

Local and Personal

May Ban Grass Burning
If the present period of hot weather continues, it is likely that Fire Chief Roy Elliott will soon issue orders prohibiting the burning of grass in Medford under any conditions. Permits may now be obtained and persons planning to burn grass are urged to do so before they are discontinued.

Mrs. Hemstreet Under Knife
The many friends of Mrs. Jack Hemstreet will be glad to hear that she is doing nicely after a major operation in Portland Wednesday at St. Vincent hospital.

Wenonah Picnic Postponed
The Wenonah club picnic which was to have been held in the Ashland park today, has been postponed till Thursday, July 17.

Do your faucets give your guests a cold reception? Let a Gas Water Heater solve your hot water problem. Ask Mr. Vaughn at Tel. 526. 109\*

Took Up Local Residence
Attorney and Mrs. H. J. Devaney and children, for some time residents of the Howard district north of Medford, moved into the city last week and are now residing on North Central avenue.

You'll enjoy a vacation more if you get one of our Natural Permanent Waves. Shelton, Crockett or Ringlette styles. Emma, City Beauty Shop, Liberty Bldg., Phone 454.

From State Metropolis
From Portland the following are registered at Medford hotels: Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Keenan, A. R. Paine, L. H. Ballif, E. Hamilton, K. E. Ross, J. T. Wallace, F. N. McKenzie, L. V. Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Gregory, Geo. Santiago, J. S. Pittman, H. S. Rollo and Virginia Wagner.

No. 1 red fir tree props. Woods Lumber Co., East Jackson at Genesee. 112\*

Pickles Home from Portland
Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Pickel returned to Medford today, following a two days trip to Portland.

A special value at \$1.50 in the all-elastic Artcraft hose is making quite a reputation at Ethelwyn B. Hoffmann's. 11\*

Rotarians Give Y. M. C. A. Truck
The Ashland Y. M. C. A. is now the owner of a rebuilt Dodge delivery truck, a gift from H. C. High, and the necessary rebuilding a gift of the Ashland Rotary club. The truck will be used in transporting supplies to the summer camp at Squaw Lake, Mt. Thompson, Yacamp, announced today. The camp opens next Saturday for the first two-week period. When the boys complete their camping periods, the camp will be turned over to the Ashland Campfire Girls.—Ashland Tidings.

Don't buy cheap tree props and have them break and spoil your trees. Get No. 1 red fir tree props from Woods Lumber Co., East Jackson at Genesee. 112\*

Visit in Detroit, Ore.
Mr. and Mrs. Lew Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hoff left yesterday for Detroit, Ore., to visit Mrs. F. W. Foulkes. They expect to return this evening.

For best green slabs, ask driver or call Medford Fuel Co., Tel. 631.

Will Tackle Wetness
The rainfall of Astoria is short approximately 20 inches since last September. Despite the fact that 174 inches fell in June, the total was still shy of the normal rain of 298 for June.

Anyone who would like a bargain in a high grade henjo should call at this office and inspect the henjo left here for sale; a sacrifice regardless of cost. 251\*

Visit in Ashland
Mrs. Char. F. Sweeney and Mrs. W. H. McGowan of this city spent yesterday in Ashland visiting with friends.

Hemstitching, piecing, pleating, button making and hose mending. Handcraft shop. 247\*

Visitors Here from Seattle
The following Seattle residents are registered at Medford hotels: J. J. Downs, A. L. Ober, F. P. Jones and E. H. Miller.

Dance Wed. and Sat. Dreamland. Ladies free; gent's 75c. Dyne's music. 113

A Marriage License Issued
The county clerk's office issued a marriage license this forenoon to Peter Gergen, 24, and Emma Hooper, 18, both of San Diego, Cal.

Dance till 2 o'clock, Gold Hill every Saturday night. 891\*

His Condition Improving
Chas. Nahas who was seriously ill at the Sacred Heart hospital, was taken to his home Tuesday, and was reported today as being in an improved condition.

Groceries, milk, eggs and bakery goods at Huson's What-Not, 6th and Ivy. 111\*

O. L. Harding, manager of the Standard Oil office in Medford, spent Tuesday in Roseburg on business.

See Bill's Sheet Metal Works for radiator, fender and auto body repairing. 51\*

Remodeling Dwelling
S. W. Coffee will spend \$300 to remodel a dwelling on Mary street at a cost of \$300, according to an application on file today at the city building department.

Arrive from San Mateo
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew P. Welch and daughter of San Mateo, Cal., arrived in Medford on the Shasta this morning, and left immediately for their home on the Rogue where they plan to spend a week.

