

Dillard

By MRS. ROSA M. HEINBACH
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bratsch and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bratsch, and baby, Steven, left Friday for St. Helens where they will spend the weekend visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bratsch will pick up their son, Gene Paul, who is spending the week visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thomas. A community picnic is to be sponsored by the combined efforts of the Dillard church, Sunday school and the Woman's Society of Christian Service on Sunday, August 5. It will be held on the picnic grounds of the Veterans hospital in Roseburg.

Creek. They were neighbors in Missouri over 28 years ago. Mrs. E. O. Nickerson and son, Roger, returned Wednesday from a week's visit in Richmond, Calif., with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Berry, and Mrs. Gerald Cummings. They visited points of interest in San Francisco and returned by bus.

Mr. and Mrs. John Douglas of Pontiac, Mich., left Monday for home following a two-week visit with the latter's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Jorgenson, and Mrs. Douglas plan to visit the Grotto in Portland and the Rushmore memorial.

Miss Connie Ludington of Eugene returned to her home Thursday after staying a week with her cousin, Geraldine Middlestadt and family.

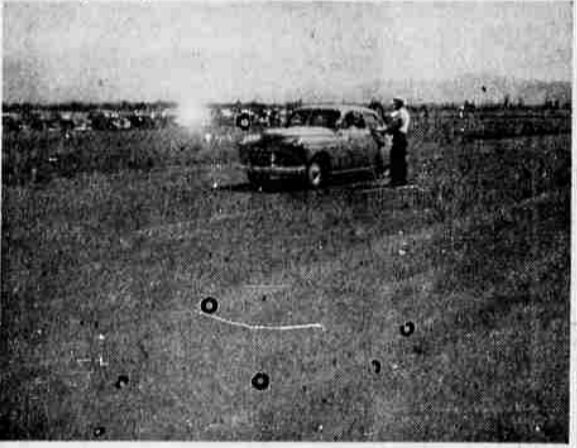
Mrs. Ernest Krewson of Myrtle Point visited her brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. O. D. McAllister on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Mead of Eugene and grandson, Robert Johnson, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. McAllister. J. T. Campbell of Kansas City, Mo., arrived at the home of his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Nickerson, on Saturday. His family will arrive as soon as a residence can be found in or around Roseburg, where Campbell will be engaged in the logging business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barnes and their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Street of Malin, Street's father, Charles Siegel and Mrs. Mrs. Belle Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Smith made a trip to South Umpqua falls, Sunday for a picnic dinner. They drove twenty miles



STOCK CAR RACING—Top picture shows the 1949 Ford convertible in which Mark Nichols, Roseburg, placed second in "F" class stock car racing July 15 at the Eugene airport. Nichols is in the car; left to right are, Dick Riley, Bob Simonsen, Gene Foley and Bob Ratliff, all of Roseburg; and an unidentified person. Lower picture shows Riley in his 1950 Dodge. He did not race because of a broken carburetor. Nichols was beaten by a souped-up 1949 Chevrolet, which happened to be racing stock because of weight classification. Winning time was 16 seconds for a quarter of a mile drag race. Most of the local men pictured are members of the Roseburg Dusters club, which has been formed by racing enthusiasts.



beyond Tillier, where Harold Siegel is stationed as fish and game warden, to have the family reunion. They were joined there by Mr. and Mrs. Rex Barnes and two daughters, Sharon and Sharlene, who were camping over the weekend. Fishing was excellent. Insurance, spent Thursday in Glen-Velma and LeRoy. One from

Civilian Defense Lesson Taught In Kansas Flood

KANSAS CITY — (AP) — The gigantic Missouri and Kansas flood is bringing the nation another lesson in the art of civilian defense. Missing in the flood is the sudden and powerful destruction of an atomic attack.

But there are some similarities. High waters have knocked out great industrial districts. Communications have been cut, transportation crippled. In one flooded section of Kansas city an oil and gasoline line fed fire raged four days. Numerous bridges linking Kansas City, Kas., and Kansas City, Mo., and other areas have been rendered useless. Water supplies are curtailed the city garbage disposal plant is flooded.

Thousands of persons have been displaced. Water has swept through and over thousands of homes. Yet there has been practically no panic. And while receding waters may uncover additional drownings, thus far there have been few known deaths.

Why?

These seem to be the major reasons:
1. An informed public.
2. Preparedness and quick action by public officials, civilian defense groups and fire and police departments.

Newspapers and radio stations in both states have made a tremendous effort to keep the public alert to dangers and aware of needs in disaster areas.

Shelter and food were readily available for refugees.

The panic of the past was missing. In 1900 a flood at Galveston, Tex., brought death to 4,500 to 6,000.

In 1913 Indiana and Ohio floods cost 730 lives.

In 1927 Mississippi River flood took 423 lives.

This flood has been more costly moneywise. But the known death toll is just 17.



SHORT-TO-SECOND-TO-FIRST—a double play. Or at least it's the start of a 6-4-3 play in Pee Wee practice baseball as Freddie Hargis scoops up a hard-hit grounder and flings it to Willie Logan at second. (Paul Jenkins photo)

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Mrs. Charles McCord has been ill with a throat infection for a week.

Frank Moffit, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moffit, of Brockway has been home on leave. He has been in the army since last January. Moffit left Wednesday for duty, and expects to sail for Japan soon.

Mrs. Bill Fish and son, Glynn,

left Sunday for Broken Bow, Okla., to visit relatives for two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thomas and son, Lon, and daughter, Beverly, of St. Helens spent Friday and Saturday visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Leo Willis, and brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bratsch. They were dinner guests of another sister, Mrs. R. L. Swanson, Friday evening.

The Thomas family returned from a two weeks trip to Southern California and Mexico. In Los Angeles they visited an aunt, Mrs. Louise Rank, and another aunt, Mrs. Evelyn Petty, in Santa Monica.

FIREMEN STAND BY
Firemen were summoned to Douglas Lumber company on highway 99 north Thursday at 8:30 p.m., to stand by while shavings in a hopper attached to the incinerator were burned. Fire Chief William E. Mills reports.

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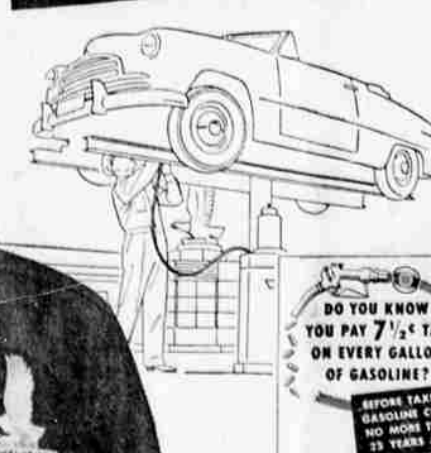
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