

# The Editor Speaking

Last week we took a little punch at our defeated presidential candidate, "Windy Winkle." Mr. Willkie failed to stop hostilities in Europe while visiting in England; but we will admit since his return he is turning the heat on some stubborn politicians in Washington who have fought every movement to aid England. In our mind, no American would hesitate to lend all possible aid and do so at once. We once heard that the only time Hitler smiled was when news came that his agents here had caused some delay in getting help to Britain. That smile must now be as permanent as the dinky bunch of hair above it. We might do more toward ending this war were we to lick the Germany within our own shores.

Since Leonard Hall forsook the Miner in favor of a smelly trolly by the name of "Trixie" (rechristened the "Christina"), we have heard nothing from him. However, in last week's issue of the Port Umpqua Courier we learn that he still is around Reedsport where he has been fitting out his boat. The Courier editor in explaining the fact that Hall has not been in to see him says, "Mr. Hall is either ashamed for deserting the newspaper fraternity or fears that the smell of printer's ink might prove more potent than that of the fish and yet wean him away from the sea."

Thousands of dollars are required for every change of dies and thousands more for changes of inks in producing new issues of postage stamps for the gratification of stamp collectors. Years ago we were promised the return of 2-cent postage. Instead we get a headache watching the kaleidoscopic display of stamps that are passed through postoffice windows when we ask for six bits worth.

William Allen White has said: "Advertising is the genie which is transforming America into a place of comfort, luxury and ease for millions." We would suggest the "ease" be applied to those who do not advertise. They certainly are not bothered with heavy business transactions.

It seems that Lewis may still be the bad boy of labor. It is now feared that he may use a coal tieup as a wrench to toss into the defense machinery. The contract of the United Mine Workers expires March 31 and should they call a strike, it would practically paralyze the defense program.

Japan steps out in a new role—that of world peace maker. She offers to settle the little dispute between Germany and England and tells the United States that everything will be just lovely in the Pacific—if we keep out of her way.

In looking over the records we see where Italian airmen bombed an American church mission. Practice workout, maybe. No chance of return fire.

With the golden dreams of the golden first World War days, Herbert Hoover is again playing his food rationing game.

## State Forest Wealth Conference Subject

Oregon has a greater "stake" in its forest lands and its forest resources than any other state, hence it is fitting that a conference on the perpetuation of the forests and forest industries should be held, says Dr. G. W. Peavy, president emeritus of Oregon State college and long the head of the college school of forestry.

Such a one-day conference is scheduled for Saturday, Feb. 22, on the campus to be climaxed in the evening by the annual "Fern-hopper banquet," which brings together students and alumni of the school of forestry and leaders in the forest service and lumbering industry.

Specialists will discuss ways and means of controlling forest fires, handling logged-off lands and obtaining greatest values from present timber and recreational resources of the forest lands.

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## D. PEROZZI LAID TO REST HERE MONDAY

Funeral services for Domingo "D" Perozzi, long-time resident of Ashland, whose death occurred at the Community hospital Saturday, Feb. 15, were held at the Elks temple at 2 o'clock p. m. Monday. Interment was made in the Ashland cemetery.

A native of Switzerland, where he was born Feb. 18, 1871, Mr. Perozzi came to Ashland in 1897 and purchased the Ashland creamery which he operated many years. He was long interested in the dairying business in Oregon and at the time of his death had one of the finest herds of registered Brown Swiss dairy cattle in the northwest at his farm near Eugene.

Mr. Perozzi was a charter member of Ashland lodge No. 944, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks and was a past exalted ruler of that lodge. He also was affiliated with the IOOF and Rebekah lodges. During his long residence he was ever active in civic affairs.

He is survived by his wife, the former Louise Granieri, whom he married in 1902, and two daughters, Lucile of Portland and Dr. Thelma Perozzi of Santa Barbara, and a brother in Pleasanton, Calif.

## GRIZZLIES AND HONKERS TO VIE

Ashland's high school and junior high basketball teams take to the road this week-end when the high school team faces Lakeview in non-conference games tonight and Saturday night on the Honkers' court and the juniors pay a return to the Klamath Falls Frosh on the Klamath court tonight. The junior high-Frosh game will serve as a preliminary to the Grants Pass-Klamath high contest.

Medford's Tigers play the Pelicans on the Klamath floor Saturday night.

The Grizzlies were somewhat taken back by their 32-34 loss to Medford Tuesday night and will attempt to take their spite out on the strong Honkers. Klamath Falls, who holds a 52 to 23 win over Ashland, stopped Lakeview 46 to 40 last week.

