# 24-Year Resident, Mrs. L. A. Norman, Dies Early Today

Mrs. Lloyd A. (Luella) Norman, 62, resident of this community for the past 24 years, died early this morning at her home on Military Road.

She was born in Colorado on June 14, 1892, and moved with her parents when a small child to Marysville, Kan., where she made her home until her marriage at Marysville on Aug. 21, 1907, to Lloyd A. Norman. She had lived in Washington until 1927 at which time she moved to California, moving to Coos Bay in 1929 and coming to Roseburg in the fall of 1930.

Surviving besides her husband are three children, Richard Thomas Norman and James Lloyd Norman, both of Roseburg and Mrs. Lawrence (Hazel) Ice, Camas Valley; three brothers, Robert Lockhart, Hillsboro, William Lockhart, Leodere, Idaho, and Fred Lockhart, Beaverdell, B. C., Canada; five grandchilren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Long & Orr Mortuary, Saturday, March 26, at 10:30 a.m., with the Rev. Alfred S. Tyson, rector of St. George's Episcopal Church, officiating. Concluding services and interment will follow in the Civil Bend Cemetery at Winston.

# 6 Aliens Enroll In Adult Class Started Here

Six aliens enrolled in the Adult Education class in Constitution and Government Wednesday evening. It takes 12 persons to make an AE class possible.

Director Richard Boss said Thursday the class could be held if "some civic organization could see its way clear to make up the difference."

Registration fee in the class is $7.50 per person. The director said there was a need for it in the area, but added the AE program couldn't go in the hole.

"These people want the class," he stressed.

Boss may be contacted at the AE office at Roseburg High School, telephone OR 3-5152.

A new AE class will be offered tonight. It is tailoring in the home. It meets from 7 to 10 p.m. in Room LA7 at Roseburg High School. Virley Harrison is instructor.

# Hospital News

**Forest Glen Hospital, Canyonville**
**Admitted**

**Surgery:** Floyd Kent, Canyonville; Mrs. Mary Kelly, Azalea; Vernon Gunby, Donnell Tunney, Tiller; Mrs. Merle Nugent, John Serge, Myrtle Creek; Herbert Goodwin, Sitkum.

**Medical:** Lois Longland, Tolitha Box, Mrs. John Lytsell, Timothy Smith, Deborah Wilson, Mrs. Roy Osborne, Mrs. Myrtle Stokes, Donna Vitatoe, Clyde Jones, Myrtle Creek; Charles Pope, Azalea; Mrs. John Barnes, Leonard Abbott, Canyonville; Eal Wertman, Mrs. Arthur Nichols, Milo; Mrs. Darrell Carter, Riddle.

**Douglas Community Hospital**
**Admitted**

**Surgery:** — Mrs. Roland Valez, Roseburg; John Black, Myrtle Creek.

**Medical:** Walter Cox. Mrs. Foster Butner, Mrs. Kenneth Garey, Cheryl Huden, Edythe Florence Kelley, Roseburg; Merrill Parks, Glide; Mrs. Lyndon Lengele, Winston.

**Discharged**

Henry Simmons, Mrs. Arthur Nelson, Mrs. Cecil Schulze, Russell Curry, Mrs. William Smith, Major Moore, Thomas McWilliams, Robert Guy, Mrs. Dale Mode, Mary Andrus, Mrs. George Rice, Roseburg; James Welch, Glide; Rock Robison, Idleyld Park.

**Mercy Hospital**
**Admitted**

**Surgery:** Christopher Sherman, Phillip Rockwell, Roseburg.

**Medical:** Mrs. Earl West, Roseburg; Mrs. Herbert Osaki, Arthur Wuthrich, Sutherlin.

**Discharged**

Thomas Swingen, Mrs. Joe Strickling and son, Patrick Leland, Roseburg; Mrs. Henry Lemke, Sutherlin; Mrs. Robert Fullmer and son, William Paul, Oakland.

