

### EAGLES TO HOLD DISTRICT PARLEY HERE ON SUNDAY

Fraternal Order of Eagles will hold a district convention here Sunday with the Medford aerie as host. Delegates are expected from Ashland, Grants Pass, Lakeview, Klamath Falls and Roseburg. The day's program will be held in the Knights of Pythias hall at Fifth and Grape streets.

Business sessions will be in charge of D. D. Hall of Portland, deputy grand worthy president. In charge of arrangements is a committee comprising past-presidents of the Medford aerie, with Ray Schumacher of Talent as general chairman.

The day's program:

10 a. m. to noon—Registration of visitors.

1 p. m.—Parade through the city's business section, with the drum corps and drill teams of the Klamath Falls aerie and the drill teams of the Medford aerie and auxiliary.

2 to 4:30—Business meeting.

4:30 to 6—Tour through "Pear Blossom Way" as designated by the Crater club, sponsor of pear blossom week.

6 p. m.—Banquet, served by the Medford auxiliary.

7 to 8—Entertainment: Dances by students of Ruth Luy's school; music by Bud's hill-billy band; one-act play, "Road to Mauro," by three girls from Wagner creek.

8 to 10—Dancing, with music by Dynga's orchestra. The dance is for members of the Eagle lodge and auxiliary only.

### ELKS TO GATHER IN CRESCENT CITY

Second annual get-together for Elks of southern Oregon and northern California will be held in Crescent City, Cal., on Saturday and Sunday, April 24 and 25, according to an announcement received here today.

The event is sponsored by the Elks of Crescent City and Del Norte county.

The program provides for a parade on Saturday afternoon and a banquet and ball at Memorial hall in the evening. On Sunday, if weather permits, a large crab feed will be held on the beach.

The get-together event was held for the first time in Crescent City last summer and at that time many Medford Elks attended. It is planned to make this year's affair more extensive than that of a year ago.

### BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Watkins of Ashland, April 14, a son, at the Stanley nursing home. The young man, who weighs five pounds, has been named Gary Robert.

### FRANK JENKINS NAMED TO CENTENNIAL GROUP

SALEM, April 16.—(AP)—Prior to his departure for Washington, D. C. last night on Bonneville legislation, Governor Martin announced appointments to eight boards and commissions, some of which were created by the recent legislature.

The appointments included: Oregon commission for the celebration of the sesquicentennial of the constitution of the United States—John S. Hodgin, LaGrande, chairman; N. A. Leach, Portland; Frank Jenkins, Klamath Falls; C. O. Carlson, Portland, and Merle Chessman, Astoria.

### Helen Keller Is Pickpocket Victim On Japan Arrival

TOKYO, April 16.—(AP)—A pickpocket today stole the purse of Helen Keller, celebrated blind and deaf educator, shortly after she had stepped ashore at Yokohama for a Japanese lecture tour.

All Japan was aroused at the incident, occurring, as it did, on Miss Keller's first visit to the Orient. A widespread search for the culprit was under way.

The purse contained 200 yen (about \$60). Miss Keller herself did not report the theft and police learned of it only by chance.

Japanese gave Miss Keller a noisy and colorful welcome. She is to lecture and introduce a newly developed "talking book" to Japan's 200,000 blind persons.

### Bonneville Crew On Reduced Basis

BONNEVILLE, April 16.—(AP)—As construction on Bonneville dam nears completion the number of workers has been reduced to 1634 on the entire project, the U. S. army engineers said today.

The payroll listed 2700 men on December 31 and a year ago the figures ran well over 3000.

Steady rains have started the spring rise on the Columbia river but all work within reach of flood waters has been completed.

### 125-PASSENGER PLANES ON DRAWING BOARDS

WASHINGTON, April 16.—(AP)—A congressional committee heard today that 125-passenger airplanes, almost twice as large as any now in use, already are "on the drawing boards."

Colonel Edgar S. Gorrell, president of the Air Transport Association of America, gave this information to a house postoffice subcommittee considering proposed revision of the air-mail laws.

"We are flying 22½ ton boats over water," he said, "and have 40-ton boats on order. Ships with a capacity of 125 passengers already are on the drawing boards."

### 14 PER CENT SLASH IN ELECTRIC RATES

SALEM, April 16.—(AP)—Twenty-five hundred users of electricity in the area served by the West Coast Power company will receive a 14 per cent reduction in rates under the new schedules filed by the power company with the public utilities commissioner today.

The saving will total about \$20,900 annually under the 1936 schedules, the commissioner announced. The rates will affect all services from Toledo on the coast, south, through Lincoln, Lane, Douglas and northern Coos communities to north of Marshfield.

