

Local News

Folk Dancers To Meet — The Fullerton Folk Dancers are requested to meet at 8 o'clock tonight, Jan. 23, in the new Fullerton schoolhouse. Women attending are asked to bring an apple pie and table service.

Benefit Box Social — South Deer Creek Grange will sponsor a benefit box social Friday night, Jan. 25, at 8 o'clock at the hall for the polio drive. Cards will be in play until the box lunches are sold later in the evening. Everything is being donated for the party so that all proceeds will go to the polio fund. Ladies attending are asked to bring basket suppers. All Grangers and other persons interested are invited.

Women's Club Sale — The Roseburg Woman's Club will sponsor a rummage sale in the new clubhouse Saturday, Jan. 26, beginning at 9 a.m. Members and friends having donations are asked to take them to the clubhouse Friday, Jan. 25. Mrs. E. J. Sullivan is chairman of the sale.

To Hold Sale — The women of St. George's Episcopal Church will hold a rummage sale Saturday, Jan. 26, beginning at 9 a.m. in the new parish house, 228 E. Cass Street. Mrs. J. T. Pierce and Mrs. John H. Robinson are co-chairmen of the sale.

To Hold Open House — Open house will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Strong in Myrtle Creek Sunday afternoon, Jan. 27, from 2 to 5 p.m., honoring Mr. and Mrs. Strong on their sixtieth wedding anniversary. Relatives and friends are invited to call.

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Precious Stones' Qualities Listed

What makes a gem a precious stone?

Jack West, West Brothers Jewelers, told Kiwanians Tuesday that five qualities are usually found in valuable gems.

West, one of 400 registered jewelers in the nation, addressed the group in the Umpqua Hotel during a luncheon.

The gemologist listed these requirements:

1. Splendor—Transparency and dispersion of light.
2. Durability—a hardness that will not be easily marred.
3. Rarity—emerald was classified as rare, but a garnet is too easily available.
4. Fashion or vogue—an important person wearing a certain jewel will start a fashion and different vogues are observed in particular localities.
5. Portability—especially important to persons living in countries at war because a large fortune can be carried concealed.

West then turned to a discussion of diamonds.

He said that in the South African mines 23 tons of material had to be processed before one carat of diamonds was obtained.

Diamonds, it was explained, are formed by tremendous heat and pressure far below the earth's surface.

He clarified his discussion by displaying large pictures of the diamond cutting and finishing processes.

Vital Statistics

Marriage Licenses

TANKERSLEY-SWIFT—Wilbur Goodwin Tankersley, Tenmile, and Betty Jean Swift, Brockway, Clatsop County, were licensed to wed Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. George Bacher on Wednesday evening. Members of the committee include; Mrs. Marjorie Hunt Pettit, Henry Barnek, Charles A. Brand, and Mrs. Bacher. Response to pleas sent out for historical data has been good. It was reported. More is needed, however. Historical material of all kinds concerning Douglas County would be welcomed by any of the committee members.

KING—Goldie Adelia vs. Ronald William King. Cruelly charged. Plaintiff asks restoration of former name, Goldie A. Johnson.

Oregon Tavern Licenses Show Ten-Year Drop

Despite a state population rise of nearly 40 percent since 1940, Oregon now has fewer licensed alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption than were licensed ten years ago, according to a report compiled this week by the Oregon liquor control commission.

There also are less outlets per capita since 1941, when the commission licensed 2510 establishments to sell for on-premises consumption, or 2.3 per thousand population. At the end of 1951 the number of such premises had dropped and the population risen, resulting in 2481 on-premises outlets, or only 1.83 per thousand persons. Computations are based on federal census figures, which place Oregon's population at 1,089,684 in 1940 and 1,521,341 in 1950.

Licensed establishments which may allow consumption of alcoholic beverages on the premises include taverns, restaurants, and the so-called "night clubs." Club licenses granted by the commission also permit on-premises consumption, but were not included in the above compilation because club licenses cater only to members and their guests and do not serve the general public. There were 149 licensed clubs in operation at the end of 1951.



