

Local News

Bay City Visitor Here — H. H. McLaughlin of Bay City has arrived in Roseburg to spend some time visiting with relatives.

Ill At Home — Mrs. John Field miller of Azalea, who has been confined to her home because of illness, is now reported to be much improved.

Father Dies — Word has been received that Edward Williams father of Mrs. Lloyd Hayes of Roseburg, died Wednesday in Yountville, Calif., following a long illness.

Returns From California — Don Noon, salesman for Trowbridge Electric company, spent the weekend in San Francisco, Calif., visiting with his father, who had come to the west coast on a brief business trip.

Attend Convention — Mrs. Ralph Arensmeier, Mrs. Clifford Baxter, Mrs. Ken Bushey, all of Roseburg, and Mrs. Roy Denman of Myrtle Creek are among Douglas county delegates attending the three-day PTA convention being held at Seaside.

To Present Organ Recital — Rev. Alfred Tyson of St. George's Episcopal church will present an organ recital at the Methodist church in Roseburg Sunday night at the regular evening service. The public is invited to attend.

Dance Club Will Meet — The Swingers Square Dance club will meet Saturday evening at the Edenbower gym. Dancing will begin at 9 o'clock. Ladies are requested not to bring sandwiches to this meeting.

Concert Scheduled — The University of Oregon symphony orchestra will play in Roseburg May 3 at the Junior high school auditorium. The orchestra will be under the sponsorship of Umpqua unit No. 16, American Legion auxiliary.

Visitors From Eugene — Mr. and Mrs. Lou Bolley of Eugene visited over Sunday at the home of the latter's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. U. F. McLaughlin of Garden Valley. Also

present were Mrs. Bolley's sister, Mrs. Earl Buckingham of South Deer Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lansing and children and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. McLaughlin and son, Todd.

Return from Trip — Mrs. Merlin Donaldson and son, Clem, returned Wednesday from a three-week trip to southern California. They visited Mrs. Donaldson's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Aldrich, at Oroville, Calif., enroute home.

Sunday in North Bend — Mr. and Mrs. George Crenshaw and son of Winston spent Sunday in Albany visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gene Anderson, former Roseburg residents. They also visited in Corvallis with Mrs. J. H. Gundy and family. Mrs. Gundy, formerly Eileen Pratt, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pratt of Roseburg.

To Return to Roseburg — Mrs. Plin Laurence, who has been residing for several months in San Bernardino, Calif. to be with her husband, Capt. Laurence, who is stationed there with the army, will be returning to Roseburg within the next few weeks. Capt. Laurence is awaiting overseas orders. Mrs. Laurence will be accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Guy Gordon of this city and by her young son.

22nd Attempt At Arson Hits Campus Of OSC

PULLMAN, Wash. — (AP) — The campus arsonist struck again at Washington State college Tuesday night.

Police Chief Ernest Schrenk said the firebug entered a room on the second floor of East house dormitory while students were assembling for a political rally in a nearby area and set fire to window curtains. Firemen extinguished the blaze before it could spread.

Schrenk said the fire was the 22nd arson attempt on the WSC campus since March 19.

Actress' \$120,000 Home To Be Sold For Taxes

LOS ANGELES — (AP) — The \$120,000 home of actress Veronica Lake and her husband, film director Andre De Toth, is going to be sold May 7 at public auction to satisfy \$62,000 in unpaid income taxes, the bureau of internal revenue says.

The home was seized April 6 and the actress and her husband filed voluntary petitions in bankruptcy 19 days later. They had moved out of the house before its seizure.

O. & C. Lands' Return To Oregon Requested

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mitttee has agreed to let the state highway commission issue \$40,000,000 worth of bonds in the next three years to take care of emergency road building needs.

The committee voted to limit the commission to \$15,000,000 worth of bonds in any one year. The committee's report will give the highway commission just about what it wants to double its present construction rate.

