

Vigilance Needed This Summer

Mrs. Stella Cutlip, North Bend, Coos County Keep Oregon, Green chairman, announces that appointments to the Coos county committee have been completed and plans are being laid to make everyone in the county conscious of the urgent need for fire prevention.

This may be one of the worst fire years in the history of Oregon, the chairman warned, pointing out that the shortage of spring rainfall and decrease of snowfall in the mountains last winter, together with the lack of available manpower, might make this one of our most hazardous years. The chairman asked that everyone cooperate by being extra cautious with fires during the coming summer season.

The following people have received letters of appointment to the county committee from Governor Earl Snell, requesting their aid in "this important war and peace-time service": Judge L. D. Felsheim, Keith Young, Ben Stone, Sheldon F. Sackett, William Vaughan, John Hawkins, William Ruhman and Robert F. Conklyn, all of Marshfield; Lefe Compton and H. A. Young, Coquille; Arthur A. Jones, Myrtle Point; Edgar McDaniel and Dave Miller, North Bend; Chester Isaacson, of Allegany.

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WAVE Enlistment in Oregon Higher Than National Rate

A 25 per cent increase in enlistments of WAVES in June over the average for the first five months of 1944 has been recorded as an indication of the increasing popularity of this women's service, reports Chief Specialist Paul H. Connet, of the Marshfield Navy recruiting station, which handles WAVE applications in this area.

More WAVES are enlisting in Oregon now than ever before owing to three main factors:

First, the scores of Oregon WAVES who have returned to their homes on leave in the past three months have brought back enthusiastic reports of the interesting and important jobs in the Navy.

Second, Oregon women have responded to the urgent need for more WAVES to release Navy men for service at sea or at advanced bases—keeping foremost Oregon's outstanding record for volunteers for the Navy.

Third, the opening of the many new phases of naval activity and new naval stations and aviation centers to WAVES has stimulated the interest of many more young women.

Oregon has been among the leading states in the nation for the enlistment of WAVES on a per capita basis, the recruiter adds, and is now well up towards the top position in this war effort.

Oregon's increase in WAVE enlistment has been well ahead of the national increase which has shown a gain of 22 per cent in recent weeks over the average for the first 20 weeks of 1944.

Attractive uniforms, vital war jobs, opportunities for training at the nation's leading colleges, excellent pay, travel, a sense of satisfaction in handling a vital and important war job and uniformly interesting work are other factors about the WAVES which have helped increase enlistments.

Aviators "Good Time" Fund Given To The Red Cross

An Associated Press dispatch from Washington last week tells how the boys in the service regard the Red Cross. It read:

The crew of the Liberator "The Mudcat," nearing the end of their combat tour with the 13th air force in Italy, had saved up \$116 for a spree when the tour was over. But, the army reported Tuesday, they realized they might not come back from one of the remaining missions, and so left instructions that if they failed to return, the Red Cross was to get the money. Recently, the war department was notified that the \$116 had been turned over to the Red Cross in the Mediterranean. "The Mudcat" and her crew have been missing in Yugoslavia since May 16.

Church of Christ Bible School Picnic, July 23

The Bible School of the Church of Christ will hold its annual picnic Sunday, July 23. The place will be announced later. The group will leave the church following the morning service and have a basket dinner. After dinner there will be games and contests. Anyone is invited to attend but parents are requested not to send their children unless they accompany them or have someone present responsible for them.

Coos Bay Baptist Camp Made Ready For Assembly

A number of people from Coquille met with others from the Baptist churches of the county at the Coos Bay Baptist Summer Assembly grounds and stayed overnight during the recent holidays. The main purpose was to construct a kitchen, brush arbores, and cabins for the boys and girls. The Camp will be held August 21-28 this year, and a large attendance is expected. This camp is designed to serve family groups at cost and, whoever will, may attend.

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Lois Fenn Wed Last Month

Of interest to Coquille friends is the wedding held at high noon on Tuesday, June 20, at the J. A. Fenn farm home near Canyonville, when Miss Lois Fenn became the bride of Jesse B. DeWald in the presence of relatives of the couple.