Home Owning Advantage
"Name five of the advantages of owning your own home," entreats the Literary Digest. One of them, and usually the other four, is that you'll have something to mortgage when you want to buy a car.—Weston Leader.

Krylatyko kodak glass supreme. The Peasleys, opposite Holly theater.

San Diego is Quiet
All of southern California is quiet, especially San Diego, reports J. D. O'Brien, who was in Medford this forenoon preparing to return to his home. He said little real estate is moving in San Diego, but prices are remaining high. Unemployment is general throughout that part of the state, with many transients on the road hitch-hiking in search of jobs.

We have that particular mounding for your individual picture. The Peasleys, opposite Holly theater. 11\*

Guest of Nobilitis
A. W. Middleton of San Francisco is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Nobilitis of this city and expects to spend the week end at Diamond lake.

Green slabs, the better kind from Medford Fuel Co. Order early. Phone 631. 1021\*

Camera As Forest Helper
Photographic maps to help in locating fires will be used in the Cascade national forest as the result of the purchase of a panoramic camera. Pictures, taken from lookout points, will be distributed to fire-chasers and lookouts and kept at the dispatcher's office at Oakridge.

Victor Culbertson tried almost everything for poison oak and got no relief until he used Dr. Blaxter's Poison Oak prescription. Sold and guaranteed by Heath's Drug Store only. 112\*

Tells of Tour
F. N. McKenzie, travelling passenger agent for Grand Trunk railway system, Canadian National railways and Canadian National steamships, arrived in Medford last evening on a business trip. Mr. McKenzie stated that a personally conducted triangle tour starting from Vancouver, B. C., July 21, taking in all points of interest to Jasper park. From there the trip was conducted to Kamath, with a two-day boat trip to Rupert to Vancouver. The entire trip is made by daylight.

Loose, squeaking wheels are dangerous. Have them tightened on a hydraulic wheel setting machine at Fichtner's Garage. 931\*

Spent Week End Here
Mrs. Evelyn Hudson, employe of the Roseburg Copeco office, spent the past week end at her home in Medford.

A special in tapestry and leather handbags at \$1.00, \$2.00, \$3.00, 's offered at Ethelwyn B. Hoffmann's. 114\*

Wintersingers at Lakerville
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rinabarger and children of Medford visited in Klamath Falls for a short time Monday on their way to Lakeview where they will visit for several days.—Klamath Falls Herald.

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Californians at Hotels
Guests at Medford hotels from California include Mrs. Mary S. and Miss Maude H. Marks of Hollywood, Dorothy Loomis and Loraine McDanough of Santa Rosa, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Murphy of San Mateo, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Shode and family of Astoria, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Theberge of Beverly Hills, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Karper, Mr. and Mrs. A. Solley and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Webb, Florence Gadder and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Schenfeld of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Osborne of Long Beach, and the following from Los Angeles: Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Swinney, Miss E. J. Oschner, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Parker and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Whittier.

Dance, Jacksonville, Saturday, July 12th, 9 (Ill) 2.

Visits Mother
Mrs. Milly Hoyt of Fort Klamath is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. E. Hewlett of Eagle Point this week. She was shopping in Medford yesterday afternoon with her mother and sister, Miss Hattie Hewlett.

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Hat Specials—200 new felt and silk hats, values up to \$4.95, special \$1.99 and \$2.95. The Hand Box, 223 East 6th St. 114\*

New Albany College Dean
Miss Grace Mattern of the University of Wisconsin and formerly on the faculty of Northwestern university, has been selected as dean of women for next year at Albany college. Miss Mattern will also be instructor in public speaking and dramatics.

Let us haul away your garbage and refuse. Phone 542, City Sanitary Service. 3871\*

Organizations at Hotel
Residents of Oregon registered at local hotels, other than those from Portland, include L. M. and Esther Foss of Bend, Ione Luohes of Ontario, and the following from Eugene: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chapman, W. I. Moody and F. H. Richter.

For best green slabs, ask driver or call Medford Fuel Co., Tel. 631. 651\*

Washington State Visitors
Mr. and Mrs. Coy of Spokane, Wash., are visitors in the city who arrived yesterday.

Time for all purposes at Medford Lumber Co. 781\*

Divorce Decrees Granted
The circuit court granted divorce decrees this week to Florence Balo from Ralph Balo and to Walter Childress from Beattie Childress. A decree was also granted to Effie Dalkey from Otto Dalkey. A divorce complaint was filed in circuit court today by Preston Simulwood to Lydia Smallwood on grounds of desertion.

