

BLACK WIDOW IS DEADLY SPIDER IN MEDFORD VICINITY

Specimens of the black widow, or hour-glass spider, some of which are exceedingly venomous, have been found in Medford and locality recently, according to reports made by several people. The scientific name for the small bug is Latrodectus mactans, which means "the pay you receive kills," according to E. M. Husong, biology instructor at Medford high school.

Most of the spiders, he said, are slightly poisonous, and make a small red spot on the person bitten. A bite may result in great pain, or even death.

Mr. Husong stated that the most common poisonous species in Oregon and California is medium-sized, about an inch in spread of legs, black and shiny as if varnished, and the females have a red hour-glass marking on the under side of the large body part, the abdomen.

Four of these have been taken to the biology class in the high school by Chester Fitch and Flora Miller, found in Medford and vicinity. The spiders are located under boards, logs, masses of weeds, stones, and other such debris. Mr. Husong says that occasionally, although rarely, they are found in houses and barns.

Bobby Johnson and Charles Braley, both pupils at the Valley school, found three of the spiders near the Miller residence, 1711 Siskiyou Heights, and also in the woodpile at the school.

The bite of this spider has caused several deaths in California, Mr. Husong pointed out.

One of the species is being kept alive in the high school biology laboratory, files being fed to it. The spider is caged in a small glass jar.

SHREDDED WHEAT ADS WILL APPEAR

Evidence of confidence in business prospects in this territory is seen by observers in news that the National Biscuit company has just scheduled a five months advertising campaign in the Mail Tribune for Shredded Wheat. Executives of the company

who have close contact with business all over the United States, express themselves most optimistically. Shredded Wheat for the west is made in the western bakery at Oakland, California. Large purchases of western wheat are made in various wheat growing sections of the Pacific slope.

Fern Valley

FERN VALLEY, April 27.—(Spl.)—Fern Valley school won another baseball game from North Phoenix on the North Phoenix diamond April 20. This is Fern Valley's third victory over them. In connection of last week's item, North Phoenix did not win the first game. The score of Friday's game was 18 to 9. Refreshments were served by the North Phoenix ladies.

Muriel Williams has been suffering with tonsillitis and was absent from school several days last week.

A school meeting was held Monday evening, at which time the teacher for the coming year was elected. She is Miss Elaine Demorest of Medford. Allan Bussey has been ill the past few days.

Mr. Lemmon of Medford was here on business Wednesday afternoon. Ernest Lyttel was absent from school one day last week with a sore throat.

Quit a number have the cold or form of flu that is going around. Margaret Beer was home with her parents several days last week, as she was ill. Ruth Williams, though she has returned to school, is still suffering with tonsillitis.

Mrs. Joe Kantor, Jr., and Miss Helen Kantor spent Thursday with Mrs. Wm. Kantor in North Phoenix.

Ernest Dean of Derby is visiting his sister, Mrs. Joe Kantor, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph DeWit were in Medford at a meeting at the Presbyterian church Wednesday.

Mrs. Sam Wilbur has been ill this past week.

Leigh MacWilliams of southern California was calling on friends in the valley. Mr. MacWilliams is here in the interest of an electric screen for the extermination of flies and colling moth. He is the designer of this device. They are used extensively, proving quite successful in southern California, he says. Frank Gordon of Ashland accompanied Mr. MacWilliams.

Lem Hughes and Andrew Stevens of South Phoenix drove to Prospect on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Eldridge were visiting friends here Sunday afternoon. He is working at a mine near Copper. One day last week he fell and injured his back and fractured a rib or two.

STATE CANDIDATES VISIT MEDFORD IN SEARCH OF VOTES

Rufus Holman, state treasurer and candidate for governor on the Republican ticket; Joe M. Dunne, seeker after the same post on the same ticket; and Carl Abrams, Republican candidate for secretary of state, are spending the week end in southern Oregon feeling the voters' pulse.

Willis E. Mahoney, mayor of Klamath Falls and Democratic candidate for governor, will be here next week to make a speech, in which he announces he will "pay his respects to the power trust."

Frank J. Lonergan of Portland, another Republican candidate for governor, is scheduled to visit the valley next week.

Press reports show that in Portland bets are offered at 10 to 8 that Lonergan carries Multnomah county, and even money on the state. Dunne is a 2-to-1 shot. The same source offers 10 to 8 that Mahoney does not carry his home county of Klamath. Lonergan as a member of the legislature supported the school sales tax, and has made speeches for it. He is the only upstate candidate who has defended the measure.

Holman bears the endorsement of Henrietta B. Martin's revived and self-styled "Good Government Congress." Holman recently denied the report he would pardon Banks and felt it elected, but his closest political friends have advised him to make it more emphatic.

Republicans in this county are looking for "a place to light" and there is said to be a strong anti-Holman sentiment. There is a decided expressed tendency to support any Republican candidate with a chance to beat him. Holman had strong support in this county among the Grangers, but this is now drifting to Sam Brown of Gervais, reports say, a farmer renowned for his sausage making.

Candidates for county offices have started shaking hands and nailing up campaign posters on barns, fences and phone poles. Amos Walker came out yesterday with a campaign blotter, appealing for votes and announcements.

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MEN FOR DIESEL Company representative now selecting men for this field. Those qualifying given preliminary training at home then taken to Los Angeles at our expense for practical work in our Diesel shops. Must furnish character references and be able to carry small share of training expense on easy basis. See MR. COX, Hotel Medford, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

PIANO BARGAIN 2 Good used pianos and one player, perfect condition, very cheap. He possessed Bungalow upright, like new. Will sell for balance of contract. Baldwin Piano Shoppe, 28 So. Grape.

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LOCALS

Returns to Eugene—Hugh Rossen, advisory manager for Oregon's Diamond Jubilee, returned to his home in Eugene yesterday afternoon, after conferring here with J. Verne Shangle in connection with the parade during the jubilee.

Have Scarlet Fever—A scarlet fever quarantine sign was today posted at the A. Turnbow residence, 404 Stewart avenue, by city police.

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Two Schilling Coffees Each one different in blend, roast and grind—but identical in flavor. Each specially prepared for its purpose. Drip or Regular 1-lb. can 32c—2-lb. can 60c

Schilling's Baking Powder, 12-oz. can 29c Tomato Juice, Campbell's, 12 1/2-oz. can 3 cans 23c Cookies, Sunshine Nobility Assortment, lb. pkg. 29c Red Beans, local grown 4 lbs. 19c

CHEESE Tillamook lb. 19c

Vinegar, Park Brand—pint 10c Peas, "Pearce's Brand," No. 2—2 cans 25c Honey, local—5 lb. tin 43c Catsup, C. H. B.—14 oz. bottle 19c Coffee, American Club—pound package 19c Laundry Soap, Liberty White—10 bars 25c Snowbird Hardwheat—49 lb. sack \$1.73

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PUREX or Merox Quart 15c

SUNBRITE Cleanser 4 cans 19c

WHITE KING Granulated Soap Lg. Size 29c

Laundry Soap Crystal White 10 bars 25c

TOILET SOAP Mission Bell, Palm Olive, Almond Oil, White King 4 Bars 19c

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