LOCAL and PERSONAL

Pitts Home — Pfc. Harry S. Pitts spent the Christmas holidays in Medford with his mother, Mrs. Almeda Budge and other relatives and friends. He is stationed at Denver, Colo.

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Flue Fire—Local firemen were summoned at 8:38 p. m. yesterday to extinguish a flue fire at the home of N. J. Wiley, 403 W. Jackson boulevard. The fire department reported that no damage resulted.

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Van Dyke Leaving — William R. Van Dyke, USNR, who has been in Medford to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Van Dyke, Cargill Court, will leave tomorrow. Van Dyke is an aviation student at Carroll College, Helena, Mont.

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Bicycles Stolen—Martha Saunders of Route 4 and Lee Saunders of the same address reported to city police that their bicycles were stolen from the armory Tuesday night. The girl's bicycle was a Savage, license 1703 and the boy's a Roadmaster, license 290.

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Here From Idaho—Manfred I. Douglas, who is stationed at Pocatello, Ida., in a navy navigation school, left Christmas Day to return to his station after a brief leave spent in Medford with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Douglas, Rt. 2, Box 55. Douglas has been in the navy since June.

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In East—Local friends have just heard from Mrs. Jacqueline Trudeau for the first time since she left Medford about a year ago, and she states that she is now residing in her former home at Holyoke, Mass. She and her husband, Sgt. Henry A. Trudeau, lived at the Riverside Apartments and had many friends in Medford while the sergeant was stationed at Camp White with a medical unit. Mrs. Trudeau also reports that they have a baby girl, born last July 25.

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Minor Mishaps—Evelyn Stanley of 1105 West Main street and Blance E. McCune of Klamath Falls operated cars involved in a minor accident at Fourth and Fir streets this morning, a report on file stated. Cars driven by Dorothy M. Milne of 1216 East Main street and Jean Welch of Ross Lane were involved in a slight accident at Bartlett and Main streets Wednesday afternoon, according to a report on file today. Clifford Larkin of 1016 West Second street and Robert L. Walker of 4 Maple Park Drive drove vehicles involved in an accident on Main street in front of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce Wednesday afternoon, a report on file said today.

CALENDAR

Thursday

6:30 p. m.—Dinner for members of Gleaners' class and their families, at Baptist church. Followed by program and gift exchange.

8:00 p. m.—Crater Lake Aerie, No. 2093, and auxiliary, Fraternal Order of Eagles, armory. Initiation, final report of housing committee.

Friday

1:00 p. m.—Electa club, Girls' Community club for potluck luncheon. All non-affiliated Star members invited.

8:30 p. m.—New Year's Eve watch party, at K. of P. hall for Knights and Pythian Sisters and their invited friends.

Saturday

1:30 p. m.—Annual turkey dinner for members of Get Together club and their immediate families at Old Townsend hall, 210½ West Main St.

James Advanced — Jack K. James, who is stationed in Alaska, has been advanced to the rank of captain. Mrs. James, who received word of her husband's promotion this week, resides at 331 Mae St. Capt. James has been in Alaska since last May. The new captain left Medford with the National Guard unit in the fall of 1940 and has been on active duty with the army since.

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Posts Bail—Frederick Jackson Harvey, 48, posted $10 bail with city police Wednesday night on a charge of disorderly conduct at the Fourth Wheel. According to police, Harvey struck L. J. Chambers under the left eye with a bottle while the latter was seated in a booth eating with Laura Stockman, a waitress at the establishment. Harvey, police said, claimed the argument was over a card game. Chambers is a dealer at the Fourth Wheel.

Worker Farming Is Latest Racket

Washington, Dec. 30—(U.P.)—A congressional investigating committee is giving close attention to a growing type of profiteering in which certain skilled workers are farmed out to war contractors at rates ranging as high as $50 a day, it was revealed today.

A special house military affairs group has received information that the practice is particularly widespread among small tool-making firms which "rent out" their workers to aircraft companies holding government contracts.

GREW WOULD TEACH JAPS PEACE KEEPING

Chicago, Dec. 30. — (U.P.) — Joseph C. Grew, former ambassador to Japan, believes the Japanese people can be educated to take a place in world affairs that will permit a lasting peace in the Pacific.

Grew, addressing the Illinois Education association last night, said the Japanese must be convinced they have fought for false idealogies. Then they must be rehabilitated to a place in the international scene, he said.

SENTENCE DELAYED

New York, Dec. 30 — (U.P.) — Federal Judge John Bright today postponed until 10:30 a. m. tomorrow imposition of sentence on six Chicago gangsters and a Newark labor leader convicted of extorting more than $1,000,000 from the motion picture industry.

PREPARE FOR PEACE

Los Angeles, Dec. 30—(U.P.)—Big Chief Many Treaties, 70, hereditary chief of the Blackfoot Indians, sent President Roosevelt a peace pipe today. With the experts predicting peace in Europe next year, we must not be caught unprepared, he said.

Use Mail Tribune Want Ads.

LANGUAGE STUDY BOOM IN LONDON VICTORY CAUSED

Italian, French, Russian, German Popular — Japanese "Dead Language."

