

# Local and Personal

**Circle to Meet Monday**  
Chrysanthemum circle, Neighbors of Woodcraft, will meet Monday evening in the L. O. O. F. hall at 7:30 sharp. Installation of officers will be the leading event of the evening and the district organizer, Mrs. Allie Perrin, will be a guest from Portland and will give an interesting talk for the good of the order. Mrs. Paul Anderson, chairman of the social committee, announces that other program numbers will be included in the evening's entertainment, after which refreshments will be served. The meeting will be open to members and their invited guests.

**Mr. Antle Better**  
R. F. Antle, who has been ill at the Community hospital for several days, was reported to be in an improved condition today.

**From Distant Cities**  
Guests from distant cities registered at local hotels include George Jamison of St. Paul, Minn., Geo. M. Yeatman of St. Louis, Mo., J. R. McIntyre of Philadelphia, Pa., and Mrs. Brubaker of Vancouver, B. C.

**Auto work to price**  
Overhauling and repairing by an expert, Jack Adams, 413 N. Columbia. 250

**Return from Frisco**  
Misses Kathleen Estes and Theo. Von der Heiden returned this morning from San Francisco, where they spent the past two weeks as guests of Mrs. John S. Thomson. Miss Estes and Mrs. Thomson are sisters. Miss Von der Heiden has been doing stenographic work in Lindsay, Cal.

**Aged and convalescent**  
will find a pleasant and beautiful home at the Pleasant River Sanitarium. Mrs. B. Schrammuck, Supt., graduate nurse, 81, Jacksonville, Ore. 291

**Corporation Papers Filed**  
Articles for the incorporation of a potato chip company were filed at the county clerk's office today by Carol J. Parker, Ruth Parker and Frank Salter. The capitalization was set at \$20,000.

**Spitzenberg apples, 25c per box.**  
Bring your own boxes. Pinnacle Packing Co. 12\*

**Leaves for Wilderville**  
R. A. Lindsay of Wilderville, Ore., who had been visiting Mrs. B. Darnielle and family for the past week, left by train this morning for his home.

**For grade A raw milk, call 599.**  
Campbell Dairy. Two deliveries. 12\*

**En Route to Salem**  
Thora Roosen, Red Cross secretary of Salem, who has been attending the Red Cross conference in San Francisco, visited Miss Josephine Kirtley this morning while in Medford. She was en route to Salem.

**Good all-wool suits, fitted to your measurements, \$17.95**  
The Toggery. 290\*

**Mr. Boggs Leaves**  
O. C. Boggs left this morning for Eugene, where he will attend a meeting concerning the building and loan code now being adopted. Building and loan representatives in that city are conducting the meeting.

**Burn dry slab wood, \$5 and \$6 per load.**  
Med. Fuel Co. Tel. 631. 256f\*

**More Dog Tags Sold**  
Bringing the total for the year to 26, four dog licenses were sold yesterday at the county clerk's office to Elda Anderson, Billy Barnum and W. A. Shumaker of Medford, and Dr. F. M. Swedenburg of Ashland.

**Special sale of Galve cold cream and cleansing cream, 45c per jar; Reg. 75c value.**  
Bowman's Beauty Parlor, Tel. 57. 291

**Arrived at Clinic**  
Word was received in Medford today that Leola Scheffel, well known resident, had arrived in Rochester, Minn., to enter Mayo Brothers' clinic to undergo medical and possibly surgical treatment. He will be gone for some time.

**Dance, Gold Hill, Saturday night.**  
Dance till 2. 290\*

**New Lower Readjustment Prices**  
Make Fluhrer's Breads a better value than ever before. At all grocers at 3 lbs. for 25c.

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**Departs for Denver**  
Jack Rennie, representative on the Pacific coast of the Russell Cement company of Gloucester, Mass., for the past ten years, is leaving for Denver, Colo., where he will take over the office in that city. Mr. Rennie said he will miss the place called "Great Country," and hopes to be back in the near future among his many friends here, who are wishing him luck in the new field.

