

REVIVED CRATERS BRING PUBLICITY TO CITY, VALLEY

Rapidly winning the name of being the outstanding civic organization of Medford devoted to bringing favorable publicity to the city and the Rogue River valley, the Medford Crater club, which was re-organized late last spring, has in the past few months made a distinct impression of the work being done since the re-organization.

Most recent of the activities in which the Craters club has shown its spirit of boosting the city have been at the Gold Hill Fair, the Talent Pear Show, the Yreka Gold Rush and the Shasta-Cascade Wonderland association get-together, held last week in Klamath Falls.

At Gold Hill, the Craters was the only outside club to be represented in the parade—and the citizens of that thriving little community gave ample expression of their appreciation. Next on the list was the Talent Pear and Tomato Show and once again the Craters turned out—taking with them a larger uniformed body than any other organization.

The Yreka Gold Rush found the Craters and their uniformed band out in almost full force. Not only did they show the California city of their desire to help put over the celebration, but also won the first prize of \$50.00 for the best '49er entry from outside towns.

In a recent letter to the president of the Crater club, Montgomery G. Rice, secretary of the Yreka Miners club, said:

"The Yreka Miners take great pleasure in informing you that in accordance with the decision of the judges, the first prize amounting to \$50.00 was awarded to your organization for the best '49er entry in the Gold Rush parade from outside the city limits of Yreka, and I accordingly enclose check for that amount."

"I am also instructed to convey to your organization the gratification of the Yreka Miners arising from the laudable exhibition of civic pride and neighborliness shown by your organization in preparing such an interesting and well executed entry. It was the feeling of the Miners, and, we are certain, of all the spectators, that your entry not only was of the greatest assistance in giving to the parade the color and tone we desired, but that it would have been a credit to any organization in any parade. We are very proud that your organization look sufficient interest in the Gold Rush to bring such a fine entry and we thank you for coming. We hope to see you again and often."

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RELIEF COST FOR YEAR GAINS SAYS CHAMBER REPORT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—(AP)—Estimating the government spent \$285,000,000 for relief between July 1 and September 30, the Chamber of Commerce of the United States said today this was 30 percent more than in the same period last year.

In its bi-weekly review of national business affairs, the chamber added that relief expenditures would exceed \$2,300,000,000 for the fiscal year which began July 1 if the present rate is maintained.

It pointed out that only \$1,600,000,000 was allocated for such costs in the federal budget, and said that an additional appropriation of not more than \$500,000,000, mentioned as a possibility by President Roosevelt recently, would be insufficient if present spending continued.

The chamber's estimate of outlays for the first quarter of this fiscal year included money spent for the civilian conservation corps, but not outlays for the public works administration or certain other federal construction.

The volume of relief spending was characterized by the review as "disappointing" in view of increasing business activity and re-employment. The chamber estimated at least 7,000,000 men had gone back to work since the low point of the depression.

At present rate of spending, its publication said, total federal expenditures "will approach eight billion dollars" this fiscal year.

REPORT INCREASE COMMODITY COST

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—(AP)—The bureau of labor statistics today reported an increase of 0.4 per cent in its composite index of wholesale commodity prices during the week ending October 3.

Sharp advances in farm product prices were said by the bureau to be largely responsible for the higher index. The advance partly offset the decline which was reported in the two preceding weeks.

The index stands at 81.3 per cent of the 1926 average.

The bureau reported the current index is 0.5 per cent higher than four weeks ago and one per cent higher than the corresponding week a year ago.

The Spaniards named California after an imaginary island in a 16th century romance, considered to be an earthly paradise.

CHEST CAMPAIGN OPENS TOMORROW

The Community Chest campaign in Medford will get under way at 8:00 o'clock tomorrow morning, with about 65 workers gathering at Valentine's cafe for breakfast before starting out on their rounds. It was announced last night.

Cards for donors to fill out will be given to each worker. The campaign will continue through Wednesday.

Funds obtained will be put into a bank, to be issued to the various organizations participating in the benefits, according to Eugene Thorn-dike, president of the Community Chest group. M. N. Hogan is chairman of the board.

ROYAL ARCH MEET SET FOR TUESDAY

All Royal Arch Masons in southern Oregon are urged to attend a joint district meeting in the Masonic temple at Ashland next Tuesday evening, October 13. The session will be under the auspices of Siskiyou chapter and is for the purpose of welcoming Grand High Priest E. P. Randa of Oregon City, who is making his official visit to the chapters in this district. The meeting will be preceded by a 6:30 dinner to be served in the dining room of the temple.

