

RESERVATIONS URGED FOR BOY SCOUT MEET SET FOR SUNDAY HERE

The making of advanced reservations was urged today upon all who plan to attend the fifth annual meeting, planning conference and eagle court of honor of Crater Lake area council, Boy Scouts of America, in the Hotel Medford Sunday from 12:30 to 6:45 p. m. Dinner will be served at 5:15 in the main dining room. Last year in Yreka, Cal., many who had not made reservations could find no accommodations at banquet time, executives recalled in advising advance registrations.

Various phases of business will be conducted during the afternoon. An entertainment item will be the presentation of colored motion pictures of the Boy Scout summer camp at Lake of the Woods.

Principal speaker will be Charles N. Miller of New York City, assistant national director of the division of operations.

To Speak Here



Charles N. Miller of New York City, who will be principal speaker at the annual Boy Scout meeting in the Hotel Medford Sunday. Mr. Miller is assistant national director, division of operations. He has been identified with the Boy Scouts for years, having served first as a scoutmaster in Los Angeles in 1916.

ASHLAND HIGH TO GIVE ANNUAL PLAY

Ashland, Dec. 1.—(Sp.)—Two speeches—one by Frank King on "Ashland High School Progress for 50 Years," and the other by Edmund Dews on "History of Anniversary Plays"—will supplement a full entertainment program beginning at 8 o'clock tonight in the junior high gym, where the AHS anniversary play "The Family Upstairs," will be presented under direction of Miss Ruth Woods, high school dramatics instructor.

The high school orchestra, under direction of Ward V. Croft will play introduction and intermission numbers.

ONTARIO GROWER WINS CORN HONOR

Corvallis, Dec. 1.—(Sp.)—Wilbur Stewart, Ontario, won sweepstakes yesterday in Oregon State college's third annual corn show.

The open class championship also went to Stewart. The Fourth club title was won by Alvin Heard, Lookingglass, and Jack Heinz, Molalla, took Future Farmers of America honors.

Hybrid corn growing contests for eastern and western Oregon were won by H. N. Black, Ontario, and Ritchie Brothers, Forest Grove. Black's yield was 112.6 bushels per acre and Brothers' was 84.1.

General Bowley Quits Command

San Francisco, Dec. 1.—(Sp.)—With a 15-gun salute, dipped colors and three ruffles of drums, Lieut. Gen. Albert J. Bowley was relieved of his command of the fourth army and the ninth corps area at the San Francisco presidio Thursday.

The colorful ceremonies before a composite brigade of San Francisco garrison troops marked the retirement.

General Bowley reached the retirement age of 64 this month.

Slight Error
Portland, Dec. 1.—(Sp.)—A bookkeeping correction set Multnomah county's October relief costs at \$126,787 instead of \$68,897, auditor Al L. Brown said today. The first record omitted the cost of maintaining the county hospital and county poor farm, he said.

WEEK'S RETAIL TRADE HELPED BY BUYING CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

New York, Dec. 1.—(Sp.)—The nation's retail trade expanded along seasonal lines this week, Dun & Bradstreet reported today in its weekly survey.

Total volume was estimated at 6 to 12 percent ahead of the similar 1938 week.

"Buying in newly-opened Christmas departments," the agency said, helped lift sales volume.

"Consumer attendance in large stores was said to be showing more impressive gains over last year than actual dollar purchases. Clearances attracted unusual numbers of shoppers.

"Merchants continued to note a moderate improvement in the size of the average sale compared with last year; slightly higher prices and the increased interest in better quality merchandise were factors in the development.

"In many stores, good volume in home furnishings departments more than took up the slack in turnover of some apparel lines.

"The largest relative improvement was recorded for cities in the east, which had an average gain of 9 to 16 percent. For the Pacific coast the advance again was less than 3 percent."

PIRATES REPULSED IN YANGTZE SHIP ATTACK

Shanghai, Dec. 1.—(Sp.)—Pirates attacked the British steamer Wulin this morning at the mouth of the Yangtze river but fled in their junks when the British gunboat Gnat sped to the rescue.

Russian guards aboard the Wulin battled the pirates, one of whom was killed and one seriously injured. One of the guards and a Chinese crewman also were wounded.

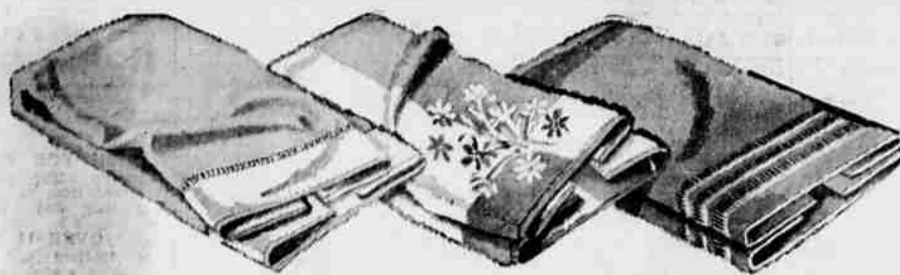
PROMOTER CONVICTED IN LONG EUREKA TRIAL

Eureka, Calif., Dec. 1.—(Sp.)—A month-long trial ended here yesterday in the conviction of Rupert N. Dunn, San Francisco promoter, on grand theft charges. A jury found Dunn guilty of accepting \$1,015 from Fred M. Kay, former county clerk, and failing to carry out a promise to deliver stock in a Nevada mining corporation. Dunn will be sentenced Tuesday.

