

Miller's Store To Celebrate 50th Anniversary

Miller's Clothing Company, which has been established in Roseburg for six years, is celebrating this June the store's 50 years of progress in its 15 stores in Oregon and Washington. Miller's bought out the Fisher Department Store here. Rod Neve is the Roseburg manager.

The store was founded 50 years ago at Franklin, Nebraska. Because of several crop failures, the Miller brothers decided to move to Oregon, where weather conditions were not so severe. They found Oregon a delightful place and decided to stay.

Arriving in Oregon on June 19, 1902, they opened a store at McMinville. Their first stock consisted of \$8000 worth of dry goods, shoes and groceries. The first day's sale totaled \$67.50.

Because they did not do enough business to keep all of them busy, the young men secured positions selling wholesale dry goods. Fred traveled for a wholesale shoe company, Roy was a salesman for a wholesale grocer, and Lyss worked in the store.

Each kept investing in the company. As the years passed additional stores were purchased. George Miller was president until his death in 1943. Roy is now president, the only original owner now living.

Jan Wallace Chosen Rose Festival Queen

PORTLAND (AP) — Jeanne Wallace, winner of the 1951 "Miss Portland" beauty contest, will be crowned queen of the Portland Rose Festival June 11.

Miss Wallace, 18, a Washington High School senior, was selected Saturday night from among eight candidates chosen earlier by the student bodies of Portland's eight high schools.

Mrs. Rose Agee Kurtz, Native Of Douglas, Dies

Mrs. Elijah (Rose Agee) Kurtz died in a Salem hospital Friday, May 30, after having suffered a heart attack a few hours earlier. Mrs. Kurtz was born October 19, 1880, at the original site of Winston, Oregon, the daughter of pioneer parents, Benjamin Coats Agee and Sarah Elizabeth (Lady) Agee. She was married in June, 1903, to Elijah A. Kurtz of Salem, Oregon, and she had resided there continuously since her marriage.

Surviving are the following: the widower, two sons, Chester A. Kurtz of Denver; Alvin E. Kurtz of Alexandria, W. Va., two granddaughters, Janet and Judy Kurtz of Alexandria and the following sisters and brothers, Minnie A. Cochran of Portland, and Millie Agee, Fred Agee and Earl Agee of Roseburg, Oregon.

Funeral services were held Monday, June 2, at Salem.

K. E. Morgan Receives Jail Term For Libel

Ken E. Morgan, Drain accountant accused of libel, pleaded guilty in Circuit Court late Saturday and was sentenced by Judge Carl E. Wimberly to eight months in the county jail and placed on probation.

Morgan, charged in the grand jury indictment with libeling Robert C. Gile, former county appraiser, also filed with the court a printed retraction of his statements and publicly apologized in court to Gile.

In his letter of retraction, Morgan said his statements about Gile were "without verification and groundless."

Morgan's writings had appeared as paid political advertisements in the Drain Enterprise and in his own tabloid publication during the 1950 political campaign. Gile did not press the charge but appeared as a witness before the grand jury hearings.

Dr. John L. Haskins Not Seriously Ill

PORTLAND (Special) — Dr. John L. Haskins, director of the Roseburg Veterans Administration Hospital, is reported "not seriously ill" by a spokesman at the Portland VA Hospital.

Arriving here late Wednesday after a 200-mile ambulance trip from Roseburg, Dr. Haskins was resting over the weekend after becoming suddenly ill Tuesday evening. Mrs. Haskins, who was in Spokane to visit her daughter, came to Portland to be with her husband.

Dr. Haskins said he is not certain how long he will have to be confined. He indicated it "might be a couple of weeks." Because doctors have not diagnosed his condition, he is not certain what caused his illness.

F. P. Powell, Haskins assistant, is in charge of the Roseburg VA Hospital while Dr. Haskins is recovering.

Big Area Jolted By Atomic Blast

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — A strong atomic blast, Sunday jolted and excited residents over wide areas of Northern and Southern California from the Yucca Flat test site.

Two thuds loud enough to awaken residents and rattle windows were heard in Modesto, Calif., 350 miles from the blast, according to city editor Otto Schroder of the Modesto Bee.

Police switchboards throughout the Los Angeles metropolitan area lit up like Christmas trees when excited citizens called to find out what had happened.

