

LOCAL and PERSONAL

Sergeant Hero—Sgt. Alfred M. Beck, from Yuma, Ariz., army air field, spent the past week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Beck, Old Stage Road.

Ball Posted—Ernest R. White, 43, was booked on a charge of drunkenness Thursday but was later released after posting \$10 bail, according to a report on file at the police station.

Sentence Suspended—Albert W. Calhoun of Ashland was given a 30-day suspended sentence in city police court yesterday after having been arrested on a charge of being drunk in a public place.

Out on Bail—John Norris, 41, was picked up late Thursday by police officers for being drunk in a public place. He was released later after posting \$10 bail, according to a report on file at the police station.

Accident—Martin A. Bliss, 313 South Grape street, met with a slight automobile accident Thursday afternoon when his car collided on South Grape street with one operated by Bessie Geary, aged 14, of Trail. Damage was minor the report on file stated.

Commissioned—Gene C. Rae received his wings this week after graduation ceremonies at Moore Field, Tex., according to a news dispatch from the field, and was commissioned a second lieutenant in the AAF. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Rae, 819 Bennett street.

To Practice—New officers of the United Spanish War Veterans' auxiliary are asked to meet Sunday at 2:30 p. m. at the armory for practice for installation ceremonies. Officers of both the veterans and auxiliary will be installed Wednesday evening of next week at the armory.

Washington Visitors—Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Banks from Grand Coulee, Wash., have been enjoying a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Rogers at 315 South Orange St. Mr. Banks is chief engineer of the Grand Coulee dam and director of the Bureau of Reclamation, western division.

Home on Leave—Arlend Thornell, S 1/2 (S.M.), son of Mrs. Doyle Carte, Route 4, is visiting at the home of his mother on a 20-day leave after a year's service in the South Pacific and India theaters. He will report to San Francisco, where he is presently stationed on conclusion of his visit.

Greetings From India—A Christmas greeting to his valley friends was extended by Lt. Col. A. J. Hemstreet, Jr., from India by way of a V-mail letter to the Mail Tribune, received yesterday. Col. Hemstreet, who resided in Medford for a few years while on duty with the Civilian Conservation Corps, later transferred to the air corps and is now with the China-Burma-India command. The colonel wrote "I wish I were back in Medford again right now."

To Leave—Staff Sgt. Charles W. Lovell will leave tomorrow for Santa Barbara, Calif., where he will report to an infantry reassignment center. Sgt. Lovell recently returned to this country after serving 32 months in the South Pacific with the 41st Infantry Division. He will be accompanied south by his sister, Miss Virginia Lovell, who is returning to Kansas City where she is attending school. The two young people spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lovell, 526 Edwards street.

Spats Improved—Maurice Spatz, confined in a Medford hospital since Christmas day, is reported improved and is expected to leave the hospital today or tomorrow for his home at 923 South Oakdale avenue.

Car Accident—Paul Stelle of Medford was involved in a minor traffic accident late Thursday evening when the Ford dump truck he was driving collided with a passenger car at Ninth and Central streets. Robert J. Glover of Klamath Falls was operating the other vehicle. Only minor damage occurred and neither driver was injured, according to a report on file here.

E. F. ALEXANDER TAKEN BY DEATH

Everett Forest Alexander passed away at a local hospital Thursday. Mr. Alexander was born in Illinois on October 4, 1872. He spent his early life in Kentucky where he learned the grocery business. Mr. Alexander was united in marriage to Miss Grace Wagay at Sciota, Ill., on February 24, 1897.

In 1928 he moved to Medford and established Alexander's Grocery store in the Liberty building. Fifteen years ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis and had to retire.

He is a member of Sacred Heart Catholic church, and leaves a host of friends to mourn his passing.

Survivors, besides his wife, include one son, Sgt. Alonzo E. Alexander, with the army in the south Pacific; two daughters, Mrs. Esther Green, Sacramento, Calif., and Mrs. Robert L. Powell, Newell, Calif.; three grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Ed Blume, Illinois; Mrs. Fred H. Hayes, Cheyenne, Wyo.; Mrs. Edna Hayter, Estacada, Ore.; two brothers, Dr. J. H. Alexander, Portland, Ore., and George W. Alexander, Blandinsville, Ill.

