

MARTIN WELCOMES PAROLE LAW TEST BY FEHL COUNSEL

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shire case. He will not have any announcement for several days, he declared.

Plan Habeas Corpus
George Rhoten, Salem attorney, announced he and H. V. Schmalz of Burns, attorneys for Fehl, would demand that Warden Lewis release Fehl later today, should he refuse, which they have been assured he will, they will bring habeas corpus proceedings as soon as the governor has had "reasonable time to act."

Rhoten stated they were not interested in bringing a court test of the law or attorney general's opinion, but were interested only in the release of their prisoner.

Lewis announced there were several other prisoners who would be eligible for parole under the attorney general's opinion, and a survey of the records was being made. For the past 13 years, when their maximum sentences have been served, allowing good behavior time, they were automatically released. The attorney general's opinion last Saturday halted this procedure unless paroles were issued.

Study All Cases
W. L. Goselin, secretary of the parole board, said a study was being made of all prisoners whose requests for paroles had previously been denied, and should there be any doubt or "hardship" rendered, he would personally appear for them before the governor. Others would be brought again before the parole board.

Many of those, he said, who would be eligible for release under the previous practice, had been denied paroles earlier. This list will be investigated before the next regular meeting of the board May 14. He said as far as he knew there would be no meeting of the board before that date.

The penitentiary warden said there had been no indication of any unrest within the walls since the opinion. Rumors had been circulated that riots were feared. The only comment Lewis made is that, "so far there has been no disturbance." The warden never commits himself as to what may happen or what may be expected, except that prison officials are always ready and watching for eventualities regardless of rumors or current events.



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Legion Men Offer Future War Vets Playful Evening

WASHINGTON, April 15.—(AP)—World War veterans here today invited the veterans of future wars to an "open house" and tossed in an offer to provide medical care gratis.

In its telegram of invitation, Victory post No. 4, of the Legion, told the college boys that nurses would be in attendance to care for "wounded and psychopathic cases" among the future veterans. "All saxophones and ukuleles must be checked at the door," the invitation said, "because instrument of torture are not allowed in civilized warfare."

The Legion also refused to accept responsibility for lost coon-skin coats.

NEWTON RANKIN TAKEN BY DEATH

Newton Thomas Rankin, well known Medford resident for the past 13 years, passed away at the family home, 246 South Ivy street, at 6 p. m. yesterday of a heart ailment that had been troubling him since last October.

He was 76 years and 11 months old at the time of death. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. May Rankin.

Mr. Rankin had a colorful career in his youth. He was born at Elderton, Pennsylvania, in 1859, but came west at an early age to Rawlins, Wyoming. While there he drove large freight wagons, often with as many as 24 horses pulling. He was a charter member of Odd Fellows Lodge No. 4, and a member of Korin Temple of the Shrine in Rawlins, being an Oddfellow and a Mason for 33 years.

He was one of the first members of the Blue Lodge, Garfield chapter, Ivanhoe Commandery, and a member of Rawlins Lodge No. 5, A. F. & A. M.

Funeral services will be conducted from the Peri funeral home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. W. F. Shields officiating. Medford Lodge No. 103, A. F. & A. M., will have charge of the services at the graveside.

ANNA O. RICE OF PHOENIX PASSES

Anna O. Rice, a resident of Phoenix and Jackson county for the past 34 years, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Allen, one mile south of Phoenix, late Wednesday morning after a prolonged illness. Surviving are her husband, John B. Rice, Phoenix; four sons, James J. Madison Co., John E., and Frank H. Rice of Auburn, Wash.; two daughters, Mrs. Sadie Dale, of Medford, and Mrs. W. E. Allen, of Phoenix; also one brother, John C. Calhoun, Richmond, Cal., one sister, Mrs. Harry Rice, of Tacoma, Wash.

Funeral services in charge of the Conger funeral parlors will be announced later.

Crash Injures Fatal
NEWBERG, April 15.—(AP)—A motorcycle-automobile collision near here Saturday cost a third life with the death of James Hadley. Two other youths riding on the motorcycle with Hadley, Glen Mathis and Carl Holcomb, were killed when it sideswiped an automobile driven by Samuel McCune, Jr.

71 AT ACADEMY ARE VACCINATED; MANY GIVEN AID

Seventy-one pupils of St. Mary's Academy were vaccinated against smallpox this morning by Dr. J. C. Hayes. Miss Blanche Runels, supervisor of county nurses, assisted.

Beginning at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning Dr. Harold B. Gillis, assisted by Miss Florence Welsch, county nurse, will administer vaccine to pupils at the Seventh Day Adventist academy near Jacksonville and beginning at 11 o'clock the children of the Oak Grove school will be vaccinated by Dr. A. N. Johnson, county health officer, with the assistance of Miss Runels.

The children must bring cards signed by their mothers or fathers before they may be vaccinated.

On Monday 814 students of the six Medford public schools were vaccinated by Dr. Johnson and Miss Runels as assistant, a tabulation showed today. They were divided as follows: Junior high school, 150; Jackson, 94; Lincoln, 118; Roosevelt, 122; Washington, 176; senior high, 94. In addition 60 children of pre-school age were vaccinated at the city schools. At Central Point school Tuesday 163 pupils and 24 pre-school age children were vaccinated.

