

Winston Folks Relate Tour Of 'Sunny South'

By MRS. GEORGE BACHER
Mr. and Mrs. Al Dotson and son, Loren, have returned to their home on Grape Avenue in Winston after a two months' tour of southern and mid-western states. Refreshed and inspired by their lengthy vacation they immediately set to work repairing and remodeling their place of business, the Myrtlewood Treasure House and Malt shop on highway 99.

The Dotsons report an interesting trip. Leaving here at Christmas time they motored to Los Angeles. On New Year's Day they attended the football game at the Rose Bowl in Pasadena. While in that city, they were guests of honor at a banquet given by employees of the Ford Motor company assembly plant in Long Beach, with whom Dotson was previously employed before moving to Oregon.

From California, the Dotsons motored through Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Kansas and on into Nebraska. In Lincoln, they spent a week with Dotson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Dotson (the senior Dotsons are 84 and 78 respectively). In Sidney, they spent several days with relatives.

Their next stop was in Northville, S.D., where they visited with Mrs. Dotson's mother, Mrs. Catherine P. Myr. Returning by way of Salt Lake City they encountered severe snow storms and were turned back to Barstow, Calif.

There, surprisingly, they met with even more severe weather conditions than in the mid-west, for while they had experienced an icy 20 degrees below in South Dakota there was not as much snow in evidence as in California, Dotson said. In Danvers there was seven feet of snow which local residents told the Dotsons had fallen in seven days, and the Dotsons added that an additional foot fell that night. It took them three days to come from Barstow to Winston and they report that they were "right glad to be back here too."

Since their arrival Jan. 29 they

Style And Talent Show Scheduled By Tri-Hi-Y

A combined style and talent show will be presented by the Tri-Hi-Y of Roseburg Senior high school Friday, March 3, at 8 p.m. in the junior high school auditorium.

Miss Kitty Aldred, general chairman, said the latest fashions will be modeled by members of the Tri-Hi-Y, as well as modeling by some children.

High school talent features, including musical numbers and skits, will round out the program.

The general committee includes Jackie Daniels, talent; Margaret Tucker, stage; Joanne Taylor, advertising; Marjorie Collins, program, and Diane Rogers, tickets. Miss Esther Dyar is advisor.

Electricity Dusts Called Crop Boon

CORVALLIS, Apr. — Crop dusts charged with electricity so they will hold better, were suggested to the second annual dusting and spraying conference of farmers and airman.

Dr. A. L. Strand, president of Oregon State college, said more research should be done on developing dusts with positive electric charges. These would adhere to plants with negative charges, he said.

The college president spoke as an entomologist and private pilot to the gathering of about 100 flying farmers, pilots and chemical supply firm agents.

He said farms of the future may be laid out with the airplane in mind and predicted aerial control of insects and disease would continue to grow. He said better sprays and dusts and improved ways of applying them were needed.

Robert W. Every, OSC extension entomologist, reported airplanes were dusting an estimated three-fourth of Oregon field crops. Fruit growers have not adopted the aerial services as extensively as the field crop farmers, he said.

3 Northwest Senators Vote Support Substitute

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24. — (AP) — Three Pacific Northwest senators voting Friday stood with the majority of the Senate which by a 43 to 35 vote (D-11) to abolish all potato price supports, the vote approved a milder substitute by Senator Aiken (R-Vt.) which Lucas termed "futile and useless."

Voting for the Aiken substitute were Senators Morse and Cordon, Oregon Republicans, and Cain, Washington Republican.

have been redecorating the interior of their shop and some new equipment is being installed. The addition of a "soup kitchen" will further their menus.

DILLARD

Homes To Get Electric Power

By ROSA HEINBACH

After 20 years of planning, residents of the Rice-Willis creek area are to have electricity.

During the week, Abner and Roy Rice and Jack Cluster have been clearing a right of way for California Oregon Power company crews who will erect the light poles and string the lines.

For years, these farmers have worked their lands much as their forefathers did because the price asked for electric service was too high. Then when the families could afford this "luxury" the war came along to create shortages of materials.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller of Bandon were renewing old friendships at the Abner residence this week. They have been friends for thirty-five years. The Millers have a fishing business and resort motor boats on the Coquille river.

Jim Gibbs of Myrtle Point, was in Dillard on business and dined at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abner Rice on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henry of Eugene came to Dillard Friday to visit with the former's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Henry. The special occasion was honoring the birthday of the elder Mrs. Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Paroz moved into their own home Feb. 19, from the home of Mrs. Paroz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Buell. They have resided at the Buell home since the birth of a son in January.