# Vital Statistics

**Marriage License**

CRENSHAW-COUCH — James E. Crenshaw, Days Creek, and Peggy Pauline Couch, Milo.

**Grants Pass License**

COUCH-TOMPKINS Jack Leon Couch, Milo, and Edna Louise Tompkins, Provolt.

**Divorce Suit Filed**

CRUMAL — Donna vs. Richard Crumal. Married Feb. 27, 1954, at Eugene. Cruelty charged Plaintiff asks custody and $50 monthly support for one minor child.

**LEGISLATORS' GUARANTEE**

SALEM (AP) — Rep. Gust Anderson, Portland, introduced a bill providing that persons who serve in the Legislature must be given leaves of absence by their employers. The employers also would not be allowed to take away any privileges of their employe-legislators

# Flames Destroy Home; Add To Misfortunes

Quick-witted neighbors helped Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brooks, Henderer Road, Elkton, remove household and personal belongings as fire ate its way down from the attic of their home Monday afternoon.

News - Review Correspondent Mrs. C. F. Kruger said the good samaritans also managed to keep the blaze partially subdued until firemen arrived. The home was consumed by the fire.

Mrs. Kruger said firemen were unable to get the motor of the first truck started after it arrived. This prevented pumping of water. The fire was out of control by the time a second truck reached the Brooks home, according to the correspondent.

The fire was one of a series of misfortunes which has plagued the Brooks family recently. Mrs. Kruger said their son Jack spent several weeks in a Portland hospital. After he returned home, most of the family caught the measles. Another child, Esta, underwent surgery a few months ago

# Dogs Kill Nine Sheep Near Elkton

Killer dogs invaded the sheep range of C. G. and C. W. Henderer near Elkton earlier this week destroying nine ewes and lambs.

They chewed up several others, reports News-Review correspondent Mrs. C. F. Kruger. The correspondent said several sheep may have drowned in the Umpqua River.

The Henderers found around 100 sheep huddled on the river's edge Monday morning when they discovered the slaughter.

Douglas County Dog Control officer Frank Stringer investigated the matter. He said it was not the first time dogs had bothered sheep in that area. The Henderers run about 200 ewes on their 450 acre ranch.

One lamb was found across the river. Stringer said it was doubtful if a ewe with a heavy fleece could swim the 125 yard river which is quite swift now.

No positive clues could be found to estimate the size and kind of dogs which attacked the sheep, Mrs. Kruger added.

## Police Arrest Mechanic For Hub Cap Larceny

PORTLAND (AP) —Police arrested two youths after an attempted burglary at a hardware store Wednesday.

Detectives said they recovered $3,190 in American Express money orders from a motel room, where they arrested LeRoy S. Manning, 18. The money orders had been stolen at Salt Lake City, police said.

They said another $2,330 worth of the stolen orders had been cashed or lost.

An alarm sounded when someone tried to break into the hardware store. Police arrested Paul Erickson, about 20, near the scene, and later nabbed Manning at the motel where the two had been staying.

Salt Lake City police were notified, and the youths were booked here for attempted burglary.

## Highway Accidents Aren't Only Ones To Concern Us

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ganizations such as PTAs, Boy Scouts, Jaycees. the member organizations then do the work of correcting them.

The local safety organization has already begun ferreting out dangerous objects and situations in Roseburg. Secretary Irv Reierson listed no less than 10 he and City Building Inspector C. H. Boniols had discovered in a cursory survey of parts of the city. "The farther you look the more you find," he said.

The organization of the new safety council gained new impetus with the naming of 11 Roseburg citizens to serve on a board of directors. President Bill Unrath listed the following:

Del McKay, radio announcer; Robert G. Davis, lawyer and member of the Governor's Safety Committee; Joseph A. C. Haystead, state policeman; W. E. (Dutch) Mills, fire chief; Charles Noble, rural fire chief; Sgt. Vernon Murdock, Roseburg city policeman, Mrs. Kenneth Bushey, PTA representative; the Rev. Kenneth Dooley, president of the Roseburg Ministerial Assn.; Don Hagedorn, state regional vice president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce; R. R. Brand, principal of Joseph Lane Junior High; and Mrs. Tom McWilliams, housewife.

