

### MINISTERS AND W. C. T. U. ATTEND WHISKEY DUMPING

Forty-six cases of bonded gin and whiskey and several gallons of moonshine seized during the past month by local prohibition officers, were dumped this afternoon at the city dumping grounds, with representatives of the Ministerial association and W. C. T. U. present, together with city, county, state and federal officials.

The bonded liquor was composed of 25 cases taken from C. A. Lloyd and Jack Martin, arrested last month near Central Point while enroute to Portland from Los Angeles, and 21 cases taken from John "Ed" Richards, arrested Thursday night on the Siskiyou mountains while enroute from Los Angeles to Portland. In the former seizure a new Cleveland touring car was confiscated and in the latter a new Packard was confiscated. The liquor is said to have been of the best quality obtainable.

The moonshine was seized in small quantities from W. Barker, D. C. McCormack, James Lewis and others.

Due to the fact that an announcement was made, very few were present at the "ceremonies." Those present included Rev. J. B. Coan, Glenn O. Taylor, T. A. Talent, Cletus McCredie, Rev. E. P. Lawrence, Newton C. Chaney, Mrs. M. P. Bryant and others.

### L. A. BOOTLEGGER IS FINED BIG SUM

John "Ed" Richards of Los Angeles, Calif., arrested Thursday night by Constable George McCall of Ashland and Special State Officer Talent on the Pacific Highway in the Siskiyou mountains for transporting and possessing 21 cases of alleged gin and whiskey, was fined \$500 on each charge when he pleaded guilty before Justice L. A. Roberts at Ashland yesterday. His car, a new Packard six, has been confiscated by the state.

The cases of Walter Dyrberg and John Bughner of Sacramento, arrested Monday by Federal Officer C. McCredie and Officer Talent south of Ashland, were turned over to the grand jury when given a preliminary hearing before Justice Glenn O. Taylor this forenoon. They were represented by Attorney Frank DeSouza.

### BUREAU OF MINES CAR HERE TONIGHT

The Bureau of Mines car is expected to arrive in this city this evening from Grants Pass where a series of safety demonstrations have been put on for the mining industry. This car will be in Medford during the coming week for the purpose of conducting safety demonstrations for the employees of the California Oregon Power company. It is expected that arrangements will be made for public inspection of the car and its interesting exhibit of safety equipment.

### NEW DIAMOND CAFE OPENS IN MEDFORD

The new Diamond cafe, which opened this week in the new Cooley and Neff building at the corner of Bartlett and Sixth streets, promises to become one of Medford's most popular eating houses. Already scores of people pack this new restaurant every day and enjoy carefully cooked foods, the speciality of Charles Fujimoto, the proprietor of the new establishment.

"Mr. Fujimoto, owner of the new Diamond cafe, is well known throughout southern Oregon, having lived in Medford for several years. He has spared no expense in making one of the most modern restaurants in this section of the country and he has extended to the people of this section a cordial invitation to call and inspect his building and equipment.

Included in the equipment of the Diamond cafe are two Vulcan gas hotel units and a gas salamander and hot cake griddle, which were installed by the Southern Oregon Gas company.

"Insofar as Mr. Fujimoto is an experienced restaurant man," says Mr. Macklin, sales manager of the Southern Oregon Gas company, "we consider his selection of gas equipment as a distinct tribute to the efficiency and dependability of gas as a fuel."

### CARS CRASH AT CORNER OF 4TH AND CENTRAL

Two cars, one driven by Morris Gile and the other by H. H. Proffitt of Riverside, Cal., were badly damaged when they collided last night at midnight at Fourth street and Central avenue. The Gile car, loaded with two boys and two girls, was pushed on its side by the impact when struck by the Chevrolet roadster. The former is said to have been on the wrong side of the street, leading Proffitt to swerve in order to miss Gile, who also swerved in the same direction. No injuries resulted. However, several of the occupants were badly cut.

### MEDFORD BUDGET PUT AT \$90,596, LEVY IS REDUCED

As the situation now stands the budget for the city of Medford's expenses for next year will be \$90,596, and good news for the taxpayers is that the levy for this sum, \$17.7 mills, will be one-half mill less than last year's levy, which was 18.2. This levy for next year's general city expenses includes interest on all bonds.

