

SOCIETY and CLUBS

By Janet Wray Smith

Beckers Expected To Arrive Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Becker of Colwell, Idaho, are expected to arrive here tomorrow for a several days' stay in the city.

They will be guests of Mrs. Becker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Warner, while here. Mrs. Becker was formerly Miss Winifred Warner and has a large number of friends in the city who will welcome her return.

The Beckers are coming here from Santa Rosa, Calif., where they have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norton Forsythe for the past week. Mrs. Forsythe was Miss Margaret Warner, sister of Mrs. Becker.

Informal affairs will be arranged in greeting to the visitors.

Tengwalds Return Home Last Night. Returning to their home here last night were Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Tengwald and daughters, Natalie, Carol and Phyllis.

Mrs. Tengwald left several weeks ago for Chicago, Ill., where she was the guest of relatives and friends for a month. She returned west by way of Los Angeles, where she made a short stay before continuing north to San Francisco.

Mr. Tengwald and daughters joined Mrs. Tengwald in the bay city last week, all returning together after a few days' stay there.

Mountain Climbs Sunday Activity. Varying summer outdoor activities was a group who spent yesterday in a climb to the peak of Mt. McLoughlin.

Present for the excursion were the Misses Doris Conger, Leona Conger, Emma Niedermeyer, Geraldine Latham and Opal Harvey and Law Conger, Donald Niedermeyer, Mark Taylor, John Niedermeyer and Ray Maust. The group were guests at an early morning breakfast at the Conger home before leaving for the mountain. Donald Niedermeyer was first of the party to reach the top.

Group Week-Ends At Diamond Lake. Many Medford residents are spending the majority of summer week-ends at lakes and rivers in southern Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson vacationed the past week-end at their summer home at Diamond lake, entertaining as their guests Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Simpson and son, Dell. The lake is a popular resort with Medfordites and out of town visitors.

Two Planning Visit In North. Among those planning to spend part of the summer away from home are Mrs. C. W. Palm and her niece, Mrs. E. N. Eldridge.

The two will leave by motor tomorrow for the north. They will go to Vancouver and Victoria, B. C., and will stop at various points en route. They will be away a month.

FIRE DESTROYS HOME NEAR BEAGLE; PATROL SAVES OUTBUILDINGS

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the Midway road here. No stock was lost. The home had been occupied by the Sweets for 30 years. It was said the loss was partially covered by insurance. Neighbors took care of the elderly couple.

The fire was caused by sparks which escaped from the chimney between the main and roof. The state district warden's office said. It was reported to the district warden's office by the Fredenburg Butte lookout station at 4:20 p. m. A crew of 12 men and a pumper truck arrived at the scene at 4:45 but by that time the home was beyond saving.

The fire fighters, directed by P. D. Coy, concentrated their efforts on saving the outbuildings and stacks of hay and in preventing the spread of the fire to timber land. About an acre of grass was burned over before the blaze was suppressed.

BETTINGFIELD MAKING RECOVERY PROGRESS

PROSPECT, July 19.—(Sp.)—J. L. Bettingfield is reported in fairly good condition at the Community hospital where he has been confined since fracturing both arms in a hay-accident July 15.

Bettingfield became tangled in ropes while helping to hay on the Non Tucker ranch and suffered severe fractures in both arms.

On the same day George Jantzer crushed a finger in machinery of his sawmill and Emory Moore fell while working at the power plant and broke two bones in his feet. Moore was taken to the Sacred Heart hospital for treatment.

MANN'S Remnant Sale Wednesday Morning See Ad in Tomorrow's Mail Tribune

JOHAN NORSTROM, VETERAN OF NAVY DIES IN ASHLAND

Johan Eric Norstrom, 73, a veteran of five wars and well known throughout Jackson county, died at 3:20 a. m. today at his home at 542 Fairview street, Ashland, following a sudden heart attack three hours earlier. Although he had been slightly ill for several days, his death was entirely unexpected.

Services are being arranged by the Stock and Itzwiller funeral home in Ashland, and will be announced later. John Eric Norstrom was born in Stockholm, Sweden, Oct. 27, 1863. He leaves to mourn, his wife, Olive Norstrom of Ashland, and one niece and one nephew in Sweden, whose names could not be immediately learned.