This board with officers of the council will meet the third Wednesday of each month. General meeting day is the fourth Wednesday.

**WANTS RICHER MILK**

SALEM (AP) — Two new legislative bills would provide for richer milk.

Reps. Elmer Deetz, Canby, and Thomas R. McClellan, Neotsu, introduced a bill to provide minimum 4 per cent butterfat for all milk sold at retail.

Rep. Joe Rogers, Independence, sponsored a bill for 3.8 per cent.

The minimum now is 3.5 per cent.

ANNOUNCING the OPENING of
VONNIE'S
ALTERATION SHOP
FRIDAY-MARCH 25
Rear of Story-Iles Confectionery
HOURS: 1-5 p.m. 316 N. Jackson

# Dixonville Vacationers Return Home

By JEAN RADCLIFFE

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Foster and boys returned Saturday evening from a trip to Portland during the spring vacation week. Foster attended the OEA conference there. They also were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Weneric in Weslyn, Ore.

**See California Kin**

Mr. and Mrs. William Zimmerman and children traveled down into California during the spring vacation week. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira King and family in Fortuna, and also visited Mrs. Zimmerman's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Wright, and children in Eureka.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Broadwater and children drove to Sheridan last Friday where they were guests of Mrs. Broadwater's uncle, Mr. Scott Richardson. Charles Broadwater of McMinnville was also a guest in the Richardson home. The Broadwaters are brothers.

Mrs. Clyde Kester and daughter, Lorene, and Mrs. Oscar Revell drove to Eugene last Tuesday where they shopped.

Harry Collison Jr., was confined to his home last week on account of sickness. The Zimmerman children, Billy, Karen and Wanda, are all on the sick list with severe colds. Ken Swinford was also confined to his home last week with a bad cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCormack and family, and Mrs. A. E. McCormack drove to Myrtle Creek last Friday evening. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McCormack and daughter. Mrs. A. E. McCormack remained in Myrtle Creek for a week's visit.

# Korea Conditions And YMCA Work Told At Meeting

Conditions in Korea and what the YMCA is doing there were told Wednesday night by William P. Coston, world service secretary, at a meeting at the Hotel Umpqua.

With insight that only personal observation can bring, Coston revealed the efforts of the Y and other agencies in helping the Koreans to help themselves to establish grassroots democracy.

The YMCA movement, in Korea for many years, is gradually becoming the people's own movement, the speaker pointed out. It has been promoted with small amounts of money over a long period of time.

The Y develops programs where they are needed most, in agriculture, vocational training for youth, and so forth. There are more than 200,000 orphans in the land. Vocational training is especially important because all regular schools are operated on a tuition basis.

Coston related intimate details in the life of President Syngman Rhee, who was national secretary for the YMCA when he was a young man. Tied up with Korea's fight for freedom, Coston said the Y movement was greatly hampered during the Jananese occupation. At the time, only one group remained in Seoul. Now there are 24 associations and 10,000 members.

Coston recently returned from three years work in that country where he handled various jobs.

Earlier in the meeting, Roseburg YMCA workers reported the membership drive fund has now passed $1,000. The goal is $1,500.

# U. S. Helicopter Pilot Returned

STUTTGART, Germany (AP) —The Russians Thursday returned a U.S. Army helicopter pilot and a German national who made a forced landing behind the Iron Curtain a week ago.

The two were turned over to U.S. officers at an isolated spot on the East German border, 20 miles northeast of Bad Neustadt, Bavaria.

