

City Briefs

WEATHER

OREGON AND WASHINGTON—Fair today, tonight and Christmas Day with valley fog in west portion. Little change in temperature. Moderate south-easterly winds off coast; fresh easterly in the Strait of Juan De Fuca.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA—Partly cloudy north portion; cloudy with intermittent light rain from San Francisco and Stockton southward today, tonight and Wednesday. Little change in temperature. Moderate southerly wind off coast from bay region southward. Gentle to moderate northeasterly wind off north coast.

Mineral Club Meeting—The Klamath Mineral club will meet Thursday at 8 p. m. in the chamber of commerce rooms at 323 Main. The club is a non-technical organization formed to study the mineral and geological resources of the Klamath basin. Its members are interested in cutting and polishing the semi-precious gem stones that have made Oregon famous in the lapidary field. Meetings are open to the public.

Special Service—There will be a carol and candle lighting service at Klamath Lutheran church at 11 o'clock tonight, Tuesday. The senior choir will sing, as well as the male chorus. There will be a special message by the pastor, the Rev. S. M. Topness. The festival worship will be at 11 a. m. Sunday. The senior choir will sing with a solo by Mel Erickson.

Pellicana—KUH'S Pellicana show will be heard Christmas night at 7:45 p. m. over KFLW. The program will be devoted to Christmas. N. A. Dine Yockey, editor, and Irma McBride, director, are in charge of the broadcast. This is the first time that Pellicana has been heard during the yule season.

Home for Holidays—Maj. and Mrs. Zed Barnes and their son, Brenton, arrived on Tuesday to spend the holidays with his father, W. B. Barnes of 324 S. 5th. Maj. Barnes is stationed at Hamilton field in San Francisco.

Library Closed—The city library will be closed at 6 o'clock tonight, Christmas Eve, and will remain closed all day tomorrow, Christmas Day, it was announced by Enola Hawkins, city librarian.

OBITUARIES

WILFRED K. BARKLEY
Wilfred K. Barkley, resident of Klamath county, passed away in Sprague River on Sunday, December 22, 1946. He was a native of Yamain, Ore., and was aged 23 years 9 months and 12 days when called. He is survived by his wife, Edna Mae, his stepfather, Sylvan Crume, and a grandmother, Minnie Robbins of Sprague River, Ore.; four sisters, Frances Parke, Mamona Parrish, and Patsy Crume of Sprague River, Ore.; Veryl Nelson of Klamath Agency, Ore.; a brother, Erwin Crume, an uncle, Riram Robbins, two cousins, Jessie Robbins and Hachael Tupper, all of Sprague River, Ore. Also three nieces and four nephews. The remains rest in Ward's Klamath Funeral home, 923 High. Notice of the funeral arrangements will appear elsewhere in this paper.

DENNIS O'CONNOR
Dennis O'Connor, a resident of Merrill, Ore., since birth passed away in Sacramento, Calif., on Sunday, December 22, 1946, at 4 p. m. following an illness of six weeks. He was a native of Merrill, Ore., and at the time of his death was aged 17 years 11 months and 21 days. Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cashman and one brother, Edmund Barry O'Connor, both of Merrill, Ore., also his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Barry of Murphy, Ore. The remains will rest in the Earl Whitlock Funeral home, Pine at 6th, upon arrival from Sacramento. Notice of funeral to be announced at this time.

BETTY JANE CARY
Betty Jane Cary, a resident of this city for the past 16 years, passed away in Dickinson, N. D., on December 7, 1946. She was a native of Phoenix, Ariz., and was aged 19 years 4 months and 22 days at the time of her passing. She is survived by her husband, Velmond, and a son, Velmond Jr., of this city; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis DeGiulio of this city; three brothers, Robert Smith of this city, William E. Smith of the U. S. navy, and George Smith of the U. S. army; three sisters, Louise Hazelton of San Francisco, Calif., Winnie Jean Hanson of Medford, Ore., and Beacie Miller of this city; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Wood of Loveland, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sparkes of Mt. Rose, Colo. The remains rest in Ward's Klamath Funeral Home, 923 High. Notice of the funeral arrangements will be announced later.

MARY ELIZABETH THOMAS
Mary Elizabeth Thomas, a resident of Dorris, Calif., for the last 39 years, but for the last two months making her home in Malin, Ore., passed away in this city on Monday, December 23, 1946 at 3:30 p. m. following an illness of five days. She was a native of Taswell county, Virginia and at the time of her death was aged 78 years 4 months and 11 days. Surviving are five daughters, Mrs. Dema Dillon of Pullman, Wash., Mrs. Pearl A. Caraley of Malin, Ore., Mrs. Grace L. Mitchell of Sisters, field, Ore., Mrs. Cecile M. Ross of Murphy, Calif., and Mrs. Katie A. Quinley of Merrill, Ore.; one son, William F. Thomas, Fairbanks, Alaska; one brother, Robert L. Wallis of Dorris, Calif., and one sister, Mrs. Lucy Krause of Davis, Calif.; 11 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren. The remains rest in the Earl Whitlock Funeral home, Pine at 6th, where friends may call. Notice of funeral to be announced at this time.

