

Local News

Here From Eureka — Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Baker enjoyed a visit last weekend from their nephew, Joe Copeland and wife and children of Eureka, Calif.

Visits Mother — Mrs. Herbert Sullivan has been visiting her mother in Pendleton this week. Mr. Sullivan plans to meet her in Portland today and bring her home.

Return To Wisconsin — Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schlender of Roseburg were their friends, Mr. and Mrs. William Grapentine of Kaukauna, Wis. They left for their home Thursday morning.

Returns To Eugene — Virginia Spouta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spouta of Eugene, formerly of this city, has returned to her home, following a week in Roseburg visiting Camille Robertson at the John William Robertson home in Laurelswood.

Here Visiting — Mrs. J. H. McGinness and sons, next and Michael, of Vancouver, B.C., have arrived in Roseburg to visit at the home of the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Walsh.

Visitors Leave — Mrs. Pauline Hardin Crowley and daughter, Jody, have returned to their home in Los Angeles, following several days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harrison in Winston. Mrs. Crowley, a former Oregon resident, is an employee of the Veterans Administration in Los Angeles.

Arrive From California — Mr. and Mrs. Philip Weil and children, Sara and Philip Jr., have arrived in Roseburg to spend their vacation visiting Mrs. Weil's mother, Mrs. Arthur W. Baum, at her summer home on the North Umpqua River. Mrs. Weil is the former Margaret Baum of this city. The Weil family resides in Oakland, Calif.

Vacationing — Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Purkiser and daughter, Barbara, of Roseburg, are vacationing and have been visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Lillian Purkiser, in Oregon City. Mr. and Mrs. Purkiser, and family in West Linn, after which they left for Washington to spend the remainder of their vacation fishing. They will spend a family reunion in Oregon City Sunday.

Church Group At Conference — Twenty young people of the North Roseburg Church left this morning for Jennings Lodge, near Portland, to spend a week at the Evangelical United Brethren Camp. The conference started this week, at which time pastors were appointed and church business was transacted. Next week is fun and study week. Attending this week were the Rev. Kenneth Doole and two children. Also planning to attend the conference next week are Mr. and Mrs. Wally Mull and son, Paul, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kostad and Harvey and Deanna.

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Visiting Here — Miss Maureen Crook of Vancouver, B.C., is in Roseburg visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walsh, and family on South Main Street.

Returns From Portland — Mrs. C. E. Richardson returned home Wednesday from Portland, where she had visited for a week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Radabaugh, and family.

Undergoes Surgery — Mrs. Howard Parks of Elkton underwent minor surgery at Sacred Heart Hospital in Eugene. During her stay in the hospital, her children are being cared for by Mr. and Mrs. Norman Compton.

Have Canadian Guest — Jack Jamieson of Armstrong, B.C., is visiting for a month at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Slattery, who drove to Wenatchee last week to meet him. He plans to visit with his uncle, Dallas Hae, at Sacramento before returning home.

Visit At Brockway — Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hixon of Brockway had as weekend visitors Mrs. Esra Simpson and children, Del and Sherion, of Portland, and Mrs. Alice Lobb, Portland, who was in Roseburg on business. Sherion is spending a week at the Hixon home.

Vacationing — Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lynd and daughter, Gail, are expected home this weekend from a two-week vacation trip, part of which was spent in Los Angeles with his relatives. Mr. Lynd will return to his work in the Bureau of Land Management office Monday.

Visit At Dixon Home — Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Whaley of Seattle have left for Los Angeles to visit following a stay in Roseburg as guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Dixon on North Jackson Street. Mrs. Whaley is a niece of Mrs. Dixon. Mr. Whaley is an instructor in a senior high school in Seattle.

Visiting — Lt. and Mrs. Fred Weatherly and daughter have arrived in Elkton to visit at the Norman Weatherly home for a month. They have been on the East coast. Lt. Weatherly is a paratrooper, and with his family will sail Sept. 1 for Germany, where he has been assigned for service with the U.S. Occupational Forces.

