

Eccleston Dies In Myrtle Creek

Charles Edward Eccleston, 76, of Lakeview died suddenly Wednesday night at the home of his son, Cecil, in Myrtle Creek where he was visiting.

The older Eccleston was born July 8, 1874, in Lakeview and lived there all his life. He was engaged in the cattle business. He was married in 1897 in Cedarville, Calif., and his wife preceded him in death.

Survivors include two sons, Cecil of Myrtle Creek and Earl of Eagle Point; five daughters, Mrs. Edith Young, Alturas, Calif.; Mrs. Amy Finch and Mrs. Mary Lewis, Medford; Mrs. Edna Vermillion, Cedarville; and Mrs. Iris Venator, Lakeview; 28 grandchildren and 22 great grandchildren.

Services will be held Saturday in Lakeview at 2 p. m. with interment in the L.O.O.F. cemetery in Lakeview. Local arrangements were in the care of Gantz mortuary of Myrtle Creek.

Lookingglass Choir Dates Easter Cantata

The Lookingglass church choir will present an Easter cantata, "The Prince of Life," by Lilienas,

the regular 11 a. m. service Sunday. Incidental solos will be sung by Miss Lorna Vance, soprano, and Robert Reagles, bass. A duet number will be sung by Jean and Joan Welty, with full choir accompaniment.

Faith Lutheran Service Tonight

The Roseburg Faith Lutheran church will celebrate the traditional Maundy Thursday observance of Holy Communion tonight at 7:30 in the Roseburg armory. The church choir will present several special selections of Lenten music and the Rev. Willis F. Erickson will deliver the preparatory sermon entitled "What Shall I Do With Jesus?"

Easter services of Faith church will be conducted in the Roseburg Funeral home Chapel of the Roses. Easter will also be observed in a special program to be given by the children of the church school during the regular Sunday school hour in the armory.

Easter morning worship begins at 11 a. m. with the sermon to be on the subject, "Fear and Joy."

Local News

Returns To Work — Mrs. Merle Winn, secretary of the Roseburg branch of the U. S. forest experiment station, has returned to work following a brief illness.

Sponsors To Dance — The American Legion auxiliary will hold a dance at the Veterans hospital Monday night from 7:45 to 10 o'clock. Music will be supplied by Jack Foster. All Roseburg women are invited to attend.

son Jr. is at home to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson of Harvard avenue, during spring vacation. He is attending Southern Oregon college of Education at Ashland.

Spends Day In Eugene — Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson, accompanied by Mrs. Minnie Barker, Mrs. May Scott and Mrs. Cynthia Germond, motored to Eugene Sunday to spend the day. Mrs. Barker remained in Eugene to visit her son, Darrell Barker.

Blast Of Light Tube Scares Courthouse Crew

Employees of the county clerk's office and the probate office in the courthouse thought the Russians had released a new, insidious type of weapon Wednesday afternoon.

While working busily over the county affairs, the room suddenly came alive with dancing sparks, smoke and fire. Then, a blood chilling explosion followed.

When the smoke had cleared and the employees had swallowed their hearts, they discovered the harmless remnants of a fluorescent light tube. Further investigation disclosed a fuse had blown violently shaking the tube from the overhead fixture.

Discharged From Hospital — Mrs. Al Gurney of Umpqua was discharged from Mercy hospital Tuesday, following medical treatment for pneumonia. She is now convalescing satisfactorily at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Linnell, Winchester.

Attacker Of President Denied Another Trial

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Oscar Collazo today lost his plea for a new trial and will be sentenced to death April 6 for his part in the Nov. 1 shooting in front of President Truman's Blair House residence.

In denying a defense motion for a new trial, U. S. District Judge T. Alan Goldsborough banged his hand on the bench for emphasis and said:

"If ever a human being on the face of the earth had a fair trial, this defendant did."

Collazo, an America-hating Puerto Rican Nationalist, was convicted of first degree murder two weeks ago.

Easter Play Is Dated By Fellowship Group

The Roseburg Church of God Youth Fellowship group, under the direction of Ethlyn F. Stratton, will present an Easter play, "By Thy Faith," at the church Friday at 8 p. m.

On Sunday morning, special Easter music will be presented by the vesper choir. Rev. H. A. Schlatter will deliver the morning sermon. The public is invited to attend all the services of the church.

Sales of Oregon book stores amount to more than seven million dollars a year, according to the Census Bureau.

