

Local News



RED GUNS ARE BIG ONES—Resembling a Daniel Boone squirrel gun is this 20-mm. anti-tank rifle captured from North Korean Red troops "somewhere in Korea." Sgt. Hal Gamble, left, of San Francisco, and Capt. James Constantine of Knoxville, Tenn., look over the unique weapon. The anti-tank gun fires the same size bullet as some U. S. fighter planes.

Scrapes from the MENDING BASKET

By Viannett S. Martin

"It was surprising," wrote Jimmy Whipple in a letter quoted in a recent issue of the News-Review, "to see how clean the park (Valley Forge) was when the scouts left. After one week of camping the grounds were as clean or cleaner than when we arrived."

How many adults, stopping by the wayside for a brief picnic or quick lunch leave the spot "as clean or cleaner" than when they paused there? How many people driving along our beautiful winding roads remember to use the trash-barrels spaced along the highway?

In the beautiful canyon south of Cottage Grove, and all the way along south on 99 for many miles, are innumerable turnouts where one sees cars halted. Who picks up the trash? The highway truck picks up most of it—yet the truck is supposed to service only the trash-barrels.

Wouldn't it be wonderful if the Boy Scouts of America could think up some kind of a drive by which they could inspire their elders to leave camp and picnic spots "as clean or cleaner" than when they stopped there?

There is a \$50 penalty for dumping trash along the highway. May-

be it's the way people have been brought up. The kind who learned as children to "pick up" after themselves, and to put rubbish in proper places, will do so, probably, without any "drive" to urge them. The kind whose parents permitted them to throw things over the fence or out the car window or anywhere at all to get rid of it, will continue to litter the highways and the beauty spots with anything from discarded bottles to big boxes of cans.

We were driving along the other day and the car ahead "dumped" some kleenex out the window. The wind caught it just right so it whipped in our open windows. Of course the one who pitched it out the window "didn't think" it didn't notice, either.

One time a group of children at the "secret society" age were in spired to have a club called "H. K. C. B."—and for some time the neighborhood was free of litter because the members of that club were "Helping Keep California Beautiful."

Another Crop-Dusting Plane Crashes; Pilot Safe

DALLAS, Ore., July 18 — (AP) — Another crop-dusting plane cracked up near here Monday, again the pilot emerging unhurt. Joe Card was the flier who panicked his biplane in this time. The plane failed to gain altitude on take-off from the airport a half-mile west of Dallas.

The landing gear caught on a power line, and the plane ripped through a clump of brush, then hit in a small pasture. The landing gear was smashed and the wings ripped. Card walked away. It was the third crash in Polk county in the last 1 1/2 months, the pilot escaping without injury each time.

CHILD DROWNS IN DITCH

HOOD RIVER, July 18 — (AP) — Two-year-old Sharon Elizabeth Elder drowned yesterday in an irrigation ditch near her Oak Grove home.

JUST LIKE THE GAS WE SELL—WE'RE ACTIVATED

no slow motion service here, not a bit. We like people who are prompt and thorough—so we are.

ROGER'S SHELL SERVICE
on Melrose Road at S. Entrance to Veterans Hospital.

Sewing Guild to Meet—St. George's Guild Sewing group will meet Wednesday at a 1 o'clock potluck luncheon at the summer home of Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Church on the North Umpqua at Winches-Jay.

To Meet Thursday—The Garden Valley Women's club will meet Thursday, July 20, at 2 o'clock at the clubhouse, with Mrs. F. G. Ewens and Mrs. Walter Crosier, co-hostesses.

A. and E. Club to Meet—The Roseburg Art and Embroidery club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Glenn Cox in Riversdale.

Back From Vacation—Miss Joanne Blakeley returned to her work at the News-Review Monday, following a week's vacation in Portland and McMinnville.

Club to Meet—The Melrose Friendly Hour club will hold an all-day meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Grace Penn. A potluck luncheon will be served at noon.

