

Local News

Daysons Move — Mr. and Mrs. James Dayson are moving to 222 Haines St.

Visits Son — Mrs. W. A. Bogard is in Portland visiting her son, Jack, who has entered military school there.

Gold Star Mothers — Gold Star Mothers will meet Tuesday, Oct. 17, at 2 p.m. at the home of Olive Clark, 842 Hoover St.

Dr. DeLapp To Vacation — Dr. S. L. DeLapp will be vacationing in Portland and The Dalles the week of Oct. 16. He will return to work Oct. 23.

New Jersey Guests — Mr. and Mrs. Frederick A. Keller of Glen Ridge, New Jersey, were guests at the home of the H. N. Jacobsons on Chapman St. for a week.

Has Accident — Bill Hoelt sustained severe injuries in an accident which occurred Monday at the Dillard mill. He is now in Mercy hospital.

Spokane Visitors — Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Spink and son, Jim, of Spokane, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Spink's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hoelt, 745 S. Stephens.

At Mercy Hospital — Mrs. Nettie Woodruff of Elgarose, who has been residing at the home of Mrs. Cora Little the past few weeks, entered Mercy hospital several days ago for medical treatment. She expects to be out within a day or two.

Pheasant Season Opens Today

Good in eastern Oregon and fair in the Willamette valley is the prediction of the Oregon State game commission for the 1950 pheasant season which opened today at noon and closes Oct. 22, for Douglas county.

Eastern and most of southern Oregon have a longer season—until Oct. 29. Counties having the shorter season are centered around the Willamette valley and include Douglas.

GANGRENE BARRIER — (AP) — Discovery of a substance that can be injected to protect humans against infectious gangrene was reported today by the University of Montreal. It is said to give rise to hope, also, of specific treatment for gas gangrene wounds.

Details are to be given at a meeting of the American Public Health association in St. Louis, Mo., later this month.

BEAUTY FORMULA — (AP) — Addition or subtraction might make school teachers prettier, says J. L. Buford, Mt. Vernon, Ill., schools superintendent.

Speaking at a meeting of the Illinois Education association, Buford said:

"Look as pretty as you can. Put a little something on — or take a little something off, if necessary."

Vital Statistics

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED — CANFIELD — Grace from William M. Canfield.

DALTON — Marion J. from Aaron R. Dalton.

HUBER — Geraldine from Louis F. Huber.

McKEE — Maxine from Joseph McKee. Plaintiff granted restoration of former name.

LATTIN — Bruce G. from Virginia Elizabeth Lattin. Plaintiff awarded custody of one minor child. Property settlement ratified.

LUND — Bernice from George F. Lund. Plaintiff granted former name.

DAVIS — Geary E. from Sadie Davis. Plaintiff granted ownership of certain personal and real property. Defendant granted former name.

WILLIAMS — Willard from Christine Williams. Plaintiff awarded custody of one minor child.

MONROE — Hettie from H. Millard Monroe. Property settlement ratified.

WINSLOW — Blanche E. from Omer D. Winslow. Plaintiff granted former name.

ROPER — Richard Elroy from Margaret Louise Roper. Defendant granted former name.

BROWN — Melvin R. from Harold M. Brown. Property settlement ratified.

KOEPKE — Frank from Margaret Koepke.

Four Money Suits Placed In Hopper

Murray D. Agate, trustee in bankruptcy, has filed a suit in circuit court for recovery of \$3,500 from J. E. Blackledge.

According to the complaint, the defendant bought a tractor and bulldozer from Melvin Berstrom, for whom Agate is acting, and agreed to pay \$8,000. The amount of \$3,500 allegedly remains to be paid.

Another suit has been filed by the Union Oil company of California against the Fowler Trucking Co. for \$5,840.92 allegedly due for petroleum products delivered.

J. W. Doyle has filed a suit against Delbert J. Cobb and William R. Burge for recovery of \$1,884.57. According to the complaint, the defendants bought a two-axle drive rear end which was repossessed for non-payment and sold at public auction. Allegedly due is the sum sued for.

W. H. Gerretsen has filed a suit for recovery of \$156.31 against W. H. Showalter. This amount allegedly remains due for goods and merchandise.

Marine Recruiter Dates Roseburg Enlistments

A representative from the Eugene Marine recruiting station will be in Roseburg every Friday between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., announced S. Sgt. R. L. Gray, marine recruiter.

He said that he or another representative will be on duty at the national guard armory to accept enlistments for three or four years in either the regular or reserve marines. Persons not able to contact the representative on Friday may do so at the Eugene office any day, he said.

Eel grass is a favorite waterfowl feed.

Woman Deep Sea Diver To Speak At Jr. High Assembly

A woman deep sea diver, Marguerite S. Shumaker, will be the guest speaker Wednesday, Oct. 18, at Roseburg Junior high school in second of seven special assemblies for the student body.

A presentation of National Assemblies of Los Angeles, Mrs. Shumaker will report on "Exploring the Marine Wonderland." No admission fee will be charged for the event, which will start at 1 p.m. The public is invited.

