

In The Mailbox:

Editor of the Pilot:

This committee has planned to hold one of its twelve regional hearings in Coquille on January 22. It is planned that any person or group within the area of Curry and Coos Counties may be heard at that meeting concerning local highway, road and street problems.

The degree of success which will be achieved by this committee in its studies will be greatly dependent upon the committee must have a full knowledge of these hearings. The comedege of local problems if it is to develop an adequate highway, road and street program for the State of Oregon.

The local people will have an admirable opportunity to present their local problems before this State agency for their own benefit and at the same time provide the background information necessary for the committee.

There are enclosed a copy of the letter and of the memo of suggestions which have been mailed to all organizations which may be interested in road problems in the area.

The committee feels this is a very worthwhile public service and will appreciate very much any publicity which you may see fit to give.

"This committee was authorized by the Forty-Fourth Oregon Legislature to make a complete and comprehensive study of the needs and requirements of the highways, county roads and city streets in the state of Oregon, including a study with respect to the means and methods and the sources from or by which highway revenues may be produced or procured, and the policy and program in which such revenues should be allocated.

"As a part of the study program, this committee has arranged to hold eleven regional hearings throughout the State people and organizations to be of Oregon for the purpose of providing an opportunity for local heard concerning highway and local road and street problems, and the highway committee will A list of hearing dates is enclosed be glad to arrange a time on one of those dates for a presentation by your group or organization, if desired. Specific places of each hearing will be announced in the local newspapers.

"In order to assure an allotment of time for your presentation, if desired, please notify the undersigned at 311 Capitol Building, Salem, Oregon, at your earliest convenience, and if possible indicate the amount of time necessary for your presentation."

Very truly yours,
O. R. Eckersley, Executive Secretary.

Editor of the Pilot:

I hope this finds you and your little family well and happy.

I have been going to write you for quite some time, but since I've been here I've been all eyes. Now some of the newness has worn off and I'm almost down to earth, or should I say coral.

I have gathered some material in my notebook which may be

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Friday, January 9th.

of interest to your readers, and should you care to print same, I'll start writing a weekly letter on it to your readers.

W. A. "Bill" Foltz, In Guam.

A Merry Christmas

I know that you've heard it
In dozens of ways.
And tho' I might word it
By finding a phrase
With syllables blending
In letters of gold,
I still would be sending
The metage of old.
So with your permission,
I'd just like to say,
This Thursday's edition
May serve to convey
An old fashioned greeting
Without any frills
That favors repeating
Tho' old as the hills
May Heaven befriend you
And health be your spear
I wish all a Merry Christmas,
And a Happy New Year.
Elizabeth Shingler, Brookings

Discipline, Subject Of PTA Meeting

At the next meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association, Jan. 8, a discussion and forum will be held on the discipline problem as concerns the parents and teachers of our school children. "It is common knowledge that 85% of the problems arising in our schools today are due to undisciplined children" says speaker, who will point out corrective methods. After his talk the audience will be invited to ask questions on the subject. Parents are urged to attend. The meeting will be held in the new school building and, after the meeting refreshments will be served by the 3rd and 4th grade room representatives.

Christmas Party Theme of Rotary

With exchange of gifts and the fun that comes from this source, Brookings Rotarians, Tuesday enjoyed a Christmas party. The Story of Christmas was told by Dr. Stevenson.

A New Year's party will be enjoyed at the Thor Ack home, when the Rotary Anns will be hostesses and to which all members are asked to attend.

Cub Scouts Enjoy Pack Meeting, Mon.

With Ben Kerns filling in for George Widney, who is in the Veterans hospital, Pack 332, of Cub Scouts, enjoyed the December pack meeting. Den mothers favored with a Christmas party.

A business meeting was held with Ronald Akers, Den Chief, in charge.

Local News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Freeman gave a housewarming party at their new home near the Winchuck last Saturday evening at which time a large number of their many friends spent an enjoyable evening. Dancing and music made the evening pass swiftly, with refreshments served late in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hoffeldt returned home the latter part of the week after being called to Medford by the serious illness of Mr. Hoffeldt's sister, Mrs. Frank Page who is in the Sacred Heart Hospital in that city.

Al Clement left on Monday for Southern California to spend the holidays, planning to be gone for about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Edwardson left Sunday for Port Angeles where they will spend the holidays with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edwardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pearmine left Sunday for Los Angeles to spend a month visiting relatives and enjoying some sunny weather for a change. Mrs. Pearmine fell down some stairs at their home a week ago, which held up their trip for several days as she was confined to bed from the resulting injury. Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wood are occupying the Pearmine home during their absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Olsen have gone to Portland to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kerns purchased the Nicodemus home into which they plan to move about Jan. 1. The deal was made through Pete Lesmeister.

Harold Mackenzie arrived Tuesday to spend the holidays with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mackenzie. He was a major in Gen. Patton's army, and was among the first group which captured and crossed the Remagen Bridge across the Rhine river in 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. McMahan, of the Cur-Del Cleaners expect to spend Christmas at North Bend.

Herb Mason and son, Quentin left this week for Petaluma California, where Mr. Mason will build a few houses this winter. They expect to return here sometime this spring. Harold Jesser will be associated there with Mr. Mason.

Gene Gould and Mervin Hanscam, students at the University of Oregon, Eugene, arrived home late last week to spend the holidays with their parents.

The Rev. Nick Neufeld family left early Monday for Roseburg where they will spend Christmas with her parents. Their son will return home with them after having spent the past month

with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Tillotson left Tuesday evening by bus for Los Angeles to spend Christmas with Mrs. Tillotson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Reif. They will return Sunday.

Mrs. James R. Harper and son Richard of Harbor, have returned home after a two month visit in Edmonton, Canada with her mother, who has been seriously ill.

Word was received here by telegram early this week, telling of the death of Alec Henderson, of the Henderson Bulb Co., heavy buyers of Croft bulbs in the past.

Marilyn Struebin is in a lemna from which she in all heart broken. Last Saturday lost a valuable Oriental sarr belonging to Mrs. Robinson, between the church and the school. This sarong (scarf to most everyone) is valuable a keepsake, and a generous ward is offered for its return.

The Pilot, out a day early week in order that the force enjoy the holiday, is shy the usual correspondence. This, however, will be included in the Year's issue. Mailing early ables readers to get the Christmas messages from the busin people in town.

We Will Everyone A Bright and MERRY CHRISTMAS

This Store Will be Close Until Monay, Dec. 29!

The Town Shop

Pat & Ben Kerns

Brookings, Ore.

INCOME TAX SERVICE

Starting January 3, at Hugh Gearin's Law office, Central Building, I will do Income Tax work on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, from 10 to 5. Tuesdays and Thursdays I will be at my home, 2 miles south of Harbor on 101.

Ray Guerrettaz

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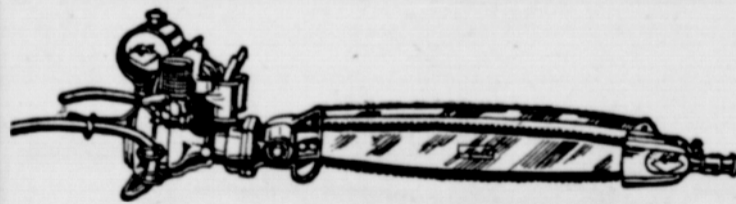
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