The budget was decided on last night at a meeting of the citizens budget committee with the city council, during which the budget, as prepared by the city officials, was approved by the committee, in general. The only important change made by the committee was in increasing the fund for paying repairs from \$2500 to \$5000, as it was thought to be a wise policy to keep the street paving in good condition. If this increase had not been made the total levy for next year would have been one mill less, instead of a half mill less.

The final meeting prior to the passage of the budget ordinance will be held Nov. 30, and it is improbable that any changes will be made at that time.

The citizens budget committee consists of C. M. Kidd, John C. Mann, Ed White, C. A. Knight, L. B. Haskins, T. W. Miles and Vernon Vawter.

The largest increase in the budget of any of the city departments is one of \$2000 to the fire department, making the total sum for this department \$16,294, caused chiefly by granting of increased salaries to the firemen. The fire chief is raised from \$130 to \$150 a month, and other firemen are increased \$10 to \$20 per month each. The firemen have always been better paid than the policemen, and under the new budget will draw from \$15 to \$20 a month more.

The budget allows \$600 for summer band concerts, the same as last year, and \$500 for the Red Cross.

Operating expenses for the water department are set at \$10,000 in the budget.

A summary of the budget is as follows:

Recorder's department	\$ 2,567.00
Treasurer's department	2,884.00
Police department	8,057.00
Fire department	16,294.00
Streets and roads dept.	14,598.00
Law department	3,570.00
Market department	1,195.00
Health department	650.00
Light and building dept.	4,060.00
Parks and playgrounds	5,950.00
	\$68,925.00
Bond and warrant sinking fund	4,000.00
Floating indebtedness	2,700.00
Interest	2,525.00
Special streets and roads	4,500.00
Library	7,516.00
Water bond sinking fund	10,430.00
Total levy	\$90,596.00

### TAX REDUCTION BILL CERTAIN TO PASS IS BELIEF

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—(A. P.) Practically united support both in the house and senate of the tax reduction bill now in preparation by the house ways and means committee, an almost unprecedented prospect—is now confidently expected by house leaders.

With virtually all of the vital and controversial points of tax reduction already acted on by the committee, Chairman Green said today that a non-partisan measure "bearing almost unanimous support" seems certain.

For the first time since the war, republicans and democrats in common have worked out their differences so far at least, and have agreed on the provisions of a revenue bill. In doing this the committee has approved some of the main proposals of Secretary Mellon and rejected others and the spirit of compromise was further reflected in the approval in modified form of the proposal of Representative Garner of Texas, ranking democrat, for increased personal exemptions.

Administration support of Secretary Mellon's suggestion for repeal of the estate or inheritance tax.

After disposing yesterday of several main provisions in the bill, the committee rested today to give subcommittees opportunity to work out specific rate schedules on the income, surtax and inheritance levies.

### CLAIMS GIRL WAS NOT ABDUCTED

NOBLESVILLE, Ind., Nov. 7.—(A. P.)—Madge Oberholtzer was alone in an automobile in front of the Washington hotel in Indianapolis near midnight March 15, the night when the state alleges she was abducted to Hammond, Ind., by D. C. Stephenson, Earl Klenck and Earl Gentry, James H. Lambert testified today in the trial of the trio for murder in connection with the girl's death.

Lambert, then chief clerk of the hotel, said the girl called to him and they exchanged greetings. He was able to identify her, he testified, because he had seen her in company of Stephenson at the hotel on various occasions. On cross examination he denied being either Stephenson, Gentry or Klenck near the car or in the hotel that night.

### INSURANCE CO.'S DEMAND OPENING OF SIXTH STREET

Mayor Alenderfer has just received a letter from the Oregon Insurance Rating Bureau, James M. McCune, manager, which states in positive terms that unless the city of Medford opens a new crossing over the Southern Pacific tracks, in addition to the present Main street crossing, that bureau will increase the insurance rates on all property in the city west of the railroad tracks.

Mr. McCune's letter does not stipulate any time limit, in making this threat, which fact causes some speculation as to whether a new crossing must be provided in a month, six months or year. Nor does it state where a new crossing should be established.

This letter is interesting in view of the fact that recently the Southern Pacific railroad management in conference with the city officials agreed to permit the city to establish the long talked of crossing over Sixth street only July 1st next, after the Natron cut-off is in operation.

While the railroad officials have not so stated, it is generally understood here that the change of heart of the railroad in permitting this new crossing to be established in this location, which proposition it had always fought heretofore, is that when the Natron cutoff is operated all freight trains, either north or south bound, except local freights, will not pass through Medford, but will be routed on the Natron cutoff.

