

**Personal Mention**

Dr. J. D. Rankin and daughter, Donna, left today for Portland and will return Saturday after being joined by his son, John, who will begin his Christmas vacation from Hill's Military Academy at noon that day.

Fred C. McNelly, manager of the Coos County Farm, came home last week from Portland where he underwent a serious operation last month and is now feeling much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Fish left by stage Tuesday for Parker, Ariz., to visit until after Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Lewis English, and family. Mrs. Fish became seasick on the way south and they had to stop overnight in San Francisco. Mr. English was formerly chief of police in Coquille.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Baumgartner, of Riverton, left last Friday for Oakland to see their son, Robert H. Baumgartner, M.M.M. 2/c, who had just arrived there after seeing service in the Pacific war section.

Mrs. Lillie Johnson, who had been gone since Nov. 4 on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Nevin at Bellefourche, South Dakota, arrived back home last Saturday morning.

Mrs. D. B. Kesner will leave on Friday for Seattle where she will spend the holidays with a daughter, Mrs. Robert J. Carter, and a son, Bruce. Mr. Kesner plans to join his family shortly before Christmas.

Mrs. Bess Wasson and Mrs. DeNoma intend leaving by stage this evening for Pullman, Wash., to see their sons who are receiving Army training there.

**Cantata To Be Given At Assembly of God, Dec. 21**

A cantata-drama, entitled "The Prince of Peace" is being given at the Assembly of God, 257 E. Second street, Tuesday evening, December 21. The story of Christmas is told entirely by a narrator and the music furnished by the choir, while the colorful pageantry is dramatized by the young people of the church. This cantata-drama is preceded by a brief program given by the children of the Primary department of the Sunday School.

**Knife Apartments On Coulter Become Hollingstad Apts.**

Mr. and Mrs. O. Hollingstad, who recently purchased the Knife Apartments from Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Knife, have changed the name to the Hollingstad Apartments. They expect also to build a laundry house for the apartments and besides have the tenants observe the usual apartment house rules as to quiet, etc. The Hollingstads came here from Napa, Calif., instead of Vallejo as reported last week.

Many thanks for the grand Christmas and New Years business given me during the holidays, and I wish one and all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year. —V. R. Wilson. 48t2s

It's Chrysanthemum season. See Bergen's for choice flowers.

Remember—Norton's for office, school and home supplies. 37tfs

Buy your Christmas Records at Norton's now. They have a fine selection of carols and other Christmas music in both Victor and Columbia records.

Harbison's myrtlewood for Christmas gifts.

Stationery is a much appreciated gift. Buy it at Norton's and for a small additional sum have it imprinted in gold with name or monogram.

Keys made for all locks. Stevens Cash Hardware, Coquille, Ore. 1f

See "spike" Leslie for the best in liability, or other Insurance. Office, next door to Coquille Hospital, phone 5; residence phone 95L.

If it is Insurance, see me.—F. R. Bull.

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Give Books, the ideal Christmas Gift. You'll find a large selection at Norton's from which to choose.

Do you need new Tree Lights? Norton's have both indoor and outdoor strings. Also extra globes.

We carry a complete line of V-Belts for all makes of Refrigerators, Washing Machines and other equipment. Washer Service Co., 365 W. Front, Coquille. Phone. 16tfs

Hand-carved Myrtlewood for collectors at Harbison's.

**BONDS OVER AMERICA**

Home of Freedom

Surmounting the Capitol Dome at Washington stands Crawford's bronze statue of Freedom, symbol of the freedom and liberty our government has guaranteed to immigrant and native citizen alike since the founding of the Republic.



**Keep America Free; Buy War Bonds**

In the capitals of conquered Europe freedom and liberty are hollow, mocking words mouthed by lackluster puppets like Mussert, Quisling, Laval, Degrelle or Laurel.

See Schroeder's Jewelry Store in Coquille for Diamonds and Watch Straps. **GOOD SERVICE makes Good Insurance. I give service. F. R. Bull.**

**Only 7 Shopping Days Till Christmas**

and we still have a very good stock from which to make your gift selections. Better hurry, though.

May we suggest:

- Xmas Cards
- Sea Forth Men's Gifts
- Stuffed Toys
- Old South Sets
- Xmas Wraps
- Christmas Stationery
- Dolls
- Box Candy
- Toilet Sets
- Jordan Almonds

We're never just out

**Fuhrman's Pharmacy**

Open 8:30 a. m. until 6:00 p. m.

