

In The Armed SERVICES

Daniel Q. Miller Completes Training

Recently graduated from the Aviation Electronics Technician-Electronics school, at the U. S. Naval Air Technical Training Center, Memphis, Tenn., was Daniel Q. Miller, airman, USN, son of Mrs. Billie Grino of Wilbur. Miller, who has been transferred to Fleet Air Base Electronics Training Unit, Pacific Naval Air Station, San Diego, Calif., entered the Naval service in Oct. 1950. The school trains students to maintain and repair complete aircraft electrical systems, as well as Navy communications equipment and radar systems.

REPORTS FOR DUTY

Marine Pfc. Raymond Rodney Helms, Idlewild Park, has reported back to Whidby Island Naval air station after a week-long holiday leave at his home.

ON LEAVE

Marine Pfc. William A. Reece Jr., Canyonville, has completed basic training at the Marine recruit depot in San Diego, Calif., and is home on 10-day leave before reporting to the naval receiving station in Seattle. He enlisted Oct. 12, 1951.

PROBATE MATTERS

The estate of Melissa M. Metzger is valued at a total of \$10,300 in three plots of real property, an inventory revealed Monday. The estate was appraised by Phillip

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Standley, John Thrush and Orin Standley. Claude Trueman, a son of Madras, is administrator.

The estate of Bella Pruner, who died in San Francisco June 7, 1951, leaving property in Douglas county, has been filed for probate with Ernest S. Pruner, nephew of Riddle, named as administrator.

Garden Valley

By MRS. CARL SCHMIDT

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Finch of Palos Verdes visited over the Christmas holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ritchie of Garden Valley. Mrs. Ritchie is the Finch's daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Higbee of Garden Valley were the houseguests of Mrs. W. D. McMillan of Mount Angel, Calif. Mrs. McMillan is Mrs. Higbee's mother.

A family dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. U. F. McLaughlin. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Shirley McLaughlin and son, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Utne; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chapman, Raina, Sherrill and Kay; Mr. and Mrs. Elwood McLaughlin, Larry, Roger and Kim Mr. and Mrs. Eldon McLaughlin, Gwen, Gail and Laurie Jo.

Mrs. Merle Rierdon of Glendale was a houseguest of Dec. 30 to Jan. 3 of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McLaughlin. Guests at the McLaughlin home for New Year's day dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Utne, Mrs. Merle Rierdon, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chapman, Raina, Sherrill, and Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Spray of Garden Valley and Janice Daniels of Canyonville, were house guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Houston of Seattle during the Christmas holidays. They were met and accompanied by Mrs. Spray's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Houston, of Hood River, at Portland. They stayed at Chehalis Wash., and were accompanied from there by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Breen, son-in-law and daughter of the Sprays.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Schneider and son, Marvin, accompanied by Adam Schneider returned home Dec. 31 after visiting Dr. Carl E. Schneider and family, and Harrie H. Schneider at Kirkland, Wash. During their stay there Mr. and Mrs. Clem Schneider and Marvin visited one day with Mrs. Schneider's cousin, Mrs. George Wardell, of Everett, Wash. Marvin toured Seattle's zoo in a snowstorm.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schmidt and son, Carl, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Madison, Dec. 31. They attended the New Year's eve party at the Kellogg Grange.

Vital Statistics

MARRIAGE LICENSES

BRUER-BRUER—Samuel Francis Bruer, Myrtle Point, and Dorothy May Bruer, Coquille.

POITRA - LINDSTROM — Vern Louis Poitra and Dorothy Mae Lindstrom, both North Bend.

