

Local News

Needle Club to Meet—The Hubbard Creek Needle Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Melba Germond.

New Idea Club to Meet—The New Idea Club of Edgewater will meet Wednesday at a 12:30 o'clock potluck luncheon at the home of Mrs. Carl E. Roslund, 700 East Sixth street. Potluck names will be revealed and new names will be exchanged.

R. A. and E. Club to Meet—The Roseburg Art and Embroidery Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. L. Sinclair at 1353 Harrison street.

Potluck Supper—The P. W. E. Club members and their husbands are invited to a 7 o'clock potluck supper Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Mills.

Mu Chapter to Meet—Mu chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, will meet Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the home of the program director, Mrs. Clair K. Allen, 237 Watson street.

Shower to Be Given—The H. O. A. Club will hold a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Robert Hallinger Wednesday at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Clara Moan with Marie Moan as co-hostess. Members are asked to bring their thimbles as the group will sew on a quilt.

Attends to Business—John Enders has left for his home in Seattle, following a two-day stay in Roseburg on business.

Pythian Sisters to Meet—Pythian Sisters, Temple No. 23, will meet Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the K. of P. hall.

Meeting Postponed—On account of so much illness, the meeting of the Bellview Club, planned for Wednesday of this week, has been indefinitely postponed.

Reported Ill—Mrs. Edith Gilmore, employee of the Umpqua Savings and Loan Association, is reported to be ill at her home in Laurelvood.

Out of Hospital—Mrs. Howard Roberts has been discharged from Mercy hospital, where she recently underwent a major operation, and is now convalescing at her home in Roseburg.

Leave for California—Wallace A. Rann and daughter, Sandra Kay, of Roseburg left Saturday for Los Angeles to enjoy a visit with relatives and friends.

Staff to Practice—The Pythian Sisters officers and deacon staff will practice at 8 o'clock Thursday night, February 5, at the K. of P. hall. Following the practice, refreshments will be served.

Visiting in California—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Young of Roseburg have left for Oakland, Cal., to enjoy two weeks visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Young, and family.

Association to Meet—The Oregon State Foresters Association will meet Thursday, February 5, at 8 o'clock at the K. of P. hall. Members are asked to take note of the change of the meeting place and time.

Attending Convention—Rev. E. Howell, pastor of the First Methodist church of the Calneva community, has left for Salem to attend a church convention. His Sunday services will be conducted by Rev. Roland R. Thompson.

Attend Meeting—Fred L. Southwick, district fire warden for the Douglas Forest Protective Association, and H. O. Parepore of Roseburg went to Coos Bay Monday to attend a meeting of the Coos County Forest Protective Association.

Drill Team to Practice—The Eagles Auxiliary drill team and officers will hold a practice at 7:30 P. M. at the Eagles lounge Wednesday evening. More members are needed on the team and all auxiliary members interested are invited to be present.

Chapter to Meet—Oregon chapter, No. 57, O. E. S. will meet at 8 P. M. Wednesday at the Canyonville hall for initiation. Officers are requested to be present. Florence Hill, worthy matron, has invited members and visiting members to attend. The refreshments will be in charge of Janice Andrews and Marilyn Wynter.

Passes Exam—Richard Lytle, son of Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Lytle of Roseburg, has received word that he passed the Naval Reserve Officers training course examination, which he took at Oregon State College, December 13, which will allow him the privilege of entering the college next fall for the N. R. O. T. college education. Richard is a senior this year at Roseburg High School.

Home From Hospital—Miss Coletta Langenberg, who recently underwent a serious operation at St. Vincent's hospital in Portland, is now convalescing at her home on South Jackson street. She was brought home from the hospital by her brother-in-law, C. M. O'Malley of Portland, formerly of this city. Miss Langenberg expects to be able to resume her work as a stenographer at the Roseburg Branch of the U. S. National Bank by the first of the week.

Two-way Rod



Betty Lehman of Arlington Heights, Ill., examines the Stubecker, new type fishing rod on display at Chicago's Illinois Sportmen's Show. Short enough to make a neat trolling rod, the pole's design gives it full length action for casting.

Booms Wallace



C. B. Baldwin, of New York City, will serve as campaign manager for Henry Wallace's third party. Baldwin was former economic director for Italy and executive vice chairman of the Progressive Citizens of America.

Visit at McAllister Home—Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Meade of Eugene spent the weekend at Dillard as guests of the latter's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. McAllister.

N. W. States Receiving Forest Revenue Funds

PORTLAND, Feb. 3.—(AP)—More than a million and a half dollars in national forest receipts are being distributed to Oregon and Washington counties, H. J. Andrews, regional forester, reported today.

The payment, in lieu of taxes, represents 25 per cent of gross receipts from sale of timber and other forest uses. The total, \$1,676,722, is sharply up from last year's \$957,369 due to expanded cut of national forest timber, Andrews said.

Oregon counties will receive \$938,870 and Washington counties \$737,852. Last year the division was \$559,280 for Oregon and \$398,089 for Washington.

The Sahara Desert is about the size of Europe.

