

VALLEY IN BLOOM BEAUTIFUL SCENE FROM GIRO PLANE

Orchards in full bloom, contrasted with green field and black soil checkerboard under a warm, noonday sun, presented an intriguing map today, viewed from the cockpit of the Pilsauro autogiro, flown by King Baird of Seattle.

The ship, issued from the factory July 9, 1931, for special exhibition, with a 300-horsepower Wright J-5 motor, costing \$15,000, was the second commercial Pilsauro autogiro delivered in the United States, Mr. Baird said.

Although in normal air conditions (at sea level) the ship can rise at a verticle angle, local atmosphere and wind velocity made it necessary for the ship to run 20 or 25 feet to take off, and between 50 and 75 feet to land.

The motor on the rotor section is used only while the plane is on the ground, and the weight of the ship keeps the four blades in action when in the air. Centrifugal force holds the blades horizontally and they make about 140 revolutions a minute in local atmospheric conditions.

Cruising speed of the lowwinged bird is 105 miles per hour, and 130 miles is the high speed. The plane climbs 1700 feet per minute. The small short wings support only 5 per cent of the weight of the ship during flight, according to Pilot Baird.

Mr. Baird, who will be in Medford until tomorrow morning when he will return to Portland, brought the autogiro to the coast from Philadelphia last summer, and has been making numerous flights throughout the country and participating in races. About 250 passengers were taken up at Eugene by him last week.

SPEAKER UPHOLDS MORTICIANS, TALK AT KIWANIS CLUB

Dispelling the old idea that the mortician is the Jesse James of the community—the holdup man who sits about waiting for someone to die—T. J. Bonniwell, of Berkeley, Cal., addressed the members of the Kiwanis club at luncheon at the Hotel Medford today.

History of the mortuary profession, back through 50 years, was reviewed by Mr. Bonniwell, who read several interesting clippings, portraying the characteristics of the first followers of the undertaking business.

The part played by modern morticians in preventing disease, he described as one of their leading contributions to society.

Charges collected by the mortician were compared by the speaker with those of other professional men in an attempt to show that morticians are often more justified in view of the preparation and equipment expense he is forced to meet.

Walter S. Chiene, lieutenant-governor for this Kiwanian district, also addressed the club. He is here from Marshfield on his official visit, and met later this afternoon with the board of directors. He urged all members of the local club to attend the conference to be held in Roseburg, May 12, which will open with luncheon and continue through the afternoon, closing with a banquet for Kiwanians and their wives for whose entertainment bridge and golf will be offered during the afternoon.

Miss Maxine Bohner, talented local high school student, gave two readings, "By the Side of the Road," by Edgar Guest, and "Erebus's Torment." Both were received with enthusiasm by the club.

INSANE INMATES BEAT UP GUARD, MAKE GET-AWAY

SALEM, April 11.—(AP)—Two inmates of the criminally insane ward who escaped from the Oregon state hospital last night, after sawing their way out of their cell and beating a guard, were still at large today. State police, assisted by local and Portland officials, are searching for the pair, while the hospital sent out a posse to oulting districts.

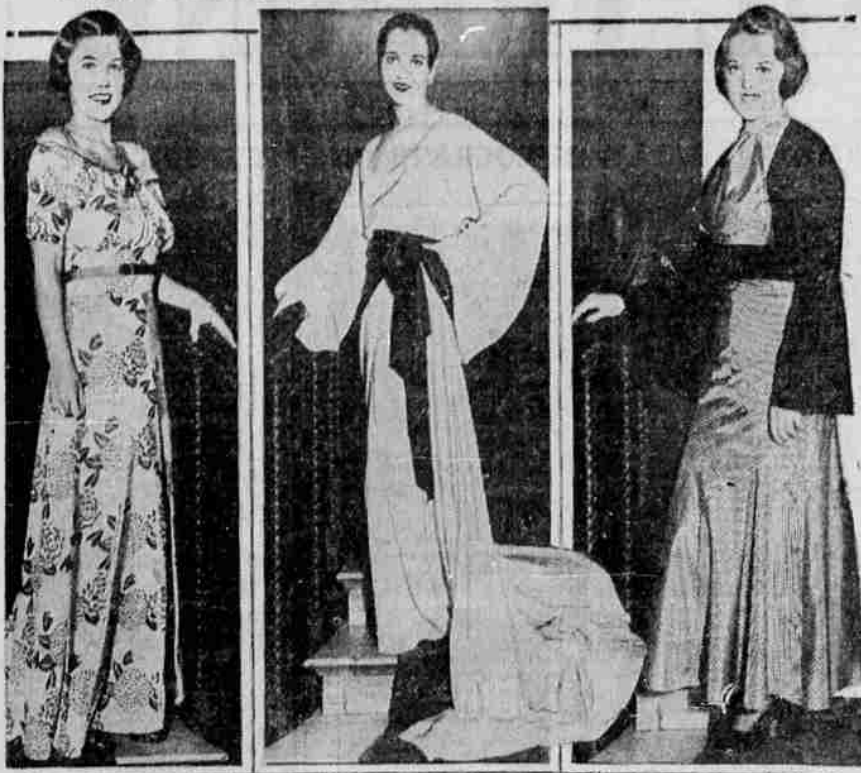
Thomas Larsen, 19, and Andrew Swedler, 39, regarded as two of the most violent cases in the criminal ward, obtained hacksaw blades in some manner with which they cut through the heavy bars. The two surprised P. E. Roberts, a guard, as he turned a corner in the cell block, beat him severely and took his keys. With these they made their getaway.