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Medford business men are invited to join the pilgrimage and anyone interested in participating in the good-will visit is asked to notify the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce.

The group will leave Portland Tuesday night and arrive back in Medford Wednesday morning.

PORTLAND, April 16.—(AP)—Death claimed Colonel Eugene Mosbacher, 62, commanding officer of the 162nd infantry, Oregon national guard, today. He had been a member of the national guard since 1896.

Colonel Mosbacher, a native of Oregon, served with the Second Oregon infantry in the Philippines as an enlisted man. He was promoted from the ranks as a member of the old Third Oregon and served overseas as a major in the 162nd infantry.

His widow and four children survive.

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## PEAR BLOSSOM FESTIVAL

IN MEDFORD *All Week Starting SUNDAY!*

Here it is! A glorious week of blossoms! Come to Medford—see the blossom displays—drive through the beautiful Rogue River Valley and see the gorgeous array of pear trees in full blossom—This week's festival—the first of an annual affair—will be sponsored by Medford's civic club—the CRATERS! So Safeway salutes Medford's pear packers and shippers—Rogue River Valley's orchardists and the Craters!

*Here's The Route of the Pear Blossom Way*

DRIVE this beautiful route for the best views of orchards in blossom—It has been planned by the Crater Club Blossom Festival Committee! Leave the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce drive east on Main street to the Hillcrest Road; then south on the Hillcrest road to the Phoenix bridge. Thence East up Fern Valley to the foothills; then south to the Suncrest area near Talent; continue West through Talent to the Anderson road; then North on Anderson Road to Phoenix. Drive west from Phoenix on the Phoenix-Jacksonville Road to Jacksonville; then north on the Old Stage Road to Beall Lane. Thence west on Beall Lane to the Pacific Highway, then south for the return to Medford. The way will be plainly marked. Watch for the signs.

### FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Bananas Firm Ripe.	Lb.	lb. 5c
Asparagus Fresh Green	3 lbs.	19c
Strawberries Fresh.	Cup	19c
Lettuce Firm Crisp	head	5c
Artichokes Fresh Large size.	3 for	10c
Potatoes Klamath Gem. No. 2's.	25 lbs.	49c
Apples Extra Fancy Winesaps.	5 lbs.	25c
Rhubarb Field Grown.	4 lbs.	19c

VEGETABLE PRICES SATURDAY ONLY

Prices Effective Sat. and Mon., April 17th and 19th

Pears Medford's Own Bartletts. The Cream of the Pear Center's Crop. In syrup. 2 1/2 cans	22c
By the case \$4.79	
Sugar Pure Fine Granulated. (Limit) 10 Cloth Bag	49c
Snowdrift Pure Vegetable Shortening. 3 lb. pail	49c
Peanut Butter 2 lbs.	25c
Freshly ground from all No. 1 Peanuts. Golden Brown. Delicious on Sandwiches.	
Raisins Market Day. Fancy Seedless. 4 lbs.	23c
Tomatoes Josephine Extra Standard Pack. Large 2 1/2 cans	7c

### Alpine Milk 4 cans 29c

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### Nestle's 4cans 27c

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Coffee Airway. Freshly Ground. 3 lbs.	55c	Brooms Topsy Brand. A Good Broom for only	25c
Flour Kitchen Craft. 49 lb. bag. None better at any price.	\$1.79	Salmon Del Monte. Red. 1 lb. cans 2 for	35c
Cigarettes Old Golds. Luckys. Camels. Chesterfields. 2 pkgs.	25c	Soap Peets Granulated. Large Package	25c
Pearls of Wheat Large Pkg	19c	Chocolate Bakers Breakup Bars Large	15c
Tomato Juice Stokely's 50 oz. can	22c	Salad Serve Salad Dressing Qt.	35c
Candy Bars Complete Assortment 3 for	10c	Mayonnaise Aristocrat. Qt.	39c
Marshmallows Fluffiest 2 lbs.	25c	Beer Brown Derby. 12 oz. cans. 3 for	29c
Coffee Golden West. 1 lb. glass jar	25c	Wine Fidelis Brand. A complete stock. Qts.	49c

**Wheaties** "Breakfast-of-Champions" Bowl Free—with 2 pkgs. 19c

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SWISS STEAK . . . lb.	23c
SHORTENING . . . 3 lb.	39c
PORK ROAST . . lb.	19c
Beef Roast Steer Beef lb.	17 1/2c
PICNIC Smoked Sugar Cured	lb. 23c
BACON broken slice . lb.	27c
Pork Sausage Home Made	lb. 17 1/2c
Cheese Cottage . . . pt.	10c
Sauer Kraut . . . qt.	10c
Salad Dressing tasty pt.	15c