

Local News

Accepts Position—Mrs. Lois Rich has accepted employment in the office of the Roseburg News-Review and took up her duties Thursday.

Local Visitors—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hurst of Des Moines, Ia., are visiting several days in Roseburg with Mr. Hurst's sister, Mrs. Roscoe Sanders, and family. They are on a two weeks' vacation.

At Hutchings Home—John and Pamela Porter of Portland are visiting their maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hutchings, on Blakeley street. Their mother is the former Mae Hutchings of this city.

Reported Improving—Mrs. Earl Decker is reported to be improving at her home on Mosher street, where she has been ill the last week. She expects to be able to resume her work at the J. C. Penney company store next week.

Ricketts Home From Montana—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ricketts and son, Duke, have returned to their home on East Lane street, following the summer months spent at Ovando, Mont., where Mr. Ricketts was employed at the Whitehall dude ranch. They were accompanied home by the Ricketts' niece, Peggy Katt of Portland, who will spend a week and a half here visiting. Mr. Ricketts is director of the Roseburg High School band.

Reported Ill—Miss "Sunny" Youngren is reported to be ill of mumps at her home in Roseburg.

Here Yesterday—Robert Hanna of Oakland was in Roseburg yesterday attending to business.

Visiting at Floew Home—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nelson of Union Star, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hammer of Helens, Mo., are guests this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gunder A. Floew at Coos Junction.

Social To Be Held—Riversdale Grange will sponsor its monthly social Saturday night at 9 o'clock at the hall. Members and friends are invited. Refreshments will be served. Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Trozelle and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Spencer are in charge of arrangements.

Return to Seattle—Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hatfield have returned to their home in Seattle, following a week's vacation in Roseburg visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Harry F. Hatfield. A part of the week was spent at the Hatfield summer place on the North Umpqua River.

Leaves on Vacation—Miss Barbara Rand of Roseburg left yesterday for Portland to join her sister, Miss Edith Rand, and together they will go by plane to Sacramento. They will spend a week in Sacramento, San Francisco and Petaluma, visiting relatives and friends.

Return to San Francisco—Lt. Commander and Mrs. George Hill left Thursday for their home in San Francisco, following a stay in Roseburg since Sunday attending to property interests. Mrs. Hill is the former Thelma Newhard of this city. They were accompanied to San Francisco by Mrs. Hattie McAfee of Roseburg.

Visits—Mrs. W. L. Grove of Oakland spent Friday in Roseburg visiting relatives and shopping.

Here From Umpqua—Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Mode were business visitors in Roseburg from Umpqua yesterday.

Ill at Home—Miss Avis Groves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Groves, is reported to be ill of mumps at her home in Roseburg.

Leaves for Grants Pass—Mrs. Catherine Horn of this city has left for Grants Pass to spend several days visiting friends and attending to business.

Return Home—Mrs. John Scheurer and daughter, Marcia, have returned to their home on South Deer Creek, following several days in Eugene on business.

Former Resident Here—Jack Bliss of Seattle has been spending the last week in Roseburg visiting his brother, Don Bliss, and family. He formerly made his home here.

Visit Here—Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Webber and family of Green spent yesterday in Roseburg visiting Mrs. Webber's mother, Mrs. Sadie Pemberton, on Pine Street.

Back From Grants Pass—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Smith have returned to their home in Roseburg, following a trip to Grants Pass. En route home, they stopped at the House of Mystery.

Visiting in Portland—Herbert Sylwester, son of Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Sylwester of Roseburg, has left for Portland to visit his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. Wickstrom, for a week.

Reported Improving—Macon S. Jack, of the Stout Realty Company, is reported improving at Mercy hospital, where he is receiving medical treatment for a recent heart attack.

Back From Portland—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simmons have returned to their home in Roseburg, following several days in Portland, where they were called to attend the funeral of the former's sister-in-law, Mrs. S. L. Simmons.

