

Roseburg 'Typical City' To Be Visited In April By International Group

Roseburg has been selected as one of three "typical" cities in the United States to be visited by a three-woman international relations team "to foster better international understanding."

The women will be in Douglas County for three days, starting April 16. The representatives from Japan, Uruguay and India will appear before various civic groups and make one public appearance the evening of April 17. The public meeting is sponsored by the American Assn. of University Women and is scheduled for Central Junior High School. All foreign born in the area will be special invited guests at the session.

This tour of the USA, and the stops in three American cities, is a pilot project sponsored by the Women's Division of Christian Service of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Church. Traveling with the team will be a United Nations observer and the executive secretary of the church's southeast Asia division of the Methodist Church, women's division.

According to Mrs. Ellsworth Tilton, who announced the visit, the national tour is being viewed carefully by many national groups. If it is "satisfactory," many more community visitations throughout the country will be scheduled. The church is financing the tour.

Roseburg's selection, "as a typical western city of 30 to 12 thousand without a college," was made last October. At that time Mrs. Tilton was one of 40 women attending a Methodist Church workshop devoted to international understanding. When a discussion arose concerning a possible western stopping place for the visitors, Mrs. Tilton suggested Roseburg. Her suggestion was quickly made reality.

A busy three days, informative and entertaining for visitors and hosts, is being planned.

Participating are the Chamber of Commerce, Roseburg Council of Church Women, Roseburg Woman's Club, AAUW, county home extension members, Zonta Club and many individuals.

The team arrives Monday, April 16, at 11 a.m. It comes from Seattle, Wash. Its members are: Mrs. Kiyo Tanaka, teacher and YMCA worker, Nagoya, Japan. She is a member of the Japanese Church of Christ.

Miss Violetta Cavallero, director

February Rain Marks At Douglas Points Noted

The Rock Creek-Ideyeld Park rain gauge recorded the most rainfall during February among 14 stations tabulated to date, reports Ben B. Irving, who heads the county's water resources survey.

Total for the month was 11.26 at the gauge. Other top figures were 10.96 inches at Elkhead, 10.78 at Reston, 9.57 at Flournoy Valley and 9.28 at Devils Flat.

The least precipitation was recorded at the Little River gauge, Elkhead, at 2.75 inches. North Myrtle and Winchester were next with 6.50 and 6.70. Roseburg's February total was 7.07.

Heaviest rain was on Feb. 21. On that date, 5.14 inches were recorded at the Little River gauge, Elkhead, and 4.75 inches at that day and Curtin 3.05 inches. To the south, Tiller had 4.10 inches on the 21st. The least recorded that day was 1.21 inches at Roseburg.

Camp Fire Program Training Scheduled

A training session, covering all phases of the Camp Fire program of the Roseburg Council, is scheduled for Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in Roseburg. It will be held at the Camp Fire office in the Kohlhagen Building.

The session will be held in conjunction with the monthly business meeting. Chairmen of standing committees will outline committee activities, and a feature of the evening will be the serving of a birthday cake to commemorate the 46th anniversary of the founding of the organization.

Camp Fire offices were moved recently to the Kohlhagen Building. Thursday's meeting allows time for board members to examine the new facilities, according to Mrs. James Byron, chairman of the training committee.

Consolidated Freight Buys Motor Cargo Inc.

AKRON, Ohio — Proposed sale of Motor Cargo, Inc., to Consolidated Freightways, Inc., of Portland, Ore., for a reported \$9,600,000 was announced by the two firms.

The sale, still subject to approval of Motor Cargo stockholders and the Interstate Commerce Commission, would make Consolidated the largest trucking firm in the nation, and the only one with operating rights from coast to coast.

The deal includes Motor Cargo's 18 terminals in 13 states, and five subsidiaries.

FEDERAL AID TOPIC

PRINEVILLE — Federal aid for the livestock industry will be discussed at Corvallis Wednesday at a meeting of Oregon cattlemen.