Mr. Norstrom had lived in Ashland for the past 16 years, moving there from Medford in 1921. He was a member of the Ashland Elks lodge, having transferred from the Medford unit which he joined in 1916. He was a member of the American Legion, and other veterans organizations. He saw service in the U. S. navy for 30 years, was a retired officer, and was reported to have taken part in five wars.

He will be mourned by a host of very close friends in all parts of the county, and especially in Medford, where he was known by hundreds.

A late supper closed the Saturday evening affair.

LONG ISLAND SHAKEN BUT SCIENTISTS FAIL TO OBTAIN RECORDS

NEW YORK, July 19.—(AP)—Mantel residents were intrigued today by the knowledge they had been next door to an earthquake—their information about it came solely from out-of-town.

Many residents of Long Island complained last night their homes had trembled for three minutes, but the police asserted there was nothing they could do about it.

Although seismographs at Harvard and Weston College, both in Massachusetts, recorded tremors "on or near Long Island" at 11:52 p. m., eastern daylight time, the seismograph closest to the scene, operated at Fordham university in the city, obtained no record of the phenomenon.

The Rev. Father Joseph Lynch, Fordham's seismograph expert, said his recording instruments were busy with a heavy quake which began at 11:16 p. m., daylight time, and continued nearly 50 minutes, but that the epicenter was 9000 miles away. The surface waves of this quake reached New York at 12:05 a. m., daylight time, but only a seismograph could feel them.

"I suspect," said Father Lynch, "that there may have been a slight quake in Long Island sound of such negligible intensity that it was not recorded through the big quake."

Postmaster Frank DeSouza today offered the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce a little competition for the receipt of odd requests.

Mr. DeSouza received a letter from Hans Hansen of Brookings who asked the postmaster's aid in procuring three white guinea fowl, two hens and a cock. They may be sent by post C. O. D., Mr. Hansen suggested.

Mr. Hansen said he had combed his area without finding any guinea fowl. He added that he heard there were many in the Rogue valley.

The civic-minded postmaster declared that this is a real opportunity to start a new industry in Jackson county.

PORTLAND, July 19.—(AP)—Mrs. W. M. Moulton, 81, daughter of Col. James W. Nesmith who was United States senator from Oregon during the civil war, died at Montreal, Can., friends here were advised. She was born on the Nesmith ranch in the Rickreall vicinity.

James Gupston, former Medford resident, died July 12 of heart disease in Aberdeen, Wn., friends here were informed today by Mrs. John Gupston, sister-in-law of James.

He is said by Medford friends to have been between 35 and 40 years of age. He left Medford about a year ago after residing here for several years. He was well-known here and had a large number of friends and acquaintances who will be grieved to hear of his passing.

Funeral services were held in Aberdeen.

Card of Thanks. We wish to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to those who gave us comfort in our recent bereavement and for the beautiful floral offerings. Mrs. Mary Jones and son Charles; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones and family; Charles Eccleston, and family.

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Livestock

Portland. PORTLAND, July 19.—(AP-USA)—HOGS: 12,000; including 434 direct market at 45 cents higher; bulk 165-210 lb. drivens \$12.40, few \$12.25, carload lots \$12.50-12.65, later new high since 1929, 225-280 lb. \$11.75-12.

CATTLE—3100, including 82 direct, calves 300, including 16 direct, market uneven, steers and heifers steady, cows weak, 25 cents lower, some bids 50 cents lower, bulls steady, several loads grass fat steers \$9-9.75, top \$9.85, common \$6-8, feeders \$7.50, grass heifers \$5.50-7.50, few \$8, low cutter and cutter, \$3-40-4.25, cow-meat-medium \$4.50-5.50, good beef cows \$6-6.25.

SHEEP—3300, including 1249 through, market slow, steady, few good trucking in lambs \$8-8.25, dock good-choice eastern Oregon \$8.75, common-medium \$6-7.50, few yearlings \$5-6, several lots good slaughter ewes \$3.50, common \$1.50.

South San Francisco. SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, July 19.—(AP-U. S. Dept. Agr.)—HOGS: 800, direct 620. Active, butchers mostly 10-15 higher, quality considered; bulk 160-200 California 12.65-75, straight and moderately sorted; good around 150 lbs. 12.20.

CATTLE 400; holdovers 85. Steers in light supply, opened steady, undertone strong, half-load medium-weight steers from nearby feed lot 10.00, averaged 11.0 after 4 per cent shrink; few grass steers 7.50-8.50; heifers very scarce; cows active, most 25 higher, part-load good range cows \$5.50, two loads common-medium cows 4.25-5.00, lightly sorted, bulk low-cutters-cutters 3.00-4.25; common-medium bulls 4.25-5.50, steady.

