

Midland Empire News

MERRILL FIRE DANCE TO BE FEBRUARY 22

MERRILL — Ben Faus, re-elected recently to serve the Merrill fire department for his 34th consecutive year as chief, and boasting the oldest service record in the state, will preside over the 34th annual firemen's ball to be held in the community hall, Saturday night, February 22.

In the election Joe R. Steele became assistant chief, L. A. Scott was elected vice president and Robert Walker will serve as secretary and treasurer. Six new members were inducted into the department, with Elmer Stukel, Jerry Ferrier, Jack Sevey, Alonzo Hodges, Claud Morel, Tom Barry and William Wahlert to answer the siren in the future.

Holdover members include Chief Faus, Henry Cox, Warren Frutts, M. A. Bowman, Percy Pierce, Dr. F. E. Trotman, Uel Dillard, Joe Steele, Ed Davis, Levi McDonald, L. A. Scott and Robert Walker.

The department, to stimulate interest in the ball this year is offering three attractive prizes to high school girls selling the largest number of tickets. The first and second prizes are wrist watches, the first donated by the department and the second prize by Carlisle's Jewelry store, Klamath Falls. A vanity dresser set donated by Carlisle's is offered for third place.

The dance each year attracts one of the largest crowds attending any benefit function in the basin. Funds from the dances are used to purchase new equipment and for maintenance of the department. This year the need of new housing for the equipment is imperative.

Baldy Evans orchestra will furnish the music and the public is cordially invited.

Chief Faus and Andrew Kuehne are in charge of hall decorations; Robert Walker is chairman and J. R. Steele and L. A. Scott are managing the ticket selling contest and prizes. R. L. Dalton is in charge of the music.

Mt. Laki

The Mt. Laki Christian Endeavor observed the 60th anniversary of C. E. work with a special service Sunday night led by Geraldine Manning. A beautiful three-tiered cake made by a group of girls was cut at the close of the meeting and served with punch to those present.

Rollo Cheyne who is with the Oregon National Guards at Camp Clatsop, spent the weekend with relatives and friends here.

Burton Dawson and Miss Louise Tunnell of Dorris were married at Reno, Sunday, February 2. The young couple will make their home where Mr. Dawson operates the farm owned by his mother, Mrs. Bell Dawson.

The Henley grange enjoyed a pot luck supper Wednesday night at the grange hall. About 45 members were present. New members obligated were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dixon and Mr. Lee McMuilen. Three others were unable to attend the obligation. Among the visitors for the business meeting and lecture hour were Henry Anderson, Pomona master; Charles Mollinghour, master of the Merrill grange; Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mollinghour, Mrs. Sarah Warner and Irvin Warner, also of Merrill.

Mrs. Fanny Cheyne left Tuesday for San Francisco, California, where she will undergo an operation on her eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Enman are receiving congratulations on the birth of a six pound daughter born Monday, Feb-

ruary 3, at the Klamath Valley hospital.

Mrs. Earl Reynolds has returned from a business trip to Portland, Oregon.

Miss Eris Fleming entertained with a dinner party at her home Wednesday night. The guests were Miss Venita Hunter, Miss Marie Dixon, Miss Carolyn Griffith, Miss Barbara La Prairie, Miss Shirley Fairclough, Miss Marcella Reids, Miss Marjorie Dehlinger, Miss Dorothy Dixon, Miss Mary Jane Manning, Miss Mary Louise Enman, and Miss Dona Dixon.

FFA AND 4H TO STUDY FEEDING

MALIN — Cattle feeding and hog raising will be studied by Future Farmers of America and 4-H club livestock growers at a field day, Saturday, February 15, it was announced this week by Clifford Jenkins, Klamath county 4-H leader, who will accompany between 75 and 100 boys, club leaders and fathers of members on an all day tour in the south end.

Representatives of FFA chapters of Malin, Henley and Bonanza and 4-H club members from all parts of Klamath county will meet at 10 a. m. at the D. E. Alexander ranch at Adams Point for a lesson on feeding beef cattle, studying grain, feed rations and management of yards. A. J. King, ranch foreman, will speak briefly on the topic of feeding. A class in beef stock judging will also be conducted.

Following lunch the caravan will go to the Henzel Brothers' ranch, where thousands of hogs are fattened annually.

County club leaders who are expected to attend include Gerald D. West, Malin; Velton Haskins, J. L. Fotheringham, Irvin Warner, Merrill; Earl Mack, Alvin Cheyne, A. H. Patterson; Henley; I. W. White, Altamont; Rex High, Olene; Martin Brown, L. H. Lewis, Bonanza; Ben Kerns, Keno; George Hagelstein, Algoma; Albert Christy, Chiloquin and Clifford Jenkins.

Bly

BLY—Mrs. Gene Detrick and Mrs. Warren Osborne attended the home economics meeting at the chamber of commerce in Klamath Falls Tuesday. The care of the hair was the subject of the day's demonstration.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Cruse motored to Portland to take their little daughter Nettie Rose through the medical clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Langdon went to Lakeview Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Causbie are making an extended visit in the south and east. Mrs. Causbie and the children Neal, John, and baby daughter will visit her relatives in and around Phoenix, Arizona, while Causbie and his sister will spend some time visiting in Arkansas.

Ross Bannister of Paisley spent the weekend in Bly at the Quackenbush home.

MERRILL LEGION HOST TO FIREMEN

MERRILL — Merrill post, American Legion were hosts Thursday night to the Merrill fire department at dinner in the Legion dining room. Places were marked for 40 guests and Warren Frutts, toastmaster called on a number of guests for expressions in regard to betterment of city conditions.

Good roads and need for improvement of roads north and south of town came up for discussion, the project to be taken up also by the Merrill Service club. Two petitions, circulated in the community are being presented this week to the county court in an effort to get action on roads badly in need of gravel.

