

GIRLS MUST HAVE REGISTRY SLIPS FOR SCOUT CAMP

Girls planning to attend Girls Scout Day Camp, which opens Wednesday at the camp ground on the banks of Bear Creek south of Medford, must have registration slips signed by their parents and present them either at Scout headquarters Tuesday or at camp Wednesday morning. It was stated today. The blanks may be secured at Scout House on East Main street Tuesday morning.

It is emphasized that all girls, whether or not they belong to troops, may attend the day camp. A full program of arts and crafts, community singing, archery, riding, folk dancing, nature study, story telling and other projects is being planned for the camp. It will be held Wednesday and Thursday of this week and Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of each succeeding week in June.

Those attending may provide their own transportation or may take the bus which will leave each morning from Murray's Maid-Rite on South Central avenue at 9:35 a. m. Camp will close each afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Girls are to bring their lunches, and milk and pop may be purchased at the camp.

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JANITORS SLATE DUAL CONVENTION HERE THIS WEEK

Meetings of the Southern Oregon Janitors' conference and of the Oregon State Janitors' association will be held in Medford Friday and Saturday of this week at the Medford Junior high school. Allen T. Osborne of Eugene, president of the state association, will be here Saturday for the state meeting and M. F. Drake, Grants Pass, president of the Southern Oregon conference, will be in charge of the conference sessions.

Friday a report of the year will be given by V. E. Rush Medford, secretary, and speakers will be L. B. Mayfield, retiring principal of Medford senior high school; M. B. Winslow, Grants Pass, superintendent of schools; Ben Trowbridge, Medford dealer in electrical supplies and Guy Davis, maintenance engineer of the Medford Public Schools.

Saturday morning E. H. Hedrick, superintendent of Medford schools, James Moore of the Sherwin-Williams company, T. J. Norby, superintendent of Ashland schools, will speak. The state meeting is scheduled for 1:15 p. m. and that afternoon the state association and the Southern Oregon conference will elect officers.

San Francisco in 1858 paid \$801,593 for Golden Gate Park's 1017 acres.

ALLIES PURSUE FLEEING NAZIS ACROSS TIBET

American Tank, Infantry Forces Stream North to Destroy German Armies.

Allied Headquarters, Naples, June 5—(UP)—The Fifth army completed the occupation of Rome, first Axis-held capital in Europe to be liberated, and swept on without pause across the Tiber River today in close pursuit of German forces fleeing in disorder toward a new defense line possibly 150 miles to the north.

American tank and infantry vanguards already were streaming north of Rome under orders to annihilate the enemy armies when allied headquarters announced the triumphant liberation of the religious capital of the world in a special communique on the 27th day of the Italian campaign.

Tiber Crossed
"Troops of the Fifth army occupied Rome on the night of June 4-5," the communique said. "Leading elements have passed through the city and are across the Tiber in some places."

(Adolf Hitler was reported by the official German news agency DNB to have ordered his forces to withdraw northwest of Rome to avoid drawing the ancient capital into the battle area. The clandestine radio Atlantic said the Germans were rushing three divisions from southern France and two others from northern Italy in an attempt to stem the allied tide.) (Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark, commander of the Fifth army, called the fall of Rome a "stepping stone toward the complete surrender of Germany" in a message to a savings group committee in London.)

Some Resistance
Despite the Nazi declaration of Rome as an open city, German tanks, machine gunners and snipers offered sporadic resistance throughout the ancient capital yesterday and last night in an attempt to delay the Allied advance, which covered more than 15 miles in the final 24 hours.

A few enemy demolitions were reported, but Reynolds Packard, United Press war correspondent, said in a dispatch from the city that Rome appeared about 95 per cent intact apart from the railway yards wrecked by Allied bombs.

Allied fighters and fighter-bombers swarmed out ahead of the advancing ground forces and rained a steady hail of bullets and bombs on retreating German tanks, trucks and other vehicles clogging roads almost bumper to bumper as far north as Lake Bolsena, 50 miles above Rome. At least 600 tanks and other vehicles were destroyed or damaged yesterday alone.

Lack Transport
The increasing destruction of the enemy's transport, his lack of adequate reserves and the overwhelming numerical and armored superiority of the allies raised hopes here that the Fifth army may be able to overtake and destroy a considerable portion of the retreating forces before they reach their next fortified line hinged on Florence and stretching across the narrowest part of the upper Italian peninsula.

Allied planes also bombed highways and bridges north of Rome in a further effort to stall the enemy retreat. Pilots reported German dead were visible along the roadside beside their wrecked and burning vehicles.

Some elements of the Fifth army by-passed Rome from the east in their race to cut off the German withdrawal, while other forces to the southwest were nearing the mouth of the Tiber river.

All the Colli Laziali—the Alban Hills—between the Via Cassilina and the Appian Way southwest of Rome were under allied "control," an official spokesman said, with the enemy survivors fleeing toward the Tiber estuary.

