

VARSITY

NOW PLAYING!

DOUBLE FEATURE

Humphrey BOGART

Ida LUPINO

in

"HIGH SIERRA"

and



Friday and Saturday

DOUBLE FEATURE



VICTORY THROUGH AIR POWER



plus



Coming Sunday, Monday, Tuesday



SUGAR 'N' SPICE 'N' EVERYTHING NICE!

BETTY GRABLE
Robert YOUNG

Sweet ROSIE O'GRADY

Adolphe MENJOU Virginia GREY IN GLORIOUS TECHNICOLOR!

Continuous Shows

SATURDAY

and

SUNDAY

Miss Lurline Brady, Lincoln school teacher, returned from the Sacred Heart Hospital, Medford, Sunday afternoon and is convalescing at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Weren visited with Mr. Weren's sister, Mrs. C. L. Bergstrom, at the Osteopathic Hospital in Medford Sunday.

TALENT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford of Tule Lake, California visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rapp Sunday. Mrs. Rapp and Mrs. Crawford are sisters.

Jonah Barrett of Merrill spent Sunday in Talent with friends.

Miss Lottie Beswick of Bellview and Mrs. Sarah Clark of Ashland called on friends here Sunday.

The Talent Community Club sponsored a Red Cross sewing unit at their regular meeting, Feb. 16 after a talk on production needs by Mrs. Fred Pankins, executive secretary of Jackson County Chapter. Mrs. I. C. Williams, president and Mrs. Jay Terrill, secretary, made arrangements with Roy Parr, school superintendent, for the use of the high school lunch room and home economics equipment. The unit will have its first meeting, Feb. 29 from 1 to 5 p.m. Each Tuesday they will meet to sew on articles for camps and hospitals for service men. Mrs. I. C. Ottinger and Mrs. Roy Levander were appointed on the committee to go to Medford for training and supplies at the Red Cross production office in the County Courthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Childers of Oklahoma, who had spent the greater part of the winter here with Mr. and Mrs. William Childers, returned to their home last Sunday.

Jack Kelly, who has been employed at Copco, California for the past two years, returned to Talent to make this his home.

Delbert Goddard, who has been a patient in the Community Hospital at Ashland, returned to his home last Saturday.

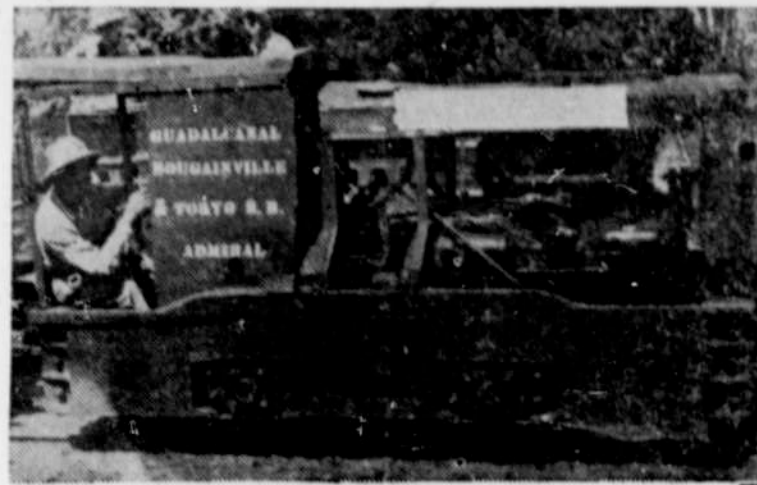
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Unruh and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cowdrey and family of Prospect spent the week end in Talent.

Floyd R. Schmitt, Field Supervisor for Farmers automobile, of Los Angeles, California, was a business caller in Talent, Saturday.

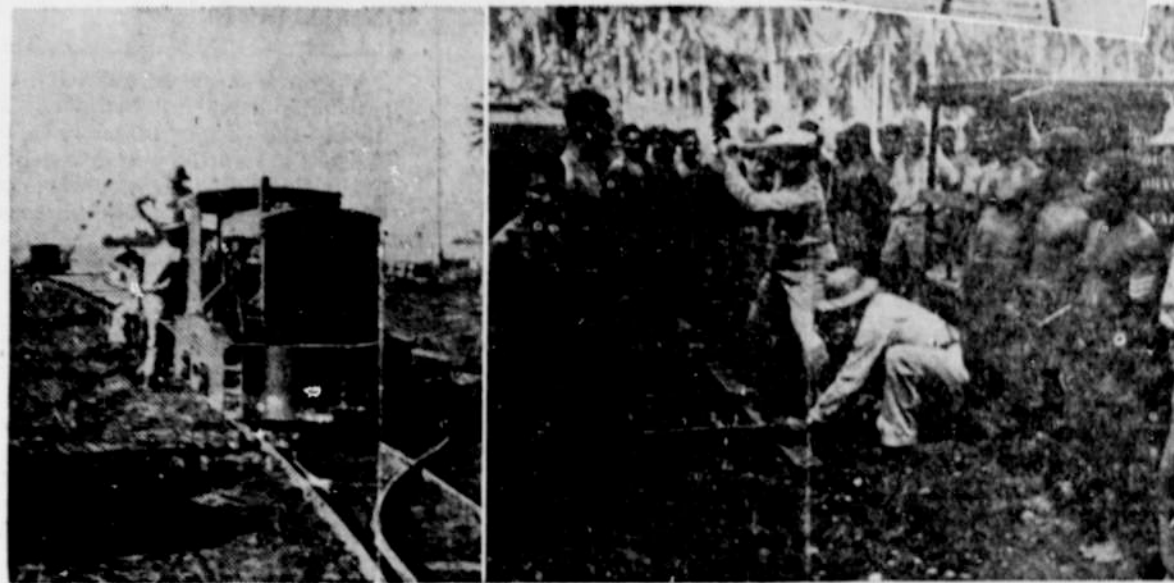
Mrs. Elizabeth Cusforth of Eugene is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Higgins and sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hamilton this week.