**From State Metropolis**  
Portlanders registered at local hotels include Fred Carriere, E. O. Bender, P. H. Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. R. Allen, Kenneth R. Ross, W. Parsons, Ira P. E. Reynolds, G. S. Young, S. L. Moorhead, W. A. Wylie, E. Truby, S. L. Bloomberg, Paul Amort, W. H. Wheeler, C. V. Weaver, A. Nochtson, Ed Handlik, F. A. Mead and C. Walton Larve.

**Dance, Lake Creek Sat. 290\***  
Bill Sheet Metal Works does expert repairing, fender and auto body repairing. 12\*

**Completing Bridge**  
Pouring of concrete and preparation for the approach fills marked the final steps toward completion of the new Caveman bridge over Rogue river at Grants Pass, according to John K. Holt, contractor in charge. Unless halted by unfavorable weather, crews of men will soon be at work filling the approaches. Contractor Holt said Friday.—Grants Pass Courier.

**Our new studio is opposite new Holly theater.**  
The Peaseleys. 12\*

**Dry kindling \$2.50 a load.**  
Valley Fuel Co. 242f\*

**Back on the Job**  
Asa W. Lawson, field manager for the United Artisans in this district, is back on the job again after spending the holidays at his home in Brownsville.

**Spitzenberg apples, 25c per box.**  
Bring your own boxes. Pinnacle Packing Co. 12\*

**On Business Visit**  
Mrs. Everett Moore of Butler Falls and Mrs. W. H. Sheets of Eagle Point were in Medford today attending to business matters and shopping.

**Toggery quality at greatly reduced prices!**  
Investigate at once. 290\*

**Phone 542. We'll haul away your refuse.**  
City Sanitary Service. 237f\*

**Contraception Is Unheated**  
A broken furnace at the county courthouse today caused that building to be one of the coldest in Medford and county employees were shivering all morning while going about their duties. Overcoats were popular and citizens in the building expressed their belief the building was taking on the characteristics of a cold storage plant. The trouble was expected to have been repaired this afternoon.

**Dr. Robt. E. Lee, Liberty Bldg.**  
Eyes examined, glasses. 12\*

**Deals Called North**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Deal left Medford this morning for Portland, having been called north by the illness of Mrs. Deal's father, who will undergo an operation Monday.

**Toggery suits, overcoats and shirts**  
reduced in price beginning 290\*

**Complete facial, manicure and oil massage.**  
Rev. Beauty Shop, 243, 254f\*

**Shoe Causes Wrecks**  
A thin sheet of ice on city streets this morning resulted in quite a number of minor auto collisions in Medford, according to reports reaching George Prossett, city traffic chief, this forenoon. One or two machines crashed into telephone poles and demolished front wheels, and others were involved in head-on and broadside collisions.

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Valley Fuel Co. 242f\*

**Greater values in men's clothes beginning tomorrow at the Toggery.**  
290\*

**Oregon Hotel Guests**  
The following Oregonians registered last night at Medford hotels: S. G. Frank, Frank N. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ludo (Grieve) of Prospect, H. W. Shely of Wolf Creek, S. J. Coell of Klamath Falls, E. W. Cantrell and Mrs. and Mrs. C. M. O'Malley of Roseburg, Mrs. T. B. Westbrook and Dewey Powers of Eugene.

**Eldest Hart Schaffner & Marx men's suits, \$29.85 at The Toggery.**  
290\*

**Burn green fir slabs with dry wood and cut fuel bill.**  
Ask Med. Fuel Co. Tel. 631. 256f\*

**Undergoes Operation**  
Friends in this city of Mrs. W. W. Dinkens will be glad to learn that she underwent an operation for gonorrhea at the Good Samaritan hospital in Portland yesterday and is getting along nicely, according to word received by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mason of this city. Mrs. Dinkens, who has been with her during her stay in Portland, telephoned to Medford last night.