Roberts this morning was not in a critical condition, although his face bore severe bruises. Hospital authorities reported the escape occurred about 10 o'clock last night. Larsen was committed from Columbia county, July 9, 1931, and Swedler from Multnomah county September 8, 1931.

ROYAL ARCH DEGREE WILL BE CONFERRED

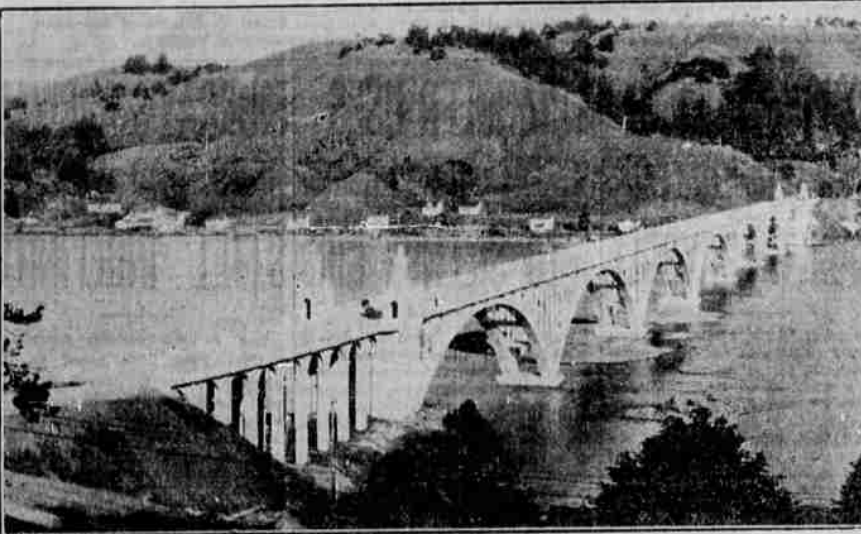
Royal Arch Masons are having a Royal Arch degree Tuesday evening for one Grants Pass candidate and two Medford candidates. It was announced today. A large delegation plans to attend from Grants Pass. An oyster supper will be served later in the evening.

DEBS TURN MODELS AT SOCIETY STYLE SHOW



Popular New York debutantes were fashion models at society's annual spring benefit style show. At the left, Mary Phipps wears a dinner gown of printed satin. Jane Ewing (center) chose a chiffon tea gown. At the right, Peggy Sykes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Sykes, shows a checked taffeta dinner dress.

Dedicate Great Rogue Bridge May 28



Formal dedication of the great reinforced concrete bridge spanning Rogue river on the Oregon Coast highway will be held May 28 with a joint celebration in Gold Beach. Plans for the event which will signalize the opening to travel of the Oregon Coast highway, are being made by state highway officials, the Gold Beach chamber of commerce and booster associations.

GAME COMMISSION SELECTS WIRE AS STATE SUPERVISOR

PORTLAND, Ore., April 11.—(AP)—Frank B. Wire of Portland was today selected as state game supervisor, to succeed H. L. Kelly, resigned. Wire's appointment was made by the state game commission today, to become effective immediately, for a term of one year at a salary of \$3,900.

