

### Riverside Group Meets To Study, Play Games

Party game leadership was demonstrated and discussed Thursday night, Jan. 19, at the Riverside grange for forty persons. Miss Jessale Mallalieu, recreation specialist, Oregon State college extension service, conducted the meeting.

Active-type party games, such as circle games and relays, were played by the entire group. A discussion period followed in which principals of leading games were pointed out.

Only three qualifications are necessary for anyone to be a recreation leader, Miss Mallalieu stated. These are, to like the activity you are presenting, to like people and to be willing to work. Never, never, embarrass anyone, Miss Mallalieu said. Play games where everyone acts silly, but never point out any one person in a situation in which the groups laughs at him.

Other pointers for successful game leadership are to know the game thoroughly, get the group into position for the game before giving instructions, give only a few rules at a time, demonstrate the game before starting to play.

Avoid games which are competitive individually, such as paper and pencil quiz games. Play games which include the entire group. The best recreation is for relaxation and fun and not for a prize. If prizes are given, they should be something which could be shared by the group or something funny and inexpensive. It is best if prizes are won by a team and not by an individual.

Leaders attending the meeting were asked to practice leading a game before the next meeting. They are each to be prepared to lead a game for a small group at the February meeting.

Leaders attending were: Mr. and Mrs. William Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. James Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Standley, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Rockwood, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Dunham and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wilson, Camas Valley; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Sall, Mrs. Eugene Ridenour and Mr. O. P. Horn, Winchester; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lindquist, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Woolley, Riddle; Mr. and Mrs. V. Polzabee, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burr, Brockway; Mrs. Agnes Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Trozelle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stark, Riverside. County extension agents Corinne McTaggart (Home Economics), J. R. Parker (Agriculture), Wayne Mosher (Agriculture), Frank von Borstel (4-H).

### Railroad Strike Idles Nearly 17,000 Workers

death of brakeman J. A. Herleman on April 17, 1949, Herleman was killed by a homemade bomb which exploded as a train was crossing a bridge.

Conductor Legge was in charge of the crew. The railroad contends Legge saw the bomb's materials in Herleman's possession and "should not have permitted horseplay of any kind while the train was under his control."

After Legge was discharged last July 7, the dispute was handled by the National Mediation board. Then, a presidential fact-finding board sustained the railroad's discharge.

The union contends Legge was not given "a fair and impartial investigation."

### S. E. MALONE PASSES

Samuel E. Malone, 49, late resident of this city, died in a Salem hospital January 19. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Jessie Malone, and daughter, Alfreda Malone, both of Roseburg; his mother, Mrs. S. E. Malone of Burkburnett, Tex. and two brothers. Announcement of services will be made by the Howell-Edwards chapel in Salem.

### Registry Of Blood Types For Emergency Call Aim

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was started only two months ago in Roseburg, but already 16 persons have been called upon to give a pint of blood each in emergencies.

Hardiman, who named Bob Wandling, George McIntosh and Lee Emery as others working with him in the move, emphasized the importance of having a large donor list in case of major disaster. He said that one of the greatest needs for blood, comes following burns, in case of a major fire disaster. Deaths in flood disasters or other serious accidents on a large scale would not doubt be lessened if ample blood donors are available.

Civic Groups Offer Support

Already a number of civic organizations have offered their support to the movement. A large number from the Lions club and National Guard and 25 members of the Junior Woman's club have already been typed.

The medical profession has offered its support of the move, and will use the donor list, said Hardiman.

Donors should be at least 21 years of age, and women should not be over 40 years. Persons who have had malaria or who are afflicted with a communicable disease need not register.

The use of human blood in saving lives is becoming more and more important in medical science today, the chairman pointed out. Whole blood will react in nearly all cases, whereas blood plasma sometimes will not react. That is why it is so important to have a list of donors of all blood types available.

### Girl Faces Life Imprisonment

BRADY, Tex., Jan. 21.—(AP)—Sandra Peterson, the girl who says she can't remember whether she killed a man, faces life in prison.

