Final Winter Exams Now Under Way at SOC

Ashland — Final exam fever has replaced a shortlived spring fever at Southern Oregon college as students near the end of their winter term.

Examinations began yesterday and will continue through Tuesday. College will be recessed for the remainder of the next week and spring quarter registration will begin on Monday, March 24.

Classes will reconvene Tuesday, March 25 and the term will continue through June 6.

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Local and Personal

Returns—Wilbur Bean, former Medford resident now living in Portland, left today for his home after being here several days on business.

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Parents Here — Mr. and Mrs. Judd Greenman, Vernonia, Ore., left yesterday after visiting several days at the home of their son, Hale Greenman and family, 2223 Aloha street.

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Convalescing — Mrs. Willis Cauthon, 2415 Finely lane, is convalescing at Osteopathic hospital from surgery, according to a hospital report.

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Leaves — Mrs. William Johnson and infant daughter, Sharlene, left Tuesday for their home in Chico, Calif., after visiting several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ward, 1490 Ridgeway drive, and with other relatives in the valley.

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Checker Club — The Medford Checker-Chess club will meet Sunday, March 16 at 123½ West Main street from 1:30 to 5 p. m., according to Cliff Heeter, secretary. Meetings are scheduled for every Sunday at the same time and place, he added. Anyone interested in attending is invited.

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Pendleton Post—Gray Thompson, Toledo, will assume the post of 4-H club work supervisor in Umatilla county. He has been Lincoln county agent for four years and Mrs. Thompson has taught at Toledo. Both are graduates of Central Point high school. Thompson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thompson, Central Point, and Mrs. Thompson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bohnert, Central Point.

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Roof Ignited—Sparks from the flue ignited shingles and burned a small hole in the roof of the Ted Loughary residence, 808 Cedar street, late yesterday afternoon, according to city firemen. They reported no damage from a flue fire at the Robert Vinson home, 718 Bennett street, about 8 a. m. today. Lint was ignited at the R. M. Phillips residence, 819 Pennsylvania avenue, but no damage reportedly resulted when a furnace fan overheated last night.

To Build—D. A. Parker has received a $10,000 building permit for construction of a residence at 333 Ardmore street, the city building inspector's office reported this morning.

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Mother Here — Mrs. Creigh House, Turney, Mo., is visiting with her son, Dick House, and his family, at 1040 West 13th street. She arrived here Saturday from San Francisco after visiting her mother there.

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Daughter Visits—Miss Betty Crow returned this week to Portland after visiting with her mother, Mrs. Alice Crow, 228 King street. Miss Crow is a secretary in the offices of the IEL Power Saw company, Portland.

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From San Francisco — Miss Nyssa Wall, San Francisco, left the first of the week for her home after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Etha Wall, Ross lane. Miss Wall is a bookkeeping supervisor at the San Francisco Bank of California.

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In Training—Dean D. Duncan, a Navy seaman recruit, is in training at the San Diego, Cal., Navy center, according to a release from there: He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Roderick, Route 2, Central Point, and entered the service January 23. Before leaving he attended Central Point high school.

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Money Lost—Oscar Larson, owner of the Prospect store, Prospect, has reported the loss of an envelope containing $1,500 and two bank books(according to city police. The money included $700 in $20 bills, $500 in $10 bills and $300 in $5 bills, police stated. The money was lost March 11, they said.

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Has Appendectomy—Mrs. Lois Ramsey, P. O. Box 149, Jacksonville, had an appendectomy today at Osteopathic hospital, according to a hospital report. John Douglas Robertson, route 1, box 374, Gold Hill, had surgery last night. John Loper, Trail, who had surgery at the hospital, was discharged today.

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From Longview — Mrs. Carl G. Henrikson, Longview, Wash., will leave tomorrow after being here several days because of the illness of her mother, Mrs. Frank C. Albert, who underwent major surgery this week at Sacred Heart hospital. Mrs. Albert is reported to be improved. While here Mrs. Henrikson visited at the home of a brother, M. G. Albert, 304 South Peach street. She is a former Medford resident and taught in Jacksonville schools. She is teaching now in the English department of the Longview high school.

