

rites Wednesday for Hershberger

Funeral services for Ben Hershberger, who passed away Friday, will be held Wednesday at 11 a. m., at the Perl Funeral Home. The Rev. Louis Kirby of the Methodist church will officiate.

Mr. Hershberger was born at Cripple Creek, Colo., October 8, 1896. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Elita Hershberger, of Medford, four children, Albert, Carl, James and Elsie, of Medford, also his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hershberger, Twin Falls, Idaho; one brother in the armed services in New Guinea, and two sisters, Mrs. John Terpo and Mrs. Lynda Lightfoot, of Twin Falls.

Mr. Hershberger was a member of American Legion Post No. 7 at Twin Falls. Interment will be in Siskiyou Memorial Park and a firing squad from Camp White will offer the final tribute at the cemetery.

Livestock

Portland, Ore., Jan. 2.—(UP)—Livestock—Cattle, 2,100 calves, 225. Market not fully established. Few early sales for steers and beef cows around 25c lower. Some lower grades steady. Few good fed steers \$15 to \$15.25. Common-medium \$10 to \$12. Fed heifers held above \$12.50. Good beef cows \$11.50 to \$12. Canner-cutters \$5 to \$7. Medium-good bulls \$9.50 to \$11.50. Good weaners \$12 to \$14.

Hogs, 1,800. Active, steady to higher on heavy weights. Good-choice 170- to 270 lbs. Largely \$15.75; 275-325 lbs. \$14.50 to \$15. Good sows \$12.25 to \$13.75. Feeder pigs \$14 to \$15.25.

Sheep, 600. Good-choice trucked in lambs \$14. Fed lambs quotable to \$14.50. Good ewes \$5.50 to \$6.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—(UP)—(WPA)—Livestock—Hogs, 20,000; slow, steady to 15 cents lower. Bulk \$12.00 and choice 150 lbs. and over \$14.25 to \$14.75; most sows \$14, ceiling.

Cattle, 10,000. Calves, 1,000; fed steers and yearlings steady to strong. Largely steer run. Top \$17.85 for strictly choice long yearlings, bulk \$13.75 to \$16.75; heifers, best \$13.35; weighty cutter cows to \$50; good beef cows to \$15; weighty sausage bulls to \$13; vealers \$10.50 down.

Sheep, 9,000. Load lot good and choice fed wooled western lambs held around \$15.50; bid \$13 to \$15.25.

South San Francisco, Jan. 2.—(UP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Livestock—Cattle, 225. Steady; good steers and heifers absent. One load 1,200-lb. Low grade \$12.25, medium \$11 to \$11.50, weighty dairy-bred slaughter cows \$9.50 to \$11. Cutters, \$7.50 to \$9.50, canners, \$5 to \$7. Bulls steady to strong odd hear good weighty range bulls \$11.50 to \$12, medium sausage bulls \$10 to \$10.50, cutters \$5 to \$9. Calves, \$10. Steady; choice vealers quoted \$14 to \$14.50.

Hogs, 150. Active, early clearance; steady. Good to choice 200-270-lb. barrows and gilts \$15.75, few medium \$14.75. Good sows \$14.

Sheep, 340. Good to choice full-wooled lambs saleable \$14.50, one package medium to good \$14, common to medium No. 2 pelt \$9 to \$11, two decks medium to good No. 2 pelt ewes \$4.50 to \$5.50.

Portland Produce

Portland, Jan. 2.—(UP)—Wholesale market prices: Cabbage—Round type \$4 to \$4.50; red 8c lb. Carrots—Oregon, large \$1. Eggplants—California 15c lb. Onions—Green \$5 to \$6. Potatoes—Klamath Falls No. 3 \$1.45 to \$1.48; local \$2.55. Spinach—Local \$1.75 orange box; Texas \$1.25 to \$1.50 per bunch. Squash—California Zucchini \$2.75 to \$3. Apples—Delicious, Yakima \$3.25 box, Hood River \$3 box; Newtown combination \$3.50. Grapes—California Emperor \$5.40 lug.

Chicago Wheat

Chicago, Jan. 2.—(UP)—Wheat: Close May \$1.66, \$1.66, \$1.54, \$1.66. July 1.56, 1.56, 1.64, 1.58. Sept. 1.55, 1.57, 1.54, 1.57.

S. F. DAIRY PRICES

San Francisco, Dec. 30.—(UP)—Dairy market: Butter: 93 score 43, 92 score 42½, 90 score 42¼, 80 score 41¾. Cheese: Wholesale prices loafs 27.9; triplets 27.2. Eggs: Large grade A 53¼, large grade B 42¼, medium grade A 48½; small grade A 42½.