Leave Today — Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Young and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Young, and baby son, Stephen, left this morning for their home in Oakland, Calif., following a vacation on the North Umpqua and in Roseburg visiting A. A. Young's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Young on Flint Street, and his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Young, and family in Westmoreland.

Attend Jamboree — Among members of the Buckaroo Square Dance Club attending the dance jamboree being held at Bend tonight are Mr. and Mrs. Elmer (Andy) Anderson and sons, Kenny and Turner. They plan to camp out with about 35 other members of the club. One group of the club will camp out and the other group plans to stay in a motel. Also attending the jamboree are Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Norman John and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Strickling.



PRESIDENT SIGNS—Four Californians, all Republicans, watch as President Eisenhower signs the Sontag Margaret River dam legislation during a White House ceremony. Looking on from left are Rep. James B. Utt, Sen. William F. Knowland, Sen. Thomas H. Kuchel and Vice President Richard Nixon. The dam will provide irrigation facilities, as well as water for Marines stationed at Camp Pendleton in Southern California. (AP)

Cow Wiggles Free Of Silo

NEW WINDSOR, MD.—White isn't stuck in the silo any more. Stanley Simons said he didn't know how his 7-year-old Holstein got out. He left her to her own devices overnight. When he went out to milk this morning, there she was—free.

Simons said White wandered off after he milked her Thursday night. Somehow she squirmed her way through the 2 1/2 by 2-foot silo door.

"She's not very tall," said Simons, "but awfully broad."

Simons was asleep when White got out. He had checked as late as midnight and she was still trapped.

"She got in by herself, I figured she could get out by herself," he said. "She's in good condition. No damage."

Simons had planned, if necessary, to go into the silo and milk White, but he hadn't relished the idea. "She's moody and awfully touchy at her age," he said.

There wasn't any silage in the silo.

"I think she went in there to protest the price of milk," Simons said.

Medford Man Finds Cool Temper Pays Off

BERKELEY, Calif.—Policeman Harry Haines said he gave a jaywalker a ticket here Thursday, and the man promptly tore it up.

The outraged policeman at once arrested the man, Albert J. Braun Jr., 23, Medford, Ore., and hustled him before Municipal Judge Louis J. Hardy.

Hardy told Braun he could pay a \$5 fine or serve a day in jail. Braun decided to pay.

If he had taken the jaywalking ticket it would have cost him \$2.

Return From Portland — Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stovall and daughter, Dixie Ann, and Mrs. Stovall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Stark, have returned to their homes in Roseburg following several days in Portland visiting friends and attending the Beaver baseball games.

Will Attend Meeting — Carl Muller, local representative of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., will attend a special educational course in life insurance underwriting sponsored by the company in San Francisco Aug. 9-16. Mrs. Muller will accompany her husband on the trip.

Return From Trip — Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ladd and Mrs. Ladd's mother, Mrs. W. B. Meredith returned to their homes in Roseburg this week following a four-week trip to points of interest in the South. They visited in Texas, Oklahoma, Old Mexico and in several other states.

Visitors Leave — Mr. and Mrs. L. A. White and children, Charles Andrew and Ruth Anne, have returned to their home in Lincoln, Calif., following a visit here with Mrs. White's insurance agent, Charles Hamilton and Mrs. W. H. Richardson, on South Main Street, and with another aunt, Mrs. Arthur Clarke, on South Kane Street. Mrs. White is the former Martha Herman of this city.

Leave On Vacation — Mr. and Mrs. William Brunt and three children, Barbara Jean, Mary Kathryn and Bill Jr., of Roseburg left Friday on an extended three-week vacation trip. They will go through Yellowstone National Park and will visit the Martin Bros. Box Co. plant in Toledo, Ohio. They plan to stop at Niagara Falls, N.Y., and will visit relatives in Washington D.C. Mr. Brunt formerly worked in Washington, D.C. They will visit Mr. Brunt's parents in Winston-Salem, N.C., after which they will return home via the southern route and will stop in New Orleans to go through the Martin Bros. Box Co. plant. Mr. Brunt is an employee of Martin Bros. Box Co. The will be gone three weeks.