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From Conference — Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Lininger and daughter, Miss Margaret Lininger, 608 South Oakdale avenue, returned March 12 from La Verne college, a Church of the Brethren institution, at La Verne, Cal. There they attended an annual regional conference. Lininger is a trustee of the college from the Oregon district. Miss Lininger is in charge of children's church work for the Pacific region. She made reports of her work at the conference and was reelected to her office.

FRIENDS PITCH IN

North Adams, Mass. — (U.P.) — A hospitalized fireman, Charles Maxymillian, has not lost a day's pay since he went on sick leave Nov. 7 because his off-duty buddies take turns working for him. City ordinances grant only one day sick leave for every three weeks reported.

Obituary

CORNELIUS SWEENEY

Cornelius B. Sweeney, 63, died today at the V. A. Domiciliary center, Camp White. Funeral arrangements are in care of Conger-Morris funeral home.

EDWARD SMITH

Edarw A. Smith, 78, of Ruch, died today at his home. Funeral arrangements are in care of Conger-Morris funeral home.

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Western, Japanese Mayors Due for Meeting in 1953

Seattle, Wash.—(U.P.)—Mayor William F. Devin of Seattle is arranging a meeting of Japanese and western American mayors here in 1953 which he hopes will be backed financially by the U. S. State Department.

He said the mayor's conference would be a follow-up to the one held in Tokyo last November which he attended with other West Coast musical leaders.

"I only hope that a mayor's conference here can match the wonderful hospitality we received from the Japanese," Devin said. "I wish I could convey my appreciation of the reception we enjoyed there."

Press clippings and records of the Japan conference will be sent for and forwarded to the State Department as a sort of brief to encourage backing of the proposed 1953 convention, he explained.

"Besides satisfying an eagerness of Japanese civic leaders to learn how we operate our cities, such a conference would help to encourage a mutual confidence between the two nations, which in turn encourages trade," Mayor Devin said.

In commenting on the Tokyo conference, the first of its kind ever held, Devin said he thought great strides were made in our efforts to bring practical democracy to the Japanese.

"Democracy here is strongest at the local level," Mayor Devin said, "and it was fitting that mayors of West Coast cities most vitally interested in our relations with the Orient should exchange viewpoints, methods and experiences with Japanese leaders."

On specific trade problems, the mayor commented that there is a large tangerine (Japanese orange) market in this country which would welcome a revived import of the Japanese product.

Although importation of the fruit into the United States presently is banned by the Department of Agriculture, Devin said considerable work is being done locally to surmount the obstacle.

Devin also suggested that a joint Japanese-United States commission be appointed to study the tuna fish import problem.

PLEADS GUILTY

Moscow, Ida. — (U.P.) — Walt Dell, former University of Idaho football player, pleaded guilty Thursday in district court to first degree burglary charges in connection with a December 19 store theft.

DIFFERENT THEN

Barre, Vt.—(U.P.)—Dr. Robert Paddock, Barre's first physician, charged from 25 cents to $1 for house calls, depending on the distance traveled. His home, built in 1814, still stands on South Main street.

Daily Weather Report

FORECASTS

Medford and vicinity: Decreasing cloudiness with widely scattered showers tonight and Saturday. Continued cool. Low tonight 35, high Saturday 48-50.

Western Oregon: Mostly cloudy with showers tonight and Saturday, except partly cloudy extreme north part. Little temperature change. Lows tonight 34-42, highs Saturday 45-55.

LOCAL DATA

Temperature a year ago today: Highest 71; Lowest 33.

Total monthly precipitation .26 inch.

Deficiency for the month .40 inch.

Total precipitation since September 1, 1951, 17.24 inches.

Excess for the season 4.91 inches.

Relative humidity 4:30 p.m. yesterday 39%; 4:30 a.m. today 44%.

Tomorrow

Sunrise 6:23 a.m. Sunset 6:17 p.m.

