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## TALENT NEWS

Mrs. Vera Doran of Ashland substituted for Stanley Robbins on the mail route No. 2 Ashland last week.

Perry Skeeters of Prospect spent the week end in Talent visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Belle Skeeters.

Mrs. Andrew McMahon arrived in Talent, Friday morning from Denver, Colorado to attend the funeral of her uncle, Andy McMahon, which took place at the Christian Science Church in Ashland Saturday afternoon. Mr. McMahon passed away at his home on Thursday morning after a lingering illness.

Mrs. A. M. Bunch of near Little Rock, Kansas, who spent the summer here with her son, Mr. Jake Gingsich and family and other relatives in Oregon, returned to her home this week.

Sgt. Chris Carroll, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Carroll of near Trail, stationed near Bakersfield, California, is home for a two week's furlough and visited friends in Talent last week.

Al Sherard and Mr. and Mrs. Weyburn Kenyon and family moved into Mr. Sherard's home in Talent, Saturday.

Pvt. Frankie Denham and wife of Camp Adair visited Mrs. Denham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Connor and other relatives here last week.

The Talent basketball team defeated Eagle Point Friday night at Eagle Point in the conference game. The score was 34 to 20.

Mrs. Cal Harper was a business caller and also visited friends in Ashland Saturday.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Ben Clark Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. C. Smith was shopping in Medford Saturday.

(Too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Al Norris of Ashland called on friends in Talent Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Combust and son Hugh, Jr. of Orchard, Washington arrived here Wednesday to spend week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Homes of Ashland called on relatives in Talent on New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bailey entertained at dinner on New Year's day. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Combust, who are visiting in the valley and Mrs. Louisa Combust were the

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Claude Rains in "Phantom of the Opera"

**MRS. MARIE BONDERSON**

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon at the Litwiler Funeral Home for Mrs. Marie Bonderson, a resident of Ashland for 34 years.

Survivors include her husband, Carl Bonderson, two sons, Chris and Anton of Dunsmuir and three grandchildren.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Orth Miller on January 5, 1944, a son.

guests.

Bob Purves, a former resident now living in Yreka, spent the week end in Talent visiting relatives and friends.

Pvt. Robert Baylor stationed at Camp Adair, spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Baylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parr attended a New Year's Wake party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Barritt in Phoenix.

Bill Hochkiss, who has been confined to his home with flu, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harrison and granddaughter returned home Monday from a two weeks visit in Los Angeles and San Francisco where they visited relatives.

At the Talent Methodist Church a New Year's Watch meeting was held. Chaplain Lacquement was in charge and was assisted by men from the camp, who gave special music. Following the service the young people met with Chaplain Lacquement and service men for a time of fellowship and to herald the New Year in.

Mrs. Belle Skeeters visited her son Everett and family in Prospect, Sunday.

## Workers Help Bethlehem to Exceed Promise

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### MRS. HEATH RECEIVES CLIPPINGS FROM DENVER

Mrs. C. A. Heath is in receipt of an interesting clipping from "The Rocky Mountain News", Denver, which tells the life story of her adopted son, Bob Heath. The story is entitled, "The Miracle" and tells how Bob and his father and sisters were reunited at Thanksgiving time after a separation dating back to his infancy.

Mrs. Heath thinks that it is a miracle too that in these days of slow mail travel that the clipping taking a circuitous route to reach her, arrived in six days after publication. A soldier sent the clipping to his mother at Roseburg, who in turn, sent it to her friend, Mrs. Heath here in Ashland. The article was illustrated with pictures of Mr. Heath and his family.

## Ration-Time RECIPES



Here's a cheese and macaroni loaf with rarebit sauce that's a toothsome mainstay on a meatless menu. Part of the cheese sauce, made with cottonseed oil margarine, is used to add flavor and moisture to the loaf, and the rest is served with the loaf when it is sliced:

### CHEESE & MACARONI LOAF WITH RAREBIT SAUCE

- 1 cup elbow macaroni
- 3 tablespoons margarine
- 3 tablespoons flour
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon celery salt
- 1/4 teaspoon dry mustard
- Dash of pepper
- 1 1/4 cups milk
- 1 cup (4 oz.) shredded American cheese
- 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 2 eggs, well beaten
- 1/4 cup chopped green pepper

Cook macaroni in rapidly boiling salted water until tender; drain. Melt margarine. Blend in flour and seasonings. Remove from heat. Add milk gradually, mixing well. Cook over low heat, stirring until thickened. Add cheese, stirring until melted. Add Worcestershire sauce. To well beaten eggs, add macaroni, green pepper, and half of cheese sauce; mix well. (Place rest of sauce over hot water.) Pour macaroni mixture into well greased loaf pan. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) about 45 minutes. Turn out on warm platter. Garnish with water cress and broiled tomato slices, seasoned with grated onion, salt, and pepper. Serve loaf, sliced, with remaining cheese sauce. Serves 6.

Other favorite low-point recipes are found in a 32-page cookbook "Ration-Time Recipes." Free copy may be obtained from National Cotton Council, Box 18, Memphis (1) Tennessee.

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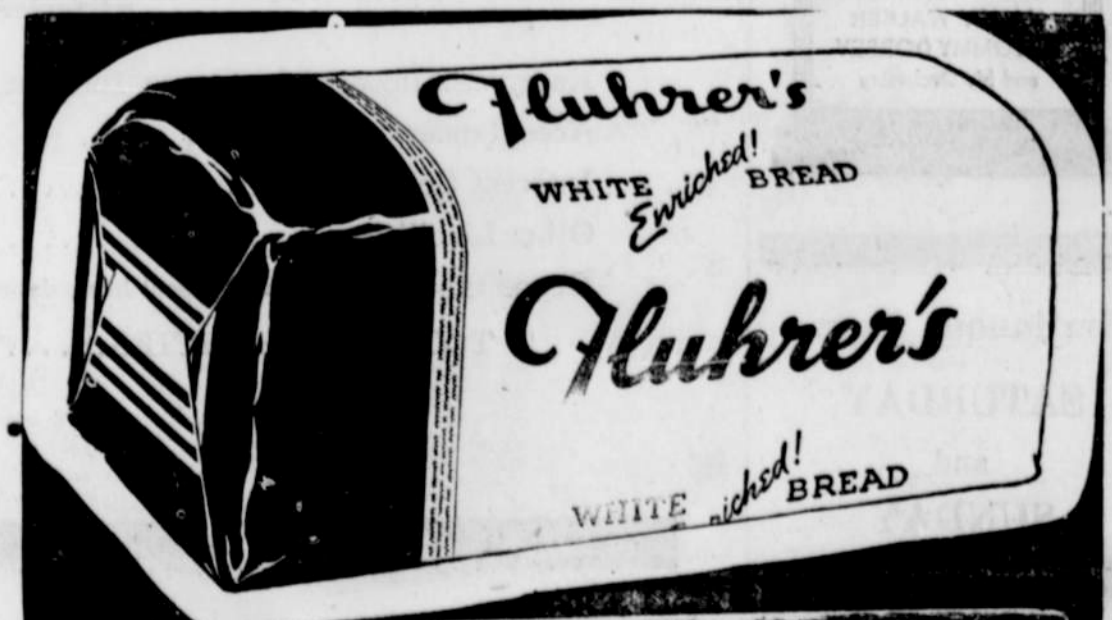
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