger said.

"Further, the straight-time average wage in the Douglas Fir industry is \$1.385 hourly, clearly indicating that the great bulk of our workers receive a wage in excess of the minimum."

Foster pointed out that his figures covered the national picture, and originated with the Federal Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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