

### RETAIL SHOPPING SHOWS UPTURN AS JUNE SUN WARMS

Best Week in Ready to Wear Since Pre-Easter Period — War Jitters Subsiding

New York, June 7.—(AP)—Retail trade spurred this week as a warm June sun brought shoppers to stores on trips deferred by the long, wet May.

"The rush to buy warm weather apparel, sportswear, and sports equipment this week made it difficult for merchants to maintain stocks," said Dun & Bradstreet today. "Stores frequently reported the best week in ready-to-wear departments since the pre-Easter period."

"In both men's and women's clothing, volume ran sharply ahead of a year ago, after lagging in the two weeks preceding."

#### Far Over 1939

Retail buying generally at leading centers of distribution averaged 5 to 11 percent above the like 1939 week, the credit agency said.

"Although some retailers pointed out that the brisk upturn might be merely a 'flash in the pan,' most were inclined to regard the activity as evidence of healthy consumer morale," the agency added. "Buying was general enough to indicate that war tension had not brought about any significant

## Two Million Fight in Somme Region



Europe's war, intensified with a huge German drive (white arrows through Belgium), toward Paris, saw the Allies attempting counter-attacks (1)—black arrows, at both ends of the battlefield. Allies bombed Friedrichshafen, site of Zeppelin airplane motor works, in a series of raids (2), directed at industrial western Germany. Nazi bombing in central France, not definitely defined (3)—dotted circle. Italians were reported nervous as entry into war was delayed. Dotted arrows (4 and 5) indicated how London speculated on how Russia might serve as a diplomatic—even military—check against Italy. An Italian report said Turkey was pressing Greece for permission to land troops in the Aegean island (5), to keep Italy from seizing them as air bases.

stinting on durable or so-called luxury goods." "Automobile dealers reported a strong recovery in sales following the slump in the latter half of May."

### EIGHT JOIN NAVY FROM THIS AREA

Eight youths have been selected tentatively for enlistment in the U. S. navy under the government's enlarged defense program, George E. Patterson, recruiter in charge of this district announced today.

Those selected were Harold E. Kilburn, Central Point; Norman R. King and John F. Roessle, Grants Pass; Percy O. Freeman, Rogue River; Glenn A. Cripps, Riddle, and Walter L. Beeson, Verl C. Tilley and Thomas A. Guthke, Tulelake, Cal.

The youths will leave here by train Monday evening for Portland where they will be given final qualifying physical examinations. If they pass the final tests, they will go immediately to the San Diego naval training station for two months of preparation for assignment to actual duty.

Another contingent of eight recruits will be selected tentatively next week for enlistment in the navy, Mr. Patterson said.

**Pony Dead at 41**  
Camden, S. C.—(AP)—Caesar, dean of polo ponies, is dead. The aged horse was said to be 41 years old. Dr. T. B. Bruce, veterinarian, said he had treated the pony in 1907—when Caesar was being ridden in polo games—and determined his age at that time at eight years.

**Cuts Class**  
Columbia, S. C.—(AP)—A student at the University of South Carolina asked to be excused for missing a class and gave a rather unusual reason: "My wife gave birth to a child." The registrar said it was the first time he ever heard that excuse, but accepted it.

### MRS. NELLIE S. SCOTT OF SAMS VALLEY IS SUMMONED BY DEATH

Mrs. Nellie S. Scott, 85, passed away late Thursday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Walter Messenger, in Sams Valley.

She was born in Jacksonville, Ill., April 3, 1855. With her parents she moved to Nebraska where she was united in marriage to Walter Scott in 1883. Five years later they moved to Medford.

She was one of the first members of the W. C. T. U. and for several years was the secretary. From 1888 to 1895 she was the organist for the Presbyterian church in Medford.

In 1895 they moved to Sams Valley. The rest of her life was spent on the same farm with the exception of one year that she returned to Medford and two years spent in Coos Bay. Mr. Scott passed away in 1933.

Funeral services will be held at the graveside in the Pankey cemetery in Sams Valley Monday at 2 p. m. Arrangements are in care of Conger Funeral Parlors.

