

# ACME HARDWARE OPENS TOMORROW ON WEST MAIN ST.

The Acme Hardware Store will open Wednesday for business and public inspection at the corner of Main and Grape streets, according to A. R. "Tony" Manno, owner and general manager. Workmen are putting the finishing touches on the handsome new store in preparation for the opening.

Included in lines of merchandise to be featured by the Acme Hardware company will be paints, farm and garden supplies, plumbing fixtures, general and builders' hardware, housewares, tools and sporting goods. Among the Medford concerns participating in the building and decorating of the Acme Hardware store are: W. L. Combs, Johnson and Graham, H. E. Hawk, Trowbridge and Flynn, Brownie's Plumbing Shop, Crater Lake Lumber Company, Medford Millwork and Medford Neon company, Marshall O. Bessonette was the general contractor.

A. R. Manno, owner of the new concern, was associated with the Lorenz company, wholesale hardware concern, for eight years preceding the opening of his new store. Five of these years were at Klamath Falls as bookkeeper and the last three in Medford as office and assistant manager of the Medford branch. George Davis, general manager for the Lorenz company, expressed regret in losing Mr. Manno and voiced his heartiest congratulations and best wishes in this new enterprise. "Mr. Manno has a thorough knowledge of the hardware business and the success of the Acme Hardware store should be assured," Davis said.

## CONDUCTORETTE CITED IN CHILD ABANDONMENT

San Francisco, March 6—(U.P.)—Police today charged Mrs. Alice Swank, 22-year-old municipal railway conductorette with "suspicion of child abandonment" after her new-born daughter was found in an ash can near a car barn.

Mrs. Swank, whose child was born unattended in a car barn washroom shortly after she abandoned her streetcar, told police she had told no one of her condition for fear of losing her job.

Closing time for Classified Ads 12:30 p. m. — Too Late to Classify 12:30 p. m.

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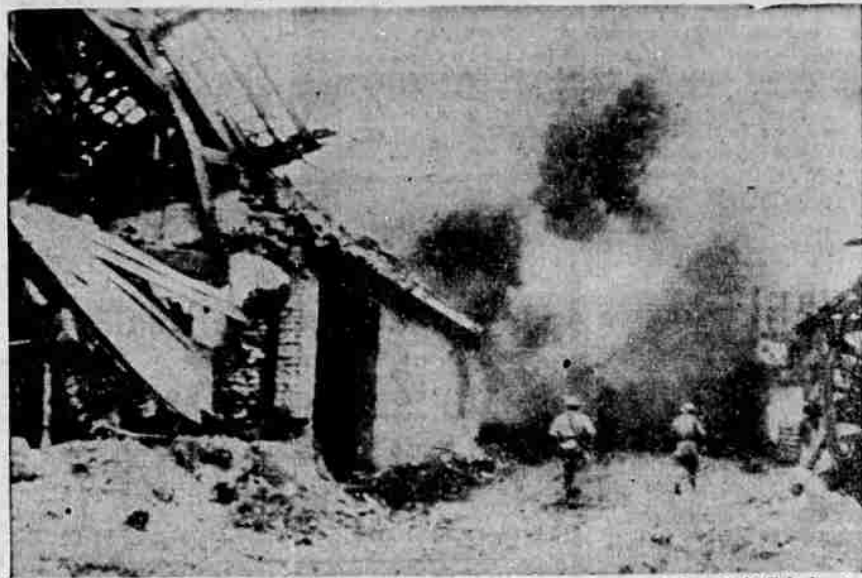
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## Yanks Slug Yard by Yard Toward Cologne



Combat infantrymen of the U. S. First Army slug ahead yard by yard through clouds of smoke from burning buildings in Merselich, Germany, as they battled through last German defenses before Cologne. German reports indicate that U. S. First and Ninth Armies had thrown six armored and 12 infantry divisions into the offensive and that battle was approaching a climax.

## Court House News

**Marriages**  
Henry Conrad Engelhardt and Eunice Marie DeFillian.  
Melvin Franklin Hoover and Rosalind Olga Cramer.  
Ivan D. Magruder and Esther Elizabeth Komesies.  
Arville Lescester Meyer and Maxine Osborne.  
George Leroy Kinkennon and Ruby Malinda Zieschang.

**Divorces Filed**  
Robert B. Wilson vs. Bessie M. Wilson.  
Boyd A. Lawton vs. Ruth Lawton.  
Katherine A. Tison vs. Clarence H. Tison.