WITHIN SECONDS the flames above turned another of the "torch" sweaters into ashes. The garment was burned Tuesday afternoon by the Roseburg Fire Department. It carried a Berkshire sportswear label. (Staff picture)

Winston Russian Threat Met By Transfer Of GIs

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. McMurray of Winston are visiting with friends and relatives in Washington. They plan to be gone several weeks.

A list of supplies for the meeting of the Home Extension Units, to be held at the Riversdale Grange Hall, Wednesday, Jan. 23, has been made available. The all-day meeting, to be held between the hours of 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., will be devoted to demonstrations on sewing machine attachments. All ladies attending are asked to bring sack lunches and cups. Coffee will be furnished.

Supplies needed for the day include the following: A sewing machine for each two or three ladies; sewing machine attachments for each lady; book of instructions; scraps of lawn, cambric, or other crisp material (excluding organdy bias tape in lawn or other crisp fabric; scraps of lace or insertion about half an inch wide; scissors; spool of No. 50 thread; long darning needle; fine crochet hook or corage pin; needles, pins, ruler, and paper sack; extension cord; double sockets; and screw-in plugs.

Any member of the Winston Dillard Home Extension unit desiring to borrow a set of sewing machine attachments for the day, is asked to contact Mrs. Carl Borgaas. Her telephone number is 9-8479.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Gill of Winston were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Black of Coos Bay. The historical and scenic committee of the forthcoming Labor Day Centennial pageant will meet at the home of Mrs. George Bacher on Wednesday evening. Members of the committee include; Mrs. Marjorie Hunt Pettit, Henry Barnek, Charles A. Brand, and Mrs. Bacher. Response to pleas sent out for historical data has been good. It was reported. More is needed, however. Historical material of all kinds concerning Douglas County would be welcomed by any of the committee members.

\$55,000 Bond Issue Proposed At Riddle

The proposed bond issue for construction of three class rooms on Riddle Grade School, which goes before voters Feb. 7, is \$55,000 in stead of \$5500 as reported earlier. Estimates of the building cost is between \$42,000 and \$45,000. Outstanding bonds of the school district amount to \$101,000 as of July 1, 1952.

are asked to telephone 9-8845. A similar program was broadcast last Sunday at 2:00 o'clock in cast last Sunday at 2:00 o'clock in Script was written by Mrs. Bacher.

23 Killed In Fiery Crash Of Airliner

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running 6 from a height of about 1,500 feet, using an instrument landing system, with an assist from Newark Airport's radar. The ceiling was down to 400 feet and visibility was cut to three-fourths of a mile.

It was reported coming in on its glide path. Suddenly, the plane dropped out of view of the radar-scope and crashed.

While airport towermen frantically called the aircraft, it had plummeted out of the fog, narrowly missed Batin High School for Girls and cut a fiery path close to the heart of this industrial city. The school's 1,000 pupils had been dismissed 45 minutes earlier.

"The plane hit one building and immediately it disintegrated into a mass of bricks and fire. Seconds later the home next door was all in flames," said 29-year old high school Art Teacher Michael Truss, who was 75 feet away.

Yoncalla Club Dates Teacher From Philippines

Maria C. Besinguel, superintendent of public schools in the Philippine Islands, will be guest speaker at the annual benefit Red Letter Day "Silver Tea" given by the Yoncalla Women's Club Saturday, Jan. 26, at 1:30 p.m. in the Methodist Church in Yoncalla.

Mrs. Besinguel has taken supplementary work at Southern Oregon College of Education at Ashland and is now studying at the University of Oregon. She later plans to go to Columbia University in New York. Mrs. Besinguel makes her home in Manila. Members of the Study Club have invited all persons interested to hear Mrs. Besinguel.

Mrs. E. E. Hein, Roseburg Resident, Passes Away

Emy Elizabeth Hein, 97, a 56-year resident of Roseburg, died at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Bonebrake, 822 W. Mosher St., Tuesday night.