Northwest of the Via Cassilina, the Fifth army occupied Palestrina and Cave, five and three miles respectively above Valmontone.

Many Face Trap
Thousands of German troops both southeast and southwest of Rome appeared in imminent danger of death or capture as result of the sudden collapse of enemy resistance immediately below the capital. German prisoners captured since the start of the current offensive May 12 already exceed 20,000.

The enemy's plight was further increased by the supposed severing of the only bridge across the Tiber west of Rome in an RAF raid Saturday night.

The British Eighth army, meantime, struck deep into the enemy's flank in the Sacco river and Liri river valleys, capturing Paliano, eight and a half miles northeast of Valmontone and nearly 13 miles northwest of Ferentino; Giugli, eight miles north of Ferentino, and Guarcino, eight miles northeast of Ferentino.

LOCAL BERRIES AT SEASON PEAK

Strawberries of the Medford district are now at their peak and are just beginning to be harvested in the Ashland and Prospect sections, Assistant County Agent C. B. Cordy reports. A shipment from the Trail district arrived today and went on sale in grocery stores.

Due to the low ceiling price and the shortage of labor many growers are selling their berries off the vine to consumers. Grocers estimate not as many strawberries will be canned and processed in the homes as last year.

The cherry crop of the valley this year will be late and Assistant County Agent C. B. Cordy thinks they will be ready to pick by the first of July and a few the last week of the month. The crop is light and late.

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J. THOMAS BATES, PIONEER RESIDENT PASSES, AGED 95

J. Thomas Bates, one of Medford's oldest citizens both in age and years of residence, passed away Sunday evening at the age of 95. Mr. Bates has enjoyed excellent health all his life and was ill but a short time before his passing.

He was born at Eldon, Van Buren county, Iowa April 23, 1849. His first trip west was in the early seventies when he resided for a time in Portland, the railroad not reaching southern Oregon at that time.

He returned to the middle west and for several years he, with his two brothers, one of whom was a doctor, ran a drug store in Missouri.

After the railroad was built connecting the Roseburg end with that of Redding, Calif., Mr. Bates came with his family in 1892 to Medford and has resided here since that time. For several years Mr. Bates managed the Bates orchard east of Medford before his retirement. He was also one of the "oldest members of the Odd Fellows lodge of Medford."

Three sons and two daughters survive, J. W. Bates, Will and Clarence Bates, operators of the Bates barber shop; Mrs. Cora Gay and Mrs. Nora Hamlin, all of Medford. Also one grand child, Warren Hamlin.

Funeral services will be conducted by the Rev. Harry Hansen in the Congregational chapel at 1 p. m. Tuesday with entombment following in the Medford memorial mausoleum. Members of the I.O.O.F. lodge will serve as pallbearers.

Livestock

Portland, Ore., June 5—(UP)—Livestock:

Cattle, 2000; calves, 450. Good-choice fed steers, steady to strong at \$15.25 to \$15.75; one choice load, \$17.15, new high this year; Grass cattle very slow, few sales, steady with late last week's, or 50¢ to \$1.00 below week ago; common steers, \$9.50 to \$11.50; common medium heifers, \$9.00 to \$12.00; canner-cutter cows, \$5.00 to \$6.50; medium-good beef, \$9.50 to \$12.00; medium-good bulls, \$8.50 to \$10.50; good-choice vealers, \$14.50 to \$15.50, few \$16.00.

Hogs, 3500. Steady. Good-choice 180-270 lbs., \$13.75; many unsold; 270 lbs. up, \$12.00; light lights, \$10.00 to \$11.00; good sows, \$8.00 to \$9.00; choice feeder pigs, \$9.25.

Sheep, 1500. Steady with Friday.

Good-choice spring lambs, \$14.00 to \$14.50; common-medium shorn lambs, \$8.00 to \$11.00; good ewes, \$3.50 to \$4.00.

South San Francisco, June 5—(UP)—(USDA)—Livestock:

Cattle, 650. About steady. About three loads medium grain steers salable \$11.00 to \$14.00; stockers and feeders, \$11.50 to \$12.50; few good cows, \$11.00 to \$11.50; aged medium cows, \$10.00 to \$10.50; common cows, \$9.00 to \$9.50; bulk canners and cutters, \$8.00 to \$8.50; bulls scarce, medium quoted \$10.00 to \$10.50.

Calves, 250. Early, package good 215-lb. vealers, \$13.75; lightly sorted, \$11.00; looks steady.

Hogs, 1400. Generally steady. Doren loads good to choice 200-250-lb. barrows and gilts, \$14.75; few 300-lb., \$13.00; good sows, \$9.50.

Sheep, 2500. Quality common to good, choice scarce, slow. About two decks medium woolled lambs, \$13.00; shorn ewes quoted \$4.50 down.

