

Local News

Dinner Planned — Members of St. George's Episcopal Church will meet Thursday, Jan. 20, for dinner at 6:30 p.m. at the parish hall.

Tri-City Woman Dies On Tuesday

Mrs. Lora Marienda Deen, 45, Tri-City, died at her home Tuesday morning following a lingering illness.

Mrs. Deen was born at Ontario, Ore., April 2, 1909. She lived most of her life in Payette, Idaho, and was married there July 25, 1929 to Melvin M. Deen. She was a member of the First Baptist Church at Payette.

Thursday Funeral Set For Oregon City Man

Graveside funeral services will be held Thursday at 11 a.m. in the Roseburg Veterans Cemetery for Willard E. Fletcher, 63, who died at the Veterans Hospital Monday.

He was born Feb. 12, 1891, in Edgar, Neb., and was a former resident of Oregon City. He was a member of the Methodist Church and a veteran of World War I.

Surviving are three sisters, Mrs. Grace Bohling, Fullerton, Calif.; Mrs. Bertha McComach, Phoenix, Ariz.; and Mrs. Jessie Hungerford, Sparks, Nev.; three brothers, Carl Fletcher, Oildale, Calif.; Clarence of Meridan, Idaho, and Don of Santa Ana, Calif.

Services Held Today For World War I Vet

Graveside funeral services were held this afternoon at 2 p.m. in the Roseburg Veterans cemetery for Martin van Adams, 66, former resident of Eugene. He died at the Veterans Hospital Monday.

Van Adams was born July 2, 1888, in Kentucky. He was a veteran of World War I.

He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Sarah Wright, Clintwood, Va.; a brother, M. B. Adams, Burdine, Ky.; and a niece, Mrs. M. E. Boogs, Pound, Va.

Worker's Compensation Legislative Problem

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probably will be introduced late next week. This legislation is second in importance only to the issue of raising new taxes.

The committee said its proposed new maximum benefits would make the average annual payment to jobless workers amount to \$329, compared with the present average of \$285.

It said the \$35 maximum doesn't carry out President Eisenhower's recommendation that jobless payments amount to one-half of regular earnings. To do this, it said, would require a \$50 maximum.

The employer payroll taxes, which even now are only about half as large as the amount being paid in benefits, would be increased by several methods, including making the tax apply to the first \$4,200 of a worker's income. This figure now is \$3,000.

By extending coverage to the additional workers, there would be 69,400 employees added to the 330,000 who now are under the act.

While 18,300 employers now are covered, another 20,000 would be added by the committee's proposals.

Woman Burned To Death In Fire Near Coos Bay

It was learned here Tuesday that a former Myrtle Creek woman died as the result of a fire on the second floor of a home at Bunker Hill near Coos Bay Monday.

She was Mrs. Lavinia Smith, who lived many years at Myrtle Creek and raised her family there.

Coos Bay firemen, called by her son, William Ira Smith, 60, found the woman's body in her bed, apparently overcome by smoke. The smoke had not spread downstairs where the son slept, and he said he did not discover the fire until he went upstairs to a kitchen.

Firemen said they had not determined the origin of the fire, which did only minor damage in the bedroom.

Milwaukie Woman Succumbs In Riddle

The body of a Milwaukie, Ore., woman is being taken there Wednesday by Ganz Mortuary of Myrtle Creek.

Mrs. Sarah Ethel Means, 75, died at the home of a brother in Myrtle Monday afternoon.

She was born at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, March 18, 1879, and moved to Coos Bay in 1905. Since 1942, she has lived in Milwaukie.

Mrs. Means was a member of the Church of Christ in Milwaukie.

Survivors include a stepson, Elmer Means of West Linn; two sisters, Mrs. Genevieve Evensen and Mrs. Lulu Miller, both of Chicago; four brothers, J. P. Garnant of Glendale, Calif., Ed of Cedar Rapids, Lou of Everett, Wash., and D. F. of Riddle. Her husband died in 1947.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Peake's Memorial Chapel with vault entombment to follow at Riverview Abbey Mausoleum.

