

Local News

Job's Daughters to Meet—Roseburg bethel No. 8, Job's Daughters will meet at 7 o'clock tonight at the Masonic temple.

Postponed—The Roseburg Arts and Crafts club workshop has been postponed from Thursday night of this week to May 4 at 7:30 o'clock at the Junior High school.

Home From Hospital—Mrs. Aiva Bellows has been discharged from Mercy hospital, where she recently underwent a major operation, and is reported convalescing satisfactorily at her home at 864 Military street.

Visiting Parents—Robert Roach, student at Wheaton college in Illinois, has arrived in Roseburg to spend spring vacation visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Morris H. Roach, on South Main street.

Home From Hospital—H. A. Taylor, who has been a patient at the Veterans hospital since March 1, was released Monday and is reported convalescing at his home on West Mosher street. Mrs. Taylor, who has been ill of pneumonia for the last two weeks, has been cared for by her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Zickelose, of Richmond, Calif., who has returned to her home.

Expected Home Wednesday—Miss Bonnie Bellows and Miss Norma Tins are expected to return to their homes in Roseburg Wednesday, following a week's stay in San Francisco. They visited the former's brother, Pfc. Alvin James Bellows, at the Fairfield airbase at Fairfield, Calif., and attended a large church wedding of a friend in San Francisco.

Births At Mercy Hospital

ADKINS—To Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Ellsworth Adkins, Cloverdale Park, April 3, a daughter, Donna Ann; weight six pounds eight ounces.

ULAM—To Mr. and Mrs. Dale Charles Ulam, Myrtle Creek, April 4, a son, Clifford Dale; weight seven pounds fourteen ounces.

WELCH—To Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Welch Jr., Tenuit, April 3, a son, Dale Edward; weight eight pounds fourteen ounces.

O'NEIL—To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Robert O'Neil, 148 Housley street, Roseburg, April 3, a daughter, Catherine Anne; weight six pounds eight ounces.

GUARDSMAN PROMOTED

Sgt. Horace Pendergrass, Roseburg, has been promoted to second lieutenant, infantry, in the Oregon National Guard, it was announced today in an Associated Press dispatch from Salem.

JUST TRASH FIRE

City firemen answered a call in front of Karl's Shoe store at 6:25 p.m. Monday to extinguish a trash fire. They reported no damage was caused.

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Robert Roach To Speak On College Experiences

Robert Roach, son of Dr. Morris Roach, first Presbyterian church minister, will speak briefly at the regular mid-week service Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. on his experiences at Wheaton college, Ill.

Wheaton college, located 35 miles west of Chicago, was the scene of the February "marathon prayer meeting" during which most of the 1,500 students and 110 faculty members publicly confessed their sins during a 38-hour period.

Young Roach, a sophomore at the college, has returned to his home in Roseburg to spend spring vacation.

Mary A. Thiele, Pioneer, Passes

Mary Amelia Thiele, 97, pioneer resident of Douglas county, died at the Quigley Rest home at Creswell Monday after a long illness. She had lived in Creswell the last three years.

She was born while her parents were traveling across the plains to Oregon Sept. 14, 1852. She was the daughter of Frederick and Louise Thiele, who settled in Rice valley, near Oakland. She was married to George Thompson July 3, 1873. He died in 1904. Mrs. Thiele lived on Red hill near Yoncalla most of her life.

She is survived by four of nine children: Mrs. Minnie Langdon, Mrs. Effie Howard and Elmer Thompson of Yoncalla, and Mrs. Daisy Whitman of Milton, Ore.; 16 grandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren, and four great-great-grandchildren.

Graveside funeral services will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. at the Yoncalla cemetery, with Rev. W. N. Byars officiating. Stearns mortuary, Oakland, is in charge.

Sisters Repent After Lie To Census Takers

CHICAGO, April 3 —(AP)—Two conscience-stricken sisters called the Chicago census supervisor yesterday and confessed they fibbed to an enumerator about their ages.

The sisters told George H. Seward that for many years each had been posing as 11 years younger than she really is. The lie has been repeated so many times, they confessed, that they didn't really think when they repeated it to the census taker who called on them Saturday.

When they learned of the heavy penalties involved in lying to the census taker, the sisters telephoned Seward to ask his forgiveness.

The neighbors have been fooled all along, the sisters said, so it meant much to them to keep their real ages secret.

Seward assured them the records would be corrected and reminded them that all personal census information is secret anyway.

Seward gave no indication of the ages of the sisters.

O. W. Harrah Succeeded Here In Standard Oil Job

W. W. Cole, Portland, has been transferred to Roseburg as fuel and lubricant engineer for the Standard Oil company, to take the place of Otto W. Harrah, who has held that position for the last several years in this city. Mr. Harrah has been promoted to a position with the company in Salt Lake city and, with his wife, will leave Thursday for Utah. Their home on South Pine street has been sold to Charles Welker.

Mr. Cole is looking for a home in Roseburg so his family can join him here. He and Mrs. Cole have two sons, Woody, five, and Rickie, two.