A criminal district court jury last night found her guilty of murder with malice and fixes this sentence.

The 18-year-old Somerville, Mass., girl heard the verdict without emotion.

"No," she said wearily when asked if she still did not remember events in which Lewis Paterson, 34, was shot and killed. "I don't remember."

The jury of farmers and ranchers deliberated five hours and 10 minutes.

The state had demanded the death penalty for Sandra. Each juror was polled on the verdict and each in his turn announced guilty.

There was no immediate indication the verdict would be appealed. Bill Allcorn, one of the court-appointed defense attorneys, told the jurors: "We didn't want this case but when we got it, we did the level best we could."

"I'm still on my feet," said pretty Sandra when asked how she felt after hearing the verdict.

### North Dillard Bridge Is Damaged; Speed Reduced

A 20-mile an hour speed limit has been set and will be enforced by traffic officers for the North Dillard bridge, Georth Sothman, Highway department district maintenance superintendent, announced today.

The auxiliary bent under the center truss was washed out Tuesday night, and high speeds over the bridge will cause a great amount of vibration, he said.

### Martha Perry, 71, Dies Here Today

Miss Martha F. Perry, 71, retired postal employe of Roseburg, died early today at her home following a lingering illness.

She was born April 3, 1878, at Redwood Falls, Minn., and came to this community at the age of 10 years with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Perry. She was employed at the Roseburg post-office more than 30 years, until her retirement in 1944.

She was a member of the First Presbyterian church, Roseburg, Roseburg Rebekah lodge No. 41, life member of Business and Professional Woman's club of Roseburg.

Surviving are six nieces: Mrs. Herbert Quine of Roseburg; Mrs. Harry Barrell of Eugene; Mrs. Mildred Stewart of San Bernardino, Calif.; Mrs. Charles Bartlett, Marysville, Calif.; Mrs. Vera Johnson, Medford; Mrs. Howard Metcalf of Portland; one nephew, Kenneth Perry of Seattle, Wash.

Funeral service will be held in the Chapel of The Roses, Roseburg Funeral Home, Tuesday, Jan. 24, at 11 a. m. Dr. Morris Reich officiating. Vault interment will follow in the I.O.O.F. cemetery, Roseburg.

### Employes Quizzed In Boston Theft

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Two Brink employes were subjected to lengthy questioning early today in separate police headquarters rooms by ace detectives investigating the \$1,500,000 holdup of the armored car company.

Deputy police superintendent James Daley identified the men as William E. Manter, 49, a maintenance department worker, and Gerard Pfaff, a guard.

Manter was picked up last night after police sounded an alarm that he had failed to report for work yesterday.

Taken To Headquarters

Pfaff was brought to headquarters several hours later. Daley said that Pfaff was summoned to assist in questioning of Manter—but the men were placed in separate rooms and grilled individually.

The detectives moved back and forth between the two rooms but declined to give any definite information for the questioning.

Story Reviewed

One of the detectives said they were "going over the whole story again piece by piece."

Daley said Manter appeared in a daze and that his answers were "hazy."

The day after the holdup Manter reported to police that he sounded a buzzer at about the time of the holdup in an effort to gain access to the garage vaults of the company to see a fellow employe.

The buzzer went unanswered, he said, and he returned to his work.

Pfaff was one of five men in the vault room when the eight-gunmen struck with commando-like speed last Tuesday night.

### Police Kill Man In Robbery Try

ELIZABETHTOWN, Pa., Jan. 21.—(AP)—Police broke up an attempted robbery here today and shot it out with three men attempting to break through police lines. One was killed, one wounded and a third captured.

### Officials Expect Bulgaria To Stand Against U. S.

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Health's recall; (2) Demonstrated "its willingness to observe established international standards of conduct" in the treatment of American diplomats.

The note held that restrictions on the movements of U.S. officials in Sofia and "indignities" which they have suffered have made it "virtually impossible for the legation to perform its normal diplomatic and consular functions."

Has Become Useless

This made it clear that one of the reasons behind the decision to break relations unless the Bulgarians change their conduct is a feeling here that it has become useless to maintain American representatives in Sofia under present conditions.