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FORECASTS MORE FEDERAL LENDING

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—(AP)—Continued government lending in some fields for an indefinite period was forecast today by Jesse H. Jones, chairman of the reconstruction finance corporation.

At the same time, Jones at a press conference refused to comment on the possibility of extending RFC's lending authority beyond its present expiration date, the end of January.

Jones told reporters there was little demand for loans at the present time which, he said, signified the end of the "emergency." But looking at the long range prospects, he commented:

"The government must be prepared to continue loans to certain groups for an indefinite period."

The corporation chairman mentioned specifically loans on commodities, to railroads, and to aid in the general mortgage situation.

High School News by STUDENT REPORTERS

By Luella Wynore

Medford Senior high school offers to girls a very practical course in home management. This course is elective and is chosen by girls who are vitally interested in the problems of home living.

"The process of learning the art of living centers in the home, and the kind of life one lives depends largely upon the type of home of which one is a member. Women are generally responsible for the comfort and beauties of the home and the rearing of children," stated Miss Maurine Carroll, deal of girls.

"It was with this thought in mind that a course known as home management was introduced into the Medford high school in the fall of 1935."

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A brief resume of the course is as follows:

1. The history of the development of the home, depicting the changes in the status of women, socially and industrially as civilization progressed.

2. The modern home as a center of family life, dealing with the material and spiritual sides, and stressing the responsibility of each member in maintaining a desirable home.

3. The modern home as a center in community life, with the responsibility imposed upon each member.

4. Home furnishings, dealing with the artistic and utilitarian phases.

5. Care of the home, dealing with the care of the furnishings.

6. Budgeting, the uses and abuses of money and how to keep accurate accounts.

Care and training of children, studying the physical, mental and emotional sides of the child and learning how to deal most effectively with its physical and mental development and how to control the emotional nature with desirable habit formation.

In order to make it a most practical course, to function in the home life of the girls, the instructor, Miss Maurine Carroll, has planned field trips for the girls during the entire semester.

Their first trip was made Wednesday, October 7, visiting a display of Spode china sponsored by Lawrence's jewelry store. It was held in the display rooms of the Jackson hotel. The girls not only witnessed the display of china, but learned something of the historical background of the art and workmanship. They also learned that girls of their own age spent hours painting them by hand.

Native chiefs ceded Samoa to the United States in 1914 but congress did not accept the island group until 1929.

FIRE DRILLS IN MEDFORD SCHOOL BUILDINGS FAST

The speed with which Medford school buildings can be vacated in time of fire was demonstrated last week in the first fire drills of the year, held as part of Fire Prevention Week, being recognized nationally.

The Roosevelt school, with a registration of 300, was completely cleared 49 seconds after the alarm was given, the fastest time turned in by any school. The Lincoln school, with a registration of 245 students, was next with a clearing time of 55 seconds.

Jackson school, with 305 pupils, and St. Mary's academy, with 143, cleared in exactly the same time—57 seconds. The Washington school, with 390 registered, cleared in one minute and five seconds, two seconds longer than it took to vacate the Junior high school, with 697 enrolled.

The Senior high school, with the largest registration in the city, 700, was cleared in one minute and 28 seconds.

Fire Chief Roy Elliott, who checked the times and released the figures, stated that by next drill time the figures for all the schools will be materially lessened. He stated that all of the grade schools can be emptied in considerably less than a minute and that the Senior high school could be cleared in one minute and 10 seconds consistently.

In last week's test the students all filed out in good order but, particularly in the grade schools, there are some pupils who have never before participated in such a drill.

Fire Prevention Week in Medford has been one of the most successful in history. Approximately 400 Medford people accepted the invitation to open-house at the fire hall, and were shown all the equipment and housing facilities for the men. Speakers were sent around to the various schools to give fire prevention talks, and several parties of students visited the fire hall in classes.

Only minor fires, resulting in little damage, marred the week in Medford.

NEW DEAL TARGET OF LANDON TALKS TO OHIO THROUGHS

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"sordid bartering" also was going on in other states.

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SEATTLE TURMOIL LAID TO RACKETS, WEAK OFFICIALS

SPOKANE, Wash., Oct. 10.—(AP)—Former Gov. Roland H. Hartley, campaigning as the Republican nominee for the office he held for eight years declared here tonight:

"Just give me a chance and you can wheel a baby buggy along the Seattle waterfront in perfect safety."

