

### MOTHER INJURED BY AUTO ON WAY TO SEE DAUGHTER

While on the way to visit her daughter, ill in Community hospital following a major operation, Mrs. C. P. Olson of 301 North Peach street, sustained a broken and lacerated left arm Friday afternoon when she was struck by a moving automobile.

The accident occurred directly in front of Community hospital, where Mrs. Olson's daughter, Elsie Brown, had been since Tuesday. According to a city police report, a car driven by Mrs. E. J. Smith of 3410 Hillcrest road, traveling east on Main street, slowed down for Mr. Olson to cross the street in front of it. Mrs. Olson, a few feet behind, then stepped out from behind a parked car, and her arm became caught on the door-handle of Mrs. Smith's machine, the report stated. Mrs. Olson was thrown to the pavement, her arm badly cut and broken.

Mrs. Smith, driver of the car, reported to city police she didn't see Mrs. Olson until it was too late to stop.

Mrs. Olson was immediately taken into the hospital, and it was reported yesterday that the condition of her daughter were both progressing nicely.

### JUNIOR SYMPHONY PROGRAM STRESSES HARPISIT, CHORUS

Ether Palmer Day, harpist, and the Jackson County Teachers chorus will be featured on the Medford Junior Symphony orchestra program to be presented Tuesday evening, May 3, in the senior high school auditorium.

Both Mrs. Day and the chorus, directed by Esther Church Leake, will be accompanied by the orchestra. The symphony orchestra is a major project of the Medford Zonta club and its sponsorship of the musical organization has been praised by Mrs. Ella Anderson Parks, president of Zonta International. Mrs. Parks has characterized it as the most outstanding project sponsored by any Zonta club although the Medford unit is the youngest and smallest in the international organization.

A statement issued yesterday by the Zonta club and addressed to the public said: "We feel that this project is worthy of your support. We urge you not only to buy tickets but to encourage the orchestra by your presence."

The forthcoming concert is considered especially appropriate as it will take place during national music week. John R. Knight organized and conducts the orchestra.

The Zonta statement continued: "The orchestra is now composed of 74 members, some of whom are adults and professionals. The youngest member is 12 years old and is a promising violinist. The members come from Medford, Ashland, Grants Pass, Galice, Gold Hill, Central Point, Jacksonville and other outlying communities.

"Purpose of this project is to stimulate the desire for better music and to establish a permanent southern Oregon symphony orchestra."

### WILLFREY TRACT SOLD TO MARTIN

Sale of the 320-acre ranch three miles north of Central Point, formerly known as the Willfrey orchard, by Ray and Edward Berney to George P. Martin of Rogue River was announced yesterday by L. G. Pickell, realtor. Amount of money involved was not revealed.

Included on the ranch are 40 acres of pear trees, a modern house and barn and other improvements. Mr. Pickell said. The new owner plans to make further improvements on the ranch and will take possession immediately.

### BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Day of Gold Hill at Sacred Heart hospital Friday, a baby girl weighing 6 pounds 10 ounces. Mother and child are reported doing nicely.

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### Typing Champ Coming Here



Grace Phelan of Elma, Pa., world's champion amateur typist, will give a demonstration tomorrow in the Medford senior high school at 12:30 and in the Mail Tribune business office at 1:30. The public and especially students of schools in the vicinity are invited to see the demonstrations.

In winning the world's amateur typewriting championship in Toronto, Canada, last August, Miss Phelan wrote at the rate of 129 net five-stroke words a minute for 30 minutes, striking 19,783 keys with but nine errors. She broke a world's amateur record that had stood for 14 years.

In her demonstrations Miss Phelan emphasizes rhythm, concentration and rapid change of paper. She converses or answers questions while she writes. She is making a tour under auspices of the educational department of Underwood Elliott Fisher company.

Miss Phelan will give demonstrations early in the morning in Klamath Falls. En route to Medford she will tarry in Ashland for a demonstration at the high school. Later in the afternoon she will appear in the Grants Pass high school.

### COMEDY PREVAILS IN SENIOR CLASS PLAY THIS YEAR

Filled with more humor, satire, and subtle ridicule than any other amateur drama attempted by high school students since the class of '27 produced "Father's Holiday," "Applesauce," this year's 1938 senior class production, is slated to provide a packed house with abundant chances for laughter on the single night of its run.

Giving an excellent performance in the role of the town back fence chatter, Catherine Conroy, popular senior class character actress, in the role of Jenny Baldwin, steals many scenes from the more serious roles, and contributes the majority of the audience laughs. Barry Connors, the author of "Applesauce," planned the bent-over, shrill-voiced, drab little Mrs. Baldwin purely for laughter, and Miss Conroy has shown herself ideal in the part at all rehearsals.