A new electric pump was being installed yesterday at the Dillard church parsonage by Ossie Olson and Mr. Haumeier. Also, a twenty-gallon storage tank was installed, a donation of Haumeier.

Mr. and Mrs. David Babb are in Dillard visiting from Deer-Park, Wash., at the home of Mrs. Cora Evans. Mr. Babb is a carpenter contractor in Spokane.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Buell spent several days last week in Eugene. They also went to Lebanon and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Clark. Mrs. Buell's cousin, they drove to McKenzie pass to see the deep snow.

Mrs. E. W. Fisher of Eugene was weekend guest at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Middlesteadt, and grand-daughter, Geraldine. Mrs. Fisher returned Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Erle Clayton, who resides three miles up Kent Creek, has been ill these last few weeks. Her son, Elzie Clayton, took her to Eugene Wednesday for medical attention. Mrs. Clayton is the wife of the late Grant Clayton, well known gardener of this community.

Mrs. A. M. Finnell has been ill at her home with virus pneumonia for the last two weeks. She is recuperating slowly.

Roseburg Lions Favor Having Travel Trophy

The Roseburg Lions club Thursday night went on record as favoring the purchase of a traveling trophy, to be used among Douglas county Lions clubs only.

The project had originally been approved at a zone meeting. Under the plan, a club in this county to possess the trophy would have to pay a visit to Roseburg with at least 50 percent of its membership.

That club would then take possession until another group would pay a visit with sufficient membership to take the trophy home.

There is a state trophy, called Leo the Lion, which is worked on the same basis. At present Leo is residing in the small eastern Oregon town of Bly, where it has a good chance of remaining, because of the distance needed for other state clubs to travel to retrieve it.

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Marriage License Issues

CHAMBERLAIN, SHAW, Kenneth, Charles, Chamberlain, Roseburg, and Wilma J. Shaw, Oakland. M. COZMACK JR.-KEELE—Hugh McCormack Jr. and Lois Margorie Keele, both of Cottage Grove.

Divorce Suits Filed

BARNES — Mildred vs. Homer Barnes. Married July 13, 1937, Booneville, Indiana. Plaintiff charges cruelty and inhuman treatment, asks custody of two minor children and support money.

MAYBERRY—Elsie vs. William Doyle Mayberry. Married May 28, 1942, Akron, Ohio. Plaintiff charges cruel and inhuman treatment; asks for a property settlement.

Sutkerlin P.T.A. Gains Books For School Libraries

Two hundred books were collected for the Sutkerlin school libraries at the Parent-Teachers Foundation day meeting Monday evening. Members were required to donate a book in order to attend.

Chairman of the book drive was Mrs. Mae Willis. During the meeting, members heard several speakers, including Marble Cook, representative of the Oregon Educational association, and H. B. Austin, principal of the grade school.

Mrs. Jean Canova, president of the Parent-Teachers association, resigned during the meeting and Mrs. Erma Buck was elected to fill her unexpired term.

The meeting was highlighted by an impressive candlelight cake ceremony, which was centered around the theme of the foundation of the Parent-Teachers association. Participating were Mrs. Ethel Wattman, Mrs. Edith Townsley, Mrs. Jean McMillen, Mrs. Erma Buck, Mrs. Mae Willis and Mrs. Isabel Card.

Several vocal selections were given by Mrs. Cynthia Magill. Later in the evening delightful refreshments were served by Mrs. Fred Brauning, Mrs. Keith Dies, Mrs. William Rietmann, and Mrs. Claus Smith. Serving was buffet style except for one table that was beautifully decorated and set for all past presidents of the Parent-Teachers association and the Parent-Teachers club. They were waited upon by Mrs. Peterson and Mrs. Stevens, high school teachers.

Most residents of the town were Mrs. Henry Frotscher, Mrs. Prentice Card, Mrs. Ira Mann, Mrs. Henry Campbell, Mrs. Eric Wattman, Mrs. Marvin Parks and Mrs. Jack Culver Jr.

Dried Foodstuffs On Give-Away List

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The government has decided to give away its warehouse supplies of dried eggs and dried milk that cost it around \$115 million under the price support program.

This is the third commodity that Secretary of Agriculture Brannan and the Commodity Credit corporation have placed under the give-away provisions of the agriculture act of 1949.

On Jan. 17 the government announced it was placing "an unlimited" amount of potatoes on the give-away list.

The law says that supplies acquired for price support purposes may be diverted to needy people if the food is in danger of spoilage.

Brannan's announcement said 73 million pounds of dried eggs bought in 1948 and 1949, and 169 million pounds of dried milk acquired in 1949 have been added to supplies available for welfare purposes.

The eggs and milk will be offered to the school lunch program, the Bureau of Indian Affairs and to federal, state and local public welfare agencies.