Tree props at Big Pine Lbr. Co. Tel. No. 1. 1081\*

Condition is Improving
H. R. Stearns, a patient at the Sacred Heart hospital for the past week, was reported to be better today.

Let me write your fire insurance. Carl Y. Tengwald, Hotel Holland Bldg., Phone 993. 11\*

Here On Dental Business
C. J. Wight, representative of the Welch Dental company of Portland, is among the business visitors registered at the Hotel Holland.

Dressmaking and remodeling at the Fashion Shop, 424 Medford Bldg., Tel. 1181. 11\*

Transferred to Baker
C. H. Bennett, for a short time past a deputy in the sheriff's office here, left this morning for Baker in eastern Oregon to take up similar duties there. Officer Bennett concentrated his efforts here upon the arrest of liquor violators.

Screen Doors (Fixture free). Medford Lumber Co. Phone 629. 781\*

Visit in Central Point
Mrs. Edna Herbst and daughter, Verma of Pasadena are the guests of Mrs. Herbst's parents and Mrs. W. E. Merrill of Central Point.

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Huge Pieplant
A pieplant leaf two feet and eight inches across and measuring six and one-half inches around the stalk, grown by Harry Siegel of this city, is on display in the Roseburg chamber of commerce.—Roseburg News-Review.

Phone 542. We'll haul away your refuse. City Sanitary Service. 3871\*

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Nichols were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Williamson of Klamath Falls during the '49 celebration.

Cold meats and salads at Huson's What-Not, 6th and Ivy. 111\*

Returns to Medford
Glenn Nichols, following an absence of three years in Sacramento and other California cities, returned to Medford this week to reside here indefinitely. He was formerly connected with the Hotel Holland and in a drum corps contest held here during the Jubilee celebration. He is a silver loving cup for being the prize-winning drummer.

The semi-annual clearing sale is now in progress at Ethelwyn B. Hoffmann's, including Hats, Coats, Dresses and Ensembles. 114\*

On Vacation Here
Miss Teresa Comerford of San Francisco is spending her vacation in this city as a house guest of Miss Ruth Naylor.

We specialize in radiator and fender repairing at Van's Garage, 23 S. Bartlett. Phone 208. 51\*

Kresses Home Tomorrow
Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Kresse will return from the east tomorrow noon, and will receive patients in the afternoon. They have been visiting in Chicago and other eastern cities for about seven weeks.

Chauncey Florey now located 123 East Main St. Insurance and Real Estate. 651\*

Receives Bounty Warrant
The county clerk's office issued a bounty warrant yesterday for Harley Hill of Applegate for the killing of a coyote.

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Glenn Jackson, sales manager of the California Oregon Power company office in Medford has been spending a few days in Roseburg on business.

Anderson's New Studio of Photography, ground floor, 497 E. Main, opposite Plagy Wigly. 136\*

Visiting the Merrills
Miss Anabelle Porter of Seattle arrived in Medford today to visit her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Merrill of Central Point for a week. Miss Porter is librarian in the Seattle public library.

Tire Company Visitor.
Guy Harvey, branch manager and Frank Hardesty district salesman for the Kelly-Springfield Tire company were transacting business with the local dealer, Clay Witham, today.

Dance till 2 o'clock, Gold Hill every Saturday night. 891\*

Here on Business
John Aiden Thompson was in Medford last evening on a business visit. He is an employe of the state highway department, and is working near Union Creek.

Free load kindling with 3 big loads 16-in. slabs. Valley Fuel Co. Phone 76. 11\*

Tree props. All lengths, regular size. Cheap at Medford Lumber Co. 781\*

Leaves for Beach Resorts
Dave R. Wood and family left today for a short vacation trip to beach resorts, including the Coos Bay country, where he will participate in the Medford Golf club tournament with Marshfield at the latter city.

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Slabs, big loads, 4 1/2 tiers, \$5.00. Small loads, \$3.00. Valley Fuel Co. Phone 76. 11\*

Build Croquet Court
Announcement was made today that the American Legion Boy Scout troop would build a croquet court at the city playground, located across Bear creek bridge on Main street, and that the Legion would purchase an eight-mallet set for the park. The work will be in charge of Clyde Cook, leader of the Legion troop of scouts. The court will probably be completed next week.

Order now 16-in. green pine slabs; big loads, 4 1/2 tiers, \$5.00. Valley Fuel Co. Phone 76. 11\*

Tree props. A large stock always on hand. Tel. 629. Medford Lumber Co. 781\*

Returns from San Francisco
Mrs. E. E. Gore and daughter, Bouhah have returned to this city from San Francisco, where they have been taking special work in class music at the State Teachers' college.