Return Home—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Havens and family have returned to their home in Roseburg, from a vacation trip.

Initiation—Tau Eta Eta will hold initiation Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. Elmer Hampton, 1436 Riverside drive, Laurelwood.

Reported Ill—Mrs. Metta Squire is reported ill at her home in Cloverdale Park.

Will Leave Thursday—Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Schombel of Roseburg are leaving Thursday for Casper, Wyo., to visit their son and his family, prior to going to Los Angeles, where Mrs. (Rose) Schombel will purchase fall stock for her home shop. Mr. and Mrs. Schombel expect to be back at their home about August 15.

Dinner and Cards—Members of Evergreen grange have planned a public dinner, to be followed by cards, at the Grange hall Saturday July 22 at 6:30 p.m. Cards will be in play at 8 p.m.

Meeting Tonight—Arts and Crafts class will hold a potluck dinner at the home of Mrs. Helen Duncan at Winston tonight. Those attending are asked to bring hot dish, salads or sandwiches. Those desiring transportation are asked to meet at 8 p.m. at junior high school. Husbands and children are invited and committees will present reports. The Duncan home is located at the end of the Winston road after turning left at the bridge.

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Council Votes Extension Of Umpqua Avenue East

that would have to be acquired at the north end of Boden avenue. The council's action was contingent upon the granting by property owners along the north side of the proposed street of 10-foot easements to provide for a 35-foot street width.

Councilman Chester Morgan expressed himself as definitely opposed to the street extension. The city is negotiating with the school board for an easement across school property and for sites for the placing of a pumping station on the new Fullerton school property and on the high school property. The school board had requested in exchange that the schools be provided sewer service without charge. The council had questioned whether that is possible, since Fullerton school is outside the city. A compromise issue was being discussed today.

A new fire station and other improvements to place the city in a class A insurance rating would cost an estimated \$175,000, a report submitted by Fire Chief William Mills stated. The report suggested a 3 1/2-mill continuing levy to cover the cost. The matter was referred to special committee, including Henry Carstens, chairman; Chester Morgan, J. A. Hart and Bill Adair.

The council voted to grade a portion of Houck street, with the cost of oiling to be born by the property owners. The action was taken upon presentation of a petition bearing 18 names.

Motion was passed to purchase from George Felt a water line installation at the airport at a cost of \$255.25. Felt had made the improvement while manager at the airport.

Waiver of a bond was granted for establishment of an arts and craft studio at 736 So. Stephens to Irene D. Aimes.



CITY FIREMEN are combining painting chores with their regular smoke chasing this week as they give the city fire hall its annual beauty treatment. Roy McFarland, left, Oral Wescott, center, and Tony Shukle work over the floor in their beautifying efforts. (Staff photo.)



HERE'S RUSSIAN TANK THAT'S BLASTING YANKS IN KOREA—U.S. tanks have taken a bad licking in Korea, and the reason, military experts say, is that they're out-gunned by Soviet-made medium and heavy tanks. Above is the Russian-built T-34, used by North Koreans. It has an 88-millimeter, long-barrel gun, similar to the famous hard-hitting 88's that Nazi panzers used so devastatingly in World War II. Our best medium tanks, the Sherman, M-24, with a short-barrel, 75-mm. cannon, and the Pershing M-26, with a short-barrel, 90-mm. gun, are accurate and fast-firing, but far out-ranged by the long-barreled Red guns of similar size.

Another Draft Call in August Regarded Probable

WASHINGTON, July 18 — (AP) — Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, selective service director, Monday raised the possibility of another draft call next month. He also said draft regulations may be needed if the world situation worsens. In a prepared statement, Hershey said: "I see no reason to believe that there will not be another draft call for delivery of men after the September call is filled. "And if things continue to grow worse, it may be necessary to tighten the law concerning exemptions of veterans and the regulations concerning dependence."

