

## TOPICS OF THE TOWN

Mrs. M. Coleman left yesterday, for the Good Samaritan hospital where she will undergo a major operation. She will probably be gone for three weeks.

It is reported that Mr. McNutt will be at the Emanuel hospital for at least three more weeks, skin now having been grafted on his heel which was injured some time ago in an accident at the O-A mill.

Stic Curtis Andrews was here on leave last week from Seattle where he has been in the hospital following severe facial injuries sustained in an accident some time ago at Dutch Harbor, Alaska. The accident happened when a tire, which he was inflating, exploded and resulted in loss of consciousness for 25 days and the permanent loss of his right eye. He returned to Seattle for more face surgery before going to California for eye treatment.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bush, Jr., and daughter were visitors at Tillamook last week end. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bush and children spent a long week end at Rockaway, leaving here Thursday and returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bateman and son returned here last week and after a weeks vacation spent in Idaho at Lewiston with friends.

Mrs. Carl Wipper of Turner, Ore., with her husband and son, Jerry, visited her sister, Mr. J. M. Currie, on Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Russell drove to Kelso Monday. Mr. Russell was the guest speaker at the Christian Men's Fellowship dinner.

Mrs. Ernest P. Baker was guest speaker Monday night for a banquet at the Christian church at Astoria and Rev. Baker was guest speaker Wednesday noon at the Rotary club meeting in Forest Grove. He told his experience while overseas during World War II.

Jim Frazee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Frazee, will go to Corvallis September 24 to prepare for enrolling at Oregon State college a short time later in an engineering course. He has living quarters reserved to make sure his attendance there.

John Burnside returned last Sunday after spending several weeks in the Portland General hospital where he underwent an operation.

### Joy Theatre

Vernonia, Oregon

Thurs.-Fri. Sept. 19-20  
ABILENE TOWN  
Randolph Scott-Ann Dvorak  
MEN OF TOMORROW Featurette  
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Saturday Sept. 21  
SCARLET STREET  
Edward G. Robinson-Joan Bennett  
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Sun.-Mon. Sept. 22-23  
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Mrs. Alice Estey, former Vernonia resident, was here part of Sunday and Monday to visit with Mrs. Dave Marshall. She returned Monday to Corvallis where she has employment.

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Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Dow of Portland are the parents of a daughter born Monday and weighing eight pounds and six ounces. Mrs. E. J. Douglass, Mrs. Dow's mother, is spending several days in Portland with her daughter.

### Rain Delays Berry Picking

MIST—Mrs. Austin Dowling and son, Bernard, spent the week end at Depoe Bay.

There was no school at Mist during Thursday and Friday.

The Mist Helping Circle will meet next week, Thursday, September 26, at the home of Mrs. A. R. Melis after a two months' rest. All members who can possibly come are invited.

Mr. Joe Roeser was a Clatskanie visitor Monday. Shelmon Libel recently sold 12 cows from his fancy herd.

This late rain has stopped the evergreen blackberry pickers.

We are sorry to hear of the serious illness of Mrs. Percy Scaling, an old friend and neighbor, now of Seaside. She has been ill the past year or more.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Larson and small daughter were up from Alsea and spent the week end with

the Walter Batson family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Houry are leaving this week end on their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Wagner of Newberg have purchased the old Burris place at Natal and will rebuild it into a modern home.

The little Bliss boy is staying with his grandparents, the Ray Garlocks, and attending school here.

### Norblad Tells Shortage Cause

Representative Walter Norblad (R.-Ore.) this week charged that extensive shipments of sugar abroad is a major factor in the United States sugar shortage, and in wires to UHRRRA Director LaGuardia and Secretary of Agricul-

ture Anderson requested immediate export curtailment.

"Allocations to foreign countries this year total more than one billion pounds of refined sugar," Norblad stated, "and this is the equivalent of 21 pounds of sugar for each of the 37 million families in the United States."

"While thousands of pounds of valuable Oregon fruit is wasted through lack of canning sugar and while many of our bakeries have been forced to close, our government has shipped abroad 261,000 tons of sugar during the first six months of this year."

Norblad said that continuous inquiries made of the departments during the past several months have brought only evasive answers regarding the shortage but that this recent export information furnished the real answer.

"One of the most painful aspects of this situation is that the

American taxpayer is paying for the entire Cuban crop and then seeing much of it shipped direct from Cuba to Europe," Norblad concluded.

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### Thank You

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