

Society

By LOTUS KNIGHT PORTER

NURSES TO ENJOY MEETING TUESDAY
District No. 11, Oregon State Nurses Association will meet Tuesday night at seven o'clock out-door barbequed hamburger supper at the home of Miss Golda Beal at 1035 Wharton street. Members are asked to bring a salad or dessert and their own table service. All registered nurses are invited.

ROSEBURG REBEKAH LODGE TO MEET
Roseburg Rebekah Lodge, No. 41, will meet at eight o'clock Tuesday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall to complete plans for holding joint installation of new officers with Philatarians Lodge, No. 8, at the I. O. O. F. Thursday night, July 10, at 8:30 o'clock.

NAVY MOTHERS CLUB TO MEET TONIGHT
The Navy Mothers Club will meet tonight at eight o'clock at the Salvation Army headquarters on South Jackson street. All members and those eligible to membership are most cordially invited.

FRIENDLY CIRCLE CLUB TO MEET
The Friendly Circle Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Margaret Pfaff with Mrs. Ada Rodgers and Mrs. Ida Allison as hostesses instead of at the home of Mrs. Elsie Mills as previously planned. All members are urged to be present.

LUTHERANS LEAGUE TO MEET WEDNESDAY
The Young Lutherans League of St. Paul's Lutheran Church will meet Wednesday evening at eight o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Wilson, 324 West Mosher street. All members and friends are most cordially invited to be present.

RIVERSDALE H. H. CLUB TO MEET
The Riversdale Happy Hour Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. E. Ott on the North Umpqua River on the Country Club road. All members are most cordially invited to be present.

MELROSE H. E. C. TO MEET AT PICNIC
The Melrose Home Economics Club will hold a one o'clock picnic luncheon Wednesday at Kiwanis Park. Hostesses for the day include: Margaret Reece, Lenore Cooper and LaVerne Nickens. All members are urged to be present.

TRIANGLE CLUB TO MEET WEDNESDAY NIGHT
The Triangle Club will meet Wednesday evening at eight o'clock at the home of Mrs. Betty Leach on Rowe street. All Pythian Sisters are cordially invited to be present.

TENNILE CLUB TO HOLD LUNCHEON
The Tennile Community Club will meet at a noon potluck luncheon at the home of Mrs. Minnie Mellus. All members are most cordially invited to be present.

V. F. W. AUXILIARY TO MEET TUESDAY
Patrick W. Kelley Auxiliary to Veterans of Foreign Wars will meet Tuesday night at eight o'clock at the K. of P. hall. All members are urged to be present.

SENATOR'S WIFE DIES
WASHINGTON, July 7.—(AP)—Mrs. Elizabeth Skinner Ives, 49, wife of Senator Ives (R-N. Y.), died today in Bainbridge, N. Y. William Groat, administrative assistant to Ives, told newsmen that Mrs. Ives had been ill for two years and had been unable to join her husband here.

Prestige Sole Gain From High Cost of Air Speed Records

By JAMES J. STREIB
WASHINGTON—The cost of setting world speed records is high, but the winner feels well repaid by the prestige he receives and the lessons he learns.

There is no plaque or trophy, not even a "little brown jug"—just a line of the book of international flying records. But governments spend heavily to get their names on such a line, chiefly because prestige pays off in the development of aviation industry and trade.

The United States waited 24 years to bring the record home. The effort, made successfully on June 19 with a modified P-80 Shooting Star, must have cost no less than \$1,000,000.

Plane Maker Shares Cost
Lockheed Aircraft Corp., designer and builder of the P-80, shared the cost of preparing the plane which boosted the world mark to 623.8 miles an hour, however. The company is understood to have paid for half of the job of modifying the plane.

The record setting effort took at least a couple of months after a landing mishap, partly because of a wait for suitable weather, and partly because of difficulty in redesigning the air forces for the jet engine. Incidentally a new engine was designed and virtually hand made for the job.

Now that the record has been brought from England, which took it a couple of months after V-J day (the pre-war mark was held by Germany), it is probably just a question of time until some one else takes it away.

Some of the Rewards
Why all this struggle for laurels which may be lost next year? Here are some of the by-products of victory, which translate into practical, everyday flying economies and military supremacy:

1. Faster flight means more economy in operations. World speed record runs must be made under the most exact conditions, and therefore the flight is a certified performance of engine and plane. Lessons proved in their design can be applied to commercial flight. For example, the new Douglas DC-6 cruises at twice the speed of the DC-3, and its mile operating costs are only half as much.

2. Speed means superiority in military flying, and that increases a flier's prospects for survival. It gives the fighter an edge in combat, and, just as in transports it increases efficiency of bomber operations.

3. Speed runs with their carefully controlled measurements are a highly refined phase of flight testing. As such, they contribute specific data on mechanics, structure, instruments, control and the human factors.