Funeral services will be conducted from Sacred Heart Catholic church Saturday at 9 p. m., the Rev. Father Henry Orth officiating. Interment will take place in Siskiyou Memorial park. Recitation of the Rosary will be held at Perl Funeral Home this evening at 8 o'clock.

Downed Airmen to Distill Water by New 'Solar Still'

Los Angeles, Dec. 29.—(U.P.)—Airmen downed at sea will turn sea water into drinking water with their own "solar still" soon to be put into mass production, the air force technical service command reported today.

The still is a flat, 30-inch envelope packed into life rafts, six stills to every plane-borne emergency raft.

Inside the envelope is a plastic screen, covered by black cellulose sponge.

The downed airman inflates the envelope until it forms a tube 12 inches in diameter, puts two quarts of seawater in it and ties it to the side of the raft. Sun rays evaporate the sea water—the salt remains on the sponge—and the vapor then condenses as drinking water in a small reservoir.

Each still will produce a pint of water a day.

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U. P. MANAGER
Paris, Dec. 29.—(U.P.)—Appointment of Joseph W. Grigg, Jr., as United Press manager for France and its territories was made today by Virgil Pinkley, vice-president and general European manager.

DANCE
SILVER MOON
Dec. 30
at 1180 Oak St., Ashland, Ore.
This Will Be Our
NEW YEAR DANCE
Come and Have a Good Time

WOMAN SOUGHT NEAR WALDPORT

Roseburg, Ore., Dec. 29.—(U.P.) State police today checked the possibility that Mrs. Kathleen Tomlin, 33, of San Antonio, Tex., may have met death in the area of Waldport, Ore., before her abandoned car was found near Drain, Ore.

Paul Tomlin, the woman's husband, arrived in Roseburg and conferred with State Police Sgt. Paul Morgan. Tomlin said his wife operated a travel service and had driven five air cadets from Texas to their homes in Oregon and Idaho. She started home from Portland and wired her mother from Waldport on November 22.

Morgan said it is feared she may have picked up a hitch hiker who stole her automobile. All her luggage except one small bag was still in the locked car, which had run out of gasoline.

Closing Time for Classified Ads 9 a. m. — Too Late to Classify 12:30 p. m.

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- THIS WEEK'S BEST BUYS**
- \$4500**—32 acres; semi-modern, very good 4-room house; barn, henhouse, 4 mt. from Medford. 48 acres under cultivation.
 - \$3250**—12 acres. Old Stage road. Pressure system, 3-room house, modern, good location.
 - \$1750**—3-room modern in Medford. Is cash.
- JACKSONVILLE**
- \$1100**—17 acres; 3 acres cleared, good garden spot; 3-room cabin, garage, good well, city water and electricity available.
 - \$1500**—3 rooms, 2 large lots. Very good.
 - \$1000**—3 rooms, corner lot. Highway.
 - \$1000**—About 1/2 acre, 4-room house, garage, basement, good well and city water.

We are in our new location opposite Post Office in Jacksonville. W. A. CHILDERS, Broker. G. A. KIMBALL, Broker.

STORE and service station and 2 acres of land irrigated in clover pasture, store room and fixtures; 3 living rooms at rear, garage and small barn; also feed store building with 3-room apartment at rear with bath. This property is well located near Medford and doing a profitable business. \$5,250. Some terms. Will sell stock at invoice price.

Also
3-room plastered house with bath, city water, large chick house, about 1 acre Bear creek bottom land in city limits of Medford, including electric range and refrigerator, electric water heater, oil stove with outside tanks and some other furniture. All for \$3,100.

Also
Central Point Property—4 acres, all cultivated; 3-bedroom house, modern, electric hot water tank, double garage, fruit and store room, good barn including Guernsey cow and 3 tons of hay; \$4,500.
L. G. PICKELL
16 S. Bartlett

ROOFING of all kinds; field fence; poultry netting cut to any length. H. C. High, in Merrick building.