**Deaths**  
Allen Adams and Josephine Adams to W. R. Vance and Juanita Iola Vance, warranty deed.

W. R. Vance and Juanita Vance to E. J. Moss and Arnelita Moss, warranty deed.  
C. H. Bobby and Dorothy Bobby to Russell W. Bettner and Martha M. Bettner, warranty deed.  
Emma Moore Wilson to Russell W. Bettner and Martha M. Bettner, warranty deed.

Oliver M. Goss to L. C. Rusko and Grace F. Rusko, warranty deed.  
Annabel Porter to Theresa M. Dickinson and Jay R. Dickinson, warranty deed.  
Rogue River Timber company to Fred Swinth, bargain and sale deed.  
Wesley L. Wilson and Iva L. Wilson to Elmer R. Quick and Sadie M. Quick, warranty deed.  
Anita Blais to Rodger Kenneth Palmer and Leta M. Palmer, warranty deed.  
Lawson and Lillie Lawson to Walter Madsen and Edna Madsen, warranty deed.  
Housing investment company to Howard H. Fletcher and Elia Fletcher, warranty deed.  
Jackson county court to Hobart A. Ditsworth and Clara F. Ditsworth, deed.  
William C. Gray and Anna Blanche Gray to Thomas Ghea and Martha Ghea, warranty deed.  
E. F. Zetka and Frances M. Zetka to George Yockel, warranty deed.

E. F. Kinkens and Thelma Kinkens to W. M. Bowden and Elizabeth Bowden, warranty deed.  
William A. Mansfield to Clara T. Fisher, quitclaim deed.  
G. W. Newberry to Fred J. Fick and Nellie W. Fick, warranty deed.  
Siolkov Memorial association to Gertrude T. Schlund, deed.  
William E. Lange and Amy Lange to Robert K. Wales and Alice Wales, warranty deed.  
Lewis D. Vance and Ruth Vance to John H. Norris and Mamie F. Norris, warranty deed.

Joseph R. Hosick to Virginia Mary Hosick, power of attorney.  
John M. Foster and Mary E. Foster to Waldemar E. Hammel and Jessie Hammel, warranty deed.  
Florence N. Stratton to Adelaide S. Fulton, warranty deed.  
Walter R. Bolz and Eleanor M. Bolz to Archie C. Beatty and Mattie Beatty, quitclaim deed.  
Walter R. Bolz and Eleanor M. Bolz to Archie C. Beatty and Mattie Beatty, warranty deed.  
William H. Fluhrer and Margaret A. Fluhrer, H. S. Deuel and Aimee W. Deuel to Standard Oil Company of California, lease.

Jay Porter and Alfreda J. Porter to Herman L. Ekerson and Gladys L. Ekerson, warranty deed.  
Richard J. Smith and Esther M. Smith to Hershel S. Oakes and Lillie M. Oakes, warranty deed.  
Carrie E. Youngs to Frank F. Manis and Katherine M. Manis, warranty deed.  
Frank F. Manis and Katherine M. Manis to Daniel H. Nichols and Irene Mable Nichols, warranty deed.  
Oscar Blackford to Carl A. Hover, agreement.

Carl A. Hover to C. C. Thompson and Arlene Thompson, agreement.  
Schayler C. Case and Sara E. Case to Inez Cook, warranty deed.  
Alice Peil to City of Ashland, quitclaim deed.  
Alice Peil to Jacob Wetzel and Velma M. Wetzel, warranty deed.  
Isabelle Leever to V. H. Hansen and Nora Hansen, warranty deed.  
Capital company to Phyllis E. Simmons and Lois E. Simmons, grant deed.

F. A. Johnson and Alice Johnson to F. E. Hall and Edna M. Hall, Etta A. Finnerty and George E. Finnerty, warranty deed.  
Martha May Decker, Phillip Arthur Decker, B. A. Miller and Mrs. Elizabeth M. Miller to A. G. Bunch and Fannie Funch, warranty deed.  
Talent Irrigation district to D. M. Lowe and Mattie Lowe, warranty deed.  
A. Belle Anderson to Joe H. Eudey and Mary Eudey, warranty deed.  
William W. Williams and Hattie Williams to Alice Garie and Fred E. deed.