Lumber, Log Top Prices Still To Be Announced

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inequities, Henderson said. If they keep trying, "We are not going to do much about minor violations," he said. He continued that any hardship cases should try to bear up until an explicit lumber price regulation is received.

He issued a warning, however, that tentative plans are being made for an enforcement division which will bring "immediate charges against willful violators."

This will be "sometime in the future," he said, but "the first violators will be used as test cases."

The government will act as quickly as possible on the lumber industry and keep it under close surveillance because "only close has a more direct effect on the average individual," Henderson concluded.

Western Forest Industries representative, R. T. Titus, explained that the new National Production authority priority regulations become effective Feb. 28. He said that softwood lumber and plywood are scarce commodities, so these industries "will get a lot of attention."

The NPA system, he said, differs from the World War II War Production board in that there is only a single priority rating. Every business under this rating will have equal status, Titus stated. Under this rating system, materials may be procured for maintenance, repair, operation and in many cases improvements and capital additions.

He noted that in most maintenance, repair and operating situations the single industries will be allowed 25 percent expenditure during a quarter this year of the total expenditure during the same quarter last year.

Following these explanations, the loggers and lumbermen, representing generally the small Douglas county lumber concerns, voted to send a resolution to the Washington, D. C., OPS office requesting that no price ceiling be placed on stumpage. According to Chairman of the group, W. O. Kelsey, a price ceiling on lumber will tend to regulate the top price possible on the stumpage.

The group also voted to meet again the third Wednesday of April.

CITY COURT CASES

Municipal Judge Ira B. Riddle reports the disposition of two cases in his court Thursday.

Wiley M. Flowers, 62, transient machinist, received a 10-day suspended jail sentence in lieu of \$20 fine on charges of vagrancy.

George Byard Bevel, 50, Klamath Falls tractor operator, was committed for 10 days to the city jail in lieu of a \$20 fine on a drunk charge.

BACKFIRES ON COP

KLAMATH FALLS — (AP) — At last . . . a man who got the better of the cop on the three-wheeler.

A downtown businessman got a ticket for overtime parking, and paid his 50 cents at the police station.

Then he sent the arresting officer a collect telegram that cost the cop 51 cents.

Teacher To Attend Study Conference

Mrs. Edna E. Helgeson, Myrtle Creek elementary school teacher, will journey to Seattle this week-end as the Douglas county delegate to a study conference of the Association for Childhood Education International.

The five-day session (March 26-30) at the Olympic hotel will include lectures from prominent educators from all over the U. S. on problems relating particularly to elementary school children.

The conference theme is "Living with Children in Today's World." Mrs. Helgeson will participate in the general section "The Child Becomes Acquainted with His World—Uses it, Serves it," and will contribute directly in the sub group "The Child Appreciates and Uses Art," under the direction of William Knife, Santa Barbara, Calif.

She will come back and make a report at the spring Reedsport meeting of the county ACEI.

Albyn I. Lambert Dies Suddenly

Albyn Irving Lambert, 52, resident of Roseburg for the last three years, died suddenly Wednesday. He was born in Detroit, Mich., Sept. 21, 1898, and came to Oregon about 32 years ago. He was married in Portland Sept. 27, 1924, to Thelma Lewis. He was employed by St. Helens Wood Products company at St. Helens before being transferred to the Roseburg plant in 1948. Lambert was a member of Lumber and Sawmill Workers AFL, No. 2949.

Surviving are the widow, Thelma, Roseburg; four daughters, Mrs. L. M. White and Peggy Ann Lambert of Roseburg; and Mrs. C. J. Makin and June Lambert of Portland; two sons, Lloyd D. and Paul D. of Roseburg; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irving J. Lambert, Portland; four brothers, Lloyd G., W. Ronald, Irving Jr., all of Portland; Russel of Troutdale; a sister Mrs. J. Armstrong, Columbia City, Ore., and five grandchildren.

Services will be held in the Chapel of Long & Orr mortuary Saturday at 2 p. m. Interment will be in Portland.

Lumber Industry To Get Separate Price Rules

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The lumber industry will be dealt with separately under a price regulation being drawn here by the Office of Price Stabilization, an official in the forest production division said.

The official said OPS has decided not to include the lumber industry under a general manufacturers' price regulation. Instead the OPS will issue an interim or temporary order covering prices of lumber and lumber products.

The order, expected to become effective in April, will apply until a permanent regulation can be prepared setting dollars-and-cents ceiling prices, the official reported. He said the exact pricing method in the temporary order is still being prepared.

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