Wall Street

New York, Jan. 2.—(UP)—Prices moved in a narrowly irregular area today in a stock market dominated by transactions in aircraft shares and low-priced mining issues. These two groups made up 25 per cent of all the business done on the big board. A few rails and utilities plus Pepsi-Cola contributed a fair amount of volume. But the main list of stocks fell into the typical first of the year doldrums. Prices turned down after a steady opening. At the lows, Chrysler sold at 94 off 1¼; U. S. Steel 59¾ off ½; and Atlantic Coast Line 53 off 1½. These issues came back partially and the whole list displayed a steady to firm tone near closing time. Today's closing prices on selected stocks: American Tel. & Tel. 163¾, Anaconda 30, Chrysler 94¼, Curtiss Wright 6¼, General Electric 39¾, General Motors 63¾, Montgomery Ward 50¾, Penn. R. R. 33¾, Phillips Petroleum 44¾, J. C. Penney 107¼, Radio 10¼, Southern Pacific 42¼.

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Charles E. Gray Taken by Death

Charles E. Gray, a resident of Medford for 15 years, passed away Monday at his home on South Grape street.

Mr. Gray was born in Johnstown, Neb., January 28, 1885. On August 11, 1909, he was married to Miss Myrtle Melcher of Rushville, Neb. Besides his wife, he leaves four daughters, Wilma May House, Medford; Ruby Reed, Portland, Ore.; Zella Fleming and Viola Gray, Medford; one son, Pvt. Roy C. Gray, in the army; two sisters, Effie Johnson of Johnstown, Neb., and Cora Snyder of Campbell, Calif. He is also survived by 11 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at the Perl Funeral Home, Thursday at 2 p. m., the Rev. Joe Brown will officiate and interment will be in Siskiyou Memorial Park.

Medford Youths Buddies Through Oversea Service

Two Medford servicemen who were friends before the war entered the army together, trained together at the same camps, went overseas with the same unit and are now serving as crew members on the same "half-track" in the 3rd army. They are Pfc. Paul Wagner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wagner, 1021 North Central avenue, and Cpl. Louis R. Sharp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sharp, 502 West Palm street.

The two young men went into the army in February of 1943 and have been together ever since, even arranging to have furloughs at the same time. Both have been overseas since before the invasion of the European mainland.

TWO MORE NAZI PW'S CAPTURED IN ARIZONA

Phoenix, Ariz., Jan. 2.—(UP)—The capture of two German prisoners of war by a farmer reduced today to 17 the number of prisoners still at large after 25 staged a Christmas Eve break from the Papago Park camp near here.

FBI Agent H. R. Duffey announced that W. S. Cooper, a farmer, caught Naval Capt. Hans Warner Krauss and Seaman Helmut Drescher last night near Casa Grande, 45 miles southwest of here.

The 25 prisoners fled the camp after digging a 200-foot tunnel. Southwestern scored in every

SOUTHWESTERN COPS SUN BOWL

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 2.—(UP)—Southwestern University had two consecutive Sun Bowl victories to its credit today, after swamping Mexico National University 35-0 in the international New Year's day classic.

The Pirates hung up two new records by virtue of their win, becoming the first team ever to be victorious in the ten-year history of the Sun Bowl and shattering the scoring mark set by Hardin-Simmons in 1937. Southwestern scored in every



ON WAY TO STRASBOURG—Sights of destruction and devastation like this greeted American soldiers as they passed through each newly liberated village along route to their goal. These blasted homes and church were in Blamont, not far from their objective.

period, despite penalties and fumbles that halted several Pirate threats.

It was a return performance for the Pirate, who dinged New Mexico University 7-0 in last New Year's game.

TANKER EXPLODES
Leonardo, N. J., Jan. 2.—(UP)—Two crewmen of the tanker Sunoco were killed and eight others were missing today following an explosion and fire which broke out as the loaded

ship proceeded from Perth Amboy to a Philadelphia refinery.

Deaths in the United States between April 1, 1940, and Nov. 1, 1943, numbered 4,993,000, according to the bureau of the census.

EDWARD BEATTIE WRITES MOTHER

Sarasota, Fla., Jan. 2.—(UP)—The first word from Edward W. Beattie, United Press war correspondent who was captured by the Germans in France, was received today by his mother, Mrs. Edward Beattie of Sarasota.

"I am a prisoner of war in good health. Will be sent to another camp from which I can write more fully. Love Ed" the postal card said. It was dated Oct. 6.

Beattie and Wright Bryan of the Atlanta Journal and the National Broadcasting company were captured on last Sept. 12 when their jeep ran into a German patrol.

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HANDS ACROSS THE SEA—Frank Goldberg, of Sidney, Australia, (left) presents national emblem of good neighbor policy to Mayor Roger Lapham, of San Francisco.



American cavalrymen recently navigated a fleet of amphibious tanks on a 3-day voyage around Leyte, in the Philippines, to strike successfully in the Jap rear! "Water Buffalos," made by Food Machinery Corporation, travel and fight both on land and on sea. It takes plenty of engineering and manufacturing skill to build such vehicles!

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