

### SOUTHERN OREGON GOLF TOURNEY TO START ON FRIDAY

#### Annual Title Chase Expected to Attract 150 of Best Shot Makers in Area — Finals Slated Labor Day

With the national amateur championship completed in Portland last Saturday, about the only remaining major golfing meeting in this district will be the ninth annual southern Oregon-northern California tournament to be staged at the Rogue Valley Golf club September 3 to 6, inclusive.

At least 150 of the finest shotmakers in Oregon and northern California are expected to start blasting Friday in the qualifying rounds with hopes of getting into the championship flight and a crack at the championship of last year, Medford's Eddie Simmons. Simmons is considered one of the favorites.

Thirty-two scorers in the 18-hole medal qualifying round will make up the championship flight, with the 16 beaten golfers in that flight entering the first flight and the 16 winners then battling it out for the championship. All others will make up the remaining flights of 16 according to their qualifying scores.

The champion will be presented the Larry Schade trophy emblematic of southern Oregon-northern California championship, and all flight winners will receive prizes.

With the exception of the qualifying rounds Friday, all matches will be on a match-play basis. The championship match, which will be held on Monday, Labor day, will be over the 36-hole route, all others will be 18 holes.

Don Clark, tournament director, stated today that about 35 entries had been received to date. He requested that all golfers planning to enter the tournament send in their notices as soon as possible.

### CRAWFORD PEACH HARVEST STARTS

Harvesting of the Early Crawford peach crop of the Rogue River valley started today, with picking of Hales and Elbertas scheduled for next week. The last named varieties are the main and heaviest peach crops here.

The peach crop was practically a failure last year due to freezing weather. Assistant County Agent C. B. Corry estimates this year's production will be 50 per cent higher than in 1935. Favorable market conditions also prevail, Corry said.

This week will see the end of the Bartlett pear harvest. Howells are now being packed. Some orchardists have started picking D'Anjou's, but this will not be general for another week.

Medford fans may get a taste of college football this autumn if plans of Coach Jean Eberhart of Southern Oregon Normal school do not go awry.

Eberhart is in Eugene this week attempting to arrange a battle for his SONS with the University of Oregon freshmen, to be played at either Medford, Grants Pass or Klamath Falls under the lights. Because of the fine new lighting system and tremendous "gate" possibilities in Medford, it is believed that the SONS coach will exert all efforts to stage the annual game here.

Last season, the SONS and Oregon yearlings played at Grants Pass before a large crowd. Two years ago, the game was held in Klamath Falls.

### ANOTHER CHANCE FOR YOUTHFUL CULPRITS

Leonard James, 16, charged with attempting theft of gasoline from Judd Doty, was given a 60 day sentence in the county jail by Justice of the Peace William R. Coleman, and sentence was suspended because of James youth.

Wayne H. Olson, 19, charged with the same offense was fined \$25 and costs, with the understanding that he go to work, and starting September 7, pay \$5 weekly until the fine is paid.

Mich M. Jursavich, charged with theft of an anvil and other articles from a wrecking yard, was sentenced to 60 days in the county jail.

George Vilas stays in besieged Shanghai. Word has been received by relatives here that George Vilas, a former local resident and representative of the Dollar Lines in Shanghai, remained in the war beleaguered city but that his wife and children were sent to Manila. Vilas, according to the message, declined to depart.

### Finalists Friendly



Johnny Goodman (left) of Omaha, who clinched a ten-year quest of the national amateur golf championship by defeating Ray Billows of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., (right) two up in the final match of the tournament at Portland Saturday. (A. P. Photo.)

### POLICE COURT GRIST INCLUDES 4 DRUNKS, AUTOIST, GUN TOTER

Four charges of drunkenness, one for reckless driving, one for operating a car with four in the front seat, and one for carrying a concealed weapon were filed by city police over the week end.

Floyd Wilson John, 23, of Medford was fined \$10 in city court this morning charged with carrying a concealed weapon. He was arrested at a local dance hall at midnight Saturday by city police, who said he was carrying a .32-calibre automatic revolver.

William E. Hamilton, 33, of 806 Union avenue, was arrested last night on a charge of reckless driving. City police said he was driving from one side of Main street to the other. He was released this morning and his wife was scheduled to appear for him this afternoon.

Clifford Moore of Medford was released on payment of \$5 bail and his hearing scheduled for later today on a charge of operating a vehicle with four persons in the front seat.

The following were fined \$10 apiece on charges of drunkenness: Herman Oliver Shely, 36, of Medford and Amile Edling, 51, and Harry Cobough Goff, 33, both transient fruit workers. Jay J. Farich, 27, of Medford was released on payment of \$10 bail on a charge of drunkenness. His hearing was scheduled for later today.

### AUTOIST WOUNDED BY PATROLMAN'S BULLET

ASTORIA, Aug. 30.—(AP)—State Patrolman George Akin shot and wounded Arthur H. Tlander, Astoria baker, in the arm last night when an automobile failed to halt after the officer sounded a siren.

The officer said the bullet glanced up from the pavement, striking Tlander who was a passenger with his wife in a car driven by Dr. H. A. Hartman of Astoria.

