

Radio Patter by Pat

The "Retired Ranger," another exciting episode on "The Lone Ranger," will be heard tonight at 7 o'clock over station KYYC. Wednesday's story will be about big Jim, a retired ranger who has been double crossed by his oldest friend at a time when he needs help to smash the biggest crook in town. "The Lone Ranger" goes to his defense and finds himself pitted against four killers in a fight to the finish.

The editor who gave ABC Commentator Walter Winchell his first newspaper job, an eyewitness account of Roy Reisel's "wrong way run" in the 1929 Rose Bowl football game, and the dramatic behind-the-scenes story of an escaped convict who hitch-hiked his way back to prison with the prison warden's permission will highlight the ABC broadcast of "Gentlemen of the Press" over station KYYC at 8:30 p. m.

Jane Pickens, a personable lass with a fresh and lively voice, will be Buddy Rogers' guest on the Thursday ABC broadcast of "Pick a Date With Buddy Rogers" at 3:30 p. m. over station KYYC. Jim Kirkwood and Lee Goodman, currently appearing in the musical, "Dance Me a Song," also will be on the program to tell of their most memorable date.

The Kiwanis Kapers will open in Ashland tomorrow night and

Christian Education Board To Meet Here

The annual meeting of the Jackson County Board of Christian Education will be held in the Fellowship hall of the First Christian church Tuesday, February 21, at 7:30 p. m. Ministers and lay representatives from all churches of Jackson county participating in the program of weekday religious education in the public schools of the county are urged to attend.

At this meeting the report of the nominating committee will be submitted and officers for the ensuing year will be elected. Various other business matters are to come before the members of the board.

Dalles-Celilo Canal Reopened To Traffic

Portland, Ore., Feb. 21.—(U.P.)—The Dalles-Celilo canal on the Columbia river reopened to traffic at 8 p. m. Saturday, the corps of engineers office here announced today.

The canal locks had been closed because of ice in the river.

If the show equals the cooperation and enthusiasm displayed by the directors and publicity men it should be a great success. There's something different about a stage show filled with local personalities that seems to please the public. . . maybe it's the fact that talents are displayed that were never known to exist or maybe it's just the "ham" (as the saying goes) popping out a little. Regardless of the reason for its success, Kiwanis Kapers deserves the backing of everyone so make it a point right now to see the Kiwanis Kapers in Ashland, Wednesday or Thursday, or Friday and Saturday at the Medford senior high auditorium at 8 p. m.

World Prayer Day Proclaimed Here By Acting Mayor

Friday, February 24, was today proclaimed as a "World Day of Prayer" by Acting Mayor Frank J. Runtz at the request of the local unit of the United Council of Church Women.

Text of the proclamation follows: A PROCLAMATION Whereas, it is the conviction of the United Council of Church Women, in fellowship with all those who seek the divine guidance of our Creator, that the many problems confronting us today can be solved only with the help of almighty God; and

Whereas, World Day of Prayer has been designated on an international, interdenominational, interracial basis to join the peoples of the world together in furtherance of the doctrine "Faith for Our Time"; and

Whereas, in order for the church to fulfill its important role of exerting practical witness to the fact of God's purpose in human affairs, thereby advancing the international cause of peace on earth, it is necessary that we be ever-mindful of the vast power of prayer in furthering His word and His work and in combating the forces of evil that surround us;

Now, therefore, I, Frank J. Runtz, acting mayor of the city of Medford, do hereby proclaim Friday, February 24, 1950, as "World Day of Prayer" in the city of Medford and call upon the people of our city to observe this day as an individual invitation to attend a specific World Day of Prayer meeting; and if the duties of some are such as to make this impossible, I urge them to pause in their work for one minute of

Church Brotherhood Dinner On Wednesday

The annual brotherhood dinner of the First Christian church will be held Wednesday at 6:45 p. m. in the Fellowship hall of the church. This occasion will launch the annual observance of the week of compassion which this year is combined with "One Great Hour of Sharing" the week of March 5 to 12.

The Brotherhood of Disciples of Christ goal for the week of compassion offerings this year is \$1,500,000. The first \$250,000 toward this amount will go to Church World service to alleviate suffering abroad.

The program, under the direction of Miss Verene Bailey, will be presented by members of the youth departments, and the 20-minute Church World service sound film, "Daybreak," will be shown.

All members and friends of the congregation are invited to attend and to participate in the observance.

prayer at high noon, to ask that God give us light to guide us, courage to support us and love to reunite us.

Witness my hand and seal of the city of Medford, this 15th day of February, 1950.

Frank J. Runtz, Acting Mayor.

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Average top rate employee earnings 1949...weekly
Switchboard Operating Employees . . . \$57.50
Craftsmen: Installers, Linemen, Equipment Maintenance Men, Cable Splicers, etc. . . 87.08

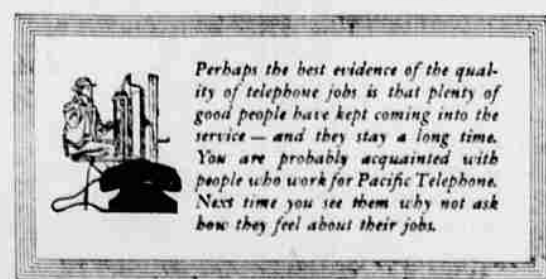
The average for all employees, including trainees and many with only short experience was: Switchboard Operating Employees, \$49.90 a week... Craftsmen, \$70.66. (These figures are based on weekly average earnings reported to the Bureau of Labor Statistics for the last four months of 1949.)

Wage increases: Regular progression increases take beginners from the trainee period to top rates in eight years. Last year, some 46,000 non-management telephone people received progression wage increases—that's about three out of four.

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