



WHEN JIM HOWE GOT HIS CALL TO THE SERVICE he still had some shakes to be put on his garage, and his house needed a coat of paint. His friends of the Coquille Volunteer Fire Department knew it, and here they are as they put the "good neighbor" policy into effect for Mr. and Mrs. Jim Howe and family on an all-day Sunday work party.

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### RACKLEFF DRUG STORE HAS FINE OPENING ON MONDAY

Dave Rackleff opened his new Rackleff Pharmacy Monday on the corner of Taylor and 1st streets, and friends poured in all day long to congratulate him on his new and colorful store.

### MAYOR CONFINED TO HOME FOR PERIOD OF REST

Mayor Ray Jeub is confined to his home this week under doctor's orders to secure some rest. He is feeling much better this week, however, and will be out of the house soon.

### LIONS CLUB SHINES AT CALF AUCTION AT COUNTY FAIR

With the Coquille Lions club selling the last year's calf scramble, beef and Lloyd Claver acting as chairman with Auctioneer O. E. Glazebrook doing the auctioneering, the young beef went for a high price generally. The Coquille Lions club was given the honor due to the fact that it was the only service club last year to donate a calf. Calves this year cost some twenty per cent more than they did a year ago, but a large number of firms participated.

### BIKES TO BE GIVEN AWAY AT LIBERTY MATINEE

Every Saturday for five weeks

a free bike will be given away at the Liberty theatre Saturday matinees, it was reported by Lloyd Wood.

### BURR LEADS POW-POW ON HIGHWAY TRUCK RUCKUS

George Burr, representing the Southern Oregon Truckers association, was one of the leaders of a meeting with Chairman Ben Chandler of the Oregon State highway commission at Coos Bay Friday at which time local mill owners and truckers protested the manner in which PUC plates were ordered jerked from many Southwestern Oregon logging trucks. Burr quoted Chandler as saying the action was taken by the highway commission on advice given them by the highway department officials.

### RIVERSIDE HOMES GOING UP

Construction work is going ahead rapidly at the new Riverside homes development at the end of 4th street off Spurgeon hill. Much work has been done and crews are busy every day on the project which will see eight new homes raised on the land formerly owned by County Commissioner Fred True.

Family People Predominate At Local Drive-In Theatre  
A boon to family people is the

Myrtle Lane Drive-In, according to Theatreman Lloyd Claver who says it is not unusual at all for a man and wife and three youngsters to make up most of the crowds at the new Drive-In theatre. The local drive-in is a popular place these summer nights, Claver says, what with baby sitters being short.

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## News Briefs of the City

### Barton Leaves

Ben Barton, who during World War II, served as a sergeant in the adjutant general department, has been recalled to active service. Barton, who graduated this year from the University of Oregon has been associated with his brother, Clarence Barton, in the West Coast Title company in Coquille.

### NEW SIGN PAINTED ON J. A. LAMB HARDWARE

A brandnew sign has been painted on the J. A. Lamb Hardware calling attention to the fact that the local company is dealer for I H and other companies.

### GETS UNUSUAL TIRES IN SHIPMENT FROM PORTLAND

No one was more surprised the other morning than Ed Walker of the Coquille Service Stations when he received a shipment of tires from Portland and among

them found a host of small tires the kind you used to use on your 1925 cars. At any rate, the boys around the station said, it should be encouraging news for the people who want odd-sized tires they still make 'em.

### LEAVE FOR EAST

Iris Elrod and Stan Sherwood of Southwestern Motors left last week for a two weeks trip to the East.

### HOW ABOUT WATER, DR. MILNE ASKS ON RETURN

Dr. Ralph Milne is an ardent booster for all things Coquille and this week he was busy asking his friends around town how they'd like to have all the water they wanted for a little over a \$1.00 a month. That's what Seattle people pay, he said. In a recent vacation-trip, Coquille was the only town that didn't have green lawns, he states.

### JIM HOWE STATIONED AT MARCH FIELD, CALIF.

Jim Howe is now stationed at March Field, California, near Riverside, Mrs. Howe informed the Sentinel this week. So far he has been awaiting his physical, but nothing else has happened. The weather however is hot, he states.

### FLUSHER APPRECIATED BY CITY RESIDENTS

Busy the past week has been the city water flusher on the street cleaning of Coquille and comment from people has been one of appreciation. The flusher is a project of the present city council and when first purchased had several bugs in it which had to be worked out to get maximum efficiency. It now works well. New signs are placed on the sides of the streets which will be swept during the night and flushed the next morning.

### DAIRY COOPERATIVE MAN TO VISIT COOS COUNTY

Will Henry, manager of the Dairy Cooperative association, was a Coos county visitor last week-end. He entertained a few local people at breakfast Thursday.

### STRAW HATS APPEAR

Straw hats are on sale in Coquille stores to advertise the Fall Festival Days events at which time the Coquille Chamber of Commerce will be hosts to several thousand people with a free barbecue in back of the Community building. The Coquille Active club is behind the straw hat sale, and says the hats are to be sold at cost from various Coquille stores.

