

WM. ULRICH IS SERIOUSLY ILL, BUT IS GAINING

William Ulrich, a pioneer resident of Jackson county and widely known here at his home on South Oakdale street in a grave condition as a result of a paralytic stroke and brain hemorrhage Sunday evening about 9:30 o'clock. The crisis will be reached tonight in his case, when improvement or decline will be noticeable.

MANY NOTABLES ARRIVE TOMORROW

United States Senator Fred Steiwer, Phil Netchan, republican state central committee man, and R. G. Culvert, managing editor of the Oregonian, will arrive tomorrow evening from Portland by auto to attend the state convention of the American Legion.

Governor I. L. Patterson, United States Senator Charles L. McNary and Sam Koser, secretary of state, are due to arrive Thursday.

A score of lesser public and political lights of the state will also attend the convention.

The advertising experts have met in Detroit to tell the cockeyed world that, when ideas fail, there is always the picture of a girl in a bathing suit.

MEDFORD BECOMES NEWS CENTER FOR STATE AND WORLD

This city will be much in the date lines this week, Sunday evening and yesterday it was the news capital of the nation, due to the fishing trip of Herbert Hoover, republican nominee. The balance of this week Medford will be the news capital of Oregon, due to the tenth annual state convention of the American Legion.

With the Hoover party, which arrives from the metropolis of the land, and great was the awe thereof at the strategy of W. F. (Cougery Bill) Brown in stopping his auto diagonally across the Pacific highway to stop the Hoover caravan and direct it to his cabin on the Hoque. This brought forth feature stories to New York papers.

Wedding Bells

The wedding of Frederick Todrick of Medford and Miss Mary E. Adkins of Dunsmuir, Cal., was solemnized Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at the Free Methodist parsonage, by Rev. J. E. Melton.

There are two automobile magnates in the democratic campaign organization—Itskob of General Motors and Lehman of the Studenbaker corporation. This seems to mean discarding the mule and motorizing the party machine.

LOCAL PEOPLE TO ATTEND MEETING ON EASTERN R. R.

An interstate commerce commission hearing will be opened at Portland Thursday to take testimony upon the need and feasibility of a cross-state railroad through this state, and it is probable that both Jackson and Josephine counties will be represented.

Steps have been taken to request the county court and the city council to send a delegate from this city who is thoroughly conversant with the rail situation in this valley and the territory that stretches to the Pacific ocean.

MANY SMALL FIRES IN LOCAL TIMBER, BUT NONE SERIOUS

Another series of incendiary fires, this time in the state fire warden's territory, were discovered yesterday afternoon and reported to the headquarters forestry office in Medford. They were in the Griffin creek district along the Stearns-Griffin creek road near the Mabrin and Geary ranches, in second growth timber.

These fires were started by the firebug about 140 yards apart, and had it not been for their prompt discovery and the prompt response of State District Fire Warden Dwight Phillips and his assistant, W. A. White, in getting to work extinguishing them, a big and dangerous forest fire might have developed. As it was, only one and one-fourth acres were burned over. The footprints of the incendiary were plainly visible near where the fires were started.

Another small fire was reported to the forest office here at 5 o'clock last night, burning in stubble, between Antelope and the mouth of Dix creek, to which Fire Warden Phillips sent a warder. Nothing had been heard from this fire since up to early this afternoon, hence it is believed that it was easily extinguished.

Still another small fire was reported at 4:30 p. m. yesterday, in brush and timber near Brown's cabin north of Union creek, which burned over one-eighth of an acre of ground before it was extinguished.

Fine Liquor Smugglers. PORTLAND, Ore., July 31.—(AP) Jack Mochel, cook on the German steamer Witrann, and Eric Schmidt, the vessel's baker, were sentenced to 45 days in jail and fined \$250 each today in federal court on pleading guilty to smuggling 55 bottles of liquor from the ship.

Parr Takes Ham's Place. MARSHFIELD, Ore., July 31.—(AP) Lynn A. Parr, superintendent of schools in Coquille for the past seven years was appointed today superintendent of Marshfield schools to succeed Max S. Ham, resigned. Parr graduated from the University of Oregon in 1917.

When President Coolidge returns to private life, he is going to find it a great hardship to get along with anything less than a dozen personal attendants.

Daily Meteorological Report

Date July 31, 1928. Medford and vicinity: Fair tonight and Wednesday. No change in temperature. Oregon: Fog on coast and fair in interior tonight and Wednesday. Continued low humidity in east, normal humidity in west portion. No change in temperature.

Table with columns: LOCAL DATA, CITY, and various weather metrics like Temperature, Humidity, etc.

POPULAR EASTERN SONG WRITER IS MEDFORD VISITOR

Mrs. Clara Edwards, one of America's younger and most promising song writers, arrived here this morning from New York City to be the guest of Medford friends including Caroline Andrews for whom she composed and dedicated "By the Bend of the River," one of her most successful numbers.

