

BOND LAWYERS  
DOUBT LEGALITY  
AIRPORT BONDS

Much interest is taken throughout the state not only by the officials of those cities which have either voted bonds for municipal airports, or are contemplating doing so, as Medford, but by aviation enthusiasts in general, as to the outcome of the legality of the Roseburg new airport bonds voted some time ago, which tests the right of a city to pass such bonds as a public purpose.

Of interest in this litigation, City Attorney John H. Carlin of Medford, who is assisting the Roseburg lawyers in fighting to establish the legality of the Roseburg airport bond election, has just received a copy of an opinion written to Messrs. Ferris & Hardgrove of Portland by the well-known legal firm of bond experts, Teal, Winfree, McCulloch & Schuler of Portland on the issue raised in the Roseburg airport issue, as follows: "We have for consideration in your behalf the transcript of the proceedings had by the City of Roseburg providing for the issuance of aviation park bonds. While we have not examined this transcript in full, we have given a great deal of consideration to the authority of the city to issue such bonds.

"Indefiniteness can only be created and taxes levied for a public purpose. What is a public purpose? has received various definitions by various courts in such a way that the question is always open for consideration when a particular purpose arises. We have been unable to find any case from any jurisdiction holding that an aviation park or field is considered a municipal or public purpose. There is no question but that times and conditions so change that a purpose which was not public may become a public purpose.

"Applying this to the specific question, we must realize that aviation has made its most rapid strides from the point of view of the average person within the last year, and since the flight of Lindbergh. Before that time we seriously question whether any argument would have been advanced that an aviation park would be considered, from the general taxpayer's viewpoint, to be a public purpose.

"As above stated, we find no decision from any court holding an aviation field to be a public purpose as here considered. We are aware that since the question is new, very plausible and forceful arguments could be submitted to the effect that such was not a public purpose for which the people at large could be taxed.

"For the foregoing reasons, we are constrained to withhold our approving opinion covering the transcript submitted at this time."

BOY AUTO THIEF  
CAUGHT AFTER A  
RUNNING MATCH

Harlan Tremaine, a 16-year-old local boy, is in the county jail on a car theft charge, after having been caught last night following a chase of several miles by Jack Gorman of Columbus street. Tremaine is charged with stealing a Ford touring car from Mrs. Sam Pollard last Saturday night while it was parked near the Bilarity hall on the street. A second youth, who was with Tremaine, made his escape. Authorities had vainly attempted to locate the car and were convinced that it was taken out of the state by transients passing through Medford. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gorman were en route to Butte Falls last evening on the Crater Lake highway and were detouring the theft of the Pollard machine, just having completed reading an item in the Mail Tribune that it was still un-recovered, when they met it coming down the highway. Gorman immediately turned around and followed the two boys in the car, which he identified as Mrs. Pollard's by a torn tire.

He followed them down McAnn's road until the boys stopped near a lumber pile in the mill district. Both got out and ran, but Gorman gave chase and succeeded in catching Tremaine. However, officers know the identity of the other youth and are keeping a sharp watch for him.

Officers say that the Ford was used by the pair in making trips to the 401 orchard where they were working and that they presumably came to Medford with the car every evening. Nothing was found missing on the machine with the exception of a spare tire.

MORE BEACH SAND IS  
NEEDED, PLAYGROUNDS

Beach sand is needed at the children's playground off North Main street. Medford people who have extra sand in their cars on return trips from ocean resorts are asked to fill up a sack or two with sand to be used in the big sand box which is now only partially filled. Shovels which afford soft places for the kiddies to land when they tumble off the swings and slides have been donated by the Medford Fuel company during the past week.

MANN'S THE BEST GOODS FOR THE PRICE; NO MATTER WHAT THE PRICE MANN'S

# July Clearance!

## Opens at Mann's Department Store Saturday Morning The Year's Greatest Money Saving Event--Be Here Early

### DRASTIC REDUCTIONS ON DRESSES

Hundreds of Enticing Models to choose from

### Two Big Specials for Saturday

\$20.00 Dresses \$6.50

50 wonderful new long and short dresses made of printed silks, striped tub silks, flat crepes, satin and georgette. Latest styles and colors that sold all season up to \$20.00. July Clearance **\$6.50**  
Sale price, each

\$22.50 Dresses \$9.75

Just 16 in this lot, made of the best silk materials in prints and plain colors. All new chic styles; good sizes and colors, that sold formerly up to \$22.50. July Clearance **\$9.75**  
Clearance price, ea.

\$2.50 Betty Baxley Dresses \$1.95

100 of these extraordinary wash dresses, made of prints, voiles and dimities; suitable for porch and street wear; **\$1.95**  
\$2.50 values; Saturday, each

### Sport Hats \$3.95 to \$6.75



Favor is divided between the light weight crushable felts and the cool firmer but equally pliable hats for sport, vacation and week-end wear. Felt or straw in the popular vagabond, protective for the energetic golfer, the always smart close fitting models for other occasions. Hats easy to tuck in suit cases for the week-end. A tremendous selection in every suitable style. Colors: pastels, white, red and navy.