Ed Coles, executive secretary of the Oregon Cattlemen's Assn., said the group will draw up a request for federal assistance. The proposal will be referred to county groups for approval before being sent to the national organization.

of religious education at Crandon Institute, Montevideo, Uruguay. She is a Methodist.

Miss Eva Shipstone, head of the psychology department of Isabella Thoburn College, Lucknow, India. She is a member of an inter-denominational church.

Each of the three was selected for: (1) Knowledge of own country; (2) mature judgment; and (3) knowledge of international trends.

Vital Statistics

Divorce Granted

FERGUSON — Irene Anna and Charles V. Ferguson. Plaintiff awarded custody of one child, \$42.50 per month support. Defendant to pay obligations.

Marriage Licenses Issued

MARX-JACOBSON — Douglas D. Marx and Donna Irene Jacobson, both of Eugene.

PHELPS-CALLAHAN — Charles Allen Phelps and Patricia Erin Callahan, both of Dillard.

FITZSIMMONS - HARBISON — Lowell H. Fitzsimmons and Betty Lou Harbison, both of Roseburg.

Vancouver License

SETTERS-STRANG — Chester James Setters, Winston, and Angeline Jeanette Strang, Roseburg.

Divorce Suits Filed

MANEY — Margaret F. vs. Cecil J. Maney. Married Sept. 12, 1949, at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged. Plaintiff seeks real and personal property.

ROBINETT — Patricia vs. Willie H. Robinett. Married June 26, 1953, at Canyonville. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged. Plaintiff seeks restoration of former name, Slay.

SEBESTA — Paul Phillip vs. Magdalena Sebesta. Married Nov. 21, 1937, at Richmond, Tex. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged. Plaintiff would agree to award of custody of two children, \$50 per month to defendant. Third child resides with a married sister.

BROWN — Neal Gordon vs. Shirley Mae Brown. Married Feb. 25, 1953, at Roseburg. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged. Plaintiff would agree to award of custody of two children, \$50 per month per child to defendant.

CLINE — Evelyn F. vs. Lyle Henry Cline. Married Feb. 11, 1955, at Medford. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged. Plaintiff seeks household property, \$425 gross alimony.

TAPPAN-Margaret vs. Charles V. Tappan. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged. Plaintiff asks custody of one child and \$50 monthly support.

SMITH — Jean vs. Charlie Ray Smith. Cruel and inhuman treatment. Married at Longview, Wash. July 15, 1950. Plaintiff asks custody of two children and \$60 monthly support.

LIVELY — Raquel vs. Vernon Lively. Married May 6, 1955, at Stevenson, Wash. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged. Plaintiff seeks award of household property, restoration of former name, Mendez. Plaintiff would agree to award of car to defendant.

Radio Disc Jockey Sets 'World Endurance' Mark

SPOKANE — Steve Sorenson, a radio disc jockey, signed off at 1:30 a.m. Monday and claimed a "world endurance record" of 85½ hours of broadcasting without sleep.

Sorenson, 30, started his show at noon Thursday in a store window. When he finally quit, he claimed he beat the "old record" by 90 minutes.

Sorenson announces for a Spokane station (KSPQ) as "Mr. Callahan."

When the tour is ended, Mrs. Tanaka and Miss Cavallero will return to their homes. Miss Shipstone will journey to Radcliffe College, Cambridge, Mass., for a year's study as an AAUW fellowship winner.

Times and all details concerning the visit are still being completed. However, their Roseburg sojourn includes: Speaking at a chamber luncheon, visits to men's service clubs, appearances at local schools, a breakfast in their honor by the council of church women, the public meeting, appearance at the annual county extension meeting and probably other activities. A complete schedule will appear later in The News-Review.

Hoover Warns Of Red Crusade In Near Future

WASHINGTON — FBI director J. Edgar Hoover says the U.S. Communist Party is planning "an intensive crusade which will last four to six months" with the aim of undermining anti-Red legislation.

