

### 500 At Vets Outing Here

A host of veterans at the Roseburg Veterans Hospital were already looking forward to the seventh annual hospital outing next year, conducted by the Military Order of Cooties, an honor degree of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Sunday the vets did away with a ton of watermelon, hundreds of hamburgers, 600 bottles of soda water, heaps of salad and other victuals. Grand Commander Ted Hopkins of Rogue River turned up to take in the event. His wife, Pat, first vice president of the VFW Auxiliary, Dept. of Oregon, was also on hand. Other Cooties converged on the Veterans Hospital grounds from Coquille, Newport, Myrtle Point, Rogue River, Springfield, Myrtle Creek and Roseburg. The daylong picnic started at 10:30 a.m. with rounds of 12 different athletic contests including foot racing, jumping, golf putting and free throws. A host of prizes were given. Then, at noon, over 500 queued up at the food tables for the high-light activity of eating. In the afternoon softball and checkers games were held. The Cooties also set up 10 concession stands. A mountain of prizes were given to the veterans during the course of the day. The event was directed by Past Grand Commander A. E. (Bud) Williams of the local chapter. Frosty Holmes, grand council member of the Cooties, and Nelson Tobias, both of Roseburg presided at the watermelon table. Joe Toman, special services officer at the hospital, also helped arrange the event. Another picnic for veterans is scheduled Aug. 29 by the Cooties for veterans of the domiciliary at Medford's Camp White.

### Former Roseburg Girl Succumbs In Eugene

Rita Shirey, 27, died in a hospital in Eugene Monday, following an illness of a week and funeral services will be held in Eugene Wednesday at 9 a.m. Miss Shirey was born in Roseburg in January 1926 and moved with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shirey, to Eugene in 1940. Besides her parents, survivors include three brothers and a sister; Joe, who is studying for the priesthood in Los Gatos, Calif.; Clair, who is with the U. S. Air Force stationed at Omaha, Neb.; Dick of Milwaukee; and Mrs. Robert Tucker of Eugene.

### Roseburg Man Accused Of Beating Wife, Held

Lester Jones Welch, 45, Roseburg, has been released from the Douglas County jail on posting \$500 bail after his arrest for assault and battery, reports Sutherland Justice of Peace Ward Watson. Welch was arrested by a sheriff's deputy on a charge of beating his wife, Watson said.

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### Canyonville Musician In Recital

Ernest Shippen of Canyonville will present a voice recital at the Canyonville Methodist Church on Aug. 11, at 8 p.m. Shippen is a student in voice under Professor Oscar Bennett at Nebraska Wesleyan University and has had experience there as soloist for chorus and choir work. During the past two years he has played roles in the light operas "Song of Norway" and "Student Prince," as presented by the University's music and drama departments. His recital will consist of songs varying from the religious classics to selections from opera and semi-classical sources. He will be accompanied at the piano by Mrs. George Childress of North Myrtle Creek. The public is invited to attend.

Vernon Neiswanger, son of Mrs. C. O. R. Gaubert of Canyonville, went to Monroe and Eugene Thursday to visit relatives. Neiswanger has recently been discharged from the U. S. naval service. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gaubert of Canyonville were hosts to many friends and relatives over the weekend. Gaubert's sister, Mrs. Gertrude Morning, and son, David Cook, Charles and Sonny Osgood, Shirley Fisher, Mrs. Gaubert's brother, John Landers, and sister, Mrs. Cecil Boman, and family, Evelyn, daughter of Mrs. Boman, are going to spend the remainder of the school vacation with Mrs. Gaubert. Leonard Pollard, formerly of Canyonville and Myrtle Creek and just discharged from the Navy, spent Sunday here with Vernon Neiswanger.

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### Girls To Show Slides Of Mexican Journey

A program featuring colored slides of Mexican Missions and information concerning missions will be given at the First Christian Church Sunday evening at 8. The slides were taken by Miss Sonia Lander and Miss Juanita Roscher. The young ladies have recently returned from Mexico. There are two visiting missions that are sponsored by the Disciples of Christ churches. They were part of a delegation of 23 young people from throughout the United States who visited Mexico. According to the Roseburg church member who told of the forthcoming program, the young women will tell of their experiences, show the slides and answer questions. Both are members of the High-Tenor's class of the First Christian Church.