London (U.P.) — Language schools reported the number of persons studying foreign languages today to be three to four times that pre-war, civilians and soldiers alike optimistically preparing for what's to come after Adolf Hitler.

Learning Italian, German, Russian, French—even Chinese—were businessmen, British and American troops, and civilian opportunists along with the usual batches of diplomats. "And every man," a language instructor told the United Press, "wants to learn in a hurry."

Looking over foreign language London, there was this picture:

German — The trade folded up when Poland was invaded, but the business now is picking up, "and a rush is expected."

Italian—Booming. W. J. Gilbert, British Isles director of the Berlitz schools, said "the study of Italian was as dead as a dodo after Italy stabbed France, but the increase since the invasion of Sicily has been extraordinary."

French — The business has been "enormous" — has been since the Allied occupation of North Africa.

Russian — Busy and increasing. The demand for translation into Russian of technical manufacturing terms has been more than language schools could handle.

Japanese — Virtually a dead language. One trouble has been in finding a Japanese instructor. Another, that nobody apparently, wants to learn it.

Men, and women, with eyes on the shrinking Axis map were demanding to learn in a hurry, and, to meet the requirements, language teachers were attempting to devise basic-German, basic-Italian, trying to pattern something like the 850-word basic-English. Observers said the efforts were meeting with varying success, but "basic" courses were not being taught in the big schools.

It still was taking months to develop a language student beyond the gibbering stage. The director of one school said he wouldn't regard a man as able to speak a foreign tongue in anything less than three to four years study.

Some countries, Holland and Turkey among them, were conducting their own schools.

In the American army, classes were running in French and Russian. Instruction on a lesser scale was being given troops in Spanish, Italian, German, Czech, Slovenian and Hungarian.

With the Americans, the accent was "on the fundamentals." Soldiers, mostly officers, were taking the courses voluntarily in their own spare time.

"We put the emphasis on simple conversation," an army instructor said. "We first teach a man enough to ask for water, and where he can eat—afterward, he can go on from there."

PITCHES IN

Norwood, Mass.—(U.P.)—Even the blind can put their shoulder to the wheels of war. Roger Walker of Norwood, a graduate of the Perkins Institute for the Blind in 1919, spends his weekdays winding wire for pipe covers at the Bethlehem-Hingham shipyard, his Sundays playing a carillon.

The Battle Is Over For These Two Doughboys

Army Signal Corps Photo

Given first aid by their buddies these two wounded infantrymen wait in the jungle of New Georgia Island for the arrival of the medics. Sgt. Morris Hain, left, and Cpl. Hollis Templeton, right, were wounded in action against the Japs. Are you backing up these jungle fighters by buying more War Bonds?

U. S. Treasury Department

13 GRAY LADIES WILL GET CAPS AT CAMP RITES

A graduation ceremony will be held tomorrow at the Camp White hospital for 13 valley women who are members of the Red Cross Gray Lady corps. The ceremonies, being arranged by Miss Josephine Ryan, assistant field director, will be at 1 p. m. in the hospital auditorium.

Mrs. A. S. V. Carpenter, chapter chairman of volunteer services, will "cap" each Gray Lady as Col. Frank T. Chamberlin, medical director of the camp, presents her with the Red Cross certificate, their awards for many weeks of training classes and probation hours spent in the recreation halls and hospital wards serving the convalescent and bed-fast patients.

Receiving their caps and awards wil be Mrs. Margaret Biddle, Mrs. R. E. Carley, Mrs. Leonard Carpenter, Mrs. O. A. Eden, Mrs. E. C. Faber, Miss Annette Fray, Mrs. J. E. Gribble, Mrs. Marguerite Mills, Mrs. Rawles Moore, Mrs. J. P. Naumes, Mrs. H. F. Nordwick, Mrs. Edith Thompson and Mrs. Mark Wright.

Mrs. Moore, chairman of the hospital and recreation corps, announces the start of a second training class to meet the ever-growing needs for Gray Ladies. Recruits for the class are to be individually interviewed Tuesday, Jan. 4, from 2 to 4 p. m. in the chapter office in the courthouse by Miss Martha Fogg, recreation director for the hospital. Physical examinations will be arranged at that time for those who have not received them. The medical social work lecture by Miss Ryan will be Tuesday, Jan. 11, from 2 to 4 p. m. and the lectures of the medical staff at the station hospital will start the week of Jan. 15.

Reno, Nev., Dec. 30—(U.P.)—Fire officials today were investigating the origin of a blaze which swept through the Edickson building here late yesterday causing $50,000 estimated damage.

Craterian Star

Currently drawing praise at the Craterian, where she is playing in "Wintertime," is pretty Sonja Henie, queen of the silver skates and favorite skating star of millions of film fans.

WEATHER

Northern California — Showers today, tonight and Friday; snow above 5,000 feet; little temperature change.

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

Too Late to Classify

ATTENTION ALL EAGLES! All members of Crater Lake Aerie No 2093, Fraternal Order of Eagles are requested to attend the funeral of E. M. (Bert) Kindrid at Litwiller Funeral Home, Ashland, Friday, 2 p. m. ORA E. G. MEYERS, W. P.