Hoover said party plans contemplate "a more open activity" and various legal maneuvers including employment of "eminent counsel" to defend the party and its leaders.

He said the Communists are counting on a more favorable political atmosphere growing out of last July's Summit Conference.

In budget testimony before a House appropriations subcommittee, made public Monday night, Hoover added:

"Their tactics will be concealed and will emerge through Communist front organizations and through so-called liberal groups which they are able to infiltrate and interest in their behalf."

He estimated the U.S. Communist Party has a "hard core" membership of 20,289—about 11,000 of them in New York State and 3,022 in California.

POSTMAN DROWNS

BAKER — Ralph Roach, 61, long-time employee of the Baker postoffice, drowned Sunday while steelhead fishing in the Powder River.

A companion, C. R. Greer, saw Roach's hat float by as he was fishing downstream. Then Roach's body was swept past in the current and Greer was unable to reach it.

ASSESSOR DIES

MEDFORD — The Jackson County Assessor, Robert G. Fowler, is dead at 74. Fowler died in a hospital here Sunday. He was elected assessor in 1953 after a varied career in public life.

He became a 4-H Club agent after graduation from college, and later was county agricultural agent here until his retirement in 1947. Then he served as a farm advisor for a Medford bank and was in the real estate business.

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A special steering committee is directing arrangements. It is headed by Mrs. Tilton. Other members are: Harold Hickerson — men's clubs; Mrs. and R. L. Whipple and Mrs. Kenneth Ford — women's clubs; Mrs. Harold Hoyt, Mrs. George Halladay and Mrs. Carl Wimberly — AAUW; Miss Helen Chandler — home extension; Mrs. Arthur Lamka Jr. — Roseburg Council of Church Women; The Rev. Robert Hemphill — ministerial association; State Sen. Paul Geddes — AAUW forum; Mrs. Jack West — Roseburg Art League; Don Naden — YMCA; Mrs. Harold Horn — Zonta Club; School District 4 administrators.

Kate Safley, 71 Dies In Eugene

Kate Safley, 71, long-time resident of Douglas County died March 17 in Eugene.

The family formerly resided in Drain and operated a grocery store and motel before moving to Eugene.

Mrs. Safley was born Jan. 12, 1885, in Scottsburg. She was married to John Safley on Oct. 8, 1903, in Roseburg. He preceded her in death in 1958.

She was past matron of the North Star Chapter 121, OES of Drain.

Surviving are: children; Mrs. Mrs. Edith Keibelback, Mrs. Fredrika Coons of Eugene and Gard Safley of Winchester Bay, and five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Poole and Larson Mortuary in Eugene, Wednesday, March 21, at 10:30 a.m.

Interment will be at 2:30 p.m. in the Scottsburg Cemetery.

State High Orchestra Lists Douglas Students

Stephanie Briggs and Dick Gilbert of Roseburg and Dean Weaver of Myrtle Creek were among 135 outstanding high school music pupils from throughout the state to participate with the Oregon All-State high school orchestra last week in the general session of the annual Oregon Education Assn. convention in Portland. Approximately 6,000 Oregon educators were in attendance.

Geddes — AAUW forum; Mrs. Jack West — Roseburg Art League; Don Naden — YMCA; Mrs. Harold Horn — Zonta Club; School District 4 administrators.

The international team will visit in Wisconsin, Mississippi and Oregon.

Hitchcock Visits Roseburg Again; Talks At Medford

Early campaigner Phil Hitchcock, Republican candidate for the U. S. Senate, was back in Roseburg briefly again Monday to confer with fellow Republicans.

He stopped here enroute to Hood River where he will speak at a noon luncheon in Hood River and then at 6 p.m. at the annual meeting of the Oregon Council of Churches in Milton-Freewater. He is immediate past president of the council.

Monday he talked to an audience of Jackson County Republican women in Medford.