### California Gov. Knight Marries War Widow

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A pretty war widow who once sold Gov. Goodwin J. Knight a poppy married him Monday in a 10-minute Episcopal rite. The tiny Episcopal Church of Our Saviour was only partly filled as the happy and smiling governor took Mrs. Virginia Carlson as his wife. Rev. J. C. Donnell, longtime friend of the chief executive, officiated in the single-ring ceremony. As the words of the Episcopal liturgy pronounced them man and wife, the governor clasped the hand of his 35-year-old bride and they knelt silently in prayer for a moment. Then she gave her 57-year-old husband a resounding kiss. His best man was Robert Eaton, his son-in-law. The bride's lone attendant was her 23-year-old sister-in-law, Mrs. Richard Herschberger.

### Stage Attraction Brings Children To Watch Here

By LAURA OLSON Staff Writer, News Review It took a long time for good to triumph Monday evening in the Roseburg Theater presentation of "Sing Ho For A Prince." Some 100 years.

But the villainess repeated, Sleeping Beauty was awakened by Prince Valor and the Kingdom of Thence returned to a life of merriment by final curtain. The musical production, based on Grimm's fairy tale, "The Sleeping Beauty," was presented at the Roseburg High School new gymnasium. More than half of the audience of 300 was children. The remainder was just young in heart. This second work of the Cascade Players of Eugene lacked the polish of the first, due in part, perhaps, to a larger cast and less individual practice. However, the kiddies and adults present enjoyed, "Sing Ho For A Prince" immensely.

The musical score of the play was packed with lulling melodies and catchy lyrics. Authors Joe Grenzebeck and Haakon Bergh have written special tunes untitled for each main character. The tunes are repeated throughout the change. We were particularly charmed by the Court Magician's tune, reminiscent of the King's soliloquy in "The King and I." For want of a better title it could be called "If I May Be Permitted To Speak."

And, of course, there is the sinister element of Hoyal, the "bad" fairy who places the curse on the palace and starts the long sleep. Her music provides the suspense and mystery. The kids shuddered when Hoyal came on. There were many fine performances. Highlighting "Sing Ho" vocally were Hoyal (Joan Pearce); Magician Fizz (Don Finlay); the nurse (Audrey Mistretta). For good, solid comedy performances we would extend a star plum to the awkward fairy Thrustlebung (Donna Maulding Lehner); the King (Paul McMullen); and a Prince Hammer (Scott Lehner). And, of course, no Sleeping Beauty would be complete without a beautiful princess (Loanne Morgan) and a handsome prince (Leonard Nossman).

Music was provided by a duo-piano team. The play was directed by Horace Robinson.

### Ex-Roseburg Resident Dies In Seattle At 103

A former Roseburg resident died in Seattle Sunday at the age of 103. She was Mrs. Lucy Owen, Roseburg resident for 50 years and founder of the Fern Florist. The funeral will be held Wednesday at 11 a.m. at the White Center Funeral Home in Seattle. Mrs. Owen was born Feb. 6, 1851, in Missouri. She sold flowers on the street in Roseburg several years before opening the Fern Florist shop in 1918. She sold the store to Merle Austin in 1922. She made her home in Roseburg with the Clinton Forth family until she moved to Walla Walla, Wash., in 1929. Her husband, Frank, died several weeks after they moved to Washington. She later married her brother-in-law, Oscar, who also preceded her in death. Mrs. Owen has been confined to the Crown Hill Hospital the past six or seven years.

### Ex-Tax Head Fined, Jailed For Evasion

NEW YORK (AP) — Joseph D. Nunan Jr., once the nation's head tax collector, was sentenced Tuesday to five years imprisonment and a \$15,000 fine for income tax evasion. Nunan was sentenced by Judge Walter Bruchhausen who said that Nunan's conduct "cannot be condoned." The judge said Nunan's crime was made greater by the fact that he had been charged with enforcing the laws. Nunan was appointed U. S. commissioner of internal revenue by the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt and served in the post from 1944 to 1947. He was convicted on a five count indictment in which he was accused of reporting his income for 1946 to 1950 as \$416,144 when it actually was \$543,396. The government said he paid taxes totaling \$200,437 when he should have paid \$291,534.

### Governor To Aid Plans For Nation's Highways

SALEM (AP) — Gov. Paul L. Patterson is one of seven governors who will work with President Eisenhower on drafting a program to bring the nation's highways up to standard. Patterson announced Monday he had accepted the appointment. The committee will meet with the President in Washington on Aug. 10. President Eisenhower proposed a 10-year, \$5 billion dollar highway program, with both the federal government and the states participating. Chairman of the governors' committee is Gov. Walter J. Kohler of Wisconsin. The other members are Govs. Frank J. Lausche of Ohio, John Lodge of Connecticut, Howard Pyle of Arizona, Allan Shivers of Texas, and Lawrence W. Wetherby of Kentucky. At the recent National Governors Conference, the governors voted to study the states' viewpoint on federal participation in highway matters. The special committee will work with the American Association of State Highway Officials and representatives of the federal government.

