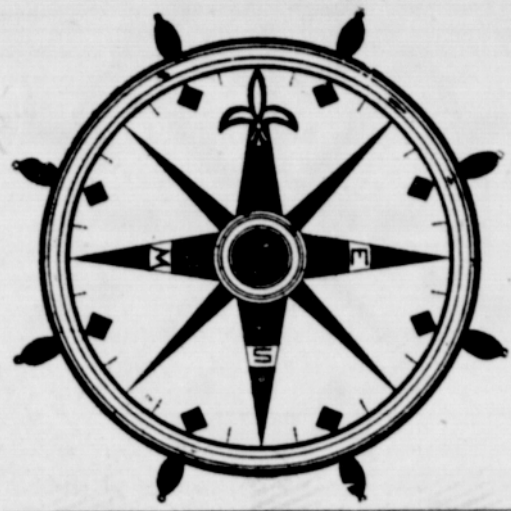
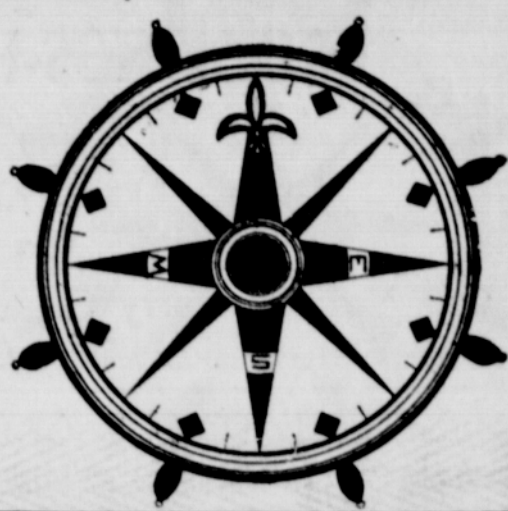




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Scouts Gather Old Clothes In Area, For Overseas Poor

An "international good turn" is being performed by Boy Scouts all over America, when the boys will start their campaign to collect used clothing for re-shipment to the poor of Europe.

Locally, under direction of Mike Page, the boys will call on each home

Wanted by the boys will be: Mens and boys shirts, suits, jackets, trousers, underwear and socks; mens and womens coats, sweaters, gloves, mittens, caps and scarfs.; womens, girls and childrens dresses, suits, jackets, aprons, skirts, blouses, underwear, stockings and socks.; blankets, robes, quilts, sheets, pillow cases, towels and wash cloths.

If usable shoes are given, be sure to tie them together to prevent separation.

People having any clothing may contact any scout, or Mike Page at Chetco Store. Clothing, says Mr. Page, should be placed in cardboard cartons, clean sacks or bags to prevent soiling.

Chamber Books Eugene Speaker

Herman Kehrle or Arnold W. Westling, of University of Oregon, Eugene, will be present at the March dinner meeting of the local chamber of commerce, on Thursday, March 15, at the Chetco Grange hall.

These men are members of the planning commission of League of Oregon Cities, here to enlighten people of this area on advantages of incorporation of this vicinity. This is an open meeting, and anyone who wishes may attend. Reservations for dinner are urged. Contact Mrs. Elmer Parker. Those who cannot come to the dinner, may come anyway, to the meeting which will convene at 8. Dinner will begin at seven o'clock.

Bruins Will Meet Oakland Quintet

Coach Arthur Guthrie and his County Champs, the Bruins, will play at Yoncolla tonight, with the first game against Oakland. The Bruins, flu-ridden this week, may present a weak picture, according to Guthrie who said he was desperately in need of substitutes with Fadling, Morris, Vaughan, Johnson and Brown on the sick list.

Guthrie and Dr. White spent considerable time, Tuesday going to the homes of the sick hoopsters, giving penicillin shots and otherwise administering restorative medicines to bring the boys out of their illness.

Teams entering the tournament at Yoncolla include Elkton, Oakland, Powers and Brookings. Little is known of the comparative strengths of these teams, and with Brookings coming "half-sick" little hope is held for the local lads.

Drivers Examiner

A drivers license examiner will be at the Grange hall this Friday—March 9 from 8:30 until 12:30. Anyone desiring to take the examination should be at the hall well ahead of closing time.

He Didn't Forget His Gal-Friend

Bill Shipley, who has the label as "manager" for the Bruins basketball team, was "the little man(ager) who wasn't there," Friday evening, and came into a lot of "ribbing" for his "lapse" of memory.

