

Community News Items

Back From Trip — Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Grubbe have returned to their home in Roseburg, following a trip to Reno and to San Diego to visit their daughters.

Return Home — Mr. and Mrs. Jack Toi are back in their home in Roseburg, following a trip to California, where they were called by the death of the latter's father.

Visit Here — Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mehroff and children, Patsy and Scott, of Mason City, Ia., spent the last week in Roseburg visiting relatives and friends including Mrs. Mehroff's grandmother, Mrs. Trissie Hamm, and his aunt, Florence Van Blaricom.

Return Home — Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Amiot of Roseburg spent the weekend in California and were met by their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Loring, and three children, Stephanie, Mark and Shannon, of Sacramento. They were accompanied home by Mark and Shannon, who will spend a part of their vacation here.

Convalescing — Mrs. J. L. Cauthorn, wife of the president of the San Francisco News, has been discharged from St. Luke's Hospital in San Francisco and is reported to be convalescing satisfactorily at her home at Willard Penthouse, 1611 Ellis St., San Francisco. Mrs. Cauthorn is the former Beulah Jewett of Roseburg.

Visits In Roseburg — Gerald Young of Los Angeles stopped over the weekend in Roseburg to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin G. Young, and his son, Jed, who is here with his paternal grandparents for the summer. Mr. Young left yesterday for Seattle to attend to business. He formerly resided here.

Arrives From Ashland — L. E. Stennett of Ashland has arrived in Roseburg to help his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Watkins, who have both been discharged from Douglas Community Hospital, where they were medical patients. Mr. Watkins is convalescing from pneumonia and Mrs. Watkins from influenza.

Leaves Sunday — Mrs. Paul Dalley left Sunday for California upon receiving a call Saturday from her son, Jerry Brandt, ET/C in the U.S. Navy that his ship would be docking at Treasure Island, the first of this week. She planned on visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dunlap, at Walnut Creek, Calif., Sunday evening and going on to San Francisco Monday to meet Jerry. He has been in Korea the last year.

Attend Conference — Miss Clara Hasbargen, Miss Sharon Fiksdal, Tom Perkey and Herbert and John Sylwester of Roseburg returned here Sunday, following a trip to Portland to attend the special officers conference held at Concordia College. The five are officers of the Walther League youth group of St. Paul's Lutheran Church. Officers from Walther League societies throughout the Pacific Northwest attended the two-day conference. District and international Walther League officers led discussions and conducted the various work-shops.

Visit At Richey Home — Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Richey, who reside on Leland Avenue in Roseburg, have enjoyed a visit with a number of Mrs. Richey's sisters and old friends during the last week. The visitors, who left Monday for their homes, included Mrs. Richey's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Krshka, and friend Mrs. Fern Matthews, of Luna, Ida.; her sisters, Mrs. W. L. Saunders of Burbank, Calif.; Mrs. Zona Severin of Yreka, Calif.; and Mrs. J. E. Stockton, of Sacramento, Calif.; childhood friends, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Atchley and Mrs. Mildred Hambley of Spokane. Joining them for a reunion dinner were the Richey's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Richey Jr., and children, Bruce and Becky, of Brockway.

Busheys Home — Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bushey have returned to their home in Roseburg, following several days at coastal points.

Go To Portland — Mrs. Maurice L. Hallmark and children, Joe and Maureen, are spending several days in Portland visiting relatives and friends.

Visits Family — John Perkins, who is entering business in Redding, Calif., spent the weekend here with his family on Hawthorne Drive.

Visiting In Portland — Jimmy Richmond, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Richmond of Roseburg, is spending a week in Portland visiting his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gordon Clark.

Visit In Canby — Mrs. Clarence Boe and son spent the weekend visiting relatives in Canby, while the Boe's daughters took part in the Rose Festival parade as members of the Roseburg Drum Corps.

Visit In Eugene — Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Young and daughter, Brooke, and son, Bernie, have returned to their home in Westmoreland following the weekend in Eugene visiting Mrs. Young's parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Buchanan.

Visit In Eugene — Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Walton and three children and Mrs. Robert Moores of Roseburg recently went to Eugene to meet an aunt of Mrs. Walton and Mrs. Moores, who was from the east and was en route south on a trip.

Attend Tournament Play — Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Patterson, Mrs. Harry Hildeburn and Doyle Presnell of Roseburg took part in the recent duplicate bridge tournament play in Eugene. Mrs. Hildeburn and Mr. Presnell won high for the evening's play.

Return Home — Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Miller Jr., and children have returned to their home in Vancouver, Wash., following three days in Roseburg as the guests of the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cummins, and family.

Back From Trip — Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bryan have returned to their home in Roseburg, following a three weeks trip to Oklahoma, where they attended graduation exercises for a son and college commencement exercises for another son.

Leave For New York — Miss Janet Harpham, who will be a senior next fall at Oregon State College, spent the weekend here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Harpham, and left Monday for New York, where she will spend the summer at the Trail Blazers Camp at Fort Jervis.