A thousand troops watched from 1 hole about 7,000 yards from the explosion. They jumped from their positions 20 seconds after the detonation and moved "very close" to the firing area behind tanks and army radiological safety monitors.

\$500,000 Coquille Fire Razes Community Hall

COQUILLE — Damage was estimated at more than \$500,000 today from a fire early Sunday which destroyed the large wood-frame Community Building here.

The building housed two auditoriums, the Coquille library, a cafeteria and several public meeting rooms.

First reports of the fire came from neighbors who said they heard a small explosion in the area. Cause of the fire is unknown. A public dance had been held in the building Saturday night and it was believed a smoldering cigaret may have touched off the blaze.

Coos Bay and Myrtle Point fire departments joined the Coquille firemen in saving nearby structures.

Martha Couey, Roseburg Resident 79 Years, Dies

Martha Francis Couey, 82, resident of Roseburg for 79 years, died May 31 after a long illness. She was born July 24, 1869, in Odessa, Missouri, and came to Roseburg with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Whittsett, at the age of three. She was married in 1887 in Ashland to Alfred Marion Couey, who preceded her in death on May 6.

Surviving are four sons: Frank, Floyd, William and Charles Couey, all of Roseburg; a daughter, Mrs. Sadie Smith, Colusa, Calif.; 24 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held in The Chapel of the Roses, Roseburg Funeral Home, Thursday, June 5, at 2 p.m. DST with the Rev. W. A. MacArthur officiating. Interment will follow in the Masonic Cemetery.

Funeral Rites Held For Loyd Hooper

Graveside services for Loyd E. Hooper, 63, of upper Hayhurst Valley, near Yoncalla, were held today at Yoncalla Cemetery. Stearns Mortuary is in charge.

Hooper's body was found about 5 p.m. Friday by his half-brother, James Hooper.

Hooper was born in Epworth, Iowa on June 7, 1888. He lived in the Yoncalla area for 30 years and in Oregon for 48 years. He served in the armed forces during World War I.

He is survived by a half-brother, J. C. Hooper, Yoncalla; two sisters, Mrs. Ethel Newman, Corvallis, and Mrs. Muriel Vosberg, Philomath and several nieces and nephews.

Services Wednesday For Lena M. Cole

Services for Lena M. Cole, who died Friday after a long illness will be held at 2 p.m. (standard time) Wednesday, June 4, at the Church of Christ, Oakland. Rev. E. W. Marshall is to officiate. Interment will be held at the IOOF Cemetery at Oakland. Stearns Mortuary is in charge.

Mrs. Cole was born February 20, 1875, in Missouri. She lived at Oakland for several years.

She is survived by a son, Guy, of Oakland; a daughter, Mrs. Merle Baird, of Summit; Bill of Sutherlin, and Everett of Portland; eight grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

Robert G. Albright Services Tuesday

Graveside services for Robert G. Albright will be held Tuesday, June 3, at 2 p.m. standard time at the Masonic Cemetery. Stearns Mortuary is in charge.

He was fatally injured recently in an automobile accident. Albright was born in Yoncalla on January 23, 1934. He attended Yoncalla High School until mid-year.

He is survived by a father, Rudolph; mother, Mrs. Irene Morin; a sister, Bonnie Ann; a brother Lawrence.

Oregon Holiday Death Toll Eight

By The Associated Press
Oregon Monday counted eight deaths in the long Memorial Day week end.

Three died in traffic accidents, four drowned and one was the victim of a heart attack while fishing.

Traffic victims were: James Marshall Hill, 36, Portland, killed Friday when his car hit an overpass abutment near Portland.

Clifford C. Aldrich, 24, stationed at the Portland Air Base, killed Saturday when a car in which he was a passenger went out of control and crashed near Portland.

George S. Perrault, about 35, of Oakland, Ore., killed Sunday 12 miles north of Roseburg when his car ran off Highway 99. His wife, Naomi, suffered critical injuries.

Drowning victims were: James McCullough, 24, Portland, drowned Friday while swimming in an irrigation ditch near Harper in Eastern Oregon.

Roland Campbell, 17, Sweet Home, drowned in the South San Tim river 35 miles east of Lebanon Sunday, while fishing.

Steel Seizure Knocked Out By Supreme Court

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chief of the armed forces.

