



SPRING ACTIVITIES PLANNED—Southern Oregon college Spring activities are discussed by student leaders, left to right, Rosemary Ring, Ashland, editor of the campus weekly newspaper; Dean S. Nichols, Medford, president of the student body; Ann Barker, Klamath Falls, campus YMCA leader; and Dale Smith, Grants Pass, president of the sophomore class.

Pickin' Pears News, Gossip, Comment From Camp White

By L. J. "TICK" MALARKEY
It was good to get a letter from Pat Connolly from the Veterans Home at Napa, Cal. Pat spent about a year here and kept busy painting signs for the engineering department. He was a skilled sign painter in civilian life. While on the station this good natured Irishman made many friends. During Pat's youthful days prior to World War I he spent a couple of years digging razor clams for a cannery located at Oysterville, Wash. Pat never tired of telling these experiences and at the same time always longing for a big platter of fried clams. He was not alone in this wishful thought.

Paul Camp is back after several months leave of absence. Camp spent most of his leave in California. He is a World War I veteran.

Jim Hukill had on display a hooked rug which is a masterpiece. This work of art is 38 by 48 inches and has woven in its pattern a dog and its two puppies. Many hours of painstaking labor have gone into its manufacture and Jim can be well proud of the results. Nothing like it has ever been turned out here before.

With "Irish" Duffy, John Bearden and Ruby Mallory of the Navy Mothers this writer spent a pleasant evening Wednesday playing pitch. The Navy Mothers had weighed anchors and come to Camp White with a cargo of pies to entertain the veterans at cards. We had lots of fun and it was a pleasure to play pitch with a lady. Ruby knows all of the fine points of this intricate game of cards—high, low, jack and the game.

When the VFW auxiliary of Rogue River was snowed out Wednesday and couldn't come to Camp White to put on the entertainment for that post's open meeting, Commander Willard Abbott hustled around and got together enough talent on the station to make a big evening. Deane Stewart, Art Kenton, Archie McBeth, Dock Morris, Joe Greco, John Unger and "Radio" Coffey whipped up a show for the post that was a dandy. Commander Abbott is very grateful to the boys for their good work.

Roy Parker has well over a 100 rugs that he will have on

display and for sale at the Hobby Fair this coming month. April 27 is the date. Plans are in the making for the biggest show of all time.

George "Junior" Mitchell, the Old Gyrene, has returned to the domiciliary. While away "Junior" spent some time at Barnes VA hospital. He then went to work for the S.P.S. in San Francisco. Became ill while on the job and entered the VA hospital at Whipple, Calif. He is now back in Jackson county to recuperate at Camp White. When here before Mitchell was a member employee on the Dominies staff as stencil cutter.

Calling out like an army drill sergeant—snappy, we mean—Mrs. Roy Stoy put on an evening of games for the Medford post and its auxiliary of the American Legion which was a treat to attend. This lady really kept the ball rolling and the prizes were liberal this past Tuesday evening. "Ace" Schoonmaker of the membership turned the crank for another series of games when the Pythian Sisters entertained Wednesday afternoon.

George Thorington of Roseburg has checked in. Good to see him again, a friend of long standing. Thorington at one time worked for the VA as a cook in the Walla Walla hospital. For some time he has made his home in Roseburg.

Phil Goss of Camp White's voter registrar's office advises that he has registered 200 new voters who have resided in precinct 73 for the past six months. Registration will close April 15. This precinct embraces the localities of White City, Camp White, Agate and Beagle. With former registrations this precinct should be able to poll a vote in the neighborhood of 1,000 if all who have registered turn out to vote at the polls. Goss, in charge of this detail, is a member of Camp White.

Spring's first leaves are beginning to unfold. They are the lilac bushes of which there are many scattered throughout the grounds.

Niagara Falls, N. Y.—(U.P.)—Thomas E. Dewey is in the Army as a paratrooper but he is not the governor of New York state. He is a 19-year-old resident of Toronto, Ont., who enlisted here.

Outage Expected Near Reedsport

Eugene—(U.P.)—Bonneville Power administration district headquarters in Eugene Saturday informed residents of the Coos Bay-Reedsport area there was a possibility that power service to the region would be interrupted until linemen could replace 28 insulator units damaged by 22 caliber rifle fire.

W. E. Trommershausen, southwest area manager for BPA, said the insulators were damaged on the 115-kilovolt transmission line, two miles south of the Coos Bay substation. He estimated damage at \$500.

Replacement of insulators probably will have to be made under "hot line" conditions, he said, because of the importance of the line. He warned, however, that wind or rain storms could further delay repairs. He estimated crews would have to work through the weekend to complete repairs.

News of 4-H CLUBS

Busy Bees 4-H Club
The Reese Creek Busy Bees 4-H club met March 18 in the home of Mrs. Gardener with Miss Glenna Hobbs of Medford. Miss Marveta Nelson was a guest at a meeting the week before. We are glad to have guests and like their help. The three members lived up to their name at this meeting for they were real busy bees on their needle cases.

Applegate Sewing Susans
The Applegate Sewing Susans held their regular meeting at the home of Deirda Stewart. The meeting was called to order by President Anita Kubli. Mrs. Krouse gave a demonstration on how to put a zipper in a dress. All the girls worked on their work. Cake and punch were served and games were played. The next meeting will be April 8 at the home of Mrs. Krouse.

Dona Brown, Reporter.

