

BASIN BRIEFS

New Promenaders — will meet at 8:30 p.m., at the Klamath Falls High School gym.

Amateur party — will be held for tonight has been postponed.

Travel Club — will meet Tuesday, April 28, at 8 p.m., at the home of Bernice McCracken, 800 1/2 N. 1st.

Tonight — Klamath Falls High School will give a 4-Clovers ball game.

Movie — "Return to the Sea" will be shown at the First Baptist Church, Sunday, April 26, at 6:45 p.m.

Scholarship — Sandra Lindsay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Lindsay, will receive a \$100 scholarship from the Klamath Falls High School.

AAUW Ends Confab In Klamath

By RUTH KING

The 25th annual conference of the Klamath Falls American Association of University Women, adjourned today on a note of appreciation of the conference. The confab was held at the Klamath Falls Hotel, and was the largest ever held in the city. The confab was held at the Klamath Falls Hotel, and was the largest ever held in the city. The confab was held at the Klamath Falls Hotel, and was the largest ever held in the city.

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Train, Bus Schedules Set

PORTLAND (AP) — Oregon residents will have to take a train or bus to get to the state capital on Monday, April 27, because of the effect of daylight saving time in other states. Trains and buses will continue their runs at the same hours and by the same standard time clocks.

Fall Injures Oregon Man

BOISE, Idaho (AP) — Herb Schmidt, 42, of Portland, Ore., fell about 55 feet from the Mores Creek bridge near here Friday and landed in a dirt ditch.

He is in poor condition in a Boise hospital with a skull fracture and other injuries. The Army Corps of Engineers is working on the steel bridge being erected on the Boise-Idaho City road. He either lost his balance or stepped off the scaffolding. He struck the top of a concrete pier about 25 feet below the bridge and then fell and additional 20 feet in the dirt.

AWARDS

EUGENE (AP) — Two craftsmen were given awards of merit at a luncheon held by the Southwest Oregon Chapter of the American Institute of Architects here Friday.

Awards were given to Earl Blackburn, electrician, and John Brown, engineer, for their work on the new bridge over the Klamath River.

L. Lindsay, Rte. 1 Box 51, Bonanza has been awarded a scholarship to Reed College in Portland. She is one of 31 students to receive scholarships to Reed where she will enter at the fall term.

Sunday Trip — The first Spring Bird Watching and Wild Flower trip by the Nature Society of the Klamath region is scheduled for Sunday, April 26. Party will leave the Chamber of Commerce building at 7 a.m. for Link River and Moore Park where they will stop at the Moore Park Viewpoint overlooking Upper Klamath Lake at 6 a.m. for latecomers.

Attention Square Dancers — There is a change of plan for the Yreka dance and barbecue. Barbecue will be from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. at Hawkinsville. Dancing starts at 1:30 and runs to 5 p.m. at Yreka Legion Hall and at Hawkinsville. Evening dancing starts about 7 and runs until 7.

Going — Mr. and Mrs. William DePew of Flowers by Bill and Rita will spend next weekend in Eugene where they will attend the Oregon State Convention of the Reserve Officers Association. DePew was a Lieutenant in World War II seeing action in New Guinea, The Philippines, Japan and other points in the South Pacific.

Called Away — Cecil Brown, 4411 Frieda Avenue was called to Dayton, Wash., this week by the death of his father, Joseph Melvin Brown, pioneer of the Dayton area. Mr. Brown leaves his widow, 6 sons and 3 daughters.

Don't Forget — The Klamath Krutts Motorcycle Club will hold a ride on the OTT Hill Sunday, 1 p.m. on the OTT Hill. The ride is open to the public and a number of riders from outside towns will take part. Trophies will go to the winners. There is no charge.

Still Busy — The Junior Chamber of Commerce is still sponsoring the Scotch Lute safety program and sticker bands that may be seen farther than a taillight in the dark will be sold Sunday afternoon at the Dore Devil's show at the fairgrounds. The stripes are also on sale at Reeves station across from the courthouse.

Convention Visitor — Frieda Mowry, club editor for the Oregonian is visiting sessions of the Oregon State American Association of University Women's conference convening here this week.

Tea — The Aloha Social Club tea will be held in the Masonic Hall Thursday April 30, 2 to 6 p.m. honoring Mrs. L. W. Wemberly, worthy grand matron of the Grand Chapter of Oregon, All Eastern Star members are invited.