Bulgarian Shot, Killed

VIENNA, Austria, April 3.—(AP)—American and French military police Sunday night shot and killed Benno Blum, a Bulgarian accused of being the ringleader of a Soviet-directed kidnap ring.

U. S. army officials said Blum was shot down while attempting the escape from the home of a woman friend.

MOOSE TO ELECT

The annual election of officers of Roseburg Moose lodge will be held at the regular meeting Wednesday, April 5, at 8:30 p.m.

Governor Jerry Willis urged all members to attend.

March Bills Given City Council O. K.

The following bills for the month of March, were approved by the city council at its meeting Monday night.

March Claims 1950	
American Elkhart Co.	\$ 26.62
Bewley's Heating Service	6.30
Browning Richfield Super Service	2.25
California Oregon Power Co.	54.37
California Oregon Power Co.	851.86
Cliff's Richfield Station	1.75
Coen Supply Co.	123.24
Consolidated Freightways, Inc.	3.09
D. & L. Stationers	14.88
Douglas Abstract Co., Inc.	174.80
Douglas Supply Co.	1.26
Fiegl Transfer & Storage Co.	12.60
Walter Fredrickson	20.00
Hansen Motor Co.	8.63
C. P. Hinsdale	13.92
Kraftite company	23.75
Link Radio	3,992.50
Lockwood Motors	31.99
Mercy Hospital	9.75
M. & M. Printers	13.75
Mid Oregon Printing & Stationery Co.	8.88
Nelson Equipment Co.	6.21
Orchard Auto Parts Co.	3.24
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co.	65.05
Portland Paint & Lacquer Products	83.75
PreMix Concrete, Inc.	948.28
Roseburg Cafe	229.55
Roseburg Paving Co.	10.56
Roseburg Police Benefit	63.99
Roseburg Sand & Gravel Co.	2.95
Shell Oil Co.	1.50
Ralph E. Smith	12.00
J. W. Stovell & E. S. Berg	14.88
Trowbridge Electric Co.	274.50
The United States National Bank	6.89
Umpqua Valley Hardware	5.50
Union Oil Co. of California	4.82
West Bros. Jewelry	55.59
R. L. Whipple	1.50
Chester L. Wilcox	7.50
Wolbert Welding & Machine Works	5.00
Kier-Croch Plumbing Co.	14.37
J. C. Compton Co.	130.60
Street Sinking Fund—included in the above bills	1,065.19

Unemployment Ranks Reduced During March

WASHINGTON, April 4.—(AP)—The census bureau reports there were 561,000 fewer unemployed in March than in February.

Secretary of Commerce Sawyer, who released the figure, said this "encouraging" improvement apparently indicated the expected spring business pick-up had started earlier than anticipated.

Employment jumped from 56,953,000 in February to 57,551,000 for March, an increase of 598,000 more people with jobs.

The March unemployment figure was 4,123,000. This compares with 4,684,000 unemployed in February, when the total was the highest in more than eight years.

The increase in the number of people at work was larger than the decrease in unemployment because of new additions to the labor force; the result, for instance, of young people leaving school and looking for work.

Sawyer, in announcing the figures, said: "The improvement in the employment situation expected in the spring has apparently started."

Agricultural employment rose seasonally from 6,223,000 in February to 6,675,000 in March.

STOLEN CARS FOUND

Police Chief Calvin H. Baird said today city police have recovered two cars reported as stolen.

The first car, belonging to a Seattle U-Drive company, was recovered Friday. The second, stolen from an officer based at the San Francisco presidio, was recovered Monday.

Both were 1949 model sedans.

City Council Dates Two Special Elections

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government will provide matching funds, if the issue carries.

New Addition OK'd—The council formally approved the proposed Hawthorne Terrace addition, being developed by Spencer W. Yates, Gordon G. Carlson, A. G. Henninger and Lawrence Henninger. The addition is located in the vicinity of Harris and the extension of South Kane streets.

The city adopted an agreement with the owners of the property, whereby they will grant a full 50-foot right-of-way for a portion of the extension of South Kane street, with provision that the city do the following work:

The city will provide pipe and material for installation of storm sewers along the proposed Hawthorne drive, the cost to the city being \$2,243.71; the city will grade and gravel Harris street the width of Hawthorne drive; the city to initiate petitions for the improvement of Kane street for paving 36 feet wide with curbs and gutters, and installing a five-foot sidewalk on the west side, the paving, curbs, gutters and sidewalks to correspond to paving on Hawthorne drive. The city is to have plans drawn and engineers estimates made for Kane street.

The council discussed storm sewers for Lane street and a portion of Main to tie in with the Lane street line, but action was deferred.

Paul Ryan of the Grand hotel protested the plan against all-night parking on Jackson and Cass streets in the business area. The matter was referred to the street committee for further study of the problem. Parking is banned to permit cleaning of the street between 1 and 6 a. m. Ryan claimed the ban hurts the hotel and restaurant business.

Shall the city enforce its ordinance licensing pinball machines, or repeal it? This question was brought up by Mayor Al Fiegl. No licenses on such "legal" machines, have been collected for more than two years. Owners of such equipment are invited to the next meeting for a hearing on the issue.