Hospital News

Douglas Community Hospital Admitted

Medical: Mrs. Oceae Woodcock, Ronald, Roseburg; Mrs. Charles S. Nimsic, Dillard; Surgical: Donald R. Wells, Roseburg; Joy Ewing Dobbs, Winston.

Discharged

Mrs. J. Vincent Nordling, Mrs. Stace B. Laurence, Mrs. Floyd Walker, Mrs. Beattie Richardson, John Block, Mrs. Gene Cooksey, Roseburg; Mrs. Howard C. Hart, Mrs. Donald Goodwin, Winston; Rodney Dale Perry, Temmie; Earl Edward Lanning, Sutherlin; Earl Floyd E. Chaney, Oakland.

Mercy Hospital Admitted

Medical: Mrs. Freeman Williams, Mrs. Robert Tjomsland, Franklin Harvey, Mrs. Robert Robland, Roseburg; Arthur Crystal, Sutherlin.

Discharged

Mrs. John Reese, Mrs. Louis Miles, Roseburg; Mrs. Hulen Johnson, Oakland; Mrs. Harrison Stinnett, Mrs. Lloyd Harris and daughter, Joanne Elaine, Sutherlin.

President Hopes To See Cease Fire In Asia

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Nationalists would reject such an idea.

A cease fire in effect would end Chinese Nationalist hopes of ever returning to the mainland.

Eisenhower also told his news conference that Dag Hammarskjold's mission to Peiping in an effort to win release of 11 imprisoned American airmen cannot be regarded as a failure so long as negotiations are continuing.

Senate Republican Leader Knowland (Calif.) has termed the Hammarskjold mission a failure.

While Eisenhower did not go along with Knowland on that, he said emphatically that efforts seeking the release of the airmen imprisoned as 'spies' never can be termed a success until the fliers have been returned to their homeland.

For the first time in history, television and newsreel sound cameras were permitted to record the news conference for possible later public showing. White House aides will check first, however, to determine what is to be released.

Sheppard Denied Release On Bail; Father Passes

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such thing as life imprisonment, but rather indeterminate imprisonment.

Sheppard broke down and cried Tuesday night in county jail when he heard that his father had died.

Two brothers of Dr. Sam, who was convicted of killing his pregnant wife Marilyn, said their father Dr. Richard Sheppard, 64, "lost his will to live" after the suicide of his wife 11 days ago.

Son of a Methodist minister, the elderly doctor was born at Fostoria, Ohio.

After some years of practice in Fayetteville, N.C., and Upper Sandusky, Ohio, Sheppard came to Cleveland about 1923. In 1935 he founded what later became the Bay View Hospital. He was a former president of the National Osteopathic Hospital Assn. and the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons.

The elder Sheppard bore most of the burden of the hospital's surgical work during the more than nine weeks his youngest son was on trial, accused of clubbing his 31-year-old wife to death as she lay in bed July 4. His other sons were at the courthouse daily.

During the trial, which started Oct. 18, the elder doctor became ill. He was in the hospital Dec. 21 when his son was sentenced to life imprisonment.

Property Condemnation Suit Settled By Jury

A property condemnation suit came to a close in circuit court Tuesday afternoon, with the jury returning a verdict after a few minutes of deliberation.

The verdict sets \$5,500, plus interest, just compensation to be paid Arthur R. Weeks and Helen Weeks for property used by the State Highway Commission for re-located Highway 89.

State Pioneers' Daughter Dies

Mrs. Frank (Myra Cynthia) Barager, 83, resident of Douglas County for more than half a century, died at her home on Barager Road, Roseburg, Wednesday morning. She had been ill only a short time.

She was born in Salem April 29, 1871. Her parents were pioneer Oregon settlers who came to the state in 1851. Her father, William Johnston, helped draft the first laws of the state.

Mrs. Barager was married in Salem Dec. 25, 1893. She and her husband celebrated their 51st wedding anniversary in 1954.

They came to Douglas County in 1903. In 1907 they moved to Roseburg.