In assailing what he described as "racketeering" in the state, Hartley said: "The whole difficulty is the result of evasion and connivance by weak and corrupt men in public office. It simmers down to a basic question of Americanism."

He charged that "4000 cases of cantaloupes intended for the Seattle market never crossed the Cascades because the growers in Spokane county could not afford to pay tribute to racketeers who stop farmers at the Seattle city limits."

Hartley spoke here after returning from a day's active campaigning in northeastern Washington.

Yankee Tourist Freed

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—(AP) The American embassy at Madrid notified the state department today that the Spanish government had agreed to release Miss Jane Anderson of Atlanta Ga., who has been held in prison there on a charge of espionage.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

In Grants Pass—Mrs. Jack Garrett was among Medford visitors in Grants Pass recently, where she was the guest of relatives and friends.

Guest Thursday—The J. L. Cool family had as their guest Thursday evening Miss Frances Barber, who is to be married soon and leave for northern Oregon.

Wortman Back—J. P. Wortman returned yesterday from Portland, where he spent a few days attending the livestock show. He made a short stop in Salem on the return trip.

Heath North—Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Heath were planning to leave this morning on a northbound plane for Portland, where they will remain several days on business and pleasure.

Car Recovered—The Chevrolet coupe belonging to Arthur Schatz, of Medford, stolen from the city streets here last week, has been recovered by state police at Klamath Falls. It was learned yesterday.

Boyl Visits—Jack Boyl, Medford student enrolled in the school of art at the University of Oregon, was a visitor in Medford over the week-end planning to leave this afternoon to return to Eugene.

Can Peas—Ten boxes of peas, given by the Pinnacle Packing Co., were peeled and canned recently by members of the Pythian Sisters and Knights and delivered to the Pythian home in Washington.

Sees Poems Published—William Carl, of Lake Creek, was in the city yesterday much pleased with the fact that some of his poetry is included in the Book of Living Poets, published in New York City, a copy of which he has just received.

Sacramento Visitor—Miss Donna Earl, of Sacramento, Calif., arrived yesterday morning to spend the week-end with friends in Medford and Eagle Point. Miss Earl is with the Unemployment Reserves commission in Sacramento.

To Speak Here—Miss Amy Acock of the inland sea territory in Japan will speak at the Ashland Baptist church on the morning of Oct. 11 and at the Baptist church here at 7:30 p.m. of the same day. An invitation is extended to the public.

Day Enters School—John Stewart Day, Hillcrest Orchards, Medford, has enrolled at Babson Institute, Babson Park, Massachusetts, for a one-year course. While there he will pursue an intensive course in business administration.

Lodge Sale—Robekah lodge will hold a rummage sale Oct. 16 and 17 in the building just to the Rossy theater. Anyone having donations is requested to call 1227-W or leave them at the office of Dr. J. D. Rickett, 222 East Main street.

Former Resident Here—Miss Lois Mitchell, formerly an instructor in the local schools, now of McMinnville, spent the past week in Medford as the guest of Mrs. Lee Watson. She is now employed in the Oregon Mutual Fire Insurance offices in McMinnville.

Auxiliary to Meet—Mrs. Mary Moore will be hostess to the ladies auxiliary of the First Baptist church at her home, 708 West Second street, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Members are requested to bring patchwork pieces large enough to cut postcard size blocks for the White Cross box. Those in charge state that an unusual feature is being planned.

Mahoney Due Soon—Willis Mahoney, mayor of Klamath Falls and seeking the democratic nomination for U.S. senator, will Tuesday evening address all voters interested in a talk at democratic headquarters, 217 West Main street. He will outline his own aims in the campaign, and review the work accomplished by President Roosevelt. All are invited.

Garrison Here—C. C. Garrison, former resident of Medford and member of a well-known Jacksonville family, now in the motor cop service in Beverly Hills, Calif., was a local visitor yesterday, calling on many old friends here. He is en route to Washington state on a hunting and fishing trip and hopes to return here before his vacation is over to do the same with his old friend, Bill Isaacs.

Visiting Here—Mr. and Mrs. William Eberhart, of Ashland, were among out-of-town visitors here yesterday, calling at the home of Mrs. Eberhart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Gustrap.

