

# City Briefs

**Eagles Party**—The Eagles lodge will host a hillbilly party and fish fry tonight following regular lodge session. Come in costume, prize for most appropriate. Admittance by paid up membership only.

**Picnic To Be Held**—by the Midland Home Craft group Tuesday, Aug. 26, Moore Park. All members are urged to attend the potluck picnic and the business meeting.

**Hummage Sale**—will be held by the Rainbow Girls, Friday and Saturday, Aug. 22 and 23, at the old Dillard's Cafe building, Pine Street.

**Capped**—Elizabeth Hilton, 1844 Lancaster, graduated today from Dental Nurses Training School, San Francisco. She has already been appointed dental nurse to one of San Francisco's leading dentists.

**Correction**—The Mother's club of the First Christian church will meet today instead of Aug. 29, as announced in a previous news brief. Place of the meeting is at the home of Mrs. Paul Breithaupt.

Featured—Gail V. Webb, local

## Auto Firm Change Told

Bob Mest and George Dugan this morning announced that Mest had purchased Dugan's interest in Dugan and Mest Motors, Dodge sales and service at 522 S. 6th Street. Dugan was to leave here today for Portland where he is to be general manager of Joe Fisher Motors, one of the nation's largest Dodge-Plymouth sales agencies. Dugan and Mest bought out Lombard Motors here in March, 1951. Mest said today he planned to retain the present firm name for the time being and that there would be no personnel changes other than Dugan's leaving.

## Portland Dry Spell Stays

PORTLAND (AP)—Friday was Portland's 54th consecutive day without measurable rainfall, but chances were good for light showers by Friday evening. In order to count as measurable rain, precipitation must total at least .01 of an inch. Friday's expected showers may not total that much, the Weather Bureau said. The rain is coming into Oregon from a storm system in the Gulf of Alaska. Fairly heavy showers fell along the Washington coast and at the mouth of the Columbia River Friday morning. Forest fire danger was eased considerably by cooler weather in Northwestern Oregon. Small craft warnings were hoisted along the Washington and Oregon coasts.

**Insurance Man**, 29-30 Northwest district governor and past president of the Klamath Falls 29-30 club was pictured in the August issue of the International 29-30 publication.

**Visiting**—Mrs. Charles Bolestod and three children, Tulelake, flew recently to Whidbey Island, Wash., for a visit with relatives. Mrs. Bolestod was the first woman veteran of World War II to win a homestead in the Tulelake area.

**Travelers**—Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barks, Tulelake, visited recently with Mrs. Barks' brother, John Dillard and family, Nehalem. The Dillards are former residents of Merrill.

**Meeting**—Job's Daughters choir meets Monday, Aug. 25, 10 a.m., at the Masonia Temple.

**Home**—Mr. and Mrs. Leno Gregory and daughter, Judy Rae, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stevens, have returned home from a 10-day vacation in Canada, the Washington and Oregon coasts and in Idaho. Mr. and Mrs. Gregory are owners of the Gregory Fur Shop.

**Home**—Mr. and Mrs. Lou Drager and children, Tulelake have returned from a month's vacation in Canada. They visited Victoria, Lake Louise and other Canadian points. They returned home by way of Spokane and Pendleton.

**The Footprinters**—of Klamath Falls and their families will gather in Moore Park Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock for a potluck dinner.

## Schneeberger Death Told

Fred Schneeberger, 85, a visitor here many times, died last night in Oklahoma City. He is the father of John Schneeberger and Mrs. Stella Persell, both of Klamath Falls, and was well known here. He was a member of the International Order of Oddfellows in Oklahoma. He was a retired farmer. Funeral services are to be held tomorrow at 3 p.m. in Lawton, Okla.



