

Sentinel

COQUILLE, OREGON.

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'You've Gotta Answer Census Questions,' Says Head Of District Census, Ray Feves

"Everyone has to answer the questions asked by a census taker," Ray Feves, district census supervisor, said Wednesday in a talk before the Coquille Rotary club. "But census takers have to be 'mum' on what they are told, and if at any time in their natural lives they ever reveal any facts told them in the 1950 census, they are subject to federal prosecution," he continued.

Tracing the history of the U. S. census, he said the first census was taken in 1790 and was done by 10 U. S. marshals in twenty-four hours.

The present census will take a month and will take 144,000 enumerators, he continued.

The 1950 census is really five censuses in one as industry, irrigation, drainage, sawmills, and population and farming are all included.

On April 11, Feves said, a "census night" will be held throughout the nation when all transients will be checked.

Interesting facts coming out of the census at this time show that the nation will have around 150,000,000 people. That there are 100 males to every 99 women. Mrs. America is slightly older than her husband and is 30 while Mr. America is around 29 or so.

More people are now native born Americans, and the population under 19 is fifty-one and a half million. Parents now spend \$34 billion on their children each year.

Feves issued a warning to all people to give out information to census takers only after seeing their official card.

In the middle of May, Feves said he will give Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce Clarence Osika unofficial figures on the 1950 population of Coquille.

Long and Short

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WIN PHOTOGRAPHIC PRIZES
Ed Throckmorton and his assistant Lavarre Ramey did themselves proud at the Northwest Photographic show at the Hotel Multnomah last week. Both won "Medals of Merit."

RIVERSIDE IS BUSY TOO

A lot of information on how to sell Frigidaire's bright and gleaming line of 1950 appliances was given Manager E. M. Wilson and Sales Manager John Shilling at Eugene on Friday. . . and not to be left behind is Leroy Swinney who goes to Medford for a Frigidaire sales meeting this week. "They're out to sell this year," John Shilling says, "and we aim to show them what we can do to make this a Frigidaire country."

Interest in the school board election coming up for Coquille District 8-C continues high with rumor going about that the rural area people would like to run George Ulett, Bob Geaney, while city folk are talking up Dr. Gerald Stark, Stan Sherwood and Clarence Osika.

Remark of the week came from a boy at Dee Richardson's store and service station Tuesday night. To a youngish Rotarian—or so the Rotarian thought—who asked for a dozen eggs: "Gosh," said the boy, "we're sold out of eggs. A funny thing, but there have been more old men in tonight buying eggs, wonder why?" (Wednesday noon was deadline for turning in a dozen colored eggs for the Rotary Easter Egg hunt Sunday at the courthouse lawn.)

The new Stevens Hardware store building will cost approximately \$24,000 and will be constructed by Totm Drake and Son. The Stevens Hdw. is now in the McClary Appliance company building. Time for the new building to go up which will add much to the appearance of First street: four months.

Weather Varies

It was a spring day with temperature nearly 80 Tuesday, and it was wet and cold Wednesday. The humidity Tuesday at Bone Mountain stood at the danger mark of 21 Tuesday. . . and entirely opposite Wednesday. Oh, well, it is spring weather no matter how you take it. . . and right now Coos countians are taking it with plenty of fresh rain water.

Work Wanted

- Ploughing
- Blade Work
- Mowing

Thomas A. Henderson
Phone 3293 Evenings—Coquille
12tf

Firemen Give Thanks To Neighbors!

Coquille firemen said today that they wished to extend their appreciation and thanks to the volunteers, some nine or ten of them, who helped the fire department in fighting Coquille's most disastrous blaze, the Schroeder fire Saturday morning.

According to Assistant Chief LeRoy Swinney, the neighbors of that area "really got in and helped us a lot. Without them we would have had a much harder time than we did, and it was hard as it was. Ordinarily," Swinney said, "people helping out sort of get in the way, but these men who pitched in Saturday morning really helped us a lot. We all appreciate it."

Highway Group To Meet Here Next Wednesday

In response to many questions, Chairman Ralph T. Moore of the Legislative Highway Interim committee has announced that the general public is invited and urged to attend the highway, road and street discussion meetings which will be held at strategic points throughout the state.

Mr. Moore pointed out that the purpose of the tour is to report to the public concerning the results of the interim committee studies thus far in order to learn public opinion concerning basic policies to be recommended to the legislature, and to enlist the active support of the public for such future procedures as the public approves.

Mr. Moore further pointed out that the meetings are not exclusively of interest to those towns in which the meetings are held but rather of state-wide interest; and since there will be only 13 meetings on the entire tour, attendance is expected from a wide area surrounding each town in which the meeting will be held.

In response to further questions Mr. Moore stated that it would be unnecessary for local organizations to prepare oral or written presentations as had been requested by the previous committee for its tour two years ago. He stated that although any group having a special problem to discuss may do so, the prime purpose of the meetings is for the committee itself to outline the problems with some possible suggestions.

for remedy. Vigorous discussion from the floor is invited and will be expected.

