

Lions, Ladies Seat Officers; Several Receive Awards

Formal installation of officers for the Roseburg Lions Club and Ladies Lions took place Saturday night, when the groups gathered for a dinner dance at the Roseburg Country Club.

Dr. Bruce Tuck took the gavel from George Foster as the new Lions Club president, while Mrs. Charles Thomas was installed as president of the Ladies Lions, succeeding Mrs. Glenn Clute.

Highlight of the meeting, aside from the installation, was the presentation of a special achievement award to Edell Bryant, and the outstanding Lion in the Roseburg club for the past year. Bryant has served, not only as club secretary, but as district deputy governor for District 36-E.

Fayette Thompson, president of the Sutherlin Lions Club and zone chairman this past year, installed officers as follows: Tuck as president; Glenn Clute, Vic Bakala and Perry Ashcraft as vice presidents; Charles Collins, secretary; C. E. Manning, treasurer; John Loosley, Lion tamer; A. G. McClain, tail twister, and Luther Wade and A. N. Marolf, directors. McClain, Bakala and Marolf were not present for the installation.

Ladies Lions installed were: Mrs. Thomas as president; Mrs. George Foster, vice president; Mrs. Marolf, secretary (not present); Mrs. C. E. Manning, treasurer; Mrs. Stanley Jensen, Lion tamer, and Mrs. Charles Collins, director.

A key award for obtaining new members went to Foster, who was also presented a past president's pin.

Thomas C. Hartfield, presented pins to retiring officers, including Tuck, Frank von Borsstel and Walter Welker, vice presidents; Bryant, secretary; Collins, treasurer; Stanley Jensen, Lion tamer, Charles Church, tail twister, and Ashcraft, director.

Retiring Ladies Lions officers were presented corsages by Mrs. Hartfield. Recipients included Mrs. Clute as president; Mrs. Thomas, vice president; Mrs. Leroy Imman, secretary; Mrs. Collins, treasurer and Mrs. E. R. Buckingham, director. Mrs. Bakala, Lion tamer, was not present.

One hundred per cent attendance gifts were presented to Mrs. Bryant, Mrs. Wade, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Foster and Mrs. Imman.

Dancing followed the dinner and business meeting. The evening program was arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jensen.

Prospects For Early End Of Strike Poor

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orized by the union's international officers.

In a related development, Federal Judge George H. Boldt Saturday night granted a temporary injunction restraining CIO pickets from stopping Northern Pacific trains attempting to service the Rayonier Inc., plant at Hoquiam.

In a special night session at Tacoma, Judge Boldt issued the temporary order after railroad attorneys told the court two Grays Harbor IWA locals had picketed lines across tracks leading into the pulp plant.

Arguments by IWA attorneys against making the injunction permanent will be heard by Judge Boldt Wednesday.

Mrs. Keith Buckwalter Dies At Local Hospital

Mrs. Keith (Ruby) Buckwalter, 33, died at a local hospital Saturday, June 26.

She was born at Portland on Jan. 2, 1921. She was a Roseburg resident the past three years.

Survivors include her husband, one son, Larry Alan; and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fingal Leven, all of Roseburg.

Funeral services will be held in the Chapel of the Roses on Wednesday, June 30, at 2 p.m., with the Rev. Ellisville Tiller, of the First Methodist Church officiating. Interment will follow in the Roseburg Memorial Gardens.

Magician Can Easily Escape; Box Lid Gone

Rod Nevue, manager of Miller's Dept. Store in Roseburg, reported today that someone is making it extremely easy for Mandrake the Magician to escape from a box now on display in front of the store.

The box was placed in front of the store to show how tough it would be for a man to escape from it. Today, the lid was gone.

Some Junior Chamber of Commerce members, who are sponsoring a weekend visit by Mandrake, even suspect the magician himself.

The magician will be in Roseburg Thursday, Friday and Saturday to put on a benefit performance for funds for the Boy Scouts' Camp Tisiteos and the North Lake, Cripple Children's Camp.

DAY Auxiliary Member Rite Set

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Oakland Christian Church for Etlie Close.