The commission said that in selecting Wire it had based its action on his ability as a business manager and his general knowledge of fish and game conditions throughout the state. In addition to selecting a supervisor the commission adopted a re-

organization plan submitted by Matt Corrigan, commissioner, for the purpose of bringing about greater efficiency and economy and more accurately defining the functions of each bureau and its personnel, keeping in mind a degree of flexibility that will admit of future expansion and will harmonize with the ten-year program of the commission.

Four co-ordinating bureaus are provided with definite functions, subject to the instructions of the supervisor who in turn is subject to the directions of the commission on all matters affecting policies or programs.

APPOINT LEADERS PRESBYTERIAN C. E.

Last night marked the completion of the appointment of executives and committees to manage the activities of the Presbyterian Christian Endeavor. Susan Dymal, president of the

senior Endeavor, named the following committees and members: Devotionals, Philip Bray, Helen Wilson, Maxine Bohner, Lucian Clement and Dorothy Paley; program, Helen Wilson, Williston Bigler, Lloyd Nicholson and Margery Paley; lookout, Doris Patton, Helen Patton and Don Neilson; service, Dorothy Willis, Paul Turner, Richard Roberts, Margery Paley and Alfred Handall.

Last night's program completed the discussion of "Why Christianity," and in addition to the discussion period several special numbers were presented. Maxine Bohner gave a reading, and Philip Bray sang a solo. Helen Wilson was last evening's leader and the meeting next Sunday will be in charge of Williston Bigler.

SCOTTISH RITE Stated meeting Lodge and Chapter, 7:30 P. M., April 11. Chapter election and other important business. L. E. WILLIAMS, Secy.

VERY SPECIAL: Smart exclusive frocks at \$4.95 to \$14.95. Shoes \$1.95 to \$4.95. THE BAND BOX & SHOE BOX.

PLACE EQUIPMENT COURT HOUSE JAIL DEBRIS DUMPERS

Erection of the equipment of the jail atop the new court house will start this week. A representative of the Pauley Jail company arrived Saturday to supervise the work.

The county court will start at an early date on leveling the dirt and preparing the lawn for the new structure. It is thought advisable to do this before the warm weather comes and the dust starts flying. Not all the dirt around the building will be utilized.

Work of laying the limestone exterior has been delayed by the non-arrival of water proof paint with which each slab is daubed.

The major portion of the concrete work on the building has been completed. Plumbers, plasterers, masons, electricians and other artisans will soon start their portion of the contract.

GIBBONS CANCELS TRIP TO PORTLAND IS WORD

Floyd Gibbons, James correspondent and traveler, has canceled his scheduled appearance in Portland, and will not go through Medford by plane as was previously announced, according to information received this afternoon by Phil Sharp, local United States Air Lines superintendent. Gibbons, who is in Los Angeles, will go to Salt Lake City instead of to Portland.

Regular meeting of Reames Chapter of O. E. S., Wednesday, Apr. 13, at 8 o'clock. Social evening. Visitors welcome.

HATTIE M. ALDEN, Secy. Special Convocation of Crater Lake Chapter No. 32, R. A. M., Tuesday, April 12th, at 7:30 p. m. Work in R. A. degree. Refreshments. Visitors invited. By order of E. L. LENOX, H. P. GEO. ALDEN, Secretary.

BIG MILLINERY SALE all this week. Entire stock at greatly reduced prices. Spring Hats going at 50c each. THE BAND BOX.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE CHEAP—Or trade, equity in '31 light 6 sedan. Will take used car. Phone 598-L.

FOR SALE—Mallard duck settings. Phone 586-L.

TRADE—Labor for hay. Tel. 598-L. MEN to board and room in private home, with home privileges; \$6 a week. 701 W. Jackson.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Electric range and water heater. Phone 790-L.

FOR SALE—White Leghorn and Red chickens from blood-tested stock; males from trapped stock, 250 to 300, 8c and 9c; 200 or more, 7 1/2c. Chicks ready now. Send orders in at once for chicks later on. C. J. McCay, Route 2, Medford, Ore. Tel. 334-J-4.

FOR SALE—Wool bags and fleece twine. Monarch Seed Co.

FOR SALE—Bee supplies—hives, smoker, foundation, etc. Monarch Seed Co.

WANTED—Now is time to have your barns, cow barns, chicken houses, etc., whitewashed. Call 238-W.

