

Rotary Foundation Fellow Speaks at Meeting in Medford

Life in Scotland and England is frugal but the holidays well celebrated, according to a talk given by Nick Kirkmire, of Eugene, Rotary Foundation fellow, yesterday noon at the Medford Rotary club.

High government taxes discourage anyone from earning more than \$3,000 a year, Kirkmire told the local Rotarians. A man he met told him he earned \$71,000 one year and after taxes had \$5,000 left. A package of cigarettes there cost 60 cents each, and the tax per gallon on U.S. gasoline is 28 cents, he said. However, New Years is celebrated well in Scotland. As soon as Big Ben in the London tower strikes midnight on New Year's Eve a round of visiting starts. This last until midnight the next day.

Graduate of OSC
Kirkmire graduated from Oregon State college with a degree in forestry. On his fellowship he studied in the University of Scotland at Aberdeen, Scotland, where he took postgraduate work in forestry. Following this he made a tour of Europe and returned to the United States five weeks ago.

Life of a student is very plain he told Rotarians. Students live with families, mainly widows. The houses are large stone structures with beds in every room.

According to the terms of his fellowship, Kirkmire must visit the various Rotary clubs in his area to give talks on his experiences.

Yesterday's meeting was conducted by Sharon Eichelberger, first vice president, in the absence of the president. Program chairman for the day was Tom Oliver.

Gift Packing at Bear Creek Seen on TV

The Christmas gift-packing operation at Bear Creek Orchards was featured on the TV program, "Industry on Parade," Monday, and the show will be repeated over KES-TV at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, it was reported today.

The program, produced by the National Association of Manufacturers, depicts industrial projects of particular interest throughout the nation. The radio network of the Southern Oregon Conservation and Tree Farm association was featured recently.

The Bear Creek portion of the program was filmed last December when several thousand people were at work at the big plant south of town. It lasts about 5 minutes on the program.

Defense Pamphlet Helpful To Youths Making Choice In Compulsory Military Requirement

By LOUIS CASSELS
United Press Correspondent
Washington — About 9 o'clock each weekday morning, a messenger pedals a bicycle through the corridors of the Pentagon Building to deliver a bulging sack of mail to Room 2D776.



The sack contains, on a typical day, more than 1,500 letters and postcards from all parts of the nation. Each bears a simple but sufficient address: "It's Your Choice, Washington 25, D. C."

The writers receive by return mail a free 20-page pamphlet which is rapidly becoming a popular "how to" book. Compiled by the Defense Department, and handsomely printed in color, it lists 33 different ways to beat the draft by enlisting in the regular or reserve forces or

the National Guard. The title—"It's Your Choice"—sums up the new sales pitch

Elizabeth Taylor, Infant Doing Fine

New York — Actress Elizabeth Taylor, 24, and her new daughter were reported doing fine today at Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center where the infant was delivered Tuesday by caesarean section supervised by a team of eight doctors.

The 4-pound, 14 ounce premature girl was in an incubator, but attendants said she appeared "all right."

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MUNICIPAL COURT
Robert Lee Thomas, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Leon Ira White, disobeyed traffic signal, \$5.
Lynn Rod Johnson, excessive noise, \$10.
Lewis Merland Tyer, violation of basic rule, \$10.
John Lunnie Alexander, violation of basic rule, \$10.
L. A. Wilkinson, defective equipment, \$2.50.
Mack C. Bowers, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Wallace M. Rice, disobeyed traffic signal, \$10.
Donald Ora Garner, lane usage, \$5.
Lloyd Lee Albern, disobeyed traffic signal, \$5.
Henry Harvey Halvorsen, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Dallas Barrington Knowlton, excessive noise, \$10.
Clarence Richard Krieger, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Willard Emery Moss Jr., violation of basic rule, \$10.
Max Eugene Hite, disobeyed traffic signal, \$5; no license plate, \$5.
Christina Ellen McCarty, failure to yield right of way to pedestrian, \$15.
W. J. Larson, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Angel Angie, wrong way on one-way street, \$5.
Edgar Philip Cunningham, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Edward Charles Poleski, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Wilfred Charles Boye, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Graham Fritchard Curry, failure to display front license plate, \$5.
David Ralph Buchanan, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Gordon Forrest Casey, violation of basic rule, \$10.

DISTRICT COURT
Richard Ronald McLeod, more than three in the driver's seat, \$15.
Charles Gifford Lish, overload, \$15.
Larry Gene Kidwell, following too closely, \$15.
Stanley Michael Zwan, following too closely, \$15.
Isaac Franklin Atterberry, overlength, \$15.
Walt Lee Nash, no PUC permit declaring weight certification, \$15.
Clarence Graden Hedgpeth, overheight, \$15.
Peter McKay Bateman, failure to signal, \$10.
Alvin D. Shepard, violation of basic rule, \$15.
Eugene Bevington, failure to stop at sign, \$10.

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS
Elvise Holt Snow, Central Point, and Jessie Carroll Sinyard, Central Point.

Missing Coach Turns Up In Pennsylvania

Cambridge, Mass. — Harvard football coach John Yovicsin, who had been missing since Sunday, turned up today in Allentown, Pa., college officials learned in a phone call from his wife.

Mrs. Betty Yovicsin telephoned from their Gettysburg, Pa., home that her husband had telephoned from somewhere between Allentown and Gettysburg. She said he was coming home.

Mrs. Yovicsin said her husband "friends" in the POCO mountains a popular vacation area, and learned only today he had been reported missing.

State police at Gettysburg said Mrs. Yovicsin told them "it was all a misunderstanding about when he was to arrive at Harvard. It was my fault."

Eighteen Colleges Have Additional Room

Omaha, Neb. — The World-Herald reported after a survey that, despite crowded college conditions in many areas, there are 18 small colleges in Nebraska that have room for additional students.

Three of the colleges are state teachers colleges with four-year courses, and the total of available space adds up to room for 1,000 more students.

The colleges are well-established, ranging from 46 to 90 years old. Excluded are the University of Nebraska, Creighton University and the University of Omaha, the state's three largest universities.

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An even wider range of choice is open to the youth who will sign up for a regular enlistment minimum period: Three years in the Army, Marines or Coast Guard; four years in the Air Force or Navy. Some of the longer and more complex technical training courses are ruled out for two-year enlistees, but the "full hitch" volunteer can pick any kind of training he is mentally qualified to absorb.

And what of the able-bodied, unattached young man who resists all these blandishments? What are his chances of "sneaking through" to age 26 without being drafted?

Very slim, according to Selective Service officials. Draft calls during the past year have ranged from as low as 6,000 a month to as high as 17,000, with the average about 14,000.

About 35 per cent of the supposed 1A's are rejected by the Army when they go up for their pre-induction physical examinations. Others escape the draft by becoming fathers, who have a blanket deferment under present regulations. Thousands each month sign up voluntarily, thus reducing the pool available for filling draft calls.

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