District Meeting — of Aloha Chapter, No. 61, Cascade Crest Chapter, Prosperity Chapter, Manzanita Chapter, No. 172, April 30, 8 p.m. in the Masonic Hall. All Eastern Star members are invited to attend.

Meeting — The Klamath Art Association will meet Monday, April 27, 8 p.m. at the YMCA. Lorraine Johnson will give an interesting talk illustrated with pictures taken on a recent trip to Mexico. The public is invited.

Travelling — Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Chandler and children left Friday for Los Angeles where Chandler, manager of KFLW will attend sessions of the National Convention of Radio and Television Broadcasters, being held on the West coast for the first time in five or six years. The meeting is a combined engineering and management conference. They will be gone 10 days.

Circle Meetings — Evening circles of Peace Memorial Church will meet Monday, 7:30 p.m. McKenzie Circle at the home of Mrs. Roy Gooding, Lakeview Highway. Forsythe with Mrs. O. O. Schaeffer, 3311 Homedale, Beattie, with Mrs. Harold Peyton, 219 Market, Emerson, at the home of Mrs. Harold Ashley, 2443 Hope.

Church Dinner — The First Presbyterian Church, 601 Pine, will hold a smorgasbord dinner tonight from 5:30 until 8 o'clock. Admission is \$1.50 for adults, .75 cents for children.

Last Day — Today is the last chance to attend the 4-H Spring Fair; fair officials are urging persons to see tonight's style review at 7:30.

Initiation — Rainbow Girls hold a formal initiation of new members Monday, 7:30 p.m. in the IOOF Hall. Old members are urged to attend.

Garden Meeting — Evergreen Garden Club holds its executive board meeting Monday, 1:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Verona Dahler, 3738 Bisbee. Committee chairmen are asked to attend.

New Daughter — Mr. and Mrs. Wesley McNeer Jr. welcomed a new daughter this morning at Klamath Valley Hospital. The little girl weighed 6 pounds 11 1/2 ounces. Grandparents are Mrs. Wesley McNeer Sr. and Rev. and Mrs. Howard Hutchins, former residents of Klamath Falls, now living in Oregon City.

Safeway Gets Sale License

PORTLAND (AP) — Circuit Judge Charles W. Redding ordered the state milk marketing administrator Friday to issue a license at once for Safeway Stores to sell its own milk in Salem.

He filed the order to comply with a recent State Supreme Court ruling. The milk will come from the Lucerne Milk Co. plant, operated here by Safeway.



HERE'S PART OF THE CAST of Klamath Cruisers who will take part in a hill-climbing exhibition Sunday on Barefoot Hill off the Old Fort Road. Club President Francis Gwinn is on the right. Others are (l to r) Doyle Lockard, Johnny Smith, Walter Schmidt and Bud Montgomery. The public is invited at no cost; the climb starts at 1 p.m.



SPRING AT OREGON TECH is much the same as spring all around us but Terry Allen, 5603 Harlan Drive, seems to have found something to add to the pleasure of the season. The "something" with Terry on the hilltop campus is Alta Lue Harris, an Astoria coed.

Don Gilmore Wins Divorce

SAN RAFAEL, Calif. (AP) — Don Gilmore, wealthy San Francisco automobile dealer, had a divorce today from Dore Gilmore after a sensational trial which took six weeks.

Superior Judge Jordan Martineau awarded the divorce to Gilmore late yesterday, and then censured Mrs. Gilmore.

He lectured Mrs. Gilmore for her drinking, called her a "lady who became tired of her husband" and styled their marriage a "sham and shallow trial."

Mrs. Gilmore had asked \$2,500 a month alimony, but Judge Martineau granted her \$750. They were married seven years ago.

The testimony was so sensational that Judge Martineau at times cleared the courtroom of spectators, but allowed working newsmen to remain.

Air Force Pilot May Be Released

PANMUNJOM (AP) — One of the 13 American prisoners scheduled for freedom here Sunday is believed to be an Air Force jet pilot. He would be the first Air Force officer to come back.

Reports filtering from the Communist advance base at Kaesong say the pilot is a captain and pilot of a jet fighter-bomber.

Several Air Force enlisted men have been freed and a Navy pilot was among those returned.

Body Of Transient Found By Tracks

EUGENE (AP) — The body of a transient, with one hand and both feet severed, was found beside the railroad tracks 56 miles east of here Saturday.

State Police Officer Keith David said the man, identified from papers in his pocket as Daniel Michael Marckevich, about 45, apparently fell from an eastbound freight train which passed the spot about midnight.