They were 1st Lt. Lewis E. Jacquay of Ft. Wayne, Ind., and his passenger, Horst Kuehn, a member of a German labor service unit atached to the U.S. Army.

Jacquay was flown immediately to Stuttgart, where he was reunited with his wife, Sharon, who is expecting a baby within a few days. The Jacquays have a 3-year-old son.

Both Jacquay and Kuehn appeared in good health, an Army spokesman said.

Their two-place H13 helicopter went down in a field a few miles inside East Germany last Thursday afternoon. The Army said they apparently became lost in snow squalls and were blown across the border by strong winds.

## Dr. Galbraith Committed For Mental Observation

MCALESTER, Okla. (AP) — District Judge W. A. Lackey Thursday committed Dr. Ben T. Galbraith, confessed slayer of his wife and three children, to Eastern State Hospital at Vinita, Okla., for 90 days observation.

Lackey made his ruling after an associate of the 34-year-old physician, Dr. Charles Holland, testified he had known Galbraith since June 1949 and at one time he lapsed into a maniacal state.

Holland testified at a hearing on a committal order that "before this week I think he knew right from wrong."

**ASSAULT AND BATTERY**

Earl Harrison Bartley, 27, CV Rt. Box 274B, Wednesday pleaded guilty before Justice of the Peace Ward Watson, Sutherlin, to assault and battery. He was fined $25. State police arrested Bartley Tuesday.

# Rev. P. Weaver, Boise Pastor, Guest Speaker

REV. PAUL WEAVER
. . .home again

The Rev. Paul A. Weaver, a former Roseburg resident and now pastor of the Boise, Idaho Church of the Nazarene, is the guest speaker at a series of pre-Easter evangelistic meetings presently being conducted at the First Church of the Nazarene, Roseburg.

The Rev. Mr. Weaver is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Weaver, 1631 Grandview Ave., Roseburg, and was a member of the 1942 graduating class of Roseburg High School. The Rev. Mr. Weaver took his theological training at Northwest Nazarene College in Nampa, Idaho, and since that time has served as a pastor and evangelist for the Church of the Nazarene.

He is currently completing his second year with the Boise Church. Work is to begin this spring on a new church edifice to accommodate his growing congregation.

Accompanying the Rev. Mr. Weaver are his wife and two children. Mrs. Weaver is the former Doris Hill, daughgter of the Rev. and Mrs. Forrest Hill, former pastors of the Roseburg congregation of the church for nine years. She will be in charge of some special children's work during the meeting.

Meetings will continue nightly except Monday at 7:30 p.m. through next week, according to the Rev. Robert Hempel, present minister of the church. He extends an invitation to residents of Roseburg and surrounding communities to attend any or all of the meetings.

# Adams Claims He Didn't Have Facts On Peress Case

By G. MILTON KELLY

WASHINGTON (AP) — Army Counselor John G. Adams testified Thursday "I had the last clear chance to close the door and didn't do it" to block an honorable discharge for Maj. Irving Peress.

But he said that had he then known all the facts "the man undoubtedly would have been court martialed."

Adams said one reason he did not have more facts at the time Peress was discharged in February 1954 was that Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis) had declined since the previous November to let the Army have transcripts of closed hearings by the Senate investigations subcommittee.

McCarthy angrily disputed this testimony by Adams in the subcommittee's new attempt to determine how it was that Peress was advanced from captain to major and given an honorable discharge after the Army had decided Peress was a security risk.

McCarthy told Adams, "Let's get the record straight." He said the Army had been advised in November that it would have to pay thereafter for the transcripts.

"No," said Adams, "Let's get the record straight. It was not a question of dollars. You were angry at us and wouldn't give us" the record of the closed hearings.

McCarthy asked him if it were not a fact that Adams had been told the Army would have to pay for the transcripts and Adams had said he would take it up with Stevens.

"I am sorry, senator, that is not the fact," Adams replied.

