

Minor Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Nosler returned Saturday night from a week's trip to Portland, where they visited their son, Layton, and family. Layton, who has been with Montgomery-Ward there for several months, likes his position and the work.

Mrs. E. D. Webb is not certain just how soon she can move to Gardiner, where Mr. Webb recently purchased the Washburn place along the highway at the southern end of town. He is cashier of the Gardiner bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bryan, the latter the former Jean Laird, are guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Laird, on the Marshfield highway. They came from Sacramento and he is on a 20-day leave, waiting word as to whether he will be called to the army or is to be transferred from the Geodetic Survey to the Forest Service.

Mrs. Frances Skyles, this morning, took the position in County Clerk Oddy's office made vacant when Mrs. T. K. Foss resigned to take a position in the Southwestern Motor office here.

Mrs. Grace Baxter has been here from Eugene this week, making her regular calls on customers and visiting her relatives in the Coquille valley.

Mrs. T. De La Rhue returned last Saturday from Helena, Mont., where she had gone three weeks before because of the illness and death of her mother. It was 15 degrees below zero when she left Helena, and had been down to 25 below, and she was glad to get back to southwestern Oregon's most salubrious climate.

Miss Joy Norton returned Sunday from Forest Grove, where she went last week to attend the wedding of a sorority sister and to provide the piano music for the ceremony.

A letter from Mrs. Clarence McNair living in Louisville, Ky., to Mrs. Wm. Buell, states that Clarence is a corporal and at Motor Force School near Louisville.

Walter Good Richardson brought to the county jail March 6 from Bandon, where he had been charged with failure to observe a stop sign, was later released on bonds.

To Talk On Credit In Total War

Walter A. Jensen, executive secretary of the Associated Credit Bureaus of the Pacific Northwest, accompanied by some of the directors of the National Retail Credit Association, will be in Myrtle Point this Thursday evening, March 11, to hold a meeting with the Retail Credit Association of Myrtle Point, at 7:30 p. m. at the city hall.

Mr. Jensen will speak on the subject of "Credit In Total War." All business men of Coos county are invited, as well as members of all clubs and organizations.

Mr. Jensen was born and reared on Coos Bay, and is known personally to many here. He has a real message to bring. "Come and bring a friend with you," says the Retail Credit Association of Myrtle Point and the Coos County Business Men's Association.

To Open Stock Pile At Eureka

A. E. Borel, in charge of the chrome and manganese stockpile out on the Marshfield highway for many months, has received instructions to go to Eureka, Calif., and arrange for a temporary ore depot there. He expects to leave tomorrow morning.

To have charge of the local stockpile, which has only received 180 tons of ore since it was started when 500 tons had been anticipated, Mr. Jensen will be over here from Grants Pass two or three times a month, dates to be given later, to make such arrangements as may be necessary to receive ore here.

Mr. Borel will not move his family from Coquille until after school is out at least, and until he knows whether the Eureka stockpile is to be a permanent thing.

Now is the time to order your grave marker for your loved one if you desire it for Memorial day. See John S. Sanders. Phone 123L-541 West 6th. 6ths

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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wood and son came in Tuesday morning from Seattle for a few days' visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Wood and Mrs. Edna Hartson. They expect to leave for home tomorrow morning.

Alva Turner is now operating the Quelle Cafe, she having taken it over when Fred Burgin left for Portland a couple of weeks ago.

Marianne Axtell left last Friday on a trip to Condon. She returned on Wednesday. The trip was made by bus.

Andrew Smalley, of the Arago district, who will be 90 years of age next month, has been in the Mast Hospital at Myrtle Point the past two weeks in a rather serious condition.

The Past Noble Grands of Mamie Rebekah Lodge, No. 20, will meet at the home of Edith Gruenwald, 751 West Fourth street, Friday, March 12. All Past Noble Grands are invited to attend.

Mrs. Delbert James has received word from her husband, who joined the Army last December and who is stationed at Fort Custer in Michigan, that has been made a corporal.

Marian Briner is spending a week visiting at the home of Mrs. Mabel Whereat. She arrived from her home in Eugene last Sunday and will remain here until next Sunday.

Mrs. Jas. Watson returned Monday from Seattle where she had been for a visit with her daughter, Clarabell. She had been away for three weeks.

F. A. Shepard, who has been in Honolulu the past year with the U. S. Army Engineers, paid his sister, Mrs. Fred Schaefer, a visit last Thursday. Mr. Shepard was to report in San Francisco soon for transfer to some where in Africa.

Norton's have a stock of Service Men's Bibles, in both army khaki and navy blue. Also a line of Service Men's Diaries.

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Mrs. Loraine Rice Returns To Coquille From New Mexico

Mrs. Loraine Rice returned last Sunday night from Hobbs, New Mexico, where she has been since last Thanksgiving with her husband, Richard (Happy) Rice. Happy is in the flying school training to be an interior police in the guard squadron. Loraine worked at the camp on Post Exchange and enjoyed the experience. She is enthusiastic about conditions at the camp and stated it is now easier for her to have her husband in the service since she has seen how he is and how he works. The field is on a big plain where one can see great distances because of the clear air, and is very impressive, she said. The days are sunny but cold and windy. One morning her front and back doors were frozen shut and had to be pounded loose before she could get out of the house.

Coos Climate Too Cool For One of Samoan Birth

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hamilton left Wednesday morning for San Francisco after a three weeks visit with relatives and friends. Mrs. Hamilton has a sister in San Francisco, whom they will visit for a while. There are quite a number of people who are natives of the South Seas living in San Francisco. Several years ago the Stewart Hotel, located across from the St. Francis Hotel, was a sort of headquarters for people from the Samoan Islands. Hamilton is not returning to the Islands at this time, but will look for a new contract in Mexico or South America, according to a statement by his mother, Mrs. Sue Aiken.