Mrs. Barager was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Surviving are her husband, Frank, Roseburg; one son, Sylvan B. Barager, Roseburg; four daughters, Mrs. Thomas (Letha) Lillebo, Reedsport; and Mrs. George (Greta) Caskey, Mrs. Alta B. Arthur and Mrs. Paul (Thelma) Caskey, all of Roseburg; one brother, Paul E. Johnston, Albany; nine grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held in the chapel of Long & Orr Mortuary Saturday at 11 a.m. The Rev. Raymond Schaefer of the First Baptist Church will officiate. Interment will follow in the Roseburg Memorial Gardens.

Prisoners Still Hold Guards; Daughter Pleads

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long they amount virtually to life imprisonment—have made only one demand: An automobile to speed them to freedom. They asked Tuesday that Gov. Christian A. Herter send a car but the request was ignored.

A prison chaplain and prison doctor have seen three pistols, and Green claims the rebels have five such weapons.

Principals Assn. Favors Sales Tax

Another Douglas County group, the Elementary Principals Assn., has gone on record in favor of a sales tax earmarked for education.

The action was reported by President Roy Crain of Roseburg following a recent meeting at Oakland.

Most of the meeting was devoted to a discussion on the pilot program of classrooms for mentally retarded children. Mrs. Jessie Baker, special education supervisor in the office of the county school superintendent, led the discussion.

Similar discussion will be continued with Mason McQuiston of the State Dept. of Education at a March 23 meeting at Curtin.

The next meeting of the association will be held at Oakland on Feb. 14 in conjunction with a meeting of the Douglas County Schoolmasters Assn.

Judge Carl Hill Back From Meet

County Judge Carl C. Hill has returned from Salem where he took part in a meeting of the State Board of Forest Conservation.

Most of the meeting dealt with policy, the judge said. The board of five was set up to pass on exchanges of land between the Forest Service and private parties, checking to make sure the rights of the state and counties are protected, especially in regard to taxation matters.

At the meeting this week, the board approved an exchange between the Siuslaw National Forest, supervised by Rex Wakefield, and an individual owner along the Siuslaw River in Lane County.

Exchange of 235 logged-off acres within the forest boundary were traded to the Forest Service, or 80 acres along the coast highway where industrial development is possible.

Besides Judge Hill, members of the board are Gov. Paul Patterson, Tax Commissioner Carl Chambers, State Forester George Spaur and Judge C. K. McCormick of Union County.

District 4 Budget Board To Organize Thursday

School District 4 Budget Board members will hold their first organizational meeting Thursday evening at Central Junior High School.

Supt. M. C. Deller said the session would be general. Members were scheduled to discuss where they should start their work. No details will be studied, Deller said.

The meeting will start at 8 p.m. and is open to the public.

The budget board is composed of the school board members and five other citizens. They are John Todd, Sid Moon, Warren Engdahl, Cliff Collins and Ray Doerner.

Herbert G. Reynolds, 33, Bound Over To Grand Jury

Herbert Glenwood Reynolds, 33, Charleston, was bound over to the grand jury by Judge Warren A. Woodruff at a preliminary hearing in district court at Roseburg.

Reynolds is charged with forgery in connection with passing a check for lodging and cash at a Myrtle Creek motel on June 22, 1954.

Oakland Council Will Meet Next In New City Hall

The Oakland City Council will meet in the new City Hall for the first time Feb. 1.

The decision was reported Tuesday night at a meeting of the Council, according to correspondent Edith Dunn. Mrs. Dunn said the City Hall will not be complete on that date, but it will be far enough along to house the future meetings.

In Tuesday action, James Boyington was re-appointed city treasurer and auditor. Recorder Cal Bowles explained to the new officers ways of handling bills and checks. He announced that bills from the State Legislature will be made available to citizens through the city from now on.

An application was received during the evening for a 10-year garage franchise from M. L. McKinney. No action was taken.

Graveside Rites Set For Infant

Leslie Raymond Kempke, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kempke, Bertha Street, Roseburg, died Tuesday.

