

LOCAL NEWS

Visits In Salem — B. L. Nelson drove to Salem Monday and was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dickinson.

Home From Trip — Mr. and Mrs. John E. Runyan returned Wednesday from a six-week trip. They made their headquarters in Phoenix, Ariz., with relatives. They visited the Grand Canyon and spent a week in Mexico City. Before returning to Roseburg they were guests of former Roseburg residents, Dr. and Mrs. James Finlay and family in San Diego, Calif.

Talks With Son Via Ham Radio — Mrs. C. R. Read reports that she talked with her son, Carlos, in Hawaii via ham radio. Don Bell, local amateur, contacted an amateur station operator in Dana, Iowa, who, in turn, contacted a ham operator in Honolulu. Connection was then made by open phone between Mrs. Read and her son. The complete operation took less than 10 minutes.

Winston Wife Joining Mate In Service

By MRS. TED PETERSON
Mrs. Winston Jones (Mozelle Welch) left Winston Tuesday morning for Ft. Ord, Calif., where she will join her husband, Pvt. Kenneth Jones. Mrs. Jones has been making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Welch, while her husband has been receiving his basic army training.

Mrs. Richard Blair of Green underwent minor surgery at Winston Emergency Hospital and Clinic on Friday.

Evangelist Larry Baird, who recently conducted services at the Winston Christian Church is reported to have returned from an evangelistic tour through the Middle West.

The Ronald Dowdys have moved into their new home at the Bauer Construction Co. Housing Project on Highway 99 in Winston.

Family Visits
Mrs. Jim Haughn and two small children are spending several weeks visiting at the Marshall Haughn home in Winston.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Haughn drove to Medford last Friday to be at the airport when their son and daughter-in-law and their two children flew in from San Francisco, Calif.

Jim Haughn returned to his work with the United Airlines Friday, from Medford, and will join his family here March 14 to spend his vacation visiting with his parents.

Houseguests of the Leslie B. Johnsons at their home on Lookingglass Road in Winston this week are Mrs. Johnson's mother, her sister and baby from Portland and Norwalk, Ohio.

Car Bootlegging Practice Is Hit By Producers

DETROIT — Henry Ford II, president of the Ford Motor Co., and Harlow H. Curtis, president of General Motors Corp., have warned their dealers throughout the nation against the practice of automobile "bootlegging."

Both Ford and Curtis broadly have hinted in letters to their new car dealers that if the practice continues to grow some dealers stand a good chance of losing their franchise.

Bootlegging is the wholesaling by franchised dealers of new cars to used car retailers who sell them at less than list price.

Protests were filed by franchised dealers to the manufacturers to put a halt to bootlegging.

Charles C. Freed, NAA president, and **Frederick J. Bell**, executive vice president, have been in Detroit conferring with top auto executives on proposals for stopping the practice.

Ford, in his letter to Ford and Lincoln - Mercury dealers, listed five elements about bootlegging which he said hurt the dealer himself.

1. Losing direct contact with the ultimate user of the car.

2. Losing the opportunity to service the new car owner and build him into a long-time buyer.

3. Running the risk of having his product appear as "distress merchandise."

4. Undermining the basic principles of new car distribution.

5. Making it less likely for the customer to receive full benefit of his warranty and additional services.

French Troops Trying To Mop Up Vietnam

HANOI, Indochina — French and Vietnamese troops kept trying Thursday to wipe out Vietminh forces infesting the key Red River delta of north Indochina.

The French claimed 60 rebels killed and 54 captured.

The French estimate that some 60,000 regular, regional and guerrilla fighters of the Communist-led Vietminh are harassing their thinly manned defense posts and sabotaging communications in the thickly populated rice growing section around Hanoi and the port of Haiphong.

Ambushes and harassing attacks by the Vietminh were reported from other delta sectors, with "some losses" on both sides.

Around France's last big post in northwest Indochina, Dien Bien Phu, American-supplied fighters and bombers for the 70th consecutive day strafed and bombed rebel entrenchments encircling the fortress plain.

Hospital News

Community Hospital

Admitted for medical treatment: Sherry Lawrence, Mrs. James Simmons, Franklin Gosnell, Roseburg; Arthur Holder, Myrtle Creek. Dismissed:

Mrs. Don Emrich, Sutherlin; Lon Stratton, Wilbur; Mrs. Robert Smith, Timmy Arensmeier, Judy Lee Pollard, John Smith, Mrs. John Steinhauer, Roseburg.

Mercy Hospital

Admitted for medical treatment: Mrs. Beuna Parrish, Elkton; E. G. Keith, Clarence O. Lowe, Mrs. Frances Wood, Roseburg. Dismissed:

Ada Denton, Winston; Bobby Lee Mollett, Gilde; Mrs. David Walker, Roseburg.

Riversdale People At Community Meet

By BEVERLY J. CHRISTIAN

The Riversdale Community Club met Friday evening, and those present viewed movies shown by W. E. Ott Jr., depicting tourist attractions in South America.