Meetings scheduled for Southwestern Oregon are: Coquille—April 12th 8:00 p.m. Gold Beach April 13th 10:00 A. M. Grants Pass, Circuit Court Room, County Building, April 14th 10:00 a. m. Roseburg, Circuit Court Rm., Douglas County Court House, April 15th 10:00 a.m.

Funeral Services Held Wednesday For Former Resident

Funeral services for Owen H. Knowlton, 56, who passed away suddenly at his home in San Bruno, Calif., were held yesterday in that city.

Mr. Knowlton was a pioneer of Coos county and at one time owned a drug store in Coquille as his father, R. S. Knowlton, had done before him. Knowlton Heights is named after his paternal family.

Mr. Knowlton with his family moved to San Bruno some thirty years ago where he has been in the drug store business. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Myrtle Lund Knowlton, a sister of P. O. Lund; a son, Harold; a sister, Naomi, of Oakland, Calif., and a brother, Clay, of Oakland; and his mother, Mrs. Annie Knowlton of

Oakland also.

P. O. Lund flew to San Bruno Tuesday to help take care of funeral arrangements.

School Bands Please Large Audience

School bands from Lincoln junior high and the senior high plus talented singers in the Girls chorus and in individual numbers pleased a large crowd at the Community building Friday night.

Presented in their annual Spring Music concert, the school musicians under the direction of Carroll Nickels presented numerous intricate and outstanding band and vocal numbers to the appreciative audience.

Accompanying the singers during the evening were Sandra McCurdy, Joan Peart, and Donna Mast who did exceptionally well at the grand piano.

A comedy bit entitled the "Six Bits" pleased the crowd. Colleen Chowning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noble Chowning, was honored by being awarded the Rotary gold cup. The cup was later formally presented Miss Chowning by her father at the Rotary meeting Wednesday.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

I will not be responsible for any bills or contracts other than those authorized myself.—Joseph B. Yost. 12t1½

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Coquille

Phone 1154

THUR. FRI. SAT. APRIL 6-7-8

HEAD OF THE HERD IN THE BLUE GRASS - HEADING STRAIGHT FOR YOUR HEART!

Here it is! The thrill-saga of the 'orphan horse' who galloped to glory on million dollar legs!

A heartbeat to match every heartbeat but nothing can match its thrill!

THE STORY OF SEABISCUIT

COLOR BY TECHNICOLOR

NEW HIT FROM WARNER BROS.

BARRY SHIRLEY TEMPLE · FITZGERALD LON McCALLISTER

CARTOON LATEST NEWS Shows 7:00 & 9:05

SUN. MON. TUE. APRIL 9-10-11

Olivia de Havilland, Winner of The Academy Award as "The Best Actress Of The Year," for Her Performance in "THE HEIRESS"

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OF STORY...
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She was taught to love and hate... by masters!

Olivia de Havilland
Montgomery Clift
Ralph Richardson

BUGS BUNNY
Cartoon
"WHICH" IS
WITCH"

WILLIAM WYLER'S
The Heiress

MATINEE SUNDAY 1:45
EVENINGS - 7:00 & 9:15

WED. APRIL 12

FOR EVERY TOUGH GUY THERE'S A WOMAN TO SOFTEN HIM FOR THE KILL.



BRIAN DONLEVY · ELLA RAINES
CHARLES COBURN · HELEN WALKER



ANNA MAY WONG
Robert Warwick · Art Baker
Cecilia Kolb · William Wright
Tony Barrett · Mae Marsh

WEDNESDAY
ADMISSION
Adults - 55c
Inc. Tax

COMING
Thurs., April 13
MILTON BERLE
"ALWAYS LEAVE THEM LAUGHING"

ROXY

Get away from the crowd when you can. Keep yourself to yourself, if only for a few hours daily.—Arthur Brisbane.

What stubbing, ploving, digging, and harrowing is to the land, that thinking, reflecting, examining is to the mind.—George Berkeley.

FRI. SAT. SUN.

APRIL 7-8-9

MUSICAL SCOOP!
EDDY ARNOLD
THE TENNESSEE PLOWBOY
SENSATIONAL SINGING
STAR OF RADIO AND
RECORDS
Now ON THE SCREEN!

9,000,000
OF HIS RECORDS
HAVE BEEN
SOLD!!



FEATURE No. 2

YANKEE SPY WINS
BEAUTEOUS HAREM
ALLY IN PIRATE
WAR-TO-THE-DEATH!



BARBARY PIRATE
DONALD WOODS · TRUDY MARSHALL
LENORE AUBERT · STEFAN SCHNABEL
A COLUMBIA PICTURE

MATINEE

SAT. 1:00

LIBERTY