RHEE URGES ATTACK—Korean President Syngman Rhee adjusts his glasses as he addresses a joint session of Congress in Washington, urging an attack on Chinese Communists by Asian troops supplied by American equipment as the solution of the world communist problem. Vice President Nixon and Speaker Martin are behind him. (AP)

Army Program Allows Recruit Choice Of Skills

Enlistment directly into the Army under a new "Reserved For You" program, which lets the volunteer choose a technical career before being sworn in as a skilled specialist, has been announced by M. Sgt. Charles L. Wilcoxon, local U. S. Army recruiter.

The new Army of Uncle Sam is going all out to give both young men and women a sound technical education, Sgt. Wilcoxon said.

There are presently 87 different courses in which the high school graduate can train everything from the latest in atomic weapons to automotive mechanics.

Sgt. Wilcoxon said the new program works this way: High school graduates may look over a catalog of courses at the local recruiting station, 315 Pacific Building, Roseburg. They select a first and second choice. If their choice is available, they receive a personal letter from the adjutant general of the Army or the commanding general of a training division guaranteeing them seats reserved in their names for schooling beginning on a specific date.

Another development in the recruiting service, Wilcoxon said, makes it possible for applicants to choose a desired branch of the Army. Vacancies now exist in the Adjutant General Corps, Artillery, Engineers, Medical Service, Ordnance, Transportation, Quartermaster and several other branches.

Traffic Begins Flow Over Columbia Bridge

PASCO, Wash.—State Rep. Julia Butler Hansen, Cathlamet, cut a ribbon Friday and thereby officially opened the new 7 million, 4-lane Columbia River bridge between here and Kennewick to traffic.

The first car to cross over the bridge was driven by a pioneer Pasco resident, Ed Welch, who also drove the first car over the companion Pasco - Kennewick bridge in 1922.

HELP YOURSELF

OMAHA—Mrs. Nancy Sexson was visiting Mrs. Gladys Moline here when she told police a man walked in the front door. He went to a table, picked up Mrs. Sexson's pocketbook containing \$3 and walked out with the comment "I'm taking this with me!"



TALKS—Miss Susan Hayes, 24-year-old hospital technician mentioned prominently in the Sheppard playing investigation in Cleveland, O., walks down the ramp while changing planes at Chicago. Miss Hayes was flying from California to Cleveland for questioning. Detective Robert Schottke of Cleveland accompanied her. County Prosecutor Frank T. Culligan quoted Miss Hayes as saying in a signed statement that she had been intimate with Dr. Samuel H. Sheppard, 30, when he made a trip to California last spring and other occasions also. (AP)

Naval Reserve Billets Opened

About 20 billets for men 17 to 18 1/2 years old are now open in the Naval Reserve electronics program conducted weekly at the Naval Reserve Armory at Roseburg.

The announcement was made Friday by Lt. Cmdr. Hal Schiltz of the unit.

He requested that young men of that age bracket, who are liable for military service in the armed forces, to investigate the program. He said it prepares, trains and advances men in the naval service while they are at home. It fits them to handle duties more capably and gives them a chance to receive more pay when they do report for service, he said.

Radio equipment has just been installed at the Naval Reserve Armory at 2030 Harvard Ave., just across from the Fairhaven Market. Radar equipment is in the process of being installed.

Members of the reserve units receive a full day's pay for each 2 1/2-hour drill period they take part in.

Those interested in becoming members of the naval reserve may get complete details by calling at the armory any week day or on Monday or Tuesday evenings when two electronics divisions are in training. They may contact Stationkeeper W. Plummer at the armory, Capt. Walter Mallory or Lt. Cmdr. Vermillion, both of Roseburg; Lt. Cmdr. Petherick of Sutherlin; Lt. Cmdr. Hal Schiltz in Myrtle Creek or Lt. Cmdr. John Bingham of Canyonville.

Logging Still Allowed In Closed Forest Areas

Closing of areas in forest lands by Gov. Paul Patterson does not apply to logging operations, the Douglas Forest Protective Assn. emphasized this morning.

