

Local News

Attending To Business — Ernie Edwards of Carter Tire Company left Sunday for Portland to attend to business.

Out Of Hospital — L. L. Wimberly, who has been receiving medical treatment at Mercy Hospital, has been discharged.

Back From Seattle — Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Colburn have returned to their home in Roseburg, following a trip to Seattle.

Now At Home — Charles Hughes of Garden Valley returned recently from spending the holidays at the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Hughes, of San Francisco.

At Ryan Home — Mrs. G. E. Stephenson of Portland has arrived in Roseburg to enjoy a 10-day visit at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Paul K. Ryan, on East Lane Street.

Recent Visitors — R. W. Fielding of Garden Valley entertained houseguests recently from Glen-gary, Mr. and Mrs. Arlon Gilliland and children, Karen, Arlon Jr. and Stephen.

In Hospital — Mrs. Marion Warren, who is employed at the Umpqua Valley Hardware, left Sunday and suffered head injuries Mrs. Warren is in the Mercy Hospital for medical attention.

Undergoes Surgery — Mrs. Harvey of Garden Valley recently underwent major surgery at the Sacred Heart Hospital in Eugene. Mr. Evans' mother, Mrs. Eugene Thursday, is with his wife.

Visitors Leave — Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Young have returned to their home in Oakland, Calif., following a trip to Roseburg to be with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Young, on their golden wedding anniversary.

Visit At Young Home — Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Buchanan of Eugene spent the weekend in Roseburg visiting at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Young, and children, Bernice and Brooke.

Falls From Car — Emily Mayer, daughter of H. S. Mayer, 329 South Main Street, fell from the family car at Nielsen's Market over the weekend and received medical treatment at the Mercy Hospital. Emily is reported getting along fine and is now at home.

Returns Home — Mrs. Lyle Bostwick returned to her home in Garden Valley recently, after spending two weeks visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. Bostwick visited at the home of Mrs. Vernon Rogers of Hood River and Mrs. J. M. Rathbun and Mrs. Van Camp of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. George Bostwick in Sweethome.

Goes to Portland — Miss Marilyn Springer of Roseburg went to Portland over the weekend and will bring her mother, Mrs. Eugene Springer, back home with her this week. Mrs. Springer has been a patient at Halladay Hospital in Portland. Mr. Springer, who is receiving medical treatment at the Veterans Hospital in Portland, is also reported to be much improved in health and expects to be able to return to Roseburg in the near future.

Mrs. Elliott Home — Mrs. B. C. Elliott has returned to her home in Laurelhurst, following a week in Portland assisting in the care of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Butler, who recently was discharged from a Portland hospital, following surgery. While in Portland, Mrs. Elliott went to Halladay Hospital to visit Judy Bellows, Judy, who was stricken with polio more than a year ago, is reported to be much improved. She is gaining weight and is able to be out of the iron lung and on the stairs.

greater part of every day. Judy television set and she will appear herself on television in the near future.

Will Meet — The Beta Iota Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha will hold its regular social meeting Wednesday, Jan. 21, at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Dick Stark on Fisher Road. All members are urged to be present.

To Hold Meeting — Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Psi will hold its regular business meeting, Wednesday, Jan. 21, at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. George Quine, 1002 Union Ave. Roseburg. All members are urged to be present.

Improving — Larry Wiley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wiley of Virginia Court, Roseburg, who has been receiving medical treatment at the Community Hospital is reported improving.

In California — Mr. and Mrs. Sid Fredrickson, owners of the Photo Lab in Roseburg, are in San Francisco, Calif., for their vacation. While in San Francisco the Fredricksons will visit with Bill Wyatt, brother of Mrs. Fredrickson and John O'Neill, a friend of the family. Both boys are in the Marine Corps and are stationed in California.

Visiting At Wilkey Home — Mrs. R. L. Colson of San Diego, Calif., arrived last week to visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilkey, at their Riverside Motel home.

Chili Supper To Be Held — The Douglas County Sheriff's Posse and Auxiliary will hold a chili supper at the Fairgrounds, Jan. 22 at 5:30 p.m. The proceeds will go to the March of Dimes. Men of the Posse will be in charge of the program, which will be presented on horse back.

To Meet — Circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church will meet at a 1:30 p.m. dessert-lunch, Thursday, Jan. 22. Circle No. 1 will meet at the home of Mrs. J. E. Dent, 845 E. Pine Street; No. 2, Mrs. M. F. Rice, 312 E. Cass Street; No. 3, Mrs. A. J. Crocker, 243 Alameda Ave. and Circle No. 4, Mrs. Sig Felt, 1905 Harvard Avenue. All women of the church are invited to attend one of the circle meetings.