More than thirty songs have been published by the young artist who said today that she is now working on a Spanish composition for Caroline Andrews. Such famous concert singers as Elsa Allen, Paul Althouse, John McCormack, John Thomas and Sigrid Nookin have featured her songs on their programs. G. Schirmer, Inc., publishes many of her successes.

Charming Clara Edwards is modest about her flattering recognition in musical circles which the reporter was told about by Miss Andrews. The families of the two musicians were friends years ago in Minnesota when both of the women were small girls.

UNDULANT FEVER REPORTED HERE

Dr. L. D. Inskeep, county physician, who has been investigating the possibility that a new disease, undulant fever, sometimes called Malta fever, broke out here a short time ago with two cases, has practically reached the conclusion that both cases were undulant fever, caused by drinking milk from cows attacked with germs causing the contagion.

Undulant fever, according to a bulletin received by Dr. Inskeep from the Oregon state board of health, has often been mistaken for typhoid fever, particularly where the disease has been of a mild type. Danish authorities assert there are more cases of undulant than typhoid fever in Denmark and the number of cases in the United States has increased remarkably in the past year because of correct diagnosis of the disease.

Brevities

Among the hotel guests in Medford from the state of Washington are Mr. and Mrs. Ned Edris of Tacoma, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Horton of Tumwater, H. N. Klinge of Auburn and Mabel E. Miller, C. R. Paddock, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Horton and Mable Gianini of Seattle.

There will be an important meeting of the Artisan lodge held tonight at the W. O. W. hall at 8 o'clock. Plans for the international convention to be an event of August 19, 21 and 22, in this city, will be discussed. Luncheon for 600 guests will be taken at Crater Lake Sunday, following the three-day meeting, in a special caravan of cars that have been ordered.

An attraction of interest to southern Oregon dancers is the appearance of Jack Bowring and his orchestra at the Hilarity hall tonight, arriving here from a long engagement in Klamath Falls. The orchestra is rated as one of the best in this section, if not in the entire state and has been enjoying a successful season in Klamath county. Efforts are being made to have the orchestra play in Medford regularly.

Albert (Irish) Coleman, who left a week ago to enter the Veterans hospital at Portland, owing to the crowded condition of the institution there, was forced to enter the Veterans hospital at Tacoma, Wash. Diagnosis of his case pronounced his trouble inflammatory rheumatism. Louis Richardson, of this city, is also a patient at the Tacoma, Wash., hospital.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Thurston, Jr., of Roseburg, an eight and three-quarter-pound girl July 29, named Charline Loraine. Mrs. Thurston was formerly Gladys Bridges, of this city.

Another pilot will attempt a Paris to New York flight. As Ann Fedman, axiator, said more than a year ago: "The ocean ain't half full of aviators yet."

Radio Program KMED

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Program California Oregon Power Company, Thursday, 9 to 10

- Tenor Solos: (a) "Drink to Me Only With Eyes." (b) "Just a Cottage Small." Vocal Solos: (a) "Mother, I Still Have You." (b) "My Heart Is in the Roses." Gladys LaMar. Vocal Solos: (a) "That's My Weakness Now." (b) "Dusky Stevedore." Vocal Duets: (a) "Gypsy Love Song." (b) "Song of Hawaii." Gladys LaMar, Geo. Maddox. Tenor Solos: (a) "Can It Be Love?" (b) "Till the Sands of the Desert Grow Cold." George Maddox. Vocal Solos: (a) "Laugh, Clown, Laugh." (b) "That's My Mammy." Gladys LaMar. Vocal Solos: (a) "Sob Sister Sadie." (b) Constantinople (By request). Fletcher Fish. Tenor Solo: "Who Knows?" Ball. George Maddox. Vocal Solo: "If I Can't Have You." Gladys LaMar. Vocal Solo: "She's a Great Girl." Fletcher Fish.

The Pacific network this evening will broadcast full and complete details of the state legion convention to be held here. The program will be sent from station KGO, San Francisco, and is sponsored by the Associated Oil company on their regular weekly program, depicting the honeymoon of "Jack and Ethyl."

Pictures of Iowa Schooldays Are Show at High S.

Pictures recalling the early days at Elm School near Cantril, Iowa, were shown at the local high school Saturday night when a group of natives of that state, including Mr.

CHEMIST DISCOVERS AMAZING NEW CORN REMEDY

A Non-Acid Preparation. While working in his laboratory a chemist spilled a certain non-acid mixture on his hands and found it softened the callus without burning or injuring the healthy skin. He experimented with this preparation on corns with such successful results that it is now being placed on the market under the name of "CORN OFF." Readers are advised to insist on this "non-acid" remedy. Price 25c. Guaranteed by Medford Pharmacy and other Drug Stores. —Adv.

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Henry Ford will grow oranges in Florida. Now some competitor will be mean enough to say that he has been selling lemons for a good while.

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