

NANCY E. WILSON PIONEER LADY, 89, TO LAST REWARD

Nancy Ellen Wilson, one of the oldest pioneers of Jackson county, passed away early Saturday morning following a brief illness. Mrs. Wilson was born in Iowa September 12, 1855. When she was only two years old she crossed the plains with her parents. They settled near Seio, Ore.

On July 16, 1871, she was married to Simpson Wilson at Linkville, Ore., or what is now known as Klamath Falls, Ore. To this union were born eight children, the first daughter born to them was the first white girl to be born in Klamath county. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were the first white couple to be married in Linkville, or what later became Klamath Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were among those that were "forted up" in Klamath county during the Modoc Indian war.

During the Coolidge administration a special bill was passed by the U. S. congress entitling Mr. and Mrs. Wilson to a special pension. They being the only survivors of the Modoc Indian war that was not covered by any other pension. The bill was introduced to the congress by the late Senator McNary of Oregon.

Mr. Wilson preceded his wife in death January 2, 1929.

Mrs. Wilson leaves to mourn her passing two sons, Thomas J. Wilson of Rogue River, and William W. Wilson of Grants Pass, Ore.; two daughters, Mrs. Pearl Balke of Willits, Cal., and Mrs. Mary Foster of Central Point. She is also survived by 29 grandchildren, 58 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be held at the Perle funeral home, Tuesday afternoon at 2 p. m. Rev. D. E. Millard will officiate and interment will be in the Central Point cemetery.

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BEAR CREEK NEAR COMMUNITY CHEST WAR FUND QUOTA

Supervisors and foremen handling Community Chest-War Fund solicitation at Holmes' Bear Creek orchards last week swelled the fund total to within a hair's breath of the final quota. Pledges reported from 183 employees and the company contribution aggregated a total of just over \$1800.

"This is one of the finest jobs of group participation in the current campaign, and those in charge have reason to be proud of their work. We congratulate Harry and David Holmes and their fine co-workers," chest officials said in acknowledging the Bear Creek total as one of the largest received this year.

"Fruit Row" contributed generously to the campaign, as was expected from the importance of that industry to the community, it was stated. Other large contributors from the fruit industry were Pinnacle Packing Co., Rogue River Orchards, American Fruit Growers, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. V. Carpenter, R. H. Parsons and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Carpenter, each in the \$500 or larger class.

Solicitors responsible for fruit company contributions above named, were M. N. Hogan, Cole Holmes, Frank Perl and "Pete" Naumes, under "Majors" E. E. Kofoed and Bill Chrysler.

While not officially closed because of a few delayed subscriptions, the chest expects to reach its goal of nearly \$40,000 with completion of assignments outstanding. Final action of the budget committee of the chest and announcement of division of funds is expected following the monthly meeting of chest directors, November 16.

SUPREME COURT RULES IN FAVOR OF INDIANS

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 11—(U.P.) The Minnesota supreme court held today that Indians who live on reservations as wards of the federal government have "an ancient and immemorial right to hunt and fish" regardless of state laws.

On May 22, 1943, Robert Jackson, 26, a Chippewa Indian living on the Leech lake Indian reservation, shot three partridges on the reservation for his family's evening meal. He was arrested and convicted.

Abraham Brozowski was an early Polish theologian.

PEACH PRUNING DEMONSTRATIONS DUE THIS WEEK

A series of peach pruning demonstrations have been scheduled throughout the county for the coming week, announces C. B. Cordy, assistant county agent.

The peach acreage in the county has been increasing rapidly in recent years and the meetings are for the purpose of demonstrating modern pruning methods. This should assist growers in planning their pruning program. It may also be of value to some growers who in the past have hired their pruning done, but due to labor shortage expect to do their own work this year.

The demonstrations have been scheduled as follows: Medford, Tuesday, November 14, at Brownie's place on the Old Crater Lake highway at the city limits; Ashland, Wednesday, at R. E. Pierson's, one mile south of the normal school on the new highway; Phoenix, Thursday, at T. V. Williams', one mile west of Phoenix on the corner of Calhoun road; Gold Hill, Friday, at Paul Therne orchard, 34-mile north of Rockpoint bridge on the Pacific highway.

All meetings will start at 1:15 p. m. Trees of different ages will be pruned at each of the demonstrations, so by attending any one of them, growers can see young and old trees pruned.

IDENTIFY BODY FOUND IN ROGUE

The body of the man discovered last Sunday in Rogue river by J. L. Jenkins, 228 Haven street, has been identified as that of Pvt. Charles R. Hall, according to County Coroner H. W. Conger. Identification, the coroner said, was aided by the man's dental work.