Since the first smallpox case was reported here last week many persons, both children and adults, have been vaccinated by their family physicians, doctors report.

Dr. L. D. Inskip, city health officer, reported today that Mrs. Ona E. Paul of Stewart avenue was suffering from smallpox. The case was described as mild.

Through a misunderstanding of a telephone report it was stated yesterday that Donald Barker, 9, of Butte Falls had smallpox. The child is suffering from mumps. It was announced by the health office today. There is no smallpox in Butte Falls, it was said.

THE GRANGE

Central Point Grange. Central Point Grange meets April 17. As team number one lost in the attendance contest, they are serving dinner for team number two in the dining room at 6:30 p. m., before the meeting. Each member on team number one is asked to bring enough for two. The menu is meat loaf, scalloped potatoes, salad and pie.

The program, which is in charge of the teachers will be at 8 o'clock, instead of during the regular lecture hour.

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Beaver Families Set Up Homes on Calif.-Ore. Line

ALTURAS, Cal., April 15.—(AP)—Beavers again are colonizing in creeks along the California-Oregon line, forest service employes reported today.

The Warner mountains once had very few of the animals, but several hundred of them have constructed dams along several creeks. The largest colony, of about 100 animals, is busy building dams along Cottonwood creek, across the line in Oregon.

EUGENE PLANNING AIR MEET IN JUNE

EUGENE, April 15.—(AP)—Plans for an air meet to be held here early in June by the Private Flyers association, group of amateur aviators in Oregon, began to take on definite form today as Yale Smith, president, announced the department of commerce had granted a waiver for the meet.

It is the first time such action has been taken in this country by the department, officials of the association said. The department of commerce has frowned upon amateur competitive meets in the past.

This association has been requested by the department to make a survey of all amateur-built light planes for use in the formation of new regulations which will enable issuance of suitable licenses to amateur, President Smith revealed.

Plans for the air meet, which is expected to bring at least 50 private planes here from several states, will be completed in the near future.

NEW 4-STAMP SHEET OFFERED COLLECTORS

Sale will be started May 9 of a special sheet of four commemorative postage stamps embracing the Connecticut tercentary, California-Pacific exposition and the Michigan and Texas centennial issues. Postmaster Frank DeSouza was notified today.

The special sheet will not be procurable at postoffices, but must be ordered through the Philatelic Agency in Washington, D. C. The special issue, intended primarily for collectors, is in compliment to the third international philatelic exhibition in New York City.

The sheet will be gummed but not perforated. It will be printed in purple, the same color as the four original stamps on the sheet.

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30 FROM MEDFORD AT KIWANIS DINNER IN KLAMATH FALLS

A group of thirty represented the Medford Kiwanis club at the banquet and dance held last night in the Willard hotel, Klamath Falls. It was a joint social event designed to serve as a get-together for the Medford and Klamath Kiwanis clubs.

The affair was preceded in the afternoon by a district conference of Kiwanis officers and directors which was attended by Irwin H. Jones of Wenatchee, Wash., district governor. While the business session was in progress the women from Medford were entertained by the wives of Klamath Kiwanians at luncheon and bridge.

Mr. Jones gave an address at the banquet and the Kiwanis civic chorus, under direction of James Stevens, gave a song program. Dr. W. G. Bishop and G. Reese Braley were initiated during the banquet as members of the Medford club. Dancing was enjoyed after the dinner.

The Medford delegation was composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. James Hoey and Mrs. Everett Trowbridge, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Faber, Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Frey, Mr. and Mrs. James Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Arnsperger, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frame, Mr. and Mrs. Ted GeBauer, Mr. and Mrs. Claude M. Hurd, R. G. Fowler, Seth Bullis, Al Puchner and C. Reese Braley.

Oregon Bank Laws Face Court Test

MARSHFIELD, Ore., April 15.—(AP)—Oregon's bank laws headed toward a test in court today. Attorneys began preparations of briefs in the case brought to determine whether stockholders of the defunct Bank of Southwestern Oregon may recover \$34,000 assessed against them when the bank was closed. The state law providing that stockholders were responsible for a certain sum in addition to their actual investment was repealed in 1935. The Bank of Southwestern Oregon closed nearly three years ago.

EAGLE POINT SENIORS TO GIVE CARD PARTY

EAGLE POINT, April 15.—(Spt.)—There will be a benefit card party given by the seniors of the Eagle Point high school Friday evening, April 17. Playing will begin at 8 p. m. Pinochle and five hundred will be enjoyed as will other games such as chess, checkers, keno, etc.

Refreshments will be served later in the evening.

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MOTT WILL SPEAK FOR REPUBLICANS

WASHINGTON, April 15.—(Spt.)—The national republican committee has selected Congressman James W. Mott, of Oregon, to represent the republican party in a joint discussion of campaign issues before the Maryland Federation of Women's Clubs at its state convention in Baltimore, April 16.

