

# ROOSEVELT ASKS BILLION AND HALF FOR WORK RELIEF

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Security for Year.

In making his relief request, Mr. Roosevelt told congress:

"This request, together with those previously submitted to the congress to provide for the Civilian Conservation Corps and certain public works will, if acted upon favorably by the congress, give security during the next fiscal year to those most in need, on condition, however, that private employers hire many of those now on relief rolls."

The president said if the tax program were carried through as he requested, the \$1,500,000,000 work relief appropriation "would, in effect, provide for the third successive year a reduction in the deficit."

In appealing to business to take up employment, observers considered significant this paragraph in the message:

"While the provisions of the anti-trust laws, intended to prohibit restraint of trade, must and shall be fully and vigorously enforced, there is nothing in these or any other laws which should prohibit managers of private business from working together to increase production and employment."

# Society and Clubs

By Janet Wray Smith

## Betrothal of Miss Fuson To Russell Davis Announced

Miss Clara Mary Fuson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fuson, announced her engagement to Russell Davis, son of Mrs. J. A. Maddox of Klamath Falls, at a luncheon at Valentine's cafe Monday afternoon.

The wedding will be solemnized here April 19, definite details to be announced later. The couple will make their home in Medford.

Tables at the luncheon were decorated with spring flowers in shades of blue and yellow.

Guests were Miss Oma GeBauer, Mesdames Charles Barnes, Eric Westergren, Ben Day, Bill Morgan, George Robertson, Al Stoehr, Harvey Robertson, Thomas Fuson, R. I. Stuart and Ralph Barwood.

Also, Mesdames W. I. Vawter, Frank Perl, Lynn Crocodile, Thomas Delzell, Don Newbury, Reese Braley, Miles Stuart, J. A. Maddox, George Roberts and Miss Hester Whitman.

## More Students Return to Homes

Miss Ruth Ottoman returned this morning to her home here from the Oregon State college at Corvallis to spend the next few days of spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ottoman.

Miss Virginia Pick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pick, is expected to arrive this week-end from the University of Washington, vacations from that school being longer than those of Oregon colleges.

Miss Mary Snider, who is associated with the business staff of the University of Oregon, which she formerly attended, arrived today from the Eugene campus to spend the next several days here.

It was stated in yesterday's column that Miss Dorothy Young, daughter of Mrs. R. W. Stearns, had arrived home from vacation. The name should have been Miss Patricia Young.

## Joint Hostesses Honor St. Patrick

Among the numerous St. Patrick's Day affairs yesterday was the dessert luncheon arranged by Mrs. H. J. Melring and Mrs. LeRoy Cronkhite, who were joint hostesses at the Melring home.

Covers were laid for sixteen guests, with an afternoon of bridge following luncheon. Scoring prizes went to Mrs. George R. Owens, Mrs. Roy D. Craft and Mrs. Chauncey L. Pierce. Green carnations were the principal items in the decoration scheme in the traditional St. Patrick's color.

## Oregon Dance Gaining Interest

With the arrival of students, home from school for a short but no less enjoyable spring vacation, interest in social events has increased. Principal among the vacation affairs being planned is the dance arranged by the University of Oregon Mothers for Saturday evening at Dreamland hall.

An invitation is extended by those in charge to all students in Medford and townspeople. The dance is planned as a benefit to aid the scholarship loan fund.

From plans being made at the present time, a record crowd is anticipated. A number of those attending will entertain with small dinner and informal parties preceding the evening's festivities. A number of out-of-town students are expected to be present as well as local people.

## Dancing Class Has Party Saturday

Miss Ruth Luy entertained members of her junior ballroom dancing class in the studios Saturday evening with a Leap Year party. Miss Luy was assisted by Zelma Sweeney and Mrs. Harry Luy.

Guests were the Misses Curtis Batchelder, Corrine D'Albini, Muriel Hughes, Lela Henderson, Joyce Freed, Leda O'Neil, Jean Pease, Janet Reter, Mary Shreve, Dottie Terrett, Natalie Tengwald, Ruth Nordwick, Zetta Dean, Clara Gill, Ruth Garlock, Colleen Stephenson and Anita Davis.

Messrs. Walt Kresse, Bob Lee, Bill Littrell, Rodney Stead, Curtis Darby, Dennis Garrett, Richard Nelson, Lewis Thurman, Jack White, Winston Campbell, Ray Crosby and Cecil Brown.

## Klamath Visitor Home Yesterday

A Medford visitor for the past several days was Mrs. R. H. Hovey, of Klamath Falls, who was the houseguest of Mrs. T. W. Delzell, at her home at 610 South Holly street.

Mrs. Hovey left for her home yesterday afternoon. Other recent guests at the Delzell home were Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Geary, also of Klamath Falls, who were here Sunday.

## Mrs. Biddle To Leave Tonight

Leaving tonight will be Mrs. Robert Biddle, who will go first to Seattle, from where she will continue for an extended visit in eastern cities. Her stay in the east is indefinite.

## WRC To Meet Tomorrow Afternoon

Announcement is made of the meeting tomorrow of the Women's Relief Corps at the Armory. The meeting is called for two-thirty.

# TWO NEW BRIDGES NEAR COMPLETION AS WPA PROJECTS

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30 years. The bridge decking is covered with an oil mat to make a longer wearing surface.

The approximate cost to Jackson county is \$6000 and the WPA cost is approximately \$2600. The county paid for the material and the WPA furnished all labor with exception of the county bridge foreman.

The Valley View bridge over Bear creek near Jackson Hot Springs is expected to be open for traffic within 30 days. The span is 207 feet long, 22 feet wide, and also has Port Orford cedar piling support for bents. Earth for the approaches will be obtained from Bear creek, providing a more free flow for the water. Brush is also being cleared away to lessen flood hazard.

The bridge gives the Valley View district a better approach to the Pacific highway. The present approach is at the old under-crossing near the Billings ranch, which has a low traffic visibility.

The estimated cost to the county is approximately \$3700 and the WPA cost approximately \$2700. WPA labor was used with exception of the county bridge foreman. The county furnished all material.

The WPA recently approved a continuation of improvements at the county poor farm, granting \$2365 for it. The work was discontinued last

# WORK CAR LICENSES LOWER AFTER FRIDAY

License fees at three-fourths the annual rates will be received by the sheriff on and after next Friday, March 20, for all motor trucks, buses, dollies and trailers. It was announced by Sheriff Syd L. Brown today.

The ruling also applies to all armored cars, wreckers, tow cars, hearses, ambulances, anywhere-for-hire taxis and for farmers who can qualify for the restricted farmers' annual truck license, which is good for the entire year period, January 1 to December 31.

The quarterly reduction does not apply to vehicles eligible for registration with license plates expiring June 30.

# INFANT DAUGHTER OF M'CUENS SUCCEUMS

Melvina Rose McCuen, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McCuen, Route No. 2, Box 30, Medford, passed away at a local hospital a few hours after being born March 17. Little Melvina leaves no brothers or sisters.

# YOUNG BOURBON CLUB PLANS MEMBER DRIVE

The Young Democratic club of Jackson county will hold a regular semi-monthly meeting at 8 o'clock tomorrow night in headquarters at 133 West Main street, over the Marshall-Smith-Leonard print shop.

Several of the members are to be given brief talks on various phases

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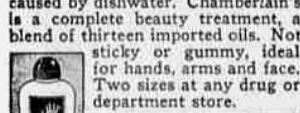
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