

## HOUSING PROJECT TENANTS SELECT ADVISORY GROUP

A representative committee composed of 15 tenants living on the federal housing project near the Jackson school was chosen at a meeting of the entire group of tenants October 20. The committee will handle all issues concerning project activities acting as an official advisory body to join with the local management in planning and promoting tenant activities and services and in formulating and enforcing project rules and regulations.

The first social affair planned is a Hollown party to be held next Saturday at the Community house. Children living on the project up to the age of six years will have a party between 6 p. m. and 7 p. m.; children from six to 12 years will gather from 7 p. m. to 8 p. m.; and at 8:30 p. m. the building will be turned over to teen-age children and adults.

A cooperative day nursery is now in operation on the project. Children are cared for by mothers who take turns in caring for their own and neighbors' children in the three-bedroom unit provided as a nursery.

Philip Grady, an employee of United Airlines, heads the tenants committee as general chairman. In cases where husbands and wives are named together on the committee, either may act as a member but only one vote is cast on any measure. Committee members are Mr. and Mrs. Philip J. Grady, Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Lilly, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Reigel, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. Jack O. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Ewing, Mr. and Mrs. John Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Victor I. Eakin, Miss Jane Chamberlain, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold G. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Howard V. Daugherty, Mr. and Mrs. Anton J. Hollmatt, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd H. DeGroote and Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Boucher.

Sub-committees appointed include one to handle women's activities, composed of Mrs. Arnold Nelson, Mrs. James Dickey, Mrs. Jack Davis and Mrs. Howard Daugherty. Handling athletic activities are Arnold Nelson, George Reigel, J. E. Knight and Philip Grady. Parties will be in charge of John Preston, Mrs. Roy C. Lilly, Miss Jane Chamberlain, Mrs. Anton Hollmatt, Mrs. James Dickey and Mrs. George Reigel. Service activities will be handled by Mrs. Edwin Ewing, V. I. Eakin, Mrs. Anton Hollmatt and Mrs. Lloyd H. DeGroote.

## FATHER SLASHES WIFE AND SONS

Gary, Ind., Oct. 25. —(U.P.)— Putting down the paper he had been reading, John Birkich, 31, a war plant worker, walked out to the kitchen last night, picked up a carving knife and returned to cut the throats of his two small sons and wound his wife seriously.

He then barricaded himself in his bedroom and killed himself with a shotgun.

His wife, Mary, 26, was taken to a Gary hospital, where she was reported in serious condition from long slashes on her arms, back and thighs. Their two dead sons were James, six, and Peter, three.

Mrs. Birkich told police her husband worked six days a week as a welder and never drank or gambled. He was usually cheerful, she said, but had seemed worried the last week.

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## Telephone Company Contributes \$280 To Fund And Chest

The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company is contributing \$280—a special contribution of \$85,000 to the National War Fund together with the company's usual annual contributions totaling \$50,000 to Community Chests—to the current United War Fund drive according to announcement by N. R. Powley, president, just received by R. B. Hammond, telephone manager here.

The company's National War Fund contribution has been apportioned to the counties in which it serves, closely following the allocation basis on which the county quotas were established by the National War Fund organization. On this basis, Jackson county's allocation was \$230, a check for this amount, together with the usual Community Chest contribution of \$50, was turned over to the county chairman Saturday by Mr. Hammond.

## Townsend Council District Meeting Is Well Attended

(Contributed)

The Fourth Congressional District Council of the Townsend movement met at the Townsend hall Oct. 17 for an all-day business session and program.

Activities started with a breakfast at which about 50 people were served. This was followed by the business session of the board with 100 present.

At noon a pot-luck dinner was served to 200 guests and in the afternoon 250 enjoyed a splendid program of entertainment and speakers, Floyd Dover being the main speaker, and Mrs. Prentice, with her accordion band furnished a great deal of the entertainment, which was very much enjoyed.