Observations Taken At 4:30 A.M., 120 Meridian Time

	High	Low	Prec.
Boise	39	23	
Boston	46	30	.03
Chicago	43	31	.03
Denver	44	25	.02
Eureka	48	43	
Havre	27	-1	T
Klamath Falls	38	28	
Los Angeles	55	44	.07
Medford	50	42	
New York	46	32	.17
Omaha	39	31	T
Phoenix	61	39	
Portland	48	41	.04
Reno	39	20	
Eugene	50	42	T
Salt Lake	35	27	.11
San Francisco	52	42	T
Seattle	45	39	.02
Spokane	41	28	.13
Washington, D.C.	54	38	.10
Yakima	51	24	

Wall Street

New York — (U.P.) — Railroad shares rescued the market late Friday when it was sagging.

Buying in the carriers reflected Wall Street anticipation of an early and favorabl decision by the Interstate Commerce Commission on the roads' plea for a freight rate increase.

Dow Jones closing stock averages: 30 industrials 264.05, off 0.19; 20 railroads 90.22, up 1.38; 15 utilities 49.76, up 0.10; 65 stocks 100.14, up 0.45.

Sales Friday totaled 1,350,000 shares compared with 1,270,000 traded Thursday.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:

American T & T	154¼
Anaconda	47⅞
Chrysler	72
Curtiss Wright	8¾
General Electric	58⅜
General Motors	52⅜
Montgomery Ward	61⅜
Penn R R	19½
Penney, J C	67⅝
Radio	26¾
Southern Co	13½
Southern Pacific	67
S Oil of Cal	53
Texas Gulf Sulphur	109¼
Transamerica	26⅛
Tri-Continental	14½
United Aircraft	31½
U S Rubber	79½
U S Steel	38⅞
Youngstown	46⅝

Livestock

Portland—(U.P.)—Cattle 65. Choice 1112 lb. fed steers $35, good and choice 1,088 lbs. $34.50; good 1,000 to 1,100 lbs., $33-34; bulk $33.50; commercial steers $30-32.50; utility $24-$29; good 700 to 725 lb. feeder steers $32; good heifers $32-33; commercial $28.50-31; canner and cutter cows $18-21.50; utility cows $22-25; commercial bulls $28.50-29.50.

Calves 10. Choice and odd prime vealers $35-38; good $31-33; utility and commercial calves and vealers $20-30; choice 315 lb. stockers $39.

Hogs 75. Choice 180-235 lb. butchers $20.50-20.75; choice 285-400 lb. sows $17-17.75; 425-570 lb. sows $15.50-$16.50; choice light feeder pigs $18-$18.50.

Sheep none. Good and choice under 110 lb. fed wooled lambs $26.50-27; choice $27.50; choice 120 lbs. $26; choice No. 3 pelt 110 lbs. $25.50; medium and good feeders $24; good ewes $13; cull and utility $7-12.

San Francisco —(U.P.)— Cattle for week 575. Good 1020 lb. slaughter steers $33.75, good heifers $32.50; canner and cutter cows $18-21.

Calves for week 20.

Hogs for week 1700. Choice No. 1 and No. 2 butchers 180-240 lbs., $19.25; good and choice feeder pigs 50-100 lbs., $19-21.

Sheep for week 100. Supply too light to sufficiently test market.

Portland Produce

Portland —(U.P.)— Butter: To retailers: AA grade prints 84c lb.; cartons 85c; A prints 84c; cartons 85c; B prints 82c lb.

Eggs: To retailers: Grade AA large 49c doz.; A large 45c doz.; AA medium, 45c doz.; A medium 44c doz.; cartons 3c additional.

Cheese: To retailers: A grade cheddar, Oregon singles, 45-51c lb. 5-lb. loaves, 53-54c; premium brands to 58½c lb. for single wheels and 61½c for 5-lb. loaves; processed American cheese, 5-lb. loaves, 45½-47½c lb.

