

Roseburg High Choruses To Present Spring Sing

The Roseburg High School choruses will present the annual all-chorus spring concert Monday at 8 p.m. in the Roseburg High School auditorium.

Participating in the "Spring Serenade" will be the freshman, sophomore, junior and senior choruses, girls' glee club and the cappella choir. There will be 280 voices in two massed finale numbers.

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John Hamilton Death Reported

John (Ham) Hamilton, 63, well-known professional pianist and entertainer, who formerly lived in Roseburg, died May 8 at the Veterans Hospital in Oakland, Calif.

Hamilton, a veteran of World War I, had his own trio in Roseburg for several years and taught music at his own piano studio. He is survived by his wife, Sue, formerly of Riddle.

At the time of his death, his residence was in San Leandro, Calif. He will be buried in the Veterans Cemetery at Berkeley, Calif. Date of the funeral is not known.

Sports Ladies Winners In Sweepstakes

Top winner in the women's sweepstakes golf match Wednesday was Mrs. Mack Moberg in class A and Mrs. Robert Harris in class B. Class C winner was Mrs. Robert Leckler and class D winner was Mrs. Sam Kendall.

Twenty-two women participated in the tournament which was held at the Country Club.

Next Thursday's pairings for the "Iron" tournament which will be held on the front nine include in class A, Mrs. John M. Brown, Mrs. Carl Teague and Mrs. James Hughes; Mrs. John Napier, Mrs. Byron Woodruff and Mrs. R. D. Bridges; Mrs. Joe Perrault, Mrs. Sidney Leiken and Mrs. Robert Davis; Mrs. Harry Stearns, Mrs. Roger Gee and Mrs. Ed Oldfield; and Mrs. Mack Moberg and Mrs. Kenneth Quine.

In class B: Mrs. Joseph Lanepa, Mrs. Charles Tidwell, Mrs. Ray Casebeer; Mrs. George Luoma, Mrs. Robert Ganz, Mrs. O. R. Peterson; Mrs. Robert Harris, Mrs. Rex Roberts, Mrs. Roy Sedell; Mrs. C. A. Petherick, Mrs. Wallace Greenland and Mrs. Walter Fisher. Class C pairings are: Mrs. Kenneth Smith and Mrs. William Jelski; Mrs. Leonard Johansen and Mrs. Stephen Fowler; Mrs. Ed Klemmer and Mrs. Gene Krewson; Mrs. Robert Leckler and Mrs. Herb Leonnig; Mrs. John Longfellow and Mrs. Frank McCord; Mrs. Jack Schvaneveldt and Mrs. Gordon Smith; Mrs. Clay Tomlinson, Mrs. Harrison Winston and Mrs. Lloyd Wood.

All class D players will make their own pairings.

Bowling Results

MERCHANTS LEAGUE

	W	L	Pts.
Moose Lodge	35	19	50
Patterson's Bky.	35	19	47
Self Serv. Laundry	31	23	42
Yoncalla Lions	28	26	40
Coca-Cola	28	25	37
Todd Bldg Co.	28	26	37
Co. D, 186th Inf.	24 1/2	29 1/2	32 1/2
R'sbg Neon Signs	21	33	28
Special Parts	20 1/2	33 1/2	25 1/2
Barcus Dodge	17	37	21

High Series: Roland Davis, Coca-Cola, 530 (138-209-172).

High game: Carl Dunn 216.

Other high games: Jack Finch 210.

Team results: Moose Lodge 2, Barcus Dodge 1; Patterson's Bky. 2, Self Service Laundry 1; Roseburg Neon Signs 2, West Side Lions 1; Todd Building Co. 2, Coca-Cola 1; Specialized Parts 2 1/2, Co. D, 186th Inf. 1 1/2.

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pts.
Bruton Shoe Rpr.	30	21	46
The For'stra	29	25	41
Bob & Gene's	29	25	40
Moose Lodge	30	24	39
The Hard'p's	29	25	39
Umpqua Chf Flr	26	28	35
Luterns Ch	23	29	31
West Side Lions	23	31	30
Turn Rnd Inn	23	31	30
Chrystalite Tile	23	31	29

High Series: Jim Hennebeck 561-158-203-201.

