

PAPER ADVOCATES SUBSIDIARY COURT HOUSE IN ASHLAND

The first step for the establishment of a junior court house at Ashland has been launched by the Ashland Tidings. In a front page editorial last evening it suggested that an officer, empowered to transact all phases of county business be established there, thus preventing the necessity of trips to Medford.

The article further holds that there is sufficient business at Ashland to justify this step and cites the maintaining of state and subsidiary offices in Portland, Los Angeles and San Francisco.

The article concludes: "The county court should be petitioned for such a branch or representative here."

The article in fact is as follows: Not a representative of any one office or officer, but one under the jurisdiction of the county court, to be delegated power to handle all possible business for the various units of the county government—tax collections, temporary automobile licenses, dog licenses and various other activities which could easily be handled in this city, thus preventing the necessity of trips to Medford.

The state government has recognized a similar need in the establishment of a branch automobile license office in Portland. Various other states and governmental organizations have recognized the same need as for instance the state of California maintaining offices in Los Angeles and San Francisco.

There is sufficient county business originating in Ashland to justify a branch of the county court house or a representative in Ashland. The county court should be petitioned to establish such a branch or representative here.

Plans for an organization of hotel and auto camp proprietors were advanced yesterday at a meeting at Ashland of Southern Oregon hotel and camp operators, Irving Vining and George Mosser, secretary of the Ashland chamber of commerce, were named on a committee to formulate ways and means to effect such organization.

Tourist camp operators were present from points as far north as Eugene and included a good sized delegation from Medford, including W. M. Clingman, J. H. Madsen, George L. Howard and P. E. Merick. Mr. and Mrs. James Grieve were also present from Prospect.

The organization would tend to encourage cooperation and encourage a bigger and better advertising program.

GIRL SMOKER IN EASTER PARADE



An innovation in New York's colorful Easter parade was a number of girl smokers who puffed cigarettes as they strolled along Fifth avenue. Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Hardin are shown above.

CRATERIAN SHOW 'STARK MAD' HAS THRILLS FOR FAN

Having much enjoyed the novel trailer announcement of Conrad Nagel and Miss Dolores Costello, in which both told the audience about their forthcoming picture at the Craterian, and also seeing and hearing two pleasing short talks, the audience, figuratively speaking, leaned back last night prepared to doze on the horrors implied in the title of the 100 per cent talking film, "Stark Mad," which opened last night for the remainder of the week.

They were not disappointed, as the picture opened first thing with the aftermath of a murder, by some seaman shoving the body of the victim into the sea for burial, from a yacht in a tropical cove in South America. It looked like a good night for more murders and mystery, and the spectators rubbed their hands in glee.

Then they sat and shivered with fears, thrilled at some of the most outlandish incidents ever conceived in the make-believe world, were mystified at hearing voices coming from nowhere, watched one of the most horrible of gorillas or apes, which is said to be the largest in captivity, do his stuff of snatching people mysteriously away, and heard about other unseen dangers, as the story was unfolded by the dialogue and doings of the actors. It was delicious amusement.

There is some humor and a not violent love story in "Stark Mad," and oodles of horror, hair-raising episodes and startling adventure. All of the cast speak their parts in this production and the running fire dialogue throughout is mixed up with unseen dangers. In the cast are H. B. Warner, Louise Fazenda, Jacqueline Logan, Henry B. Walthall, Helen Behmore and Claude Gillingwater. R. A. K.

PIONEER HOLMES INSURANCE OFFICE HAS ANNIVERSARY

Among the pioneer insurance agencies of Medford is the R. A. Holmes organization, which celebrated its twentieth birthday anniversary Tuesday, April 9. Twenty years ago R. A. Holmes founded the agency and established his offices in the Jackson County bank building. Today the business occupies the same offices. The rapid development in insurance business is shown by the fact that when the Holmes agency was founded only fire, plate glass, life insurance and surety bonds were issued in Medford. Sixty-seven forms of policies are now in force. During the history of the Holmes organization now managed by Cole Holmes an aggregate of \$228,127.87 in losses has been paid, and each year has shown an increase over the preceding year, according to Mr. Holmes. Cole Holmes recently attended a meeting of the Oregon Insurance union at Eugene as a member of the board of directors.