# Circuit Court

**Complaints Filed**

John W. Purvis, executor of estate of Mildred Schulte, vs. Kenneth M. and Mary A. Kent. Suit to recover $1,500 claimed due on promissory note.

John W. Purvis, executor of estate of Mildred Schulte, vs. Frank and Ruth White. Suit to recover $1,500 claimed due on promissory note.

**Judgments and Decrees**

State Industrial Accident Commission vs. John Charles Flory and LaVern Lyle Lehman, doing business as L.C.M. Logging Co. Plaintiff awarded judgment of $503.75 due SIAC fund and decree declaring lien on personal property.

State Inustrial Accident Commission vs. John Charles Flory and LaVern Lyle Lehman, doing business as L.C.M. Logging Co. Plaintiff awarded judgment of $115.20 due SIAC fund and decree declaring lien on personal property.

**Verdict**

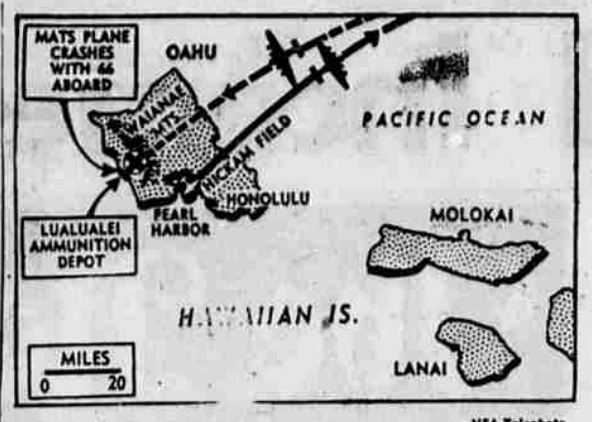
Harley A. Brown vs. David A. Goodman. Jury found for defendant.

## Burglars Unsuccessful In Safe Breaking Attempt

An attempted burglary of a safe at Barcus Sales & Service, 1900 N. Stephens St., Roseburg, is being investigated by state police.

Officers said burglars jimmied the face of a small floor safe in the service station. They termed it "an amateur job."

The attempt occurred sometime between 10 p.m. Tuesday and 7 a.m. Wednesday, officers said.




—NEA Telephoto

**66 LOST AS PLANE HITS MOUNTAIN**—Newsmap indicates where a four-engine Military Air Transport Service plane, a Navy version of the DC-6, crashed and burned on the Island Oahu, carrying 66 persons to death in Hawaii's worst air disaster. Bound for Travis Air Force Base, Cal. (heavy black line), the plane apparently encountered trouble, returned to the islands and crashed on the slopes of the Waianae Mountains, near top-secret Lualualei Ammunition Depot.

**HAWAIIAN PLANE CRASH KILLS 66**—Smoke billows from the shattered wreckage of a military air transport plane which crashed into a mountain top near Honolulu Mar. 22 killing 66 persons aboard. The four-engined plane had taken off from Hickam Field a short time before, but had turned back to make repairs to its radio, when it hit the mountain. (AP Wirephoto Via Radio From Honolulu).

## Increased Income Taxes Proposed By Committee

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those with outside income file estimates on their income tax.

A surprise was the committee's assumption that it could get an extra $1,000,000 from an unexpended 1953 appropriation to begin construction of the new state reformatory north of Salem.

Rep. Loran L. Stewart Cottage Grove, committee chairman, said he believes the institution won't be built. The Board of Control has asked the Ways and Means Committee for additional money for the project.

Here are the present and proposed income tax rates:

First $500 of taxable income, 2 per cent and 2 per cent; next $500, 3 and 4; $1,000-$2,000, 4 and 5; $2,000-$3,000, 5 and 6; $3,000-$4,000, 6 and 7; $4,000-$5,000, 7 and 7; $5,000-$6,000, 7 and 7; $6,000-$7,000, 7 and 8; over 7,000, 8 and 8.