Mrs. Ruth Parks sang "I Love You Truly," followed by the wedding march played by Mrs. A. M. Shaffer.

Rev. A. M. Shaffer performed the double ring ceremony before the fireplace, banked with greens and outlined with spring. The mantel was decorated with flowers and white tapers and baskets of white flowers stood on each side of the fireplace.

The bride was lovely in a floor-length gown of white taffeta with a longer veil of tulle and lace. She carried a bouquet of gardenias, orchid and brides' lilies and wore blue flowers in her hair.

Following the ceremony those present watched the newlyweds cut the cake and then partook of a buffet luncheon served at a beautifully appointed table.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fenn, parents of the bride; Mrs. Emma DeWald, mother of the groom; Mrs. Henry DeWald, Mrs. Jessie L. Quail, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Cooper, Miss Mary Anne Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Shaffer, Mrs. Ruth Parker and Robert Shaffer.

The bride is returning to the valley of her youth after spending the past nine years in the florist business in Coquille.

Mr. DeWald is the son of a prominent pioneer family of the South Umpqua valley and operates the farm which has been held by the family for many years.

After the short wedding trip they are at home on the farm on Canyonville-Days Creek road.

Former Coquille Couple Wed At Dallas, Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Varney announce the marriage of their daughter, Claudia, to Lieut. Howard D. Caudle in the Episcopal church at Dallas, Texas, on June 13.

The bride, a graduate of Coquille High School in May, was one of the princesses of the May Queen's court in the spring.

Lieut. Caudle, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Caudle, formerly of Myrtle Point and Coquille but who now live in Los Angeles, was a graduate of the Myrtle Point high school in 1939. He is now an aviation instructor at the Marine airport in Dallas, where they will make their home.

Woman's Society of Pioneer Church Meets

The Womens Society for Christian Service met in the parlors of the Pioneer Methodist church last Thursday. The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Helen Peterson. After singing hymns and prayer by the president, reports of the different chairmen were given, also messages from the Oregon Conference Bulletin. Mrs. Georgia Richmond reported on the annual conference which was held recently in Portland.

At noon a potluck luncheon was served which everyone enjoyed. In the afternoon the devotions were conducted by Mrs. Helen Peterson. Mrs. Minnie Laws had charge of the program, Africa being the topic for the afternoon. Mrs. Anna Christenson talked on Belgian Congo, Mrs. Fugelson on medical missions in Rhodesia, and Mrs. Malone on medical missions in South East Africa, all of which was very interesting to those present.

After singing "Jesus Calls Us," Mrs. Esta Ellis dismissed with prayer.

Dorcas Missionary Society Meeting Last Thursday

The Dorcas Missionary Society of the Church of Christ met with Mrs. Belle Hooton last Thursday afternoon.

A short business meeting was held after which the afternoon was spent tying a quilt. The hostess, Mrs. Hooton, served ice cream and cookies to the following ladies: Mesdames Ralph Hadsell, Lou Hutton, Arthur Heaton, Al Erickson, Guy Kelley, Amos Payne, Jennie Lafferty and a visitor, Mrs. E. M. Randeman.

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Students Have Purchased Over Nine Millions in Bonds

Students in Oregon schools purchased \$9,059,992.50 in war bonds and stamps from September, 1943, to June 1, 1944, representing a per capita investment of \$34.33, it was announced by Mrs. F. W. Blum, schools-at-war chairman, Oregon war finance committee. This standing does not include participation by college stu-

dents, who purchased an additional \$1,491,063. The purchase of bonds and stamps by Catholic schools of the western archdiocese, which amounted to \$252,481.80, a per capita rating of \$25.45, has also been omitted from the total.

Coos county pupils purchased \$129,822.00 of the \$9,059,992.50 amount, Mrs. Blum reports.

"We are especially proud of Ore-

gon's schools-at-war showing," stated E. C. Sammons, state chairman, Oregon war finance committee, "since the purchase of \$34.33 per pupil compares very favorably with the \$19.80 per capita quota set by Washington, D. C."

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