There was no immediate comment from the White House although Truman has said he will abide by the Supreme Court's decision — while saying at the same time neither the Supreme Court nor Congress can take away his powers to act in an emergency.

In his dissent, Chief Justice Vinson contended the view that the President's only recourse in an emergency is to await "the final passage of legislation . . . to cope with threatened disaster."

"Under this view," Vinson said, "the President is left powerless at the very moment when the need for action may be most pressing and when no one, other than he, is immediately capable of action."

Repercussions of the high court's decision were swift. Murray's strike call came less than 45 minutes after the black-robed judges read their opinions.

Strike Quickly Begun
And even before the CIO head acted, the steel workers were streaming out of the mills.

They began walking out of three Youngstown, Ohio, plants by 11:30 a. m. — half an hour after the court began Monday's momentous session.

Picket lines formed at the Gary, Ind., and South Chicago works of the U. S. Steel Company at the same time.

A National Production Authority spokesman said NPA probably will reimpose at once its embargo on steel shipments to consumer goods manufacturers.

CRASH KILLS NINE

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — Two more persons died Monday, bringing to nine the death toll in the crash near Melbourne of a train and a bus loaded with teen-agers returning from a church camp.

Rift In AFL Leads To New Local Of CIO

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charges and prosecute through trial proceedings."

Growth of the CIO movement among the Firmsco employees stems from alleged dissatisfaction with terms of the working contract negotiated for them by AF of L representatives with the company. It was claimed by members present at the meeting that the local had never acted upon the final contract which expires in 1953, that certain clauses voted by the local had been left out and other clauses were added without approval of the local.

No members of the AF of L Council were present at the meeting, and no one spoke for that body.

Dick Gilman of Roseburg was invited as a disinterested party to moderate the fore part of the open meeting, which was given over to a general discussion of the situation and to the charges brought by the AF of L council against the various members of the local.

Gilman repeatedly asked for an expression from the AF of L, but no one spoke in its behalf. It was brought out that the AF of L council had been asked to sit in, but that the members had declined to be present at an open meeting.

Emphasizing his part as a disinterested party, Gilman, after receiving no negative response, declared his part as moderator was through. He said it was up to the members to continue with any actions they wished to take and turned the meeting back to Garus, who served as chairman.

Upon motion from the floor, the charter was adopted. It was read and presented to the new local by Burk Christie, chairman of the Plywood District Council, CIO.

Christie also installed the officers, who had been previously elected, all except the vice-president, who was elected and installed at the meeting.

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Creed Cranfill Services Tuesday

Funeral services for Creed Cranfill, 62, well-known resident of Lookingglass who passed away at Mercy Hospital on May 31, will be held in the chapel of the Long & Orr Mortuary, Tuesday, June 3, at 2 p.m., with Dr. Morris Roach of the First Presbyterian Church officiating. Concluding services and vault interment will follow in the Lookingglass cemetery.

Mr. Cranfill was born on July 2, 1889, near Boomer Hill, Douglas County, the son of James and Louisa Alexander Clark. He was adopted by Rufus and Mary Cranfill when he was four years old. His boyhood was spent at Umpqua and he moved to Portland in 1913, and returned to Douglas County to make his home at Lookingglass in 1924. He was married to Lina McCoy at Lookingglass on Nov. 11, 1923. He was a Veteran of World War I. Mr. Cranfill was a member of the Presbyterian Church and of Umpqua Post No. 15, American Legion.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Lina Cranfill, Lookingglass and a sister, Mrs. Fannie Neves, Redding, Calif.

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2 Cases Of Drunkenness On Court Calendar

One man forfeited bail and another was sentenced to jail in two cases involving drunkenness in Municipal Court today.

Judge Ira B. Riddle sentenced Ulmer Leon Mills, 1203 N. Jackson St., to 15 days in jail in lieu of a \$30 fine. Clarence J. Redmond of Los Angeles forfeited \$20 bail on a charge of being drunk.

\$60,000 Fire Destroys Eugene Furniture Store

EUGENE (AP) — The only casualty in a fire which destroyed the Star Furniture Co. here Sunday was a bystander who fell off a fire ladder.

The man, Emmitt F. Bailey, 43, was reported in a fair condition at a Eugene hospital.

Firemen estimated that damage in the used furniture store might run as high as \$60,000. They prevented the flames from spreading to the three-story St. Francis Hotel above the store.

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