### COMMUNITY BUILDING POPULAR MECCA OF VISITORS

The Coquille Community building has around ten to twenty tourists a day, officials state, and the people are much impressed with the building and the story behind it. It has had many more visitors since the Oregon Newspaper publishers met in it and went back to the various Oregon cities to make a report on the trip to Coquille.

### ROTARY HOLDS DEFICIT FINANCE MEET LAST NIGHT

Rotarians met in a club assembly last night at the Cedar Room to consider "deficit financing" of the Coquille swimming pool. With an approximate sum of \$2400 needed to clean up the cost of the modern swimming pool at the Community building, Rotarians are mapping a program to raise the money and complete the work.

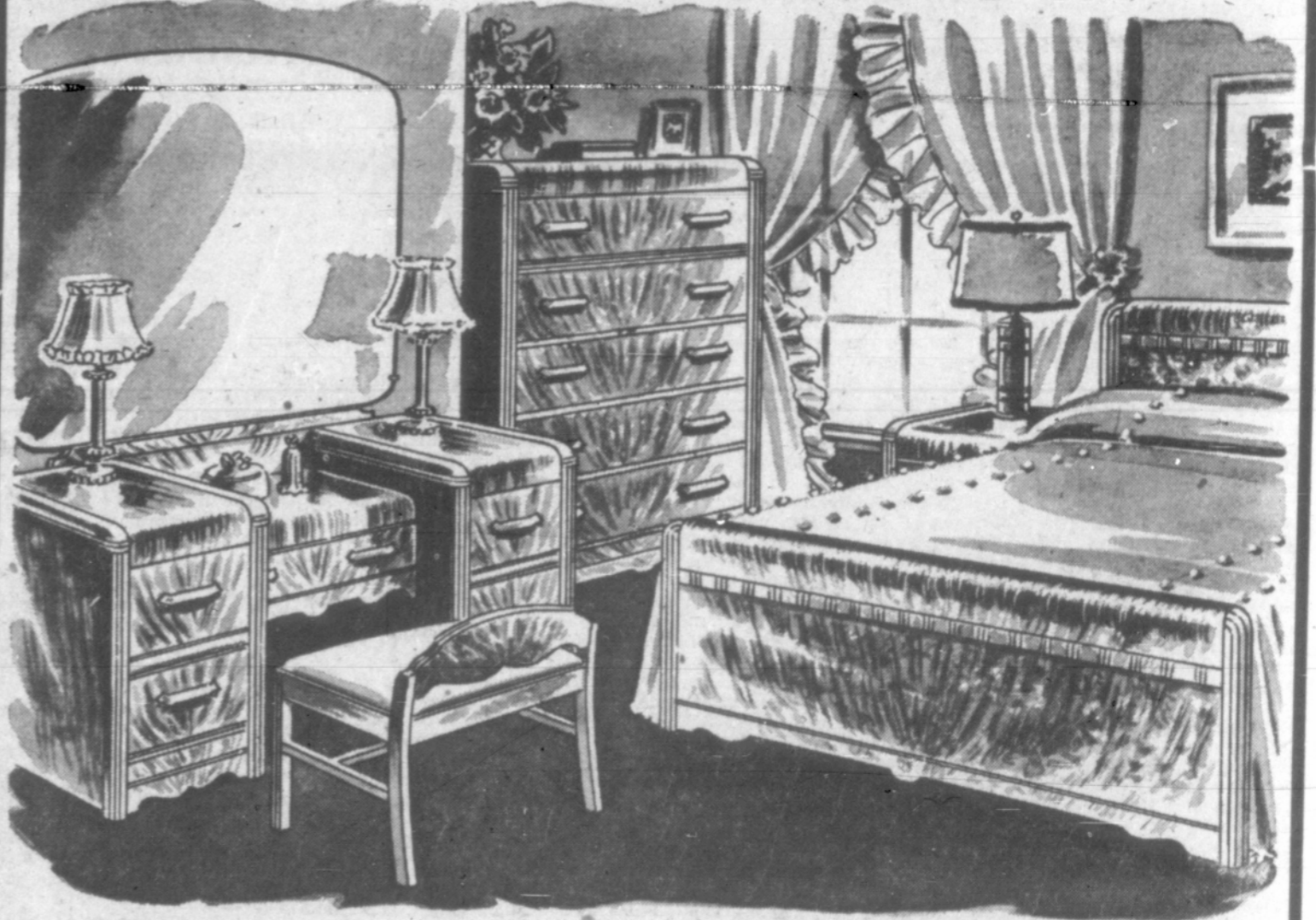
### ROYAL NEIGHBORS INVITED TO COUNTY RALLY, POWERS

The Coquille Royal Neighbors have been invited to attend an all-day county rally of the Royal Neighbors at Powers on September 11. At their last meeting the Coquille Royal Neighbors initiated two new members, Esther Piper and Lillian Weeks. In charge of the social program were Jane Terry and Mary Williams.

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