When the "oversight" was noticed, Bill started back for the suits, and with him took the basketballs and score-book. Guthrie later said to Bill, "Hope you didn't forget to bring your girl friend."

Navy Gunner Was Rotary Speaker

LaVern Mendenhall, navy aerial gunner, who is home on a 30-day leave after returning from eight months duty in Korea, was speaker at Rotary luncheon on Tuesday. While bound by secrecy to tell not too much, Vern did give a graphic picture of the affairs in the Orient as affect the United States at this time.

They don't have a "Tokyo Rose" at the moment, but there one we call Peping Rose who screams her Communist propaganda toward us daily, how the United States is the aggressor and is about to take Formosa, and the Chinese mainland."

Riding a navy patrol bomber and rescue plane, Vern said he and his group patrolled the coast lines of China, and Korea, and that he had been in Hongkong, where the British trade with the Chinese, and make no resistance to their movements thereabouts.

"Those lads on the ground in Korea are taking a beating—really having it tough," he said, in speaking of Bob Kerr and Howard Groesbeck, his friends from town. He said he didn't know much about their whereabouts, but he said that he did know Howard Groesbeck had been in much combat.

John Mumbower told briefly of his recent trip to Los Angeles where he went to visit relatives but also attended a testimonial service at the Christian church there, where many big-name men who once were "men of the world" who now had given their life to Christ's work.

Library "Open House," Friday

The library committee of the Chetco Community library announces that the open house for opening of the library will be held this Friday afternoon from two to five P. M., at the V. F. W. hall as scheduled.

Everyone is invited to come and inspect the new quarters at that time. A silver tea for the benefit of the building fund will be held during the afternoon with Grace Edwardson and her committee in charge.

Weather Report

For the week ending on Sunday:			
	Max.	Min.	Rain
Feb. 26	47	34	.65
Feb. 27	50	31	
Feb. 28	56	34	
March 1	48	32	T
March 2	50	31	
March 3	38	31	1.40
March 4	48	37	1.23
Rainfall for week			3.28
Rainfall for February			10.16

Bank Raises FDIC Insurance In Co.

GOLD BEACH—C. H. Young, vice-president of Curry County Bank, early this week, announced receipt from the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation at Washington, D. C. of a new certificate of membership giving effect to the recent increase in insurance coverage to \$10,000. The Curry County Bank has been a member of FDIC since 1934.

Mr. Young pointed out that this insurance does not cost depositors of a bank a single penny. The surplus of Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation which now exceeds \$1,300,000,000, in addition to all deposit insurance losses and operating expenses of the corporation has been paid in by the 13,650 insured banks of the nation in the form of annual assessments based on their total deposits.

"Under the leadership of its chairman, Maple T. Harl, and his predecessors," Mr. Young said, "the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation has made a great contribution to the soundness and solvency of our banking system and to the safety and security of bank depositors. It has been seven years since any depositor of an insured bank suffered a loss, a new record for depositor safety in this nation.

"This is in sharp contrast even to the synthetically prosperous days of early 1929 when the state bank division of the American Bankers Association reported with pride that: 'All told there were 14 states in which there were no bank failures at all reported in the 1928 period, nine of these also having a clean record in this respect for two or more ears. The states with the clean record in 1928 were Alabama, Arizona, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Maine, Massachusetts, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, Rhode Island, Vermont and Washington. In the four states of New York, Utah, Virginia and Wyoming where the count remained the same as the year before, the numbers of failures were small, there being only one in New York and Wyoming each, two in Utah and three in Virginia'."

A letter from FDIC Chairman Harl accompanied the certificate. It read in part: "This certificate can be displayed in your banking rooms with pride in the accomplishments of a corporation in which you and 13,600 other banking institutions are banded together for the protection of your depositors' funds.

"Each bank can take a great share of the credit for the fact that nearly seven years have passed since an insured bank was placed in receivership. Improved bank management coupled with diligent bank supervision, plus federal deposit insurance have brought to our nation an era free from the specter of losses to depositors and eliminated the dread of and the devastating results of bank runs.

"This corporation has made an outstanding contribution to this marvelous record, furthermore, has accumulated a surplus of nearly one and a half billion dollars as additional protection against any and all future contingencies which might in any way affect the solvency and stability of the dual banking system. In addition thereto, recent legislation enacted at the request of the directors of this corporation

Epidemic Postpones P.-T. A. Meeting

For a second time, March meeting of the local P.-T. A. has been postponed, this time by the epidemic of flu which grips this vicinity. However, a business meeting will be held at the high school this Thursday at four p. m.

