

# Local and Personal

**At Osteopathic** - Mrs. Donald Bergman, 1044 Biddle rd., is listed as a surgery patient at Osteopathic hospital.

**Files Name** - The assumed business name of Dawn of the New has been filed in the county clerk's office by Oletha M. Abbott, post office box 165, Ashland.

**File Name** - The assumed business name of LeRay apartments has been filed in the county clerk's office by J. P. and Mary E. Lahr, 160 Fourth st., Ashland.

**Surgery Patients** - Elmer Baker, route 1, box 67H, Rogue River, and Alvin Hartley, 726 Welch st., Medford, were listed as surgery patients at Sacred Heart hospital Friday. Medical patients there included Charles Holland, post office box 373, Riddle, and Ross Salvage, box 552, Brookings.

**Retire Name** - The assumed business name of Midway Service station has been retired, according to county clerk's office records filed by Thomas M. and LaFay S. Caster.

**Business Name** - The assumed business name of Cherry Hill Poultry farm has been filed by E. H. and Myrtle E. Briscoe, 639 Wilson rd., Ashland, according to records in the county clerk's office.

**Return** - Mr. and Mrs. Clark Shephard, Brownsboro rd., returned to their home Wednesday from Missouri where they attended the funeral of Shephard's mother.

**Retires Name** - The assumed business name of Williams and Croucher has been retired by Leo B. Williams and S. M. Croucher, according to records on file in the county clerk's office.

**Minor Fires** - Ashland firemen Thursday extinguished two minor fires, one in a flue and the other caused when a furnace blower burned up, sending smoke through the home of W. H. Attring, 960 Mary Jane ave. It was reported at 12:10 p.m. No damage was caused by the flue fire, reported at 11:37 a.m., at the home of Paul Byers, 425 South Mountain ave.

**Bicycle Taken** - A bicycle belonging to Chester Paul Stickley, 509 Beatty st., was taken from McLoughlin Junior High school sometime Friday, according to city police.

**Shoplifter Caught** - The assistant manager at F. W. Woolworth, 39 North Central ave., caught a 15-year-old Gold Hill boy who took a memo pad from the store Saturday afternoon. He was turned over to city police and released to the custody of his parents.

## Polk Co. Praised For Welfare Work

Salem—UPI—The Oregon Public Welfare commission at a meeting here Friday gave a pat on the back to Polk county for its plan of getting work for public welfare recipients. Gov. Mark Hatfield commended the county recently for the program.

**Billfold Stolen** - City police said a billfold containing approximately \$50 was taken from a table at the Twenty-One club, 1909 North Pacific highway, while its owner, Jean Marie Morgan, Phoenix, and her boy friend were dancing, Saturday night.

**Attempting to Locate** - City police are trying to locate Leon Kirkwood who is believed to be in the Medford area. Police received a letter from Evelyn Kirkwood, Thatcher, Ariz., who is trying to locate Leon in regard to an emergency. She wants him to call her collect if he is located.

**Dog Bites Boy** - Murphy Keith McHugh, 8, of 500 North Berkeley Way, was bitten several times by two young collie dogs Saturday afternoon and two of the bites punctured the skin on his left leg, city police reported. Police said the boy was running down the street in front of 1925 Stratford ave., when the two dogs ran out at him, one of them biting him on the wrist. When he tried to keep the dogs away, police said, they bit him on the leg but were finally chased away by the boy's brother. The dog's owners have not yet been located.

## Obituaries

**ROSA E. SCHAFER**  
Funeral services for Mrs. Rosa E. Schaffer, 2370 Stewart ave., who died in a local hospital Saturday, will be held in the Conger-Morris downtown chapel Tuesday at 10 a.m. Committal will be in the IOOF cemetery.

**LENA M. GREENE**  
Funeral services for Mrs. Lena M. Greene, of 207 Laurel st., who died Thursday, will be held at Conger-Morris Funeral home downtown chapel Monday at 1:30 p.m. The Rev. D. Kirkland West of the First Presbyterian church will officiate. Committal will be in Siskiyou Memorial park.