Restrictions on American officials in Bulgaria are matched in some degree in other eastern European countries. The policy of breaking relations, therefore, could lead to a general withdrawal of American representatives from several of those countries if conditions in them got very much worse.

The United States already has officially notified Hungary that U.S. diplomats were not permitted to carry out their duties following the arrest several weeks ago of Robert Vogeler, an assistant vice president of the international Telephone and Telegraph corporation.

### O & C Timber Sale In Three Parcels Set For Feb. 15

Three parcels of O & C timber, carrying a volume of 12-450,000 board feet and with an appraised value of \$93,186.25 will be advertised for sale at Roseburg Feb. 15, announced Daniel L. Goldy, regional administrator, Portland.

The Roseburg timber is part of 31 parcels of O & C timber and eight parcels of Public Domain timber, carrying a volume of 154,701,000 board feet, and 19,940 lineal feet of Western red cedar poles, with a total appraised value of \$698,793.44, which will be offered for sale.

Fifteen of these parcels will be offered for sale by sealed bid on Feb. 14, at the Portland regional office. These tracts carry a volume of 82,213,000 board feet and a value of \$138,117.94.

Other parcels will be on sale Feb. 13 at Salem and Medford, Feb. 14 at Coos Bay, and Feb. 16 at Eugene. The tracts are located in Clatsop, Coos, Crook, Deschutes, Douglas, Jackson, Jefferson, Josephine, Lane, Linn and Marion in Oregon; Pond Oreille, Wash., and Bonner and Idaho, in Idaho.

### Grand Jury Is Called To Review Death Of Green

The case of Wallace Green, 29-year-old scholar, held in connection with the death of his grandfather, Robe Thomas Green, 77, will be an important item on the grand jury's docket, when it reconvenes Wednesday, Jan. 25.

The grand jury has been called by Circuit Judge Carl E. Wimberly at the request of District Attorney Robert G. Davis.

The elderly Green was found dead at his home in Dillard last Thanksgiving day, apparently from a blunt instrument blow, according to Davis.

Helen J. Gallop, Harriet Turner, Stanley E. Short, Ethel Catching and Lyle Marsters.

### Four Births Announced By Drain Hospital

The following births were announced from the Booher Maternity hospital near Drain: to Mr. and Mrs. Ken Huckens of Drain, Jan. 8, daughter, Linda Sue, weight eight pounds eight ounces; to Mr. and Mrs. James Walthall of Elkton, Jan. 10, a son, Lowell Gene, weight seven pounds seven ounces; to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bogen of Drain, Jan. 10, a daughter, Christine Ann, weight eight pounds eight ounces; to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Blanchard of Drain, Jan. 12, a son, David Melvin, weight eight pounds six ounces.

### Two Buildings Entered

Police Chief Calvin H. Baird today reported two break and entry cases which occurred Friday night.

Chief Baird said the Benson school and Corkrum Motors company were broken into last night, but that both were ransacking jobs, with "nothing missing as far as is known."

Entry to both buildings was made by breaking windows, he said.

### Sutherland 'Fireworks' Display Appears To Child As Comet

"Oh look, mother, a comet!" That was one Sutherland resident's reaction to the "electric fireworks display" which followed a short circuit of power lines, weighted down with ice in the area's first silver thaw of the year.

Mrs. E. H. Coult, whose home is near the substation, described the event as "terrifying" in its suddenness, as fire spread along the wires and burned the superstructure of the nearby transformer.

"We were getting the children ready for bed and were in the middle of a bedtime story, when our daughter suddenly pointed to the sky," Mrs. Coult relates.

"In the sky shone a brilliant, blue ball which quickly divided into three large balls of fire. Then with a terrifying suddenness, they seemed to come right at us. The snapping and crackling was so loud that the substation seemed to explode in a blue and orange flame. Back and forth along the wires rolled the balls of fire. Just when we'd think it was all over, it would start again with a brilliant flash."