FOR SALE—Tomato and cabbage plants. See Carey's, near Phoenix. Phone 341-J-1.

FOR RENT—Good 3-room house, unfurnished, with or without range; lots of garden ground. Inquire 502 Maple St.

WANTED—Spraying. Power sprayer for trees and shrubs. Call 258-W.

FREE—On load kindling with 3-load orders for 16-in. green pine alabwood, \$4.30. Big double-steeled load, April only. Buy now—save money. Valley Fuel Co. Phone 76.

LOCALS

Undergoes Operation—Mrs. A. J. Anderson of this city underwent a major operation at the Community hospital this morning and is reported to be in a much improved condition.

Leaves Hospital—Jimmy Berrian, who recently underwent a major operation at the Community hospital, was removed to his home today, his condition being much improved.

SUSPEND SENTENCES ON ANGLING CHARGES

A. Wright and R. L. Wright, both of Medford, were fined \$25 each in justice court this morning when they pleaded guilty to angling without a license. Sentences were suspended, according to the court. The arrests were made yesterday by Roy M. Parr, state policeman in the game division.

S. P. WILL DECIDE ON FINANCIAL AID IN CURRENT WEEK

Decision by the Southern Pacific railroad on the request of shippers and fruitgrowers of this section to advance \$25,000 for formation of an Agricultural Credit Corporation with a capitalization of \$50,000 is expected this week. The executive board of the railroad held a meeting in New York City last week to consider the proposition. If a favorable decision is made the California Oregon Power company, the oil companies and local banks will contribute the balance. The credit corporation is necessary in order to secure a \$250,000 loan from the Federal Reconstruction Corporation. This fund would be used in the harvesting of the coming year.

crop, it will be operated through a loan committee, who approve loans. J. H. Williams and W. O. Martin of this county today received a crop loan check for \$251 from the Federal Credit Bank of Spokane, Wash. It was secured on 60 acres to be used in growing of corn, tomatoes, peas, and alfalfa. Applications for crop loans from this section total 60, a dozen being filed today. Close to a half hundred from this section have been presented and returns therefrom are due this week, or early next. The crop loans have a limit of \$400 and are different from the Reconstruction Corporation loans.

BUY NOW—SAVE MONEY—16-in. green pine alabwood, \$4.50 for big double load. Load kindling free with 3-load slab orders. April only. Valley Fuel Co. Phone 76.

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Wanted—Thoughtfulness and Common Sense

WHEN you save a little money, and invest it in the bonds or stock of some useful enterprise... or when you open a savings account in a bank, and the bank, in turn, lends your savings on good security to a business that needs capital to do its work... you are helping business and industry to give employment to more people, to buy more materials, to produce and sell more finished goods, to make comfort and happiness in the home.

For the use of your money you receive interest or dividends, which may be spent for the things you need, or re-invested in the same or other useful work.

But when money is hoarded, what happens? There is withdrawn from circulation just so much capital that might have been used to manufacture needed goods, to employ labor, to improve homes... and the money that is hoarded does no one, not even the owner, any good.

As an example of what can be done with the collective investment of many individuals, consider The California Oregon Power Company. Serving 60 cities and towns of the Pacific Northwest with electric service, this organization has built great hydro-electric generating stations and distribution systems.

Most of its preferred shareholders, numbering more than 6,500, are residents of the territory served and customers of the Company. They receive regular quarterly dividends on their investment. Ever since April 15, 1921, the Company has paid these dividends regularly, without interruption.

If our shareholders had withheld their savings, hoarded them, hidden them away, this great service organization never could have been built. Instead of earning a regular, safe return, their savings might have produced nothing.

The opportunity is open now, to you, to invest in the 6 per cent preferred shares of The California Oregon Power Company.

Present Price \$86 Per Share, to yield approximately 7% on the investment.



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Bandon—Work resumed at local plant of Dalen Manufacturing Co.

Advertisement for The Clift hotel in San Francisco, highlighting its location, amenities, and service.

THE LONESOME MRS. K. by ALBERT DORNE

A comic strip titled 'THE LONESOME MRS. K.' showing a woman's social struggles and her use of Lifebuoy soap.

Advertisement for Lifebuoy soap, emphasizing its benefits for skin and health.

Advertisement for Conger Funeral Parlor, located at West Main at Newtown, Office County Coroner.