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**-CITY BRIEFS-**

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Bales of Dorena made a business trip to Eugene and Salem Saturday afternoon.

The ladies club of Rat creek sponsored a picnic at Teeter's Creek on July 30th. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Lillian Doolittle in Cottage Grove on August 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Bales of Dorena were among those who attended the old school mates picnic in Cottage Grove Saturday.

Sidney Bales attended the REA meeting in Eugene Saturday.

Ruth Tipton of Creswell and Delbert Gould of Eugene visited at the Sidney Bales home in Dorena recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Bales accompanied by his mother, Mrs. U. S. Bales were among the guests at a lawn party given at the Henry Snauer home on July 30th.

A party was given by the residents of Dorena Saturday night at the club hall and was very much enjoyed.

Leslie Groat of the Dorena community has been moving some of the buildings from the old CCC camp to his place recently and repairing them.

Members of the No. 9 telephone line, serving the Dorena section moved the old phone line out of the damsite Saturday. The line is being moved to new poles strung along the north highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Anderson of Spokane, Washington, were visitors at the George Stratton home the past week and Mr. Anderson is a cousin of Mr. Stratton. Dr. and Mrs. Frank Boeckman of Marshfield, Wisconsin, visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hoyt. They were accompanied from Portland by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Arends, who were also guests at the Hoyt home. Dr. Boeckman is head of the Marshfield Clinic in Marshfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Athenour and two sons Ronnie and LeRoy of San Diego, California, left for their home the last of the week after spending a week at the home of Mrs. Athenour's father, Ed Hoyt and Mrs. Hoyt.

Mr. and Mrs. James Spear and son James Jr. left last week for Middlesboro, Kentucky, where Mr. Spear has work and where they plan to make their home. They accompanied his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Spear, who had been visiting at the James Spear home.

Mr. and Mrs. Denton E. Copple, son Dwayne and baby daughter Maris, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ferguson, all of Omak, Washington, were guests this past week of Mr. and Mrs. George Dykstra of Disston route. Mrs. Copple is a sister and Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, parents of Mrs. Dykstra. While here the Dykstras and their company took a trip up the Oregon coast highway from Reedsport to Newport. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Griggs and children are spending his vacation on a trip to Yellowstone park.

Mrs. Sam Veatch and son Billy will return home today from a month's trip spent in Minnesota and Greenwood, Wisconsin, visiting relatives and old friends. She is being accompanied home by a great aunt, Miss Annie Mathison of Greenwood, who will visit relatives here.

Mrs. Florine Thurston of Junction City was in town Monday on business and called on her cousin, Albert Adkins, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brown and daughter Jeannine of Toppe-ish, Washington, are here this week on business and visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. T. E. Wheaton of Vancouver, Washington, and Mrs. Mary Etta Baker of Elmira visited over the week end with their sisters, Mrs. E. N. Cruson and Miss Leona Vaughn, and attended the Old Schoolmates picnic. This was the first meeting of the four sisters in 17 years.

Mrs. Elmira Montgomery received word of the death of her brother, Newton, Purgett, of Tonkawa, Oklahoma, who passed away Friday, August 1, at the age of 85 years.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Bush and his mother, Mrs. Etta Bush, made a trip to Roseburg Saturday to visit Mrs. Etta Bush's daughter, Mrs. John Bjerke. Mrs. Bush remained with her daughter for a visit.

Mrs. C. H. Haight of Eugene, formerly of Disston route, underwent a serious operation at the Eugene hospital, and is reported in a serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Layton and daughter Beverly are spending the week at Indian Island Naval station, Washington, visiting Mrs. Layton's brother-in-law and sister, Commander and Mrs. R. L. Keeting, and her mother, Mrs. Nora Gore. The Laytons plan to leave soon for San Diego, California to make their home.

**MARSHALL MAKES 'INSIDE' REPORT**



INFORMATION OF VITAL importance to the nation is given members of the House Foreign Affairs Committee in Washington during a 90 minute "inside report" made by Secretary of State George C. Marshall (center). Marshall, who has just completed his first half year in office, is shown with Chairman Charles A. Eaton (R-N. J.) and Rep. Sol Bloom (right), of New York, ranking minority member of the committee, which met in special executive session. (International Soundphoto)

Mrs. Jack Godard is in Portland visiting relatives and attended the Westover family reunion Sunday. Relatives gathered at the reunion from as far north as Canada and as far south as California. Before returning home she will visit her daughter, Mrs. George Davis, and family at Boise, Idaho.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Veatch of Klamath Falls were week-end visitors here of Mrs. Lila Veatch and attended the Old Schoolmates picnic.