**City Receives Plaque For Traffic Safety Standing**

Coquille won third place in Division III, cities of from 2,000 to 5,000 population, in the 1942 Oregon Cities Traffic Safety Contest, sponsored by Secretary of State Bob Farrell as a means of stimulating greater interest in accident prevention activities.

Standings in the contest are based on the improvement or lack of improvement shown in the current accident experience of the city as compared to its own previous three-year average.

The plaque, awarded for this achievement, is framed for display and was presented the mayor and will be hung in one of the city offices. The presentation was made

here by A. F. Lefor of the Traffic Safety Division.

**B. P. W. Notice**

Next Monday evening, Dec. 20, the B. P. W. Club will hold its Christmas party and gift exchange. Donations will be taken for the Chinese nurses training fund. Eva Stevens, chairman of the social committee, and Inez and the revealing of names will be charge of the meeting.

**Eagles Christmas Party To Be Tuesday**

A potluck dinner will be held on Dec. 17 at 6:00 p. m. for Eagles and their families. Each family is asked to bring a covered dish. There will

be a program and Santa Claus. Mothers of children should bring a wrapped gift with the child's name on it. The Eagles and Auxiliary are giving sacks of candy.

The annual secret sisters' exchange and the revealing of names will be held Dec. 17.

**Chadwick Lodge No. 68**  
A. F. & A. M.  
Special Communication  
Friday, Dec. 17, 7:00 P. M.  
Work in E. A.  
Tuesday, Dec. 21, 8:00 P. M.  
Work in M. M.  
Monday, Dec. 27, 8:00 P. M.  
Installation of Officers

**FRI. . . SAT. - SUN.** Dec. 17 - 18 - 19

"They can change you into something you hate!"

**THIS IS WHAT NAZIS DO TO A WOMAN!**

Here is the story of one conquered woman's revenge!

**GEORGE SANDERS · PHILIP DORN**  
**BRENDA MARSHALL in**  
**PARIS DARK**

after

**LATEST NEWS EVENTS**      **MATINEE**  
SAT. - - 1.45  
Matinee 11c - 30c      Eves. 11c - 40c

**LIBERTY**

HIS STOCK WAS ALL BLONDES..

Till a Brunette Witch Crashed His Market!

**GALS INCORPORATED**

with

**LEON ERROL**  
**HARRIET HILLIARD**  
**GRACE McDONALD**  
**DAVID BACON**  
**BETTY KEAN**  
**MAUREN CANNON**  
**LILLIAN CORNELL**

THE **PIED PIPERS**  
and **GLEN GRAY**  
AND THE **CASA LOMA ORCHESTRA**

**THUR. FRI. SAT. DEC. 16 - 17 - 18**

on her Lonesome Lips A SMILE  
in her Shining Eyes A PROMISE  
in her Loving Kiss A COURAGE  
... so that her man would be proud!

**Bette Davis**

The play that won the Critics' Award as "The Year's Best" brought to the screen by **WARNER BROS.**

The fine performance of her prize-winning career! Co-starring with **PAUL LUKAS** in his famed stage role

**WATCH ON THE RHINE**

**GERALDINE FITZGERALD**

**NEWS + CARTOON** 11c - 40c

**SUN. MON. TUE. DEC. 19 - 20 - 21**

**SHE'S LOVELIER THAN EVER AND HE'S CRAZY ABOUT HER!**

You'll go crazy about this terrific twosome in the most funeful triumph of their young lives!

**MICKEY ROONEY**  
**JUDY GARLAND**

in **METRO-GOLDWYN MAYER'S HIT!**

**Gershwin's GIRL CRAZY**

with **Gil Stratton**  
**Robert E. Strickland**  
**'Rags' Ragland · June Allyson**  
**Nancy Walker · Guy Kibbee**

**CARTOON**      **LATEST NEWS**  
Matinee Sun. 1.45      Mat. 11c - 35c      Eves. 11c - 50c

**WED. DEC. 22**

**Adults 30c**

THE SUSPENSE-JAMMED RADIO SERIAL BECOMES A THRILL-CRAMMED HIT ON THE SCREEN!

**Warner BAXTER**  
**CRIME DOCTOR**  
**MARGARET LINDSAY**

**NEWS + COMEDY**