The areas have been closed to individuals because of the high fire hazard. DFPAs points out. Persons wishing to enter the closed areas must obtain a permit.

The old Hubbard Creek burn in the Callahan area and the Vincent Creek burn north of Elkton constitute high fire hazards because of heavy brush and grass growth, DFPAs Dispatcher Wayne Miller said Thursday. The Hubbard Creek burn is located west of Roseburg in the Coast Range. Dispatcher Miller emphasized that no one can enter the areas without a permit.

Permits may be obtained at Roseburg DFPAs headquarters and at the Tenmile, Tyee and Elk Creek guard stations, Miller said.

There will be someone posted on the upper end of the Hubbard Creek area to give out permits and in the Landers Lookout area in Callahan.

Douglas county residents in the Redwood area where forests have been closed may obtain permits from the Coos Forest Protective Assn. Miller said that would apply also to the Wells Creek area that has been closed.

RELEASED ON BAIL

William Curtis Snell, 25, of 4625 N. Stephens, Roseburg, was released Friday under \$100 bail after his arrest Wednesday for being drunk on a public highway, reports District Judge Elmer Baldwin. He was arrested by state police and a sheriff's deputy.

Tax Revision Bill Presents Wide Benefits To Taxpayer

WASHINGTON—Here are some of the ways you as an individual taxpayer can benefit through the big tax revision bill now on President Eisenhower's desk for almost certain signature:

DIVIDEND INCOME—If you're a stockholder, you won't have to pay any tax at all on the first \$50 of income in dividends. Furthermore, you can take 4 per cent of any dividend income above \$50 and deduct that from your tax payment.

MEDICAL EXPENSES—You may deduct medical expenses above 3 per cent of income, instead of 5 per cent as at present. But you must remember that from now on you may only deduct sums spent for drugs and medicines above 1 per cent of your income. Also, you can have a total medical deduction of \$10,000 for your family; the limit has been \$5,000.

RETIREMENT INCOME—You won't have the basic 20 per cent tax rate on the first \$1,000 of retirement income received after you pass 65. If you're a retired government employee such as a teacher, fireman or policeman, you can get the benefit even though you're under 65.

WORKING MOTHERS—If you must work to support children under 12 or other dependents, and if your husband is incapacitated or if the combined income of the family is less than \$4,500, you may deduct up to \$600 spent for child care.

SOIL CONSERVATION—If you're a farmer putting a lot of money into soil rebuilding, you may deduct these outlays up to 25 per cent of your gross income.

COLLEGE STUDENTS—If you have a child who is under 19 or is in college and has a job which pays him more than \$600 a year, you may continue to list him as a dependent with a \$600 exemption on your return if you pay half of his support.

CHARITIES—You may deduct up to 30 per cent of your income for charitable contributions, instead of 20 as at present.

INSTALLMENT BUYING—You may deduct the carrying charges on such purchases, even though they're not specifically stated as interest in the contract.

HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD—If your husband or wife dies, you may continue for two years to get

the full benefit of income splitting as on a joint return.

HEALTH & ACCIDENT PLANS—If you miss work because of an illness or an injury, you are entitled to tax exemption on payments made to you by your employer, up to \$100 a week, if they are issued under a regular health and accident plan. The exemption does not apply in the first seven days of an illness, unless you are hospitalized.

DECLARATIONS OF ESTIMATED TAX—If you're married and have up to \$10,000 of income, practically all of it subject to withholding, you no longer need to file a declaration of estimated tax.

RAPID DEPRECIATION—If you're a businessman or farmer, you may use the new double-declining balance method of quick depreciation on a plant or piece of equipment. This means that in the first year of life, you can write off twice the amount for depreciation now allowed; thus you can concentrate most of the write-off in the early years of use of the item.

The accelerated depreciation plan will benefit chiefly corporations. They get chief relief, too, including:

More liberal treatment for research expenditures.

Greater freedom to set aside surpluses.

The right to offset a loss against profits of two prior years instead of one as now.

Elimination for utilities of the 2 per cent penalty tax on consolidated returns.

Greatly expanded depletion allowances for mining companies.

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