MEDFORD — Phil Hitchcock, campaigning steadily since he announced a week ago he would contest with Secretary of the Interior Douglas McKay for the Republican U.S. senatorial nomination, said here Monday he expects to win and he outlined two things he will stress:

1. Keeping the issues on the broad aspects of the Eisenhower program.

2. Focusing attention on Morse's attitude "toward the entire Eisenhower program and Eisenhower as a person."

The defeating of Democratic Sen. Wayne Morse is the chief aim of the Republicans and Hitchcock and McKay have each said his nomination is the best way to do that.

Hitchcock reviewed his record as a state senator and said a bill he supported in the Legislature was aimed at preventing mine claimants from getting rich timberlands. The law was declared unconstitutional because it was in the federal field, and a Democratic Congress should have taken action, he said.

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President Designates April As Cancer Month

WASHINGTON — President Eisenhower here has designated April as cancer control month and urged the American people to "unite in public dedication" to programs for control of the disease.

In a proclamation, the President said "the health and welfare of our nation suffer seriously from the impact of cancer in loss of lives, distress and incapacitation of our citizens, and the lessening of our productivity in the amount of billions of dollars."

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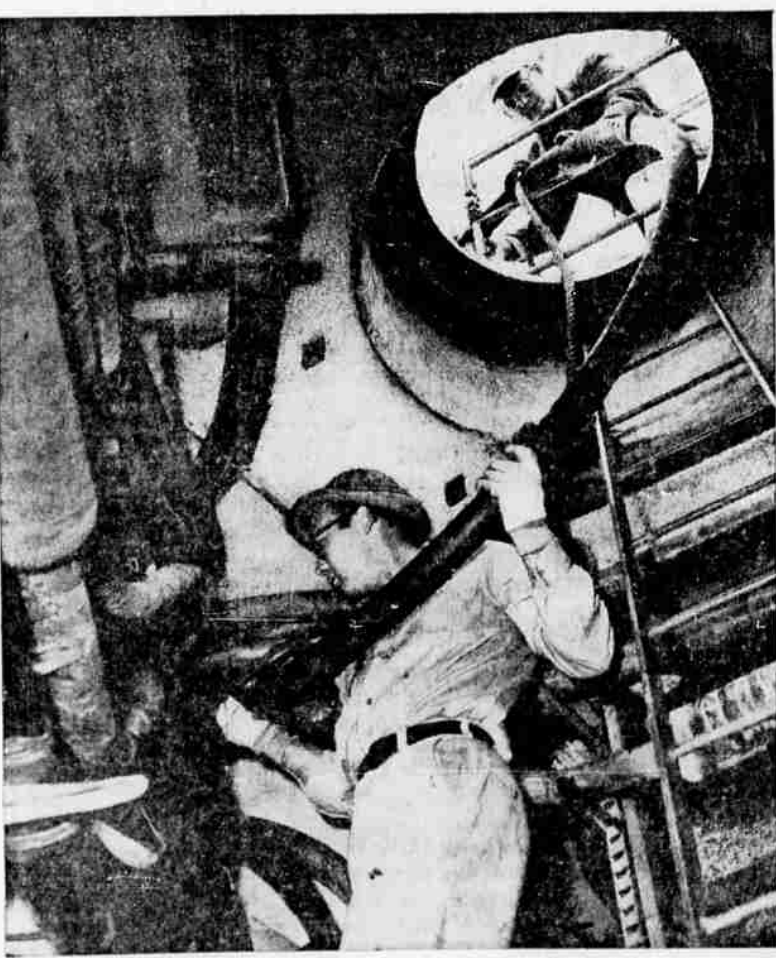
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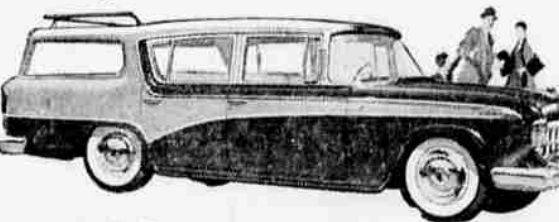


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