**Dance, Gold Hill, Saturday night.**  
Dance till 2. 290\*

**Announce Second Semester**  
George A. Briscoe, superintendent of the local public schools, has issued the following statement relative to opening of the second semester: "The second semester of the Ashland public schools begins Monday, January 26, 1931. New classes in all grades begin at that time. Pupils who are new to Ashland and all those who have for any reason dropped from the school rolls should enter at that time."—Ashland Tidings.

**Railroad Men Return**  
G. W. Harvey of the Transcontinental Freight bureau, Warrenton, Smith, traveling passenger agent for the Northern Pacific railway, and F. N. McKenzie, traveling passenger agent for the Grand Trunk lines, were in Medford yesterday conferring with local shippers and left last night for their headquarters.

**Broken windows replaced by Trowbridge Cabinet Works, 239f\***  
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**Mr. Harris in Bay City**  
L. D. Harris of Central Point is spending two weeks in San Francisco transacting business and visiting his daughter, Miss John Harris.

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**Coats relined and remodeled at the Fashion Shop, 424 Medford Bldg.**  
Mrs. Harry Andrews, Tel. 1181. 12\*

**Appointed Constable**  
Sam G. Prescott of Ashland has been appointed by the county court as constable of the district which includes Ashland and Talent and the surrounding country.

**Daily's Taxi, Phone 15, 35c; 1 to 4 passengers.**  
12\*

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**Auto Licenses Issued**  
The sheriff's office issued auto licenses today to George Hollingsworth, L. W. Pahl, Gladys Hansen and Mrs. J. R. Monroe of Medford and William Nikolaus of Jacksonville.

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Valley Fuel Co. 242f\*

**Fortraits of distinction.**  
The Peaseleys, opp. Holly Theater. 12\*

**From Southern State**  
The secretary stopping last night at Medford hotels were Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Zarris of Vallejo, J. D. Frederickson and A. P. Johnson of Sacramento, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Harding, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Ainsch and J. C. Manck of Los Angeles, J. A. Steinbach, Lion Oppenheim, F. P. Palmerlee, H. C. Brewer and Bernard Russ of San Francisco.

**The Catholic ladies will entertain at cards Wednesday afternoon.**  
Plan to attend. Good time assured. 291\*

**BOLTON SUCCEEDS TRAVIS WITH S. O.**

**DAIRY DEGRADED WHEN BACTERIA COUNT RISES**

**BIRTHS**

**Obituary**

**RECOMMEND AUDIT OF POLK CO. DRY FUNDS**

**Classified advertising gets results.**

# WINDS, COLD TAKE TOLL OF CHINESE

**Dust Storm and Snow Whipped By Gale Over Wide Area — Many Poverty Stricken Freeze in Streets and Heatless Hovels.**

SHANGHAI, Jan. 10.—(AP) Hundreds of persons died in the dust and snowstorm which subsided tonight after raging through central China southward from Mongolia's deserts to the Yangtze valley.

Having laid an icy siege over all north China, the storm subsided tonight, but hundreds of thousands were suffering acutely in temperatures averaging 15 degrees below zero. Large numbers continued to freeze to death among the poverty stricken populace.

Police of Peiping today gathered from the streets 100 bodies of those who perished in the past 24 hours in the blinding dust storm and freezing temperature.

The sky became a baleful yellow as the howling dust laden winds struck Peiping suddenly and the temperature dropped forty degrees within a few hours.

In the city's environs police found 18 additional frozen bodies of persons who died while heatless today in George Hollingsworth, L. W. Pahl, Gladys Hansen and Mrs. J. R. Monroe of Medford and William Nikolaus of Jacksonville.

**HALE, MEDFORD KLAN VICTIM IS DEAD IN SOUTH**

**Lung Infection Fatal for Former Local Piano Dealer — Was Center of Kidnaping Sensation.**

Announcement was received in Medford yesterday of the death of J. P. Hale, for many years a piano dealer in this city. Mr. Hale died in San Francisco, December 23rd, from a lung infection, according to the report.