As Ma and Pa Robinson, parents of Hazel, the romantic young girl, Mary Lou Mann and Robert Conroy, respectively, give excellent performances, reading the humorous script with interesting action and bringing forth the amused sympathy of the audience. Ma and Pa, representing a couple in their late forties with a daughter grown and married, characterize middle-aged married couples the world over in a studied fashion that brings forth favorable comment from those who have seen practices of the play to date. Miss Mann, as Hazel's patient mother, who hasn't been kissed by her husband in "heaven knows how long," and Mr. Conroy, as Pa, who repeats crustily that he wishes they'd "cut out this sentimental stuff," are laughter-providing members of the cast.

Russel Edward Blair, enacting Bill McAllister's warm hearted but crusty old uncle, Matt McAllister, gives a convincing performance. Mr. Blair is particularly good in his frequent arguments with Mr. Conroy, while enacting the McAllister-Robinson feud; and in voice and manner well represents the well-to-do and dominating uncle in the coal business.

Contributing some to comedy, though more to serious drama, Harold Sleight in the character of Hollis, the boy Hazel had promised to marry, gives the young, earnest businessman his best enactment, making him convincing in both his serious lines and his laughter-drawing, lighter scenes.

All of the humorous roles are well played in rehearsal, promising both convincing and amusing enactments.

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### LOCAL AND PERSONAL

**Drunk Sentenced**—Arthur D. Hodgkins, 27, of Medford was sentenced by City Judge Allen D. Curry yesterday to serve 10 days in city jail on a charge of drunkenness.

**Meeting Tuesday**—Southern Oregon Gem and Mineral society will hold a regular semi-monthly meeting in the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce at 7:30 Tuesday night.

**Reoperating**—Mr. William Fontaine expects to return to her home, 313 Mae street, in a few days from the Community hospital where she underwent an operation for the removal of her appendix.

**To Confer**—Karl L. Janouch, supervisor of the Rogue River national forest, is to spend tomorrow in Klamath Falls conferring with John Sangamon, new ranger of the Lake O' Woods district.

**In Egg Hunt**—Mrs. William Hulen and daughter Joan of 817 South Ivy street are spending the week-end in Ashland as the house guests of Mrs. Aubrey Miles. Miss Joan will attend an Easter egg hunt in Lithia park today.

**Return North**—Phillip Carroll, state manager of the Associated Insurance companies, and Harold Hayes, special agent of the Loyalty group of insurance companies, returned Friday to their Portland headquarters after transacting business here for several days.

**Rifle Practice**—Twelve members of Company A, 186th infantry of the Oregon national guard were to spend today on the outdoor rifle range. The men were to meet at the Medford armory at 8 a. m., each to bring his own lunch.

**Collector Returning**—Eric Gray, deputy collector of internal revenue, will return to his office in the Medford federal building tomorrow. He spent the past week on official business in upstate cities.

**Putnam Here**—Rex Putnam, superintendent of public instruction and Democratic primary candidate for the office, was a Medford visitor Friday. He visited E. H. Hedrick, city superintendent of schools, and other citizens. He attended a meeting in Ashland yesterday and then left for his Salem headquarters.

**New Residence**—Ray Warner of 318 Crater Lake avenue applied at the city building inspector's office yesterday for a permit to construct a residence and private garage at a stated cost of \$2,500. Elmer Herried of 1309 Bandy street applied for a permit to enclose a porch at a stated cost of \$50. C. W. James of 32 Ashland avenue applied for a permit to construct a three-car garage at a stated cost of \$400. J. W. Hamill of 716 North Riverside avenue applied for a permit to reshingle a house at a stated cost of \$85. W. H. Paine of 86 North Orange street applied for a permit to build a fireplace at a stated cost of \$250.

**Medford Callers**—I. C. Erwin, Charles Portmiller, Jean Eberhart, Bill Allen and Mac McKown, all of Ashland, were Medford callers Thursday evening.

**Land Winner Here**—Ted Flah, well known American Legionnaire of Phoenix, was a local business visitor yesterday. Mr. Flah, who held number 13 in the recent drawing of Tule lake homesteads, was awarded one of the best of the 49 properties allotted to World War veterans. He plans to leave in the near future to take up his residence in the thriving community of Tule lake, Calif.

**Crater Publicized**—A full page color advertisement on Crater lake will appear in this week's Saturday Evening Post. The copy is written around the title "Rhapsody in Blue." The advertisement is part of the national promotion campaign conducted by the Oregon state highway commission travel bureau. The advertisement was prepared by Botford, Constantine & Gardner, west coast advertising agency with headquarters in Portland and agent for the highway commission.

