Local and Personal

Ski Party—A number of 20-30 club members enjoyed a ski party on the Siskiyous Sunday.

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Bank Stolen — A March of Dimes bank has been reported stolen from the "Chuck" F. Risse Richfield service station, Sixth and Grape streets.

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Returned—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bell, Bell's Gifts and Homewares shop, have returned from Los Angeles, where they attended merchandise shows and made spring purchases.

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From Portland—Mr. and Mrs. Don L. Bryan and family have moved to 1090 Shafer lane from Portland. Bryan, a driver for the Greyhound lines, has been transferred here by the company.

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New Here—Mr. and Mrs. Dean Welch and son, Dean Jr., 9, moved here last week from Grants Pass. Welch, formerly associated with Grants Pass Sporting Goods store, is now with Sam's Sporting Goods shop, 32 South Central avenue.

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At Corvallis — Dr. L. Paul Walker, 408 South Oakdale avenue, and his daughter, Molly Lou, spent last week-end in Corvallis with the Walker's other daughter, Charlotte, who was their hostess during Dad's day. They were accompanied to the Oregon State college campus by A. W. Denny, Oakgrove, who visited with his son Ralph over the week-end.

Townsend Club—Ladies' auxiliary of Townsend club No. 1 will meet at the home of Mrs. Lula Stringer, 108 South Laurel street, Wednesday at 1 p.m.

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Death Learned — Mrs. W. Huntley, 23 Elm street, received word yesterday of the death of her mother, Mrs. I. M. Eby, in Sacramento, Calif.

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PTA To Meet — Roosevelt Parent-Teacher association will meet in regular session Friday, February 17, it was announced today.

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Kansan Visits — Herman E. Koch, Cawker City, Kan., spent last week end here with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Weston Worden, 1211½ West Main street.

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Returns Home — Blaine Berg, Seattle, who visited his grandmother, Mrs. Bertha Larson, at 1025½ West 11th street, for two months, returned to Seattle last week.

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To Swim — Girl scouts of the sixth through the ninth grades will swim at the YMCA Wednesday beginning at 7 p.m. the Girl scout office announced today.

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To Portland — Miss Rose Widmer and her sister, Miss Marguerite Widmer, Barnett road, left by bus Sunday for Portland and Seattle to spend the week. They will return Sunday by plane.

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Marine Corps Reserve — The local marine corps reserves will meet Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. in the Federal building, Sixth street and Riverside avenue, with all ex-marines invited, whether members of the reserve or not.

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On Barometer — Wally Johnson, Medford, has been named photo editor of the Barometer, daily newspaper of Oregon State college. Johnson, a junior in business and technology, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Earle H. Johnson, 717 North Riverside avenue.

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Announce Meeting — Officers, teachers, and workers of the Phoenix Presbyterian Sunday school are to meet Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. at the church. Russell Thompson, superintendent, asks that all workers be present for this meeting.

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Lions Speaker — State Senator Austin Flegel, Multnomah county, a proponent of the proposed Columbia Valley authority, will address the Medford Lions club Wednesday at its 6:30 p.m. dinner meeting in the Pioneer room of the Jackson hotel.

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Airline Official Here — John Moller, district traffic manager for Pan American World airways, visited here briefly this morning with Charles Whillock, local station manager for West Coast airlines, and with George Lewis of the Rogue Travel service. Moller returned to his Portland office today.

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Leave of Absence — Paul A. Timm, 23 North Barneburg road manager of the local Montgomery Ward company store, has taken an indefinite leave of absence from the store because of illness. C. A. Brown, assistant manager, has been appointed acting manager and E. L. Davis will act as assistant manager.

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Guild To Meet — Providence guild of Sacred Heart hospital will hold a general meeting on Thursday, February 9 at 1:30 p. m. at the hospital. The president Miss Gertrude Molley, announces that several matters of business are to be discussed and plans will be made for future social service projects.

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Legion Meeting—The meeting of Post 15 of the American Legion will be moved to the armory Wednesday night in order that Legionnaires may enjoy the joint entertainment program with the auxilliary after the two business meetings. John Kelly, entertainment chairman, will present a program of comedy acts and music.

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Building Permits—Thomas W. McFadden has been issued a permit by the city building inspector's office to make a $1,000 addition to a house at 604 South Grape street. Mrs. Lucinda Johnson will have a $500 addition constructed to a residence at 868 Stewart avenue and John Kamody will erect a $500 garage at 206 King street.