WANTED—Electric bench saw. Phone 3423.

OAKDALE Grocery and Market closed all day New Years.

FOR RENT—Attractive 3-rm. house, near brook, new close in. Adults. Available now. Tribune, Box 2074.

FOR SALE—31 model A Ford sedan; first-class condition; \$325. 730 W. 2d.

HEATED, attractive room, private entrance. 504 Penn.

EL RANCHO—1306 N. Riverside.

FOR SALE—1 good kitchen cabinet, 1 round oak dining table, 1 prewar dresser and chest of drawers. Other small items. Rt. 1, Box 534, Agate st., off Kings highway.

SIMS BROS. will be closed Tuesday, January 2 for inventory.

OAKDALE Grocery and Market will close at 2 p. m. Sunday. Closed all day Monday.

FOR SALE—Furnished cozier spaniel puppies, roller canaries. Thrasher's Kennels, south of Phoenix on highway.

WANTED—Lady for housework. Ph. 4410 or 4676.

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FOR EXCHANGE—3-bedroom modern home for larger one. Will pay cash. No agents. Phone 4140, or 4676.

ROOFING of all kinds; field fence; poultry netting cut to any length. H. C. High, in Merrick building.

\$4750—Very attractive cozy home, close in, good location, large living room and dining room combined, oak floors, fire place, kitchen, service porch, two bedrooms, bath, new drapes and curtains go with house. Fine lot, with shade, fruit, rock garden, double garage; all fenced.

\$7750—Ten acres fine land, on Pacific highway, irrigated, good stock room, fine lot, double garage, barn, poultry house, fenced and cross fenced. A good investment. Call for more information.

ELMER HERRIED, Exclusive Agent Dial 3367 or call at 44 N. Riverside

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AUCTION SALE, Tuba, Jan. 2 Best poultry, rabbits, misc. furniture. At Grants Pass Commission Yard.

APPLES—7 1/2 and 1 1/4. Bring consure labels. Walter Tolle, Stewart ave.

ELDERLY couple want work on poultry or truck farm. Write B. C. Sanderson, Box A, Flasher, N. D.

COOK wanted at once. No nights, no Sundays. Best of mass. Plain cooking. Berrydale Restaurant. Phone 5014.

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FOR SALE—Model 1943, 8', Peoria drill. Phone 5923.

FOR SALE—Cooking and eating appliances, box or a truckload. Cheap. Joe Kantor, 3 mi. east of Phoenix, Fern Valley.

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APPLES—Delicious, \$2.55 box. East Side Market, Medford.

FRANKFURTERS—33c lb. East Side Market, Medford.

FOR SALE—8-cu. ft. electric refrigerator, good condition; \$178. Call 4174.

FOR A PERSONAL OR AUTO LOAN

See
THE OREGON FINANCE CO.
43 South Central
A Pioneer Firm

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MILD CHEESE—35c lb. East Side Market, Medford.

STORAGE SERVICE—Two-story brick building. Furniture, carefully handled, personal lockers. City Transfer & Storage. Phone 4664, 38 S. Fir st.

WANTED—1-ton panel truck, '35 or later, 1120 W. 9th st. Phone 4481.

FURNITURE MOVING—Regular van service, state or nation-wide. Phone 2388; Day Transfer & Storage Co., 40 S. Fir st.

Refrigerators Refinished Like New. MITCHELL PAINT SHOP, 608 S. Riverside

\$5250—Five-room house, hardwood floors in dining room and living room, fireplace, concrete foundation, chicken house, place for cow, double garage, one acre of ground, clover, nice lawn, irrigation, city water. Close in on paved street; good view of valley.

\$3500—Six-room furnished house, basement, two lots near Washington school, excellent condition.

I have a few acre tracts, irrigated, nice building sites. See E. Gould, 402 W. Jackson street.

WANTED—Two boys in Junior High for Mall Tribune routes 2 and 23. Route 2 is in business section, route 23 is on east side. If you cannot apply yourself, don't apply. A newspaper route requires intelligence, promptness, application, courtesy and determination. Apply Circulation Department, Mail Tribune.