Pvt. Hall was a member of the 355th engineers and was reported drowned on December 2, 1942, when that outfit was stationed at Camp White. His body was not recovered at the time.

Coroner Conger has turned the body over to camp authorities who, he said, have contacted Hall's wife in Canton, O. Burial arrangements are pending word from her.

The present United States navy has more than 300 ratings, according to the navy bureau of personnel.

OBITUARY INFANT MARSHALL

Services for Carolyn Marshall, 7 weeks old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Marshall, 704 West 6th street, will be held in the Conger-Morris Chapel at 2 p. m. Monday with the Reverend W. A. Dawes officiating. Interment will be in the IOOF cemetery.

MOBILE RADIOS IN SATURDAY PARADE

Three mobile units of the War Emergency radio station participated in yesterday's Armistice day parade, as a practice mobilization authorized by S. M. Tuttle, commander of local civilian defense, and Frank Hull, coordinator of local civilian defense. Dwight J. Albright, radio aid for Medford, directed the actual operation.

The emergency disaster facility is manned by local radio amateurs and other radio men under civilian defense, as a means of notifying authorities and aiding relief organization in any emergency disaster, through their radio communication system. The city of Medford possesses four units. Unit 5 was built by amateur radio operator, Howard Glascock; unit 6 was built by amateur radio operator, George R. Johnson; unit 2, a mobile unit, was donated by Copco and unit 3, a mobile unit operated by Dwight Albright, belonged originally to the city.

The War Emergency radio station will remain organized for the duration, after which the amateur radio operators hope to return to their favorite hobby, that of amateur radio communications.

Canadian Airman With War Record Is Local Visitor

Flight Lt. Harold C. Hoover of the R.C.A.F. has arrived in Medford from England, where he spent two and one-half years serving with the air force as a bomber pilot. In August of 1943 he was awarded the distinguished flying cross and in August 1944 the bar to the DFC, having completed his 63 trips of activity over European targets.

The citation covering award of the DFC to Lt. Hoover said that "this officer has completed many operational sorties, several of which have been against the most heavily defended German targets, including Hamburg, Berlin and the Ruhr valley. He has secured some excellent photographs and has displayed great skill as a captain of aircraft."

Flight Lt. Hoover is in Medford visiting his sister, Mrs. Richard Kaye of 724 West Second street and an aunt, Mrs. Walter Ray, 535 Pennsylvania avenue. Flight Lt. Hoover will return to his home at Weyburn, Saskatchewan, before reporting to Ottawa, Canada, for orders.

USO Director On Visit Local Club

Capt. Walter H. Squipp of the Salvation Army and national program director of USO clubs operated under the supervision of the Salvation Army, is in Medford today visiting the Riverside USO. He arrived this morning and this noon will have lunch at the center with members of the operating committee, of which George Frey is chairman.

The program director is touring the United States and will visit all USO clubs operated by the Salvation Army.



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'Y' CLUB OPENING FOR TEEN AGERS VISITED BY 1500

More than 1500 Jackson county residents attended the opening of the "Y" Club on the second floor of the Masonic building Thursday afternoon and evening. This club, for teen age young people of the entire county, is to be open every day from 3:30 to 9 p. m. except Sunday, and on Saturday evening will be open until 10 p. m. Memberships are now being taken.

At the open house Thursday members of the board of directors of the Y.M.C.A. were assisted by members of the Medford Council of Church Women and members of the City Council of Parent-Teacher associations. The former served refreshments, both afternoon and evening, and the latter decorated the rooms and arranged a program.

The Junior high school chorus, directed by Mrs. William McAllister, sang and students from the Senior high school, directed by Miss Nansen, gave vocal and instrumental numbers. Twenty-five of Mrs. Eve Prentice's accordion band members, from different parts of the valley, played at intervals throughout the evening.

Members of the board yesterday expressed their deep appreciation for the support of the various individuals and firms who aided with the open house.

A number of new members have been added to the Y.M.C.A. board and the membership now is composed of Dr. B. R. Elliott, president; Mrs. Richard Payne, vice-president; Charles Newland, treasurer; I. E. Schuler, secretary; Ray Baker, Mrs. Karl Brockhaus, Sam Colton, Ralph Cook, E. C. Corn, Robert Elder, Mrs. William H. Fluhrer, George Frey, Herb Grey, Paul Hanlin, the Rev. Harry W. Hansen, Lester Harris.

Other members are E. P. Leavitt, Anthony Manno, Clarence Meeker, E. C. Niles, B. L. Nutting, Mrs. Dolph Phipps, Archie Pierce, Frank Redden, J. C. Tucker, the Rev. George R. Turney and Owen Walker.

These directors will outline the policies of the new club, which will in no way be dictated by the national organization, it is stated.