Picnic supplies, Sundays and holidays at Huson's What-Not, 6th and Ivy. 111\*

Look! Hats! Hats! 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25; every summer hat goes at these prices. New felts and silk hats \$1.98. Real money savers. The Ensign Hat Shop in the M. M. Store. 114\*

Obituary
ROBERTS—Belva Roberts passed away at the Sacred Heart Hospital Wednesday, July 9th, at 1:00 o'clock after an illness of the past year. Mrs. Roberts was born in West Chester county, New York June 16, 1854, and was aged at her death, 76 years and 24 days.

She had been a resident of Medford for 18 years, coming here from Portland, Maine.

Mrs. Roberts was a devoted mother, and a true Christian, loved by all who knew her. She leaves her daughter, Miss Lillian Roberts of this city.

Funeral service will be conducted from the Perl Funeral Home Friday, July 11th at 2:30 p.m. Rev. Father Wm. B. Hamilton officiating. Interment in the Medford cemetery.

Births
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gordon of 311 Willamette street, are the parents of a son, weighing 6 pounds, 6 ounces, born Wednesday, July 9, at the Community hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Bateman are the parents of a daughter, weighing 7 1/2 pounds, born at the Community hospital, Thursday, July 10.

MAD KILLER SUSPECT CAPTURED IN BRUSH
NEW YORK, July 10.—(AP)—A man whom the police described as a former secret service agent of the German government and more recently an operative for the soviet government, was arrested today as a suspect in the search for the mad killer of Queens.

The prisoner, whose real name police refuse to reveal, was arrested early this morning. He was found hiding in underbrush in a deserted section of Douglastown, L. I.

SALEM, Ore., July 10.—(AP)—A person who is not a registered barber in Oregon cannot operate a barber shop in the state under a temporary permit, says an opinion by Attorney-General VanWinkle, in reply to an inquiry by the state board of barber examiners.

DAKOTA FARMERS EYE MARION COUNTY LANDS
SALEM, Ore., July 10.—(AP)—Five North Dakota farmers, acting as agents for 25 families of that state, have been investigating farming conditions in the Silverton district this week. They said they would recommend Marion county as a good place in which to locate.

Ghost Message From Conan Doyle Expected When Body Is Entombed

LONDON, July 10.—(AP)—A message from the spirit of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle as his body is lowered into the grave Friday was predicted today by some London spiritualist circles.

The novelist's family, however, did not encourage this forecast of the moment when they will hear from their deceased relative, although they expressed continued confidence he will get in touch with them almost immediately.

The author's son, Adrian, told the Daily Sketch: "My mother is confident that he will reveal himself shortly. This wonderful faith buoy her. She is beautifully radiant. I am certain that if she did not believe in spiritualism she would not have survived Sir Arthur's death an hour."

A seance may be necessary to establish the communication. When we do hear from him the communication will be treated as private unless, as is quite possible, he wishes to give the message to the world, in which case whatever he says will be published."

The son denied current reports a secret code had been arranged.

FEAR OF LIBEL ON ROOSEVELT HALTS NEW WISTER BOOK

NEW YORK, July 10.—(AP)—The New York Times says today that fear of a possible libel suit over one of the incidents related in Owen Wister's new book, "Theodore Roosevelt, the Story of a Friendship, 1886-1919," was the cause of its temporary withdrawal by the publishers, Macmillan & Co., last month.

Copies of the book which had been distributed in advance of the date of publication were recalled by Macmillan with no explanation other than it was made necessary by "circumstances beyond their control."

After advance copies had been distributed, the Times said, there were intimations of a libel suit. Wister was abroad, the publishers consulted their attorneys, then recalled the advance copies and waited until Wister could be reached. The objectionable pages were deleted.

GYPSIES BLESS MONEY, IT GOES

TACOMA, Wash., July 10.—(AP)—Carl Horn reported to police he had turned over to two gypsy women a total of \$3125 to be "blessed" and returned to him. The women have disappeared.

Horn met the women June 11 at a fortune telling booth. He said he gave them \$150 to be blessed and received a mystic power.

Later he returned and found the booth closed, but thought perhaps the gypsies were ill.

On June 15 he said he gave another \$1500, then \$275 and on June 23 he turned over his last \$300.