SHEEP 3700, direct 1750; holdovers 180. Early lamb trade fully steady at last week's low close, later undertone weak; two decks good 77 lb. woolled Oregon spring lambs 9.00.

Chicago. CHICAGO, July 19.—(AP-USA)—HOGS: 12,000; hogs from 225 lb. down and light and medium-weight packing sows average 10 to higher than Friday's average; heavier butchers and heavy sows slow, around steady.

CATTLE, 7,000, calves 2,000; very little beef in run but general demand narrow; killers resting higher asking prices by bidding lower on all except choice and prime steers and heifers and steer yearlings; top grade cattle strong; best steers \$14.00; stockers and feeders firm; general beef stock market about steady but very slow.

SHEEP 8,000, including 4,300 direct; spring lambs slow; most sales about steady.

Portland Produce. PORTLAND, Ore., July 19.—(AP)—BUTTER—Prints A grade 35c lb. in parchment wrappers; 35c in cartons; B grade 34c in parchment wrappers; 35c in cartons.

BUTTERFAT (Portland delivery, buying rice)—A grade 34-34 1/2 lb. country stations; A grade 32-32 1/2 lb.; B grade 1 1/2c less; C grade 6c less.

EGGS—Buying price by wholesaler: Extras 21c; doz.; standards 18c doz.; medium 17c doz.; medium firsts 16c; undergrades 14c doz.

CHEESE, Oregon triplets 17c; Oregon loaf 16c; brokers will pay 1/2c below quotations.

COUNTRY MEATS selling price to retailers: Country killed hogs best butchers, under 160 pounds 15-15 1/2c; vealers 14c; light and thin 10-12c; heavy 10-11c; canner cows 7-8c; cutters 10-17c; bulls 10-11c; spring lambs 14-15c; yearling (....); ewes 3-7c lb.

LIVE POULTRY—buying price by wholesalers: colored hens 4-5 lbs. 15c. Over 5 lbs. 14c lb.; leghorn hens under 3 1/2 lbs. 12-12 1/2c lb.; over 3 1/2 lbs. 11c lb.; colored springs over 3 1/2 lbs. 18-19c lb.; 2 to 3 1/2 lbs. 18c lb.; leghorn broilers 17c lb.; roosters 7-8c lb.; young white ducks 13-14c lb.

POTATOES—New crop Yakima white rose \$1.75 cental; local \$1.15-1.25 orange box.

ONIONS—Old crop Oregon No. 1 75-90c per 50-lb. bag; new crop California red 85-1.00 50 lb. bag. Cochella 85-1.00; yellow, 1.50 per 100 lb. bag.

WOOL—1937 nominal; Willamette valley medium 35c lb.; coarse and

brads 33c lb.; eastern Oregon, fine 28-29c lb.; medium 31-33c lb.; crossbred 32-33c lb.

HAY nominal; old crop selling price to retailers: Alfalfa No. 1, 618 oats and vetch \$13; timothy, eastern Oregon \$20.50 ton; do valley \$16-16.50 ton Portland.

Portland Wheat. PORTLAND, July 19.—(AP)—Grain: Wheat: Open High Low Close July 1.11 1.11 1.11 1.11 Sept. 1.11 1.11 1.09 1.09 Cash wheat: Big Bend bluestem, h.w., 2 pct., \$1.28; dark hard winter, 13 pct., \$1.28; 12 pct., \$1.20; 11 pct., \$1.14; soft white, hard winter, \$1.11.

Oats, No. 2 white, \$31. Barley, No. 2 45-lb., b.w., \$33.50. Corn, Argentine, \$42.50. Milling standard, \$28.50. Today's car receipts: Wheat, 15; barley, 1; flour, 9; oats, 3; hay, 6. (N—Nominal.)

Chicago Wheat. CHICAGO, July 19.—(AP)—Pulled down by the largest weekly increase of the United States wheat visible supply ever known, wheat tumbled 3 1/2 cents a bushel maximum late today.

Wheat: Open High Low Close July 1.26 1.28 1.26 1.26 Sept. 1.27 1.27 1.25 1.26 Dec. 1.29 1.29 1.27 1.28

Wall St. Report. NEW YORK, July 19.—(AP)—With steels and motors beating a new recovery trail, stock market leaders today pushed up fractions to three points. There were a few wider gains.

