

Local News

TEMPERATURES
Maximum yesterday, 45 degrees.
Minimum last night, 21 degrees.

TODAY'S WEATHER
Temperatures: 10 p.m., 32 degrees; 10 a.m., 37 degrees. Velocity of wind: 10 p.m., 2 miles; 10 a.m., 8 miles.

Bob Currie, former Bend resident, is now special agent for the Denver railroad, stationed at Fort Worth, Texas, friends here have learned.

Sgt. George Mirich, the "One man army of Attu," is back with the Standard Stations, Inc., being announced today as assistant manager of the station at Wall street and Greenwood avenue. Sgt. Mirich formerly was with the Standard Station in Bend, and was transferred by that company to Klamath Falls before enlisting in the army.

Mrs. Joe Justin is spending a few days in Sandy with her mother, Mrs. Ellen Mitchell, and her sister, Miss Mary Mitchell. She plans to visit her daughter, Miss Muriel Justin, Portland, after leaving Sandy.

The L.D.R. of the First Lutheran church will meet at 7:30 Wednesday evening, February 21, in the church parlors. Mrs. Lloyd

Broe is the hostess and Mrs. Frank Wanser is to give the program.

D. R. Parvin, representative of United air lines with headquarters in Portland, was in Bend on business yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. A. T. Herring, recently appointed price clerk for the Bend war price and rationing board office, assumed her new duties this morning. Mrs. Herring replaces E. H. Kennedy, former price clerk who recently resigned.

John E. Blair of Lakeview, was a Bend business caller today.

Mrs. Willard Becker and daughter were guests last night at the Pilot Butte Inn from Burns.

Lt. E. W. Brower of the Redmond army air field, spent yesterday here visiting friends.

Ralph W. Crawford, supervisor of the Deschutes national forest, last night returned from a two-day conference with forestry officials in Portland.

The Eastern Star potluck dinner will be held on Monday, Feb. 26, instead of next Monday, it was announced today. The dinner is set for 6:15 p.m. in the Masonic temple.

W. H. Myers, general manager of The Shevlin-Hixon Company, today had returned to Bend after attending business conferences in Minneapolis and Washington, D.C.

The Ladies of the Moose are sponsoring a public card party tomorrow night at 8 o'clock, in the Moose quarters on Bond street.

Mrs. Paul Sullivan, 527 Congress avenue, today received word that her husband, 2nd Lt. Sullivan, has been promoted to the rank of 1st lieutenant. Lt. Sullivan, originally a member of Bend's Company I, is a member of the army transportation corps, and is now stationed in New Caledonia. He has been overseas nine months.

Mrs. Harry W. Swanson has accepted a position with the law firm of DeArmond and Goodrich.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. O. Schueler returned last night from Kansas City, Mo., and Minneapolis, Wis. They were called to Kansas City about two weeks ago following the sudden death of Schueler's mother, Mrs. Mollie Schueler.

The Nurses' association of district No. 14 will hold a dinner meeting in the Pine Tavern at 5:45 p.m. on Feb. 19, it was announced today.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Lynch returned last night from Vancouver, B. C., where they visited with Mrs. Lynch's mother, Mrs. Peter O'Hare, and Royal Canadian mounted police Sgt. and Mrs. M. H. Ashby. Mrs. Ashby is a niece of Mrs. Lynch's.

J. W. Koontz of Yakima, Wash., was in Bend today on business.

William Puckett of Brothers transacted business in Bend today.

E. E. Varco and A. E. Stevens, Deschutes county commissioners, spent this afternoon in appraising county lands and also appraised some county-owned lots lying within the city limits of Bend.

Miss Maureen Cashman returned to Marlyhurst college in Portland today after a brief stay with her mother, Mrs. M. P. Cashman.

David Niskanen left for Salem today where he will spend the week-end with his parents, State Representative and Mrs. William A. Niskanen.

Mrs. Lawrence Nicholson plans to leave tonight for Seattle after a few days spent visiting relatives here.

Roy Anderson, ticket agent at the Pacific Trailways company office here, left this afternoon for Nampa, Ida. He will bring Mrs.

Anderson and small daughter to Bend where they will make their home.

LeRoy Cox, radio technician 1/c, has arrived at Bremerton, Wash., following Lingayen Gulf and other South Pacific action. Mrs. Cox plans to leave tomorrow to spend the week-end with him.