Returning POW Tells Tale Of Starvation In Camps

TOKYO (AP) — "Twelve of us went to bed one night in a little room like this," the thin, blond soldier recalled. "The next morning, I was the only man alive."

But Albert L. Howard of Nashville, Tenn., said other Allied prisoners at camp No. 5 dug shallow graves and said simple burial services for those who died.

The Tokyo Army Hospital room in which Howard was interviewed was about 12 by 12 feet. The death room was in a mud hut at a prison camp near the Yalu River, where he was taken after he was captured Nov. 4, 1950.

Many men died at the camp of malnutrition, Howard said. "One day I remember exactly 27 died. I helped to bury them."

He said every prisoner was a member of a burial detail. "A man would help bury someone else one day, and the next day he would be buried," Howard said. "The graves were only a foot deep. We said what services we could for them."

He said the deaths were almost all prior to June, 1951, when the Korean armistice talks began. After that, he said, the Chinese Communists gave them more food.

USBR Office Site Cut Asked

WASHINGTON (AP) — The staff of the House Appropriations Committee has proposed that regional offices of the Reclamation Bureau be reduced from seven to three and district offices from 18 to five.

The suggestion was contained in the committee's report which accompanied House presentation of the Interior Department appropriation bill proposing funds to be given the department for the year beginning July 1.

Regional offices, the committee staff suggested, should be maintained in Boise, Boulder City, Nev., and Denver. District offices, the staff said, should be kept in Ephrata, Wash., Sacramento, Calif., Salt Lake City, Utah, Billings, Mont., and Bismarck, N.D.

PORTLAND (AP) — The Oregon Society of the Sons of the American Revolution Friday night elected as president Dr. Burt Brown Barker, Portland, Elbert Wade, Portland, was elected vice president. Speaker was Charles A. Sprague, Salem.

Eastside

By MRS. MERLE O'NEIL

Visitors at the Snider ranch on Wednesday were, Mrs. Vic Hanner and her daughter Mrs. Jack Bailey of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wells called on Mr. and Mrs. Bird Wade on Tuesday.

Larry Williams of Lakeview spent the weekend with his friend, Riley McBride, at the Baxter ranch.

Mrs. Josie Wakefield of Adel visited with her sister, Mrs. Truman Hartzog, Saturday.

Alice Wells and Gertrude Hartle rode visited Mrs. Raymond Cook at New Pine Creek on Tuesday afternoon.

Jack Moffitt attended the Shriner's meeting and banquet at Paisley Saturday night, when Lakeview members chartered a bus to transport them to Paisley and back.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Goodman of Tacoma, Wash., have been weekend guests at the Bill Wells home.

Mabel McDonald of Lakeview and Eva McDonald of Klamath Falls were calling at the home of Mrs. Fred Longfellow on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lightle were dinner guests of Mrs. John Baxter on Friday.

Bill Wells Sr. was taken to Portland on Thursday of last week where he underwent medical care. Accompanying him up there were Marvin Wells, Mac Drinkwater and Tabitha Wells. We all sincerely wish him the very best of health soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Withrow of Lakeview visited at the Fred Longfellow ranch on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelia Lightle had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lightle after which they all motored to the sale in the afternoon which was held at the Westside cafe.

Mrs. Lee O'Neil cooked a Turkey dinner Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neil, Mr. and Mrs. Merle O'Neil and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lee O'Neil and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Hartle rode motored to Davis Creek last Sunday to visit Mrs. Laura Hartle. They all motored to Fort Bidwell in the afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Hartle. But they were not at home, so they just drove around, and came home later in the evening.

Mrs. Marvin Wells and children spent Sunday visiting at the Norman Wells home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Longfellow were Sunday dinner guests of the Don Corns family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baxter are much improved after a bout with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Budd Elliott were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Elliott.

The Bill Kelsoes are remodeling their home, enlarging on their front room and installing a new fireplace. They are putting colored wood panels on the walls and will soon have a wall to wall carpet laid down. It is going to be very pretty.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McGuffin were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Woods of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baxter had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lewis one day last week in Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cogburn visited at the Earl Cogburn home one day last week.

Mrs. Ed Bailey and Caroline visited at the Jim Snider ranch on Friday evening.