Business news, including highly satisfactory second quarter corporation reports, was to the liking of Wall Street and bids for favorites were lifted at the start.

U. S. Steel began the trek with an advance of a point at the opening on a block of 4,000 shares. It later crossed 119, up more than two, to a new top for the current recovery.

Chrysler jumped around 4 J. I. Case 7, Sloan-Sheffield 5 and Deere and Howe round 3 each at the best. There was profit selling in the final lap.

Transfers were in the neighborhood of 950,000 shares. Today's closing prices for 32 selected stocks follow: Al. Chem. & Dye 234 Am. Can 105 1/2 Am. Fgn. Pow 9 A. T. & T. 170 1/2 Anaconda 87 A. T. & S. F. 51 Bendix Avia. 10 1/2 Bth. Steel 95 Caterpillar Tract. 97 Chrysler 106 1/2 Coml. Solv. 14 1/2 Curtiss-Wright 6 1/2 DuPont 160 1/2 Gen. Elec. 58 Gen. Foods 38 1/2 Gen. Mot. 54 1/2 Int. Harvst. 115 I. T. & T. 130 1/2 Johns-Man. 62 1/2 Monty Ward 283 North Amer. 97 1/2 Penney (J. C.) 61 1/2 Phillips Pet 61 1/2 Radio 9 1/2 Sou. Pac. 47 1/2 Std. Brands 12 1/2 St. Oil Cal. 44 1/2 St. Oil N. J. 71 1/2 Trans. Amer. 13 1/2 Union Carb. 102 Unit. Aircraft 31 1/2 U. S. Steel 118 1/2

SOCIAL SECURITY NEED IS STRESSED IN TALK BEFORE KIWANIS CLUB

Necessity of the federal social security act was stressed in a talk given before the weekly luncheon-meeting of the Kiwanis club in the Hotel Medford this afternoon by Ben. O. Lipscomb, field representative of the social security board.

The act became a government necessity because of changing economic conditions. Mr. Lipscomb said, fifty years ago, he explained, the nation was composed mainly of large families who lived in spacious homes. Under such circumstances, caring for the aged was no great burden on individual families, the speaker pointed out.

As conditions changed and family units became smaller, with homes dwindling proportionately in size, the care of the aged became a community problem, Mr. Lipscomb said. The burden continued to grow and it was passed on to the county, the state and finally the federal government, he stated.

Mr. Lipscomb described the Oregon state security act and told of the collections made for distribution among the aged.

Guests today were W. T. Steeden and Eric G. Helgesen, San Francisco representative of Nation's Business, publication of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States; County Judge Earl B. Day and Kiwanian Ben H. Schmidt of Ontario, Cal.

THE DALLES, July 19.—(AP)—An earwig infestation, usually restricted in this section by the normal summer aridity, has invaded lowland lettuce gardens and the stems of ripening apricots.

Entomologists blamed heavy June rains for the activity.

Use Mail Tribune want ads.

SAFE — DEPENDABLE

CRESCENT SAILOR ON 'SUICIDE' TRIP

Perry Stoughton, ex-sailor of Crescent City, set sail Sunday afternoon from that port aboard a crude log raft, his destination San Diego, Calif., according to H. U. Mitchell, who with a number of other Medford people visiting the beach town, witnessed the departure.

Mitchell reported today that the adventurer got his clumsy craft into the grip of favorable tide and wind about 4:15 p. m. Sunday and was soon lost to view in the open sea.

For equipment on the voyage, Stoughton had only a barrel of water, a suitcase, a life preserver, a few cans of food and a compass. Mitchell said.

The bizarre craft is doomed to go to pieces at the first hint of rough sea, the Medford man said, adding that he felt like calling an officer to

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3 AUTOISTS HURT IN PARK ACCIDENT

Three persons were slightly injured yesterday in Crater Lake National park when their car was reportedly forced off the west road on a sharp turn by another machine and rolled over a short embankment.

The injured were Adolph and Henry Miller of 153 Granite street, Ashland, and Wilda Morgan, 17, of Talent. Adolph Miller was shaken up considerably, Henry Miller sustained cuts and bruises about the head, and Wilda Morgan received minor bruises, according to information received from park officials.

The car, a 1930 Moon, was driven by Adolph Miller, who said he was forced off the road by an unidentified driver of another car. The Moon was badly wrecked.

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