Council members and delegates were present from all parts of the district, as well as the local Townsendites.

## RUTH EDGE GOES TO SKATE SCHOOL

Ruth Edge, Medford girl who is officially recognized as Oregon's champion ice skater, left Friday for Berkeley, Calif., where she will receive further training in preparation for a career of professional skating. She will study under two instructors, Maribel Vinson and Guy Owen, both former skating champions of the United States and Canada.

Miss Edge, who graduated from Medford high school last June, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Denny Edge of 710 Beekman street. She is largely a self-taught skater, having had only 35 hours of professional lessons. She has shown great promise in the skating field, having appeared in several exhibitions both at the local arena, operated by her father, and in other larger coast cities. In competition against some of the best skaters on the Pacific coast, she was declared Oregon's No. 1 skater.

Mrs. Edge accompanied her daughter to California and will return to Medford Tuesday.

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## SPECIAL NAVY DAY PROGRAM SLATED AT WEST MAIN USO

A special Navy Day program will be given at Main Street USO Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. Adjutant Charles K. Cox, director of the club, especially invites all navy mothers and wives to attend.

All servicemen or officers attached to any branch of naval service are also invited. Adj. Cox states that he will appreciate receiving names of any naval personnel home on leave at this time, and asks that he be contacted by telephone at the USO club, number 3900, by Tuesday. Members of the Navy Mothers club of Central Point will attend in a group.

Medford senior high school band will present several naval musical numbers. H. W. Crain of the Medford navy recruiting office, will show a navy movie film, and Miss Cherokee Seller, recruiter for the SPARS, will also be on the program.

Following the program, refreshments will be served by Mrs. Charles Cox and senior hostesses of the club.

The committee planning the

## Rolling Pin Doughnut Shop On S. Riverside Under New Ownership

Announcement was made Saturday of the purchase of the Rolling Pin Doughnut Shop, 509 South Riverside, by Mrs. Ora Freed of Portland and Loren Deming of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Georing were former owners. After a brief period of redecorating the restaurant will open under the new management.

Mrs. Freed, long experienced in the restaurant business, was owner and operator of the Star Cafe of Portland. Floyd and Jeanne Brown, also from Portland, will be identified with the new firm. Mrs. Brown is Mrs. Freed's daughter-in-law.

Loren Deming, one of the new owners of the Rolling Pin, is owner and operator of the Top Notch Cafe here, which he will continue to manage. Mrs. Deming is a sister of Mrs. Freed. The Rolling Pin Doughnut Shop is one of the most popular of Medford's suburban eating establishments.

Closing time for Sunday Too Late to Classify 5:30 Saturday afternoon — Please remember.

## EADS LISTED IN PACIFIC WOUNDED

Washington, Oct. 25. —(U.P.)— War department today made public the names of 230 U. S. soldiers wounded in action in all theaters of war.

Included was: Wounded in the southwest Pacific area:

Tech. 4th Gr. John W. Eads; Mrs. Susan K. Eads, mother, 29 Kenwood Ave., Medford, Ore.

Sgt. Eads' mother stated this morning that she received a V-mail letter from her son last Wednesday, written Oct. 6, and that he seemed to be cheerful. The letter made no comment on the nature of his wounds. The sergeant was wounded in action on New Guinea, Sept. 25, and shortly thereafter Mrs. Eads received a wire from the war department to that effect.

The letter was written in an evacuation hospital, the location of which was not disclosed. Sgt. Eads is very well known in the city.

## GOLD HILL TEACHER PARTY DATE CHANGED

Gold Hill, Oct. 25. —(Sp.)— The annual teachers' party, sponsored by Gold Hill lodges, clubs and the grange, which was

scheduled to be held on October 28, will be given on Tuesday evening, November 2, in I. O. O. F. hall. The change in dates was due to the fact that the first date would conflict with the distribution of ration books, to be held in the Gold Hill schools, October 28 and 29. All parents and adult school patrons are invited and urged to come to the party, which will be a masquerade affair, for all who care to mask. Ladies are urged to bring a pie, any kind.