Go To Convention — The Rev. Walter A. Sylwester, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, and Herbert Tschner of Roseburg have left for Portland to attend the 38th convention of the Northwest District of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, being held Monday through Friday.

Hardings Go To Portland — Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harding of Roseburg attended a meeting in Eugene the first of the week and went on to Portland to visit the latter's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. Ernest Butler, at the Heathman Hotel. Mrs. Butler is convalescing from a recent serious major operation.

Mrs. Rogan Back — Cora Rogan returned to her work in the advertising department of the News-Review Monday, following three weeks vacationing. She made the trip to the east coast and back by plane. She visited relatives and friends in Philadelphia and Harrisburg, Pa., and in New York City and Brooklyn, N.Y. A reunion of all of her brothers and sisters was held for the first time since they were children.

Leaving On Trip — Mrs. J. E. Johnson left today for Portland to board a plane for Detroit, Mich., to see her grandson graduate and to visit her son, Dale McCauley, and her daughter, Mrs. W. O. Bantz. She will later go to Minden, Ia., to visit a daughter, Mrs. Elmer Dollen, and with an aunt in North Platte, Nebr., Mrs. Jennie McCracken. She plans to visit in Cheyenne, Wyo., with a brother, Guy Hough, and family, and with friends, Mr. and Mrs. William Whitaker. She expects to be gone a month.

Returning From Medford — Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lockwood are returning to their home on Overlook this evening, following a three-day stay in Medford on business and visiting friends.

Arrives From Portland — Mrs. Harvey Fisher of Portland, arrived in Roseburg Monday to visit her mother, Mrs. George E. Houck. Her husband went on to coast points to attend to business and will join her later in the week.

Receiving Treatment — A. B. Collier, who recently underwent major surgery at Sacred Heart Hospital and then returned here to convalesce at his home, has returned to the hospital for further medical treatment.

Vedders To Build Myrtle Creek Center

By ERMA BEST

Fred Vedder of Myrtle Creek and his son, Fred Vedder, who operates Vedder's Market in Riddle, have purchased 4 acres from the Riddle Manufacturing Co., adjoining the Old Hotel Trailer Court for the purpose of building a shopping center. Plans are under way for a market 80 by 100 feet of block construction with other buildings to be added later.

Boys Business — James F. Carrell, well known Riddle logging operator, has bought the P. E. Morrison Sand and Gravel Co., taking over operation last week. Morrison will continue to do general hauling.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lilly left Sunday for Pasadena, Calif., where they will visit at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Victor.

Recent guests at the Melvin Agee home were Mrs. Agee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Hart and her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hart of Albany, Calif. They were accompanied by Carroll Hart's boyhood friend, Charles Ott and his German boy of a year. Mrs. Ott has been in the states only 8 months and finds much to interest her in each new place she visits.

Donald Addis left Sunday for Escatawa where he has a job with the Morrison-Knudsen Construction Co.

Mayor On Vacation — Mayor G. J. Aspey left Friday to spend a week vacationing at Kilton Springs near Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hevey returned Sunday from La Grande where they spent a week visiting friends.

Mrs. J. E. Fisher and two daughters are visiting Mrs. N. L. Addis at the Old Hotel Trailer Court. Mr. and Mrs. Milton C. Hoff went to Arcata, Calif., to be present at the services when their long time friends, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Wares, were confirmed in the Episcopal Church. They drove down Friday returning Sunday.

Salem Man Heads Council Of Lions

PENDLETON — Harry W. Scott of Salem will take office here Tuesday as chairman of the Oregon state Lions Council.

He was named Saturday night to succeed Ray Jeub, Coquille. More than 1,000 Lions and members of the women's auxiliary had registered Monday for the three-day state convention which opened Sunday. Another 300 were expected before the meeting ends.

Scott, a charter member 33 years ago of the downtown Salem club, has been a district governor and secretary of the State Council for 13 years. He also was a member of the Salem school board for 10 years.

Speaker at the Monday night Banquet will be Clarence L. Sturm, international director of Manawa, (Wis.) Hale Thompson, Eugene, international councillor, will be toastmaster.

U OF O GIVES DEGREES — EUGENE — Dr. O. Meredith Wilson awarded degrees to some 1,100 University of Oregon students at graduation exercises here Sunday.

In a morning ceremony more than 100 Army and Air Force ROTC graduating cadets received commissions as second lieutenants. Dr. Stuart Leroy Anderson, president of the Pacific School of Berkeley, Calif., was commencement speaker.

Enjoy Week's Vacation — Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Meissner and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Laird are back at their homes in Roseburg following a week's vacation trip to Astoria, Seaside and Depoe Bay.

Employment Up In Douglas County Fifty Per Cent

The healthy blush of a strong economy blossomed over the county in May and was apparently here to stay for the summer.

This was the indication from George T. Foster, manager of the Roseburg office of the State Employment Service.

He reports that employment totals increased more than 50 per cent during the month of May in the Roseburg area. He pointed the picture even rosier by pointing out that reports from employers in contract construction and lumber indicate a good year and a high level of employment in the coming months.