SHEEP RANCHERS ARM AGAINST BEAR DRIVE

GUNNISON, Colo., July 10.—(AP)—Bear raids on stock of western ranches have, as in Wall street, caused a lull among the sheep.

Ranchers and sheep men of the Antracite and Muddy sections of the Gunnison river have armed themselves against the marauders and have killed nine of the animals within the last few days. It was reported by Ray E. Clark, supervisor of the Gunnison forest, that more than 200 sheep have fallen victims to the bears in repeated attacks on the flocks.

WENATCHEE REPORTS NO JOBS AVAILABLE

WENATCHEE, Wn., July 10.—(AP)—False reports that many jobs are available at the Wenatchee dam construction project has resulted in hundreds of men from all parts of the Northwest being disappointed here, R. E. McGrew, superintendent, said today.

He asked that newspapers inform the public that no men are being hired.

EUGENE BOX FACTORY DESTROYED BY BLAZE

EUGENE, July 10.—(AP)—Fire destroyed the Eugene box company plant today causing damage estimated at \$20,000. The spread of flames to adjoining lumber yards was prevented by firemen after an eight hour fight.

Plant owners said they believed the fire was caused by transients dropping cigarettes in the shavings while cooking a meal.

HAY PRESS CRUSHES ARMS OF RANCH HAND

SAN RAFAEL, Cal., July 10.—(AP)—Thomas Patterson, 40, ranch hand, lost his right arm and part of his left today when he was drawn into a hay press on the Sartori ranch, 5 miles north of here. He was taken to a hospital where his condition was pronounced critical.

PORTLAND LAD AT DRILL CAMP LOST ON HIKE

Stach, 17-year-old Portland youth who failed to return from Livingston mountain near here last night. Most of them had already participated in a vain hunt, which lasted all night.

All planes at the military field here were ordered to aid in the search and four were scouting over the mountain region early today. Young Stach left the rifle range, about 16 miles north of here yesterday to climb the mountain because they were required to be back at the camp for dinner. The other two youths turned back.

When Stach failed to return late last night hundreds of the students were organized in a searching party.

Stach was one of the several hundred Oregon and northwest Washington students in encampment here.

Soldiers and Planes Search Livingston Mountain for 17-Year-Old C. M. T. C. Student.

VANCOUVER, Wn., July 10.—(AP)—Tired, hungry, but unharmed after a night out in the hills contrary to military orders, George T. Stach, 17, of Portland, was found today near the rifle range, 16 miles from here, by fellow members of the citizens military training camp.

Vanouver, Wash., July 10.—(AP)—About 700 students in summer encampment and enlisted men at Vancouver barracks were searching today for George T.

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NOW! ALL TALKING OUTDOOR ACTION RICHARD ARLEN JACK HOLT

FAY WRAY EUGENE PALETTE in

ZANE GREY'S THE BORDER LEGION

Swift-riding, hard-fighting! Men drawn together because they despise the law. Terrorists of the gold frontier they face a woman and meet defeat.

HILL FAMILY RIFT MAY BE HEALED

LIJSTON, Mont., July 10.—(AP)—For the second time, marital rifts in the family of Walter Hill, son of the late James J. Hill, railroad builder, have apparently been smoothed.

Dismissal of a divorce suit brought by Mrs. Mildred Hill, former Follies girl, against the son of the railroad magnate, is sought in an action filed yesterday in the district court by counsel for the Hills. The petition also asks cancellation of cross complaints filed by Hill.

SALEM BUTCHER USES BIG KNIFE ON WIFE

SALEM, Ore., July 10.—(AP)—After trouble with his wife in which he was alleged to have slashed her with a butcher's knife, E. L. McDowell, one of the proprietors of the McDowell meat market here, was lodged in the city jail last night. He was booked on a felony charge.

PENNEY CO. SALES FOR JUNE SHOW DECREASE

NEW YORK, July 10.—(AP)—The sales of the J. C. Penney company totaled \$15,828,201, a decrease of 7.4 per cent from June last year. Sales for the six months ended June 30 totaled \$86,459,119, an increase of 4.1 per cent over the corresponding period of last year.

TONITE and Friday What will Schmeling do in his next fight? Is Sharkey the Best Man?

See Them in Action in the Sharkey-Schmeling

World's Heavyweight Championship Bout ONLY COMPLETE AND AUTHENTIC PICTURES OF THE BIG FIGHT

PLUS OUR REGULAR SHOW All Talking Mystery Comedy WILLIAM COLLIER JR. PAULINE STARKE in "A ROYAL ROMANCE" Lindbergh Congratulates Byrd in the TALKING NEWS

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