Before the committee reached its decision, it voted down several plans.

Stewart predicted that if the House accepts the program, it probably will be changed by the Senate. The House probably will vote on it in a week or two.

Tom said that under present tax rates, persons earning less than $5,000 a year pay 23.94 per cent of all income taxes, while his bill would increase this to 26.26 per cent.

Those earning $5,000 to $10,000 would have their share upped from 36.81 to 38.95 per cent, and those in the $10,000-$20,000 group would be cut from 14.94 to 14.48 per cent.

Those earning more than $20,000 a year would have their share of the total tax load cut slightly, because the percentage increase would be smaller than those in the lower brackets.

## Ex-Con's Arrest May Clear Eight Burglaries

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son, Ross returned to Eugene, and since has been under suspicion, though not arrest, of burglary.

With Ross' arrest here Wednesday, though, the eight Roseburg and two Medford burglaries apparently were believed cleared, police said.

The eight firms said burglarized here were: Henninger's Market (only Tuesday night), Montgomery Ward warehouse, Nelson & Pyle Woodworking, Si Dillard's, Beaver Food Service, Fisk Tire Co., Douglas Painting Co., Dixie Dog Drive-in.

Small amounts of money were obtained in most, with $150 loss to Beaver Food Service being the largest. The Wednesday morning burglary in Medford netted $400, Olson said.

Admission of the burglaries was drawn from Ross by Medford police after Roseburg police questioned him for three hours Wednesday, failing to obtain any information.

Olson said all the money allegedly obtained in the Medford burglary was found on Ross' person when he was arrested here.

# Eva May Weston Of Glide Passes

Eva May Weston, 63, resident of Glide, died March 23 at a Roseburg hospital. She was born March 21, 1892, in Plattsmouth, Neb., and came to Oregon in 1947. She had lived in Springfield before coming to this community three years ago.

She was married to John B. Weston in October of 1910 in Norfolk, Neb. He preceded her in death on Oct. 29, 1945.

She was a member of the Christian Church and of the Royal Neighbors of Springfield.

Surviving are her daughter, Mrs. J. O. (Opal) Lynch, Glide; three sisters, Mrs. Oscar Berge, Mrs. Carrie Gregg and Mrs. Gertrude Tincher, all of Sioux City; two brothers, Lester and John Hitt, Sioux City; four grandsons and one great-grandson.

Funeral services will be held in The Chapel of the Roses, Roseburg Funeral Home, Saturday, March 26, at 11 a.m. Capt. Del Baker of the Salvation Army will officiate. Interment will follow in the Oak Creek Cemetery.

## Roseburg City Budget Is Now Being Prepared

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ed to simplify mailings from the city.

A $4,500 item is for the revision of city ordinances, an action planned in the City Council for some time. Farrell said most of the outlay would be for legal aid in weeding out obsolete laws and consolidating others.

A city expense left out of the present budget after defeat of a prior proposed budget last spring is for mosquito control. This year, a request of $556 for control is made by C. H. Boniols, city building inspector.

Forty thousand dollars is asked for construction of storm sewers next summer in the Cloake's Ferry and Maple Street areas. Farrell said a bad drainage situation exists in those parts of West Roseburg. If approved, the outlay would fit in with a citywide sewer program now under study by the city Council.

The proposed expenditures haven't been presented to the Budget Committee yet, but the committee is expected to start its study of the budget probably early in April.

## Tenmile Infant Dies In Portland Hospital

Ralph George Swift Jr., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Swift Sr., Brockway, died Wednesday, in the Doernbecher Hospital, Portland. He was born Feb. 4, 1955 in Winston.

Surviving besides his parents are a sister, Nancy, Brockway; his grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cook, Port Orford; Mrs. Vera Cassett, Los Angeles, and W. R. Swift, Brockway.

Graveside funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. in the Tenmile Cemetery. The Chapel of the Roses, Roseburg Funeral Home, is in charge of the arrangements.

