

ASHLAND NORMAL SETS GYMNASIUM DEDICATION DATE

Monday Evening, Oct. 19. Will See Extensive Program—Citizens Invited to Inspect New Building

ASHLAND, Oct. 13.—(Spl.)—Formal dedication of the new Southern Oregon Normal school gymnasium has been definitely set for Monday evening, October 19, at 8 o'clock. President Walter Redford has announced. Two members of the board of higher

education, Charles A. Brand of Roseburg and Robert W. Ruhl of Medford have been invited to attend and participate in the ceremonies. The principal address of the evening will be delivered by John H. Fuller, Ashland postmaster and former member of the state board of regents for normal schools.

Frank J. VanDyke, president of the Ashland chamber of commerce, and Mayor T. S. Wiley have been invited to speak at the official opening.

The event will mark the introduction to basketball fans of a new team—the southern Oregon coaches, which will play the prospective Southern Oregon Normal school team in a game to demonstrate the new playing court.

PROVOST STORE IS SOLD TO SON

ASHLAND, Oct. 13.—(Spl.)—The sale of the Provost Bros. hardware store at 38 East Main street to Don Provost, son of P. S. Provost, sole owner of the store for the past eight years, was announced Monday.

The new owner has been working for the past several months in San Francisco as wholesale manager for the A. G. Spalding and Bros., sporting goods company, after spending 15 years in association with his father.

GATHERING OF ISRAEL IN PALESTINE SEEN AS 'SECOND COMING' SIGN

Fred M. Weatherford, pastor-evangelist of the Nazarene church, spoke Sunday on "The Jew and the Second Coming of Christ" in the third sermon of a series pertaining to the second coming of Christ.

"The Jewish people hold a distinct position in the Bible records," the pastor said. "It might be said that Israel constitutes the people of the Bible. It may also be said that they represent the people of the Holy Land. Read Deut. 11:18-17 and the same book, chapter 30.

Meteorological Report

October 13, 1936. Forecasts. Medford and vicinity: Increasing cloudiness, with rain and warmer tonight. Wednesday, rain and cooler. Oregon: Increasing cloudiness, with rain west portion tonight. Warmer south and east portions. Wednesday cloudy with rain west and north portions. Cooler in interior.

Local Data. Temperature a year ago today: Highest, 59; lowest, 51. Total monthly precipitation, trace. Deficiency for the month, 0.46 inch. Total precipitation since September 1, 1936, 0.35 inches. Deficiency for the season, 0.57 inch. Relative humidity at 5 p. m. yesterday, 35 per cent; 5 a. m. today, 84 per cent.

Table with columns: CITY, Precipitation, Partly Cloudy, High Temp, Low Temp, Wind, Weather. Lists cities like Boise, Boston, Chicago, Denver, etc.

BANK WORKING FUNDS HIT NEW HIGH LEVELS ALONG PACIFIC COAST

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13.—(P)—Rising along with bank deposits, which lately attained record levels in the history of the Pacific coast, the working funds of Pacific slope banks hit new high marks.

For the first time since the Federal Reserve bank of San Francisco has issued its report on the condition of 31 banks in the far west's seven principal financial centers, the total loans and investments of these banks reached the \$2,203,000,000 mark last week. This is a gain of \$165,000,000 during the past year.

The largest increase in employment of funds went into federal securities. Totalling \$750,000,000, this figure is up 75 millions from last year at this date.

There were other increases in the investment portfolio, 35 millions going into obligations guaranteed by the federal government, raising the total to \$161,000,000, and 12 millions into other securities, raising this item to \$35,000,000.

LOADED RIFLE KILLS WOMAN WHILE PACKING

GILROY, Cal., Oct. 13.—(P)—A bullet from a high-powered rifle killed Mrs. Blanche Bryan, 21, as she was packing the weapon preparatory to moving. The cord on an electric toaster caught the trigger of the rifle, and the bullet went through her heart.

AUTO LOANS AND REFINANCING W. E. Thomas, 45 S. Central

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OVERHEAD IN WPA KEPT TO MINIMUM

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—(P)—Harry L. Hopkins, works progress administrator, said today that WPA administrative costs from the agency's inception through August totaled \$72,315,997, or 4.1 percent of the total cost for all purposes.

Hopkins reported there were 34,939 persons employed in the WPA administrative branch on August 31. The WPA administrator said the figures on administrative costs did not include those for the central office in Washington, but with these added the total percentage for administration would amount to 4.5 percent, he said.

RECREATION MEETING IN GRIFFIN CREEK, OCT. 14

GRIFFIN CREEK, Oct. 13.—(Spl.) There is to be a recreation meeting at the schoolhouse Wednesday evening and everyone is invited. Recreation leaders in this community are Mrs. Snyder, John Darby and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. DeVander. They urge that all who can come and enjoy the evening.

COQUILLE, Ore., Oct. 13.—(P)—A discussion of a co-operative cannery for Coos county will be held today for the Pomona Grange. The talks will be headed by E. H. Weigand, head of the State college horticulture department.

PORTLAND ROSES WIN. PORTLAND, Oct. 13.—(P)—Portland upheld its title as the Rose city by winning top honors at the National Rose show at San Diego. The city's display of roses from Washington park won first place. Clarence Porter, president of the rose society, said.

High School News by STUDENT REPORTERS. The Torch Honor club, headed by Ruth Hedge, presented an assembly at 9:00 o'clock Monday morning demonstrating wonders of modern electricity. These included a photo burglar alarm, rattling molecules.

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