

GARAGE AND AUTO LOST BY FIRE ON EDWARDS STREET

A garage, woodshed and Ford roadster were destroyed in an early morning blaze at the home of A. A. Gillette, 505 Edwards street, today. The fire was not discovered until considerable headway had been gained. Which firemen answered the alarm about 5 o'clock the buildings were a mass of flames.

The fire is believed to have started in the woodshed. Fire Chief Roy Elliott said this morning. No cause could be given by the residents of the house.

John Grimes, owner of the burned roadster, was given first aid treatment at the fire department for burns on his arm which he received when attempting to save the car. The burns were said today to be not serious.

HALF PRICE TICKET TO FAIR SUGGESTED FOR ROTARY LEADER

Attorney Frank Newman, who was accidentally kicked in the right eye by a temperamental rear spring on his car Sunday, is wearing that fractured member in a sling today. With but a single glance over the Rotary club assembly this noon, the one-eyed president saw to it that no double crossing went on at his expense. Displaying an unquenchable foresight to look the ruin of the day's program in his own hands and let the members singing songs with

relentless vigor, between announcements and speeches. Following a plea by C. L. "Doc" Gates for a 50 cent attendance at the Jackson county fair throughout the week, the attorney held Dr. Holt for but one moment with his "altruistic eye" (the left one). The latter Rotarian forthwith got to his feet and suggested that Rotary President Frank Newman, in view of his splintered vision be given a season ticket to the Jackson county fair for half price. This carrying with considerable weight, the Rotary president, bethinking himself of his Scotch ancestry, adjourned the meeting—went to the doctor's office for a sling for the other eye—and invested five cents in a tin cup, which, it is said, he will carry to the next Rotary club meeting.

CONTROL BIG FIRE ON PEYTON RANCH

A forest fire at Peyton's ranch, five or six miles above McLod bridge, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon on the south side of Rogue river, and which was started by a discarded cigarette or cigar stub in slashings, burned over an area of 25 acres in fir timber before it was gotten under control through the efforts of 24 fire fighters under District Fire Warden Dwight Phipps, who were still at the scene today patrolling the fire lines.

The big fire, also on state land, burning since last Saturday between Antelope and Yankee creeks, and which has burned over 700 acres of brush, foxtail and second growth timber, was pronounced extinguished this forenoon through the efforts of 39 fire fighters and others, but District Fire Warden Phipps still had men patrolling it as a matter of precaution.

This fire, it is also thought, was started by a cigarette stub. North Powder—Construction of bridge across North Powder river practically completed.

TRUCK DRIVER IS ASSESSED HEAVY FINE FOR INJURY

Kenneth Davis, driver of a small delivery truck, whose car last Friday knocked down and badly injured an old man at Sixth and Oakdale, was fined \$100 and his driver's license suspended for one year in Judge Taylor's court today. Chester Tempest, alias C. Jamison, was bound over to the grand jury in Judge Taylor's court in bond of \$100 on a forgery charge, it being alleged that he forged a check for \$31.94 on the firm of Mayben & Davis and passed it on the Citizens bank of Ashland. He had waived examination. In the same court John Downs, about 19 years old, was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail on a petty larceny charge, for breaking into a cabin near Jacksonville and stealing therefrom a gun.

Chester Carter of near Rich in the Applegate section, a logging truck driver, was fined \$50 in Judge Taylor's court yesterday instead of \$5, as was published, due to a typographical error, for reckless driving on South Riverside Saturday night, and L. J. Laporte, a Pickwick stage driver, was fined \$10 and costs for speeding his stage at 45 miles an hour on the Pacific highway.

JENNINGS REPRESENTS COUNTY AT PENDLETON

RALPH G. Jennings, Jackson county sheriff, and Mrs. Jennings will leave next week for Pendleton to attend the round-up which starts September 18.

Sheriff Jennings will be Jackson county's official representative at the unveiling of the Till Taylor monument to be held on the opening day of the western pageant. Till Taylor, for many years sheriff of Umatilla county and a leading figure at the annual round-ups, was killed several years ago in a notorious jail break. The memorial statue was made by A. Plimster Proctor, noted sculptor, and will be set in Round-Up park. Sheriffs from all over Oregon and Washington have been invited to take part in the ceremonies.

HEALTH PARADE WILL BE FILMED AT FAIR

The school children's health parade at the fair grounds tomorrow afternoon will be filmed for the Cooper current events news reel, according to advice received from H. L. Bromley, advertising manager of the California Oregon Power company. This is the first big event of its kind ever staged at the Jackson county fair and the moving pictures of the parade should prove of interest throughout southern Oregon.

