

Local News

Reported Ill — Mrs. P. T. Rubar is reported to be ill at her home on South Chadwick street.

Attend Convention — Sig Fett and John Fett are in Portland to attend the convention of the International Harvester Co.

Improving At Home — Mrs. Charles Brundage, who recently underwent a major operation in Portland, is now at her home in Laurelwood, where she is reported convalescing satisfactorily.

Vacationing — Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cummins of Roseburg are enjoying a vacation at their lodge on the Rogue river, where they were joined by the latter's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Miller, of Portland.

Condition Improving — Gladys Frenett of Roseburg, who underwent emergency surgery Oct. 22, is reported to be improving.

PEO Sisterhood To Meet — The chapter of the PEO Sisterhood will meet Friday, Nov. 3, at the home of Mrs. J. E. Runyan on south Jackson street. Mrs. J. E. Young will be co-hostess.

Cooked Food Sale Friday — Neighbors of Woodcraft, Lilac circle, will have a cooked food and fancy work sale at the J. V. Sporting Goods store Friday.

Scouts to Have Carnival — The Melrose Boy Scout troop will hold a carnival at the Grange hall Thursday night, Nov. 2, at 7 p.m. The public is invited.

Return From Eugene — Mr. and Mrs. Don Kruse have returned from a three-day stay in Eugene, where they were delayed by the flood. While in Eugene they visited Neil Christian, who is in the Sacred Heart hospital with polio.

KID'S FOOTBALL JAMBOREE
Sat., Nov. 4, 1:30 p.m.

Repair Of Homes Major Task In Flood's Wake

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ian defense Red Cross disaster chairman for Douglas county, today sent notices to the mayors of Riddle, Canyonville and Glenora advising that persons stricken in their communities contact the Myrtle Creek office of the Red Cross, where Mrs. Madge Gayley is in charge.

Mrs. R. E. Herman, Red Cross director in Roseburg, has requested that persons affected by the flood, north of Myrtle Creek, contact her office at the armory. Mrs. Herman again called attention to the many service organizations, together with city and state police, sheriff's office and other agencies, who aided in all phases of disaster rescue and care of the evacuees.

Roseburg Loss Reported — The report of damage caused by flood waters made by City Inspector Bonifacio to the city council reads as follows:

"The damage to buildings in Roseburg was surprisingly low, with the exception of damage to some small barns and five small cabins."

"High water entered approximately 27 homes, 15 of them on the South Umpqua and 12 on Deer creek. Water rose in some homes as much as 42 inches. The buildings, themselves, sustained minor damage but damage to personal property, such as furniture, rugs, refrigerators, etc., was considerably greater."

The greatest amount of damage was to the triangle at Jackson and Winchester streets. Three cabins were washed away at the Roseburg auto court at that location, and there was considerable damage to eight others.

The C. J. Grimm grocery lost a large supply of merchandise stored in the basement. Henninger's Mart 1, in the Creason building, also lost a considerable supply of merchandise stored in the basement. Water rose to 30 inches there.

"The city corporation garage at the north end of Fox street was covered with approximately four feet of water. The sewage disposal plant was covered by about 14 feet. The amount of damage to both these properties is still unknown."

"The two swinging bridges, one in the south part of town and the other to Elk's island, were washed out. The small cabin on Elk's island was covered with 12 feet of water."

M. L. Spancake Passes After Short Illness

Maude Lucinda Spancake, 77, resident of Roseburg for the last 60 years, died Tuesday, Oct. 31, after a short illness. She was born July 12, 1873, in Brownsville, Ore. She was a member of the Eagles auxiliary. She was preceded in death by her husband, J. M. Spancake, in 1945.

Surviving are a son, Robert Spancake, Myrtle Creek; a sister, Mrs. Pearl Toney, McMinnville; two granddaughters, Mary Ann and Sandra Kay Spancake, both of Roseburg.

Funeral services will be held in the Chapel of the Roses, Roseburg Funeral home, Saturday, Nov. 4, at 2 p.m., with Rev. Raymond Schaefer officiating. Interment will follow in Civil Bend cemetery.

REALISM PAYS OFF

SAN FRANCISCO — (AP) — Pense Anderlini got honorable mention for his duck hunter's costume at the Italian colony's masquerade ball.

When the ball was over Anderlini confided he hadn't dressed for the ball at all. He was going duck hunting right after the party.

Move To Coquille — Mr. and Mrs. Guy C. Perrin and children, Dick and Shirley, have moved from Eugene to Coquille, where Mr. Perrin is now a partner in the Western Stores, Inc. He was formerly manager of the Western Auto Supply company store in Eugene. The Perrins formerly made their home in Roseburg.

Return from Portland — Mr. and Mrs. Allen Armstrong and baby, Kathy Ann, have returned from a trip to Portland to visit Mrs. Armstrong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bugbee. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kester who visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hendrickson and children, Harry, Sylvia Ann and Douglas, at Beaverton. Mrs. Hendrickson is the former Helen Kester. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Caba (Hazel Kester) and Jimmy and Joyce at Hillsboro.

S. Umpqua River Peak Reached On Monday, Report

E. S. Kotok of the U. S. forest service estimated the South Umpqua river reached its peak at 1 a.m. Monday, Oct. 30, when approximately 80,000 cubic feet of water per second moved by the Winston garage station.