CAULIFLOWER—Fancy, 25c head. East Side Market of Medford.

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor, mounted with a double drum winch; new Magneto, new overhead job. E. Hamilton, Pittview Lane, Old North Pacific highway.

MODERN—Furnished apartment for rent, automatic oil heat, garage, good neighborhood. Call 3108 for appointment.

LOST—Male Siamese cat, 1003 W. Main, Rexford side, 4716.

WANTED TO RENT—3-bedroom furnished; permanent civilians. Ph. 3193.

FOR SALE—Prewar baby stroller and car seat. Call after 6 p. m. Box 106, Spring st.

COMB honey, fancy, 25c each. East Side Market, Medford.

FOR SALE—Bathhouse, play pen with pad, large crib with mattress, high chair with "aliphalters" and rock-a-baby ducks. All in excellent condition. Phone 3323.

FOR RENT—2 one-room apartments, sleeping rooms; city center. Reasonable. 30 N. Front.

FOR SALE—World bicycle, 1 pressure cooker, prewar aluminum bathroom scales, 1 44 rifle, 1 Davens, 517 Park ave. Phone 2617.

FOR SALE—Turkey, deliver Sunday morning. Phone 6597.

MILD CHEESE—33c lb. East Side Market, Medford.

SPLENDED red cedar shingles. Big Pines Lumber Co. Dial 3030.

NO LIVESTOCK SALE at Pavilion, Phoenix, Ore., until Jan. 6. SOUTHERN OREGON LIVESTOCK AUCTION CO.

FRANKFURTERS—33c lb. East Side Market, Medford.

FOR SALE—Good-sized orchard run apples and Comice quills. Reasonable. Reter Fruit company.

SALE
33 USED CARS

Largest stock in southern Oregon to choose from. Want to close out entire stock. I. N. Shultz, 224 N. Riverside.

APPLES—Delicious, \$2.55 box. East Side Market, Medford.

Friday, Dec. 29, 1944 MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE—SEVEN

TRY Fisher's Marmilk, a real dairy feed. Faber's, 34 S. Riverside. Ph. 4440.

SALMON ROD and reel for sale. Ph. 3804.

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SAVE fuel in winter, keep cool in summer by insulating with Johns-Manville Rock Wool. Big Pines Lumber Co. Dial 3030.

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6th and Bartlett. Telephone 3919.
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YEAR END CAR SPECIALS

1941 Plymouth special deluxe 2-door, low mileage.

1941 Plymouth coupe, excellent condition.

1937 Plymouth sedan, 4-door.

1937 Ford 2-door, reconditioned motor.

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1939 Pontiac 4-door — \$795

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1936 Ford 2-door — \$345

1936 Hudson coupe — \$295

1935 Ford sedan — \$325

1935 Dodge 4-door deluxe — \$295

1935 Nash 4-door — \$190

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CEDAR POSTS
Big husky fence posts of North-Cedar. Reasonably priced. Cameron-Mottitt Lbr. Co., Phone 5462 S. Riverside at Barnett road.

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Sportlites, foglites, batteries, anti-freeze. Get winterized now. Large supply famous Dayton McClaren tires.

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SHOCKING! SHAMEFUL!
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Southern Oregon's Largest and Finest Dance Halls—Ray's Modern Music
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If You Ever Loved a Child... or a Dog...

On January 17th, we'll have a real treat for you... "My Pal, Wolf"

It's not a BIG picture by the usual Hollywood standard... no famous names... no fancy sets or trick photography... it didn't cost a million.

It's just the story of a lovable little 7-year-old and a runaway dog... that's all... a kid and a dog.

It's a story of a youngster with too-busy parents... a youngster who pours all her neglected affection into the receptive heart of an almost-human member of the Army's K-9 Corps.

Doesn't sound BIG, does it?... It isn't, in the usual fashion. But Bigness can also mean "Big in heart... Big in humanity... Big in simplicity... Big in entertainment."

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