**RE-ENLISTING**—Sgt. Glen G. LeMeris, second from left, of Klamath Falls, and WAC Cpl. Marie Johnson, of Newport, Wash., take the oath of enlistment from 1st Lt. Jerry E. Vawter, recruiting officer of the 304th Logistical Command, after they signed up for another hitch in the Army Reserve. Others in the picture are, Col. Thomas F. Gunn, 304th commander, and M-Sgt. Prentice Petty, 304th sergeant-major. The 304th completed its annual 2-week summer training camp at Fort Lewis Aug. 16. Sgt. LeMeris, of 1004 Eldorado, Klamath Falls, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. LeMeris, 523 SW Monroe, Sheridan, Ore. He has been in the Army Reserve since September, 1948. —U.S. Army Photo

## Oregon Taxes Show Decline

SALEM (AP)—Oregon's income and corporation-tax collections for July dropped from last year's July total despite an increase in the number of returns filed. This year's July total, with 3,421 returns, was \$5,348,406.17 compared to last year's \$5,927,519.93 and 2,793 returns, the tax commission reported Friday.

## Man Calls To Catfish

SULLIVAN, Ind. (AP)—Byrd Squire says when he stands on the bank of his pond and calls, "fishie, fishie," catfish assemble by hundreds as close to him as they can get. Charles Brown, Sullivan newspaperman vouches for the claim. He says he and more than a hundred other persons have watched Squire's fish-calling act at random spots around the pond. Squire, hoisting engineer for a coal mine, says it's easy. "I never lie to them. I feed them every time I call them."

## Ships Collide Off California

LONG BEACH (AP)—The Swedish motorship Stratus collided with the American ship E. S. Coos Bay off the Southern California coast early today. Coast Guard headquarters said the Swedish vessel radioed that part of the Coos Bay crew had taken to lifeboats but some men report of casualties. The Stratus reported its bow stove in above the water line. It said the Coos Bay had a large hole in the port side and may be taking water. No medical assistance was asked. Radio contact with the cargo vessel came more than an hour after the Coast Guard first received a message on the distress frequency saying only, "Colliding with American ship called Coos Bay, position seven miles west of Anacapa Island." The later message corrected the position to six miles east of the island. That would be offshore from Ventura, Calif. Heavy fog was reported all along the coast. When communication was renewed, the Stratus reported it had sent its lifeboats alongside the damaged American vessel but remaining members of the crew refused to come aboard. The Stratus asked for two tugs which are being dispatched from here and said it will stand by until tugs arrive.

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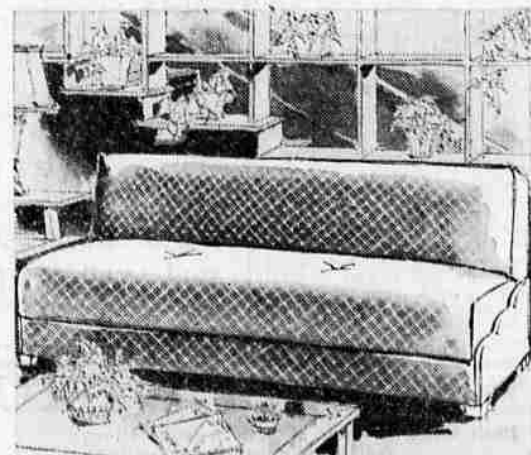
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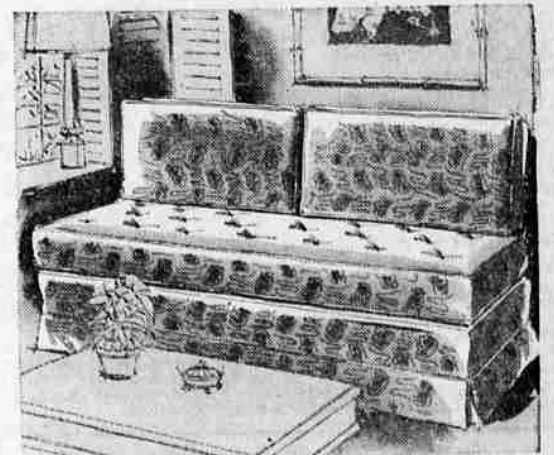
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