

City Briefs

WEATHER

KLAMATH FALLS AND VICINITY—Fair tonight and Wednesday; high today 49, low tonight 18. **HILLSIDE**—Clear today; high 48, low tonight 18. **WEDNESDAY**—Clear today; high 48, low tonight 18. **THURSDAY**—Clear today; high 48, low tonight 18. **FRIDAY**—Clear today; high 48, low tonight 18. **SATURDAY**—Clear today; high 48, low tonight 18. **SUNDAY**—Clear today; high 48, low tonight 18.

General Meeting—The Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church will be held in the church parlors Thursday, January 22, beginning with the study class at 10:30 a. m. Miriam Smyth will lead the study and the theme is "Great Prayers of the Bible." At noon there will be a sack lunch, the executive board meets at 1 p. m., the prayer circle at 1:40 and at 2 p. m. there will be a business meeting and program. Ruth circle will serve tea at the close of the program.

Tryouts Wednesday—Tryouts for the cast of "Show-Off," a three-act play to be presented by the Community Players group, will be held at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday at the community hall on Garden street near Marlin. There are roles for four men and five women in this play and anyone interested in dramatics is welcome to try out regardless of membership in the group.

Social Evening—Members of Cascade Wonderland division, auxiliary to the Order of Railway Conductors, are invited to the home of Mrs. Jack A. Dunne of 2435 White, Thursday evening at 8 p. m. for a social evening. Mrs. L. Stringfellow will be the co-hostess.

Practice—The new officers and all assisting with installation in the Degree of Honor are asked to be at the KC hall Thursday, January 22, from 6 to 7:30 p. m. for practice, and it is asked that they be prompt.

Released—Ronald Coleman, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Coleman of 1538 Ward, was able to leave Hillside hospital late yesterday following treatment for head injuries and lacerations received when he fell from his parents' car near Bly Sunday.

Emergency—Louis Beasley, Southern Pacific employe living at the Esplanade courts, is a patient at Hillside hospital where he had emergency appendectomy Saturday afternoon.

Installation—Newly elected officers will be installed at the Zion Lutheran Ladies Aid meeting Thursday at the church, 1625 High, at 2 p. m. Mrs. H. Petrick and Mrs. J. Ous will be hostesses.

Emergency—June Hensley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Austin, 207 Wendling, had emergency surgery for appendicitis at Hillside hospital Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. She is doing nicely.

Party Saturday—The NAACP is giving a Heaven and Hell party Saturday at 7:30 p. m. at 605 Broad. The public is invited. There will be a small admission charge.

Surgery—Mrs. Mack Dickinson, route 1 box 926, had minor surgery at Hillside hospital Tuesday morning. Dickinson is an employe at Weyerhaeuser Timber company.

Treatment—D. C. Mitchell of 800 N. 9th, an employe of Hardy's Men's store, is being treated for pneumonia at Klamath Valley hospital.

Treatment—Dianne McDaniel, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Keith McDaniel of Sprague River, is receiving medical treatment at Klamath Valley hospital.

To Salem—Mayor and Mrs. Ed Ostendorf of 519 Pacific Terrace left this morning for a few days' visit with relatives in Salem.

Home Today—Mrs. Harold Sturgeon, 3142 Sumner, was dismissed Tuesday from Hillside hospital following surgery.

Leaves Hospital—Mrs. Robert Worley of 235 E. Main was dismissed from Hillside hospital today following medical care.

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Inspection—Canton Crater No. 7 will meet in the IOOF hall at 8 p. m. Thursday. General and Mrs. Verne Merchaut of Redmond and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Leader of Bend will inspect the canton. A potluck dinner at 7 p. m. will precede the business meeting. All women are asked to bring a salad or vegetable dish. Women of the canton are also asked to be in uniform.

Court of Honor—The Boy Scout office today announced that the court of honor originally called for Wednesday night has been postponed because of conflicting meetings. Bill Brandness, who was to receive his Eagle award at the court of honor, will be presented with it tonight, Tuesday, at his troop meeting at Sacred Heart parish hall.

Church Service—Rev. Arthur Neetz and Harry Rosenblum will tell of the work of the World-Wide Evangelistic Association, Inc., at the Wednesday service at the First Covenant church, 823 Walnut. The service will begin at 8 p. m. Colored motion pictures will show various phases of the association's work. Everyone is invited.

In Hillside—Friends of Mrs. Martha M. Geiger, 1503 Upham, will regret to learn she is a patient at Hillside hospital where it is understood she is quite ill. She has special nurses at this time. Mrs. Geiger is office secretary for Dr. Ralph W. Stearns and Dr. T. F. Farley.

Tax Study—The study group of the League of Women Voters will meet Wednesday at 1:45 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Tayla Ferguson, 560 Conger, to study the basic tax structure. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

At Hillside—Mrs. O. A. Clark, 5530 Summers lane, is receiving medical care at Hillside hospital. Mrs. Clark is a county school employe. Her husband is one of the county school bus drivers.

Surgery—Mrs. William E. DeCamp, 5519 8. 8th, is recovering from surgery at Hillside hospital. Mrs. DeCamp is an employe of Moty and Van Dyke.

Honor Club—The Carnation club of the Degree of Honor will meet with Mrs. Estelle Smith, 419 Pacific Terrace, on Wednesday at 8 p. m. The glee club will meet at 7:30 p. m. same place.

Luncheon—Members of the Women of the Moose wishing to attend the luncheon this Sunday at the Winema hotel are asked to call 4703 for reservations.

Potluck—Stingerettes will hold a regular meeting Thursday in the KC hall. A potluck luncheon at 12:30 p. m. will precede the business meeting.