POULTRY EXPERT ON INDEPENDENT BASIS

According to announcement by N. C. Westerfield and the Farmers Exchange Co-operative, Mr. Westerfield is no longer in the employ of the Farmers Exchange Co-operative, but anyone wishing his services may leave orders with the Farmers Exchange Co-operative, phone 932, or the Holland Hotel, phone 710.

MEDFORD GIRL TO POSE FOR ARTIST OF CALIFORNIA

Muriel Finley, who spends a part of each year in Medford and who is known by many local residents has been chosen by the artist, Dean Cornwell, to model for sketches of early California. The sketches are to be used in the decorations in the rotunda of the Los Angeles Public Library. Announcement was made in Los Angeles last week in the Los Angeles Examiner. Following is the story in part:

"Blank walls they were to the others in the rotunda of the public library yesterday, but to Muriel Finley those walls spelled immortality. Those plain, white-washed bricks that flank the sides of the main registration room at the library soon will be brilliantly colored under the faithful brush of Dean Cornwell, famous artist, now in England completing his sketches of decoration.

"And Miss Finley, chosen last year by Henry Clay, another famous artist, as the 'Golden Girl of California' has been notified by Artist Cornwell that he will use the blonde's face and figure in his decoration, as the typical California girl.

"To think that for years—perhaps long after I am dead—I will gaze down upon the literary folk of Los Angeles," sighed Miss Finley as she looked upon the bare walls.

"Miss Finley came into the public eye last year when Artist Clay's search for the most beautiful blonde in California, to be starred in a Ziegfeld show, proved to be a "bluebird chase." Miss Finley was chosen and was found to have already played under Ziegfeldian banners in the East.

Miss Finley visited here for several weeks this summer with her mother, Mrs. William Swartz, 40 Berkeley Way, and sister, Mrs. Paul Reddy.

Wedding Bells

Leonard H. Hightsham and Virginia Phillips, both of 1233 Bluff, Calif., were united in matrimony Saturday afternoon in the office of the First Christian church by the Rev. Carlman E. Moll. They were accompanied by the bride's mother and by Mr. Albert Finley of the same city. After the ceremony they departed for Red Bluff.

Saturday evening an impressive wedding ceremony was performed at the Christian church parsonage last year from Medford high school. The bride had been attending the Central Point high school and had been in the office of the Rev. Carlman E. Moll. After a short sojourn at Bluff, the young couple will make their home in Medford.

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ALUMNI FOOTBALL CLASH DISCARDED ACCOUNT DANGER

There will be no football Saturday, September 28, between the high school and alumni, as previously announced. Coach Hagah discarded the annual clash, as taking unnecessary chances for injury to his players. Instead the first and second teams will indulge in a series of scrimmages, starting this week-end.

The squad will probably be without the services of Jimmy Metz, a second string guard last season. He was regarded as a sure first string lineman this year. He quit school last spring, two weeks before the end of the semester, and failed to notify the state board of control. He feels bad about the turn of events.

The Marshfield game Saturday, October 5, will be a real test for the locals. The Marshfield team is composed of veterans, and are a big bulky lot. Marshfield is regarded as one of the strongest high school teams in the state, and fans who last season remained at home because the games were lopsided, have lost an alibi.

Football conditions at The Dalles high school will be of interest to local people. According to The Dalles Chronicle, the football turnout was the smallest in years, and it is suspected that some of the larger boys are staying away from practice, as a protest, against the displacing of Coach Bob Murray, after 29 years of service. The paper, editorially, hopes that the larger boys will change their mind. Murray was the idol of The Dalles, until their disastrous defeat at the hands of the Medford squad for the state championship.

J. FRANK ADAMS DIES IN KLAMATH

News comes from Klamath Falls that one of the great horsemen of the northwest, and the man who was most instrumental in getting an irrigation system from the United States government for farmers of the Klamath basin, J. Frank Adams, 75, died Saturday morning in a lonely cabin in the lava beds of Modoc county, California, from internal injuries received last Thursday when his horse fell with him.

About 57 years ago, at the time of the Modoc Indian war, this man then only a cowboy, came to the Klamath country. He soon gained prestige among cattle owners on account of his ability to handle cattle and horses. Later he became a prominent and wealthy stockman, but in past years lost much of his wealth on account of his generous nature.

PRESIDIO, Tex., Sept. 15.—(AP)—Overwhelmed by a gang of outlaws presumably allow seeking illegal entry into the United States, Miles J. Smith, 31, assistant chief inspector of the border patrol, was shot and stabbed to death at a lonely spot on the El Grande, 15 miles east of here yesterday. Smith had been shot twice and slashed 15 times, including one slash across his throat.

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