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Son Born—Lt. and Mrs. Curtis E. Hopkins are the parents of a son born at Fitzsimmons hospital in Denver, Colo., Sunday, February 5. The child weighed 6 pounds and 8 ounces and has been named Curtis Charles. The couple's older child is a daughter, aged 3 years. Mrs. Hopkins, the former Betty Johnson, Medford, is in Denver with her mother and brother while Lt. Hopkins is in Guam with the 19th bombardment group, where he was recently assigned. The officer is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis L. Hopkins, Old Military road, Medford.

Reserves To Meet—A regular meeting of the 9417th volunteer air reserve squadron will convene at 8 p. m. Wednesday at the air reserve building at the airport.

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Klamath Man Dies—Glenn Orrin Parker, 51, native of Klamath county and well known in southern Oregon, passed away Saturday following a heart attack, a news dispatch from Klamath Falls states. Parker was taken ill at his home and died en route to the hospital, it is reported. Funeral services are to be Wednesday at 11 a. m. in Klamath Falls, and interment will be in the family plot in Ashland that afternoon.

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Livestock

Portland, Ore., Feb. 7—(UP)—Cattle 200; market rather slow, early sales steady to weak, with very few canner-cutter cows sold; short load above average-good 1100-lb. fed steers $26, one lot medium-good 1070 lbs. $25; few common-light steers $19-21; heifers scarce early; few canner-cutter cows $13-14.50, odd head $15; common-medium beef cows $16-18; good young cows Monday up to $20.50; good beef bulls $20.50-21.50; few common-medium sausage bulls $16-18.50.

Calves 50; market active, steady; few good vealers $27-30; choice to Monday's extreme top of $32.50.

Hogs 300; market only moderately active, about steady; good-choice 180-230 lbs. $19.25 to mostly $19.50; few 245 lbs. $18.25; heavier weights $18 down; few 160 lbs. $18; good-choice 332 lb. sows $16; heavier weights around $14.50-15.50; good-choice feeder pigs Monday $17.50-48.

Sheep 130; scattered sales steady, few good-choice fed wooled lambs $23, medium grades mostly $20; good-choice ewes scarce, $9.50-10 or above; odd common ewes $6.

San Francisco, Feb. 7—(UP)—Cattle 75. Trade opened slow with steady prices. Couple lots medium steers $24-24.50; individual medium cows $17, single common cow $15, canner and cutter cows $12-14.50 with shelly kinds below $12. Monday, slow and steady. Load good 985 lb. steers 26 with three cut at $25. Load high-medium and good 890 lb. steers $25.75, load good 1213 lb. angus steers $25.50, other mediums down to $24, one lot low-medium steers $23, few common steers $18 and $22. One lot medium heavy heifers averaging 940 lbs. $22.50; canner and cutter cows $12-14.50, common $14.50-15.50, odd head high-common to $16.50. Calves none.

Hogs 400. Active, butchers 15 cents higher, sows steady. Good and choice 190-240 lb. butchers $18.40, odd head good sows $13. Monday, good sows steady, $13.

Sheep none. Monday, supply mostly ewes, steady. Around 100 head good 124 lb. cows $14.50, about 200 head medium and good 114 lb. cows $13.50.

Portland Produce

Portland, Ore., Feb. 7—(UP)—Butter—Prices to retailers: Grade AA prints, 68c lb.; AA cartons, 69c; A prints, 68c; A cartons, 69c; B prints, 65c.

Egg prices to retailers: Grade AA large, 43c; certified A large, 42c; A large, 41c; AA medium, 41c; A medium, 40c; small nominal; cartons, 2c additional.

Cheese—Prices to retailers; Portland, Oregon, singles, 39-42c lb.; Oregon 5-lb. loafs, 44½-45c lb. triplets, 1½c less than singles. Premium brands singles, 51½c lb. loaf, 53½c lb.

Five sellers appeared at the Portland eastside farmers wholesale produce market today with limited supplies of onions and potatoes. All prices were nominal.

Poultry, Rabbits

Live chickens—Broilers under 2 lbs., 17c; 2-3 lbs., 22-25c; 3-4 lbs., 26-27c; 4 lbs. and over, 27-28c; fryers 2-3 lbs., 21-23c; fryers, 3-4 lbs., 23-25c; roasters, 4 lbs. and over, 23-25c; leghorns under 4 lbs., 15-18c; 4 lbs. over, 15-16c; roosters, 25c; colored fowl, all weights, 19c; old roosters, all weights, 14-16c.

Turkeys—Net to growers, toms, 30-31c; prices to retailers, dressed: A young toms, 27-28c; light hens, 41-42c.

Rabbits—Live white 4 to 5 lbs., 17-19c; 4-6 lbs., 15-17c; colored 2c lower; fresh dressed Idaho fryers to retailers 40c; local 48-52c.