He took an active part in Medford business life for many years and is remembered perhaps best for having figured in the height of the Ku Klux Klan era in this city. He was abducted by a masked gang and taken into the country, where he was subjected to the violent treatment, the perpetrators of which were never disclosed, although several accused persons were later brought to trial.

He was also one of the first local persons to survive a severe attack of influenza, the disease from which his first wife died. It is believed by local friends that complications from the disease may have caused his death.

Mr. Hale is survived by two sons, living in San Francisco, and by two divorced wives, Monte Margely Hale of Portland and Roberta Pearce Hale of San Francisco.

**VETS TO DEBATE CASH PROPOSALS**

**Actress Married**

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# Friendly Sparring at Portland Party Results in Death

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 10.—(AP) David Smith, 25, died last night after a friendly boxing match with Wayne O'Dell, 21, at a party at which both were guests.

# About New York

By Richard Massock.  
NEW YORK.—Gigolos in taxi dance halls and hostesses on indoor golf courses are new variants of old occupations.

Women who lack dancing partners now may hire them in a Broadway dance hall at 15 cents a dance or three dances for 35 cents, just as girl partners are available to lonesome men.

The men partners are called "hosts" and are introduced to the women by one of the hostesses. If a conversation a customer wants, the host will sit out the dance, taking up tickets for it, of course.

**Dancing Men**  
The opportunities for acquiring gifts of jewelry and what not from the patrons are not so great as in the case of the more or less permanent gigolos that frequent the spottier hotel dance floors with their wealthy women friends. But there are tips and it's a job which means a lot these days.

If a couple of women yearn for a bit of luncheon or teatime dancing, but shy at hiring partners, there also are the Broadway tea rooms and chop-ice dispensaries. Here they may pay off on the floor between sandwich and dessert, and many of them do. Mostly they are the plainer stenographers and shop girls who haven't much social life.

On the pee-wee golf floors the men pay for the girl partners' rounds and the girls are given half the fee.

Companionship must be a bigger problem in this inhospitable town than ever thought.

I also must tell about the Christmas party for the gamins of East Forty-ninth street.

The midtown hospital, in the middle of the block between First and Second avenues, gave the party as a rather subtle effort to abate the constant playing of handball, tennis and chess in the alleys between the street games and the chalking of the institution's bricks.

The matron of the hospital ventured out into East Forty-ninth street to get the names of children eligible to attend such a party. She accosted several urthins who gave names reluctantly.

**Gave Fake Names**  
When she issued invitations, two-thirds came back undelivered.

Quiet inquiry elicited the fact that most of the kids—all of them six or under—suspecting that the matron wanted to cite them to the policeman on the block for roller-skating on the hospital's sidewalk, had given fictitious names.

The hospital tried another tactic. It employed a little girl in the block to report her companions' names and she brought in 200 of them. Again invitations went out. "They bore great fruit." The attendance at the party was not 100 per cent, but 300 per cent—and the hospital had to summon a policeman to tell some of the kids and blocks away that they couldn't be entertained this year, that they'd be bidden to another party on another Christmas.

The party was a large success and hospital attaches, although they didn't do any propagandizing, think it had a wholesome effect, because one little girl, as she edged out the door on her way home, volunteered a promise.

She wouldn't hide in the hospital vestibule any more when she played hide and seek, she promised. Or if she did, she wouldn't slam the door.

# NAME BARNETT AGAIN TO LEAD HILLAH PATROL

Members of Hillah patrol, southern Oregon Shriners' drill team, held its annual election of officers last night following a banquet at the Hotel Jackson in this city. Members of the patrol from Grants Pass and Ashland were present and it proved to be one of the most interesting meetings ever held by this unit of Hillah Temple.

As a result of the election, Captain Rex Barnett of Grants Pass, automobile man, was selected again to head the patrol for the 1931 season. As first lieutenant, the patrol members unanimously elected Paul Rynning of this city who has ably filled that office during the past year, Sam Steinbaugh of Grants Pass, former second lieutenant was also unanimously chosen to serve in that capacity for the coming year.