Miscellaneous Matters—Other discussion was held on long-range city planning, extension of Umpqua Ave. E., and water pressure in some of the higher elevations, but no action was taken.

The request of H. B. Harryman for a bond waiver to retail eggs at 24¢ St. Stephens was referred to the police commission for further study. Request of C. F. McDonald for a bond waiver for the sale of brushes and brooms, was also referred to the police commission.

A consent petition was received from Maria and Rudolph Andrus for the annexation of lots 3 and 4, block 1, Beulah addition. The matter was held for the next annexation election.

A grant of \$472.75 from the legacy of R. W. Hinkley estate was formally accepted by the council. The money was left for swimming pool development. The recorder was instructed to place the money in the recreation fund and send a letter of thanks to the executor.

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40 MILLION PARCEL

FRANKFURT, Germany, April 3.—(AP)—The 40,000,000 individual gift parcel sent to Germany from the United States since the war was delivered today.

The package was sent by Mrs. Elli Davids, San Francisco, to her sister, Mrs. Emmy Stortz, of Frankfurt, postal officials said.

A spokesman for the U. S. High commission said the 40,000,000 parcels were valued at about \$335,000,000.

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Carlton K. Logan, Newspaperman, Dies At Salem

SALEM, April 4.—(AP)—Carlton K. Logan, 54, valley editor of the Salem Capital Journal, died last night of a stroke at his home.

Logan worked on the Grants Pass Courier, was editor of the Ashland Tidings for a year, and came here in 1923 as city editor of the Oregon Statesman. He transferred to the Capital Journal in 1927 as the paper's first valley editor, holding that job for 23 years.

Logan attended Albany college, Oregon State college, and was graduated from the University of Oregon school of journalism. He was a member of Sigma Delta Chi, honorary journalism fraternity; the American Legion, the 49th et 8, and the Presbyterian church.

He fought in all the major campaigns in World War I as a member of the 4th division. He was overseas two years.

He leaves a widow, Anne, whom he married in Ashland in 1923.

Melrose

By NETTIE WOODRUFF

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Busenbark returned Friday from Los Angeles where they spent the past six weeks visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Doyle.

Mrs. George Ransom and daughter, Mrs. Loyd McNary and daughter, Fama, and Mrs. Potter, all of Freewater, Ore., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ransom.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Busenbark made a business trip to Newport Friday and returned home in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Siglow and son, Paul of Kenmore, S.D., and John Siglow of Woodburn, Ore., were overnight guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Busenbark. They were on their way to coastal points, and then home.

Mrs. J. E. Conn went to Seattle last Tuesday to attend a Camp Fire council meeting. She returned late Friday. Several council members accompanied her.

Elmer Olson of Hubbard creek is home from Mercy hospital recovering from an appendectomy performed last week.

Capt. Jerry Stidham is home on a 30-day leave from the Army. He spent the last six months in Okinawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hanson are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nelson. They just returned from Alaska, where Hanson was employed the past year.

NOT ON BALLOT

EUGENE, April 4.—(AP)—The county manager plan will not be on the ballot this year. The county court has signed an order denying the measure a place on the ballot.

A recount of invalid names was taken by the county election department Sunday. When the final check was completed, it showed 3306 legal signatures, exactly two names short of the 3308 required to place the proposal on the ballot in the May primary elections.

The Weather

Fair today with increasing cloudiness tonight and Wednesday. Rain Wednesday night.

Highest temp. any April	96
Lowest temp. for any April	25
Highest temp. yesterday	54
Lowest temp. last 24 hrs.	32
Precipitation last 24 hrs.	0
Precipitation from April 1	0.08
Precipitation from Sept. 1	30.40
Deficit from April 1	.27

CITY COURT CASES

Judge Ira B. Riddle reported today the following persons were committed to the city jail for ten days in lieu of payment of \$20 fines:

Drunk — Dewey Thomas Hammett, 49, of Roseburg, and Troy Legate, 65, of Medford.

Vagrancy — John Hans Folsom, 22, of Los Angeles.

90-Year-Old Woman Missing, Had Eloped

VANCOUVER, B. C. (CP)—Mrs. Elizabeth Edwards asked police to look for her 90-year-old mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Eastman.

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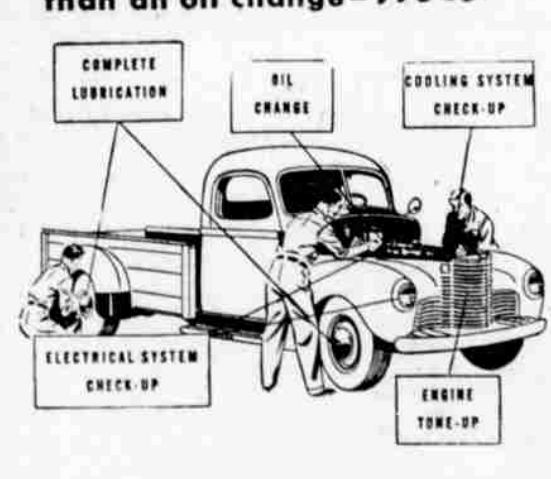
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