Interment will follow in the Odd-fellows Cemetery in Oakland. The Rev. Chester Stewart will officiate.

Mrs. Close was believed to be the oldest Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary member in the United States. She died Friday at the age of 94.

She was born at North Post, Wis., March 29, 1860, and lived in that area until she came to Oakland about seven years ago.

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School Budget's Hurdle Presented By Tax Limit

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people of Oregon in 1914. It required an amendment to the state constitution.

In effect, it provides that tax revenues other than for bonded indebtedness (the Roseburg District has \$226,200 bond payments and interest to pay next year — 9.83 mills) may not be increased for any year by more than 6 per cent without a special election.

This is how the 6 per cent limitation law affects School District No. 4. In 1944-45, the tax base was \$73,900. Through consolidations and increase through the 6 per cent, the tax base for 1954-55 is \$362,976.78.

The school district can levy that amount in taxes without a vote — 15.76 mills. More revenue, non-tax raised, comes through state basic school support, county support, county lunches and other sources. That amounts to \$911,628.92, estimated. Bond payments and interest come from this sum.

The amount that the school can operate on without going to a vote of the people, then, is the two amounts added together. They come to \$1,294,605.70.

To balance the total budget of \$2,102,720.96, the school district would have to levy an amount equalling the remainder, plus a small amount estimated for taxes which will not be collected. The remainder and uncollected taxes come to \$835,115.26. That is the amount "outside the 6 per cent limitation."

The constitution requires that this amount may be collected only through approval of the people.

(Tuesday: Standardization and operating within the 6 per cent limitation.)

Guatemalan President Arbenz Steps Down

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not identified).

The "liberation radio" called on Col. Diaz to "let us know or we will hit them (the targets) one by one until they are all destroyed."

The rebels appealed to the Guatemalan army not to obey the new chief.

"The army should not let itself be deceived," the broadcast said. "We fight a system, not a man. Our struggle is against Communism until it is thoroughly uprooted from our soil."

Diaz To Continue War

Diaz in a broadcast pledged the army to continue the war against the invading exiles led by Col. Carlos Castillo Armas, but the switch in government appeared to signal the end of the Communist strong influence on the regime Arbenz had led. Army leaders are known to have become increasingly opposed recently to the Reds' strong influence on the government.

The ouster of the 41-year-old Arbenz followed reports of a big rebel victory at Zacapa, key railroad center 75 miles northeast of the capital. Army forces, particularly their artillery, were reported shattered there.

With the Rebels reported last night some 70 miles from the capital and moving on it, the battle for Guatemala was expected here to end within 48 hours. The Communists, backed by hastily armed and trained labor groups, were expected to try to keep up the fight, however.

Reuben W. Habel Passes On At 66

Reuben Waldemar Habel, 66, died at a local hospital June 25 after a lengthy illness. Habel had lived in Roseburg for five years, prior to his moving to Creswell a month ago.

He was born in Oshkosh, Wis., Sept. 17, 1887. Habel had been an inspector for Pacific Lumber Inspection Bureau for a period of 33 years. He was a member of Salem Blue Lodge No. 4, AF & AM, the Salem Elks Lodge, and the Eagles Lodge of Coos Bay.

Surviving are the wife, Mary; a son, John S., Everett, Wash.; a stepson, Floyd Babcock, Creswell; a stepdaughter, A. Pearl Embree, Fall City; a brother, Maurice Habel, Seattle; a sister, Ada Benson, Everett, Wash.; one granddaughter and six grandsons.

Funeral services will be conducted in the Chapel of Long & Orr Mortuary, Wednesday, June 30, at 10:30 a.m. by Rev. Raymond L. Schaefer of the First Baptist Church, and Laurel Lodge No. 13, AF & AM, with interment to follow in the Masonic Cemetery, McMinville.

Lookouts, Guards Sent Into Umpqua Forest

The U.S. Forest Service Friday sent out 50 lookouts and guards in the great Umpqua National Forest. It took three days of intensive training at the Wolf Creek Camp on Little River before the station could be manned, reports Guide Correspondent Mrs. Arthur Selby.