Buyers on the East Side Farmers' market Friday faced a slightly increased supply of mustard greens, bunched beets and turnips. Most prices held steady.

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Around Hollywood

By ALINE MOSBY
United Press Correspondent

Hollywood—(U.P.)—One of the magic city's favorite legends is that Lana Turner was an overnight success.

Aline Mosby

But for eight months after she was discovered in that soda fountain, the movie studios turned her down.

Lana recently spilled the story of her life in a magazine article that even said her father was a gambler who was murdered. But the tale of those heartbreaking eight months when nobody wanted Lana got lost in the printer's ink.

Agent Harry Willson, one of her discoverers, told the story today for the first time.

"She was no quick sensation," he said. "She worked hard and had a lot of disappointments.

Told To Buy Dress

"Trade paper publisher Billy Wilkerson saw her in that soda fountain and sent her to the agency where I worked. Her name was Judy Turner. She came in all decked out in her aunt's borrowed furs and jewelry. She had black hair. I told her to go out and buy a $6.50 navy blue dress with white collar and cuffs that I'd seen in a store window.

"After school she worked in a little lingerie shop on Hollywood Boulevard for $12.50 a week. I'd go to the principal of Hollywood school to get her excused from class. Then with her books under my arm we'd make the rounds of the studios.

Turned Down by Paramount

"I took her to Paramount but they didn't see anything in her. At Fox they didn't see any spark in her personality. What they should have done was put her in a part that fit her personality until she learned how to act. That's what makes a star."

Willson heard that RKO needed dancers for "new faces." Lana insisted she could dance and "my boy friend can play the piano for me." The boy friend turned out to be Mickey Rooney.

"She didn't have any routines, and I had to send her out for a fast dancing lesson," he recalled. "She was cute and graceful, but she didn't get the part.

Played in 'Star Is Born'

"Everyone thinks her first movie was 'They Won't Forget.' Before that she did a one-day bit in 'A Star Is Born.' For her movie debut she sat around a swimming pool in a bathing suit and got $25.

"Finally director Mervyn Leroy at Warner's put her in 'They Won't Forget' and we changed her name to Lana. All she did was walk down the street in a sweater. When she saw herself on the screen she was embarrassed. She said, 'that's terrible. Do I look like that?'

"Leroy took her to MGM. But I spent eight hard months with her first, and it wasn't easy when the studios couldn't see anything in her."

Meetings Hear Details Of Tax Check Program

A series of meetings of business and industrial groups of Jackson county is being held this week and next so that representatives may become familiar with the provisions of the new personal property tax inventory check now being conducted by the county assessor's office.

On Wednesday representatives of the assessor's office met with attorneys, yesterday they met with farm implement and industrial equipment dealers, and today were to meet with automobile dealers.

On Monday a meeting of accountants will be held.

In each case County Assessor C. A. Myers and Deputy Assessor Andrew Hawver have been invited to explain the program, under which the inventories of all merchants are being checked.

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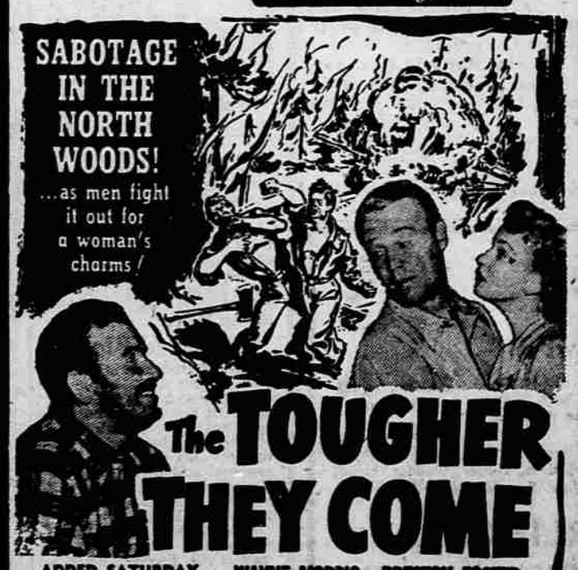
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