Akin reported he was investigating the car for reckless driving; He said he sounded his siren three times.

### 4-H TEAMS SELECTED TO REPRESENT COUNTY AT JUDGING CONTESTS

Dale Williams, Melvin Foyar and Weldon Heard were announced today as the 4-H club team which will represent Jackson county at the state fair in Salem September 6 to 12.

They were judged the winners in a livestock judging contest held Saturday to select county representatives to the state-wide competition at Salem. They scored 2092 points out of a possible 2700. They are members of the Bellview Club club headed by Dick Joy.

The team scoring the second highest rating in the qualifying contest Saturday will represent the county at the Pacific International Livestock exposition in Portland October 2 to 9. The team is composed of Louis Walsh and Charles and Gordon Stanley, members of the Lake Creek Beef club which is led by Floyd Charley.

### BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Ross of Central Point, a boy weighing 6 pounds and 11 ounces in Community hospital Saturday afternoon, August 28. The baby has been named James LeRoy. Mother and child were progressing splendidly today, hospital attendants said.

The Emperor Domitian of Rome is known as "the last of the 12 Caesars."

Closing time for Too Late to Classify Ads is 1:30 p. m.

### ASK EXTRADITION FOR SCHROEDER, FORGER FUGITIVE

Jackson county authorities have asked the governor for extradition papers for the return to this state of Leo M. Schroeder, arrested in Asbury Park, N. J., last Friday, to serve a three year state prison sentence imposed for obtaining money under false pretenses. With Leo M. Hicks, Schroeder escaped from the county jail June 29 by crawling to the roof and dropping through a trap door leading to space outside the jail.

Schroeder, under Oregon law, is liable to a three year sentence for jail escape, and the same applies to Hicks. According to police records Schroeder served a term in San Quentin prison, and Hicks a term in the New Mexico state prison.

Advices state Schroeder left a trail of bad checks in his cross-country flight. He passed spurious paper in this city and county totalling more than \$200 and was arrested at Denver and returned here. He bilked the operator of a Rogue River auto camp, and was accompanied by two female hitch hikers.

Hicks was charged with theft of a valuable saddle and other cowboy equipment from Edwin Kubil of the Applegate, and selling it to a stranger in Grants Pass for \$25. He was frequently involved in petty trouble here the police say.

No trace of Hicks has been found. He follows mining, logging and farm work, and is well known in northern California and eastern Oregon.

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### Russia as it Is Today Uncensored Revelations in Stalin's Blood Purge

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From compilations of items published in the soviet press it is known, however, that at least 500 persons have been executed by firing squads.

Often news of the shooting of scores in groups is printed only in a single obscure provincial newspaper and never is mentioned in the metropolitan press. Since there are more than 10,000 newspapers in the Soviet Union and no foreign correspondent or foreign diplomatic mission can possibly read regularly more than a few dozen of the more important editions, it is highly likely that many reports of executions have been missed.

Reliable information about the extent of and reasons for this purge, always hard to obtain, is now more than ordinarily difficult to get. Officials are frightened half out of their wits. The man in the street knows no more than is told in the heavily censored press, which carries little but vague generalities and more often nothing at all. Thousands have disappeared from their posts without explanation and without mention in the newspapers. Almost daily broadsides in the press about the danger of spies have caused all foreigners to be regarded as untrustworthy. Thus, the ordinarily meager soviet sources of information have dried up.

Total Not Known. For the same reason, the total number of arrests, exiles and dismissals is purely a matter for conjecture. Many of the imprisoned probably will be released later. The charges against them cover a wide range—that they were enemies of the people, deadly enemies of the people, fascist spies, Trotsky-Bukharinists, degenerates, saboteurs, bandits, counter-revolutionaries, wreckers, rightists and diversionists.

It is known that in the past year no fewer than 28 commissars and assistant commissars, and probably many more, in every principal department of the government have been arrested, removed or shot. Hundreds of members of the commissariat of internal affairs (formerly the GPU), are now in prison. Most of the 18 commanders of the 18 great military districts have been shifted.

Railroad Heads Arrested. It is said that 3000 railway officials are under arrest. Dozens of street car union officials and hundreds of factory directors have met the same fate. Many professors and teachers

in the principal law schools and directors of the foremost theaters have been dismissed.

In 1934, I was in Berlin during Hitler's famous "blood bath"—when in one June day the German dictator suddenly wiped out scores of members of the Nazi inner circle. To me Stalin's "blood purge" is one on a much wider scale, but the two have many factors in common, including even the charge of trafficking with foreign enemies.

Hitler's Nazi party soon steered after the shock of that bloody day, and there seems no less reason to believe that Stalin's far more zealous, more closely knit and better disciplined party will weather the present hurricanes.

(Tomorrow's dispatch analyzes the causes of the purge.)

### POLICE HERE IN DARK ON CHARGES AGAINST THREE RUNAWAY GIRLS

Police Chief Cletious McCredie stated today that he had received no further information from San Francisco police regarding the three 14-year-old Medford girls who were Saturday night being held in the San Francisco juvenile detention home following their disappearance from Medford last Tuesday evening. The girls are Jetta Avenell Frazier, Betty Ann Dale and Margie Bell Stone.