Fifty students from almost every state in the union turned up for this school. Many of them had been majoring in forestry at accredited colleges. Most of the Oregon boys are making forestry their careers. Twelve district rangers and district assistants from the North Umpqua District, the South Umpqua District, Bohemia District and Diamond Lake District carried the major part of the instruction load in order to attain the highest level of training.

The lookout stations in the North Umpqua district to be manned by these firefighters are located as follows: Little River District at Lookout Mountain, Red Butte, Flat Rock and Two Rivers; District Ranger George Churchill; Steamboat District, Illabehe Rock, Reynolds Rock and Buster Butte under District Ranger George Williams; Big Camas District, Black Rock, Pig Iron, Cinnamon Butte, Watson Butte, Garwood Bay, and Cinder Prairie under District Ranger Gordon Sanford.

BOY CUTS FOOT

Michael Dillon, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Dillon, Rt. 2, Box 430, Roseburg, suffered a cut foot on a lawn mower Sunday. He was taken to Mercy Hospital for medical attention, after which he was released.

FALL VICTIM MENDING

William Moffsord, Roseburg, who fell Sunday from a roof, was reported in good condition Monday at Mercy Hospital, where he was taken for medical attention.

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Speaker Dates Douglas Churches

James R. Denham Sr., who with his wife has recently returned from Brazil, will speak at six meetings in the county this week.

Tuesday, he will open his tour of the county by speaking at the Union Gap Bible Church. Wednesday, he will be at the Green Community Church. Thursday, he will speak at the Oakland Christian Church. Friday, he is scheduled at Kellogg Grange Hall and Sunday, he will speak at the Oakland Community Church at the morning service and the Sutherland Neighborhood Church in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Denham helped establish a new mission on the Madeira River at Minicore. It is known as the "mission to Amazonia."

The Denhams are well known in the county. They served as pastors in past years at Glide and Oakland at the Community Church. After leaving Oakland, Denham pastored a church at Brookings and later served as field agent for the Westwood College in California.

Denham has brought colored slides with him, showing his mission work.

The Denhams are now house guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Kobb of Umpqua.

Anton Larsen Claimed By Death

Anton Larsen, 81, well-known resident of the Roseburg area, died at a local hospital Saturday, June 26, after a lengthy illness. Larsen was born in Kristenund, Norway, Sept. 15, 1872, and came to the United States in 1894.

He was married to Ingeborg Helseth in Blooming Prairie, Minn., in 1896. Mrs. Larsen preceded him in death in 1950. He moved to Douglas County in 1904 and settled in the Lookingglass area, where he had farmed until 1946, when he moved to Roseburg. Larsen was a member of the Methodist Church for 65 years, and was active in church affairs. At one time, he worked for five years in the headquarters of Goodwill Industries Inc., in Seattle.

Surviving is one sister, Mrs. Bertina Hoem, Seattle, Wash., and several nephews and nieces.

Funeral services will be held in the Chapel of Long & Orr Mortuary, Tuesday, June 29, at 2 p.m., with the Rev. C. N. Currier of the Methodist Church, officiating. Interment will follow in the family plot at the Lookingglass Cemetery.

Blind Veteran Saves 2 Girls From Drowning

LUCEDALE, Miss. (AP) — A blind Korean War veteran rescued three companions from drowning Sunday night in the swift waters of the Pascagoula River.

Danger was old hat to 22-year-old Charles Vines. He had served with the famed 1st Marine Division on the western front in Korea, where he was blinded by a mortar shell.

He plunged into the dark river at the first impelling cry from two teen-age girls who were swept into mid-stream after they stepped into deep water while wading near the bank.

Vines swam toward the girls cry of distress. He reached Anne Louise Ball, 18, and grabbed her by the arm, then swam with her in tow until he found the other, Barbara Wood, 15.

He told Barbara to hold on to both of them, and the three began their breathless way shoreward.

About 40 feet from the bank Barbara said she could swim the rest of the way, and struck out alone.

Vines reached land with Anne Louise and heard Barbara cry out again as she was swept back into the swirling central current. He leapt back into the water and headed toward the sound of Barbara's wailing.