Club To Meet — Riverside Community Club will meet Wednesday, Jan. 21, at 7:30 p.m. at the schoolhouse.

Bethel To Meet — Bethel No. 8, Job's Daughters, will meet at 7:30 o'clock tonight, Jan. 20, at the Masonic Temple. Members and those with proper Masonic affiliations are asked to attend.

Ole Dalsbo Dies At Age Of 70

Ole Johnson Dalsbo, 70, resident of E. Pleasant St., died Jan. 19 after a very short illness. He was born Oct. 22, 1882 in Ulundelid, Norway, and came to Oregon in 1905. He was an engineer for the Western Battery plant at the time of his death. Surviving is his wife, Violet, of Roseburg. Funeral services will be held in The Chapel of The Roses, Roseburg, Saturday, Jan. 24, at 1 p.m. with Rev. Harry W. Jensen, of the Christian Science Church officiating. Interment will follow in the Masonic Cemetery.

FIRE PUT OUT

City firemen used a hand extinguisher in putting out a minor fire Monday afternoon at the Armory about 3:10 p.m. Fresh and curtains were burning and the damage was listed at \$25.

M. DONOGHUE DIES

Matthew Donoghue about 65 of Riddle, died early this morning following a short illness. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by Ganz Mortuary of Myrtle Creek.

Earl Seeley, 77, Dies At Melrose

Earl M. Seeley, 77, resident of Melrose, died early this morning after a short illness. He was born Sept. 12, 1875 in Wisconsin and came to Roseburg in 1915 to make his home. He had engaged in the carpenter business most of his life.

Surviving are his wife, Amy, and a brother, Carl Seeley, both of Roseburg. Funeral services will be held in The Chapel of The Roses, Roseburg, Friday, Jan. 23, at 2 p.m. with the Rev. Rea Kleinfeldt of the First Christian Church officiating. Vault interment will follow in the Melrose Cemetery.

Weekend Flood Damage Over County Surveyed

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was combining with a high tide. But he stated that water didn't reach the streets as expected.

Water Falls Fast

In the Winston-Dillard area, one of the hard-pressed sections, water had fallen five or six feet, according to reports. Most families had returned to their homes. Sutherlin, Oakland and Yoncalla are also again on dry ground.

At Myrtle Creek, all evacuated families from the Weaver addition were back in their homes. Police Chief Orville Cornett reports the "situation" was in hand. He notes that equipment which had been removed from the Fir Manufacturing plant was being replaced. The only damage noted was the caving in of several sewer ditches in the Weaver addition.

"We got out of very well considering everything," said Cornett, reflecting the consensus of the entire county. Highway and road travel was still disrupted in several sections, but most main arteries were open, according to the state police.

County Roads Good

The County road situation was also good, according to County Road Engineer Wally Hatt, who states that most of the County roads are in "fair shape." He pointed out that most of the minor damage was to bridge approaches. Minor washing of roads disrupted traffic on some roads, but repairs would soon be complete.

Hector stated that several branch roads in Garden Valley were closed temporarily while debris was being cleared.

One county road still in bad shape was the North Umpqua above Glade. It was open for about six hours last night, according to a report from Correspondent Mrs. Arthur Selby, but was closed again by a slide between Idleyd and Mc's Place.

In that area, District Ranger George Churchill surveyed the situation Sunday and noted heavy water across the highway to Toketee at Alder Creek and Redman Creek. At Dry Creek, logs and debris had choked the highway.

Here in Roseburg, city police report that the river has taken a slight rise from last night's rains. Surveying damage from the Sunday highwater, City Engineer John Loosley called it only "slight." Water has receded from the sewage disposal plant. It is being pumped from the basement and transformers are being dried out. City sewers weathered the high water well, he states.

Industry were back in operation today in the Roseburg area and over most of the county.

Wentjar Named President Of Lumber Association

E. S. Wentjar, of Associated Plywood Mills, Inc., Roseburg, was elected president of the Willamette Valley Lumber Operators Association Friday night at a meeting in Eugene.

Other new officers selected at the organization's annual banquet meeting were: Vice president, Harry G. Kelsey, manager of the Long-Bell Lumber Company; Vaughn, treasurer, George A. Metzger, Eugene. The latter was also reappointed to the position of manager for the trade association, a post he has held 16 years.