**Committee Named**—William F. Isaacs, new president of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce, yesterday appointed the following committee on committees: Olen Arranger, retiring president, chairman, H. A. Thierolf and Roland Hubbard. The committee will draw up suggested memberships of all standing committees of the year. The list prepared by the committee will be submitted to the president and the board of directors for approval.

**Gets First Letter**—A letter dispatched from Baltimore, Md., to Bermuda on the first airmail flight was received from a friend in Bermuda yesterday by A. H. Banwell, manager of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce. The envelope or cover bore the imprint of a special cachet for the first flight. In addition it was autographed by R. O. D. Sullivan, captain of the Pan American clipper making the initial airmail hop. Only six of the first flight letters were autographed by Sullivan. Mr. Banwell was informed.

**Seriously Ill**—Kaye McReynolds, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. K. P. McReynolds of 1000 West 11th street, was seriously ill with pneumonia in the Community hospital yesterday. Informed of his son's illness by telegram, Mr. McReynolds flew to Medford from Washington, D. C., arriving here Thursday night by United airtiner after a 21-hour trip from the national capital. He had just completed some special work on permit to enclose a porch at a stated cost of \$50. C. W. James of 32 Ashland avenue applied for a permit to construct a three-car garage at a stated cost of \$400. J. W. Hamill of 716 North Riverside avenue applied for a permit to reshingle a house at a stated cost of \$85. W. H. Paine of 86 North Orange street applied for a permit to build a fireplace at a stated cost of \$250.

**Lodge to Meet**—Knights of Pythias will convene Monday night at 8 in the lodge hall at 5th and Grape streets. Initiatory work in the rank of knight will be in order.

**On Business Mission**—P. H. Ringle, head of the collection department of the World War veterans state aid commission, and M. J. Melchior, field inspector, arrived here Friday afternoon to transact official business.

**Vacation Ends**—Mr. and Mrs. Owen L. Aydelott and small daughter returned by motorcar to their home here, 124 Lincoln street, Friday afternoon from a week's vacation spent in San Francisco and other California cities. Mr. Aydelott is employed by the Rogue River national forest.

**Convention Speaker**—E. H. Hedrick, Medford city school superintendent, was a speaker at a regional convention of elementary school principals in Ashland yesterday. Other speakers were Rex Putnam, state superintendent of public instruction, and Dr. Walter Redford, president of the Southern Oregon Normal school.

**Leg Amputated**—Charles Morgan of 218 Haven street underwent an operation in Sacred Heart hospital yesterday morning for the amputation of his left leg between the knee and ankle. The amputation, it was explained, was necessitated by a gangrenous condition caused by poor circulation in the lower extremities. Mr. Morgan's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Tedrow, arrived here Wednesday from their home in Tonasket, Wash., to be with him. Mr. Tedrow planned to return home tomorrow but Mrs. Tedrow will remain here for some time. The Tedrows formerly resided here. Mr. Tedrow having been a district ranger of the Rogue River national forest. He is now with the Colville national forest.

### LIONS SHOW FOR GLEEMEN SPEEDY

Speed, beautiful costumes, scenery and a wide variety of entertainment will mark the presentation of the Lions club show, "Hit It Up," at the senior high school auditorium the nights of April 19 and 20. All proceeds of the show will go to the Medford Gleemen, junior symphony orchestra and Lions club charity fund.

It has been a long time since the community has had a chance to see a rollicking, old-time minstrel brought up to date by local talent, and tremendous crowds are expected both nights. The cast includes 250 well-known Medford artists and musicians, and will be featured by performances of the Gleemen, junior symphony orchestra and accordion band.

The junior symphony orchestra will present a 10-minute concert during the intermission between the first and second parts of the show. The orchestra is directed by Prof. John R. Knight. The orchestra will also present a concert overture at the start of the minstrel, with many members of the cast taking part.

Part one of the program will include the opening chorus, "Sing and Be Happy," "At the Theatre," a skit, "Just Kids Again," featuring acrobatic dancing, "Making an Impression," a short playlet, "Touring Back To 1901," a comedy sketch, "Top Hat," the junior accordion band sponsored by Mrs. Lilla Purucker and directed by Mrs. Harry Prentice, "Quiet Waters," vocal and dance numbers, "Muddy Waters," a big-foot ballet, "Phony Talk," a comedy playlet, the Medford Gleemen, Sebastian Apollo director, and a jazz stunt featuring Miss Jewel Deter and her chorus of scratch dancers.

Following the intermission, part two of the gala program will be presented. It will be a minstrel moderne, with end men, rag saloon, chorus men and everything expected of an honest-to-goodness minstrel show.

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