### TOM FAY FIRST TO ANSWER CALL

Thomas H. Fay was the first Medford youth to enlist in the U. S. army under the government's new defense program, Portland recruiting headquarters announced in a press release today. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester H. Fay of 738 West Eleventh street and was a member of the 1940 graduating class at Medford high school.

Fay was formally enlisted June 1 at Portland for service with Company C, 30th quarter-master regiment, Hamilton field, San Rafael, Cal. He was accepted here tentatively for enlistment by Staff Sgt. Willis S. Estep and sent to Portland to take final qualifying examinations.

Sgt. Estep, who is in charge of the army recruiting station in Medford city hall, has also enlisted Linsey M. Timberlin of Glendale for service with the 99th field artillery, a new regiment being formed at Fort Lewis, Wash.

### T. R. HUGHES DIES IN FERN VALLEY

T. R. Hughes, known to his friends as "Tus," passed away suddenly at the home of his brother, L. H. Hughes, in Fern Valley, Thursday afternoon. He

was born in Brownwood, Texas, August 3, 1876, and for the past 35 years had made his home with his brother.

He also leaves three other brothers, Edwin P. Hughes, Medford; C. W. Hughes, San Diego, and R. L. Hughes, New Mexico. There are also two nieces, Mildred Marshall and Margaret Beer, both of Fern valley, and one nephew, Delbert Hughes, of Medford. Also several other nieces and nephews in other states.

Funeral services will be held in Conger funeral parlors at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday with Rev. D. D. Randall officiating. Interment will be in the I.O.O.F. cemetery.

**Proves Costly**  
Redding, Cal.—(AP)—Albert Vestal, 81, lived "in luxury" at one of the leading hotels here, taking his meals regularly in the hotel dining room. But when investigators found that in addition to \$100 a month from an estate he also received \$33 a month from the county, his domicile was transferred to the county jail.

**A Cow's Tale**  
Pueblo, Colo.—(AP)—A couple of Central high school girls, in a horned costume built for two, impersonated a cow too realistically at a dancing fete. A couple of dogs in the audience nipped at the heels of the make-believe dairy animal and barked.

### PILOT TRAINING COURSE AT SOCE STARTS JUNE 15

CAA Authorizes Summer Preliminary Training — Should Register by June 10

Southern Oregon College of Education, Ashland, June 7.—(Sp)—Word has been received by the Southern Oregon College of Education that the civil aeronautics authority has authorized the college to conduct a summer preliminary course in civilian pilot training to begin June 15 and to be completed by September 15.

The course will be divided into two phases: a 72-hour ground course given at the college and a 35 to 54-hour flight course given at a nearby airport, no doubt Medford municipal airport as in the past. Students eligible to participate must be citizens of the United States, they must have reached their 18th but not their 26th birthday on or before June 1, 1940, and they must not have held any pilot certificate of private grade or higher.

**Physical Requirements**  
Students will also have to meet the physical requirements for a student pilot certificate of commercial C.P.T. grade. All students desiring to enroll for flight training who are under 21 years of age must receive the written consent of their parents or legal guardian.

Inasmuch as all students wishing to participate in this civilian pilot training program at the Southern Oregon College of Education must be registered students, it is advisable for all individuals interested to call at the administrative offices of the college to ascertain the particulars of the course on or before June 10 as this date begins the summer session.

**Ignores Money Bag.**  
Seattle, Wash.—(AP)—A little brown canvas sack lay on the sidewalk in front of the Seattle First National bank. Hundreds of pedestrians walked around it. Finally Pierre Weiss, motor company executive, picked it up and saw it contained \$500 in silver half-dollars. It had been dropped in transferring to an armored car.

**Farming Pays**  
Waterville, Me.—(AP)—By farming in his spare time, Frank P. Farnham, 23, of Belgrade has earned enough money to finance four years of college for himself and his 21-year-old sister, Lydia. The two students, both members of Phi Beta Kappa, will graduate from Colby College in June.