PUD Strike Ends Pending New Agreement Effort

VANCOUVER, Wash., Feb. 27.—(AP)—Electrical workers Friday rejected a 3-cent hourly wage increase offered by the Clark County PUD but ended, nevertheless, a continuous-meeting work stoppage.

They reported for work at the noon shift.

The work resumption, however, will be followed by a strike in 20 days unless agreement is reached, Walter Larsen, union press representative, said.

Only skeleton crews have been maintained this week by the union to meet emergency calls on the PUD lines. All of Clark county, including Vancouver, is served by the PUD.

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Unemployment Said Dropping In Douglas Co.

Claims for unemployment compensation in the Roseburg office of the Oregon State Employment Service have been dropping at the rate of between two and three hundred each week for the past three weeks.

This is occasioned by the return to near normalcy of many sawmill operations. The logging industry is still hampered by wet road conditions and until there has been a long enough stretch of sunny weather increased activity in the woods is not expected, according to Manager George Foster.

At the present time there are any number of workers available that would be greatly interested in work of any nature and duration, he said. Many jobs have probably been postponed because of bad weather and now is the time to get them done while workers are available.

The Roseburg office has many qualified office and clerical workers who are seeking employment. There is no charge to either the employer or the employee for any service rendered through the facilities of the State Employment Service. It is suggested that persons seeking work who are not already registered with the local office, do so immediately, for there should be many different types of work available in the near future. Employers needing workers in any type of work may telephone their orders and they will be filled as soon as possible.

Groups Benefit In Sabelin Will

Four organizations, including the Faith Lutheran church of Roseburg and three charitable groups benefited from the will of Bernhard Sabelin, Roseburg, which was filed for probate Feb. 10.

The American Cancer society, the American Heart Association and the Roseburg Community center, in addition to the church, will receive an equal portion of one-half of his estate, valued at \$3,500 in real property and \$3,000 in personal property, including cash and savings bonds.

One-half of the estate was bequeathed to Sabelin's niece, Freda Sabelin Mayer, who lives in Germany.

Catherine Higginbotham was appointed executrix without bond. Real property mentioned in the will includes lot 16, block six of Ch. 17's addition, Roseburg.

The National Geographic Society says Dr. Thomas Walker in 1750 disclosed the importance of Cumberland Gap as a way to the west.

3 New Suits Filed In Circuit Court

John and Vera H. Clifton filed in circuit court asking \$4,281, plus interest and costs, from William N. and Edith Fayetta Hash, alleged due on real property debts as the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 21, township 28 south, range five, west of the Willamette meridian.

The complaint also asks that in the event of failure to pay, the property be foreclosed by the sheriff and all money paid by the defendant be retained by the plaintiff as liquidated damages for use and occupancy of the property.

In other suits filed Friday, Forrest Clomon asks judgment for \$728.59, from E. L. Merritt, doing business as Merritt Logging Co., alleged due on merchandise purchases.

It and Jeffords, asks judgment for \$500, plus interest and costs, from George Schults, alleged due on a promissory note.

Four More File

Four more persons filed petitions with the county clerk's office for nomination to the office of precinct committeeman. All four filed as Republicans.

They include Flossie S. Virden, Roseburg; Opal A. Munson, Umpqua; Ruth R. Clarke, Umpqua and George R. Aker Sr., Myrtle Creek.

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Booklet Issued On Oregon Trees

OREGON STATE COLLEGE — An 80-page illustrated bulletin on "Trees to Know in Oregon" that already promises to become one of the most popular and widely distributed publications issued by Oregon State college has just been published cooperatively by the OSC extension service and the Oregon State Board of Forestry.

The booklet was written primarily for boys and girls of Oregon, and especially to serve leaders and members of 4-H forestry clubs, but other young people and grown-ups as well are expected to be interested in it. The bulletin is No. 697.

Written by Charles R. Ross, OSC extension service farm forestry specialist, the booklet contains more than a hundred drawings and illustrations by Hugh Hayes, Civil

engineer for the Oregon state board of forestry.

"Every citizen of this state has a vital economic interest in the welfare of Oregon's great forest resources," the introduction says. "Every Oregonian—farmer, laborer, business man, civil servant, housewife, and schoolboy—can well afford to take a longer and more appreciative look at the trees around him."

Plaintiff Wins Suit

Judge William G. East Friday sided a judgment favoring the plaintiff, Harry Griffin, following jury deliberations. The plaintiff was awarded \$1,200 general and \$200 special damages and costs, arising out of a collision between two trucks of the parties involved.

The collision, in which Roseburg lumber company truck named defendant, occurred August 6, 1948, 13 miles east of Sutherlin.

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