The house highway committee approved a senate bill to permit overloaded log trucks to operate on county roads, if the truckers pay for all maintenance costs on roads used by the overloaded trucks.

A bill to require all high school and college students to take a year of "history and fundamentals of American government" was passed by the House and sent to the Senate.

Whiskey Bill Offered
A bill giving night clubs the right to sell bottles of whiskey to their patrons for consumption on the premises was introduced by the senate alcoholic traffic committee.

The bill was sponsored by Sen. Jack Bain, Portland, former night club operator and now a member of the senate committee.

Welfare Outlay Approved
A \$50,000,000 public welfare program for the next two years was approved by the Senate and sent to the governor.

It is \$6,000,000 more than is being spent in the current biennium, but is \$14,000,000 less than the Public Welfare commission asked. Of the total, \$29,531,000 comes from state funds, and the rest from the federal government and counties.

U.S. Proposes Bombing Of Red Bases In China

LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y. — (AP) — The United States has proposed the bombing of enemy bases in Manchuria, if the Communists launch heavy air attacks on United Nations forces in Korea.

A U. S. spokesman said the recommendation had been outlined to 13 other countries with military forces fighting for the U. N. in Korea and that no objections had been raised.

FREDERICK, Md. — (AP) — The United States should use the atomic bomb if Russia crosses a "pre-determined line," says the national president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. Hiram C. Houghton of Iowa made the statement to 125 women's club members from nearby counties. She also advocated a "tough" foreign policy.

Detroit's Transport Strike Not Settled

DETROIT — (AP) — Peace talks, like the street cars and buses stalled by Detroit's six-day-old strike of 3,700 transit workers, were standing still today.

The union is demanding an 84-cent hourly wage boost. The city has offered five cents an hour if the union will give up certain fringe benefits.

Base pay is \$1.67 1/2 an hour. In general the fringes bring the pay above \$2.00.

Acting under Michigan's law forbidding strikes by public utilities workers, the city was preparing to send dismissal notices to strikers.

Truman Hears Applause Instead Of Boos

WASHINGTON — (AP) — President and Mrs. Truman attended a premiere showing of the movie "Fighting Coast Guard" at a local theater Wednesday night.

At his last previous public appearance, at a baseball game, Mr. Truman was booed. But Wednesday night, there was only applause as he and his party entered the theater and when they left.

Fulbright Backs Truman's Stand Despite 'Lapses'

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WASHINGTON — (AP) — Senator Fulbright (D-Ark) backed President Truman today in the bitter fight over Far East policy, even while saying the President shows "misguided loyalty to unworthy friends."

In a speech prepared for senate delivery, Fulbright said policies advocated by Gen. Douglas MacArthur, including the proposal to bomb bases in Red China, might bring "a moment of imperial glory" but "set strongly against us nearly the whole of the free world."

Fulbright gave the President credit for past decisive actions "that equal a monumental courage and effectiveness any ever taken by an American president." He added:

"Let us not permit his occasional lapses of speech or temperament, or his misguided loyalty to unworthy friends, to endanger a calm and objective judgment on the present controversy."

Fulbright did not name the "unworthy friends."

Declaring "every government in the free world" opposes the MacArthur policies, he demanded: "Shall we, by our inattention, cause our allies to fall away from us, until disheartened and hopeless they make the best deal they can with Russia and become our active or passive enemies?"

"Shall we gain Chiang Kai-shek and lose Britain, France, Italy, the low countries, Scandinavia, Greece and Turkey?"

Fulbright insisted that General MacArthur's program raises scores of questions, and cautioned: "boldness and bravery are one thing. Recklessness and a headlong dispatch are another."

Pair Admits Robberies In California, Oregon

LOS ANGELES — (AP) — Two men held by police here admitted yesterday implication in a \$50,000 series of robberies in California and Oregon.