Selective service has ordered the drafting of 20,000 men for the army by Sept. 30. The draft law exempts veterans of 90 days war service or more. At present, the draft is not being applied to married men or persons with children or others dependent upon them for support. The army has said that it has "no present plan" for another draft call but has emphasized that conditions are subject to quick change. From other sources, it has been learned that a second call for perhaps 20,000 men might come in October.

Woolen Firm Again Ups Price On Worsteds Goods

NEW YORK, July 18 — (AP) — American Woolen Co. today announced a price increase ranging from 12 1/2 to 17 1/2 cents a yard on all its worsteds goods for men and women's clothing. The increase is on goods ordered for delivery in November and later. It was the second advance posted by American in the past two months. The last boost on worsteds also was from 12 1/2 to 17 1/2 cents a yard. The company is the world's largest manufacturer of woolen and

worsted fabrics. A company spokesman said the increases were made necessary by the continuing rise on the cost of raw wool. He said that as American was forced to restock its inventories of raw wool, it had to pay higher and higher prices. The company purchases wool from all parts of the world.

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Martha Jane Cappious Dies At Camas Valley

Martha Jane Cappious, 89, of Cottage Grove died Saturday, July 15, at the home of her brother, Jess Kirkendall at Camas Valley. Funeral services were held Tuesday at Cottage Grove.

She was born in Camas Valley, Feb. 2, 1870, and was married there in 1888, moving to Cottage Grove 25 years ago. She was a member of the First Methodist church in Cottage Grove. She is survived by a son, two brothers, two sisters and other relatives.

Opera Star Asks Divorce From Her Prince Charming

BALTIMORE, — (AP) — Former Metropolitan opera star Rosa Ponselle is divorcing the husband she had called her Prince Charming. Her suit, filed here, charges that Carle A. Jackson, son of former Baltimore Mayor Howard W. Jackson, deserted her a year ago January.

When she gave up her Met career to marry Jackson in 1936, the dramatic soprano said he fulfilled her requirements for a "Prince Charming."

A decade earlier she had publicly listed six qualifications for the "right man." They were that he be understanding, tolerant, trustful, romantic, sentimental and a business man with understanding.

Israeli Arms Smuggling Results In \$10,000 Fine

LOS ANGELES, July 18 — (AP) — Herman M. Greenspun, La Bajas, Nev., businessman, has paid a \$10,000 fine for violating the neutrality act in smuggling arms to Israel.

Greenspun pleaded guilty to the charge after similar counts were dismissed against two employees of a New York ordinance firm.

Prosecutors said some \$2,000,000 worth of arms and ammunition were smuggled from here and routed to Palestine via Mexico in 1948.

COFFEE PRICES

NEW YORK, July 18 — (AP) — Coffee prices were increased four to five cents a pound Monday by the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co. on its bag-packed brands.

The new prices are 74 cents a pound for Eight O'Clock brand, 76 for Red Circle and 77 for Bokar. Trade circles expected other chain stores to announce similar advances.

The A. and P. attributed its hikes not to the Korean war but rather to the continued advance in green coffee prices largely because of adverse crop conditions.

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RE-ENLISTED — Don Irwin, 26, son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Irwin, Rt. 1, box 165, Sutherlin, re-enlisted in the U.S. navy Monday in the rank of seaman first class. During the war, he served four years in the navy as a gunner's mate first class while on a gunboat in the Pacific area. Irwin worked for Long-Bell logging operations near Reedsport prior to enlistment and formerly attended Lakeview high school. He left Roseburg for Portland to be sworn in Tuesday and proceeded to Seattle for assignment to duty. (Staff photo.)

NEWSPAPER MAN DIES

SALEM, July 18 — (P) — Don H. Upjohn, 66, popular columnist for the Salem Capital Journal and former secretary to Governor Ben Olcott, died at his home Monday after an illness of several months. Upjohn wrote "Sips for Supper," a folksy column which gained him popularity over the Willamette valley.

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