All members of the executive committee are urged to be present so that a quorum may name a nominating committee to pick officers for the coming year.

Talent Show Set At Langlois Gym

LANGLOIS—The annual talent show, sponsored by Floras-Willow Club, will be presented at Langlois high school gym on Friday evening, March 9, at 8. A hearty welcome is extended to both Coos and Curry counties to enter and attend the program. The event is always one of the most "talked-about" of the year by all previous audiences, and an eager eye is out for announcement of the date.

Something new has been added to the program, a grand prize will be awarded to the best professional act, which will be awarded to the best professional act, \$10. Prizes for the amateurs will be: Adult and students, first—\$10; second—\$5; third—\$3. Grade and pre-school: first—\$5; second—\$3; third—\$1. Any individual, group, club, lodge etc., may enter. If possible, contact Kenneth Thompson, Langlois, or feel free to enter the program on the evening of March 9.

A special musical number will be presented by the Langlois school band, as an added number. Proceeds of this event will go to the Langlois school band. The admission is 60c and 25c. Sandwiches and coffee will be on sale during the evening by the club.

F. O. E. Will Hold Free Dance, Friday

An organization meeting and free dance will be held at the Veterans of Foreign Wars building Friday evening, beginning at 8 o'clock, say people interested in formation of an Aerie of Fraternal Order of Eagles.

Last week, Les Tithcott, president of Cave Junction Aerie, and Dave Crawford, president of the Grants Pass aerie were here in an effort to get the local group organized. Only about 15 turned out at that meeting, but response to personal invitation shows definitely that an aerie is wanted.

Everyone interested in becoming a member of the Eagles is invited; and bring friends. There will be no admission charge.

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has materially simplified the assessment reporting procedure for all insured banks, likewise has provided a substantial reduction in the amount of their annual assessment outlay..

"We are proud of the accomplishments and achievements of the American banking system, and by the same token we hope that you take justifiable pride in the record achieved by your Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation since its inception," Mr. Harl concluded.

Southern Accent Tickles Patrons At Local Hostelry

People of Brookings, especially those who happened to be about Hotel Brookings, Saturday evening, were given a treat of thick southern accent a la Miami, Fla., when C. B. Robinson, U. S. Marshal of Miami, Fla., and his guard became separated at the Carpenterville snow, and took up search for each other here.

The story goes that Robinson, driver of the car which the two men had used to take a prisoner to McNeill's Island, were stalled with several other cars by snow at Carpenterville. Being in the lead, the Robinson car was first to be pushed through by the remaining group with aid of local people.

When cleared of the snow, the guard was reported to have told Robinson "to go on" for he'd come with one of the other cars which the guard wanted to aid. With nothing definite in mind, Robinson did not stop until he reached the California line.

Soon afterwards, the guard did reach Brookings where he began inquiry, and by the minute became more and more excited. He called the sheriff, W. W. Smith, deputy sheriff; and Earl Munson was about to get his own car out and return toward Carpenterville where the guard "just knew the car had gone over the bank." In the minutes which were wasted by these calls and suppositions, Robinson and his car came to Brookings, and parked in front of Hotel Brookings.

"That guard rushed outside, he gave Robinson the devil for driving on, and at the same time he was so glad to see Robinson he was shaking hands," Munson told the Pilot.

"Being late at that time, the pair put up at the hotel, but their visit became more and more comical as they recounted their experience." Mr. Munson concluded. "Their southern accent was really a treat to listen to."

Neither Robinson nor guard told of their mission except that they had taken a prisoner to the McNeill Island prison. This experience with the snow will likely be "good copy" for their hometown newspapers.

Death Claims Two Former Residents

Through courtesy of Mrs. E. L. Miller, the Pilot was able to learn of the death of two former residents of this area:

At Portland: Clarence E. Osborne, husband of Margaret A., of Grants Pass, father of Arville C., and brother of J. M. Osborne, died there Jan. 22, with last rites from the Conservatory Chapel of A. J. Rose & Son, and committal at Lincoln Memorial park.

Mr. Osborne had been in the veterans hospital since last June—critically ill most of the time. The family once lived near the E. L. Miller place.

At Medford, Mrs. Raleigh Conley, wife of the once government hunter of this area, died, last Thursday. Surviving is her widow and two children by a previous marriage: George Edward Morgan and Mrs. Linnie Milkowski of Gold Hill; three sisters, Mrs. Annie Francis, Butte Falls, Mrs. Ida Corbell and Mrs. Mamie Larnsworth, Chiloquin.