On Leave—William H. Finch, S 2/c, is home from the San Diego naval training center to spend 12 days' Christmas leave with his mother, Mrs. J. R. Buzek, 1936 Lexington. Finch enlisted in the navy November 14, 1946. Upon his return from leave Finch will be transferred to Chicago for 42 weeks' schooling in electronics.

Leaving for Holidays—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Franey left today, Tuesday, for Chico, Calif., where they will spend the holidays with relatives. Their son, Dave Henthorne, arrived home last week from the University of Oregon at Eugene, to spend the Christmas holidays in Klamath Falls.

To Rogue River—Ella Tatlow of Klamath Falls left Monday afternoon for Rogue River. She was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tatlow of Rogue River, formerly of Klamath Falls, who came here to get her. She has been employed at the county school office.

Church Party—The Zion Lutheran ladies aid Christmas party will be held Friday at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. E. Bind, 5005 S. 6th. There will be a gift exchange, and the hostess extends an invitation to all ladies of the congregation.

To Portland—Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Benson will leave Tuesday evening for Portland where they will spend Christmas with relatives. They expect to return later this week.

City Issues Ten Permits

Only \$3410 worth of building permits were granted by the city council last night. Altogether 10 permits were issued, four of them going to Foster and Kleiser for poster panels. One on lot 2, block 26 of the original town is for \$100. The others, for \$50 each are located on lot 8, block 203, Mills second addition, lots 4 and 5, block 96, Klamath addition, and lots 1 and 2, block 34, original town.

The other six permits were issued to:
Mr. s. Fred Kohler, repair porch, 249 Martin, \$75.
W. J. Krueger, new tile building, Market street, \$1750.
G. M. Uppington, reshingle residence, 1940 Portland, \$250.
Fred Duke, repair building, 927 E. Main, \$1000.
Fitzgerald and Young, repair roof, Cascade laundry, S. 7th, \$45.
Fitzgerald and Young, repair roof, service station, 7th and Pine, \$40.

FUNERALS

DENNIS O'CONNOR
Friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services for the late Dennis O'Connor, who passed away in Sacramento, Calif., on Sunday following an illness of six weeks, to be held at St. Augustine's church, Merrill, Ore., on Friday, December 27, 1946, at 9:30 a. m., where a requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of his soul, with the Rev. James M. O'Connor, pastor, officiating. Vault entombment, family plot in Mt. Calvary memorial park. Recitation of the most holy rosary will be conducted Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the chapel of the Earl Whitlock Funeral home, Pine at 6th, with the Rev. James M. O'Connor officiating. Friends are invited.

MARY McCOMB
The funeral service for the late Mary McComb, who passed away in this city on Saturday, December 21, will take place from the chapel of Ward's Klamath Funeral home, 923 High, on Thursday, December 26, 1946, at 10:30 a. m., the Rev. David F. Barnett Jr., officiating. Commitment services and interment in the Klamath Memorial park. Friends may view the body following the services in the church. Ward's Klamath Funeral home in charge.

WILFRED K. BARKLEY
The funeral service for the late Wilfred K. Barkley, who passed away in Sprague River, Ore., on Sunday, December 22, will take place from the chapel of Ward's Klamath Funeral home, 923 High, on Thursday, December 26, 1946, at 10:30 a. m., the Rev. Ivey C. Clark of the Sprague River Friends church officiating. Commitment service with vault entombment in the Chief Schonchua cemetery at 2 p. m. Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

MARY ELIZABETH THOMAS
Funeral services for the late Mary Elizabeth Thomas, who passed away in this city on Monday, December 23, 1946, following an illness of five days will be held in the chapel of the Earl Whitlock Funeral home, Pine at 6th, on Thursday, December 26, 1946, at 10 a. m., with the Rev. Cecil C. Brown, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city officiating. Commitment services and interment family plot in Evergreen cemetery, Trask, Calif. Friends are invited.

Carolers Add To Holiday Festivity



Some 35 Camp Fire Girls and members of the Young People's Fellowship of St. Paul's Episcopal church braved the cold Sunday night to sing Christmas carols through Klamath Falls streets. The young people traveled to the hospitals, through the residential districts and downtown streets in trucks furnished by the Junior chamber of commerce.