## Many Problems Before Legislature Related

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good, solid reasons why no measure should be cut."

He had some comments concerning state assistance to the welfare program. The forthright representative said there "needs to be much correction." He said Sen. George Ulett, Coos Bay, was preparing some stronger laws to help the welfare program. One would apply to "runaway fathers." It calls for a five year prison term for them.

In answer to a question from an audience member concerning the merit of such a sentence, Rep. Giesy made what he termed a "brutally frank" statement. "Fathers in prison would prevent more persons being added to welfare rolls."

In some counties it was easier to be on welfare than work, he continued. As an example, he cited Multnomah County where "a family on welfare with six children receives $239, plus rent."

Rep. Giesy urged his audience to start getting ready for the 1956 campaign. He told the young GOPers that in their hands rested the power to develop the Republican prrty in 1956.

"The (Democratic) torrent of '54 will seem a gentle rivulet to the '56 campaign waged by (Sens) Morse and Neuberger," he declared. "We will be fighting demogogery. . .and we must get off our haunches!"

He was introduced to the group meeting at the Roseburg Woman's Club by Robert Grant.

# Mendez Arrives, Works With Band; Luggage Delayed

Trumpet playing Rafael Mendez arrived in Roseburg Wednesday at 6:19 p.m.

And, some 12 hours before he was scheduled to start working with band students in District 4, the famed musician was out in the high school band room rehearsing with them.

"I never saw anyone take a group of kids by storm the way he did," reported Chuck Ricketts, a longtime band booster himself. Mendez worked with the students for about two hours.

Friday at 8 p.m. he will appear in a public concert with them at the high school gymnasium. Unless the airlines comes to his rescue, the musician may be wearing one of the school band uniforms. His luggage remained in San Francisco. He flew in from Los Angeles.

He is an experienced traveller, Ricketts pointed out. He'd carried his trumpet case (with trumpet) and his shaving kit with him.

Mendez lost little time in starting to work with band members. Band director Tom Hall said he took up his trumpet "started at low F sharp, went up chromatically about three octaves to the highest of F sharps and then announced he was ready." Hall termed the playing "fantastic for a trumpet."

General admission and reserve tickets to the Mendez concert Friday night are still available. They may be purchased at Harmony House, Record Music Store, Ott & Ricketts Music Shop and at the door. Reserve tickets are available at Ott & Ricketts and at the door.

## Days Creek Methodists Plan To Incorporate

By JEAN YODER

Membtrs of the Days Creek Community Methodist Church, at fourth quarterly conference Sunday, authorized trustee Tom Epping to plan incorporation of the church under that name. Present at the meeting was Rev. Meredith Groves, district superintendent, who gave the sermon at the morning worship service.

Conferance reports were heard by those attending, following a potluck dinner in the church basement. The report of the nominating committee was approved, placing Robert Falley in the position of Sunday School superintendent.

**Talent Show Friday**

The Days Creek PTA is sponsoring its second annual talent show, at the Days Creek School, March 25, at 8 p.m. The Days Creek School band will play preliminary music beginning at 7:30. Contestants will be from the Days Creek-Tiller area.

Lowell Rhoden of Roseburg will be master of ceremonies for the evening. Fourteen different acts are scheduled. There will also be a door prize, and a concession operated by the Band Parents Assn. to raise money for the bass horn. Admission to the talent show is by donation.

## Students From Douglas Receive Offices At OSC

Three Oregon State College students from Douglas County have been honored in elections at Oregon State College.

Janet Harpham, junior in education, Roseburg, is the new president of Heather Rae, one of five women's cooperative houses and Donna Henry, sophomore in lower division of liberal arts, Glide, has been chosen second vice-president of Delta Zeta. William Strader, junior in science, Glide, was elected president of Masque and Dagger, honor society at OSC for persons active in dramatics.