## 7 Ashland Girls Enter Wonderland Contest

The Wonderland association has announced that Ashland candidates for the regional title of "Miss Shasta-Cascade" and for the title of "Miss Jackson County" are Marijane Frohreich, Jeanette Burton, Jean Moseley, Shirley Putman, Maybelle Dyer, Annis Norris and Laura Mae Ross.

On conclusion of enrollment of candidates in Klamath county, Ore. and Shasta county, Calif. which now is in progress, the Shasta-Cascade Wonderland association's publicity and advertising campaign to designate a corps of 10 "Wonderland Welcomettes" as regional and individual county theme girls will be in full swing in all nine counties. Those designated to officiate as "Miss Shasta-Cascade—1941 Alice in Wonderland" and as theme girls for this and other counties of the region will serve in photographic and ceremonial ways to lend color and originality to the association's intensive national campaign through newspapers, magazines, pictorial services, news movies and personal appearances to publicize the Shasta-Cascade Wonderland scenic and recreational region.

## SOCE Scholarships For Ranking 'Preps'

The Oregon system of higher education again is offering scholarships to high school seniors who plan to enroll in any of the schools in this system. These scholarships will be available to students planning to attend the Southern Oregon College of Education during the school year 1941-42, according to Marshall E. Woodell, registrar.

Graduates of high schools who rank in the upper third or their high school graduating class, who need financial assistance, and who are recommended by the high school principal and by the high school faculty committee on scholarships are eligible to apply. The scholarships amount to \$22.50, out of a total of \$57.50, which is the amount of tuition and fees for one year at the Southern Oregon College of Education.

Students interested in these scholarships should see their high school principal or write to the registrar at the Southern Oregon College of Education. Applications must be filed with the registrar by April 1, 1941, Woodell states.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS STRESS FARM-TO-MARKET ROADS FOR DEFENSE



—Photo by Highway Information Service.

Importance of farm-to-market roads to national defense was highlighted by deliberations of County Highway Officials at 38th annual "Roads for Defense" Convention of American Road Builders' Association in New York City, January 27-31. Left to right, above, are L. V. Belknap, president, ARBA County Highway Officials' Division and engineer-manager, Oakland County Road Commission, Pontiac, Mich.; Paul B. Rynning, Jackson County, Medford Ore., engineer; N. P. Lowrey, vice-chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Miami, Fla., and Manton Hannah, McLennan County, Waco, Tex., engineer, division vice-president. Belknap said, "No army, no navy can move without food and supplies. Roads are as necessary to national defense as guns and ammunition. We need roads to the farms where the food is produced. We need roads so our defense forces can be transported wherever and whenever needed."

## Game Commission Reports Fishing Seasons And Limits

Several changes in the 1941 fishing regulations, just released by the Oregon state game commission, will be of interest to local anglers.

On the Rogue river, the commission has ordered the stream closed to angling from the Gold Ray dam to a point 100 yards below the Gold Ray bridge. This order probably will be in effect until a new fishway is installed by the California-Oregon Power company. That part of the Rogue river for a distance of 100 yards above the fish racks at Rogue Elk also will be closed.

In the Rogue river steelhead are to be classified as trout and all laws regarding trout are there applicable to steelhead; provided, however, that the bag limit for steelhead over 20 inches in length shall be three in any one day but not more than six in any seven consecutive days.

Open season in the Rogue river and its tributaries will be April 12 to Dec. 31, both dates inclusive, except that in all tributaries above Gold Hill, open season will be April 12 to Nov. 30. There also will be an open season for the taking of trout over 10 inches in length in Rogue river and Illinois river, exclusive of their tributaries, during the month of January each year, and there will be an open season for taking of trout over 10 inches in length in that part of the Illinois river, exclusive of its tributaries, from its confluence with the Rogue river to a point upstream known as Illinois river falls during the month of February of each year.

At fish lake open season will be from April 12 to August 15, both dates inclusive, and it is provided that that part of the lake from its head to a distance of one-quarter mile below the head of the lake will be closed to angling. Bag limit will be 10 pounds and one fish but not to exceed 10 fish in any one day, or 20 pounds and one fish but not to exceed 20 fish in any seven consecutive days.

Bag limit for Lake o' the Woods will be 10 pounds and one fish but not to exceed 15 fish in any one day, and 20 pounds and one fish but not to exceed 30 fish in any seven consecutive days.

General seasons and limits are as follows: **Salmon:** Salmon 20 inches and over, open season entire year. Bag limit, three such fish in any one day but not to exceed 10 such fish in any seven consecutive days and it shall be unlawful to have more than six such fish in possession at any one time.