His well-known diver has explored underwater throughout the Bahama islands, the Gulf of Mexico and the Florida keys. She has studied tropical reef fish, octopus, sharks and skates, as well as corals, gorgonias, and other polyp-like creatures of the sea.

A recognized authority on the psychological development of various forms of sea life, she has done special investigations upon the senses of smell and of hearing, and upon selected emotional traits such as love, hate, and jealousy among certain undersea creatures.

It was only natural that Mrs. Shumaker should be a naturalist, for she comes from a family of that vocation. Throughout her childhood and youth, she went with her father and mother to every part of North America in their researches into wildlife.

Although her original interest in diving was the result of the desire to improve her efficiency as a lifesaver, she discovered marine life to be even more fascinating than the land life, which she had so long studied and enjoyed with her parents.

Movie Dated By Eden Lutherans

The sound movie, "Salt of the Earth," will be shown tonight at Eden Lutheran church at Elgarose. It will be shown as a part of the first of a series of family night gatherings to be held monthly at the church.

The program, which will also include musical selections by the youth of the church, will begin at 7:30 p.m. and will be followed by a social hour in the church parlors. A light lunch will be served by the Eden Ladies Aid.

"Salt of the Earth" is a dramatic real life story of the events in the life of a coal miner's family in Pennsylvania. The film is produced by Cathedral Films for the United Lutheran church, in Pennsylvania towns, coal fields and farm areas, and in Hollywood with an outstanding cast of fifty.

The public is cordially invited to attend the showing of this film and people are especially invited to attend in family groups.

CAT SUES DOG

OAKLAND, Calif. — (AP) — A cat sued a dog for \$522.50 damages in Oakland municipal court.

Owner of the dog, Robert Capell, was asked in the suit to pay that amount in damages because his bound allegedly "with willful and malicious intent to do bodily harm" attacked and injured the cat.

The suit alleged that the cat, owned by Mildred Smith, can dance, stand up and rap on the window for permission to enter the house.

At least 80 animal diseases also affect man.

Pair Jailed Here For Inquiry About Charge

Burlice Leon, 30, of Amarillo, Tex., and Lillie McMurren, 33, of Springfield, are being held in the county jail on a temporary vagrancy charge. Reported Justice of Peace A. J. Geddes. Bail of \$1,000 each has been set while a further unannounced charge is being investigated, said Geddes.

The two were arrested by the state police in cooperation with the Sheriff's office.

Judgments Issued In Circuit Court

Coquille District Judge Dal M. King, acting in the absence of Circuit Judge Carl E. Wimberly has issued a judgment in favor of Alan B. Banks and Glen C. Meyers for \$125.22. Defendants are Robert A. Frost and Wilbur E. Stewart. This amount allegedly remains due on a promissory note.

Another judgment in favor of the plaintiff was issued in the case of Fred K. Hall vs. Harry Hollingsworth and Opal Hollingsworth for recovery of \$380. This money allegedly is due for labor performed by the plaintiff.

A judgment has been issued in favor of Ted Anderson and Earl Bliven against M. D. Sutherland for \$350. The order placed a lien on sawlog, held by the defendants until the money, allegedly due for labor performed, is paid.

Two judgments were handed down in favor of the State Industrial Accident commission for a total of \$246. Harold E. Church and Melvin Earl Howey were ordered to pay \$204 and Earle Cooper and Raymond Clair will pay \$42.93 as employers contributions.

The case of Ada J. Denn and Laurence P. Denn vs. A. G. Hall and Venona Hall and others was dismissed with prejudice.

Consolidation Of Schools Breeds Township War

LOGANSPORT, Ind. — (AP) — Poes of Tipton township's school merger prepared to mass at the Onward school building today and said no desks would be moved.

Sheriff Claude Berkshire was coming with a state police escort, bringing grade school desks from Walton to exchange for Onward's high school desks.

The Onward strategy called for children to be seated at the desks and women to be massed in front of the doors. They planned only passive resistance but they vowed the consolidation would not be completed. The transfer of desks was part of township trustee Virgil Turner's plan to operate a single high school at Walton and a single grade school at Onward.

Until this year each town had its own complete grade and high school.

The rebels met at Onward last night to plan their resistance. They had no official spokesman, but they spoke with a single voice: 250 strong, more than twice the population of the little town.

Berkshire said he asked for state troopers to help him convey the desks because his own force was too small to deal with the angered Onward citizens. He said Governor Henry F. Schriener had agreed to send an undisclosed number of troopers.

Berkshire said the escort is "to help the trustee carry out his duties whatever they may be." He said Turner had made "many" requests for protection.

Onward citizens turned back an attempt to move grade school desks from Walton to Onward last week. Turner said one of his desk movers was struck and one crate of desks was damaged.

POLAND DOOMS SEVEN — WARSAW, Poland — (AP) — Seven of ten persons accused of espionage and anti-state activity were sentenced to death by a Warsaw regional military court today. The other three drew long prison terms.

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Institute Hears Talks On Various Youth Problems

A panel discussion on youth problems highlighted the Friday afternoon session of the Douglas County Teachers Institute. The panel was preceded by a concert by the Ridge high school band.