# Collins Admits Louisville, Ky., Killing To FBI

TACOMA (AP) — After two days of steadfast denials, Harvey John Collins did an about-face Wednesday and told police and the FBI he killed a Louisville, Ky., housewife near Ft. Knox, Ky., in 1953.

Held for the fatal stabbing Monday night of a Tacoma motelman and the February killing of a service station operator, the World War II Marine hero and former Army captain confessed to slaying Mrs. Edna Iona Hall, 37-year-old mother of five children, and leaving her in a foxhole near Ft. Knox May 15, 1953.

"I'm okay now. No troubles," Collins said after confessing to police and FBI agents.

Collins was arrested here Monday night a few hours after Andrew Stolen, 74, was stabbed to death and his wife, Anna, 67, critically wounded during a holdup attempt at Stolen's motel.

He readily admitted the slaying and later confessed he shot and killed Edward Morely, a service station operator, in a holdup Feb. 7.

During questioning about the two killings Collins told police he had been interrogated and cleared in Mrs. Hall's death. For two days he denied any connection with it.

Police said he changed his story Wednesday, however, and dictated a confession to the Hall killing, giving these details:

A captain in the Army artillery, he was stationed at Ft. Knox in 1953. On the night of May 15 that year he met Mrs. Hall at a roadhouse, had a fight with her escort and offered to take her home.

En route they stopped on a little-used road near Ft. Knox, Collins said, and he tried to make love to her but was rebuffed.

He said he lost his temper, struck her knocking her from the automobile, hit her again and stabbed her in the head with a screwdriver.

Collins said he picked the woman up and put her in the car, then had to stop a passing auto to request help in moving his own machine which had stuck in the sand.

Mrs. Hall was alive then and still showed signs of life when he put her in a foxhole near Ft. Knox and covered her with sheet metal and dirt, Collins said. The body was found eight months later.

Collins said he returned to his quarters at Ft. Knox and burned his clothing in a furnace.

Collins said FBI agents questioned him but he was cleared when friends of Mrs. Hall told of seeing her alive after the night of the killing.

Collins has been charged with first degree murder in the Stolen killing. Police said they believed he will be kept here for trial and will not be returned to Kentucky.

## Sanity Hearing Ordered For Motel Man's Slayer

TACOMA (AP)—A sanity test was ordered Wednesday for a husky, 29-year-old dairy worker who slashed a motel operator to death with a samurai sword and killed a service station owner with a foreign-make pistol.

Prosecutor John J. O'Connell assigned two Tacoma psychiatrists to examine Harvey John Collins of nearby Puyallup, who freely admits the two slayings in this area.

O'Connell said he plans to file a holding charge against Collins in Justice Court probably Thursday, and depending on the outcome of the mental examination will follow that with formal first degree murder charges in Superior Court.

## Ellison Fined On Count Of Reckless Driving

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business houses near Roseburg. Richmond admitted the acts Wednesday in circuit court.

Judge Wimberly socred the business houses for purchasing the parts for a total of $70, saying that the purchasers should have suspected the parts were stolen since they were sold so cheaply.

The judge also lectured Richmond. He told the prisoner that he was being spared from being sent directly to the penitentiary only because it was but his first conviction on a felony and because he should be at home supporting his wife and small child.

## Ellsworth Will Attend Lookout Dam Dediction

PORTLAND (AP) — Rep. Ellsworth (R-Ore) has sent word that he will attend the dedication of the Army Engineers' 89 million dollar Lookout Point Dam project June 25.

Also on hand will be Gov. Paul Patterson and George H. Roderick, assistant secretary of the Army.

Lookout Point Dam is on the middle fork of the Willamette River 23 miles southeast of Eugene.

# Local News

**Concert Correction** — The Mendez public conert will be held as a band benefit Friday at 8 p.m. at the new Senior High Gym, instead of Thursday night as stated in Wednesday's social calendar.

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