Utility Dividend
Portland, Dec. 1.—(Sp.)—Preferred stock dividend checks totaling \$1,059,355 were mailed today to 2700 Northwestern Electric company stockholders. The checks paid in full dividends accumulated on preferred stock in 1933, 1934 and 1935.

MANN'S

Toys Lower Floor



TOWELS for Gift Giving!

A Pre-Christmas Sales Event!

Here's good news from the towel section. Our new "Martex" numbers have arrived. This famous line of towels recently added to our other lines gives the towel buyer a most complete selection for personal use and Gift Giving. Shop for Towels tomorrow. Take advantage of the specials quoted below:

Be sure to see these colorful \$1.00 towels tomorrow for just 79c. They come in many lovely patterns and weaves. Extra large in size and superb in quality. An ideal towel



79c
Regular 59c Guest Size for 49c
Regular 19c Wash Cloths for 15c

Here's a grand pre-Christmas special on New Martex Towels. Regular 79c values for 66c each. New patterns, new colors, extra large and above all they are genuine Martex. Buy these tomorrow and Monday

66c each
The Regular 39c Guest Size Towels at 33c
The Regular 15c Wash Cloths at 2 for 25c

22c each
Extra special. Our regular 29c Cannon Towels for only 22c each. Large size colorful Cannons featuring stripes and over-plaids. Your choice tomorrow only. Towel Dept.

MANN'S MAIN FLOOR

New Self Trimmed COATS

Here's the first big Coat Sale of the Holiday season. 50 New Self-Trimmed Winter Coats at just \$11.95. Coats bought to sell for \$19.95. A saving of \$8.00 on your Winter Coat. In this group are new multi-color tweeds and lovely dressy wools in Teal-Wine, Dark Green, Navy and Black. Coats styled in the popular swaggar and fitted mode in sizes 12 to 44. They are new and each one fully lined and interlined. Buy your Winter coat tomorrow at Mann's.

Regular \$19.95 Values
On Sale Tomorrow for

\$11.95



Santa's hat is off to Powder Pastel Fabrics \$5.

for their gay look... their freshness... their delicate contrast to your Winter darks! Wear a tricky turban or brim for the holidays in angora, bagheera, wool jersey, or belting. Heaven blue and Turquoise are the favorites!

MANN'S

The Christmas Store of Southern Oregon

For "Him"

A New Suit from Mann's

Man to man, wouldn't you like a new suit for Christmas? Of course you would. Well then come to Mann's, for here are new models in both single and double breasted styles featuring all the new fabrics for Winter wear.

\$25.
Extra Pants \$5.00
USE OUR EASY 10 PAY PLAN!

Gift Suggestions for Men!

- Famous Manhattan Shirts \$2. & \$2.50
- Botany & Cheney Neckties at \$1.00
- Hickok Belts & Suspenders 50c to \$3.50
- Interwoven Sox at 35c and 50c pair
- Faultless No-belt Pajamas \$1.95 to \$4.95
- Wool Robes \$6.95 to \$12.95
- Botany Mufflers \$1.00 to \$2.95

French Kid Gloves
New for Winter
Complete your own Winter costume with a pair of these lovely French Kid Gloves. Or buy them for gifts. New pull-on and one-button wrist length styles in Black, Navy, Brown and Wine.

\$2.98
MAIN FLOOR



SECOND FLOOR

For "Her"

For Hosiery gift giving or for personal wear we suggest Rollins Run-Stop Hosiery. Here is a three-thread chiffon crepe in the new Winter shades for only

\$1.

Holiday Sale of Van Raalte SLIPS

Buy your Van Raalte slip tomorrow at Mann's—regular \$1.00 "Strypplings" of fine rayon for only 87c. Medium length 32 to 42 in. Cuban Brown, Navy, Gold, Petal Pink and Claret.

87c
Buy For Gifts

UNDERWEAR
MAIN FLOOR



Holiday Sale of DRESSES

Here's a dress sale you cannot afford to miss! 35 smart Autumn frocks in colorful prints, polka dots and light weight wools on sale for just \$5. Dresses up to \$14.95 included. There are jacket types and two-piece styles in a good range of sizes. Come early tomorrow and pick out one of these frocks for Christmas wear.

Regular Values to \$14.95

\$5.

SECOND FLOOR

7 CROWN
\$1.05
PINT

DON'T SAY WHISKEY say Seagram's

AMERICA'S FINEST

SMOOTHER AND FINER AS THE YEARS ROLL BY

Seagram's 7 Crown Blended Whiskey. The straight whiskies in this product are 4 years or more old. 40% straight whiskies, 60% grain neutral spirits, 90 Proof.
Seagram's 5 Crown Blended Whiskey. The straight whiskies in this product are 4 years or more old. 27% straight whiskies, 72% grain neutral spirits, 90 Proof.
Seagram Distillers Corporation, New York.

Christmas Cards and Wrappings On the Main Floor