R. R. Brand, principal of Roseburg Junior high school, acted as moderator for the panel discussion and introduced the speakers. He opened the program by stating the eight speakers would cover the specialized areas of youth problems.

Bruce Elliott, manager of the local J. C. Penney store, discussed youth problems in relation to the merchant. He said all youth problems are actually the result of adult failings. Elliott expressed the belief that the best way to combat youth problems was to give juveniles constructive programs of activity.

He said the Boy Scouts, 4-H clubs, Y. M. C. A. and similar organizations provided excellent programs. However, Elliott said, adults must take the responsibility for initiating and supervising such programs. Many adults, he said, will not make the personal sacrifices and donate time to youth.

Church Faces Barriers

Rev. Clark Robb, pastor of the Roseburg Evangelical United Brethren church, discussed the role of the church in youth problems. He said it is very difficult for the church to reach the youth. Robb said the church must work to break down the barriers that stand between it and the youth. Robb suggested the church might do this by offering youth interesting programs in which to participate.

Mrs. N. D. Johnson, president of the Fullerton PTA, said the answer to most youth problems can be found in the home. She said a child that has a stable home background, surrounded by love, will not become a juvenile delinquent.

George Erickson, principal of Roseburg senior high school, spoke on youth problems on the secondary educational level. He said there is a great apathy by American adults on youth as well as other problems. He said this is reflected in young people. He cited as an example the numerous youths who have worked with who only work at about 50 percent efficiency, and show a lack of initiative. He said the way to solve this problem, of apathy is to raise good leaders, but more important—good followers.

Delinquency Varies

Juvenile court work in relation to youth problems was presented by County Judge D. N. Busenbark. He said in his many years of work in juvenile problems he has never been able to determine a common denominator behind juvenile delinquency. Each case, he said, seems to have different origins and motives. The Douglas County has done an excellent job in combating juvenile delinquency. According to Busenbark, there has not been a big increase in juvenile delinquency although the population of the county has doubled in the past 10 years.

Marlen Yoder, local secretary of the YMCA, discussed recreation in relation to youth problems. He said he believed most youth problems could be solved through better home life. Yoder said a good community recreation program will also help to prevent juvenile delinquency, but the program must be one in which the youth are interested in participating.

Youth problems on the elementary school level were presented by Earl Ladd, principal of Riverside school. He said in elementary schools, there was, in his opinion, only one problem—immature children who cannot adjust themselves to grade school conditions. He said such problems as handicapped children, retarded children and accelerated children are really not problems, but should be accepted as challenges by the teachers.

Reformatory Needed

Roseburg Police Chief Calvin Baird talked on juvenile problems in relation to law enforcement. He said most juvenile delinquents are the result of poor home background. He recommended a more rigid censorship of comic books, radio programs and motion pictures as a means of combating juvenile delinquency. He also said the state needs a reformatory and expressed the belief that first offenders should be separated from second and third offenders at the Woodburn school.

A discussion program followed the panel program. Questions were asked from the floor.

Motion pictures on selected subjects concluded the annual teachers institute at 3:30 p.m.

DEGREE FOR BISHOP — LINCOLN, Neb. — (AP) — An honorary doctor of literature degree was conferred Friday on Dr. Gerald Kennedy, Methodist bishop of Portland, Ore., by Nebraska Wesleyan university.

In connection with the inauguration of Dr. Carl C. Bracy as 11th chancellor of the university.

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CABLE SPlicERS—Working under a telephone company tent shelter are cable splicers Thomas McGill, left, and Arland Thornell. Their job is the intricate work of splicing the myriad of wires making up a telephone cable. The work is part of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company's program to convert the city of Roseburg from manual to dial telephones. This is expected to be completed early in 1951. (Picture by Paul Jenkins.)



SWEDISH SERUM MAKES BIGGER LITTER—A special serum is being used to produce oversized rabbits on a big farm near Malmö, Sweden, by Prof. Gosta Hagquist, above. At left, Professor Hagquist holds three king-size rabbits grown by use of the serum. At right is a sow with a litter of abnormally-large pigs produced by the same process.



GOP TECH VS. DEMOCRAT U.—In the forthcoming November elections, Republicans will try to drive over the middle stripe of the special 96-yard field (each yard stands for a Senate seat). To gain a first down the GOP squad must carry the ball to the Democrats' 40-yard line (x); this would give them a bare one-vote majority in the upper house. Republicans are now on their own 42-yard line and Dems say they are going to stop them cold—and maybe recover a fumble.

Short Circuit From 'Mike' Nails Musician

LONDON.—(AP) — Malcolm Mitchell stepped up to the mike at a well staged cabaret for a solo on his electric guitar.

As he touched the mike, sparks flashed, smoke curled into the air and Mitchell went rigid.

Fellow members of the Mitchell trio tried him loose. He was taken to a hospital with severe burns on the face and hands.

Electricians blamed a short circuit.

FINED FOR SPREE

Raymond McFarland, 22, of Roseburg was fined \$45 in justice court yesterday, on a charge of drunkenness on a public highway, according to Justice of Peace A. J. Geddes. McFarland was arrested by the state police.

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