Chicago, June 5—(UP)—(WFA)—Livestock:

Hogs, 23,000. Slow, steady to 10c lower. Good and choice 150-35 lbs., \$12.00 to \$12.75; 200-350-lb. sows, \$10.65 to \$10.85; approximately 14,000 unsold.

Cattle, 10,000; calves, 1000. Largely steer run. Bulk, \$15.00 to \$17.00; top, \$17.40; new high on crop; very liberal supply, \$13.75 to \$17.00.

Sheep, 2000. Not enough wool lambs here to make a market. One load medium and good 87-lb. Nebraska sold stronger at \$13.50.

Portland Produce

Portland, June 5—(UP)—Wholesale produce markets:

Strawberries—Nominal, Oregon, \$2.10 crate.

Watermelons—California, 10¢ to 12¢ lb.

Asparagus—Northwest, No. 2, \$3.75 pyramid.
Cabbage—Local green, round, \$3.25 crate.
Cauliflower—No. 1, local, \$2.75 per crate.
Celery—California (Utah), \$7.00 \$3.50 per crate.
Cucumbers—Hothouse, 23¢ lb.
Potatoes—New California white, \$4.00 to \$4.25 cwt; Texas red, \$3.75 for 50-lb. bag.

Chicago Wheat

Chicago, June 5—(UP)—Wheat:
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July — \$1.60 1/4 \$1.61 1/4 \$1.59 1/4 \$1.60 1/2
Sept. — 1.59 1/2 1.59 1/4 1.58 1/4 1.59
Dec. — 1.58 1/2 1.58 1/4 1.57 1/4 1.58 1/2
May — 1.00 1/2 1.00 1/4 1.00 1/4 1.00 1/2

S. F. DAIRY PRICES

San Francisco, June 5—(UP)—Dairy market:
Butter—93 score 43, 92 score 42 1/2, 90 score 42 1/4, 89 score 41 3/4.

Cheese — Wholesale prices, loaf 27.9, triplets 27.2.
Eggs—Large grade A 37-37 1/2, medium grade A 30-31 1/2, small grade A 21-23 1/2, large grade B 29-30.

Wall Street

New York, June 5—(UP)—Stocks sagged on profit-taking today following the capture of Rome which the list discounted last week by rising to new highs since 1940 in the general average.

Dealings lightened in the main list although a few stocks had sufficiently large turnover to send the sales total above last Friday's. R. H. Macy led by virtue of a special offering of 42,000 shares which was snapped up in a few minutes.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:

American Tel & Tel 160 3/4
Anacosta unquoted
Chrysler 87 1/2
Curtiss Wright 5
General Electric 36
General Motors 60
Montgomery Ward 46 3/4
Penn R R 29 1/4
Phillips Petroleum 44 1/2
J C Penney 100
Radio 9 1/4
Southern Pacific 29 3/4
Standard Oil Cal 37 1/4
Texas Gulf Sulphur 34 1/4
Transamerica 9 1/4
United Aircrafts 26 1/4
U S Rubber 47 1/2
U S Steel 51 3/4

23-YEAR ABSENCE

Steubenville, O., June 5—(UP)—Mrs. Ola Phillips has decided that her husband "has left" her, and she has filed a divorce petition in common pleas court. Mrs. Phillips, who charges wilful absence, has not seen her husband since the month she married him—November, 1920.

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OBITUARY

WILLIAM F. SCHLUND

William F. Schlund, 67, of Phoenix, Oregon, passed away at his home there Monday morning. Mr. Schlund was born at Little Rock, Illinois on Jan. 6, 1877.

He was united in marriage to Miss Gertrude Trego at Colorado Springs, Colo., on July 19, 1904, they lived in Nebraska for several years before coming to Oregon.

He owned and operated the Standard Oil Service station at the Phoenix Auto Court, and leaves a host of friends to mourn his departure.

He is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. A. C. Urdel of Gladstone, Oregon; Mrs. J. E. White, Medford; two sons, Lyle T. Schlund, Portland, Ore., and Harry V. Schlund, Long Beach, Calif.; four sisters, Mrs. J. E. Thae, Colorado Springs, Colo.; Miss Winnie Schlund, Cairo, Neb.; Mrs. Frank Campbell and Mrs. John Ondrak, Ravenna, Neb.; three brothers, Albert T. Schlund, Anselmo, Neb.; Harry F. Schlund, Cairo, Neb.; and Max E. Schlund, Sweetwater, Neb., also 10 grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are in charge of Perl Funeral Home and will be announced later.

ANNE CYPHERS

Mrs. Anne Cyphers, of Rogue River, Oregon, passed away at a local hospital Sunday. She was born in 1852.

Anne Lewis was united in marriage to Frederick Holmden, Jan. 7, 1872, and to this union were born three children, Nellie, Harold and Winifred. Mr. Holmden passed away Sept. 10, 1906. Later she married