How long did it last? Only about ten minutes, but it seemed hours.

Mrs. Coult said all the lights went out and "the show was over." People went home and everything was quiet for about 15 minutes.

### Don Forbes Is Honored As Junior First Citizen

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man of the Junior Chamber of Commerce for his faithful work with the organization. George McIntosh, incoming president, received an award as the man who has done the most for the club during the one year he has been a member.

Retiring officers introduced a committee for the construction of park benches and tables for the Umquaga district.

These awards were presented by retiring president Glenn Scott, who turned over the gavel to McIntosh, in installation services, conducted by State Vice-President Bill Tipton.

Other officers installed include Gordon Carlson, internal vice-president; Leo Sevy, external vice-president; Sid Moon, secretary; Duane Baker, treasurer; and Red Dotson, sergeant-at-arms. Retiring officers introduced besides Scott were Charles Hart, internal vice president, who was general chairman for the banquet; Jack Newby (not present), external vice president; Sevy, secretary; Carlson, treasurer; and Wait Brittle, sergeant-at-arms. Scott was presented with the past president's key by Tipton.

Paul Geddes, master of ceremonies, introduced Kelly as the evening's speaker.

Member of Commission

Kelly, who is a member of the Hoover commission for better government set forth the importance of young men knowing and being interested in "what's going on in government affairs."

We should be anxious to know what is going on around us," he declared. He called attention to the tremendous waste in government expenditures, the tremendous tax burden of the American citizen, and claimed that today too many persons are seeking security rather than opportunity.

"Twenty years ago," he said, "only one in every 40 persons were employed in some form of government work. Today one of seven is a recipient of government money. The average American works 81 days out of 235 working days to pay for it."

"We are now on the last leg of collectivism, unless we can curb wasteful spending and overlapping in government spending," he said, and urging that we keep this a country where "we may not make a billion, but all have equal rights to doing so."

Junior Chamber of Commerce men are the most sought after in the nation's economy today, because of the organization's aim, to instill within youth a thinking attitude, he said.

The list of activities of Forbes, as given by Rev. MacArthur, includes: Instrumental in securing chamber of commerce members, assisted in forum committee of Roseburg Chamber of Commerce, active member and director of the Jaycees, member of YMCA directors, vice-president of Roseburg polo committee, active in Red Cross, Community Chest, Boy Scouts and other youth work, past president of the Jaycees, past state vice-president, active on numerous committees of the organization, and has never been known to refuse to assist any local organization in a worthwhile cause.

Forbes is engaged in the insurance business in Roseburg, and carries a national award for production in his business field.

### Aged Resident Struck By Car

Mrs. Stanley Kidder, 71, of Roseburg, was treated at Mercy hospital last night for cuts and bruises inflicted when she was allegedly struck by a car driven by Phillip Ray Lybarger, also of Roseburg, according to Police Chief Calvin H. Baird. Mrs. Kidder was later released.

According to the investigating officer's report, Mrs. Kidder was crossing the street at the corner of Washington and Stephens when struck by the Lybarger vehicle as it was attempting a left turn.

In the opinion of witnesses, the driver could not see the elderly pedestrian until the accident occurred because of darkness and rainy weather. Mrs. Kidder was attired in dark colored clothes which also made it difficult to see her, the witnesses said.

Mrs. Kidder, accompanied by her son, Robert, was taken to Mercy hospital by ambulance.

Chief Baird said the driver was not cited.

### Vishinsky Scores Acheson Speech As 'Slanderous'

By EDDY GILMORE

MOSCOW, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Foreign Minister Andrei Y. Vishinsky said today U.S. Secretary of State Dean Acheson's charge that Russia is annexing four North China provinces is a "lying and slanderous declaration."

Vishinsky made his statement in an unusual press release to foreign correspondents, coinciding with the arrival in Moscow of Chou En-lai, foreign minister of the Russian-recognized Chinese people's republic.

Chou's arrival led to the belief that negotiations for a treaty of friendship between Russia and the new Chinese republic of Communist leader Mao Tse-tung were nearing an important climax. Mao has been in Moscow for a month.