**Salmon 15 inches and over but less than 20 inches,** open season entire year. Bag limit, 15 pounds and one fish but not to exceed 20 fish in any one day, or 30 pounds and one fish but not to exceed 40 fish in any seven consecutive days. This bag is to be counted with and as part of the trout bag limit.

Salmon under 15 inches are

classified as trout and may be taken only as such.

The above applies to all waters of the state of Oregon open to angling, including the Columbia river.

**Bass:** Open season entire year, except in Oswego lake, Clackamas county, where open season is from April 12 to Oct. 31, both dates inclusive. Bag limit in Oswego lake, six in any one day.

Except as otherwise specifically provided for, bag limit is 20 pounds and one fish but not to exceed 30 fish in any one day, or 40 pounds and one fish but not to exceed 60 fish in any seven consecutive days.

**Crappies, Catfish, Perch and Sunnys:** Open season entire year, except as hereinafter specified. Bag limit, 30 such fish or 20 pounds and one fish, but not to exceed 30 fish of all species combined in possession at any one time.

**Trout Over Six Inches:** April 12 to Oct. 15, inclusive, except as follows: May 3 to Nov. 1, inclusive, in Baker, Union, Umatilla, Grant, Malheur, Wallowa, Harney, Lake, Gilliam, Wheeler and Morrow counties.

General bag limit for trout over six inches, 15 pounds and one fish but not to exceed 15 fish in any one day, or 30 pounds and one fish but not to exceed 30 fish in any seven consecutive days.

Trout over 10 inches in length, open season entire year in the waters of the Pacific ocean and in the tidewaters thereof, except as otherwise specified, and in the waters of Tahkenitch lake, Siltcoos lake, Ten Mile lake, Mercer lake, Sutton lake, Devils lake, (Continued on page 8)

## Three Scholarships Offered Farm Boys

High school graduates of Oregon will have opportunity to obtain three additional \$100 scholarships to attend Oregon State college to study agriculture under a scholarship program just announced by the Standard Oil company of California.

This company has given the college \$300 to be awarded in three scholarships for next year to two boys who have made excellent records in 4-H work and one in Smith-Hughes agriculture projects. As other firms are offering similar scholarships to stimulate interest in scientific agriculture among young farmers, a uniform application blank will be available later for those interested, says Wm. A. Schoenfeld, dean of agriculture.

The Standard Oil company also has made a grant of an equal amount to be awarded to three young men who cannot attend college but who will use a \$100 grant for some approved project on their home farm. County agents and Smith-Hughes teachers will be advised later concerning details of these awards.

## Trinity Guild Host To Group From Medford

Trinity guild was at home to members of the Episcopal guild of Medford in the parish house Thursday afternoon. A short but interesting program preceded tea time. Harialee Wilson offered two splendid violin solos which were enthusiastically received. Dr. Claude Sayre followed with a short talk along patriotic lines commemorating the birthdays of the great Americans whom we honor in February.

The second soloist of the afternoon was Mrs. Stephen Epler, whose beautiful soprano voice has not been heard to better advantage. Her numbers were Rimski-Korsikoff's "The Nightingale and the Rose" and "The Lord's Prayer," by Melotte.

The very excellent accompanying of Mrs. L. L. Huffman added much to the comfort of the soloists and the delight of the audience.

A beautiful arrangement of spring blossoms and tall tapers centered the tea table, which was presided over by Mrs. Claude Sayre and Mrs. O. G. Crawford. Assisting about the room were Mrs. C. I. J. Porter, president of Trinity guild; Mrs. John Dougherty, Mrs. Hal McNair, Mrs. Don Provost, Mrs. Clyde Dunham, Mrs. R. L. Burdic and Mrs. Elwood Hedberg.

## STUDENT PILOTS PASS EXAMS

Primary and secondary civilian pilot training classes, fall phases, recently have been completed at the Southern Oregon College of Education. The following students successfully passed their examinations:

Primary—Merl Elbert Beagle, Letha Grace Coulter, John Raymond Pratt, Joseph Everett Spayde, Warren Butler Thompson, Ashland; Robert Weldon Sage, Central Point; George Eugene Gates Jr., Richard Melvin Mole, Edward Richardson Reum, Medford, and Eugene William Crites, Roseburg.

Advanced—Dean Bruner Ashcraft, Lawson Stansbie Engle, Lee Earl O'Harra and Kenton Eugene Robbins, Ashland; George Wesley Hurd, Eagle Point; Ray Lester Ettinger, Rupert James Henry, Russell Wooten Jordan and Robert James Prentice, Medford, and Martin Luther Jr., Talent.