SEPTIC tanks cleaned. Phone 5507.

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LOST OR STOLEN—Lady's green billfold containing gas ration book "A," driver's license, tire inspection certificate and miscellaneous. Also small amount of currency. Finder keep money but return billfold and contents. Allegra L. Green, Rt. 2, Box 120. Telephone 3412.

WANTED—To buy or rent orchard. Best of references. Tribune Box 2898.

FOR SALE—Newtown apples, $2.25 box. 132 N. Ivy. Phone 5492.

FOR SALE—Children's C. C. M. white ice skates. Nickel-plated steel blades. 3 prs. size 2, 1 pr. size 5. Call 4331.

WANTED—Used I. C. S. electrical engineering course. Primarily interested in obtaining textbooks. Write Paul Algeo, Prospect, Ore.

$10 REWARD for conviction of person and recovery of stolen Ward bicycle from ice rink, Dec. 21. License 1889, frame J46008. Bikes with frame numbers disfigured should be reported. Phone 5492. D. H. Nicholas.

OWNER leaving town. Must sacrifice 1941 Chrysler Windsor 5-passenger coupe. 28,000 miles. Can be seen at Medford Service Station, Main and Riverside.

FOR SALE—Adding machines, calculators and typewriters. Typewriter Repairing. Ph. 4100. Medford Office Equipment Co., 32 N. Grape St.

LOST—Brown and white male Collie, named "Howdy." Reward. Phone Claud Hoover, 5594.

FOR SALE—12-bass accordion. Phone 4997.

FOR SALE—30 tons good quality alfalfa and 25 tons oat and vetch hay, in barn. Have good feeding facilities. Buyer has privilege of feeding on grounds. Cliff Ranch, off Ramsey Canyon road, Sams Valley.

FOR SALE—Good oat hay, $20 ton. George Hartley, Talent, Ore. Ph. 6963.

FOR SALE—Motor Scooter, 1 h. p. Briggs and Stratton, 3-speed transmission. Attractive price. See S. E. Culbertson, Central Point. Ph. 13X2.

FOR SALE
8 heavy-duty booths, natural color; 12 round-back heavy chairs, suitable for pool room or lawn; 1 kitchen sink, 24x18, with enamel drainboard and rolled back. Call afternoon or evenings. Phone 5479 or 5120. R. W. Hodges.

FOR SALE—'29 Chev. roadster with pick-up box. New tires and good motor. 1031 Narregan St.

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FOR SALE—Hay, $20 ton, in barn Near Medford. Phone 6410, evenings.

VALLEY school kindergarten will open January 3. For information call 3587 or 3284.

FOR RENT—Good 5-room unfurnished house. Tribune Box 4188.

LOST—Gas ration book "A." V. M. Thatcher. Phone 5887.

FOR SALE—New three-block, forty-inch, roller-bearing sawmill. Heavy duty gear-driven rolls, belts, cable, chains, power log haul, rebuilt sixty caterpillar power unit. Box 4187, Mail Tribune.

FOR SALE—White enamel Perfection coal oil heater in A-1 condition. 323 Dakota St., Medford, Ore.

WANTED—Someone to cut wood on shares. Pear trees have been pulled out, roots and brush trimmed off. I will furnish tractor and buzzsaw. "Shorty" Morris Ranch, Table Rock, or write John E. Morris, Rt. 1, Box 267, Central Point.

FOR SALE—Team 6-yr.-old work horses, weight about 1500. "Shorty" Morris Ranch, Table Rock.

FOR SALE—No. 4 McCormick Deering electric separator, like new, $125. John Smith, Applegate, Ore.

WANTED—Ride to Spokane sometime between January 10 and 20. Will share expenses. Write Mrs. Doris Eccles, Rt. 1, Box 55, Jacksonville, Ore.

FOR SALE—'41 super de luxe Ford coach. Excellent condition, with good tires. Call Lt. W. E. Howard, Holland Hotel.

FOR SALE—Underwood typewriter, like new, $60. Phone 3071.

FOR SALE—Man's bicycle, excellent tires. Call at 320 S. Central or phone 7256.

WANTED—1941 Buick sedan. 224 N. Riverside. Phone 4912.

LADY wants ride to Corvallis Friday. Saturday or Sunday. Phone 2792.

LOST—Ration books 1, 3 and 4. Roy and Irma Parr. Call 2068.

BICYCLE—Lady's, reconditioned, A-1 condition, new tires. Sims Bros., 23 N. Fir. Ph. 8473.

FOR SALE—Electric stove and trash burner, $40; new oil heater, 906 West 11th.

WANTED—Man and wife for general farm and orchard work. Experience required. Wife part time in home. House, garden, milk furnished. Tribune Box 4841.

DR. J. P. BRAY will be in his office Monday, January 3.

FOR horse-shoeing, call 3535.

FOR SALE—Small restaurant with living quarters. Doing a good business. Other business demands a quick sale. A small investment will put you in a well-paying restaurant. Inquire White Spot Cafe, 219 N. Riverside, Medford.

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