Wind Tunnels Come First
But why not make those tests in a wind tunnel? They are made in wind tunnels many times before the plane flies. Every conceivable situation in flight is presented in the tunnel tests, but sad experience has shown that such synthetic flying does not give the final answer. No matter how hard the engineers try, there always are problems that hide until the plane gets into the air.

Proving in flight that a plane can outspeed any other aircraft in the world is evidence of a nation's design ability. That, in turn, is reflected in the interest of other countries in purchasing planes.

The United States has not shown any intention of selling jet fighters to foreign buyers, but England has supplied them to a number of countries, which undoubtedly were influenced by the acknowledged speed superiority of its jet planes.

In case of the recent speed run, the benefit may be traced

New Accounting Office Opened in Roseburg



T. J. HUTCHINS

Opening of new accounting offices in the Pacific Building was announced today by C. W. Wray, of Coos Bay. Resident manager will be Thomas J. Hutchins, formerly of the Coos Bay office. Hutchins is a graduate of the University of Oregon, where he was a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity. He previously served as accountant and office manager for E. J. Bartells Co. at Portland.

more directly than usual because Lockheed may be able to convince the Army Air Forces that the racing design should be developed into a reconnaissance plane. The modified P-80 is considerably faster than a standard model.

While the contestants for the record are national governments, the keepers of the book are private individuals working through the International Aeronautics Federation, the world body of sporting aviation, which in this country is represented by the National Aeronautics Association.

Births Announced at Mercy Hospital

SAND—To Mr. and Mrs. David N. Sand, Melrose route, Roseburg, July 2, a daughter, Joane Marie; weight seven pounds.

BATTON—To Mr. and Mrs. Wayne R. Batton, 348 S. Pine street, Roseburg, July 3, a daughter, Mary Aline; weight seven pounds ten ounces.

BOYER—To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred D. Boyer, Alameda street, Roseburg, July 4, a daughter, Rebecca Diane; weight eight pounds two ounces.

DAGE—To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Dage, 461 Pitzer street, Roseburg, July 4, a daughter, Beatrice Ramona; weight seven pounds fourteen ounces.

ZENOR—To Mr. and Mrs. John J. Zenor, 165 East Second Avenue South, Roseburg, July 5, a daughter, Judith Carol; weight eight pounds.

BENSON—To Mr. and Mrs. Keith C. Benson, Camas Valley, July 5, a daughter, Becky Lunore; weight seven pounds one ounce.

GILMORE—To Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Gilmore, 306 West Second Avenue West, Roseburg, July 6, a daughter, Susan Diane; weight six pounds eight and one-half ounces.

KINYON—To Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Kinyon, route 1, Roseburg, July 6, a son; weight nine pounds four ounces.

Only during a period of total eclipse can stars in near conjunction with the sun be seen at all.

The Australian "flying fox" is a wire and pulley device which moves bananas to the packing sheds at 40 m.p.h.

Record Prices Holding, but No Aid to Farmers

By PAUL W. HARVEY, JR.
SALEM, Ore., July 3.—(AP)—When the OPA price controls died a year ago, most Oregon farm leaders and state agricultural food prices, believing that farm production soon would exceed demand and thus force prices down. But just the opposite has happened. Supply hasn't yet caught up with demand and food costs have soared higher than ever. Now nobody is making any bets on what will happen to prices.

The high prices haven't helped farm officials predicted a drop in the farmer. The government index of prices received by farmers is 271 per cent of the 1910-14 average, and 24 per cent above a year ago. But the index of prices paid by the farmer is 230 per cent of the 1910-14 average, and 22 per cent above a year ago. In general, as prices have risen, the farmer's costs have risen in the same proportion.

Farm wage rates have started to drop in Oregon, but they still are 31 times the pre-war average. Berry picking shown.

Colored motion pictures showing how to pick berries are being prepared by the Oregon State College extension staff. The pictures will be loaned to farmers' associations and other groups hiring berry pickers.

The movies are expected to boost berry production by demonstrating there is more to berry picking than just grabbing it and yanking it off the vine.

The Week's Crop Forecasts
Oregon's 1947 peppermint acreage will total 10,500 acres, a gain of 16 per cent over last year and

3 times the 1936-45 average. The spring pig crop is estimated at 175,000 head, or 1 per cent more than last year, but 29 per cent less than the 1936-45 average. Egg production in the first five months of this year is 6 per cent less than the similar period of last year, and large supplies of eggs are being shipped here from the Midwest.

The victory garden habit has taken a firm hold on Oregon. R. Ralph Clark, extension horticulturist at Oregon State College, said after a tour of the state. He reports almost as many gardens as during the war.

Coos Bay Pirates Date Their Annual Regatta

COOS BAY, July 7.—(Special)—Stars of stage, radio and screen are being signed by Dick Rand, well-known producer, for the 7th annual Coos Bay Pirates Regatta pageant. The pageant, written by Ken Tilton, will be presented on beautiful Mungus Park lake, where a natural amphitheatre affords ample room for some 10,000 people. Its theme is woven

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