

MARY CHARTRAW PASSES AGED 71

Mary A. Chartraw, 71, a resident of Medford for the last 20 years, passed away in a local hospital Tuesday evening.

Her late residence was in the Berrydale district. Three sons and one daughter survive, Myrtle Kelsa and Fred Chartraw of Medford; R. R. Chartraw, Mt. Shasta, Calif., and W. E. Chartraw, Klamath Falls.

Also two brothers and one sister, John Higginbotham of Central Point and Bert Higginbotham of Lebanon, Ore. Also one grandson and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held in the Conger-Morris chapel at 10 a. m. Friday with the Rev. D. D. Randle officiating. Interment will follow in Butte Falls cemetery.

FIG BOMBHELL

Fresno, Calif., Nov. 29—(U.P.) Warning that the War Food Administration "bombshell" proposal to import 5,000 tons of Turkish dried figs would result in an "unprecedented market glut," Harold Hyde, director of the California Fig Institute, announced today that an emergency meeting of CFI members had ordered him to Washington, D. C., to take "all manner and means to kill this disastrous program."

Closing time for Classified ads 8 p. m. Too Late to Classify 12:30 p. m.

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HARTLEY GRATTAN LECTURES TONIGHT

Speaking of Australia, New Zealand and the islands of the South Pacific, C. Hartley Grattan of New York this evening will present the third lecture in



a series being presented by the Medford Rotary club. Grattan will lecture at the senior high school auditorium at 8 p. m., and the public is invited. There will be no charge. The speaker is considered one of the country's leading authorities on the nations which he discusses this evening. Entitled the Institute of International Understanding, the series is presenting material on North America, Russia, the South Pacific and China.

WEATHER Northern California—Rain today and tonight with showers Thursday; snow and cooler higher elevations Thursday.

Community Ceiling Prices Set on Fruits, Vegetables

Community ceiling prices on a partial list of fresh fruits and vegetables have been established for Medford and will go into effect tomorrow, the local price clerk of the war price and ration board stated today. In the past these commodities have been priced on a mark-up basis. It is reported that the community ceiling price arrangement has proven most popular in other cities.

The prices are subject to change once each week, but in many cases remain the same for a considerable period. Changes will be posted and printed each Wednesday.

The following ceiling prices will go into effect tomorrow for the corporate limits of Medford:

Apples—fancy and extra fancy	2 lbs. for 23c
All others	2 lbs. for 19c
Bananas	per lb. 14c
Carrots—1 lb. bunches	per lb. 9 1/2c
Bulk	per lb. 7c
Casaba Melons	per lb. 6 3/4c
Cranberries, sold in bulk	per lb. 43 1/2c
Lettuce	
Head weighing 16 oz. or more	per head 18c
Head weighing 12 oz. or more	per head 17c
Head weighing less than 12 oz.	per head 14c
Onions—Dry 1944 Crop	
Yellow	3 lbs. for 15c
White	3 lbs. for 25c
Potatoes, U. S. No. 1's—All varieties	5 lbs. for 23c
Sweet Potatoes	2 lbs. for 20c
Yams	2 lbs. for 20c
Spinach	per lb. 14 1/2c
Oranges—California	5 lbs. for 49c
Texas	5 lbs. for 53c
Lemons	5 lbs. for 67c
Grapefruit—Texas White	per lb. 10c
Texas Pink	per lb. 11c

Note: Cabbage, peas, tomatoes, sweet peppers, eggplant, beans, melon (other than those listed above), pears, coconuts, and berries, retailers must calculate their own ceilings by using the applicable markup in the retail regulations.

HALIFAX PLEADS FOR COOPERATION

Chicago, Nov. 29—(U.P.)—A policy of cooperation in postwar international trade, rather than a cut-throat competition that would give rise to another Hitler "to exploit the miseries of the people and to multiply them tenfold by another war," was advocated last night by Lord Halifax, British ambassador to the United States.

"We can turn the economic life of the world into a wild scramble, leaving the less fortunate or less well-equipped to go to the wall—or national bankruptcy—in whatever way they choose," he said. "That is one policy. The other policy is one of international cooperation."

Livestock

Portland, Ore., Nov. 29—(U.P.)—Livestock: Cattle, 290; calves, 50. Market slow, but mostly steady. Steers scarce, common beef heifers \$6.50@10; light dairy type down to 8; canner and cutter cows \$4.25@5.50; fat dairy type cows \$7.50@8.50; bulls salable \$2.50@3.50; good weaners quotable \$13.00@15.00; grass calves \$12 down. Hogs, 300. Market more stable than Tuesday, largely 30@35 cents below Monday; good to choice lambs salable \$14.75@15; 250-275, \$14@14.25; good sows steady at \$15@13.25; medium to good feeder pigs, \$11.50@12.50.

Sheep, 200. Market steady, cull to common lambs on feeder account, \$2@2.25; good to choice lambs salable \$12.50@13; good yearlings \$10; good ewes salable \$3.50@4.

Chicago Wheat

Chicago, Nov. 29—(U.P.)—Wheat: Open High Low Close Dec. ... \$1.64 1/2 \$1.65 1/2 \$1.64 3/4 \$1.65 1/2

Portland Produce

Portland, Nov. 29—(U.P.)—Eggs—Small (pullet), 43@44c dozen. C & F 01's—Oregon, 75@80c dozen crates. Cauliflower—No. 1 local, \$2@2.25 crate. Radishes—Local, 75@90c dozen bunches.



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KIWANIANS HEAR FOOTBALL COACH

Kiwanis club, meeting at a noon luncheon at Holland hotel today, had as guests football coaches Al Simpson and Ed Kirtley of Medford high school and the girls' sextet and Carl Winkelbleck, tenor.