The city officials presume that when the insurance rating bureau is informed that the Sixth street crossing will be established shortly after July 1, that bureau will be satisfied and not put into effect the threatened raise in rates for the west side.

### DIRECTED VERDICT IN CHILD MURDER CASE OVERRULED

LITTLETON, Colo., Nov. 7.—(A. P.)—Judge Samuel Johnson overruled a motion by Lewis D. Mowery, chief of defense counsel for a directed verdict acquitting Dr. Harold E. Blazer, slayer of his "child woman" daughter, just before court recessed for lunch.

The prosecution has not proved corpus delicti, Mr. Mowery declared to the court, "therefore I move for a directed verdict acquitting Dr. Blazer."

"Although the state's case is not as strong as it might be on this point, I believe its contention has been brought forward enough to permit the trial to continue," the judge said. "Motion overruled."

### SMOTHERED BY TIGERS

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scored touchdown in second quarter, but failed to convert. Score Washington 6, Stanford 0.

Second quarter: Washington's ball on Stanford's 43-yard line. Wilson passed to H. Brix 15 yards. Tearable got away 12 yards through left tackle, carrying the ball to Stanford's 14 yard line. Stanford held frequent consultations. Wilson passed to Gutormsen who carried the ball over for Washington's first touchdown.

Final Scores

Northwestern 3, Michigan 2.
Ore. 15, Bowdoin 14.
West Virginia 20, Boston college 0.
Yale 13, Maryland 14.
Notre Dame 0, Penn State 0.
Washington and Jefferson 0, Pittsburg 6.
Dartmouth 62, Cornell 12.
Fordham 17, Holy Cross 0.
Pennsylvania 66, Haverford 0.
Syracuse 3, Ohio Wesleyan 3.
Columbia 6, New York 6.
St. Stephens 7, Colby 6.

### PRIMARY GRADE FORCED TO GO ON SHORT SCHEDULE

The first "B" grade of the Washington school, Miss Blanche Canode, teacher, has been placed on a half day basis for the remainder of this semester, according to an announcement made today by City School Superintendent E. H. Hedrick. This arrangement means that one-half of the beginners of that school will report in the morning and the remainder in the afternoon of each day. This change was made necessary by a heavy enrollment, which had gradually increased until it reached and passed the "breaking point." The enrollment is approximately 50 at the present time.

The half plan for primary pupils was found necessary in the Jackson and Roosevelt schools in the early part of the present school year.

"The little folks," said Mr. Hedrick "this morning in regard to the new arrangement, 'lose little or nothing by being at school for one-half day only. The work is so arranged that the longer play and busy work periods are cut down and more intensive teaching is done during the time they are there. With the older pupils there would be a very distinct loss if such plan were forced upon us."

"We have now 23 rooms in the system ranging between 40 and 50 pupils in a room. The situation is serious; the schools have outgrown both their buildings and their budget."

### OREGON R. R. RATES ON LIVESTOCK TO TACOMA REDUCED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—(A. P.)—Rates on livestock moving to Tacoma and Seattle from central and eastern Oregon and southern Idaho were held by the interstate commerce commission today to be unfair as compared with rates to North Portland, Ore.

The commission laid down a scale of rates to North Portland based on distance, making the charge 45¢ per car for distances of 100 miles and \$154.50 for 1000 miles.

The Tacoma-Seattle rates should be based on this scale, the decision said, but might exceed the rate to North Portland by \$20 per car from points west of Umatilla, Ore. From points east of Umatilla, as far as Pendleton, Ore., the Tacoma-Seattle rates will be \$18 per car above the North Portland rate; from points east of Pendleton as far as Huntington, Ore., \$15 per car above; from points east of Huntington as far as Nampa, Idaho, \$12 per car above; from points east of Nampa, as far as Shoshone, Idaho, \$10 per car above and from points east of Shoshone, \$8 per car.

- Vermont 7, Roosevelt Poly 2.
- Kans. 0, Oklahoma 0.
- Wisconsin 6, Iowa 0.
- Columbia 6, Chemawa Indians 6.
- Fordus 20, Franklin 0.
- Marquette 0, Kansas Argles 2.
- St. Louis U. 6, Detroit 12.
- Minnesota 33, Butler 7.
- Grinnell 9, Iowa State 9.
- Colgate 19, Providence 7.
- Drake 14, Nebraska 0.
- Ohio State 7, Indiana 0.
- Clarkson 2, Buffalo 10.
- Amherst 16, Springfield 0.
- Hobart 24, Union 13.
- Middlebury 19, Tufts 0.
- Navy 27, Western Maryland 0.
- Georgetown 49, Lehigh 0.