MARKETS AND FINANCE

Court Records

DISTRICT COURT
Boyd A. Allred, failure to stop at stop sign, \$7.50 fine.
Arthur M. Gibson, no vehicle license, \$5 fine.
David L. Lytle, no vehicle license, \$5 fine.
Francis A. Beard, no muffler, \$5 fine.
Allen M. Eck, angling in closed stream, \$5 fine.
Bert L. Denham, failure to stop at stop sign, \$5 fine.
Roy G. Howard, excess vehicle length, \$20 bail forfeited.
Donald E. Young, no transportation permit, \$20 bail forfeited.
Gordon P. Thompson, failure to stop at stop sign, \$5 bail forfeited.
Devere A. Thompson, inadequate brakes, \$5 fine (unable to pay).

MUNICIPAL COURT
Lewis Mader, intoxication, \$15 or 7 1/2 days.
Amos Kennerly, intoxication, \$20 or 10 days.
Bertie Lobert, drunk and disorderly, \$40 or 20 days.
Arthur Lind, intoxication, \$15 or 7 1/2 days.
Donald Himehwright, failure to stop at stop sign, \$5 fine.
G. H. Webster, failure to stop at accident scene, \$50 fine, 30-day jail sentence suspended, 6-months probation ordered.

On The Record

BIRTHS
Born to Mr. and Mrs. August Doer, Klamath Falls, a daughter, at Klamath Valley Hospital, April 24, 1953. Weight, 6 pounds, 5 1/2 ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leland Chryse, Klamath Falls, a son, at Klamath Valley Hospital, April 24, 1953. Weight, 8 pounds, 9 1/2 ounces.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Jesse Grey Shirley, 20, Monterey, Calif., and Betty Jean Greenleaf-McMahon, 19, Klamath Falls.

SUITS
Earl V. King vs. Elva King, divorce.
J. C. O'Neil, attorney for plaintiff.

Farm Price Prop Defended

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American Farm Bureau Federation has joined a congressional farm leader in opposing a proposal to reduce support prices for corn and other livestock feed grains by 10 percent next year.

Roger Fleming, director of the Washington office of the bureau, said his farm organization—while opposed to high-level rigid supports—is content to let such supports remain in effect through 1954.

Fleming's statement came Friday before a meeting of the Newspaper Farm Editors Association. Thursday Secretary of Agriculture Benson and his press chief, John C. Davis, reported that strong pressure is coming from livestock farmers for a reduction in feed grain supports.

Benson, while making no forecast of possible action, said it was possible that Congress might lower feed grain supports at the end of this crop year in order to help bring livestock production costs in line with recent reductions in livestock prices.

However, Chairman Hope (R-Kan.) of the House Agriculture Committee told the editors that there is no likelihood of any change in price support laws before 1955.

Potatoes

At Portland Thursday the potato supply was liberal for the old crop potatoes. The supply of new crop potatoes was moderate. The demand was moderate and the market was about steady.

At San Francisco the new crop of potatoes was weak. Most receipts were delivered on a consigned basis.

At Los Angeles the potato market was unsettled. Truck lot and carlot sales of old crop Idaho Russets, U. S. No. 1 A, ranged from 4.25 to 4.75 a 100 pound sack, according to size. The small size brought as low as 4 and the large size was quoted at 5 a 100 pound sack. Deschutes Russets, U. S. No. 1 A, brought 4.25 a hundredweight. Bakers from the Deschutes district brought 6 a hundredweight for the U. S. No. 1 Grade.

At Chicago the potato supply for the old crop was light. The demand was good and the market was steady. Track sales of Idaho Russets, U. S. No. 1 A, 25 to 30 percent 10 ounces and larger, brought 5.60 to 5.75. Street sales of Idaho Russets, U. S. No. 1 A, brought 5.75 to 5.90 a hundredweight. The supply of new crop potatoes was light. The demand was good and the market was slightly stronger.

Total shipments of potatoes throughout the nation Wednesday amounted to 247 cars. Of this number the Pacific Northwest shipped 141 cars. Idaho moved 117 cars, Oregon 21 cars and Washington 3 cars.

Track holdings at the 16 major cities of the nation Thursday amounted to 618 cars of old potatoes and 153 cars of new potatoes. This compares with 742 cars of old potatoes and 156 cars of new potatoes on track one week ago. Arrivals today amounted to 274 cars of old potatoes and 56 cars of new potatoes. This compares with 206 cars of old potatoes and 91 cars of new potatoes arriving one week earlier.

SLAIN

NAIROBI, Kenya (AP) — An Italian sawmill operator and his wife and two children, aged 14 and 16, were found murdered at an isolated sawmill in the Karatina district on the slopes of Mount Kenya.

It was believed members of the terrorist Mau Mau secret society were responsible.



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