Sheriff's Lt. W. R. Tiernan said Harvey Richard Froembling, 21, Portland, Ore., and Allen Richardson Hecht, 19, Hastings, Neb., confessed they participated in a \$37,000 Stockton, Calif., jewel robbery March 24, a \$1,500 market holdup there March 5, a \$4800 Portland traction company robbery April 9, and a \$3,000 east Los Angeles market holdup March 30.

Two other men are being held in Portland in connection with some of the robberies. They are Joe Monty Oyster, 28, and William Dale West, 20.

General Mark W. Clark To Be UCLA Chancellor

LOS ANGELES — (AP) — Gen. Mark W. Clark, World War II hero, will retire this summer to become the first chancellor of the University of California at Los Angeles, the Herald and Express says.

The general, 54, now is chief of army field forces. After the last war, when he distinguished himself in Africa and Europe, he was commander of occupational forces in Austria and later of the Sixth army, with headquarters in San Francisco.

The newspaper said procedure calls for his nomination by Dr. Robert Gordon Sproul, president of the University of California, and subsequent confirmation by the board of regents.

ESTATE ORDER ISSUED

On the petition of Ira B. Riddle, trustee of the F. H. Appelhoff estate, the circuit court has issued an order allowing disposition of the personal and real property of the estate to eight heirs of Arthur P. and George S. Johnson, stepsons of the deceased.

Appelhoff died testate in 1932, and the will was probated by the county court, creating a trust for his wife, Lucy, and naming Arthur Johnson as trustee. Riddle was named trustee on the death of Johnson.

Timber Party Eases Legislative Tedium

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ers many of us have ever seen, made the evening outstanding.

Baton Twirling Marvelous
Gloria Ellexson, head drum majorette for the University of Washington, who has won many outstanding recognitions for her talents, was the highlight attraction of the evening. With her lovely tan, and her uniform of blue sequins, she was striking to look at, but her twirling was out of this world. I can't describe the gyrations she went through, sometimes keeping three batons going at once, but she was wonderful.

During the session, perhaps a half dozen major parties brightened what would otherwise tend to become a long and dreary drag. This is the last scheduled larger affair. I might mention that Rep. Geddes in his more relaxed moments has gained quite a reputation for leading groups in the singing of "Alo-u-ette," improvising words that have to do with the occasion and the guests. As so often happens, that was called for last evening and the group joined in heartily in the perhaps unmusical, but hearty rendition of the song.

All in all the evening was a credit to the Fourth district and the only lack I noticed was that the Roseburg Paul Bunyans should have been there to display their brawn and talents and perhaps initiate the governor and speaker, and senate president into the mighty order of the woods.

Luther League To Hold Box Social On Friday

On Friday evening, April 24, the Luther league of Faith Lutheran church will hold a box social in the Roseburg armory. The evening is being sponsored to raise funds to help Faith church's "Youth of the Year" attend the International Youth conference in Colorado Springs, Colo. this June.

The box supper will begin at 6:30 p. m. with a set price of \$1.50 for adults and 75 cents for students. Women and girls attending are asked to bring a box supper for two and table service.

After the supper, the evening will continue with a musical program, group singing, and a "slave auction," an auction of personal services volunteered by members of the league and the congregation.

Youth Legislature Date Is Postponed Until May

The Hi-Y and Tri-Hi-Y sponsored youth legislature, originally scheduled for Friday and Saturday of this week at Salem, has been postponed until May 11 and 12.

The postponement was necessary since the state legislature is still in session. About nine Roseburg high school students will participate in the legislature, which will follow a routine similar to that of the official body.

Government Paternity Criticized By Hoover

NEW YORK — (AP) — Herbert Hoover says that "the day when we decide that the government is our brother's keeper, that is the day when compassion and our aspiration for justice will be lost in America."

"Today," he says, "the world is in the grip of a death struggle between the philosophy of Christ and that of Hegel and Marx."

"The outstanding spiritual distinction of our philosophy from the other is compassion and an aspiration for justice. It is the noblest expression of man."