### Children's Hats \$1.50

### Two Big Silk Specials

Figured Crepe de Chene

\$2.95 Values \$1.49

40-inch figured crepe de chene, georgette and crepe chiffons in the latest shades and patterns. No doubt about this being a bargain. Regular price \$2.95; July Clearance **\$1.49**  
See Display in Window

Pongee Silk  
75c Values 45c

Don't confuse this silk with poorer quality. Real 32-inch, 12 monme pongee silk, heavy weight. Regular 75c values. Saturday, **45c**  
a yard

40-inch all-silk charmeuse, all colors, that sold at \$1.95, Saturday, yd. **\$1.49**

### Extra Specials Saturday

See Them in the Window

\$1.45 Japanese Parasols, each... 75c

\$1.25 Shopping Bags, each... 95c

\$3.50 Hand Bags, now, each... \$1.00

69c Printed Rayons, a yard... 45c

95c Printed Crepes, a yard... 79c

\$5.95 Rayon Bedspreads, ea... \$3.95

45c Toilet Articles, each... 19c

75c Toilet Articles, each... 39c

48c Cretonne Aprons, each... 15c

39c Sun Visors, now, each... 19c

Shop Early Tomorrow

Saturday Store Hours 8. a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

**Mann's Department Store**  
"THE STORE FOR EVERYBODY"  
PHONE-486-487 MEDFORD, OREGON.

Mail Orders Promptly Filled

### SENSATIONAL HALF PRICE SALE

### Of New Spring and Summer Coats

\$20.00 Coats, now **\$10.00** | \$42.50 Coats, now **\$21.25**  
\$27.50 Coats, now **\$13.75** | \$65.00 Coats, now **\$32.50**

### Half Price Sale of Ensembles

Only a few left; made of georgette, silk and wool; nearly all sizes, in tan, navy and black; on sale Saturday **1/2 Price**

### Half Price Sale of Good Dresses

In order to make room for our new fall dresses we will place on sale Saturday 50 of our Anthony, Korreet and Appelbaum high class dresses, all good styles, colors and sizes. July Clearance **1/2 Price** sale

### New Hot Weather Dresses

Made of fine voiles, trimmed in organdy; basque and straight line styles; specially priced Saturday, at

**\$3.50 to \$19.50 each**

All Tailored Suits 20 Per Cent Discount

All Bathing Suits 10 Per Cent Discount

All Knitted Suits 20 Per Cent Discount

### Hosiery and Underwear at Clearance Prices

### Kayser's

\$3.50 Hose \$1.69

KAYSER'S HOSE

Pure silk, in service and chiffon, good colors; all sizes; up to \$3.50 values, Saturday, **\$1.69** pair

### WOMEN'S

### Lisle Hose

65c Values 25c

Women's lisle hose, Plain and ribbed tops in brown, navy, taupe values, Saturday, a pair **25c**

### Hand Made Gowns

Embroidered in dainty designs; all colors. Regular price \$1.29. July Clearance, each **\$1.00**

### Art Satin Slips

In all shades and sizes, up to \$2.45 values. July Clearance, each **\$1.95**

### Coutil and Rayon Bandeaux

All sizes up to 69c values. Saturday, each **19c**



Follow the Crowds to Mann's Store Tomorrow

### EXTRA SPECIALS!

### Sweater Sale

\$2.50 Values \$1.95

Slip-on and coat style, all-wool sweaters, crew and V-necks in tan, yellow, blue, green, black and white. Regular price \$2.50. July sale **\$1.95** price, each

### Outing Wear

Khaki Knickers, special **\$1.00**  
Tweed Knickers, special **\$2.50**  
Crash Knickers, special **\$1.95**  
Wool Knickers, special **\$4.95**

### Blouse Special

100 women's broadcloth blouses slightly soiled in blue, tan, white; shirt, over-blouse and vestee styles. \$2.50 values. Saturday, **\$1.00** each

### Dollar Sale of Wash Dresses

Just 200 of these wonderful dresses left, made of fast-colored prints and dimities in beautiful patterns, many styles to choose from; all sizes 16 to 52. Don't fail to get one of these tomorrow as they are cheap at \$1.50. July Clearance, each **\$1.00**

### Extra Specials in Men's and Boys' Department

\$1.50 Shirts \$1.00

Men's broadcloth shirts, guaranteed fast colors; pre-shrunk neckband; all colors and white. \$1.50 values. Saturday, each **\$1.00**

### Boys' Wash Suits

Regular \$1.25 values **\$1.00**  
Regular \$1.65 values **\$1.39**

Men's Athletic Union Suits up to \$1.50 values. Saturday, suit **89c**

Men's Extra Pants Reduced 20%

Men's Dress Hats Reduced 20%

Postage Prepaid

### July Clearance Sale Specials in Our Men's Department

### Men's \$35.00 Suits \$19.50

A special lot of men's suits all from our regular stock, nationally known makes; values from \$25 to \$35. July Clearance price, **\$19.50** each

### Boys' \$20.00 Suits \$12.95

Two pair suits for boys, ages 8 to 14 years; strictly all-wool materials; sold up to \$20.00. July Clearance price, **\$12.95** suit

### Men's \$45.00 Suits \$24.50

'Kuppenheiter', 'Washougal', and 'Stamford', smart suits for men. A special suit that sold up to \$45.00. July Clearance **\$24.50** sale, suit



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