Bert Peasley of Medford, 1930 business manager of the patrol, was again selected to fill that office for 1931 and Carl Glasgow, of this city, who ably served as quartermaster last season will again be Hillah patrol's quartermaster as a result of last night's meeting. Herb Grey will be publicity manager.

Carl Y. Tengvald, newly elected postmaster of Hillah Temple, was present at the patrol meeting last night and gave an interesting talk to the patrolmen. Past-postmaster Jerry Jerome was also one of the principal speakers of the evening. In the course of the evening, Dr. J. D. Rickett, L. P. Older, Harold Brown, Jack Porter, L. A. Early, John Lawrence, Tom Pankey and several other patrolmen contributed short and interesting addresses during the meeting last night.

# THUGS OUTRUN PORTLAND COPS IN HEAVY AUTO

PORTLAND, Jan. 10.—(AP)—Police and highwaymen staged a thrilling show last night, to the keen interest of residents, motorists and pedestrians on Holgate street.

Four holdup men in a small, fast car out-manuevered and escaped a squad of officers pursuing in a new, high-powered police car.

Speeding east on Holgate, the fleeing gangmen failed to capture by bringing their smaller car suddenly to a near-stop, making a reverse turn and doubling in their tracks, swerving past the police car which, the driver said, was too new for quick manuevering.

One shot was fired at the highwaymen, but traffic was such that police dared fire no more.

# FUGITIVE WOULD CLEAR UP RECORD

Tired of being a fugitive from justice for two years, J. H. Hart, alleged parole violator and auto thief, appeared at the Medford police station this forenoon and gave himself up to Officer T. H. Robinson, declaring he wanted to clear up his record so he could go home to Colorado.

Hart is said to have broken his parole two years ago and had made his headquarters in southern Oregon for a short time past. The sheriff's office wired California authorities in Los Angeles to check up on his record. Hart had been using the name of J. A. Burke as an alias.

**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY**  
HERE'S A BUY — New 2-room house, partially finished, corner lot. Price \$850. \$25 down, \$12.50 per mo., interest included. 291\*

**FOR SALE — Piano, circulating heater.**  
Bargain. Call 968-M. 292

**ROOM AND BOARD — Reasonable.**  
garage. 23 No. Peach. 304

**FOR RENT — 5-room furnished cottage at 402 No. Oakdale.**  
290f\*

# Radio Program KMED

- (Mail Tribune-Virgin Station)
- Saturday
- 6 to 6—Boy Scouts; Girl Scouts; News and market by Mail Tribune
  - 6 to 7—Beebe Service, Cecil and Sally
  - 7 to 8—Let's Get Associated; News Digest; Myrtle Street UBC
  - 8 to 9—Weekly Review, UBC
  - 9 to 10—Jimmy Blitticks; Town House orchestra UBC
- Sunday
- 8 to 9—Cy Tootsie; Astrological program UBC
  - 9 to 10—Denison Radio Shop
  - 10 to 10:30—KMED presentation
- Monday
- 7:55 to 8—Breakfast broadcast of news by Mail Tribune
  - 8 to 9—Cy Tootsie, Astrological program UBC
  - 9 to 10—Friendship Circle; B and M; Del Monte
  - 10 to 11—Snow White; West Side Pharmacy
  - 11 to 12—Film Tips and Talks; Burelson's; Gold Seal
  - 12 to 1—Monarch Seed and Feed; Sanderson Motor Co.; news flashes by Mail Tribune
  - 1 to 2—Firestone One-Stop; Mann-Dept. store; McNair Bros.
  - 2 to 3—Happiness Train; Scientific Laboratories; Sniders Home Service hour
  - 3 to 4—KMED presentation; popular recordings
  - 5 to 6—Peoples Electric store; Scherer Motor Co.; News and markets by Mail Tribune
  - 6 to 7—Nunn-Bush; Popular recordings; Velma Darling UBC
  - 7 to 8—Let's Get Associated; News Digest; Lyce and Mask UBC
  - 8 to 8—United String Ensemble; Hour of Musical Gems UBC
  - 9 to 10—Hour of Musical Gems; Screen Snapshots UBC