Wall Street

New York, Feb. 7—(U.P.)—Stocks registered a technical decline in reduced trading today.

Profit-taking started at an irregular opening and continued through most of the session. Toward closing time, it appeared to have run its course, and prices came back from their lows.

Dow Jones closing stock averages: 30 industrials 203.53 off 1.06; 20 railroads 54.73 off 0.61; 15 utilities 42.42 unchanged; 65 stocks 73.46 off 0.41.

Todays closing prices on selected stocks:

American T & T	149⅝
Anaconda	29⅝
Chrysler	65⅞
Curtiss Wright	8⅝
General Electric	44⅜
General Motors	76⅞
Montgomery Ward	58⅛
Penn. R. R.	17
Penney, J. C.	59⅜
Radio	14½
Southern Co.	12⅞
Southern Pacific	51¾
S. Oil of Calif	64½
Texas Gulf Sulphur	73
Transamerica	17¼
United Aircraft	26⅝
U. S. Rubber	42⅝
U. S. Steel	30⅝
Youngstown	77⅞

Obituary

ELSIE CLUTE

Funeral services for Mrs. Elsie Clute, 61, will be held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday in the Chapel Mortuary, with the Rev. Meredith A. Groves, of the First Methodist church, in charge.

Mrs. Clute was born at French Gulch, Shasta county, Cal., on September 3, 1888. On December 22, 1917, she was united in marriage with Frank Clute, and moved to the Medford area in 1925. She was preceded in death by her husband in 1935.

The only immediate relative surviving is a brother, Charles K. Whitney, of Central Point. Other survivors include relatives near Applegate and Dunsmuir, Cal.

It is requested that no flowers be sent for the service. Committal services will be private, with interment to be made in the Missouri Flats cemetery, in the family plot.

BIRTHS

STOUT—To Mr. and Mrs. Jess, route 1, box 141, Central Point, Feb. 6, 1950, a girl, 9 pounds, at Community hospital.

PERKINS—To Mr. and Mrs. C. L., 1009 West Main street, Feb. 7, 1950, a girl, 6½ pounds, at Community hospital.

SMITH—To Mr. and Mrs. Lester, star route, box 21, Eagle Point, Feb. 7, 1950, a boy, 10 pounds, at Community hospital.

BARKER—To Mr. and Mrs. Richard D., 608½ West Jackson street, Feb. 2, 1950, a boy, 7½ pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

COLTTS—To Mr. and Mrs. Joe, 108 Columbus avenue, Feb. 6, 1950, a girl, 8 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

PARSONS—To Mr. and Mrs. Jesse H., 418 South Peach street, Feb. 6, 1950, a girl, 7 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

DUSENBERRY—To Mr. and Mrs. Donald, Gold Hill, Feb. 7, 1950, a boy, 8½ pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

WATSON—To Mr. and Mrs. Earl, route 1, box 462, Talent, February 4, 1950, a girl, seven pounds, at Community hospital.

REICH—To Mr. and Mrs. Delto, Central Point, February 4, 1950, a girl, 3¾ pounds, at Community hospital.

Farm Planning Group To Meet Wednesday

The farm crops program planning committee of the Jackson county agricultural council will meet at the extension service office in the courthouse at 1:30 p. m. tomorrow to review last year's program and to suggest meetings, tours or summer programs to promote and further interest in farm crops.

The committee is composed of Arnold Bohnert, chairman; John Niedermeyer, Charles Elmore, Ben Day and John and Otto Bohnert.

Hammond, Ind., Feb. 7—(U.P.) A bar here reported a heavy demand today for its "Stromboli cocktail"—a concoction of Swedish kummel and Italian vermouth.

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Wage-Hour Law To Be Subject Of Radio Talk

New methods of computing overtime pay under recent amendments to the federal wage and hour law will be explained tonight in a radio address by Madison R. Smith, investigation supervisor for the wage and hour commission's public contracts division in Oregon. The talk will be heard over radio station KYJC at 7:45 p.m. today.

This will be one in a series of special programs dealing with wage and hour law amendments recently enacted by congress. Smith will explain how the amendments clarify such problems as "overtime on overtime;" what constitutes true overtime pay and what is premium pay; how to compute pay for excused absences, and he will give the recognized definition of "regular rate of pay."

Forgery Charge Filed Against Jailed Man

A charge of forgery has been filed against Elwood Van Zant who is held in the city jail under $1,500 bond, city police said today. Arraignment was slated this afternoon.

Police accused Van Zant of passing a spurious check for $23.50 at Franklin's grocery on Saturday. Van Zant was first booked on a drunkenness charge.

The man is also being questioned by state police and the federal bureau of investigation regarding post office robberies and forgeries in Washington, and on other matters.