HUMANE SOCIETY PLANS PET SHOW FOR APRIL 20TH

(Contributed.) April 20th will be a big day in Medford.

All the boys and girls are invited to take their pets to the Medford Armory for exhibition and to compete for prizes given by the Jackson County Humane society for the most popular pet, the most unusual pet, and the best cared-for pet. There will be a special prize of \$5 in cash given by Dr. D. W. Stone for the best trained dog.

The humane society is desirous of having the schools become interested in humane education and Mrs. Carter, county superintendent, has for several years just wished that Jackson county might have a "pet day" or "pets show." Therefore, on April 20th, both the humane society and Mrs. Carter are to have their desires realized. And this realization is to be the first pet show and parade ever held in Rogue River valley on a large scale as now planned. The children and their pets are going to make this show and parade more than just a realization; they are planning to make it a huge success in every way.

GOAL OF 600 SET FOR SALE CRATER HI SCHOOL ANNUAL

The 10-day campaign, which has for its objective the sale of 600 Crater annuals, now being edited at the local high school, started at the senior high school this morning.

A speaker and salesman have been appointed for each room in the building, and way by students as they enter for their morning classes. The speakers burst into eloquence as the large hall clock strikes the magic hour, and the masses at their elbows do their stuff accordingly. That the annual to be published this year, is not only entirely original, but is the largest and most ambitious book attempted by the high school so far, was the statement made by members of the staff this morning. Ed. Gould has been chosen as editor of the 1929 Crater, and Ben Favrell, business manager. With a competent staff of workers, under the supervision of the journalism department, it is hoped that the year book will be out the latter part of next month.

Radio Program KMED

Mall Tribune-Virgin Station
228.3 Meters—1319 Kc.
Thursday, April 11.
P. M.—
6:15 to 6:30—Medford Mall Tribune, news and markets.
6:30 to 7—Medford Service Station and Coleman & Lawton.
8 to 9—Farmers' Exchange Cooperative.
Friday, April 12.
A. M.—
9:30 to 10—James McNair Pharmacy.
10 to 10:20—Southern Oregon Electric.
10:20 to 11—Rosenberg's, Inc.
11 to 11:30—M. M. Dept. Store.
11:30 to 12—Jacque Lennox, Milliner.
12 noon—Mall Tribune, news items.
P. M.—
12 to 1—Palmer Music House.
1 to 1:20—Medford Electric Co.
1:20 to 2—Lewis Super Service Station.
2 to 2:30—Mann's Department Store.
2:30 to 3—Brophy's, Jeweler.
6:15 to 6:30—Medford Mall Tribune, news and markets.
6:30 to 7—Band Box Hat Shoppe.

Daily Meteorological Report

Thursday, April 11. Medford and vicinity: Probably rain tonight and Friday. Moderate temperature.
Oregon: Rain tonight and Friday. Snows in mountains. Moderate temperature.
Local Data
Temperature (degrees) 50 25
Highest (last 24 hours) 56 50
Lowest (last 24 hours) 28 25
Rel. Humidity (per cent) 50 93
Precipitation (inches) .00 .06
State of weather—Cloudy P. Cdy.
Lowest temperature this morning 34 degrees.
Total precipitation since Sept. 1, 1928: 9.75 inches.
Sunset today, 6:47 p. m.
Sunrise Friday, 5:35 a. m.
Sunset Friday, 6:48 p. m.
Observations Taken at 5 A. M.
120th Meridian Time
CITY Highest Temp. Lowest Temp. Weather
Baker City 44 22 P. Cdy.
Bismarck 42 28 P. Cdy.
Boise 48 38 Rain
Denver 42 26 Clear
Des Moines 46 34 Rain
Fresno 52 46 P. Cdy.
Helena 40 29 Cloudy
Los Angeles 63 48 Clear
Marshfield 54 36 P. Cdy.
Phoenix 74 46 Clear
Portland 54 38 Cloudy
Red Bluff 62 40 Clear
Roseburg 54 38 Rain
Salt Lake City 38 28 Cloudy
San Francisco 58 46 Clear
Santa Fe 42 22 Clear
Seattle 50 36 Cloudy
Spokane 50 36 Rain
Walla Walla 54 38 Cloudy
Waukegan 50 36 Cloudy
L. W. L. K. Meteorologist.
Free! Bowman's Beauty Shop. On every parcel a free re-wave given within three days except on Friday or Saturday. Call for appointment.