A. W. Helliwell is expected home about the 10th from a trip into the Fraser river country of Canada, about 500 miles above Vancouver. He accompanied Roy Lewis of Elkton, who went up to look after some mining claims.

Warren Edwards and N. J. Nelson attended the Wildlife conference at Taft Sunday.

Eugene H. Aldrich, 65, of Dexter died in a Eugene hospital Thursday afternoon from injuries received when a log rolled on him.

David N. Morey Jr., of Portland has accepted a position as manager of the Springfield Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Elbert Bede came down from Portland to attend the Utopia picnic Thursday. Mr. Bede drove down Saturday and stopped at Corvallis to pick up his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Swann.

Over night guests recently with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reeve of Silk Creek were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Relp and 4 children, Virginia, Joanne, Paul and Tommy of Monrovia, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Potter expect to leave today for their home at Chula, Missouri after a ten-day visit at the home of his brother, D. P. Potter and Mrs. Potter and family. This is Mr. Potter's first visit to Oregon and he was very much impressed with the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Clark and daughter Darleen spent the past week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reeve. Mrs. Reeve and Mrs. Clark are sisters. The Clarks were from South Gate, California.

Callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reeve of Silk Creek Sun. P. M. were Mr. and Mrs. Abe Hanks, Rosemary and Junior from Cottage Grove.

Mrs. Evelyn Smith of Eugene is visiting at the home of her brother, Col. LaSells Stewart.

Mrs. Clara Stevens of Portland, a former resident, was a house guest here of Mrs. Carl Leabo from Friday to Wednesday.

Miss Myrtle Kem Mrs. O. M. Kem and Miss Lola Newman returned last week from two weeks' trip to California.

Miss Orlena Martin and W. C. Martin Jr., are vacationing this week in San Francisco.

Mrs. William F. Johnson reports that her husband who fell from one of the docks at a local mill recently is still in a critical condition in a Eugene hospital.

A large number of former students of the old Drain normal school attended the 8th annual student reunion at Drain on July 26th. Among those registered from Cottage Grove were: Maud R.

Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Finerty, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Lawrence and Mrs. Elsie H. Wells.

**New Enlistment Plan August 1**

The Regular Army's new plan authorizing enlistments and re-enlistments for initial assignment to the European Command Friday, August First, Major Carl Hornsby of the U. S. Army Recruiting Service, Eugene, Oregon announced recently. This Command includes the Mediterranean Theater as well, the Major said.

In explaining the new directive, Major Hornsby revealed the following personnel as being eligible: Men from civil life who have previous service in either the Army, Navy, Marine Corps or Coast Guard; men whose current enlistments are terminating and who desire to reenlist immediately for European duty and those men who are eligible and request immediate discharge for the convenience of the Government for the purpose of reenlistment for Europe. In connection with these enlistments, Major Hornsby pointed out that applicants term must be for three, four or five years.

**NAVY TO DISTRIBUTE MEDALS**

L. J. Reinholdt, chief turret captain, in charge of the Eugene Navy Recruiting Office, room 6 in the Post Office, announced today that distribution of World War Two Victory and American Defense Service Medals will be started on August first. If you have earned either of these medals through serving in the Navy bring your Discharge Certificate or your Notice of Separation to the Navy Recruiting Station between 8 A.M. and 4:30 P.M. on week days or between 8:00 A.M. and 1:00 P.M. on Saturdays and your medal or medals will be presented. Next-of-kin of a deceased member of the Naval Service who should and have not yet received a medal or medals may request to the Chief of Naval Personnel, Washington 25, D. C.

The Navy's Antarctic expedition used a specially devised heater to convert snow into ice during construction of an airstrip surface.

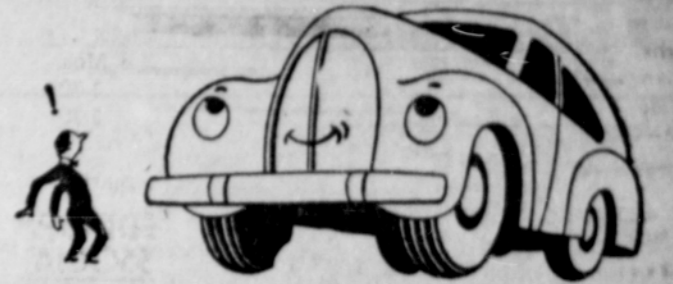
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