Park Snow Depth Now 131 Inches, More Falls

Today's total snow depth at Crater Lake has been measured at 131 inches, with 15 inches falling within the past 24 hours, according to reports received by radio at park headquarters in Medford this morning.

Maximum temperature during the past 24 hours was 25 degrees and the minimum was 19. For the information of skiers, park headquarters said there is a surface of breakable crust on the snow. South and west entrance roads are open but chains are required for travel from Annie Springs to the lake rim.

Local Couple's Son Receives Decoration

Klamath Falls, Feb. 7—Former Marine T/Sgt. Olaf W. Severson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Severson, 837 West Second street, Medford, was recently awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal and two gold stars in lieu of second and third Air Medals by the marine corps.

The presentation was made in the Klamath Falls city hall last week by Mayor Robert A. Thompson. The citations were for extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flight with a marine torpedo squadron in the Solomon and Bismarck Archipelago islands area. Severson was accompanied at the presentation ceremony by his wife, Jean, and friends of the family.

NOT SO EXPLOSIVE

Omaha, Neb. (U.P.) — When charity workers tried to help transient, Sam Tangeman, with his suitcase he shouted, "Don't touch that—it's nitroglycerine." Police investigated and found the explosive suitcase contained only clothing, a pair of snips and a bottle one-third full of wine.

Court Records

Justice Court

Henry H. Fear, overload, fine $10.50 and costs.

Seth W. Putnam, overload, fine $16 and costs.

Gerald M. Gleaves, improper muffler, fine $1 and costs.

Police Court

Rodger J. Note, overparking, fine $2.

Cooksey Motor company, overparking, bail $2.

Fay Mathews and Louis Miller, no operator's license, fine $5 each.

Vincent LeRoy Chase, Ryder I. Berg, Anne J. Gorby and Norman Barry Dorries, failure to stop at stop sign, bail $5 each.

Jack Lee Sanders, failure to stop at red light, bail $5.

Raymond Duane Jore, violation of basic rule, bail $10.

R. E. Smith, reckless driving, fine $25.

Kenneth L. Larson, reckless driving, second offense, vehicle impounded 60 days, license suspended 90 days.

Daily Weather Report

FORECASTS

Medford and vicinity: Cloudy with light occasional rain in valley and snow over mountains tonight and Wednesday. Slightly warmer tonight.

Western Oregon: Partly cloudy with occasional showers tonight and Wednesday. Not much change in temperature. Low tonight 32-40. High Wednesday 42-52.

LOCAL DATA

Temperature a year ago today: Highest 40; lowest 21.

Total monthly precipitation .25 inch. Deficiency for the month, .17 inch.

Total precipitation since Sept. 1, 1949, 11.65 inches.

Excess for the season, 1.64 inches.

Relative humidity 4:30 p.m. yesterday 77%; 4:30 a.m. today 92%.

Observations Taken at 4:30 A.M. 120 Meridian Time

	High	Low	Prec.
Boise	50	29	
Boston	41	25	.10
Chicago	40	34	
Denver	64	31	
Eureka	53	42	.58
Havre	35	23	
Klamath Falls	39	26	T.
Los Angeles	60	52	.26
Medford	47	30	T.
New York	43	38	.09
Omaha	45	31	
Phoenix	77	52	
Portland	42	37	.16
Reno	49	27	.01
Eugene	43	35	.18
Salt Lake	54	30	
San Francisco	57	41	
Seattle	40	35	.18
Spokane	41	26	.01
Washington, D.C.	49	45	.02
Yakima	41	21	

Tomorrow

Sunrise 7:16 a.m. Sunset 5:35 p.m.

Court House News

Divorce Complaint

Wilda, Clara Lydia vs. Otto John.

Rector, J. L. vs. Fern L.

Cooley, Robert L. vs. Ethel F.

Divorce Decrees

Biggers, L. W. vs. Mary E.

Boyd, Marie vs. R. E. Jr., To plaintiff.

Sutherland, Kenneth C. vs. Marie B.

Franklin, Vivian Louise vs. Finis Augusta. To plaintiff.

Vakoc, Lucille, M. vs. George J. To plaintiff.

Muller, Ruth A. R. vs. Bernard E.

Jensen, Geraldine M. vs. Alfred D.

Woodrich, Edythe vs. John. To plaintiff.

Waelty, Mary Alice vs. Deward Owin. To plaintiff.

DOG LICENSES DUE

Jackson county dog owners have until March 2 to buy dog licenses for the regular $1.50 fee. Beginning on the second day of March, a penalty of $2 is added to the fee. License fees are the same for both male and female dogs.

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