### Meteorological Report

**Forecast**  
Medford and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday, probably local showers tonight, little change in temperature. Northwest wind off the coast.

Local Data  
Temperature a year ago today: Highest, 77; lowest, 45.  
Total monthly precipitation, 41 inch. Excess for the month, 23 inch. Total precipitation since Sept. 1, 1939, 22.25 inches. Excess for the season, 8.26 inches.  
Relative humidity at 8 p. m. yesterday, 87%; 5 a. m. today, 89%.  
Tomorrow: Sunrise, 4:35 a. m.; sunset, 7:44 p. m.

Observations Taken at 4:30 a. m.—120 Meridian Time.

CITY	Temp.	Wind	Clouds	Weather
Biose	78 53			Cloudy
Boston	82 59			Pt. Cldy.
Chicago	84 72			Pt. Cldy.
Denver	66 44	02		Pt. Cldy.
Eureka	58 51			Foggy
Havre	49 52	10		Cloudy
Los Angeles	74 59	T		Cloudy
Medford	73 45			Pt. Cldy.
New York	85 61			Pt. Cldy.
Omaha	86 64	01		Cloudy
Portland	59 56			Clear
Portland	69 53	T		Cloudy
Reno	83 44			Pt. Cldy.
Roseburg	72 54			Pt. Cldy.
Salt Lake	75 48			Pt. Cldy.
San Francisco	74 52			Clear
Seattle	69 55	T		Rain
Spokane	71 53	02		Rain
Wash., D. C.	95 67	T		Pt. Cldy.
Wenatchee	74 51			Pt. Cldy.

### CHERRY HARVEST DUE NEXT WEEK

Harvesting of the Rogue river valley cherry crop will start the coming week, according to C. B. Cordy, assistant county agent. Bings will be picked first, and Royal Ann's next. A few of the lesser cherry varieties have been picked the past week.

No price has been announced though buyers are reported looking over the situation. Local grown raspberries have appeared on the market and will be coming along steadily. They are the first picking of the two-crop species of raspberries. Peak of the local strawberry crop has been definitely passed, Cordy said.

The assistant county agent

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### SPECIALS for June 8 and 10

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Blue Ribbon	\$1.49	Deviled Meat	10c
Kitch. Queen	\$1.49	Corned Beef	20c
Canada Dry Mixers	25c	Olives, Calif. Ripe	25c
Sparkling Water Ginger Ale — Lemon Soda — Tom Collins	12-oz. bottle 2 for 17c 28-oz. bottle 2 for 29c Plus bottle deposit	Corn, Peas or String Beans — 303 size	3 cans 25c
Grape Juice, Welsh, quarts	35c	Tex-Wax pound	10c
Grapefruit Juice 46-oz. tins	15c	Sure-Jell 3 pkgs.	25c
Pineapple Juice, Dole's, 46-oz. tins	25c	Pen-Jel 3 packages	25c
Knight's Tomato Juice—No. 2's, 2 for	23c	Certo 3 bottles	48c
CRACKERS		Wax Paper 125 ft. rolls	13c
Sta-Crisp Salted Wafers, 2-lb. box	19c	Kaffee Hag or Sanka, lb. can	27c
Sta-Crisp Grahams, 2-lb. box	23c	Campbell's Soups 3 cans (Except Chicken & Mushroom)	25c
Jello, All flavors, pkg.	4c	Chicken or Mushroom, 3 cans	29c
Mothers Oats All kinds, pkg.	25c		

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BOTH FOR	3 cans 19c
Economical to serve at table price	Peas can 10c
Pork Roast 15c	Good-Goodie No. 2 can
Veal Roast	Lemons doz 19c
Pork Steak	300 Bunkit
Veal Steak	New Spuds 10c
Cut from fancy pork and veal	Cantaloupes 25c
Cold Meats lb. 25c	
Assorted	
Dill Pickles 1g. size 3 for 5c	
Sweet Pickles, pt. 15c	
Meat Prices for Saturday Only	

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