The fire department was called out early Friday morning to the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Ellis one mile south of town, which was completely burned down after the Ellis family had gone to work. The fire was discovered by a neighbor, William Hart.

Talent and Rogue River played their finals of the annual Jackson County class B high school basketball tournament at Medford



Guadalcanal Railroad Built by Seabees



U. S. Marine Corps Photo

Seabees, members of a Naval Construction Battalion, completed the Guadalcanal Division of the "G., B. & T." (Guadalcanal, Bougainville & Tokyo) Railroad in three days. Photos show one of the line's gas-powered engines, a spur nearing completion, the division's first train and the "last spike" ceremony.

New Jukebox at Ashland USO Club

The Ashland USO has a new jukebox which is giving the utmost satisfaction to soldiers and junior hostesses. According to these devotees to this type of music, the new instrument has no mechanical faults, a virtue which they sum up in "It never gets stuck."

New records of the latest popular music are received regularly once a month from USO headquarters in New York. Senior hostesses report that the current favorites, judging by number of times heard are: "Shoo-Shoo Baby," "Pistol Packin' Mama," "Oh What a Beautiful Morning," "Time on My Hands" and "Shake Down the Stars."

The new jukebox was supplied by the local firm, Mountain States Music Company.

high gym Friday night. Victors of the two teams were Central Point and Jacksonville. Coach Roy Parr's Talent quint beat the Central Pointers 26-13 by virtue of the strong second half.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morris of Prospect were in Talent, Friday on business.

Mrs. Alice O'Byrne of Ashland attended the Talent Grange, Thursday night.

Local USO Receives Gifts and Service

The Ashland USO has received the following aid during the past week:

Magazines—Mrs. Ward Pratt, Mrs. Ernest Rogers, Miss Bertha Haight.

Cookies baked or contributed: Junior Civic Club—Mrs. Mollie Neil, Mrs. Leah Kerr, Mrs. Juanita Hains, Presbyterian Church—Mrs. John Langtry, Mrs. Kleinhammer, Army Wives—Mrs. Irene Gregory, Mrs. Helen Hazard, Mrs. H. C. Emery and Mrs. W. S. Stennett.

Bulletins distributed—Paula Ostrander and Margaret Wagner.

Mrs. Homer Billings is ill with the flu.

Born to Capt. and Mrs. Jencel on February 18, a daughter.

The W. C. T. U. is meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Paul Byers, 425 Mountain Avenue.

T/5 Arthur L. Hamilton of Camp Murphy, Fla., was visiting in Ashland last week.

Seeing is Believing

NEW FACTS ABOUT SEEING.

NIGHT FLYING IS DEVELOPING NEW UNDERSTANDING OF HOW THE EYE FUNCTIONS, ESPECIALLY UNDER DIM LIGHT. FLIERS "CONDITION" THEIR EYES BEFORE TAKING OFF AT NIGHT.



CHINESE-FIRST TO WEAR SPECTACLES

THEY WERE FIRST SEEN IN CHINA IN 1275 BY MARCO POLO ACCORDING TO THE BETTER VISION INSTITUTE.



ROGER BACON (1214-1294) A FRIAR, WAS AN OPTICAL PIONEER. HE WAS THE FIRST MAN TO UNDERSTAND HOW GLASS BENT THE RAYS OF LIGHT. SOON AFTER SPECTACLES WERE DEVELOPED.



YOUR EYE IS EQUIPPED WITH SHOCK ABSORBER! BLOWS ON THE EYE ARE RENDERED LESS DAMAGING BECAUSE OF THE LINING OF SOFT, FATTY TISSUE IN THE SOCKET OF THE EYE.

A Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue will be in Ashland Feb. 24, 25 and 26 to assist people in making out their federal income tax reports. There will be no charge for this service.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Moss spent the week-end in Klamath Falls.

SRU DAN... Shipfixin' Man!



The Navy Ship Repair Units need thousands of patriotic, skilled craftsmen to fix our fighting ships. Men are accepted only in non-restricted manpower areas. Good mechanics may qualify as petty officers. The Navy Recruiting Station has complete information. Call, write or telephone.

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ENTERTAINMENT
Phone 7561

FRIDAY — SATURDAY

LOOK WHO'S HERE!

NEVER A DULL MOMENT



RITZ BROS. • FRANCES LANGFORD

and



starring ROY ROGERS

A Roy Rogers Photo Given to the First Hundred Youngsters Friday and Saturday

Also Opening Chapter of

"Secret Service in Darkest Africa"

Shown at First Shows Only
Each Day

Sun. - Mon. - Tues.

"Camp Rhythm"

WITH
Gale Storm

and

Johnny Downs

A Riot of Mirth and Melody

plus

"Right to the Heart"

WITH
Brenda Joyce

AND

Joseph Allen

Romance, Action and Laughter

Matinee Saturday
Continuous Sunday

WEDS. & THURS.
BARGAIN NIGHTS

NEW SPRING COATS AND SUITS

Coats and Toppers in Bright Shades
to Warm Your Spirit

\$10.95 TO \$16.95

Be Sure and See These Exciting New Suits
in Fascinating Shades. Priced from

\$9.95 TO \$14.95

A Few Suits for Children

\$6.95

METZ 5 10 25C AND \$1 STORE