Mrs. Nell Christian was appointed chairman of a fund raising project. The teachers, Mrs. Virna Emery and Mrs. Charity Baker, reported on what was being accomplished in the "in-service" training sessions. Mrs. W. E. Jones presided over a short business meeting and refreshments were served at the close of the evening. The next meeting will be March 12. Refreshment committee is made up of Mrs. Harold Glover and Mrs. Howard Whitten; cleanup, Mrs. W. R. Casebeer and Mrs. C. Burgess. The teachers will present pupils in a program.

Children Stricken

Recent victims of the mumps are Kerry Webster, Bobby Bailey, Mark Christian, Mrs. Carlton Hall and Nancy and Tommy Hall, and Lynette Conn. Lola Conn has measles and Bobby Harmon has recovered from chicken pox. The Riversdale School has had one-third of the children absent recently.

Roy Kelstrup has been staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Myers for a week while his parents, the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kelstrup, have been on business in Washington.

Mrs. Helen Evans of San Francisco spent the weekend visiting her niece, Mrs. Dick Stark, and family.



SNOWSHOES NEEDED — Postmaster Florence Adkison, leaving her office at this Southern Oregon mountain resort settlement, will need those snow shoes she is carrying as soon as she branches off from path. On top of winter pack was 14 inches of fluffy new snow which fell 2/17. (AP Wirephoto).

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HOLLOMAN AIR DEVELOPMENT CENTER, N. M. — An Air Force volunteer soon may ride a rocket sled faster than the speed of sound, with danger only an "outside chance."

Air Research and Development Command scientists are painstakingly testing and retesting new equipment, using dummies instead of humans to make it safe for man to break the sound barrier on the ground.

Faster than any groundling ever has traveled will be the 750 miles an hour-plus-some volunteer will speed.

"The scientists are doing as much research as humanly possible," said the public information officer, Maj. Orley B. Caudill. "Any danger the volunteers may face would be an outside chance."

The project, under the direction of Lt. Col. John P. Stapp, aero medical scientist, is a stab at developing equipment to enable air crews to survive bailouts from planes traveling faster than sound.

Air Force volunteers will be strapped in a chair in the rocket sled. As the sled travels along the 3,500-foot track, the man will be rotated head over heels 180 times per minute — exposed to the same air-blast forces a pilot ejected suddenly from a super sonic plane would experience.

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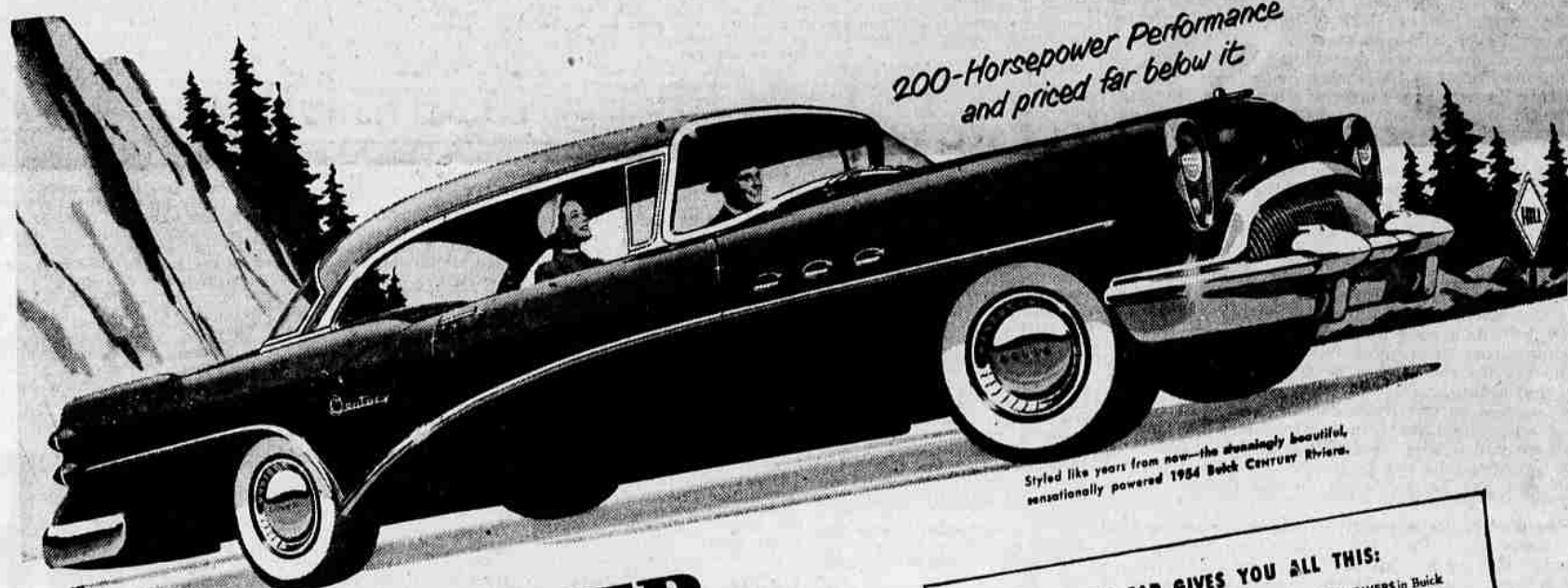
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