## 21 DISEASE CASES REPORTED IN WEEK

Twenty-one cases of communicable diseases are shown on the weekly report of Dr. A. Erin Merkel, county health officer. No new cases of infantile paralysis are listed.

Six cases of chicken pox were listed, an increase of one case over last week. Other diseases reported were two cases of scarlet fever, both reported in Ashland, and three cases of whooping cough, all in Talent. Three cases of measles were reported from different parts of the county. In addition the report shows four new cases of gonorrhea and three new cases of syphilis.

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## TEACHERS UNABLE TO FIND LODGINGS

Unless two women members of the senior high school faculty can find places to live soon, the school staff may find itself shy a couple of teachers. The two teachers arrived in the city at the opening of the term from the midwest and as yet have been unable to find rooms or an apartment. Both are living in a local hotel and have informed the school superintendent, E. H. Hedrick, that unless they find more economical living quarters, neither will be able to remain.

Mr. Hedrick states that they will take rooms, or rooms with board provided, or an apartment, and the superintendent is hopeful that this appeal will find quarters for the two teachers.

## RENTAL SUB-LETTING RESTS ON AGREEMENTS

Tenants who contemplate sub-letting all or a portion of their

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rental housing units should first examine carefully their rental agreements with the owner or landlord, Richard G. Montgomery, OPA district director, announced today. The tenant may or may not have the right of sub-letting without securing prior consent and approval by the lessor. If he does not have the right, he can pass no right of tenancy on to other persons.

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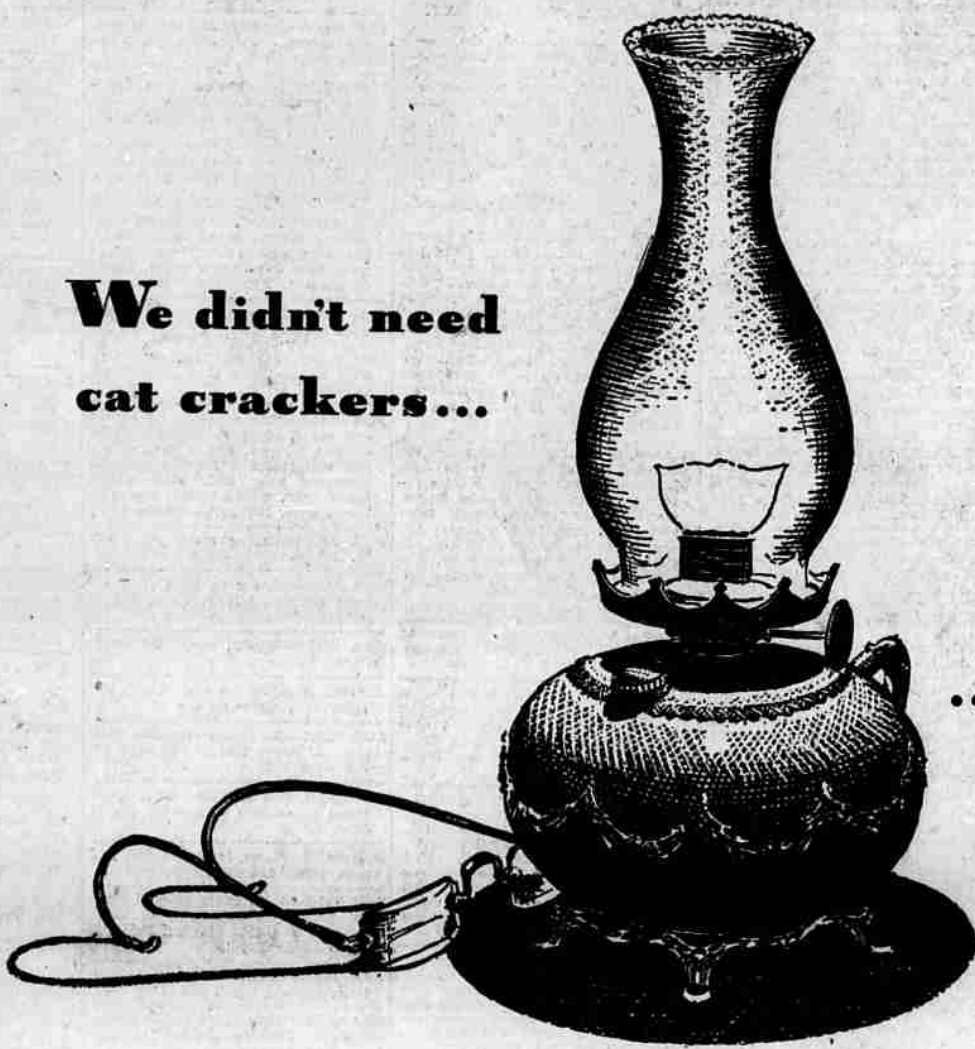
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1. In 1890, when everyone read by kerosene lamp or gaslight, running an oil company was a simple operation. The automobile had not been invented, railroads still burned coal... and people used just three petroleum products: kerosene, asphalt and axle grease.



