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THE NATION'S LOSS

When President Roosevelt passed away last week, the nation lost one of her great men. Regardless of whether we agreed with his policies or not, he was regarded by all as one of the shrewdest presidents we have had since Lincoln, and this is paying him one of the highest tributes.

It seems a pity he could not be spared until after the world peace conference in San Francisco this month—the conference he arranged for and would have attended. However, the conference, as far as the United States is concerned, had been developed so far, that it will go ahead just as he had planned it with the men he had appointed to do the job. His work was done.

President Roosevelt broke more national traditions than all the presidents before him put together, at least it seems he did, and the people loved him for it, for they elected him to four terms as president of the nation—the highest honor the people can bestow on any man.

If President Roosevelt had passed away any time before the war, the nation would have lost a great man, but losing him at a time when his counsel and knowledge of the war situation were most vital, it was akin to a national calamity. It would have been a calamity in most countries, but we of the United States never know when to quit—in fact we don't quit until our number is called. So it was with the President.

President Truman has been thrust into a position he did not expect, but the people of the nation are solidly with him in his hour of need, and he has boldly and openly asked for the help of all, and we as patriotic Americans will give it to him a hundred percent. God bless the President.

BRAKE TESTING PROGRAM GETS GO SIGN THIS WEEK

State, county and city law enforcement officers this week began checking brakes on all private passenger cars stopped during routine traffic enforcement activities as the nation-wide brake emphasis program, sponsored by the International Association of Chiefs of Police got under way April 15.

In Oregon, the program has the written endorsement of Governor Earl Snell, Secretary of State Robert S. Farrell and Mayor Earl Riley of Portland.

The purpose of the program is to focus the driving public's attention on the importance of brake maintenance in the interests of accident prevention and motor vehicle conservation.

"Traffic accidents have been on the upgrade since late in 1943," Secretary of State Farrell said today. "Speed trends throughout

the United States are upward and the average motor vehicle today is twice as old as the average vehicle on the roads in pre-war days. With these facts before them, the IACP decided to sponsor the nation-wide campaign to call attention to the need for good brakes.

"Brakes are involved in nearly every accident and in many moving traffic violations. If brakes are adequate for safe stopping, there is less danger of accidents. For that reason, law enforcement officers in every town, city, coun-

ty and state in the nation, are conducting the brake check during the period April 15-June 1."

The brake check consists of placing the check-block, a one-inch thick block, under the brake pedal. The pedal is depressed and if it strikes the block before the brakes start to take hold, it means the brakes are inadequate and the driver is advised to have them adjusted.

CHURCHES

BRIDGEVIEW COMMUNITY CHURCH

Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Young People's service, 7:45 p. m.
Evening service, 8:15 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8 p. m.

ILLINOIS VALLEY CHURCH OF SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS

Sabbath School 1:30 p. m.
Preaching 3:00 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.
You are invited to meet with us.
F. W. Cooper, elder, Cave Junction.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD I. O. O. F. HALL, KERBY

Sunday school 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evangelistic Service 8:00 a. m.
Rev. D. B. Wantland, pastor.

CAVE JUNCTION COMMUNITY CHURCH

George H. Gray, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.

Sunday school attendance 50. Christine Duncan placed the feltogram figures on the board while the story was told by Mrs. Nicholson.

Rev. Gray's scripture reading was found in Matt. 22:34-42. "Jesus Calls and I Must Follow" was sung by Mrs. Wendell Lee and Miss Joy Lee.
The Sunday afternoon song

CAVE CITY COFFEE SHOP

(Under New Management)

Cordially invites the residents of the valley to dine at this popular cafe.

It will be our constant aim to give you the best meals the market affords.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Budd



For Mother's Day

It really isn't a bit too early to select those gifts you will want for the second Sunday in May. Early selection is advisable for this year many items are limited.

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service was led by Rev. Gray. The next "Gospel Sing" will be May 22 with Selma in charge.

The Missionary ladies met today (Thursday) at Kumfy Kamp to tie a quilt.

Mrs. Ruth Hill has received word that her sister, who has been very ill, is beginning to show improvement.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation for the help and kindness of our friends and others, after the loss of our home by fire recently, at O'Brien.

The Dwight McConnel Family.

BLESSED EVENTS

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. James H. Coan (Janet Martin) at the Josephine General Hospital in Grants Pass, Sunday, April 15, at 12:10 p. m., a son, named James North, weighing six pounds, five ounces.



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Evans & Parker Market

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KERBY, OREGON

THE - HEART - OF - ILLINOIS - VALLEY

And he shall judge among the nations, and shall rebuke many people: and they shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruninghooks: nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more.— Isaiah 2-4.

"SERVICE" Is Our Motto

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APRIL

- 23—Riot in Montreal over overseas conscription, 1942.
- 24—Library of Congress founded 85,000 worth of books purchased, 1800.
- 25—Senate ratifies Gadsden Purchase on lands acquired from Mexico, 1854.
- 26—First permanent English settlers in America land in Virginia, 1607.
- 27—Archbishop McCloskey invested as first American Cardinal, 1875.
- 28—U. S. and Latin America sign trade-mark agreement, 1923.
- 29—U. S. Marines, commanded by Farraut, occupy New Orleans, 1862.

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