### 37 Aboard Escape Death Airliner Falls Flaming

PRESTON, Conn. (AP) — A big four-engine Constellation with 37 aboard fell with a deafening crash from rain-soaked skies Tuesday, landing in flames on an isolated farm. State police reported that all aboard, including two babies, miraculously escaped death in the crash itself and the flames that burned furiously for two hours after the crash. A dozen or so were hurt. Officials reported none apparently suffered critical injuries. The 29 passengers and eight crewmen aboard the Air France plane, flying from Paris to Mexico City via New York, were ordered to a hospital for precautionary checkups.

### Italians Conquer 2nd-Highest Peak

RAWALPINDI, Pakistan (AP) — An Italian mountain climbing expedition announced today that it has conquered 28,520-foot K2-Mt. Godwin Austen — the world's second highest peak and since the conquest of Everest the globe's highest unclimbed mountain. The message received here said the victory was scored July 31 but did not name the expedition member or members who reached the top.

### Fire Burns 200 Acres On Siuslaw

EUGENE (AP) — Fire swept from cutover land into green timber 20 miles west of here in the heart of the rugged Coast Range country early Tuesday and firefighters were sure but what the start of a major blaze was before them. The fire was in an Upper Siuslaw River area where extremely rough terrain hampered control efforts. The blaze broke out at about 5 p. m. Monday in timber owned by George Owen of Eugene and being logged by Harlan Hickson. It started near where machinery repairs were under way with welding equipment. It burned first through 100 acres of cutover land, fanned by a stiff breeze in the night, then at dawn appeared to have covered a total of 200 acres, part of it green timber. About 80 men were fighting it and Ray Oglesby, warden for the Western Lane Fire Protection Assn., said it might be late in the day before he could say whether early control was likely.

### County Agent Parker Back From Conference

Douglas County Agent J. Roland Parker returned to Roseburg Monday after a week's work trip in Western Oregon. Parker attended an extension conference at the Astoria Branch Experiment Station. He also spent Friday in Corvallis at a meeting of sheepmen. Sheepmen throughout the state are currently promoting the idea of a "Sheepman of the Year." Parker said. Idea behind it he added, was to encourage sheep raising.

### Reedsport Youth Leaves Jail On Weapons Charge

Eldon Orlo Dutcher, 18, Reedsport, has been released from the Douglas County jail on posting \$2,000 bail, reports Dr. Justice of Peace Clarence Leonard. He was arrested July 28 for carrying a concealed weapon.

### Insurance Firm Expands, Moves To New Quarters

Expansion of operations and convenience for policyholders has prompted State Farm Mutual Insurance Co. of Roseburg to move to new quarters. The move was completed Monday to 400 N. Jackson St., according to an announcement from Agents Sid Sorenson and Louise Gwaltney. The former location of the company was 321 S. Stephens. The company now has two agents here instead of one. Sorenson was transferred here from the Portland office last month, and Louise Gwaltney took over the agency from Robert Fischer. The new office is located in the former Hall's Jewelry. Lee Hall, proprietor of the jewelry store, has moved to North Stephens Street, just north of the Coney Island restaurant.

### Glide Schools Install New Irrigation System

A complete irrigation system, including an electric pump has been installed at Glide Elementary school reports News-Review correspondent Mrs. Arthur Selby. Supt. Byron Evans reports the installation was made because additional water was needed for watering the grade school lawns, the football field and the high school lawns. He reports that 800 feet of pipe were buried and 600 feet of surface pipe was used. Water is being pumped from the North Umpqua River. Gerretsen Supply Co. of Roseburg installed the system at a contract price of \$1,900.

### Flier Still On Serious List Following Wreck

PORTLAND (AP) — Howard F. Clerk, 26-year-old Kittitas, Wash., pilot who was injured Sunday in the crash of his light plane, remained in serious—but not critical—condition Tuesday, hospital attendants reported. He had just taken off from the Troutdale airport when the plane started into a spin and crashed, witnesses said. Engine failure was blamed.