USO 'Pantry Shelf' Will Start Today

An innovation at the Riverside USO today will be the "pantry shelf" which will open at five o'clock this afternoon. A committee of Medford women, headed by Mrs. D. O. Frederick, have provided a quantity of home prepared "snack" foods and these will be set out so the hungry GI may help himself to whatever looks best.

It is thought the "pantry shelf" will prove popular with men who remember the raids on family ice boxes and pantries at home and will be continued each Sunday evening if possible.

Watson Here—Pvt. James Gray Watson has left for Camp Maxey, Tex., after spending 10 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Watson, and sister, Jane, who reside on route 1. Pvt. Watson completed his basic infantry training at Camp Walters, October 21 and has been transferred to Camp Maxey.

ROOSEVELT WINS PORTLAND TITLE FROM GRANT, 6-0

By United Press
Week end prep school football featured a Roosevelt 6-0 triumph over Grant to capture the Portland championship and a 25-0 victory for Eugene high school over Salem High in the No-Name league.

Other scores throughout the state were:
Jefferson 47, Commerce 6.
Washington 18, Lincoln 0.
Benson 32, Franklin 6.
Dayton 19, Willamina 13.
Canby 12, Molalla 0.
Toledo 46, Newport 0.
Nestucca 7, Sheridan 6.
Vernonia 32, McMinnville 0.
Hood River 7, The Dalles 0.
Columbia Prep 39, Seaside 0.
Hillsboro 21, Beaverton 0.
Gresham 70, Estacada 0.
Milwaukie 38, Oregon City 0.
Lebanon 13, University (Eugene) 0.
Cottage Grove 12, Springfield 6.
Albany 12, Corvallis 6.
Grants Pass 12, Roseburg 0.
Klamath Falls 13, Bend 6.

MASK REQUESTS JACKSON MATCH

The Gray Mask has requested Promoter Mack Lillard to match him with Bulldog Jackson for next Thursday night's wrestling card at Medford Armory. Jackson claims the Mask is a wrestler named O'Toole from Columbus, O., and he can identify him from a scar on the side of the

face and on the back. The Bulldog also claims to have beaten him two straight falls.

Considerable bad blood exists between the Mask and Jackson. During last week's match with Piluso the Mask was heckled no end by Jackson and in the dressing room following the match the two became engaged in hot arguments which nearly resulted in blows before Jackson was removed from the dressing room.

Others who will probably see action on the card are Pete Belcastro, Earl Malone, Ernie Piluso and Rowdy O'Doudy.

GAME BOARD HAS POST WAR MONEY

Portland, Ore., Nov. 11—(U.P.) The Oregon state game commission has almost completed a \$1,000,000 postwar budget to put the program "back on its feet" after years of wartime restrictions on operations.

It was pointed out that hatcheries, game farms, egg-taking stations and other capital equipment of the commission is seriously run down because materials and labor have not been available, and the commission has also decided to release 800 Mongolian pheasant cocks from its Malheur county farm to be turned out in Umatilla county at the suggestion of Umatilla residents to help boost the game bird population in that area.

New York, Nov. 11—(U.P.)—Racing settles down to a slow winter pace this week, with three major circuits ending their 1944 seasons, but several important renewals will be of sufficient interest to maintain a colorful pace.

Dallas, Tex., Nov. 11—(U.P.)—A hard-driving Texas A. and M. College eleven relegated Southern Methodist University to the southwest conference cellar with a decisive 39-6 trouncing today.

INDIANA BEATEN BY GOPHERS, 19-14

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 11—(U.P.)—Minnesota university's western conference victory drouth was broken today by an eleventh hour touchdown which beat Indiana, 19 to 14, in a stunning upset.

Two and a half minutes were left to play when Quarterback Kispert dashed the line from the one-yard stripe for the deciding score, set up when Wayne Williams' 45-yard pass was batted into the hands of Schmitz, freshman end on the Indiana 12. Hesley, relief fullback, in three plunges then took the ball to the spot from which Kispert shoved across.

Indiana, an odds-on favorite, led only once, and that briefly in the fourth quarter, against the surprising Gophers.

ARMY SQUAD WINS
Fresno, Cal., Nov. 11—(U.P.)—Halfback Tex Southall, former freshman star at Baylor University, passed and powered his Minter Army Air Field mates to a 13-0 triumph over Fresno State college here today.

NEVADA LOSES
Reno, Nov. 11—(U.P.)—Fleet City's Bluejackets churned their way through a blinding snowstorm here today to defeat University of Nevada, 19 to 2 for their sixth victory.

Trinity Episcopal church, founded in 1849 in San Francisco, was the first of its denomination on the Pacific coast.

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