Mill's Sprinkling System Beats Firemen To Punch

The Roseburg fire department was called about noon Wednesday to Young's Bay Lumber company, where a fire started in the sawdust bin. The mill's automatic sprinkling system, however, went into efficient action and had the fire out upon the arrival of the firemen.

Chicago Readies Welcome To Mac

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CHICAGO — (AP) — Today was Gen. MacArthur day in Chicago and the city's second largest city was ready to greet the five-star general with a huge demonstration.

The city's millions and thousands from nearby cities were expected to join in the 10-hour civic tribute to the general. The celebration, shaping up as the biggest in the city's history, was expected to draw some 3,000,000 spectators.

Chicago was in a holiday spirit for the reception to the self-styled "old soldier." The city was decked out in flags and bunting. Windows in stores along the parade route were boarded.

All public buildings will be closed — and most of the loop streets will be closed during the parade.

It will be a double-barreled celebration — the formal parade down Michigan avenue and State street this afternoon and pageantry, fireworks and a talk by Gen. MacArthur in Soldier field tonight.

PTA Of Junior High School Names Officers

Ed Hydorn was elected president of the Roseburg Junior high school PTA Tuesday night when the group met in conjunction with the open house inspection and a tour of the building. Toastmaster Tom Patty spoke on "Why I Should Join PTA."

Approximately 200 persons attending the open house toured the rooms, observed children's work on display, and heard selections by the Junior high band and the Junior high mixed chorus.

Student Body council representatives reported on school activities during the year, describing the functions of the council particularly.

Under the chairmanship of Mrs. Ivan Vrooman, PTA by-laws were drafted during the brief PTA meeting. Other officers of the group are Mrs. Robert Gladwell, Riverside, vice president; Mrs. L. A. R. Stodder, secretary, and Mrs. W. R. Holbrook, treasurer.

Alienation Suit Draws Defendant's Demurrer

Grace Townsend has filed a demurrer to a charge made by Bertha Dubell that the defendant had estranged her husband, Clyde Lewis Dubell, now deceased.

Mrs. Dubell last week filed a suit in circuit court against Grace Townsend demanding \$25,000 exemplary and punitive damages for alleged alienation of affections. The defendant filed a demurrer Tuesday in the court on the grounds that the action was not commenced within the time limit allowed by law. Mrs. Dubell charged that the estrangement had taken place in July 1949.

JUDGMENT ON NOTE

The circuit court has issued a default judgment against Al W. and Bazil Hendricks, ordering payment of \$27.50 to Howard Stratton. The amount allegedly remains to be paid on a promissory note.

Another order of the court demands return of personal property, including a refrigerator, cash register and some silverware, to Clifford and Leila M. Johnson by B. and Ruth J. Greene. The order states that if the property is not returned the defendants must pay \$415.93 for the property and \$250 damages.

A default judgment in favor of the State Unemployment Compensation commission was issued by the court against William B. Meattie for \$130.47 for unpaid contributions.

FRACTURES ANKLE

Jack Lehnher, 210 So. Parrott St., Roseburg, was admitted to Douglas Community hospital Wednesday afternoon, suffering from a fractured left ankle. Lehnher, a truck driver, was injured while working at the Jenkins Lumber Co. at Wilbur.

High School Paper Drive Arrangements Announced

A high school Hi-Y paper drive is scheduled to begin Saturday at 5 a. m. If it is not raining, papers should be put out Friday night so they won't be overlooked on the first round.

People living in the rural areas are requested to deposit their contributions at the box car that will be between Oak and Washington streets on the Southern Pacific tracks. For large pickups, call the high school.

Cardboard containers should be used if possible. All books, magazines and newspapers should be tied in separate bundles with a string cord.

The drive is to raise money to send a member to the national YMCA centennial at Cleveland, O., and the Hi-Y congress at Oberlin, O.

Vital Statistics

Divorce Suits Filed

DUNHAM — Dale vs. Barbara Dunham. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged.

BURKHARDT — Betty Eloyd vs. Albert Henry Burkhardt. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged. Plaintiff asks restoration of former name.