Trustees for the year elected included: R. L. Boone, Dallas; Ed E. Cone, Goshen; W. H. Saffley, Swisshome; Ken W. Ford, Roseburg; Nat Giustina, Eugene; E. W. Holmes, Drain; Paul J. Ryan, Danbo; H. F. Thomas, Valseit; L. T. Thomas, Springfield; Wentjar and Kelsey.

Conservation Thumpers Get Assist From Flood

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of the county was going down the rivers in the form of the silt of erosion.

Need To Explore

"I think we should dig into the county pockets to explore the problem, because the cost to the taxpayer is nothing compared to the loss of the topsoil," Pierce said. In his speech, Stanton had defined conservation as "wise use of a resource." He explained that this "wise use" meant distribution of waters in the Umpqua Basin to avert overflows in the winter and shortages in the summer.

Roland Parker, Douglas County agent, expanded the statement by pointing out the disturbing lack of water in the summer time. "The North Umpqua and main rivers are the only streams which have adequate water," he reported.

Parker placed the responsibility for erosion on failure to seed the logged off areas in the county. "No steps have been made to handle erosion from the logged areas," he stated. He offered seeding of these areas as an immediate step which could be taken to alleviate the alternate floods and shortages.

Bob Aufferdeide, Umpqua National Forest supervisor, said the county was "entitled to federal aid" since it was the biggest landowner in the county. "I think the federal government will have to come in," he said.

But he was quick to re-emphasize the importance of a concrete statement of needs.

County Judge Carl C. Hill failed to commit the county court for funds to pay engineers to compile data for a conservation and flood control project. He said he could not speak for the County Budget Committee, but gave hope to the plan by stating he thought the group was moving "in the right direction."

Revised Law Code Recieves House Okay

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candidates for governor sit in the state Senate.

Both measures would be placed on the ballot in November, 1954. The Senate completed legislative action on the House resolution congratulating Vice-President-elect Richard Nixon, with the Democrats still objecting to it.

Severance Tax Change Asked

Creation of a forest protection and conservation committee and changing the state timber severance tax for research and protective activities would be provided by a bill by Rep. Loran L. Stewart, Cottage Grove.

The present timber severance tax of 5 cents a thousand feet on all timber cut in the state would be changed to 3 1/2 cents for class A lands, and 7 1/2 cents on class B lands.

Gov. Patterson recommended the tax be boosted to provide for an emergency forest fire fighting fund. The timber severance tax was passed in 1947. There now is \$950,000 in the fund, which now is used only for research.

Bills to require permission of doctors before refilling phenobarbital prescriptions, and to pay the secretary of the state pharmacy board \$6,000 a year were introduced in the House.

Rep. Harvey Wells, Portland, sponsored bills to make it illegal to confine wild animals without permits, to abandon an animal, or to lead an animal behind a motor vehicle.

Forty new bills were introduced in the Legislature Monday morning.

Charles Van Wormer, 84, Succumbs In Yoncalla

Charles Van Wormer, 84, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ira Vian, in Yoncalla Saturday morning.

Funeral services will be held at the Yoncalla Methodist Church at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday. The body will be taken back to Aurora, Neb., by Mrs. Vian and her brother, Royal Van Wormer, for burial.

Sue Meredith's Parents Paying For Polio Costs

Sue Meredith's parents are paying for her polio treatments, it was reported today. A outline in Monday's paper erroneously stated she was receiving help from the polio fund. However, her parents were supplying the money for her treatments as a contribution to the polio fund, releasing money for treatments of other children.

James Ambros To Get Leave

By NETTIE WOODRUFF

Mrs. James Ambros received word from her husband Thursday stating that he would be home on leave Feb. 1. He is with the Seabees in the Philippines.

He enlisted in August, 1951, and was sent overseas in November. This is his first leave. He is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith of Cleveland Hill Road.

Ralph Tillotson of Myrtle Creek is visiting old time friends and neighbors at Melrose where he resided for several years.

Carl Becker was a business visitor at Roseburg Wednesday. He is a business trip Wednesday. He went to Grants Pass in company with his mother, Mrs. L. L. Chitwood and Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Matthews. V. S. Woodruff of lower Garden Valley also went on a business trip Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Doerner visited Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Lundeen of Sutherlin.

TAKES INVITATION

PARIS — France announced Tuesday she has agreed to take part in four power deputy foreign minister talks in London Jan. 30 on a treaty of independence for Austria. The U. S. issued the invitations. Britain has already announced her acceptance. There has been no reply thus far from the Soviet Union.