Eisenhower Man Named On Willamette Program
Salem—(U.P.)—Sen. Frank Carlson, Kansas Republican who is one of the leaders in the Eisenhower-for-President movement, will be the keynote speaker at the Willamette university mock Republican convention here May 10.

Word that Sen. Carlson would speak at the convention—to be held just six days before Oregon's primary—was received Saturday by Bob Small, convention chairman.

Sen. Carlson, who served two terms as governor of Kansas before going to the Senate, is the first national political figure to be scheduled to appear during the Oregon primary campaign.

Ontario—(U.P.)—San Diego's Padres nursed their pride Friday, badly battered by a 5 to 0 blank at the bats of the Portland Beavers, who made the unusual total of 22 assists in the exhibition game. Beaver pitchers Marino Pieretti and Bob Drilling held the Padres to two hits.



TO SHOW LENTEN COOKING—New recipes for Lenten dishes, Easter treats and a variety of other budget-trimming cooking tricks will be demonstrated at a public cooking school to be conducted at the Craterian theater at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 25, under the joint sponsorship of the Crescent Manufacturing company and Centennial Flouring Mills company. Two popular home economics experts, Marian Bell (left above) and Celia Lee, will conduct the school for the Home Appliance company, Medford General Electric dealer, which is cooperating in presenting the school. Among the projects planned will be a demonstration of how best to cook hot cross buns, popular at this time of year, baking of a whole meal with everything being prepared in an oven at one time, and a demonstration of short cuts in Lenten meals and ways to make them more appetizing.

Spotted Fever Vaccination Suggested in East Oregon

Portland—(U.P.)—The State Board of Health in Portland Saturday recommended vaccination against Rocky Mountain spotted fever for all persons planning to live or visit in Oregon areas east of the Deschutes river this spring or summer.

Dr. Gordon C. Edwards, acting state health officer, said there have been 18 cases of the disease in Oregon during the last two years, with one death.

Rock Mountain spotted fever is an infectious disease transmitted through the bite of an infected tick or by crushing an infected tick on the skin.

Dr. Edwards said it has been estimated that only about one tick in 300 is infected with Rocky Mountain spotted fever.

Average Oregon Wages Near All-Time Pinnacle
Salem—(U.P.)—Average weekly earnings of Oregon's production workers increased to \$77.86 in February, only a few cents short of the all-time high reached last June, the State Unemployment Compensation commission said Saturday.

The report was based on tabulations made by the commission in co-operation with the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Use Mail Tribune Want Ads

Sunday, March 23, 1952

MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—ELEVEN

Chained Canadian Seaman Awarded \$2,000 Damages

Seattle—(U.P.)—Seaman William M. Olynky, 27, of New Westminster, B. C., held a \$2,000 judgment Saturday against the Isthmian Steamship Co. on charges that he was chained "like a wild animal" on one of the company's ships.

A superior court jury awarded the \$2,000 damages to Olynky Friday night after deliberating for three hours on the case. Sued for \$100,000.

Olynky had sued the company for \$100,000 claiming that Captain Sydney Williams had chained him to the bridge of the freighter Clyde L. Seavey for 67 days.

The seaman also charged that he was made an object of ridicule when shipmates brought Siamese women aboard the vessel to look at him in chains.

Said Mutineer
Captain Williams admitted putting Olynky in irons and accused him of being "a trouble maker and mutineer."

Testifying by deposition, the skipper said, "the reason I chained Olynky to the bridge near my quarters was because he couldn't be chained anywhere else where I and the ship's officers could watch him closely."

Automobile Overturns As Portlander Killed

Portland—(U.P.)—Robin Bartlett Sanders, 63, a salesman of Portland, was killed Friday night when his car rolled over on the Columbia river express highway a mile east of the Sandy river bridge.

Deputy Sheriffs William Clendenning and Leonard Klawns said Sanders' car apparently hit a shoulder and he lost control as he was travelling west on the highway. They said they did not know how many times the car rolled over. No other car was involved.

Seattle—(U.P.)—Seventy-five northwest swimmers will compete in sectional tryouts for Olympic team berths Saturday afternoon at the University of Washington pool. The first three finishers in all events will qualify for the national games finals scheduled in July.

More than 90 per cent of the U. S. bituminous coal production is east of the Mississippi river.

Sound Financial Shape Reported by Cle Elum

Cle Elum—(U.P.)—The city of Cle Elum now is probably in the soundest financial shape in its history, City Clerk Earl McDonald said Saturday on completion of his financial report for 1951.

The cash balance in the city treasury was \$88,006.96 as of Jan. 1, 1952. A year earlier the cash balance stood at slightly more than \$53,000.

US Forest Service Sets Timber Sales in Idaho

Sandpoint, Ida.—(U.P.)—Kani-Kan National Forest headquarters announced Saturday that 10,000 acres of timber will be open for bid about April 15 in the biggest sale ever held in this north Idaho forest.

The forest service said the stand includes 31,000,000 feet of mixed timber species, and about 51,000,000 board feet of old growth Idaho white pine.

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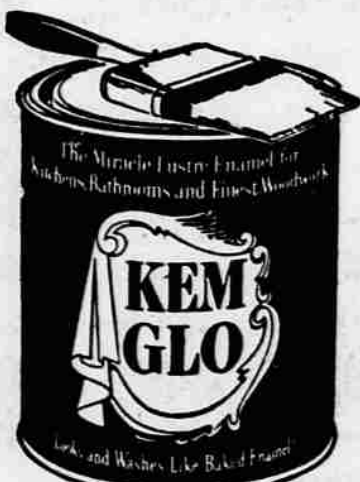
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