She was born in Warrenville, Ill., June 9, 1855, and married John Adam Hein there on May 15, 1876. Mr. Hein died in 1934. Mrs. Hein was a life-long member of the Methodist church. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. (Clara) Bonebrake, and one nephew, Frank F. Brand, Roseburg.

Funeral services will be held in the chapel of Long & Orr Mortuary Friday at 2 p.m., with the Rev. W. A. MacArthur of the First Methodist Church officiating. Concluding services and interment will follow in the family plot at the IOOF cemetery.

Coffee Drinkers Asked To Make Contribution

Roseburg coffee drinkers will do their bit to swell the March of Dimes fund for two hours this afternoon.

Coffee will be served free in the city's restaurants, but the usual 10 cents charged for the drink will be deposited in special March of Dimes receptacles.

Coffee day will be observed from 2-4 p.m. This is the third year the activity has been held in Roseburg.

Persons are asked to contribute at least the 10 cents and possibly more.

X-Ray Totals

Total X-rays	6042
X-rays Tuesday	1076
Number Remaining	34,458

Local Students Named Chairmen Of Dad's Day

OREGON STATE COLLEGE, Corvallis — (Special) — Two Oregon State college students from the Roseburg area are chairmen of Dad's Day, annual campus event honoring students' fathers. They are Bill Brady, general chairman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Glenn Brady, Rt. 1, Box 1646, Roseburg, and Vernon Thompson, hospitality chairman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson of Winston.

Approximately 1200 to 1500 dads are expected to visit the campus on Feb. 2. Plans include a luncheon, tours of campus buildings, a basketball game and drill competition between ROTC corps.

Myrtle Creek Band Schedules Concert

The Myrtle Creek High School band will present a winter concert in the school gymnasium Thursday at 8 p.m.

Richard C. McClintic will direct the band, which has scheduled an hour and half program. Proceeds will be used for purchase of badly needed instruments.

Talent Show Staged For March Of Dimes

The junior class of the Senior High School presented a talent show in the school auditorium in an effort to raise funds for the March of Dimes campaign.

Tom Burks acted as master of ceremonies. Participating in the program were: Janet Hargis, Margaret Taylor, Nancy Allen, Rena Van Horn, Larry Gill, Joan Cummings, Buddy Langberry and Roger Ollar. Students were each charged 10 cents and more than \$35 was collected. The class has realized \$150 from polio campaigns.

Church Among Buildings Wrecked By Tornado

MOULTREE, Ga. — Eight persons suffered minor injuries and about 20 buildings were wrecked when a tornado struck near here Tuesday night.

Among the buildings demolished was a Congregational church. The big blow came about midnight and caught many persons at the supper table.

Oregon Earnings Stay High After Holidays' Rush

Employment and earnings of Oregon's workers in industry and trade remained on a high level in December despite letdowns in seasonal lines after the holidays, it was shown by employer's reports gathered and tabulated by the State Unemployment compensation Commission in cooperation with the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Production workers averaged \$2 an hour and \$76.85 a week to remain near top figures recorded during busy summer months, while the number of jobs dropped only 1.4 per cent from November, staying slightly above the 446,500 reported in December, 1950. Loss of 11,000 jobs in 30 days in construction, food processing and lumber and logging were partially offset by gains in trade, service, governmental and other lines.

With many plants on overtime, machinery manufacturers reported highest weekly earnings of \$87.27. Their average hourly pay of \$2.11 remained below printing and publishing with \$2.37 and logging and sawmills with \$2.17. Plywood and other products which have been near the top weekly earnings dropped to \$74.54 because of less overtime. Over six hours was eliminated from their work week since December, 1950, cutting average pay to \$74.54 a week from last year's \$84.18.

Because of a labor dispute, metals workers made less last month than since early last spring. Most other lines gained slightly in December with food processing 13.4 per cent higher than last year's \$62.12.

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CHARGE DISMISSED

A reckless driving charge against James William Rutherford, 18, 409 W. Douglas St., was dismissed when another youth admitted being the driver of the car involved, District Judge A. J. Geddes said.

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