STRATFORD — Cora Eileen vs. Vaughn Morris Stratford. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged. Plaintiff asks custody of two minor children and \$50 monthly support money.

SPIRES — Dorothy P. vs. Wallace W. Spires. Plaintiff asks approval of property settlement, \$1,400 alimony in monthly payments and \$175 attorney's fees and costs.

James C. Mills, Riddle Resident, Passes Away

James C. Mills, 89, resident of Riddle for the last 25 years, died April 24 following a prolonged period of ill health. He was born at Nokomas, Ill., Sept. 19, 1861, and was married to Anna Watson Ieterson in August 1901. He came to Riddle about 1925 and was engaged in farming.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Anna Mills; two sons, Glen Mills, Oregon City, and Ellis Mills, Riddle, and two grandchildren.

Graveside services will be held at the I.O.O.F. cemetery in Cannonville Monday, April 30, at 2:00 p. m. with the Rev. Carl Pershall of the Riddle Baptist church officiating. Funeral arrangements are in charge of the Long & Orr Mortuary, Roseburg.

Damage Suit Transfer Asked By Martin Bros.

The Martin Box Co. of Oakland, Ore., through its attorney, John Gordon Gearin, has petitioned the circuit court here for transfer of a \$65,000 damage suit against it to the U. S. district court in Portland.

Plaintiff in the suit is James J. Orr, who charges that he lost his hand as a result of negligence on the part of the company when a machine was turned on while he was working on it.

The defendant company petitioned the Roseburg court for removal to the higher court on the grounds that it is a civil case involving citizens of different states. Martin Box Co. is an Ohio corporation.

CHARGE DISMISSED

The charge of cashing a check without sufficient funds filed against Dale Raymond Dunham, 1535 Alder street, Roseburg, was dismissed Wednesday by the district attorney's office.

Dunham was charged with cashing a \$25 check with W. G. Clarenbach of the Prollame Gas Co., without sufficient funds to cover it.

3 Damage Suits Added To Files Of Circuit Court

Velton L. Bridges, a minor, through his guardian, Edward Fitzgerald, has filed suit in circuit court for \$65,000 damages for physical injuries allegedly received while in the employ of the Wilbur Lumber Co.

The complaint charges that through negligence of the defendant company, the 19-year-old plaintiff was injured when he was thrown against a building and into a pond while trying to turn a log with a peavy. According to the complaint, Bridges suffered severe shock and a back injury which wholly disabled him from engaging in usual employment.

Another suit was filed as a result of an auto-obile-pickup accident. Plaintiff Bird Tomlinson is asking \$5,000 general and \$206.50 special damages from W. C. Green. The complaint states that the plaintiff was riding as a passenger in a car driven by Marion Eichelberger three miles south of Myrtle Creek on April 8, 1951. It adds that the defendant drove the pickup on the shoulder of the road and back into the opposite lane causing a collision in which the plaintiff was injured.

Another damage suit was filed by Daniel H. Schneider against the McCulloch Chain Saw Sales and Service Co. for alleged neglect of insurance on a damaged piece of equipment. Schneider asks \$5,000 exemplary damages, \$336 cost of equipment and \$1,575 loss of income.

The plaintiff charges that the company accepted payment of the insurance premium, but after the chain saw was damaged, the defendant returned the premium money and refused to honor the claim.

E. H. Fery filed a suit asking that an order mandating payment of \$1,315.76 be made for a log truck and trailer against Berli Swank. The money allegedly remains to be paid on a sales contract.

The State Unemployment Compensation commission has brought action against the Patrick W. Kelly post 2468 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars for \$245.79 unpaid by the Vets League as employer contributions.

RECKLESS DRIVING CHARGED

Richard Edward Schmidt, route 2, box 900, Roseburg, is being held in the city jail, under \$100 bail, on a charge of reckless driving, reported Monday by Judge A. B. Riddle. Schmidt was arrested by city police on Rose street.

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