Hill-Kun Car—Glen Fabrick reported to city police yesterday that an automobile had struck the fender of his machine parked on North Riverside avenue, and continued north without stopping.

Draws Jail Term—James Robinson, 35, a miner arrested by city police on a charge of being drunk in a public place, was yesterday sentenced by Judge Allen D. Curry in city court to serve 10 days in the city jail.

Medford Sailor Honored—Howard A. Worley, son of Grover D. Worley, of 224 South Central street, has been graduated from the hospital corps training school after a 16-week course at San Diego with an average mark of 98 per cent, high in his class of 20 men. He was given his choice of entering the San Diego, Mare Island, Pearl Harbor (Honolulu) hospitals, or the Bremerton naval hospital. He has chosen Bremerton, where he will be stationed.

To Place Markers—In order to raise funds for bronze markers to be placed on the grave of every Civil War veteran in Jackson county, the Daughters of Union Veterans will hold a rummage sale Saturday, Oct. 17. Those desiring to do so may call 1399-L or 493-W and articles will be called for or they may be left with Mrs. S. Albaugh, 509 East Jackson street. Either clothing or household articles will be gladly accepted. Place of the sale is to be announced later.

No Fires Here—The state forest patrol last night reported that smoke overhanging the valley was not coming from forest fires in the valley, but was probably blowing in from forest fires on the coast, principally in the Myrtle Point and Klamathon district near the mouth of the Klamath river.

Young Demo Meeting—The Young Democrats of Jackson county will meet at Democratic headquarters Tuesday night to hear an address by Carl C. Donaghy, United States attorney now here on federal business. Attorney Edwin Hicks will be program chairman.

Hunter Nabbed—Walter H. Sether, 18, was arrested yesterday morning by state police charged with hunting without a license. Sether was arrested on the Ashland public golf course and was scheduled to appear in Justice L. A. Roberts' Ashland court yesterday afternoon.

Bringing New Car—B. L. Sanderson, head of the Sanderson Motor company here, left this morning for Portland where he will take delivery of a new Studebaker six-cylinder Dictator de-luxe sedan with plunger override. He will arrive with the new car and have it on exhibit at the company's showrooms on South Riverside early this week.

Veterinarian Leaving—Lieut. Ernest St. J. Watkins, who has been on duty in the Medford CCC district for the past several months as district veterinarian, is being relieved from active duty to accept an appointment as junior veterinarian with the Bureau of Animal Industry, U.S. Dept. of Agriculture. He plans to leave in a few days. Dr. Watkins holds a commission as 1st lieutenant in the veterinary reserve corps. Dr. and Mrs. Watkins have made their home in Medford for some time.

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PICK DR. SWEENEY PRESIDENT STATE MEDICAL SOCIETY

THE DALLES, Ore., Oct. 10.—(AP)—Dr. Charles T. Sweeney, Medford, became president-elect of the Oregon State Medical society at concluding sessions today.

He was elected to succeed in 1937 Dr. Thomas Watts, Portland, who as president-elect last year automatically takes the helm of the society for the next 12-months' period.

Other officers chosen: Dr. Charles Sears, Portland, first vice president; Dr. J. C. Vandever, Bend, second vice president; Dr. W. W. Baum, Salem, third vice president; Dr. Morris L. Bridgeman, Portland, secretary; Dr. W. P. Hollenbeck, Portland, treasurer.

Councillor chosen for three-year terms were Dr. O. C. Magmeyer, Astoria; Dr. J. C. Hayes, Medford; Dr. Thompson Coberth, The Dalles.

Dr. L. S. Kent, Eugene, was named councillor at large and Dr. C. L. Boyden, Portland, was chosen councillor to fill out the unexpired term of Dr. Sears, new first vice president.

Bids of Salem, Bend and Gearhart for the 1937 convention will be considered later by the executive committee.

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Vatican Denies Report

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—(AP)—A spokesman for Eugenio Cardinal Pacelli, the papal secretary of state, disclosed tonight that the cardinal had no specific commission from the Pope for seeking out American eligibles for a Vatican-projected international academy of science, reported today in Vatican City dispatches.

Radio Plan Granted

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—(AP)—An examiner's report recommending approval of radio station KUJ, Inc., Walla Walla, Wash., for authority to change its frequency from 1370 to 1250 kilocycles, and to increase its power from 100 watts to 250 watts, was filed today with the communications commission.

Arthur B. Reeve, mystery story writer who died recently, had more than 500 works of fiction to his credit.

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