# RADIO

- 7 to 8—Lucky Strike Dance Orchestra — NBC service to KGO, KHQ, KMO, KGW, KFL, GFSD, KTAR.
- 8 to 8:15—Amos 'n' Andy — NBC service to KGO, KHQ, KMO, KGW, KECA, KFSD.
- 8:15 to 8:45—Rainbow Harmonies, NBC service to KGO, KECA, KTAR.
- 8:45 to 8:55—Gilmore Circus, NBC service to KGO, KGW, KPO, KFL.
- 8:55 to 9—Sperry Smiles, NBC service to KGO, KHQ, KMO, KGW, KFSD.
- 9 to 9:30—El Sidelo Minstrels, NBC service to KG, KHQ, KMO, KGW.
- 9:30 to 10—NBC Drama Hour, NBC service to KGO, KFSD, KGA.
- 10 to 12—Spotlight Review, NBC service to KGO, KGW, KFL; 10:30 to 12, KFSD, 11 to 12.

# FOX WEST COAST THEATRES

**Ends TONITE**  
**WALTER HUSTON**  
in  
**"The Criminal Code"**

**COMING TOMORROW**  
Continuons Shows 1:30 to 11  
**JANET GAYNOR**  
**CHARLES FARRELL**  
together again in  
**"THE MAN WHO CAME BACK"**

# BAR DEPLORES LOSS OF JUDGE BEAN BY DEATH

The following resolution was adopted by the Southern Oregon Bar association, in connection with the death of Judge Bean:

"Judge Robert S. Bean, at the age of nearly four score years, has bowed to the mandate of the Infinite Judge of All. He was a lawyer for 33 years, and was continuously a distinguished judge for 45 years, having been a circuit judge for seven years, a justice of the Oregon supreme court for nineteen years and a federal judge of the district of Oregon for twenty-two years.

"It has fallen to the lot of few men to serve the judiciary so long, and fewer still have ever rendered such faithful, honorable and able service. An exceptional intellect, a close student of the law and the facts and circumstances of his cases, his decisions were just and able and much quoted as authority throughout the United States. But having come up from the common people, he was possessed of the kindly touch of human sympathy which led always to temper his justice with mercy.

"Born in Oregon, he was imbued with the broad mind and spirit that predominates the leaders of men 'out where the west begins.' And since there is no measure of his achievement or the good he has done, suffice it to say he was one of our most distinguished citizens whose character and habits are worthy to be followed.

"It is, therefore, hereby resolved by the Southern Oregon Bar association, that through the death of Judge Robert S. Bean the state of Oregon has lost a great citizen whose life was an influence and an inspiration for good throughout the entire country; and that the legal profession has suffered the loss of one of its most distinguished members; that while we deplore his loss, we commend him as an example for the profession to emulate now and forever.

"W. E. Phipps,  
"Don R. Newbury, Committee."

# CAPACITY HOUSES WILL HEAR BYRD POLAR LECTURES

Admiral Richard E. Byrd, world famous explorer and aviator, will appear next Saturday, matinee and evening at the Holly theatre under the auspices of the Medford Legion post. Medford is deemed fortunate in having this attraction to present to the public.

Admiral Byrd will not only address his audience in person but will exhibit many reels of moving pictures taken during his thrilling expedition to the South Pole. The entire program is promised to be of interest to young and old. A special matinee at popular prices has been arranged for the benefit of the many youthful admirers of the famous man in southern Oregon.

Medford people are urged by local legionnaires to secure tickets early as indications point toward capacity houses at both performances. This will be Admiral Byrd's only appearance in the state south of Eugene and large groups of people from all parts of southern Oregon are planning to come to Medford to see and hear the famous aviator-explorer.

# STARTS SUNDAY For Laughing Out Loud CHARLIE RUGGLES

**"CHARLEY'S AUNT"**

Mat. 10 and 25  
Eve. 10 and 35  
Continuous Sun. 12:30 to 11