Surgery—Mrs. Frank Gardiner, 220 Lincoln, had major surgery at Klamath Valley hospital Tuesday morning. Gardiner is manager of the Klamath Falls Walgreen's drug.

Improving—Mrs. Karen Carlson, mother of Mrs. Eugene Bain of this city, is reported improving at Klamath Valley hospital where she has been treated for influenza.

Surgery—Mrs. Estelle Watson, 1519 Worden, an employe of the Willard hotel, is a patient at Hillside hospital recovering from recent major surgery.

Medical Care—W. E. Besonette of Tulelake is a patient at Hillside hospital where he is receiving medical care.

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Retirement Plan Gets City Okay

Klamath Falls went on record in favor of the public employes retirement system last night, and city councilmen took the first step in officially accepting the proposal. Officials voted a repeal of an existing ordinance in which the city rejected the plan, and authorized City Attorney Henry Perkins to prepare an official acceptance of the act.

After the city's acceptance, the 91 people in the employ of the city will decide whether or not they want to come under the retirement plan. Mrs. Rose M. Poole, chairman of a citizens' committee on retirement, explained the system to the council. The plan was voted down twice previously, but the city plans to allow for the necessary funds in its next year's budget which will make voting unnecessary.

Figures on how much it will cost the city will not be available until the state pension board is notified that the city has accepted the plan. Mrs. Poole and members of her committee, George P. Davis, U. S. Balentine, Lynn Roycroft and Dick Maguire, spoke on behalf of city employes who are not covered by social security.

Pays Percentage
Under the plan, an employe pays a percentage on the first \$2400 he earns in a year. If his total yearly salary is more than \$2400, he may elect to continue paying out of the money over that figure. Mrs. Poole said, however this is optional. If he does not want to follow the regular plan he may pay a straight 5 per cent on his earnings. The city is obligated to match the employe's contribution.

At present the retirement age is 65 for regular employes and 60 for policemen and firemen, but in June, 1951, the age will change to 60 for regular employes and 55 for firemen. If one-third of the employes do not want the plan, it will not be adopted. If it does pass, all must contribute.

Committee members pointed out that Klamath Falls is one of the few cities in Oregon not having a retirement plan for its employes.

All employes will have the plan explained to them before they make a decision.

Election—The Thimble club of Neighbors of Woodcraft will meet with Stella Dryden, 610 N. 11th on Wednesday at 8 p. m. There will be election of officers after which pinocle and whist will be played. All members and their friends are invited.

From Bonanza—Mrs. David Robinson of Bonanza had surgery Tuesday morning at Hillside hospital.

Happy McClure, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest McClure of 1125 East street, is in Klamath Valley hospital recovering from a broken left leg. The youngster was injured during play late Monday afternoon and admitted to the hospital at 5 p. m.

Happy's father is an employe of Burkhard and Schortzen, building contractors, and at the present time is working on the Evans building.

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Weather Warms Up Over Basin

The mercury stood at 18 degrees above zero between 8:30 and 7:30 a. m. today, two degrees warmer than Monday's minimum of 16. The state highway commission reported roads in good winter condition and patches of packed snow and ice have been well sanded. At Odell lake the temperature this morning was reported at 26 degrees, but it was 9 degrees on Sun mountain of highway 97. Keno reported frosty roads but well sanded and the Quartz mountain road on the Lakeview highway was said to be dry. The minimum here this morning was 20 degrees.

Madras Man Jailed Here

A Madras, Ore. resident was languishing in the county jail today charged with being drunk on a public highway after a cab in which he and another Madras resident were riding went in the ditch near the Great Northern roundhouse this morning.

State police were called to investigate and reported a car owned by the Owl Cab service of Bend had gone off the icy road. Driver was Clyde Earl Shaver and his passengers were Francis Warner Buck and Brady Ross Vicars. Police arrested Vicars. The men had been brought here to visit friends in the Midland district, they told police.

Shell Station To Be Expanded

TULELAKE, Jan. 20.—Vermier and Emels, Portland building contractors, started construction this week on an expansion program for the Shell Service station located on Main street and operated by Virgil Barron, new manager.

Plans call for additional storage space for gasoline, the plant to have room for 6000 gallons, for an inside wash rack and truck hoist that will handle any size truck and for paved parking space in the rear of the building.

Construction on the building will be completed in a month and the paving project will be delayed until spring.

Irrigation for the desert in the southern third of Palestine is envisioned in a plan to use water from the Jordan river and pipe water from the Mediterranean to the Dead Sea to replace the Jordan supply.

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new telephone rates

New telephone rates will go into effect with the next telephone bills, beginning with those dated January 11. These new rates have been approved by the Public Utilities Commissioner of Oregon following extensive hearings. Increased costs reduced the current earnings of this business in Oregon to a point far below even the minimum generally conceded as necessary. Our rates, generally, have not been increased since 1921 in most Oregon cities and towns.

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2 Party	\$3.00	2 Party	\$5.25
4 Party	\$2.50*	Suburban	\$3.25
Suburban	\$2.75*	Farmer Line	\$1.50
Farmer Line	\$1.00		

* No Change

There are also some rate revisions, effective January 10, in long distance rates within the state. The five-minute initial period has been reduced to three minutes for station-to-station rates on 15c, 20c and 25c routes. Certain adjustments have been made in person-to-person rates and in the night and Sunday rates starting at 33 miles. Report charges have been eliminated, and some decreases in rates apply on intrastate station-to-station calls covering 175 miles and longer.

Complete information regarding the new rates may be obtained at our business office.

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