Vishinsky, commenting on statements by Acheson at the National Press club in Washington Jan. 12 that Russia is taking over Manchuria, Inner and Outer Mongolia and Sinkiang, said they were intended "to put a good face on a bad game—the failure of American policy in Asia."

Acheson, he said, declared "these non-American territories in the defensive line of the United States which, as is well-known, is in the line of aggression."

"In this," Vishinsky declared, "Acheson said much of his wish to give help to the peoples of Asia, clearly hinting that reactionary forces in these countries and also the colonial powers, not wishing to say goodbye to the exploitation of peoples in Asia, can count on all help from the side of Mr. Acheson."

The secretary of state said the United States has "and will continue to hold" a "defensive perimeter" running along the Aleutians to Japan, to the Ryukyus and down to the Philippines.

(The State department in Washington would make no immediate comment on the Vishinsky statement.)

Special importance was seen in the statement since it was handed to foreign correspondents at the Kremlin. Usually accusations by foreign statesmen are answered publicly through the government news agency Tass or the newspapers Pravda and Izvestia.

"In all these declarations by Acheson there is not one word of truth," Vishinsky said.

### MEETING SCHEDULED

Mental Health association of Douglas county will elect officers and directors at the meeting to be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Veterans Facility Recreational building. All are urged to attend.

### The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office Roseburg, Oregon

Mostly cloudy with occasional rain today, tonight and Sunday.

Highest temp. any Jan. .... 71  
Lowest temp. for any Jan. .... 46  
Highest temp. yesterday .... 46  
Lowest temp. last 24 hrs. .... 42  
Precipitation last 24 hrs. .... .41  
Precipitation from Jan. 1 - 7.89  
Precipitation from Sept. 1 - 19.35  
Excess from Jan. 1 ..... 4.47

### Leader Of Civil Defense In Case Of War Named

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served as director of the University of California. Later he served as director of the University's Sandia laboratory at Albuquerque, N. M.

Became Consultant

When that operation was taken over by the Western Electric Co. last November Larsen became consultant of Western Electric subsidiary working in Atomic research.

The decision to recruit thousands of aircraft observers for civil defense was announced yesterday following a two-day conference of defense officials and state representatives called by Secretary of Defense Johnson.

The defense department said the "aircraft observers corps" will be trained in 25 northwestern and Atlantic states by the Air Defense command of the Air Force, then placed on a standby basis.

In case of war, the announcement added, these air raid wardens will keep "a 24 hour per day watch from observation posts to give warning of impending enemy attack by air and will supplement radar warning systems."

To Affect Communities

The defense department said the program is being "channeled through the governments of the States and through them to the local communities" because the "scale of civil defense is to place responsibility on local government."

The conference also discussed setting up observation posts, filter centers and control centers.

There is no federal law now to provide for a civil defense setup, although the matter has been under study for more than two years.

The recent announcement that Russia had set off an atomic explosion started new demands in Congress for action along those lines. Britain, Belgium, the Netherlands, Luxembourg, France and some of the Scandinavian countries already have reactivated civil defense programs dropped after World War II.

### Three Small Children Die In Shake House Fire

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Jan. 21.—(AP)—Three small children perished before noon Friday two miles from Sedro-Woolley when a small shake house went up in flames.

Sedro-Woolley firemen said they were the children of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Leger, Leger, an employee of Seattle City Light, has been marooned near Newhalem by weather conditions.

It was reported the flames probably originated from a heating stove in the small rural home. Mrs. Leger, firemen reported, had gone to a neighbors to borrow a cup of sugar when the fire broke out.

The dead children were identified as two boys, William, one year old, Floyd, 2, and a girl, Charlene, 3.

### Sales School Moved

Retail selling personnel were advised today that the sales consultant school location has been moved from the armory to the banquet room of the IOOF hall, above Clarke's studio.

Tommy Thompson, professional sales consultant, said the time for the classes will remain unchanged—7:30 to 9:30, Monday through Thursday.

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