General Coulter Succeeds Hodge In Korean Command

SEUL, Aug. 27.—(AP)—A quiet major general from Texas with a distinguished battle record succeeded Lt. Gen. John R. Hodge today as U. S. commander in the southern half of tense, divided Korea.

He is Maj. Gen. John Breitling Coulter, Hodge's deputy, who commanded the 85th division in the long and bloody Italian campaign.

Hodge bade goodbye to his troops at Kimp'o airport, shook hands with Korean officials and his fellow officers, and took off by plane for Tokyo enroute to the United States for reassignment.

Coulter's job is to prepare for the withdrawal of American troops. Some units may leave within three weeks, but a complete withdrawal is unlikely until the United Nations General As-

sembly acts in the Korean case. Even as Hodge was leaving, the Russian-controlled radio in North Korea was boasting that 97 percent of the eligible voters took part in Wednesday's election of a rival Korean regime in the Soviet zone. Only one slate of candidates was entered.

Navy Has More Than Million Reservists

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—(AP)—For the first time in its peac-

time the Navy has more than 1,000,000 reservists signed up. With a 1948 goal of 1,175,000, the Navy announced yesterday its last official count showed 1,003,458, almost one-third of them officers.

Only members of the organized reserve who enrolled before June 24 are eligible for draft exemption. Most of the Navy's million-odd are enrolled in the volunteer reserve which does not hold weekly drills and is not exempt from compulsory military service.

Mother Dies in Iron Lung After Caesarian Section

MORGANTON, N. C., Aug. 27.—(AP)—A 34-year-old mother who gave birth to a son in an iron lung died yesterday of bulbar poliomyelitis.

Mrs. Lucy Bell Smith, wife of a furniture factory worker, succumbed about 16 hours after a 64-pound son was born under a local anaesthetic. Grace hospital physicians performed a caesarian section as Mrs. Smith lay in an inoperative iron lung.

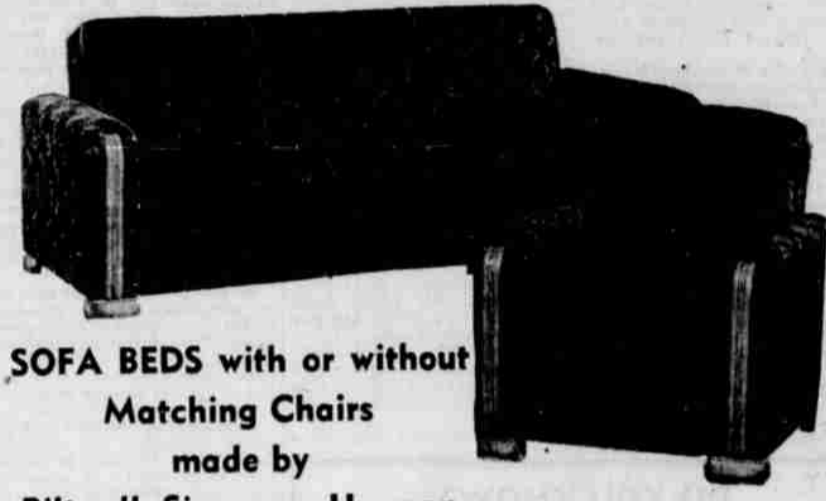
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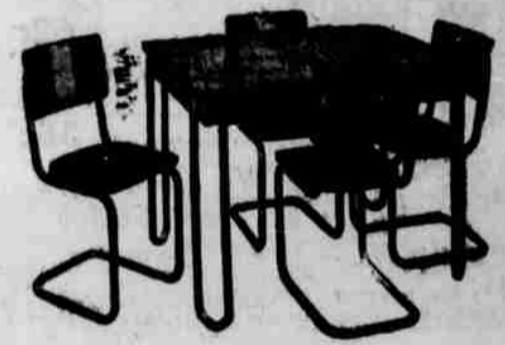
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