Milton E. Coe, vocational rehabilitation agent for the state board of education, will be in the Bend office of the U. S. employment service in the courthouse on Monday afternoon. Persons wishing to consult with Coe should make appointments by telephoning the office, 160, J. C. Branaman, area manager, announced today.

Three boys were born at the St. Charles hospital yesterday. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Ridderbusch, 1985 West First street; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Arthur, 104 St. Helen's place, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Peterson of Brothers.

Mrs. C. W. Stinnett and son Bruce left for Portland this afternoon where they will meet Sgt. Stinnett, who is expected to arrive tonight from Camp Wheeler, Ga., where he is with an infantry unit. The family plans to return to Bend on Tuesday.

French Ask Data On 'Big 3' Parley

Paris, Feb. 16 (AP)—The French government announced today that it had asked America, Britain, and Russia for "indispensable clarification" of the Crimea conference communiqué.

An official announcement said the request was made in notes presented today by the French ambassadors in Washington, London and Moscow to the governments to which they are accredited.

The notes were approved by the cabinet which met this morning, with Gen. Charles De Gaulle presiding.

Points Presented

The chief points on which clarification was asked were understood to be:

1. Whether France will take part in the San Francisco conference on exactly the same basis as the big three—in other words, as an "inviting" rather than "invited" party.
2. Whether France will have the status of full equality with the big three in the military occupation of Germany and on the control commission in Berlin.
3. Whether France will be invited to sit with the representatives of the big three at any conference to delimit the zones of occupation.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS

The Twanka group of Shevlin completed the requirements for the first rank at their meeting Tuesday night. These girls will be given the Trail Seeker rank at the grand council fire in Redmond. They also enjoyed a potluck dinner and Valentine party at their meeting. Mrs. Wilford Fordham is their guardian.

Waditaka

The Waditaka group at Shevlin now has \$19 in its treasury. The girls have earned this money selling candy, popcorn and apples at the basketball games at Gilchrist.

At the last meeting the girls etched their Indian names on glasses. Two girls in the group serve as hostesses for every meeting and are responsible for the entertainment and refreshments at that particular meeting. The group is decorating and furnishing its clubhouse and any donations of old furniture will be gratefully accepted. Mrs. Milo Chamberlin is the guardian.

Pine

Mrs. Ollie Bowman entertained the Pine Bluebirds Feb. 7 at her home. The girls made Valentines and completed plans for their Valentine party. Refreshments were served. On Valentine's day the little girls met with their guardian, Mrs. Gale Blakley, for their party. After a talk on manners they had their Valentine box and played games. Ice cream and cake were served.

Bluebirds

The Bluebell and Happy Times Bluebirds met together Thursday after school. They spent the time singing and learning songs for the grand council fire to be held in March. These groups are from Reid school.

Wetomachiek

The Wetomachiek group met on Wednesday and Thursday after school to complete the Christmas card scrapbooks they have been making for hospitals. Next week the girls will begin a new project and make up packages for veterans' convalescent hospitals.

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Clothing Drive Ends Tomorrow

Less than a day remains of the campaign to collect clothing for the relief of civilian Russians, it was announced today, with the statement that donations can be received only up to noon tomorrow.

Trucks will be loaded with the bundles shortly after noon and be dispatched to Portland, according to Virgil Lyons and Frank Prince, Jr., co-chairmen of the Junior chamber of commerce sponsored drive.

Members of the Junior chamber will assist in clearing the salvage depot at 826 Wall street, and the trucks will be weighed to determine how many tons were contributed by folks of this community, it was said.

Lyons and Prince, speaking for the Junior chamber, said today they were "gratified with the fine response to the call", and particularly lauded adults and children who assisted in the drive.

FOOD DISPLAY MADE

A display showing good and poor breakfast has been prepared by the Bend Victory Cooking 4-H Club and is on display at the City drug. The display, sponsored by the Deschutes County Nutrition Council, gives guidance in the selection of adequate breakfasts. Mary Lewis and Carol Hoyt, members of the 4-H group, arranged the display. Mrs. Walter Prichard is the club advisor.

Tokyo Bombed

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said "our air defense units have intercepted these planes at various localities and have scored considerable war results."

Radio Tokyo said Japanese garrison units on Iwo also were conducting the "fiercest interception" against the naval task force in the Volcano Islands.