The Maryland Federation of Women's Clubs, desiring to hear at their convention a first hand presentation of the views of each of the national parties, invited the democratic and republican committees and the American Liberty league to send one representative each to the Baltimore meeting. The democratic party will be represented by Congressman Clifton A. Woodrum of Virginia, one of the ablest debaters on the majority side of the house, and the Liberty League will be represented by Mr. Demarest Lloyd, publisher of "Affairs."

This will be the first occasion on which representatives from all three of these national political organizations have discussed current campaign issues from the same platform. Each speaker has been allotted twenty-five minutes on the program.

CAMERA CLUB TO MEET THURSDAY

The Camera club will hold its April open meeting in the studio of the Southern Oregon Art association next Thursday evening. A timely subject, "Vacation Photography," by Sterling Swenson, will show amateurs how they may improve their work by avoiding some common errors.

A demonstration of shadowless lighting, showing how amateurs may use this lighting with better results, especially for portraits of elderly persons, will be given by Thomas Radcliffe.

John Gribble will lead the general discussion, in which any subject or problem may be brought up. All interested in photography are welcome.

The Weather.
Northern California: Cloudy on coast and fair in interior tonight; Thursday increasing cloudiness, no change in temperature; gentle variable wind off the coast.

Oregon: Increasing cloudiness tonight and Thursday, with rain northwest Thursday; no change in temperature; gentle variable wind off the coast, becoming southerly.

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ROBT. S. CROCKETT DIES IN CCC CAMP

Robert S. Crockett, 63, Grants Pass resident, died of a heart attack at 7:30 this morning at the Prescott CCC camp where he was employed as a local experienced man.

He complained when it was time to get up that he was not feeling well. A few minutes later he died in bed. He had apparently been in good health when he retired last night.

Mr. Crockett is survived by his wife who resides at 614 North 6th street, Grants Pass.

The body was taken to the Conger funeral home. No arrangements for the funeral had been made this afternoon.

COLUMBIA RISE SPEEDS PLACING OF LAST CRIB

BONNEVILLE, Ore., April 15.—(AP)—A three-foot rise in the Columbia river set crews to work at top speed today sinking the last crib on the upstream leg of the main channel Bonneville cofferdam.

Up-river readings indicated the new cofferdam would be covered in two days, leaving little time to anchor the new crib and hoister it against the great current.

Would-Be Suicide Taken From Bridge

PORTLAND, Ore., April 15.—(AP)—A red-haired woman, crying hysterically, climbed the rail of the Broadway bridge, but Carl Davis happened along and prevented her from jumping into the Willamette river.

When they crossed the bridge she

darted back toward the river. Detectives McMeekin and Thompson, who took her into custody, said she was Mary Williams, 23, whose husband left town last night.

Taste for Gum Wrecks Car
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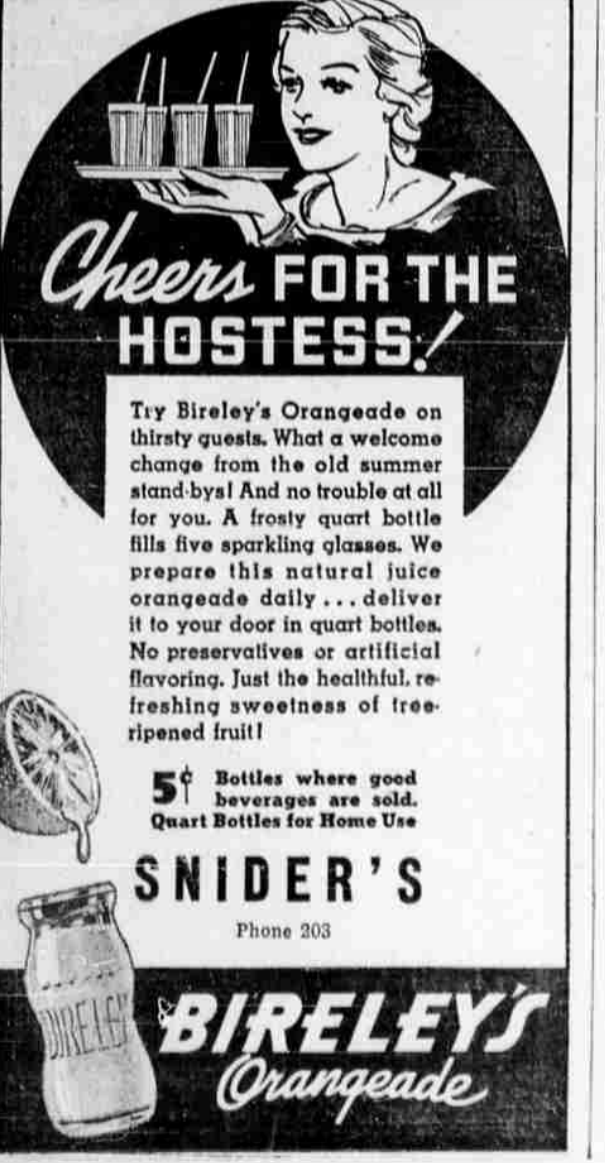
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