This time there were about 200 yards to go. Witnesses said the young girl was going under the third time when Vines got to her.

In all, Vines swam about 600 yards.

Funeral Services Set For Drowning Victim

Funeral services for Ramona Lee Mendenhall, 2½, who drowned Friday in Tenmile Creek, will be held at The Chapel of the Roses, on Tuesday, June 29, at 1 p.m., with Elder E. W. Striplin of the Seventh-day Adventist Church of Roseburg officiating.

Burial will follow in Roseburg Memorial Gardens.

Survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Mendenhall; a brother, Elton Joe; two sisters, Beulah May and Jessa Lee, all of Tenmile; and grandparents, Mrs. Ethel McMillan, Mr. M. J. Ray Brown, all of Kamiah, Idaho.

An autopsy held Friday night showed the girl's death was from drowning, according to Coroner L. L. Powers.

Ike, Churchill Pledge Joint S. E. Asia Defense

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Geneva the French government is confronted with demands which prevent an acceptable agreement regarding Indochina, the international situation will be seriously aggravated.

"This was one of three terse paragraphs dealing with the southeast Asia, and it set forth a clear warning to the Communists to offer the French honorable terms to end the seven-year old war.

"We are agreed," Eisenhower and Churchill said, "that the German federal republic should take its place as an equal partner in the community of Western nations, where it can make a greater contribution to the defense of the free world."

The Western powers want about 12 German divisions formed to strengthen Western Europe's security against Communist forces.

Dogs And Cats Have It Good

The Bureau of Census has never issued a survey on America's cat and dog population. Nevertheless, it is reported that there are 26 million "bow-wows" and 26.7 million "meow-meows" under some form of owner guardianship.

These figures, as figures, go, mean much or little. But the figures do rather compliment humans from the angle that each pet must so fully depend upon humans for their well-being. Such dependence is sought by humans, not thrust upon them, as the owning of pets is, of course, voluntary.

An interesting side-light in support of this human delight in pets is reflected in figures just recently developed indicating that approximately 22½ million dogs share life with 17½ million American families, whose love for animals is reflected in expenditures yearly of 200 million dollars for dog food; 5 million dollars in equipment; 7 million dollars for medicine. An average dog budget is approximately 190 dollars per year per dog.

No wonder the dog population increase is four times that of people; and no wonder humans are anxious to buy for their pets such items as rubber balls, composition bones, special beds, license tags and flea killers which enable dogs to live pest free and happy lives. Pretty nice people these humans.

A "dog's life" isn't so bad after all, is it?

LOCAL NEWS

Convalescing — Edna D. Handy is convalescing satisfactorily at his home, since being discharged recently from Mercy Hospital. It was incorrectly reported in Saturday's paper that Mrs. Handy was discharged from the hospital.

About 53 per cent of daily newspaper circulation of the world is in the United States, the United Kingdom and Japan.

UO Honor Roll Lists Six Douglas Students

Six Douglas County students at the University of Oregon were listed in this year's spring term honor roll.

They achieved the honor roll by making grades of 3.5 or better. This is equivalent to a B-plus.

Those listed were: Donna J. Donahue and Lawrence C. Maves, Counts, Camas Valley; Donna J. Clough, Canyonville; Warren E. Schad, Elkton; and Martha A. Gosnell, Tiller.

STOVE OVERHEATS

Roseburg firemen were called out at 4:30 p.m. Saturday when an oil stove at the Robert Snider residence, 441 S. Jackson St., overheated. Chief W. E. Mills said no damage occurred. The dwelling is owned by Bill Larsee.

GLIDE KIWANIS DATED

The Glide Kiwanis Club will meet at the Glide High School this week, reports Correspondent Mrs. Arthur Selby.

The regular weekly meeting is scheduled Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the high school.

Roger Morris New Head Lower Umpqua C. Of C.

Roger Morris, former first vice president of the Lower Umpqua Chamber of Commerce, has been named by the executive committee to serve as president for the rest of the year.

Morris replaces Louis Franz, who died suddenly shortly over a week ago in Reedsport.

Morris said he will continue the policies outlined by Franz.

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