High game: Paul Ryan 217.

Other high games: Earl Tatcher 212, Ting Freadman, 212, Ed Davis 209, Fred Aamot 202, Ron Noel 201.

Team results: Umpqua Chief Flour 4, Moose Lodge 0; Bruton Shoe Repair 3, West Side Lions 1; The Hardtoppers 3, The Foresters 1; Faith Lutheran Church 2, Bob & Gene's Union Gas 2; Turn Around Inn 2, Chrystalite Tile 2.

VOLUNTEER LEAGUE

	W	L	Pts.
Sun Studs Inc.	46	26	
Dixonville Store	39 1/2	32 1/2	
Trowbridge Elec.	37	35	
Richie's Drive In	33	39	
R'sbg. Glass Co.	30 1/2	41 1/2	
Spartan's Trading	30	42	

High Series: B. Sims, Trowbridge Electric, 517.

High game: Sims 230.

High team series: Sun Studs Inc. 2,265.

High team game: Trowbridge Electric 380.

Women's Rolling Pin League

	W	L	Pts.
Thompson's Signal	8	0	
Don Coons' Associated	8	0	
Pepsi-Cola	7	1	
Shallmar Club	4	4	
Kent Radio & TV	4	4	
Harris Cafe	3	5	
Engle Lumber	3	5	
Rolletta Skating	1	7	
Melrose Store	1	7	
Roseburg Bowl	1	7	

High series: Ethel Krumb, Thompson's Signal Service, 308 (163-180-165).

High game: Ethel Krumb 180.

Maxine Merk 180.

Team results: Thompson's Signal Service 4, Roseburg Bowl 0; Don Coons' Flying A, Shallmar Club 0; Pepsi-Cola 3, Kent Radio & TV 1; Harris Cafe 3, Rolletta Skating 1; Engle Lumber 3, Melrose Store 1.

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Senate Taxation Committee Approves House-Passed Bill On Excises, With Change

SALEM, Ore. — The Senate Taxation Committee Thursday approved the House-passed bill to increase corporation excise taxes — but with an important amendment.

The committee voted approval of an amendment by Sen. Rudie Wilhelm (R), Portland, that would leave the rate for manufacturing industries at 4 per cent, instead of the 6 per cent in the House corporation excise tax bill.

This move, designed to attract industries to Oregon, won Wilhelm's support. And it looks as though his vote would be enough to get the corporation bill through the evenly split Senate.

The other two Republican members of the committee—Sens. Lee Ohmart, Salem, and Philip Lowry, Medford, opposed the bill.

The corporation bill also increases the effective tax rate on gross income of other corporations from 5.4 to 6 per cent, increases the rate on banks from 8 to 9 per cent, and jumps the effective rate on utilities from 2.2 to 4 per cent.

But House Bill 1, the personal income tax bill, continued in deep trouble.

Sen. Ben Musa (D), The Dalles, one of the four Democrats on the committee, served notice that the independent party is taking now to get the opposition to this bill.

The time has come for belt tightening, and the average taxpayer feels that way.

The three Republicans also said they would oppose the personal income tax bill, preferring to leave the present tax system unchanged.

Sen. Walter J. Pearson (D), Portland, chairman of the committee, told Musa that he has a right to feel that way, and that the Democrats never put pressure on their members to influence them how to vote.

Pearson then charged that the Republican Party does tell its members how to vote.

Musa suggested an alternate plan which would fix personal tax rates at 2 to 8 per cent, instead of the 4 to 11 1/2 per cent range in the bill; eliminate the federal tax deduction in figuring the state tax; and exempt persons from filing returns unless they have outside income of more than \$250 a year.

Musa's plan got no place.

Musa's action is significant because the Democrats need every Democratic vote in order to pass the bill. There also are signs that some other Democrats might oppose the bill.

The Joint Ways and Means Committee estimated that the total budget for the next two years would be 271 million dollars.