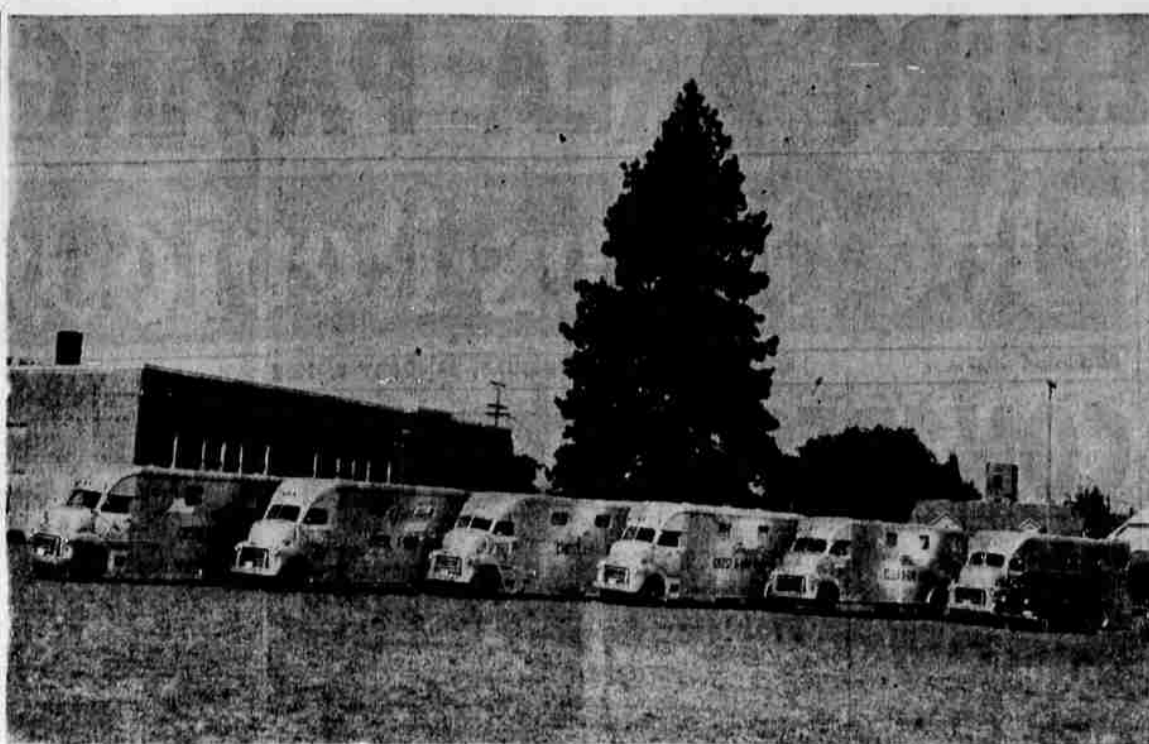
HENDERSON-WALKER—Marvin Wallace Henderson and Nona Irene Walker, both Roseburg.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED

NELSON—Marie vs. Elmer Nelson. Cruelty charged. Property disposition asked.

MONK—Mary G. vs. Franklin H. Monk. Cruelty charged. Plaintiff asks custody of two minor children, \$100 monthly support and property disposition.

WILLIAMS—Onetta vs. Howard Williams. Cruelty charged. Plaintiff asks restoration of former name, Onetta Black.



THE MOBILE X-RAY LABORATORIES, above, will begin X-raying Douglas county residents Jan. 15 in a drive to detect tuberculosis. The object of the program is to X-ray all persons in the county 15 years of age and older. X-rays will be given without any cost to the individual, and reports will be returned within two or three weeks. Ira Byrd, general chairman of

the survey, says he is anticipating whole-hearted cooperation from all citizens of the county to make the X-ray drive absolutely complete. The units will be operative in the county five weeks. Each of the mobile X-ray units will operate on schedule and spend time in centrally located cities in the county.

Charter Given Scout Troop

The Boy Scouts of America, Post 109, sponsored by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, was presented a charter Jan. 6, at 8 p.m. in the Labor Temple.

Walt Smith, scout executive for Douglas county, presided at the ceremony, and made the presentation to Sterling Carr, president of the M.L.A. for the church.

After the charter presentation, a court of honor was held, and Scout Committee member Larry Sharp presented Scout Edward Hall, a merit badge for reading. This is his first merit badge. Scout Derrell Hanna received the first class badge, and Scout Jack Houston was presented a Tenderfoot badge in a candle light ceremony with 15 candles being lit by Eagle Scout Lawrence Backett.

Scout Executive Walt Smith gave a short talk on scouting, and Scout Committeeman Larry Sharp told how to become a first class scout.

Levar Kempton was named scout master of the post, with Scout John L. Davis as assistant scout master. Jack Bevena was named scout master of the explorers troop.

There were 61 parents and visitors present and the entire scout committee of George O. Udeggraf, Fred Waugh, Leon Kitchin and Mr. Clifford Hatfield were present.

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Dillard

By ROSA HEINBACH

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Mrs. H. W. Rummell and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rummell were guests at the Hawthorne home Christmas day.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rummell drove to the home of Mrs. Rummell's mother, Mrs. A. A. Friessen, in Salem, Dec. 27, where the family Christmas dinner was held.

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West Roseburg Area Asks Street Paving

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by the council and will now be submitted to the Civil Aeronautics Authority for final approval. The building design is basically the same as the tentative plans previously approved by the city and CAA. Freeman said he has hopes that a call for bids may be submitted by the end of January.

The plans will be presented for bids, when finally accepted by the CAA, with an alternate, which would exclude a portion of the building designed for additional office space. Based upon an estimated cost of \$15 per square foot, the estimate for the entire plan is listed at \$33,510. The alternate plan would cost \$27,635. The latter figure is nearer to what the city has to spend for the job, it was pointed out.

Business in Home Target Professional men, real estate agents, beauty parlors or the like will not in the future be permitted to establish a business in their homes, if the homes are situated in class I residential districts. The council passed through the first and second reading an amendment to the zoning ordinance defining the class I residential areas.