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Chadwick Lodge No. 68 A. F. & A. M. Stated Communication Tuesday, April 13, 7:30 P. M. Visitors Welcome

Planning For Farm Labor In Coos County This Year

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ent and future needs of food production. The words "coordinated collaboration, continued and augmented" he said expressed the desire of the state agricultural advisory committee to the United States employment service for Oregon, and the USDA war boards, to continue in 1943 last year's "united front" attack on agricultural labor supply problems by all federal, state, local agencies and individuals who have responsibilities and functions in food production.

As for the "augmented" of the Oregon Plan for 1942, Prof. Briethaupt said that recent directors from the war manpower commission and the department of agriculture placed responsibility with the extension service for the following important projects:

(1) The direction and complete mobilization and effective placement and utilization of all local labor resources available in rural areas, including towns, villages and small cities;

(2) That a program for the recruitment, development, supervision and utilization of non-farm women be undertaken; and

(3) That other responsibilities for recruiting and training be assigned to the farm security administration.

Representatives from many of the agencies and other groups having interest and contributions to make toward harvesting all Oregon crops during 1943 attended the farm planning meeting, including the AAA, FSA, USES, state department of vocational education, public schools, Extension Service, Selective Service, processors, youth participation groups, county agents and civilian defense.

D. L. Ream, assistant farm placement representative of the United States employment service, disclosed that his agency alone had recruited and placed more than 100,000 farm workers not including those who worked in processing plants, then introduced Fred Scherer and Frank Chase, Marshfield and Roseburg office managers of the federal employment service. Scherer lauded the personal efforts of Leonard Rice, local rural rehabilitation supervisor, for the work he and his agency had done in connection with bringing more than a score of "Arkies" to the region to work as dairy hands. During his talk, Rice said that the project for importing laborers had been conducted as an experiment but, as such, was progressing satisfactorily.

Chase emphasized that the only way anyone can benefit from the USES is to place orders with the nearest local branch office, of which there are 22 strategically located throughout the state. "Unless your local office manager knows your labor needs, it is impossible for him to fill them," he declared.

George Jenkins, Coos county agent, disclosed that a "spot" survey of some 50 dairies disclosed nearly a 100 per cent shortage of workers, and that prospective haying needs also will be critical because of the lack of labor-saving machinery which would compensate somewhat the dearth of workers. Increased production of farm equipment, he said is heartening, but it is doubtful whether much will be available before the 1944 crops are ready for planting and harvesting.

Captain T. D. Walker, personnel and agricultural classification officer for selective service, introduced a hopeful note into the meeting by disclosing that more than 4500 Oregon men under 38 years of age already have been reclassified for war production work, including agriculture, adding that "the reclassification is still in process and the number growing daily."

He outlined the functions of selective service as follows: (1) the provision of sufficient men for the



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armed forces; (2) the deferment of adequate persons to maintain war production and other civilian activities; and (3) the maintenance so far—and as long as possible, the normal family relationship.

Captain Walker also declared that Oregon selective service officials recognized more than a year ago that agriculture is the state's No. 1 labor problem, and that the service consistently has tried to keep the industry on an even keel by deferring men of draft age.

Belle Knife Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Burr, of this city, were made happy last Saturday by the birth of a 6 1/2 pounds baby girl, who has been named Mary Jane.

Also on Saturday a baby girl, Evelyn Louise, who weighed eight pounds, six ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Owen of this city.

On Tuesday a baby boy, weighing eight pounds, one ounce, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Giles Harris of Myrtle Point.

Entering for medical treatment were Robert Farmer, of Bridge, last Thursday; Jacqueline Norris, of McKinley, on Friday and dismissed Sunday; Mrs. Vernon Scott, of Bandon, in Friday and dismissed Monday; Zed Finley, in Friday for a day.

Mrs. John Rhule, now living in Sutherlin, underwent a major operation on Saturday, and Bonnie Waterman, of Coquille, a tonsilectomy the same day.

Mrs. Harry Hall, Jr., Bullards route, underwent an appendectomy on Monday, and Mrs. Helen Brugnoli, Coquille, a thyroid operation yesterday. Dismissals were Mrs. Floyd King and baby on Saturday and Miss Alice Garrouette on Sunday.

The W. C. Lairds Have Settled In Santa Barbara

A card received this week from W. C. Laird, who was in the furniture business in Coquille a quarter of a century ago, and who was over in the islands until a year or more ago, says that he and Mrs. Laird have settled in Santa Barbara, Calif., until the war is over.

Arthur Ferrie Taken To Asylum

Arthur Ferrie was indicted by the grand jury last Thursday, charged with the murder of his neighbor, Al Berg, a couple of weeks ago, on South Inlet. In circuit court a plea of not guilty was entered for him by his attorney, and he was immediately given a hearing as to his sanity before Judge King.

Three physicians—Dr. Evans, of Salem; Dr. Dixon, of Portland, and Dr. Rankin, of Coquille,—after examining him all pronounced Ferrie as insane and Judge King ordered him committed to the state hospital. An attendant came down and took him to Salem on Tuesday.

Robert Arnold, also indicted by the grand jury Thursday on the charge of larceny of an auto, pleaded guilty in circuit court Tuesday. He was sentenced to three years in the pen and was taken to Salem yesterday by Sheriff Howell and Deputy Ed Peterson.

Old papers 5c a bunch.

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