BABY'S COLDS are soon "nipped in the bud" without "dosing" by use of—
VICKS VAPORUB
Over 21 Million Jars Used Yearly



Dignity and Simplicity
No matter how little you may be able to spend this Spring for new clothes, if you come here your selection will have that certain dignity and simplicity usually associated only with high priced fashions.
Discount Off on All Coats
ADRIENNE'S
Medford National Bank Building
Gordon Hose Sold Exclusively Here

CONTINUING THE 3rd WEEK OF OUR GREAT
--SHOE SALE--
We wish to thank our many patrons and customers for the patronage you have shown us during this event. This sale will continue, and many bargains await the thrifty buyer. Why not realize these savings! Remember the location.
31 Central Ave. **The Sinclair Store** Medford Bldg.
Boys' Shoes
Tan calf Pac style blucher. Wearflex sole, rubber heel. Will stand the hard wear.
\$2.48
One Lot
Boys' shoes—to close out at our low price
\$1.98
Misses' Shoes
Patents, and calf leathers—One-strap and tie styles—Values up to \$4.00—
\$2.48
Child's Felts
In blue, brown and rose colors, novelty trims, several styles. Keep their feet warm. Now only—
49c
Ladies' Felts
One lot in grey and brown patterns. Another big feature of this sale—
49c
Lot 2
This lot consists of regular \$1.25 felts. Now only—
69c
Lot 1
Ladies pumps, strap and tie styles, in patents, kid and calf leather, spike, military and Cuban heels. Exceptional values and all to go at only—
\$3.89
Lot 2
This lot consists of ladies' oxfords, ties and pumps—Every pair a real bargain. Values up to \$5.00. Now—
\$2.79
Children's Shoes
Black Patents—Strap and oxford style. Tan oxfords, Skuffer lasts.
\$1.48
One Lot
Children's tan oxfords and sandals. To close out at
98c pr.
Men's Shoes
Black oil tanned, Pac style work shoe—Wearflex sole—Rubber heel—Going at
\$2.95
Men's Oxfords
Black or tan calf—Blucher or Bal style—Let's fit you in a pair—
\$4.69
Numerous Items Not Listed on Sale Also

SCHOOL BOARD WILL NAME TEACHERS FOR NEXT YEAR TUESDAY
The school board at its meeting next Tuesday evening will elect teachers for the year for the city schools. Most of the Medford teachers have filed their letters asking to be re-elected. After election they are allowed ten days in which to accept or reject, in accordance with custom. Janitors for the various schools will be named at the same time, it is understood. It is expected that all the places will be filled at the coming meeting, with the exception of high school athletic coach. A selection for this post will be deferred probably for some time.

Bayer-Tablets Aspirin
Genuine
To Identify Genuine Aspirin
THE increasing use of Bayer Aspirin every year is proof that it has no ill effects. It is the accepted antidote for pain. It always helps; it never harms. Quick relief when you've a headache, or cold; or are suffering from neuralgia or neuritis. Rheumatic pains yield, too, if you'll only give these tablets a chance. But you want genuine Aspirin, so look for the Bayer Cross on every tablet. The box always bears the name Bayer and the word genuine printed in red.
BAYER
Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer, Manufacturer of Medicines in Germany.
Never mind! ORONITE CLEANING FLUID CLEANS!

Now! Smart New
LUGGAGE
Is on Display in Our Windows
Wardrobe Trunks Hand Bags
Auto Wardrobe Cases Suit Cases
Over-night Bags Hat Bags
On Sale at
OUR USUAL LOW PRICES
EXTRA SPECIAL
3-Piece Bedroom Suite on Sale
Bed, dresser and chiffonier, finished in walnut, hand decorated. Regular \$69.85 value at **\$52.95**
WEEKS & ORR
AN INSTALLMENT HOUSE WITH A REPUTATION IS GOOD
Medford's Popular Credit Store
Southern Oregon's Largest Stock of House Furnishings