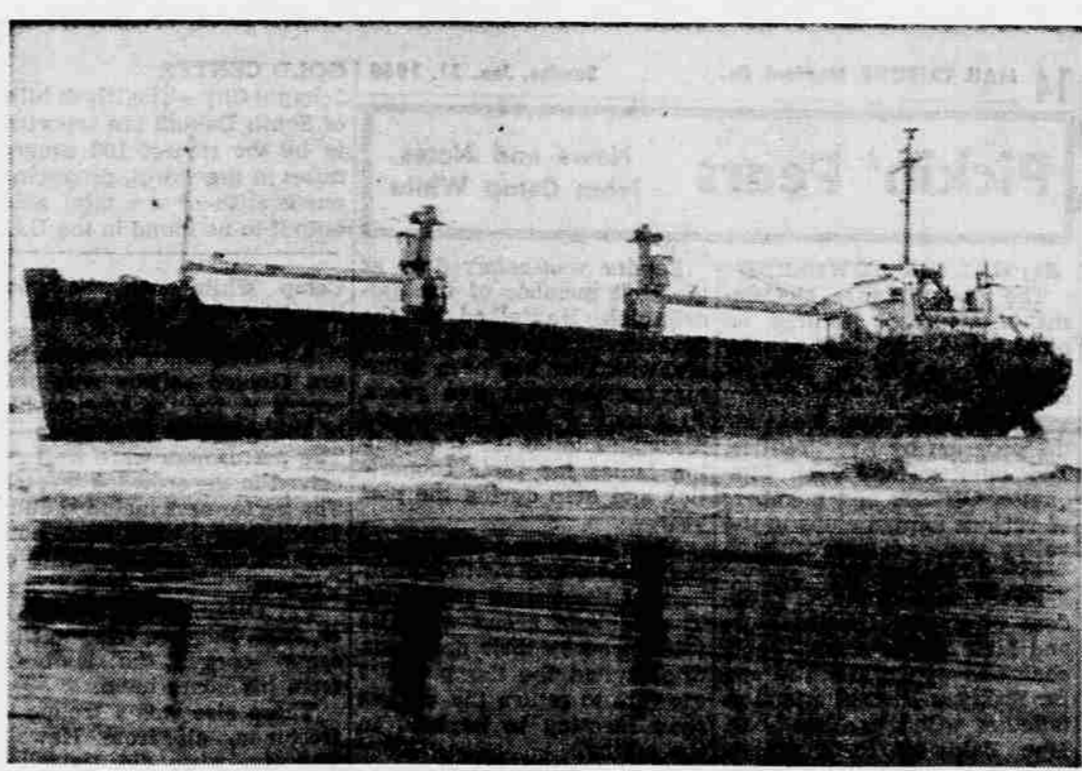
Mrs. Greene was born in Albion, Ill., and had lived in southern Oregon since 1920. Survivors include three sons, Charles R. Greene and Fred W. Greene Jr., Medford; and John W. Greene, Yuba City, Calif.; a daughter, Mrs. Ruth Ann Shores, Salem, Ore.; a sister, Mrs. Frank Lombard, Dallas, Tex.; 12 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will include Kenneth Hulbert, Richard Isaacs, James Murray, Dr. Luke Vorheis, Ivan Olson, Roy Smith, and Clare Shores.

**FRED BORTZ**  
Funeral services for Fred Bortz, 78, of 819 North Central ave., who died in a local hospital Friday, will be held at Perl Funeral home Tuesday at 10:30 o'clock. Dr. George S. Roseberry of First Methodist church will officiate. Interment will be in the Siskiyou crematorium.

**MRS. BERTHA CHRISLER**  
Funeral services for Mrs. Bertha Chrisler, 71, of 51 North Oakdale ave., who died Friday at the Jackson County Farm home, will be held at Perl Funeral home Tuesday at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Catherine Bosworth of the Unity Church will officiate. Interment will be at the Siskiyou crematorium.

Mrs. Chrisler was born in Plymouth, England, Jan. 11, 1889, and had been in the United States for 43 years. She was a member of the Unity church. Survivors include one sister, Miss Beatrice Hurley, Medford, and one brother, Herman G. Hurley, of Canada.



**HARD AGROUND** - In Crescent City, Calif., harbor is this lumber freighter, C-Trader, hard aground. The ship resisted all efforts Thursday to pull the vessel off the beach. The empty ship blew ashore in high winds earlier in the day while trying to anchor after a voyage from Honolulu. (UPI Telephoto)

## Public Hearings Slated In Two Districts in Week

Advantages and disadvantages of school district reorganization will be considered when public hearings are held for Rogue River-Evans Valley districts Feb. 2 and Ashland-Pinehurst Feb. 3.

The hearing on Rogue River and Evans Valley proposed school district reorganization will be held Tuesday, Feb. 2, at 8 p.m. in the Evans Valley elementary school gymnasium.

