



STATE WINNER of the Teenage Rodeo driving contest sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce is Eddie R. Warnock (center), Baker, who won over more than 25 young drivers from all over the state in a contest Sunday afternoon near Kiwanis Park. With Warnock is Pete Lynch (left), vice president of the Baker Junior Chamber of Commerce, and Gail Osborne, state Jaycee safety chairman who was in charge of the driving runoff. Second place winner is Jacqueline Blodgett, Portland; third, Craig Hickock, Cottage Grove. The young drivers were presented trophies at an award dinner at the YMCA following the contest. Warnock will receive an expense paid trip to Washington, D. C., to compete in the national contest in August.



MAXINE OLSON

Busy Woman Aids GOC

Introducing pretty Maxine Olson, 2346 Vine, who, as a little girl, with her brothers Jack and Lester, thrilled to the stories of the notorious Jesse James, told by their great grandmother, Catherine Springer. Maxine was born at Grants Pass, Oregon, March 18, 1923, and is the granddaughter of one of the first families to settle in that city. When Maxine became of school age she received the "three R's" in the Grants Pass grade schools, then her family brought her to the Klamath Basin in 1936, and she finished her studies at Henley High. Good, clean sports, are a hobby with Maxine, and in school she excelled in volleyball. But there is always that "cupid" who lurks around the corner, and Maxine was not one to dodge the arrow's course! Clyde Olson was the man, they were married in Reno, September 11, 1941.

A daughter, Betty Ann, is their only child. Maxine likes people, and likes to belong to organizations. She joined the Neighbors of Woodcraft, Ewauna Circle No. 647 in 1945 and now holds the office of Guardian Neighbor. She is president of the Jolly Neighbors, a social group, and is a charter member of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority. Her deft fingers helped make the Ground Observer Corps flag, recently presented to the GOC. Since February she has been an active member of the Ground Observer Corps, also. The field of service to their country runs in her family. Her two brothers are in the military forces at present, Jack serving in the Air Force in Japan,

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Road Worker Layoff Slated

SALEM (AP)—Approximately 50 maintenance and shop workers are to be laid off high the State Highway Department June 30. R. H. Baldoek, state highway engineer, announced Monday.

Completion of a portion of the five-year highway construction program was given as the reason for the reduction.

The construction of stronger and wider highways, through the use of \$72,000,000 in bonds authorized by the 1951 and 1953 Legislatures, reduces the maintenance requirements, Baldoek said.

All primary highways in Oregon, including U. S. Highway 99, U. S. Highway 30 and U. S. Highway 101 are being widened and in the main are being replaced by wide, non-access highways.

The lay off of workmen in the state by the highway department.

while the older brother, Lester wears the uniform of the Army Military Police.

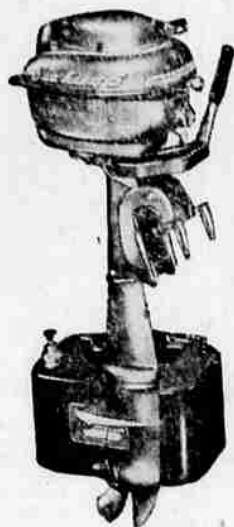
Besides all the afore mentioned activities Maxine participates in, she finds time occasionally to enjoy her two favorite recreations, fishing and boating. Since her sister Dorothy Brinson, first "recruited" her to the Ground Observer Corps back in February, she has piled up hours to 30 and over, and received the Air Corps Wings medal last May. Now, Maxine hopes to earn the Merit Award medal, presented by the Air Force, for having given 250 hours or over, on two hour watches per week, in the tower, or, by having performed some outstanding service to her country as a ground observer. Maxine advises others to join the Ground Observer Corps, and suggests they contact their nearest GOC Post, so they too, can become a part of this great civil defense program!



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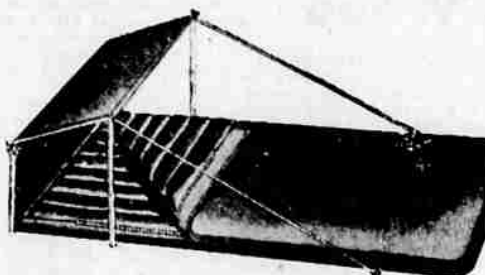
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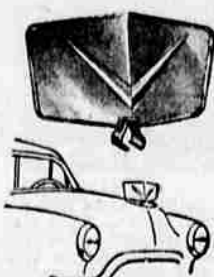
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