ROUNDUP NETS 213

CAIRO, Egypt — A roundup of suspected plotters against the government of Premier Maj. Gen. Mohammed Naguib has netted 213 persons, including 48 Communists, an Egyptian Cabinet minister announced last night.

Eisenhower Gives Pledge Of Striving For Peace

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strength that will deter the forces of aggression and promote the conditions of peace.

Second, he rejected any idea of appeasing aggression.

Third, he called for every citizen to make America ever stronger and more productive, placing the cause of his country before the comfort of himself.

Fourth, he ruled out any attempt to impose America's cherished institutions on others.

Fifth, he pledged further aid to all "proven friends of freedom" and required of them the putting forth of "their full and just burdens in the common defense of freedom."

Sixth, he promised American aid to "encourage productivity and profitable trade" among other nations.

Seventh, he gave encouragement to "regional groupings of free nations" — of which the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, "formerly headed by himself, is an example."

Eighth, he proclaimed a firm policy of non-discrimination: "We reject any insinuation that one race or another, one people or another, is in any sense inferior or expendable."

Finally, Eisenhower called for new efforts to make the United Nations "not merely an eloquent symbol but an effective force."

There were three interruptions by applause during his address. The biggest outbreak came when he spoke of facing the threat of the world with "confidence and conviction."

NAMED PRESIDENT

SPOKANE — William A. Schoenfeld of Corvallis, Ore., was selected chairman of the Farm Credit Administration Board of Spokane Monday.

More Rain Hits Flooded Areas

SAN FRANCISCO — More rain hit flood-stricken coastal regions of Northern California and Oregon Tuesday in the wake of a weekend storm which caused widespread damage.

However flood waters were receding and the crisis was reported past.

The forecast is for intermittent rains.

The storm caused at least 10 deaths, cut highways and communications lines, and drove more than 2,000 persons from their homes.

Every resident of Klamath, Calif.—population 500—was reported evacuated when the rampaging Klamath River swirled five feet deep through the streets.

U. S. Highway 101 is expected to be closed two or three days by high water and slides from Eureka north to the Oregon border.

Forger Given 3 Years In State Penitentiary

Homer E. Evans, 36, of Portland, was sentenced to three years in the Oregon State Penitentiary Monday by Judge Carl E. Wimberly in Circuit Court after pleading guilty to forgery.

He was charged with forging a \$150.16 check under the name of J. A. Thomas.

APPOINTED BY IKE

WASHINGTON — President-elect Eisenhower Monday chose J. Earl Coke, director of the agricultural service for California, as an assistant secretary of agriculture in the new administration.

Coke, 52, is a resident of Berkeley, Calif.

City Council Delays Action On Sewer Work

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been advised by the assessor's office that no re-assessment of the area was contemplated within the next two years. That eliminated the immediate possibility that a reassessment might reveal a higher valuation and make the proposed sewer system more feasible.

The council also gave permission to the city manager and the airport committee to prepare a lease of airport facilities on the east side of the airport to Shirley Wardle, of Yoncalla, for three years.

The lease, as submitted to the council, specifies that Wardle must provide commercial flying sales, rental, charter flying repair work, and flight and ground instruction.

In other action last night the council:

1. Approved Mayor Percy Croft's reappointment of Mabel Lewis to the city park commission.

2. Passed a resolution patterned after one adopted at Gold Hill to approve proposed legislation to be introduced by Senator Ben Day of Jackson County requiring safety signals or unobstructed views of tracks at railroad crossings.

3. Approved waiver of bond for new businesses: "L. R. Emmons Radio Television Sound Service," 510 N. Jackson St., Laverne S. Emmons; and "Snow White Help Your Self Laundry," Harvard and Ball Streets. Roy A. and Allene Thompson.

4. Referred a request for change of taxi zones of Roseburg Cab Co. to the street and police committee.

5. Granted the city recorder permission to call for gasoline bids.

6. Passed a motion allowing the city manager to determine "hardship" cases in the West Roseburg sewer assessments and means of payment.

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the debater

He will take any side of any subject and defend it ardently all night. If he doesn't try to dominate the conversation entirely, this man will be a great thought provoker and provide opportunity for your guests to expound their pet ideas.

the quiet type

He probably needs just a little encouragement. Keep Olympia headed his way, draw him into the conversation and he'll be a real addition to your party.

the gymnast

Balancing on a footstool or touching his left ear with his right foot may be a part of this guest's repertoire. His sense of balance can be a great help in serving snacks and light Olympia.

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