### ADMIRAL FINDS LIQUOR WAR ON COAST THRILLING

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—(A. P.)—A picture of the problems confronting the coast guard in the rum war off the American coast—was given by Rear Admiral E. V. Ballard, commandant, in an address prepared for delivery to the Anti-Saloon league convention. The coast guard with the additional resources voted last year has tremendously curtailed the smuggling of liquor on the northern Atlantic seaboard since last spring, Admiral Ballard said.

"It must not be understood however, that foreign vessels laden with liquor no longer hover over our sea-coasts," he said.

"The enemy—for surely these foreign ships, operated for the express purpose of flouting the United States constitution and laws are national enemies—is engaged in a highly lucrative business and he will not willingly forego the enormous profits at stake.

"The enemy knows, however, that the coast guard is combatting his illegal traffic with increasingly satisfactory results from the government's standpoint.

"The admiral related a number of instances where the rum runners, in fighting back, have added to the historical annals of the coast guard tales as thrilling as those of the pirates of the Spanish Main.

He said there is virtually no liquor coming in from Europe now.

### MR. HOGG WINS LIVESTOCK SHOW MOHAIR PRIZES

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 7.—(A. P.)—Sales of Ayrshires and the final performances of the horse show this afternoon and tonight, marked the closing of the Pacific International Livestock exposition of 1925. Attendance has already surpassed that of last year, and promises to break the record set in 1923.

Judging on Angora goats checked today gives Riddell and Sons of Monmouth, Ore., the bulk of the honors in this breed.

R. W. Hogg of Salem divided first prizes with Riddell in the short mohair section and won both championships, but Riddell carried away by far the greatest number of prizes in each class in this section. Riddell took seven first prizes in the long mohair section and won the championship on bucks. Guthrie Brothers of Dallas, won two first prizes and the doe championship.

### Wm. G. McAdoo, Jr., Caught On Income Tax

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 7.—(A. P.)—The name of William G. McAdoo, Jr., son of the former secretary of the treasury, was among those against whom income tax liens were filed yesterday by Income Tax Collector Rex B. Goodcell.

The government claims there is \$58.93 due on young McAdoo's 1924 tax.

Through an error, the name of the elder McAdoo was at first associated with the tax lien, but a recheck developed that it was the son of the former treasury secretary against whom the lien was directed.

### CHIEF INTEREST CENTERS IN GAME SEATTLE TODAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 7.—(A. P.)—Mid-season football activities on the Pacific coast today found one crucial game listed with a number of other colorful engagements rounding out the schedule.

Overshadowing all other contests is the meeting at Seattle of Washington and Stanford. Both teams are undefeated in the Pacific coast conference race and traditional rivalry adds zest to the encounter. Besides such team has a proposed candidate for all-American honors, George Wilson of the Husky backfield and Ernie Nevers, the Cardinal battering ram.

At Berkeley, California, third undefeated member of the conference pits its well groomed eleven and tremendous reserve strength against Washington State college. It is a conference clash.

Idaho, smarting under a terrific beating administered by Southern California last week is all set for its attempt to regain conference prestige at the hands of Montana. The game will be played at Moscow.

St. Mary's meets Multnomah at Portland.

The fast scoring Southern California eleven takes on Santa Clara at Los Angeles.

California Tech and Occidental battle at Pasadena while Redlands meets California, southern branch, at Los Angeles.

### MEDFORD'S Holland Hotel SUNDAY

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors who so kindly offered sympathy during our recent bereavement. Also for the many beautiful flowers.

Mrs. Sarah Collier,  
Clifford Collier,  
Mrs. Alice Mason,  
Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Blackford and Family,  
Mrs. Leila Hubbard.

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Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the City Planning Commission will hold a hearing on Monday, November 9th, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock p. m. in the city hall on the petition of the city council to consider the reclassification of a portion of the following street from a Residence District Class I to a Business District Class III.

A portion of North Riverside avenue between Jackson and Maple streets.

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By Lewis Ulrich, Chairman,  
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