Pope Pius XII Sees Grave Threat Of New Conflicts In War Torn Europe

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 24 (AP)—Pope Pius XII declared today, on the eve of the second Christmas since World War I ended, that Europe stood in grave danger of new conflicts.

Addressing the resident members of the College of Cardinals, whose 95-year-old dean, Gennaro Cardinal Granito Pignatelli di

Belmonte, had just presented their Christmas greetings, the pontiff called for an early, just and definite peace.

Otherwise, he said, the "constant agitation" of Europe's peoples, their "disillusionment and discontent" over the war's aftermath, might give rise "to the flames of new conflict."

The pontiff's address was broadcast by the Vatican's short wave station and re-broadcast over the Italian and Spanish long wave stations.

In "the gravity of the present hour," the pontiff invited the rulers of the world to base their policies on three considerations:
1. "To remove dangerous international tensions" and "end the present intolerant state of uncertainty," he urged "the advent of a definite peace among all states."

2. To the labor of peace, he pleaded, let the rulers apply "the seal of a true justice, of a far-seeing wisdom, of a sincere service to the common interests of the entire human family."

3. Let them finally, he said, establish in their instruments of peace "a procedure clearly determined" for correcting them, so that the "voice of reason and equity" demanding modification might be heeded.

There was emotion in the pope's clear, strong voice as he lamented the fate of the Atlantic Charter in the years since President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill promulgated it. "All peoples listened," he said. "At last they could breathe."

Tommy Tucker To Play Here

"It's Tommy Tucker Time," the familiar phrase that heralds an evening of splendid entertainment, will introduce one of America's outstanding orchestras to Klamath Falls Friday night at the armory.

Tommy Tucker and his orchestra of 22 musicians and entertainers is considered one of the best of the "show" units among the name bands.

His orchestra has turned out several hit recordings. Two of them have had over a million sales. They are, "I Don't Want To Set The World On Fire" and his novelty recording "The Man That Comes Around."

Featured artists and entertainers with the Tucker organization include, Don Brown, baritone; Kerwin Somerville, "the man that comes around;" the Two Timers, a quartet of lovely girls who are featured as soloists and as a unit; Billy Dee, comedian and saxophone artist. Arrangements have been completed with KFLW to do a one-half hour broadcast direct from the armory on Friday night. Dancing will be from 9 until 1.

Training School Inmates Nabbed

Two teen-age youths, escapees from the Oregon State training school at Woodburn, were apprehended in Dorris last night, according to the juvenile office, and are now in jail at Yreka.

The boys, Arnold Earl Hubbs, 17, and Walter Lloyd Milton, 16, broke out of the training school the night of December 20. Neither was from the Klamath area.

They were in possession of a stolen car, taken from Coos Bay, when picked up in Dorris. A representative of the school was contacted by the juvenile office last night and said that the youths would be turned over to federal officers for stealing the car.

Both boys, he said, were three-time offenders at Woodburn.

Song Writer



This is Lois Nelson, Klamath Union high school graduate of 1945, who composed the music for the song, "Mighty Pelicans," which has just been adopted as the school song. Miss Nelson now lives in San Francisco, and gave her approval by letter to John Epley, high school junior, who adapted the tune to march tempo and made the band arrangement. Latin club at the high school will finance publication of "Mighty Pelicans."

"And what is now left of that message and of its provisions?"

Speaking of the antagonism that the church confronts today, the pontiff said that "no Christian has the right to abstain from the fight against the enemies of Christ."

No one, he said, must rest "with folded arms, with head bowed and with knees weak."

The church, the pontiff said, did not fear, and today, as yesterday, remained solid against trials.

Moro Troops May Battle Huks

MANILA, Dec. 24 (AP)—Moro Gov. Arolas Tulawe of Sulu today proposed to President Roxas to send four companies of tough Moro military police against the insurgent Hukbalahaps in central Luzon.

Tulawe said the Moros formerly were members of guerrilla units that fought the Japanese with kris, bolos or whatever weapons they could obtain. Their forefathers gave Generals Pershing and Wood a rough time in the Moro pacification campaign.

The Huks, organized as guerrillas to fight the Japanese, have opposed the government since war's end, demanding agricultural reforms. They have been blamed for numerous killing and raids on rice fields.

MEMORIAL SHELF RESPONSE GOOD

Response to the Mary McComb Memorial book shelf at Klamath county library, in memory of the county librarian who died Saturday at Klamath Valley hospital, was being received today, it was learned from members of a committee recently named by Fred E. Fleet, chairman of the Klamath county library board.

Serving as chairman is Mrs. Victor O'Neill and other members of the committee are Mrs. Andrew Collier, Alice Waldron of the county library, and Enola Hawkins, city librarian.

Band Leader



Tommy Tucker