The House tax program would raise 285 millions. But if this program should lose, something more than 266 millions would be available.

Wilhelm told the committee that would be close enough.

Musa told the committee he pledged his constituents he would try to reduce taxes.

Pearson replied that tax reductions are impossible in a growing state.

Hospital News

Douglas Community Hospital Admitted

Medical: Mrs. Pete Neff, Edmond Cochran, Mrs. David Aydelott, Roseburg; Warren Hill, Winston.

Discharged

Sherrie Haney, Mrs. Robert Barrett, Clifford McGeheey, Barbara Bennett, Charles Moore, Orville Fay, Eugene Rue, Roseburg; Charlie Stiffler, Mrs. Dave Brown, Glide.

Mercy Hospital Admitted

Surgery: Phil Fogus, Riddle; Mrs. Max Heath, Winston; Mrs. Alfred Crose, Mrs. Frank Ferbush, Mrs. Emil Galla, Roseburg.

Medical: Willie Lang, Mrs. Earl Lord, Sutherlin; Mrs. Kenneth McGinnis, Myrtle Creek; Mrs. Clemens Schoon, Roseburg.

Discharged

Mrs. Bessie Pearce, Roseburg; Gary Bixby, Myrtle Creek.

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Yoncalla Council Discusses Street Improvement Work

By MRS. GEORGE EDES

The Yoncalla City Council met Tuesday evening with about 22 citizens present to discuss street improvements for 1958.

The state allows money every other year, for improvement on city streets that connect with a market road. Two main roads were discussed, a road from Bragg's corner, down to the McNabb home, then south one block and two blocks east to connect with Highway 99.

The other road is from the Rice Valley Road, down Fifth Street three blocks to the highway. The council decided to contact the State Highway Commission and have checkers on both streets to determine the amount of traffic flow.

Forrest Tandy and Mrs. Shields were present relative to the plastic pipe from the city limits up to the Tandy home. This is a private line and is leaking badly. The council decided to read the meter at the city limits, also at both houses, and that Tandy and Shields would pay the difference in the water bill.

The council decided to purchase a 250 gallon oil tank for the city hall heating unit.

A lengthy discussion on having a special election for the purpose of raising money for a new sewer line ended in the council deciding to take the matter before the public to see what the people thought of the idea. This plan would raise \$5,000 a year for ten years, as a sinking fund for the sewer system.

The cemetery road has been widened and graded by the county, it should be considered by the Senate next Monday.

The Joint Ways and Means Committee voted to introduce a bill that would permit use of state industrial accident trust funds to build a new office building in the Capitol group. It would house the Accident Commission, Unemployment Compensation Commission, and Bureau of Labor.

House Memorial Asks End To Tax Write-offs

SALEM, Ore. — The House passed and sent to the Senate Tuesday a memorial asking Congress to repeal the 1951 law which permits fast tax write-offs. There were only six votes against the memorial.

The memorial also asked federal officials "to reconsider and deny or substantially reduce the allowance of fast write-off made to the Idaho Power Co. in connection with its dams in Hells Canyon."



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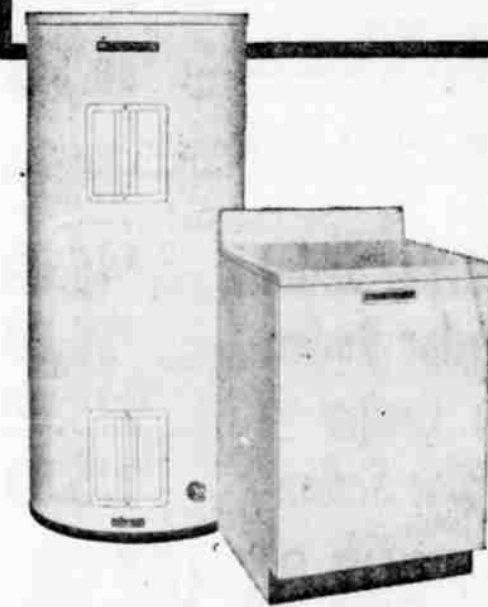
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