

City Briefs

Wreck Reported—Hazel Mantel, housewife, 1828 Manzanita street, reported to city police a minor accident in which her car and one driven by Elmer Longmire, 810 Mitchell street, were involved at Mitchell street and Garden avenue Thursday night.

In Turlock—The Rev. A. H. Persing, pastor of the Assembly of God church at Eighth street and Oak avenue, is in Turlock, Calif., called by the serious illness of Mrs. Persing. Rev. Wise of Chiloquin will preach the Sunday services.

Back From Vacation—Ruth Snyder, manager of the Union Stage depot, will return Friday after a week's vacation at Palm Springs, Calif.

Recovering—Friends of Jack Arnett, 210 East Main street, will be glad to know that he is recovering from a major operation at Klamath Valley hospital. Visitors are welcome.

Returns From East—Emile Buzaid, well-known Klamath Falls musician, returned recently from an extended vacation trip to Boston, Mass., and other eastern sectors.

Back From Vacation—Harold Halasa, local barber, returned this week from a two-week vacation junket to southern California. Mr. Halasa reports that Los Angeles is "ready."

Hit and Run—A hit and run driver did considerable damage to James O. Kennett's car parked at 511 East Main street Thursday night according to Kennett's report with city police.

Watch Lost—Jean Ostendorf, 519 Pacific Terrace, reported to city police the loss of her wrist watch. Miss Ostendorf is a Klamath Union high school student.

Recovering—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Callahan of Venice, Calif., continue to improve at Hillside hospital where they have been patients since Thanksgiving day when they were seriously injured in an automobile accident on Sun mountain. Mrs. Callahan is now able to be about in a wheel chair although her husband is unable to leave his bed.

Visiting Here—Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crawford and daughter and Mrs. Rex Hunsaker and son Rexford, all former residents of Klamath Falls, were visitors in the city this week on business matters.

Return From Mount Hood—Alfred Carlson and Herbert Berry, both of Klamath Falls, returned to the city Sunday after a four-day skiing jaunt to Mount Hood.

Canvas Found—John Madsen, Pelican City, reported to city police finding a large canvas which the owner may have by calling at Madsen's home, box 1211, Pelican City.

Dance Hall Licenses—The county court Thursday granted dance licenses to the Fort Klamath grange and the Civic Improvement club of Fort Klamath.

To Bend—Dwight Gilchrist, scout executive, will take a trip to Bend Monday to spend next week on Scout business.

From Chemult—John Jackson of Chemult is spending the weekend in Klamath Falls. Jackson is a former employe of the Oregon State highway department shops in Altamont.

Lumberman Visits—J. W. Sine, midwestern lumber dealer of Chicago, Ill., visited Klamath Falls Wednesday on business.

several feet under the shock of the bombs and the big shells. "This morning (Wednesday) at 4 o'clock I heard the biggest bang of all explosions night-long. It was the cruiser in the harbor being dynamited by the Italians. I went to the wall and tried to see if our men were coming. An officer called me back. Then I began to think what I could do to help the victory from inside the town."

The Australian described how he carried out a daring British sample of fifth columnism. "I began to tell them it was simply useless to resist," he said. "At the same time I began to scout around to see what I could do."

"There was a lot of important papers in the gendarmerie commander's offices and I wanted to make sure they were not destroyed, but the most important thing was to remove two snipers manning heavy machine guns on the roof behind sandbags."

"A few hours before the capitulation I went to the roof and told them the attack was a complete success and they had better surrender. So they came off the roof with me. "As I entered the building I smelled fumes. I was sure the commander had put one over on me and fired the papers in his room. Soon the building was crackling merrily."

"My next hunch was to round up as many prisoners as possible. I spoke to a number of infantrymen and explained it was better to throw down their arms. They agreed. So when I saw the first of our carriers arrive at the front of general headquarters, I was there to meet them with some of the Italians completely unarmed while thousands of others from the garrison similarly got into the game."

"It was a grand sight when I saw our boys and knew I no longer was a prisoner."