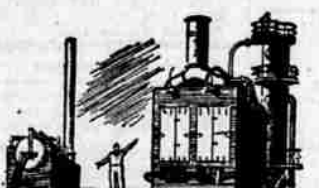
2. We could make all of these products we could sell at Union with old-fashioned \$5,000 shell stills. So it wasn't too difficult for nine Santa Paula, California business men to start the company out of their personal savings.



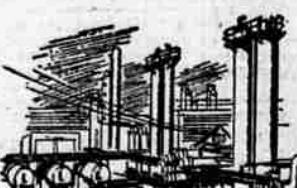
3. If scientific progress had stopped at that point, and father still read by kerosene lamp, we could still operate on that same basis. But it didn't. In the years between 1890 and 1943, man made more scientific progress than in all the centuries that had gone before.



4. As a result, our tools of production became so complex and expensive that no one man, or small group of men, could provide them. Take refinery equipment, for example. By 1919 we'd graduated from shell stills to tube stills — we no longer fed in a barrel of crude at a time and ladled off the products.



5. But tube stills cost 20 times as much and we had to have more of them. By 1926 we had installed a cracking plant to crack gas oil and make more gasoline. This gave a pretty good gas but we kept experimenting to improve it until in 1938 we put in hydroforming units that cost 600 times as much.



6. And today we're installing catalytic cracking units ("cat" crackers) that cost many times more. "Cat" crackers will enable us to make more powerful aviation gasoline as well as improved postwar motor gasoline. This kind of progress is typical of all branches of the oil business.



7. And it explains why Union's owners have increased from 9 people to 31,652. For the only way you can finance this kind of equipment is by pooling the money of a lot of people. Now you can form these pools in two ways: by government ownership or by private corporations. We Americans chose the latter.



8. For it preserves the economic freedom of the individual, the efficiency of a free economy and that all-important human incentive — competition. The system may not be perfect yet. But it has given us the highest standard of living and the greatest capacity for production any nation has ever known.

The company that became Union Oil was founded in 1886 out of the personal savings of nine Santa Paula, California business men.

Today, it is owned by 31,652 people, most of whom live right here in the West—3,628 in San Francisco, 434 in Seattle, 7 in Grants Pass, Oregon, 274 in San Diego, etc.

The Company's profits which in 1942 amounted to 3.8% on capital invested are shared among these people.

Last year this net profit amounted to \$174.94 per stockholder. Of this sum, \$147.42 was paid out in dividends—\$27.52 was left in the business.

In return for these profits, the 31,652 owners have financed the tank ships, oil wells, refineries and service stations that make Union's operations possible.

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