



KOD PLAYER GETS ASSIST—Group of Myrtle Creek ball players wait for Bud Shirliff, lying on ground, to revive being struck by baseball in an odd play Sunday. In the eighth inning Don Reed, Roseburg pitcher, reached first on a sharp single. Barney Koch, second baseman, hit a line drive which bounced off Shirliff's head. Pitcher Don Loghry caught the ball before it struck the ground and touched first base to double Reed. To cap the odd play, the unconscious Myrtle Creek first baseman was given an assist on a fly ball put out. Shirliff apparently was not seriously hurt, but was removed from the game. (Picture by Rod Newland.)

Huge Salaries Dwindle After Uncle Sam Takes His Tax Cut

WASHINGTON, June 13.—(AP) It's commencing to look like Uncle Sam is earning a million dollars a year—much less keeping that much after taxes—is a thing of the past, at least if you work for a corporation.

Comparatively few people ever did make that much and no one it appeared from treasury records today, has been able to get that much pay out of a company since mid-war 1944, when film-producer Leo McCarey was credited with \$1,113,035 for 12 months efforts.

A new treasury list shows America's best paid corporation employee in 1947 (or fiscal years ending over into 1948) got \$810,000—\$175,300 less than he got to be No. 1, the previous year also. The list showed salaries as they stood before payment of heavy taxes.

The top man, and it's his third straight year as such, is Greek-born Charles P. Skouras, president of National Theaters Amusement Co., Inc., and of Fox West Coast Agency Corp.

The top starlet woman for 1947 was movie star Betty Grable, although the \$208,000 listed for her was a \$91,333 cornedown from her earnings the previous year. Miss Grable has been among the leading women earners for three years.

In the top ten after Skouras came: Vincent Riggio, president of American Tobacco Company, \$484,202; Preston Sturges, movie director with Twentieth Century-Fox Film Corp., \$470,650; E. H. Little, president, Colgate-Palmolive-Peet Co., \$350,000; A. A. Somerville, the Vanderbilt Co., \$319,398.

There were more than 1,000 persons on the list, all of them earning at least \$75,000. Forty-seven drew more than \$200,000.

Lutherans Leave For Convention Of N. W. District W. A. Sylvester, pastor of St. Paul's and St. John's Lutheran Churches, left this morning for Portland to attend the district convention of the Northwest District of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod.

Eleven Roseburg Students At U. O. To Get Degrees UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, June 13.—(Special)—Eleven Roseburg students are candidates for degrees from the University of Oregon at the 1949 commencement, which will be held Sunday, June 19.

Fifteen Japanese War Criminals Are Hanged

TOKYO, June 13.—(AP)—Fifteen Japanese war criminals including two convicted in the Bataan death march—have been hanged at Sugamo Prison recently, General MacArthur's headquarters announced.

The two hanged for responsibility in the death march were Maj. Gen. Yoshitake Kawane and Col. Kuratara Hirano. They were transportation officers whose trucks ran down and killed some of the 10,000 American and Filipinos who died on the march from fallen Bataan in 1942.

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LOCAL NEWS

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Mrs. Tripp Home—Mrs. Frank Tripp has returned to her home in Azalea, following two weeks in Redmond visiting her daughter and family.

Leaves For Convention—Mrs. Harry F. Hatfield, of Roseburg left yesterday for Coos Bay to attend the state grange convention as a delegate from Glendale Grange.

Potluck Supper—The Business and Professional Women's Club will meet at 6:30 o'clock potluck supper tonight at the home of Mrs. Thomas Parkinson at Winston.

Installation—Riddle Job's Daughters, No. 39, will hold installation of new officers tonight at 8 o'clock at the Masonic temple in Riddle. The public is invited.

Attend to Business—Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Lehne of Sutherlin spent Friday in Roseburg attending to business and visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Lehne, and family.

Undergoes Major Operation—Mrs. L. A. Miles, News-Review employee, underwent a major operation this morning at Mercy Hospital. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Snyder of this city.

Lady Lions to Meet—Lady Lions will meet tonight at a 7 o'clock dinner at Carl's Haven with Mrs. J. C. Bewley and Mrs. Rolla Wells, hostesses. Those attending are asked to wear western attire.

H. E. C. to Meet—Melrose Home Economics Club will meet at 2 o'clock Wednesday at the hall with Mrs. V. S. Woodruff and Mrs. Fred Becker, hostesses. Members are requested to bring toys for the box to be packed and shipped to children in Europe.

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Lodge to Meet—Roseburg Rebekah Lodge No. 41, will hold a school of instruction at 8 o'clock Tuesday night at the I. O. O. F. hall. Those attending are asked to bring a sack lunch. Coffee will be furnished by Mrs. Hattie Guerin. Members and visiting members are invited.

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