The action was taken after a public hearing was held on the matter and no protests were presented. Up for hearing also and included in the ordinance was a change in zoning from residential class 2 to business the property directly behind Anderson's grocery in West Roseburg. The change was to straighten out the zone line in that area and to permit construction of an extension to the Anderson's grocery store.

A third zone change, on which a hearing had been held previously, calls for change from residential 2 to industrial and warehouse a triangular area at the south end of Mill street. All three matters were contained in the amending ordinance.

Taxi Permit Granted The Roseburg Cab Co. was granted what in effect amounts to an exclusive permit to operate taxi service from its office in the Grand Hotel, with telephone privileges at the south side of Chapman's Drug store, and The Times shop on Jackson street. A recent ordinance passed by the council provides for limiting of taxi companies in the city by reserving the right to designate location of taxi stands.

Applications for retail malt beverage class A licenses were approved for Swede's Tavern, operated by O. L. Boyer and C. E. Moore at 117 N. Stephens St., and The Club at 127 W. Cass St.

Police Salary Upped Probationary police starting salary was increased from \$275 to \$285 monthly. Patrolmen receive \$300.

Another matter before the council was a discussion of tentative plans for construction by the county of an access road from Garden Valley road into the Sweet Briar area along the state highway right-of-way between the proposed new highway and the municipal airport. The city has received a tentative offer by the state for prop-

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Weather in December Highlighted By Wind

The weather during December was highlighted by a 40 mph wind that blew in from the southwest. It was the highest wind velocity ever recorded in the Roseburg area.

The previous record of 38 mph was set in January 1944. It was the first December since 1916 that at least one daily maximum temperature did not exceed 54 degrees.

Only once in the past 74 years has a December pressure been lower than the sea level pressure of 29.11 inches, which was recorded on Dec. 4.

Fire Destroys Three Stores At John Day

JOHN DAY, Ore. — Fire broke out in the business section here Tuesday, and destroyed three down town stores in this Eastern Oregon town.

The blaze apparently started in the Sprouse-Reitz Variety Store, then spread to an adjacent grocery store, Chester's Market, and Farley's Men's Wear Store.

All three were destroyed. The amount of loss was not estimated at once.

Car Registration Requires Display

Motorists are advised to have their automobile registration displayed conspicuously within their car, reports Chief of Police Ted Mazac.

He said the law required such display and in the event the name and address of the car owner was not available when needed, a citation would be filed.

FIRE DRAW DEPT.

City firemen investigated three fires Monday, reports Fire Chief William E. Mills.

A fire fire at 1102 Military St. caused no damage to a building belonging to the State of Oregon at 6:30 p.m.

At 6:15 firemen were summoned to the intersection of Stephens St. and 2nd Ave., to investigate a car fire caused by defective wiring.

A cabin fire caused an estimated \$500 at CV route, Box 85, at 3:25 a.m. The blaze was out when firemen arrived. J. C. Veach is the owner and Frank Simonsen the occupant.

FUNERAL SERVICES SET

Funeral services for George Francis Piper, 72, who died at his home in Kelly's Corner Monday, will be held in the Chapel of the Roses, Roseburg Funeral home, Wednesday at 2 p.m. with the Rev. W. A. MacArthur officiating. The Masonic lodge will conduct the services. Vault interment will follow in the Masonic cemetery.

Reds Again Reject POW Exchange Plan

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The U. N. would promise they would not again fight against the U. N. command in Korea.

SEOUL, Korea (AP) — United Nations infantrymen won, then lost two important objectives Tuesday in the battle of Sasi Bulge, a bitter fight to recapture ground taken by the Reds Dec. 28.

U. N. elements took one after a 15-minute fight with an enemy company and the other after a 10-minute engagement with a Red force of undetermined size.

However, the communique said, two Communist battalions supported by two tanks of self propelled guns recaptured the first objective in a one hour and 20-minute clash and a single Red battalion retook the second in a one hour and 30-minute fray.

Grange Holds Monthly Meet

Plans were made for a card party and box social at the regular meeting of the South Deer Creek Grange Saturday night. Proceeds from the party, scheduled Jan. 25 in the Grange hall, will be donated to the March of Dimes polio fund.

Frank Stancliff gave a report on "The Pruning of Grapes." The losing side of the 1951 "pest hunt" will feed the winning side at the next regular meeting of the Grange Jan. 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Cracroft were guests, Mr. Cracroft is master of Pomona Grange. He gave a talk on the "New Year's Resolution of the Grange."

Mark Adams spoke on Alaska. Two officers were absent, but 51 persons attended the meeting.

JAY-C-ETTES PLAN MEETING

January meeting of the Roseburg Jay-C-ettes will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Wright, 809 South Pine street, Wednesday evening, Jan. 9.

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