The hearing for Ashland and Pinehurst school districts will be held Wednesday, Feb. 3, at 8 p.m. in the Ashland city school administration building.

Following the public hearings, a proposed reorganization plan for the districts will be presented to the state board of education, according to county school officials.

If approved, the plan will be returned to the county reorganization committee and a public election called in each of the districts involved. A majority vote in each of the districts is required to pass the reorganization proposal.

**Special Election**  
However, if 60 per cent of the vote cast in a district is against the measure, a special election may be called to vote on the question of the district remaining an independent district or becoming a part of the proposed administrative district, according to state law.

If 60 per cent or more of the people in a district are against the formation, organization will be delayed for 30 days. During the 30 days, a petition against its formation may be filed, according to state law. If such a petition is filed, another election shall be held in the rejecting district within 60 days. If half or more then approve the formation, the new district shall be organized. If a majority still is opposed, the new district will not be organized, the law provides.

Advantages of reorganization for Rogue River district given by county school officials are: (1) It would provide a high school large enough for a "reasonably broad curriculum." (2) Lower per pupil cost at the high school level, county officials noted. Per pupil cost in Rogue River high school is \$633.48 compared to an estimated \$600 in the new large district.

(3) Reorganization will offer chances of lowering costs of transportation, supplies, custodial service and maintenance. (4) It will join together two closely related communities with common interests and cultural benefits to both. (5) Assessed value per census child would be increased by \$261.89, or it would raise it from \$4,097.41 to \$4,349.30 in the new large district.

**Rogue River Enrollment**  
High school enrollment in Rogue River, according to records, is now 175, in Evans Valley 35 students go to Rogue River high school and 23 to Grants Pass. Since those going to Grants Pass would be allowed to continue there total enrollment under reorganization would be 210. Total enrollment in Rogue River is now 475 and 160 in Evans Valley. Combined total enrollment in the new district would be 612, county school officials said.

Assessed valuation for Rogue River, according to 1958-59 figures is \$2,138,848.88. Evans Valley has an assessed valuation of \$1,008,872.74. The new large district would have an estimated assessed valuation of \$3,147,721.62, county school officials said.

Rogue River school district has an indebtedness of \$65,071.85 and Evans Valley \$25,613.70. The new combined district would be indebted by \$90,686.55, according to estimates based on June, 1958, figures. The amount to be raised by taxation on local levy for Rogue River for 1959-60 would be \$143,842.60, \$34,202.82 for Evans Valley and \$178,045.42 for the combined district, school officials said.

Advantages of reorganization listed by county school officials for Pinehurst are: (1) Will comply with the law that all districts must be large enough to have their own high school. Pinehurst students will become part of an already operating fully standard high school offering a broad curriculum with segregated classes. (2) Lower cost of transportation. Annual transportation costs to Pinehurst in 1957-58 for 1 pupil from Pinehurst

## News About Servicemen

**MANEUVER**  
Army Pfc. Donald K. Turnbaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd H. Turnbaugh, route 4, Medford, will participate with other personnel from the 34th Signal Battalion in Exercise Winter Shield at the Grafenwohr-Hohenfels training area in southern Germany next month.

Winter Shield is an annual winter maneuver designed to determine the combat readiness of Seventh Army troops. Turnbaugh is a driver in the battalion's Headquarters company in Ludwigsburg, Germany. He is a graduate of Phoenix High school and was formerly employed by Ross Lumber company, White City.

**INDUCTED**  
Five valley men were recently inducted into the U.S. Army in Portland. They are Eugene F. Cronin Jr., Dwight H. Findley, and Ronald R. Pruitt, all Medford, and Ivan W. Baker and Franklin H. Townsend, both Ashland.

**100 Cases of Flu**  
Salem—Fairview Home reported 100 cases of flu this week. Influenza cases in Salem were down to 75 from the previous week's 120.

to Ashland high school was \$1,311.90. (3) Decrease per pupil education cost. Per pupil cost for Pinehurst students sent to Ashland high school was \$615.10 in 1957-58. Estimated cost per average membership in Pinehurst for 1958-59 was \$585.93 and \$377.52 for Ashland. The reorganized district would have an average daily membership cost estimated at \$318.10, based on 1958-59 figures.

**Closer Relationship**  
(4) Closer student-teacher relationship in the guidance and counseling field. (5) Advantages of special educational programs. (6) Advantages of teaching methods and research. (7) Reorganization will join together two closely related communities with common interests to both.