Kotok said 80,000 cubic feet was about equal in volume to the size of the Douglas County bank building on Jackson and Cass streets.

He made the estimate in connection with a stream sediment study being made by the forest service. On Oct. 23, the river at the gauging station was 425 feet stage and discharging 400 cubic feet of water per second. The river rose with the continuing rains until it reached a high stage at 32.4 feet.

After 1 a.m. Monday, the river receded at the rate of about one foot per hour until it reached a near normal stage yesterday afternoon. The forest service also made some river estimates on the North Umpqua near Glide. Kotok said the river there reached its peak early Monday morning with a 16.5 foot stage and a discharge rate of 36,000 cubic feet per second. On Oct. 23, the river was at a 1.4 foot stage discharging about 1,700 cubic feet of water per second. At noon yesterday, the North Umpqua was at a 6.8 foot stage, discharging 12,700 cubic feet per second.

Post Office Quarters Solicited At Sutherlin

The U. S. Postal department is soliciting proposals to furnish quarters suitable for a new post office in Sutherlin, according to the acting postmaster of that city.

The contract would be under the standard lease provisions used by the post office department for a term of five or ten years at a stated price per annum. A floor space of about 1600 feet is desired.

Such a contract includes heat, light, power, water, toilet facilities, plumbing, heating, lighting fixtures, safe or vault and all necessary furniture and equipment.

The proposals should be sent to the office of Post Office Inspector E. A. Wohlfrom, Seattle, 11, Wn., up to and including Nov. 27, 1950.

Bridges Hardest Hit By Flood In Douglas

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of the Tiller-Trail road was washed out at Elk Creek. The Firmin bridge approach across the South Umpqua above Tiller was damaged and has closed the road to traffic.

A slide at Jackson creek above Tiller was also reported.

Halloween Pageant Of School Pupils Staged

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was dressed as a cornstalk. Second place went to Chris Kotok of Fullerton, dressed as a tree stump.

The most comical and the clown division were combined and four places were given. Raymond Marsh of Fullerton took first and Gary and Terry Marsh of preschool age grabbed second. Blanche Bogard of Fullerton was third and Patsy Gemberling, also of Fullerton, took fourth. The most weird costume was worn by Yvonne Laverdoux of the junior high, and second was taken by Lorene Edwards of Benson. Best Ghost was Stephen Duncan of Rose. Susan Jean and Diana Mason were second. The judges were Hal Schmeer, Roy Hiatt, Mae Mathews, Al Flegel and Don Forbes.

Some 134 prizes, donated by merchants of Roseburg, were given to the kids, as well as unlimited quantities of Cracker Jack. The prizes ranged from a dozen chocolate doughnuts to gold charm bracelets.

General chairman of the parade, Marlen Yoder, accredited the success of the event to townspeople and Jaycees, too innumerable to mention, and thanked them all heartily. He announced also that prizes for the largest percentage representation from the schools taking part in the parade will be announced soon.

Broadcasts Scheduled For District Attorney Davis

KRNR and KRXL have scheduled three political broadcasts of a tape-recorded interview between Senator Guy Cordon and Spencer Yates in behalf of District Attorney Robert G. Davis.

The first broadcast is set for Thursday night at 8 over KRXL. It will be aired again on the same station Monday night, Oct. 6, at 8. KRNR will carry the interview on Saturday, Nov. 4, at 7:45 p.m. Senator Cordon was former Douglas county district attorney. He is presently on a short leave from Washington, D. C.

STRIKE AUTHORIZED

PORTLAND — (AP) — The AFL Machinists and Warehousemen's unions have authorized a strike against Continental Can company any time after Nov. 8 in support of wage and welfare demands.

A union spokesman said the machinists and teamster-affiliated warehouse unions had rejected a company offer of \$1.28 an hour minimum and then voted the strike. The unions want \$1.50 an hour. Only 35 workers are involved.

EXAMINER ON DUTY

A drivers license examiner will be on duty in Roseburg Thursday and Friday, Nov. 2 and 3, at the city hall from 9 to 5.

Noble Leroy Stewart Dies At Myrtle Creek

Noble Leroy Stewart, 67, died at Myrtle Creek Oct. 31, following a prolonged period of ill health. He was born at Deputy, Ind., Feb. 8, 1883, and had been employed by the U. S. reclamation service until his retirement about five years ago. He came to Myrtle Creek from Sheldon, Mo., three months ago to make his home with his daughter, Mrs. Lois B. Briner. Mr. Stewart was a member of the Baptist church.

Surviving are two children, James E. Stewart, Tacoma, Wash., and Mrs. Lois B. Briner, Myrtle Creek. He is also survived by the following brothers and sisters: Ralph Stewart, Ida Grove, Iowa; Peter B. Stewart, Payne, Ohio; Miss Belle Stewart, Paris Crossing, Ind., and Mrs. Ruth Nelson, Alliance, Nebr. Two grandchildren also survive.

His body has been removed to the Long & Orr mortuary, and will be forwarded tonight to Gering, Nebr., for services and interment.

Bandits Hold Up Club, Get \$75,000 In Cash

COVINGTON, Ky. — (AP) — Five men held up the 627 club early today and forced the office manager to turn over \$75,000 in cash kept in a safe, police reported. The robbery took place shortly after the club had closed. Police said the men were in the club ostensibly as patrons and drew guns at closing time.

The robbery was reported by Charles Carr, office manager.

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