'FLOOD' BLAMED FOR PRICE CLIMB

SEATTLE, Jan. 24 (AP)—Commenting on the criticism of lumber prices by Defense Commissioner Leon Henderson, Col. W. B. Greeley, secretary-manager of the West Coast Lumbermen's association said today, a sudden engulfing flood of government buying, with strong pressure for immediate delivery, was responsible for a 25 or 26 per cent increase in Douglas fir prices during 1940.

The sudden influx of national defense orders caused an acute lumber shortage in the Pacific coast fir region, he said.

Colonel Greeley pointed out that 800 competing lumber mills were wholly unorganized for any price control activity and the average price in June was \$20.92 per thousand feet whereas in November it was \$28.12.

While there was a strong private demand for lumber throughout the first half of 1940 the national defense program came unexpectedly and very suddenly into the picture, he said.

"There was no diminution in private building. It was just as if you have a freshet in a mountain stream that already is running full from bank to bank," he added.

From July to January 1 the Douglas fir industry produced a half billion feet less lumber than was sold.

Bombers Attack Ships Off Ireland

BERLIN, Jan. 24 (AP)—The long arm of the Nazi air force reached out into the Atlantic yesterday to damage or sink approximately 25,000 tons of shipping bound for England, the official German news agency, DNB, reported today.

The raids were said to have been carried out of shipping lanes west of Ireland from low altitudes.

The high command also reported that Nazi aircraft bombed "war essential objectives" at a British east coast harbor yesterday.

VITAL STATISTICS
PRIME—Born at Hillside hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., January 24, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. John Prime, Modoc Point, Ore., a girl. Weight: 5 pounds 14 ounces.

YOUNG—Born at Hillside hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., January 20, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl J. Young, 1427 Johnson street, a girl. Weight: 8 pounds 14 ounces. Name: Shirley Irene.

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WEATHER
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA—Fair tonight with valley fogs; Saturday increasing cloudiness with rain north portion by evening; cooler tonight; gentle, variable wind off coast becoming southerly Saturday and increasing.

OREGON—Showers northwest and occasional snows east portion and in mountains tonight; Saturday rain west and snows northeast portion and in mountains, but partly cloudy southeast portion; colder north-east portion tonight; fresh south to southwest wind off coast.

Extended forecast for far western states Jan. 25 to 29 inclusive: occasional rains but snow at higher elevations; generally heavy rain in northern California; temperatures slightly above normal.

Mail Closing Time (Trains)
Southbound: 6:00 a. m.
Northbound: 9:30 a. m.
Southbound: 5:15 p. m.
Northbound: 8:30 p. m.

(Stages)
Alturas, Lakeview, Rocky Point and Ashland, all close 7:00 a. m.

(Airmail via Medford)
Closing time: 5:15 p. m.

House Wives, Camp Cooks—Attend the public sale of the Hirvi Baking company, bankrupt, at 1023 Main street, Klamath Falls, Saturday, January 25, at 1:30 p. m. Bread and cake pans, 6000 of them. Many sizes and styles. Utensils and conveniences.

Three-R Club—The Three-R club will meet Tuesday, January 28, at the home of Estelle Bright, 2425 Hope street, for a 1:30 desert luncheon. Members are invited.

Stewart-Lenox—The Stewart and Lenox Community club is giving a benefit dance at the Fairhaven gymnasium on January 25. There will be a small admission price with extra charge for supper.

Card Party—The auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will hold a card party in the KC hall banquet room on Thursday, January 30, at 2 p. m., for the benefit of the children's home in Michigan. The public is invited.

KPCA MEETING DUE SATURDAY MORNING

Preparations were finished Friday for the annual stockholders meeting of the Klamath Production Credit association, to open at 10 a. m. Saturday in the American Legion hall at the rear of the courthouse.

Lee McMullen, secretary-treasurer of the association, said he expects most of the 264 stockholders and their wives to be present. Several men prominent in the production credit activities of the country will be present. Luncheon will be served at noon at the Willard hotel.

There were 15,500 licensed aircraft and 522 unlicensed aircraft in the United States as of Nov. 1, 1940.

Henry Clay was known as "The Millboy of the Slashes."



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