Disadvantages of Pinehurst in reorganization would be: (1) Decrease in per census child valuation - \$12,519.31 to \$3,445.80 under the reorganized district, according to 1958-59 figures. (2) Giving up part control of its present elementary school, county school officials stated.

Reorganization advantages listed for Ashland are: (1) Increase in per census valuation - from \$3,301.20 to \$3,445.80 under the reorganized district. (2) Decrease in per pupil costs - \$381 to \$377.82. (3) A fuller more coordinated education program through all 12 grades, officials said.

Disadvantages to Ashland would be the problem of transporting pupils from Pinehurst district - 22 miles over snow and ice-covered roads in winter. (2) Possibly of overcrowding in high school until new building is constructed, it was explained.

Total enrollment in Ashland as of June, 1959, was 2,410, 1,700 in grade schools and 699 in high school. Total enrollment in Pinehurst on the same date was 30; 23 in grade school and seven going to Ashland high school, records show.

Amount to be raised by local tax levy for the 1960-61 budget is estimated at \$863,021 in Ashland and \$8,782 in Pinehurst and \$871,803.72 if the districts combine. Ashland has a new bond issue of \$1,275,000, county officials said.

## School News Education Chief Asks New Unit

### Crater High School

By LaVonne LaFever  
Student Government Day will be held Feb. 24 and 25. Party nominations for the elective offices, county judge, district attorney, constable, sheriff, county school superintendent, and the appointive offices, chief deputy clerk, deputy clerk (records), public health nurse, horticultural agent, court house custodian, veterans service officer, civil defense director, secretary to the county court, laboratory technician, and school audiovisual director were held Monday, Jan. 25. The primary elections will be held Feb. 3, and the general elections will be held on Feb. 8.

The Quill and Scroll initiation was held Monday, Jan. 25, at 8 p.m.

Their organization now consists of the ten members, Pat Barber, Alice Croxton, Sandy Bantow, LaVonne LaFever, Dianna Cummings, Marilyn Hixson, John Skov, Melba Tucker, Patti Straus and Lea Padgett; and the eight new initiates, Patt Hurt, Lynn Malot, Lea Taberna, Terri Turner, Rae Burritt, Dorris Inman, Donna Chandler, and Judy Fishback.

The initiation was a candle-light ceremony and was open to the PTA. The PTA business meeting followed.

Donkey basketball entertained many local residents last Thursday, Jan. 28. There were six teams consisting of local business men, firemen, coaches and students. It was sponsored by the American Legion and Crater High school.

"Winter Fantasy" was the theme of the winter ball sponsored by the senior class and held Friday night, Jan. 29. The "Shadows" entertained.

First semester report cards were distributed throughout the school Friday.

### Appraisers Slate Meeting for Salem

Salem - UPI - The annual northwest regional conference of the Society of Residential Appraisers will be held in Salem May 5-7. It will be the first time the northwest conference has been held in the Oregon capital. Up to 200 persons are expected.

### Main Line Breaks At Highway Office

Salem - UPI - A fire main line on the fourth floor of the state highway building here broke Saturday flooding all four floors in the south section and some offices. The building was all but empty at the time, since state offices are closed on Saturdays.

The first recorded Christmas celebration in North America was held on St. Croix Island, Maine, in 1604.

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**Births**  
GRAVES To: Mr. and Mrs. Tommy, 1902 Elm st., Jan. 29, 1960, a girl, 9 lbs., at Osteopathic hospital.  
PELHAM To: Mr. and Mrs. Donald LeRoy, 328 Crater Lake ave., Medford, Jan. 29, 1960, a boy, 5 1/2 lbs., at Rogue Valley hospital.  
BAYUK To: Dr. and Mrs. Robert W., 722 South st., Yreka, Calif., Jan. 30, 1960, a boy, 7 1/4 lbs., at Rogue Valley hospital.  
RUFFER To: Mr. and Mrs. Dean, 645 Glenwood dr., Ashland, Jan. 29, 1960, a boy, 10 1/4 lbs., at Rogue Valley hospital.

deducted on educational facilities, Fitzwater suggested.

**Hi-Lites**  
IN THE  
**History**  
OF  
**Pharmacy**  
by Jim Foster  
The housewives of the early colonies brought with them their knowledge, remedies and herbs from their native countries. They planted herbs in the new country but they also used a number of native herbs, thus bringing into the medical field Indian drugs of which are still included in the Pharmacopoeia.

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