Foster said the totals of unemployed dropped about 38 per cent from April 1. It was still more than 10 per cent higher than in the same month last year, but this was probably due to the late arrival of spring, Foster said.

Job openings again became available with some shortages in the skilled, semi-skilled and clerical classifications, Foster related. He said these shortages had developed earlier than usual.

Weekly unemployment insurance payments were lower at the end of May than for any period since July of last year. The score 300 of the county, Foster pointed out, was at Myrtle Creek. He said about a third of the payments were made to residents of that area, he credited this to the recent slowdown of the plywood plant here.

Late-Year Outlook Hazy — The majority of outside jobs are now under way for the summer. Foster said. "While there will be considerable activity in the various types of work common to this area, what the opportunities will be is difficult to forecast," Foster stated. He said the job-changing fever has abated. The much-publicized car shortage has not had an adverse effect on employment yet, he said, but if it continues for any length of time, serious consequences could develop.

14th Annual Girls' State At Salem Draws 220 — Some 220 girls are attending the 14th annual Girls' State on the Willamette University campus here.

Sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary, the event will continue through this week. All delegates will be high school seniors next fall.

U.S. Alone Can't Match Red Forces, Radford Says, Defending Aid To Allies

WASHINGTON — Adm. Arthur W. Radford said Monday American military aid to other free nations is an act of self interest, recognizing that this country alone can not "match the Communist bloc in manpower."

Radford testified before the House Foreign Affairs Committee in support of President Eisenhower's request for 3 1/2 billion dollars in foreign aid next year, including \$1,400,000,000 in military assistance.

The 59-year-old Radford, recently appointed to a second two-year term as chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, said the foreign aid program is not a "giveaway" but "on the contrary is essential and realistic from our standpoint."

"One basic fact which cannot be disregarded is that the United States alone does not have available, nor could we maintain on active duty for an indefinite period, the forces necessary to match the Communist bloc in manpower at every possible point of aggression around the globe," he said.

The admiral appeared briefly in open hearing to read a prepared statement. The Foreign Affairs Committee then went into closed session to question him in secret.

In a later interview Radford was asked what he thinks is today's biggest trouble spot.

"I would suppose that at the moment things are generally very quiet," Radford replied.

Is this "the quiet before the storm?" a reporter asked.

"I don't know," said the armed services chief. "I guess it's the quiet before the meeting."

That was a reference to the forthcoming "at the summit" conference of the big four heads of government.

Critical as to Tito — Some committee members had indicated in advance they would question the unspecified portion of the military funds, plus 40 1/2

million dollars in economic aid, earmarked for Yugoslavia in the year beginning July 1. The congressmen were critical of this aid in light of Tito's recent meeting with Kremlin leaders.

Also likely for stiff questioning was the \$8 million dollars earmarked as economic aid for India and some aspects of assistance for the Near East.

Two-Party Urge Given Five-Time Political Hopper

SEATTLE — State Land Commissioner Otto A. Case who has switched parties five times found himself in the unusual position Monday of being urged by Democrats to run for re-election as a Republican—and by Republicans to run as a Democrat.

Case, elected in 1952 as a Republican, announced last week he will seek re-election next year as a Democrat. He previously was state treasurer as a Democrat. Before that he held offices as a Republican.

The King County Democrat Central Committee announced the adoption of a resolution urging that if Case is to run again he stick to the Republican ticket.

"Democrats all feel that Case will most benefit the Democratic Party by filing for re-election on the Republican ticket," the resolution said. It stated further that Case "has most consistently followed the principles and practices of the Republican Party."

Now Democrats Turn — Joseph Lawrence, chairman of the King County Republican Central Committee, had this to say about it:

"Since Case has switched parties five times, and we had him last, it's the Democrats turn to have him."

At Olympia Case said: "That isn't the way it is. 'The Democrats are all for me apparently. They want me to run the worst way.' They said I was sure to be nominated."

He said three Democratic state officials had told him they were going to file on the Democratic ticket.

Asked about his political switches from Republican to Bull Moose, to Republican, to Democrat, to Republican, Case replied: "That isn't so many switches when you add them all up."

Two Prisoners Break Jail In Lake County

LAKEVIEW — The escape of two men from the Lake County jail was discovered early Monday. Sheriff Thomas F. Elliott said the two were Raymond LeRoy Short, 22, who was serving a sentence for contributing to the delinquency of a minor; and Kenneth Earl Bond, 31, serving a larceny sentence.

Elliott said they escaped sometime in the night, apparently by picking a door lock and then cutting a screen from a window with a table knife.

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FOR BETTER AIMING—The new sniperscope is demonstrated in this Army photo taken at Ft. Belvoir, Va. It is an improved model of the electronic infrared device which permits the soldier to aim in the dark. It has a longer range, more rugged construction and a more accurate aiming device than the World War II model. It's shown above on an M-1 rifle.

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