Is Daring Foray

The simultaneous attacks under the command of Admiral Raymond A. Spruance, commander of the Fifth fleet, represented the most daring foray in the history of the American navy, as well as a defiant challenge to the Japanese fleet to come out and fight in its home waters.

In the armada attacking Tokyo was the greatest carrier force the world has seen, plus fast battleships, cruisers and destroyers. It includes most of the 20 combat carriers known to be in commission.

Vice Admiral Marc A. (Pete) Mitscher, master of carrier warfare, commands the Tokyo armada.

Striking Welders Ordered to Work

Washington, Feb. 16 (AP)—The war labor board today ordered 650 striking welders at the Todd shipyards, Seattle, Wash., back to work because "every facility of west coast shipyards is required to support the efforts of the army and navy against Japan."

The men were repairing navy destroyers when they struck.

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Iyopta—Mrs. Rees Brooks, 814 Harmon, 3:45 p. m.

Sweet Pea Bluebirds—Mrs. W. G. Coleman, 1471 West Third, 3:45 p. m.

Happy Times Bluebirds—Miss Charlotte Mullins, Reid school, 3:30 p. m.

Nutrition Course Being Arranged

The modified Red Cross nutrition course will be held by Miss Betty Arnest of the Bend high school, and Mrs. Borden Beck, of Redmond, in their spring home economics classes, it was reported today.

The first exhibit featuring daily food essentials has been displayed at the City Drug store in Bend, under the direction of Miss Harriett Harris of the Bend high school staff.

Monthly exhibits pertaining to nutrition have been arranged for Bend, Redmond and Lapine, it was announced at Red Cross headquarters.

Circus Owners Held Responsible

Hartford, Conn., Feb. 16 (AP)—A bench warrant was issued today for the Ringling Brothers-Barum & Bailey, Inc., circus, holding the corporation equally responsible with six circus officials and workmen on manslaughter charges resulting from last July's disastrous fire.

Judge William J. Shea issued the warrant at the request of state's attorney Hugh M. Alcorn, Jr., after the individuals accused had pleaded nolo contendere to 10 separate counts of manslaughter.

The silver fox and a variety of the red fox are the two principal foxes raised on American farms.

Mrs. Campbell, 73, Dies in Redmond

Redmond, Feb. 16—Funeral services will be held from St. Thomas' Catholic church in Redmond Saturday morning at 10 o'clock for Katherine Smith Campbell, 73, who died at her home here Thursday morning following an illness of several weeks. Burial will be in the Catholic division of the Pilot Butte cemetery in Bend.

Mrs. Campbell was born in Point Rocks, Md., and her marriage to Percy S. Campbell took place in Anaconda, Mont. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell came to Oregon in 1911.

Aside from her husband, Mrs. Campbell, resident of Central Oregon for many years, is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Lucy Branton, Portland; Mrs. Roena Neland, Portland; Mrs. Rose Sythe, Portland, and Mrs. H. Buxton Price, who lives southwest of Redmond.

Also surviving are one sister, Mrs. Carol Gray, of Redlands, Calif., and three grandsons, William and Charles Neland and Ensign Richard Sythe.

Red Cross Makes Hospital Clothing

In the last six weeks, cartons containing hospital clothing and equipment have been put up and made ready for shipping under the direction of Mrs. Eugene Ackley at the local Red Cross office.

Included in these cartons are 23 layettes. These cartons are sent to a San Francisco army hospital.

The spring quota of material has been ordered and will arrive soon, Mrs. Ackley said. Included in this order is material for 500 bedside bags, 300 utility bags, 50 pairs of men's pajamas, 50 convalescent robes and 25 men's bed jackets.

When these articles are finished they are sent from all parts of the county to the local office for shipping. Also arriving soon will be 300 pounds of wool yarn which will be made up into 396 O.D. sweaters, it was said.

Father Kills Son, Wife and Self

Davenport, Ia., Feb. 16 (AP)—Donovan Martens, 17, sat down at the desk in his room and began a letter, "Dear Dad."

His still was writing last night when his father burst into the room, aimed a gun at the boy, and fired. Donovan slumped to the floor, dead.

Then the father, Otto Martens, 39, reloaded the gun and shot his former wife, Frieda, police said today. After that he turned the gun on himself.

Authorities said it was double murder and suicide.

The Martens were divorced several weeks ago and Donovan had remained with his mother.

Bronchial COUGHS

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