

**Postal Clerk Job Examinations This Month**

Civil service examinations for appointment as substitute clerks at Kerby and Selma postoffices will be held in the postoffice building in Grants Pass at 8:30 a. m., Saturday, Oct. 29, the U. S. Civil Service commission announces.

No specific experience or education is required but applicants must take a written test, including sorting, general knowledge and

ability to follow instructions. They must be bona fide patrons of the office in which they seek employment. They must be between 18 and 50 years of age, except in cases of veterans and some war-service indefinite employes. Applicants may obtain application blanks from their own post-offices.

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From where I sit... *by Joe Marsh*

**But Curly "Knows  
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Was over at Doc Sherman's drug store listening to the World Series on the radio. Curly Lawson wanders in and says: "How about a chocolate malted, Doc?"

"Sorry, Curly," says Doc, "can't make you a malted for a while yet." "What's the idea?" Curly asks. "Well," says Doc, "most of the folks want to hear the game and the mixer makes too much noise." Curly thinks a moment and says, "Okay with me, Doc—I'll take a chocolate soda!"

This shows how tolerant folks can be. Doc showed his respect for

how the majority felt; Curly was big enough not to insist on his malted even though he doesn't happen to be fond of baseball.

From where I sit, willingness to respect the other people's feelings is important in a Democracy. If we're tolerant of a person's like for baseball or a glass of temperate beer, we've come a long way on the right road... the road to a better America, that is!

*Joe Marsh*

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**New State Directory Is Nearing Completion**

Oregon's new state directory, better known as the "Blue Book," is nearing completion and will soon be ready for distribution. Secretary of State Earl T. Newbry has announced.

The directory contains current and historical information on all phases of state and local government, as well as statistical material and features of general interest to the state. It is distributed without charge to schools and public offices.

Newbry, whose office is directed by law to compile the book every two years, reminded persons wishing to purchase a copy that the last legislature increased the price from 25 to 50 cents to cover increased costs of printing.

Failure to include the correct amount with an order is causing extra correspondence and delay he pointed out.

**NAVY LOOKING FOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADS**

The Navy announced recently that the fourth nation-wide competitive examination for its College Training Program has been scheduled for December 3, 1949, and will be open to high school seniors or graduates within the age requirements. Successful candidates will be given a four-year college education at government expense and will be commissioned as officers of the Navy or Marine Corps upon graduation.

The program is open to male citizens of the United States between the ages of 17 and 21. The students selected by these competitive examinations will be assigned to the 52 Naval Reserve Officers' Training Corps units which are located in various universities and colleges in the United States. If accepted by the college, they will be appointed Midshipmen, U. S. N. R., and will have their tuition, books, and normal fees paid for by the government. In addition they will receive pay at the rate of \$50.00 a month for the four-year period. Upon graduation they may be commissioned as officers in the Regular Navy or Marine Corps and required to serve on active duty for two years. At the end of this time they may apply for retention in the Regular Navy or Marine Corps, or transfer to the Reserve and return to

**O'BRIEN NEWS**

By Ruby Thompson

Norma Burrows, Peggy Love, Mae Hearing and Julia Williams, attended Teachers Institute at Klamath Falls last week end.

The O'Brien Missionary Circle of the Community church met with Mrs. Burton on Wednesday.

Bill Thatcher returned from Los Angeles but Mrs. Thatcher is remaining for a longer visit with their daughter and family.

Ted Webb, Marie and Charles Floyd, returned from Arkansas and other southern points this week.

**GIRL SCOUT ACTIVITIES**

Troop No. 93 held two meetings this season with good attendance. New members are Delores Booth, Joan Smith and Moonyeen Deaton.

Officers for the Troop are Alice Blanchard, president; Joan Yandell, vice president; Joan Smith, secretary; Noreen Deaton, treasurer and Jean Chappell, scribe.

A Halloween party by the girls of the Troop to entertain United Scout Troops will be the evening of October 28th, at the Legion hall.

civilian life.

Clarence Hagen, principal of Kerby high school, who is acting as the Navy's local civilian representative, will be pleased to provide specific information about the program, including the time and place of the competitive examination, the method of making application, and the specific age and scholastic qualifications.

Florence Deaton, leader, assisted by Mrs. Henry will be pleased to welcome mothers and new members at these meetings held in the Auxiliary room on Thursday from 4:30 to 5:30 p. m.

Troop No. 3 is planning an initiation and troop award program for Friday, October 14 at 7:30 p. m., at Kerby school.

Guests will be the sponsor and committee members of this troop. World friendship pins will be presented to each member and Scout pins given to visiting guests. A specific feature will be the dramatization skit that the troop will present over KUIN November 1 in honor of Girl Scout Week, time to be announced later.

A closed membership will be decided at this meeting and girls wanting to join should be at this meeting for particulars. Refreshments will be served by Lee Carson, leader, and Assistant Leader, Barnette Smith.

**Woodchuck Nuisance**

Woodchucks are nuisances on any farm or pasture. Many a head of livestock has broken its leg by stepping into one of these holes. The mounds of dirt around the holes interfere with farm machinery. These animals destroy a certain amount of grain but their main damage is done in their burrowing.

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