## Taylor Tells of SOCE Benefits To Ashland

Dr. Arthur Taylor of the Southern Oregon College of Education told of the contributions of the college to the community in a talk at Lions club dinner Tuesday evening. He briefly outlined the benefits to the city derived from the school, both physically and culturally, stating that many are only vaguely aware of the value of SOCE as an asset to the community.

New members initiated into the club were Elwood Hedberg, Dr. Robert Lee and W. C. Savin.

## TWO LOCAL MEN CALLED

Two Ashland men were among the draftees to leave Medford last night to begin their year of military service. They were Leland James Ashcraft and Bernard J. Leblanc.

## BURNS REMODELS OFFICE

M. T. Burns has enlarged and remodeled his office which now includes the space formerly occupied by E. C. Walls. Several partitions were removed and the front window space now contains an attractive monument display.

## Church Women Hold World Prayer Service

Women of nine churches are participating in a World Day of Prayer Service, 2:00 o'clock, Feb. 28 in the Baptist Church. The churches taking part include the Baptist, Methodist, Nazarene, Brethren, Full Gospel, Congregational, Trinity Episcopal, Christian and Presbyterian.

The World Day of Prayer is sponsored by the national committee of church women. All women are invited to attend.

## IN JUSTICE COURT

Herbert Lester Taylor and John Percy Samuels each received fines for driving without an operators license.

Robert Giles Verbeck was fined \$2.00 and costs and Edward C. Blackwell \$1.00 and costs for having no registration certificate.

William F. Sullinger who was charged with operating an unlicensed trailer forfeited his \$5. bail. Earl S. Hoadley and Leslie A. Tye each received fines for violations of basic rule.

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## BATTERY B TO MAN MORTARS AT FT. CANBY

By JACK BENTLEY

FORT STEVENS, Ore., Feb. 19.—Men of Battery B once again are preparing to move, having been informed that they would be transferred to Fort Canby, Wash., where they will man the 12-inch mortars at Battery Gunther. The move probably will get underway Thursday morning.

Many of the men are opposed to the move since they are the only outfit affected and Fort Canby is not as large or as well developed as Stevens. For several years Battery B has manned the six-inch disappearing rifle, but it now appears that the 12-inch mortars may be its permanent assignment.

At least one hike a week with complete equipment which includes full packs, rifles and side arms, has been part of the training recently. This Tuesday the battery took a 10-mile hike to the Peter Ardale, a shipwrecked boat on Clatsop beach. Other phases of the training are suppression of domestic disturbances, signalling and various lectures.

Several of the fellows saw the Roseburg game and were highly elated over the outcome. The men in Battery B really feel that the Grizzlies are Salem-bound now.

Washington's birthday coming on Saturday will mean an extra day leave this week end; so several of the fellows are expecting to spend it in Ashland.

## MRS. PRATT HOSTESS TO FORTNIGHTLY CLUB

Mrs. C. E. Pratt entertained the members of the Fortnightly Study club and their guests at her home on North Main Monday afternoon. The occasion was the annual guest day and approximately 40 ladies enjoyed dessert at 1:30, which was served by the hostess and her assisting committee, Mrs. C. H. Putney, Mrs. Marcia Ross, Mrs. William Snyder and Mrs. Walter Herndon.

The program which followed dessert included introduction of guests by each member, who employed either a few well chosen words or blank verse, and musical numbers and talks.

## Mayor's Condition Said Satisfactory

Mayor Thornton S. Wiley was "progressing satisfactorily" this morning at the Community hospital where he underwent an emergency appendectomy Wednesday night.

Mayor Wiley had been ill since Tuesday, but thinking it nothing serious had not sought medical attention. As a result the appendix was ruptured some time before the operation.

## NOTICE!

The Lincoln school will present the operetta, "The Magic Nutcracker," by Tschalkowsky, Monday, March 10, at the auditorium of the Southern Oregon College of Education. The afternoon performance will be at 2 o'clock for children and the evening performance at 7:30 o'clock for adults. Price for children is 10 cents and for adults 25 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ollom and Mr. and Mrs. A. Hall were shopping in Medford Saturday.

## SEEN IN A DAZE



JACK HALPHILL admitting to the printer that Webster is right—occasionally.

LION CUBS HEDBERG, LEE and SAVIN dining with the Lions potluck fashion—and no cover charge.

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS WAYNE G. BROWN burning up the guard path after burning up the beans.

POLICEMAN 'PARK' HESS trying to figure out a new answer he received when he accused a lady motorist of traveling 40 miles per hour. "Why, I haven't even been out an hour!"

JOHN BROADY swearing by all that's high and mighty that he was nowhere near BOB FLAHERTY'S sawdust pile last Saturday night.