"Blue Baby" Now 32 Has Satisfactory Operation

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 3.—(AP)—Don Fegenbush, a "blue baby" at birth 32 years ago, was progressing satisfactorily today after an operation designed to correct the condition that has kept him a semi-invalid all his life.

Fegenbush asked that the operation be performed, although he was aware that his chances of survival were one in 50. The surgeon, who declined the use of his name, performed the operation originated by Dr. Alfred Blalock of Johns Hopkins Hospital. He connected one of the large systemic blood vessels with the pulmonary artery leading to the lungs.

Writer's Letter, Death Cable Come in Same Mail

In the same mail with a letter from Mrs. Edith Brand Hannah in England, her brother, C. A. Brand, Roseburg, received a cablegram announcing her death, which occurred January 23. Mrs. Hannah will be remembered by friends in Roseburg, where she and her husband, the late Ian C. Hannah, visited the C. A. Brand several years ago at the Overland Orchards. The late Mr. Hannah served many years in the British parliament and was the author of a number of books. Mrs. Hannah is survived by two brothers, C. A. Brand, Roseburg; Justice James T. Brand, Salem, and four sisters. She was the mother of three sons, all of whom reside in England.

St. Lawrence Seaway Plan Doomed, Assertion

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—(AP)—Senator Lodge (R-Mass.) said today the St. Lawrence seaway project is licked.

Lodge made his predictions amid signs that it may be three weeks before the Senate reaches a vote on the measure.

A high Democratic strategist and a ranking Republican told a reporter privately that Lodge is right.

Third Committee Term Not for Mrs. Gerlinger

PORTLAND, Feb. 3.—(AP)—Mrs. George T. Gerlinger, Portland, twice elected Republican national committeewoman for Oregon, says she will not seek a third term.

Mrs. Gerlinger said she plans to attend the party's national convention in Philadelphia in June, as a member of the convention arrangements committee, and then devote her party interest to state activity.

VA Says Camp White Hospital "Too Expensive"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—(AP)—The Veterans Administration told a Senate Committee today why it doesn't want to take over two wartime Army hospitals in Oregon and Iowa.

One is Camp White hospital, near Medford, Ore. The other is Schick General hospital, Clinton, Ia.

Maj. Gen. Paul B. Hawley, retiring medical director of the Veterans Administration, said the Camp White hospital would be "terrifically expensive to operate" with its "27 miles of corridors."

Dr. Paul B. Magnuson, who succeeded Hawley, said he "seconded everything that Dr. Hawley said."

They opposed a bill by senators Morse and Cordon of Oregon. It would direct the agency to take over the hospital.

Both testified before a subcommittee hearing at which Morse presided.

"If you can show me that it's uneconomical to operate Camp White, I'm going to vote against it," Morse told Hawley. "I think my friends in Medford know that."

Cordon said use of the hospital would allow a savings in veterans' hospital costs. Rep. E. J. Walsh (R-Ore.) questioned a Veterans Administration estimate it would require \$1,500,000 to convert Camp White for use as a veterans' hospital. He said this was too high.

Marshall Plan Cut Opposed by C. I. O.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—(AP)—The CIO declared today a deep cut in the \$6,800,000,000 starting cost of the Marshall Plan would be "well-nigh criminal."

CIO President Philip Murray said a slash of as much as \$1,800,000,000 would make it "merely a relief program and nothing more."

Furthermore, the European recovery program should run at least until the middle of 1952, as asked by President Truman, Murray said.

"No practical man or group of men could hope to bring about the needed rehabilitation in fewer than four years at the very minimum," the CIO leader said in a statement filed with the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

Murray had one objection to the Marshall Plan draft sent to Congress by the State Department. This provides for turning over 500 American ships to nations of western Europe.

Murray said the CIO is against that because the "continued economic well-being of the United States" demands a strong U. S. merchant marine.

Red-Trained Koreans May Seize Whole Nation

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—(AP)—Brig. Gen. Charles G. Helmick said today 250,000 Russian-trained North Koreans might take over Korea if the United States steps out.

Koreans in the U. S.-occupied zone, he said, "feel it would be just a matter of time."

Helmick is deputy American military governor in the southern zone. He said the North Korean troops have Japanese arms and some are believed to have combat experience with Chinese Communist armies in Manchuria.

It is estimated that 400,000 houses in Britain were totally destroyed or rendered uninhabitable during World War II.

Builders of the Great Wall of China ate sauerkraut to combat deficiency diseases resulting from an all rice diet.

About 96 per cent of the physicians in the United States are men.

Quarters Expanded by Barcus Sales-Service

Expansion of the Barcus Sales and Service into quarters at the intersection of the Pacific Highway North and the Garden Valley Road were announced today by Paul Barcus, owner of the business.

The company will continue to operate at its location on the Dixieville Road (E. 2nd Ave. S.), where it sells B. F. Goodrich tires and home appliances. At the new location, the company will do general automobile repairing as well as operate the Champion Gasoline service station, which will be open 24 hours a day.

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