

Minor Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Oederkirk returned last Thursday evening from their three weeks' vacation trip, during which they visited their daughter in Portland and Mrs. Oederkirk's parents in Seattle.

Keith Leslie and sons, John and Keith, Jr., came in very early Sunday morning and left again Monday afternoon for their home in Oswego. "Brick" is in the court house office of the Internal Revenue Department in Portland and came down on business.

Mrs. H. S. Norton left Sunday for Forest Grove to be with her daughter, Joy, for a few days. Word had just been received that her fiancé, a Forest Grove boy and a pilot on a bomber, was missing in action. He had just recently received the distinguished flying cross for meritorious service.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Webb were here from Gardiner, where he is cashier of the bank, for the week-end, coming down Saturday and returning Sunday.

Jack Cooper intends going to Portland by tonight's train for another check-up on his leg which was injured in a logging camp accident four years ago. He will return Saturday.

V. R. Wilson was back at the bench in his jewelry store on Tuesday for the first time in six weeks. An infected foot kept him laid up and recovery has been very slow.

Lee Stonecypher went up to Portland Monday and brought back new equipment and a cooler for the packing plant he and his brother, Morris, operate on the J. E. Ford ranch along the highway beyond Cedar Point.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kulmus are enjoying a visit from his sister, Mrs. Lena Gast, who arrived last week from Leavenworth, Kans. She intends to go down to California for a visit next week and will return from there to Coquille.

Alice Oerding was a house guest over Sunday at the Alex Garroute home in Cottage Grove, where she attended the Garroute family reunion.

Mrs. Grace Baxter came in this week from Eugene and is visiting with Mrs. Birdie Skeels while canvassing for the line of ladies' shoes she handles.

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George Raft, Sydney Greenstreet Star In "Background To Danger" At Liberty

A plain white envelope is the magnet for murder, kidnapping, wild pursuits and breathtaking suspense in "Background to Danger," the new Warner Bros. film scheduled for the Liberty Theatre for Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

George Raft is cast as a tough, hard-hitting G-Man who runs head-on-into trouble galore when he is given the envelope, supposedly containing money and securities, by pretty Ana Remzi (Osa Massen) whom he meets on a Bagdad-Istanbul express, nearing Ankara, in Turkey.

The envelope contains, however, material that a sinister crew of Nazi agents are after at any cost. Headed by the suavely ruthless Colonel Robinson (Sydney Greenstreet), they put Raft into hot water.

Raft is kidnapped by the Gestapo but is rescued by Peter Lorre and Brenda Marshall, playing two Russian counter-espionage agents. Raft learns that the envelope, stolen from his hotel room, contains Nazi-forged plans of an alleged Russian plan to attack Turkey. Determined to thwart this scheme to win Turkey over as an Axis ally, Raft tracks down the Nazi agents and successfully foils the plot.

Besides Raft, "Background to Danger" stars Sydney Greenstreet, master of villainy, who scored in "The Maltese Falcon," "Across the Pacific" and "Casablanca." A strong supporting cast is headed by Peter Lorre and pretty Brenda Marshall, who is a beautiful counter-espionage agent. Others in the cast include Daniel Ocko, Kurt Katch, Frank Puglia, Turhan Bey, Willard Robertson and Osa Massen.

"Background to Danger" was directed by Raoul Walsh, from the screen play by W. R. Burnett, based on the popular novel by Eric Ambler who wrote the recent "Journey Into Fear."

E. T. Stelle, manager of the bank here, left on a two week's vacation last week end. Accompanied by Mrs. Stelle and their daughter they went to Eugene where they will make their headquarters for the period.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis D. Donaldson accompanied her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Slater down from Portland last Thursday. Louis came principally to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Donaldson who reside near Riverton on the North Bank road. The Louis Donaldsons reside at Omak, Wash., where they operate a variety store.

Frank Colvard of the Coquille Studio left the first of this week on an eastern business trip which will take him to Denver, Kansas City and Little Rock, expecting to be home about Sept. 1. There will be no photographic work at the studio during his absence but kodak finishing will continue as usual.

Mrs. Hale B. Eubanks and daughter, Adrienne, arrived by bus Tuesday evening after spending three weeks with her sister, Mrs. F. M. Sercombe, in Portland. They will remain here for the present with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hazard.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Brockmann, who are living in Madewood, near Portland, while Clifton is employed in the shipyards, came in Tuesday on a short vacation trip to see her mother, Mrs. Chris Terres. They expect to leave again Saturday.

Janet Lewis accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wells to California for a vacation trip.

Jackie Lou Wells is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lewis while her parents are in California.

Leonard Ensele of the U. S. Army Air Corps has written his mother, Mrs. May Ensele, of his promotion from Staff Sergeant to Technical Sergeant which occurred July 15. Sometime after the middle of June, Leonard cabled his mother and his wife here that he had arrived safely in England, where he is doing well. Leonard is a radio operator on a flying fortress.

Mrs. Mark Shelley spent a week visiting her husband at Treasure Island, California, returning the latter part of last week. Mrs. Shelley reports having had a very pleasant trip and stated Mark was to receive orders to leave Treasure Island directly.

A letter to his mother from Theodore Ellingsen, Coast Guard, tells of a visit he had with Lewis Gilbert at Livermore, just outside of Oakland, Calif. The boys went to the show together in San Francisco and ran into Lt. Clarence Bean while visiting China Town.

Here for the Grover Gouthier funeral last Sunday were his brother, Steven L., of Eureka, his wife and their son and daughter; Geo. Newton, brother of Mrs. Gouthier, and his family from Eugene, and Mrs. Gouthier's sister, Hazel Newton, from Seattle.

Shop at Norton's for service men's greeting cards. We have a large assortment.

The Archie Ames Baby Buried Yesterday At Norway

Services were held at the Schroeder Bros. Mortuaries in Myrtle Point at two o'clock yesterday afternoon for Archie Albert Ames, eleven months and seven days old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Ames of this city. He died at the Ames home here, 355 North Henry street, on Monday, and was their only child.

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Mrs. Fred Lorenz Returns From Visit In Utah

Mrs. Fred Lorenz returned last Friday from a month's visit with Capt. Lorenz at the Dugway Proving Ground at Tooele, Utah, which is one hundred miles south of Salt Lake City. She enjoyed the trip and visit but found it almost unbearably hot; the thermometer getting up to 110 degrees every days in the office and way above that in the sun.

The camp was laid out on the desert and due to the nature of the testing operations carried on there, extra precautions are the rule for civilians as well as the service men.

Homes Of Those On Relief Not Included In County Sale

The county court agreed with the Coos County Relief Association that the homes of elderly people, which have been foreclosed by the county for delinquent taxes, should not be included in the recent sale of such county-owned property and they were withdrawn before the sale was held.

The Relief Association has funds with which to make monthly payments on the delinquencies—on about the same basis as rent—so the county will lose nothing by this charitable consideration of the elderly people who would not be happy if forcibly moved to new quarters, Chairman R. F. Milne, chairman of the Relief Association, states.

The Eagles will hold a dance at Gravel Ford this Saturday night, Aug. 7. They also will have charge of the kitchen and serve lunches.

Sam Epperson's Brother Died In Fresno Monday Night

S. V. Epperson received word this week that his brother, John B. Epperson, died at his home in Fresno, Calif., Monday night. He was 50 years of age and visited his brother here in Coquille for three weeks a couple of years ago.

Miss Alice Oerding returned by auto Wednesday from a trip to Portland, where she took her father, J. H. Oerding, to the Fairlawn Hospital on Foster Road for treatment. It is expected that Mr. Oerding will be in the hospital for several months.

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