He was born Jan. 3, 1955, in Roseburg.

He is survived by his parents, three sisters, four brothers and one grandmother.

Graveside funeral services will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. in the Roseburg Memorial Gardens. Roseburg Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Employees Offering Pay To March Of Dimes Fund

Employees and employers at Commercial Lumber Sales, Inc., Dillard, are joining forces to help the Douglas County March of Dimes campaign.

According to Winston Dillard, MOD chairman, the 60 employees will give the campaign the amount they make by working a Saturday morning at time and one-half pay.

Vance Shugart, general manager of the company, said Wednesday the plan will work in the following fashion. The men will work during a morning the lumber company is not in operation.

The joint effort of management and employees should bring a sizeable sum to the MOD campaign, Shugart said.

Accident Drivers' Names Reversed In News Story

The names of the drivers of two cars which collided in Myrtle Creek Tuesday morning were accidentally reversed in a story appearing in Tuesday's News-Review.

Myrtle Creek city police cited William H. Glampe, Myrtle Creek, for operating his car in the wrong lane of traffic after his vehicle had collided with one driven by Charles B. Wallis, also of Myrtle Creek.

Tuesday's story also stated police had cited Wallis. Actually, only Glampe was cited.

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Friday Services Set For Olalla Resident

William Arnold, 90, longtime resident of Olalla, died Monday following a prolonged illness.

He was born in Germany April 26, 1864. He came to the United States in 1882, where he resided in Kansas until 1890. Arnold moved to Spokane, Wash., next. He came to Oregon in 1901. Arnold lived in Oakland and Yaguna until 1923.

On Aug. 13, 1892, he was married to Bessie Miller, who preceded him in death in 1934.

Arnold was a member of the Lutheran church.

He is survived by four children: Conrad W. Arnold, Mollala; Monroe C. Arnold, Brockway; Mrs. Robert C. (Rhoda) B. Ace, Lone, Wash.; and Miss Helen W. Arnold, Brockway; one brother, Christopher J. Arnold, Thompson Falls, Mont.; and six grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at the Tenmile Methodist Church Friday at 1 p.m. Dr. C. M. Tankersley will officiate. Interment will follow in the Tenmile Cemetery. Long & Orr Mortuary is in charge of arrangements.

North Bend Man Dies After Being Hit By Car

NORTH BEND, Ore. (AP) — Burton F. Klockars, about 50, North Bend, died in a hospital Monday night after being struck by an automobile at a street intersection here.

The driver of the car, Ben Holcomb, former University of Oregon football player and ex-coach of North Bend High School, was not held. Police said it was raining, and visibility was poor at the time.

Planning Commission Studies Street Names

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and west; and boulevards diagonally. Drives would be winding streets, and courts would be dead-end streets.

Numbering of houses would be from the center of the city outward. Numbers would be determined by location of a property owner's lot.

The commission has taken the Lane County Planning Commission's regulations for platting and is adapting to local use.

State law authorizes control of platting by a city in an area extending six miles from its limits. Sanitary, street, drainage, lots and other regulations would be featured in the regulations. County Surveyor Ben Irving, a member of the commission and ex-officio member of the county planning commission, is acting as adviser on the project, along with City Engineer John Loosley.

In the renaming of streets, owners of property along affected streets probably will be contacted for suggestions. A map of the commission's proposals will be published in The News-Review when the program is completed.

Necessity of name changes has been brought by about 50 duplications within the city limits alone. There are, for example, seven First streets, a like number of Second streets and five Third streets.

The result, if approved by the council, is expected to ease the task of finding one's way around the city.

The changes may be made only by adoption of an ordinance by the council and after a public hearing.

Operator Traces Call; Family Of Five Saved

PORTLAND (AP) — Fumes from a closed stove overcame Mrs. Alice Johnson and her five children at her home here Tuesday. She noticed she was becoming ill and tried to call a doctor but collapsed before the call could be completed.

A telephone operator, alerted when the call was not completed, notified police. They arrived in time to revive the Johnsons. None was hospitalized.

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