Simpson gave highlights of football formations while Kirtley spoke on prospects of Saturday's game with La Grande, telling of La Grande's "wonder team" and cautioning members to make wagers with wisdom instead of patriotism.

Lester Harris, high school principal, spoke briefly. Mabel Nansen, music director at the school, presented the sextet and Winkelbleck in three numbers.

Other guests were Chet Hubbard, Paul Beare, C. M. Hurd, Will Mishler, Adj. Charles Rosnick, George P. Davis and Jim H. Busch.

LOCALS

Sells Bonds—Francis Walker, chairman for the Disabled American Veterans chapter for the current Sixth War Loan drive, reported today that his committee has sold \$12,000 in bonds since the opening day of the drive.

Classes Meet—Two classes in Spanish are now being conducted by A. R. Rutledge. Class No. 2 met last evening at the Chamber of Commerce with 45 in attendance. Class No. 1 will meet tomorrow evening at 7:30 at the same place, Mr. Rutledge states. Rutledge sponsors and instructs the classes.

Wall Street New York, Nov. 29—(U.P.)—A sharp rise in railroad shares to a new high since Sept. 16, 1937 and strength in a long list of special issues lifted the general stock market in slightly expanded trading. The rails again responded to action of the Senate Interstate Commerce committee, in approving repeal of the Land Grant law. Another factor was the announcement of the Nickel Plate management that the road will issue \$42,000,000 in first mortgage and collateral bonds due 1962 and use the funds to redeem two refunding issues outstanding and wipe out a bank loan.

Wrights Return—Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Wright were in Eugene the past week where Mr. Wright attended a special school put on by the New York Life Insurance company covering investments and new uses for life insurance. One day was spent in Salem conferring with Seth B. Thompson, insurance commissioner, and transacting other business. A visit was also enjoyed with Carmen Dorothy, formerly of Jacksonville.

Cormans Here—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cormany are in Medford for a few days before leaving for Seattle where Mr. Cormany will work for the Westinghouse company in a supervisory capacity. Mr. and Mrs. Cormany have been in Stockton, Calif., for the past two years and eight months. Mr. Cormany having served as chief electrician for the Hickinbotham Brothers Construction division there. The couple formerly resided here.

SONS SPANK MOTHERS Champaign, Ill.—(U.P.)—Several hundred persons watched nine boys of the Switzer park neighborhood here beat their mothers, 14 to 4, in a game of softball.

Of the 719 ships built by the U. S. Maritime Commission in the first five months of 1944, 97 were special types and 31 were the new streamlined fast Victory ships, the Maritime Commission announced.

Marine Ace Soon To Be Ready For Return To Combat

Flameth Falls, Ore., Nov. 29—(U.P.)—Famed U. S. Marine Major Joseph Foss, the first American flier in this war to equal Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker's World War I record of 28 enemy planes downed in combat, today said he expected to be ready for combat duty again in about three months.

Major Foss, holder of the congressional medal of honor, was stationed at the marine rehabilitation center here after two attacks of malaria in the south Pacific.

The Sloux Falls, S. D., marine major downed 26 Jap planes while he was operating as a fighter pilot from Henderson Field on Guadalcanal. He also participated in the neutralization of Rabaul and Kavieng.

Renewal Forms For Truck Gas Rations Being Mailed Out

Renewal forms for truck gasoline rations for the coming quarter are now being mailed from the local war price and ration board. For the past year the ration coupons have been mailed without renewal forms being required, but in order to bring records up-to-date, the renewal is being required before coupons are supplied for the quarter starting January 1, according to L. L. Ternahan, board manager. Owners of vehicles using "T" rations are asked to make out the form, printed on a large cardboard, and return it to the local war price and ration board in the city hall by mail. A postage stamp must be used, Ternahan pointed out.

Winston Churchill Warns Against Any Optimistic Feeling

London, Nov. 29—(U.P.)—Prime Minister Winston Churchill warned today against "any indulgence in the feeling that the war will soon be over." "It may be," Churchill told the house of commons, "but do not indulge in that feeling. The truth is that no one knows when the war with Germany will be finished, and still less how long the interval will be between the defeat of the Germans and the defeat of Japan."

Recalling that he had forecast that the war against Germany would last until early summer, Churchill said he now would be willing to change this forecast by leaving out the word "early."

FISHERMEN RESCUED San Diego, Cal., Nov. 29—(U.P.)—Six American fishermen, crewmen of the tuna clipper American Pilot, went aground on the Mexican coast 700 miles south of here, have been rescued by a coast guard patrol plane, the navy announced today. On the same trip, the plane picked up an injured sailor off a merchant vessel.

A pioneer fire started in 1790 by his forebears is still burning in the log cabin of Uncle Bill Morris, at Saluda, N. C.

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NEUNER'S MARGIN ONLY 386 VOTES

Salem, Nov. 29—(U.P.)—Attorney-General George Neuner, republican, was elected to the office at the recent general election over Bruce Spaulding, Salem democrat, by the narrow margin of 386 votes, the state department announced here today.

Neuner received 209,242 votes and Spaulding 208,856 votes. These figures were based on tabulations received from all counties in the state. Officials said the official canvass in all contests at the general election had not been completed.

The Neuner-Spaulding contest was the only general election race that had been in doubt pending the official count here.

LUCILLE BALL'S COUSIN SAFE IN PALM SPRINGS

Hollywood, Nov. 29—(U.P.)—Red Hatred-Film Star Lucille Ball breathed easier today after receiving a telegram from her cousin, Mrs. Cleo Morgan, that she and her companion, Mrs. Jane Merriam, with whom she left Chicago November 17, are safe in Palm Springs, Calif. The message did not say what detained the couple.

The Mail Tribune Want ads.

Closing time for Sunday Too Late to Classify 6:30 Saturday afternoon—Please remember.



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