According to advices received here late Saturday night, the trio were being held as "runaways from home" and on a charge of stealing \$20 from a Medford employer. Chief McCredie said that, so far as he knew, none of the girls had been employed in Medford. He could give no explanation of the charge and said that the girls were not suspected here of any robbery.

Parents of Jetta Frazier and Betty Dale left here Saturday for San Francisco. When they are expected back was not known. The three girls left last Tuesday on a stage for San Francisco without the knowledge of their parents and after purchasing new dresses, getting their hair marcelled, and buying stage tickets. According to their parents, none of the girls possessed money so far as they knew.

Mahoney Boosts Ross. PORTLAND, Aug. 30.—(AP)—Willis Mahoney, former Klamath Falls mayor and candidate for the United States senate, told Scandinavian Democrats at their state-wide picnic yesterday that "to fight the selection of J. D. Ross as administrator of Bonneville dam is to fight the future developments and success of Bonneville."

### NEW RURAL TEACHERS WILL MEET ON FRIDAY

A meeting of all beginning teachers and teachers who are teaching for the first time in Jackson county outside of Medford and Ashland has been called by County School Superintendent C. R. Bowman for Friday, September 3 at 10 a. m., in the auditorium of the court house.

Teachers will receive instruction as to county school procedures and will be given supplies for the opening of school. All teachers teaching for the first time in Jackson county are asked to attend the meeting.

### SERMON ON COMMUNISM BRINGS FIRE IN CHURCH

PORTLAND, Aug. 30.—(AP)—Efficient firemen extinguished a clock-room blaze at the First Presbyterian church without disturbing Sunday night worshippers. Two men were seen loitering near the building before the pastor delivered a sermon on communism.

at 113 tobacco markets

Georgia Markets  
Adel, Ga.,  
Baxley, Ga.,  
Blackshear, Ga.,  
Douglas, Ga.,  
Hahira, Ga.,  
Hazlehurst, Ga.,  
Live Oak, Fla.,  
Metter, Ga.,  
Moultrie, Ga.,  
Nashville, Ga.,  
Pelham, Ga.,  
Statesboro, Ga.,  
Tifton, Ga.,  
Valdosta, Ga.,  
Vidalia, Ga.,  
Waycross, Ga.

Old Belt Markets  
Brookneal, Va.,  
Burlington, N. C.,  
Chase City, Va.,  
Clarksville, Va.,  
Danville, Va.,  
Kenbridge, Va.,  
Lawrenceville, Va.,  
Madison, N. C.,  
Martinsville, Va.,  
Mebane, N. C.,  
Mount Airy, N. C.,  
Petersburg, Va.,  
Reidsville, N. C.,  
Rocky Mount, Va.,  
Roanoke, N. C.,  
South Boston, Va.,  
South Hill, Va.,  
Stoneville, N. C.,  
Winston-Salem, N. C.

Burley Markets  
Abingdon, Va.,  
Asheville, N. C.,  
Bloomfield, Ky.,  
Bowling Green, Ky.,  
Carrollton, Ky.,  
Carthage, Tenn.,  
Columbia, Tenn.,  
Covington, Ky.,  
Cynthiana, Ky.,  
Danville, Ky.,  
Fayetteville, Tenn.,  
Franklin, Tenn.,  
Gallatin, Tenn.,  
Glasgow, Ky.,  
Greensburg, Ky.,  
Greenville, Tenn.,  
Harrodsburg, Ky.,  
Hartsville, Tenn.,  
Hopkinsville, Ky.,  
Horse Cave, Ky.,  
Huntington, W. Va.,  
Johnson City, Tenn.,  
Knoxville, Tenn.,  
Lebanon, Ky.,  
Lexington, Ky.,  
Louisville, Ky.,  
Madison, Ind.,  
Mayville, Ky.,  
Morristown, Tenn.,  
Mount Pleasant, Tenn.,  
Mount Sterling, Ky.,  
New Tazewell, Tenn.,  
Owensboro, Ky.,  
Paris, Ky.,  
Richmond, Ky.,  
Ripley, Ohio,  
Shelbyville, Ky.,  
Springfield, Ky.,  
Weston, Mo.

Eastern North Carolina Markets  
Ahoskie, N. C.,  
Farmville, N. C.,  
Goldboro, N. C.,  
Greenville, N. C.,  
Kinston, N. C.,  
Robersonville, N. C.,  
Rocky Mount, N. C.,  
Smithfield, N. C.,  
Tarboro, N. C.,  
Wallace, N. C.,  
Washington, N. C.,  
Wendell, N. C.,  
Williamson, N. C.,  
Wilson, N. C.

Middle Old Belt Markets  
Aberdeen, N. C.,  
Carthage, N. C.,  
Durham, N. C.,  
Fuquay Springs, N. C.,  
Henderson, N. C.,  
Louisburg, N. C.,  
Oxford, N. C.,  
Sanford, N. C.,  
Warrenton, N. C.

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