Louis Kalina, fire chief of the Malin department and Emil Petrasek, member of the department with Elmer Merritt, Klamath falls, past commander of the Merrill Legion post and past member of the local fire department were out of town guests.

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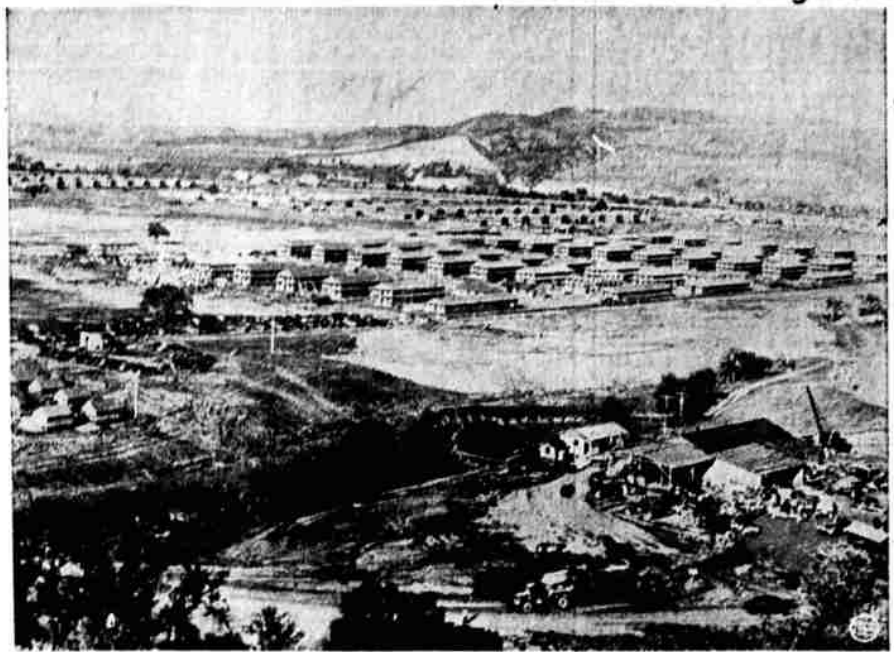
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BLY GETS NEW WATER TANK

BLY—Saturday morning the water supply of Bly was temporarily cut off when it was diverted from the old storage tank to a new one. The new tank is made of redwood and has a capacity of 50,000 gallons.

Water service is extended to over 200 residences and 30 or more business houses. Besides these the plant also furnished water to Crane's mill, Ewauna camp, the O. C. and E. railroad, the CCC camp and the local high school.

The entire supply comes from a drilled well which has been on constant duty for over 11 years. The water is pumped automatically by electricity with a gas auxiliary motor for emergency use.

A second new water tank is under construction on the O. C. and E. railroad at Bly. It will replace the old one which was not high enough to service the

large locomotives used by Great Northern. At present these get their water at Sprague river. The capacity of the steel reservoir is 50,000 gallons. Water will be furnished by the Bly Water company.

Edward Kendall, prominent citizen of Bly, is owner and operator of the water system. T. E. Shea is field man and has charge of meter readings and collections.

The people of Bly feel that they are fortunate in having such a splendid supply of pure cold water.

Based on census figures, it is estimated that from 1930 to 1980 the proportion of the population 60 years of age and over will increase from 8.5 per cent to 19.9 per cent, while the proportion of persons under 20 years of age will show a decrease from 38.8 per cent to 26.1 per cent.

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CREW DRILLS FAR INTO HILLSIDE

MERRILL — Drill crews have penetrated 1350 feet into the east side of the hill on the tunnel project that will drain part of the sump water of the Tulelake area into Lower Klamath lake with a similar crew on the west side of the hill in approximately 300 feet. Twenty eight men are being used on each end of the tunnel. Work continues 24 hours a day, three shifts being employed.

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Japanese Press Strikes Alarmist Note on 'Crisis'

By the Associated Press
TOKYO, Feb. 10.—The Japanese press is increasing its attention to the situation in the Pacific between the United States and Japan, with the preponderant reaction one of alarm over what even conservative periodicals call "the crisis."

"America's challenge," phrases used frequently in the press. Many articles strike an alarmist note in charges, on the basic theme of Foreign Minister Yosuke Matsuoka, that the United States does not understand Japan's "real purpose" in her program for "greater East Asia."

The foreign minister was called on for elucidation of this theme in a budget committee meeting of the house of representatives, when Yosuke Matsuoka, writer and lecturer well known in the United States, listed five factors which he said aggravated Japanese-American relations:

- 1.—An underrating of Japan's national power.
- 2.—Japan's three-power pact with Germany and Italy.
- 3.—United States' fear of Japan's southward policy.
- 4.—An American anti-Japanese attitude linked with help to Britain, and
- 5.—A rise in the westward

expansion idea existing in the United States in the last 150 years."

Replying to Tsurumi, Matsuoka declared that Japan's national power and determination were unshakable but, he reiterated, "I will continue all efforts until the last minute to prevent a rupture between the two countries."

"I am desirous of making our nation understand the true intentions of the United States, its power and determination," he said, "and I want to acquaint the United States fully with the point that Japan's true intentions and its national power are not so weak as the United States thinks."

Matsuoka agreed with Tsurumi that the three-power pact and Japan's southward expansion policy were sources of strain and added another cause—"economic conditions"—apparently a reference to American embargoes.

The 1940 census showed 82 cities having 100,000 or more inhabitants in 1940. The highest percentage increase in large city population occurred in cities of the south—13.2 per cent. Cities in the west were second with 10.8 per cent, while cities in the north increased only 2 per cent.



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