### New Movie Processes Cost High, Paper Shows

The high cost of showing movies in the Roseburg area with the new production process is reflected in a conditional sales contract filed in the Douglas County clerk's office Monday. The contract between the Indian Theater and the B. F. Shearer Co. of Seattle set the cost for the equipment for cinematograph and stereophonic sound for the theater at \$7,000.

### Deportation, Child Custody Problems Hex Rita, Hubby

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Singer Dick Haymes, husband of actress Rita Hayworth, again has been ordered deported following a re-hearing of his case. Ralph Farb, special inquiry officer for the Immigration and Naturalization Service, upheld Monday the deportation order issued last March 23 after Haymes' first hearing. The rehearing was ordered after Haymes appealed to the Board of Immigration Appeals in Washington, D. C., contending that he had been the victim of entrapment when he went to Hawaii in June last year to visit Miss Hayworth. Haymes had supported his appeal with an affidavit from Richard R. Cody, former Immigration Service employee here. Cody's affidavit said immigration officials had instructed him not to warn Haymes he would be ineligible to re-enter the mainland, once he left, unless he had a special permit. Farb ruled there was no evidence substantiating Cody's claim and cleared Herman R. Landon, district immigration officer here, of Haymes' entrapment charge. Farb gave the singer 10 days to appeal again to the Washington board, and Haymes' counsel said they would do so immediately.

### Constitution Due Masonic Lodge

After working under dispensation for the last year, the Mt. Nebo Masonic Lodge will be constituted officially as No. 214, AP & AM, Thursday evening, it was announced today. Roy W. McNeal, most worshipful grand master of Masons in Oregon, will constitute the local lodge. The ceremony will take place in the Masonic Temple, beginning at 8 p.m. The following officers will be installed: Sam A. Warg, worshipful master; Clinton Hawk, senior warden; Charles H. Prall, junior warden; Otto A. Lange, secretary; Victor J. Micelli, treasurer; John D. Blanchard, senior deacon; Martin T. Dimmick, junior deacon; Thomas G. Havens, senior steward; Conrad H. Clune, junior steward; Forest A. Talbot, chaplain; William L. Lange, marshal; and David M. Geddes, tyler. Mt. Nebo Lodge has had a very active year during the period it has worked under dispensation. Officers report it has shown an increase in membership through initiation and affiliation of more than 50 per cent. All visiting members are invited to attend the Thursday evening ceremony.

### Hilton, Statler Hotels Combine

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP) — Hilton Hotels Corp. Tuesday announced it is buying control of the Statler chain in the "largest transaction in the history of the hotel industry." The announcement by Conrad N. Hilton said the purchase involves 753,000 shares of common stock at a cost of \$50 per share. The shares are owned largely by the Statler foundation and various trusts created by the chain's founder, Ellsworth M. Statler.

### Sewing Machine Store Manager Transferred

Frank Harrison, recently of Portland, look over as manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Co. store in Roseburg Monday. Paul Peterson, former manager, is being transferred to Seatle, where he will be assistant manager of the company store of Second Avenue. Harrison was transferred here from Portland, where he was assistant manager of the company store at Third Avenue and Alder Street. Before that, he was at Nampa, Idaho. He and his wife, Shirley, have been in the sewing machine business many years. The Harrisons have a son, Lee, 19, who is in California at the present time. They currently reside at 127 Clover Lane, but expect to move to Newton Creek Road in the near future.

### Three Accidents Occur Near Drain

Three early morning Sunday accidents in the northern part of Douglas County sent one driver to the Cottage Grove Hospital and seriously damaged two of the cars, according to Deputy Sheriff John McCool. The first accident involved one car driven by Dennis Robert West, 18, of Clackamas. West and two companions were about four miles south of Yoncalla when their vehicle overturned and rolled over three times. West was injured and taken to Cottage Grove Hospital. Deputy McCool said a warrant has been issued for West's arrest for reckless driving. Passengers in the car, Richard Greace, 19 and Donald West, 20, both of Yoncalla, were just shaken up, the deputy said. At 3:35 a.m. Sunday morning two cars scraped fenders south of Drain one mile, the Deputy said. No citations were issued to the drivers. Anthony Jerguson, 46, Indianapolis, Ind., and Robert Earl Robertson, Hot Springs, Ark. Jerguson was accompanied by his wife. Less than two hours later, a car driven by Mrs. John Woodman of Drain, turned over in a ditch north of Drain on Highway 99. According to the sheriff's office, the driver was unable to negotiate a turn and ran the car into a ditch. The car was damaged, the investigating officer said, but the driver and her husband and two small boys were uninjured. The family was returning to Roseburg. No citations were issued.

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