Garie, warranty deed.  
Mrs. Ella Sperry to John W. Scott, warranty deed.  
Albert McCabe and Hazel H. McCabe to Calvin L. Hammerly and Lottie May Hammerly, warranty deed.  
Roy F. Morris and Lee Morris to Edward F. Bolt and Eleanor S. Bolt, quitclaim deed.  
Fred J. Fick and Nellie W. Fick to George W. Newberry, eastment warranty deed.  
Cecil Heard and Cathryn Heard to Archie C. Beatty and Mattie M. Beatty, warranty deed.  
Frank E. Stevenson and Marie L. Stevenson to A. E. Griffin and Cora Griffin, quitclaim deed.  
Kate Hills to William L. Dunivent and Linnie S. Dunivent, warranty deed.  
Frank E. Croucher and Valentine Croucher to June Blair, quitclaim deed.

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Don H. Newbury and Marjorie D. Newbury to C. E. Myers and Cora Rita Myers, warranty deed.  
Elmer N. Childers and Lelah R. Childers to William Edward Brooks and Vera Hae Brooks, warranty deed.  
Ida J. Clarke and Ralph L. Clarke to Medford Irrigation district, quitclaim deed.  
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Frank X. Schuette and Catherine M. Schuette to Medford Irrigation district, quitclaim deed.  
C. C. Hoover and Elsie Hoover to Lester M. Hamilton and Elsie E. Hamilton, warranty deed.  
Barney C. Hampton and Lucy Hampton to Albert L. Heath and Ruth deed.

Heath, warranty deed.  
First Federal Savings & Loan Association of Medford to Herbert D. Good and Stella M. Good, special warranty deed.  
W. H. Cahill to Mattie L. Cahill, deed.  
Harry G. Wortman, Jr. and Clara Wortman to Harry G. Wortman and Ella G. Wortman, deed.  
R. R. Dawson and Mabel Dawson to Ralph Watson and Florence B. Watson, quitclaim deed.  
Cresel K. Whitte and Mary White to Ray Trowbridge, warranty deed.  
Phyllis Swearingen and Mabel Coffeen to Robert C. Davis and Josephine B. Davis, warranty deed.  
Grace C. Collins to Walter R. Atkins and Elsie A. Atkins, warranty deed.  
Walter R. Atkins and Elsie A. Atkins to Guy H. Rheas and Dolie D. Rheas, warranty deed.  
Velma Martin to Gola W. Massey and Mary F. Massey, warranty deed.  
W. C. Hovis and Oeta Hovis to J. G. Houck and Lena G. Houck, warranty deed.  
Myrl B. Garnett, Florence M. Garnett, John H. Grady, Philip J. Grady, Clifton Garnett and Nina Garnett to G. A. Edward and Carolyn Edward, warranty deed.  
W. M. Tetherow and Bertha M. Tetherow to W. C. McDowell and Iva H. McDowell, warranty deed.  
Frank R. Bean and Pearl Lee Bean to Clayton Ogier, warranty deed.  
J. B. Bynum and Maude Bynum to Alfred S. Hilton and Dora May Hilton, warranty deed.  
Sylvia R. Hill and Howard A. Hill to Robert H. Cook and Venetta B. Cook, quitclaim deed.  
Robert H. Cook and Venetta B. Cook to Flora E. Barnes, warranty deed.  
Flora E. Barnes and J. C. Barnes to W. A. Martin and Mary Francis Martin, warranty deed.  
Olive M. Martin and C. E. Martin to Leonard R. Koger, warranty deed.  
Leonard R. Koger to Bert Burphy and Darline Murphy, warranty deed.  
Lois I. Snyder Sullivan and John deed.

Leile Sullivan to Fred C. Sanderand Charity R. Sander, quitclaim deed.  
John Olaf Fabien, Olga Christine Fabien and Minnie E. Snyder to Fred C. Sander and Charity R. Sander, warranty deed.  
Ella C. Willeke to Bessie Willeke, warranty deed.  
Ralph H. Wilcox and Marjorie Wilcox to Edgar J. Littlefield and Jane Littlefield, warranty deed.  
Home Owners' Loan corporation to Harmon T. Blake and Alvina K. Blake, warranty deed.  
Harmon T. Blake and Alvina K. Blake to Frank O. Reed and Florence M. Reed, warranty deed.

**COMING SUMMER  
MAY BE CRITICAL**

Salem, Ore., March 6—(U.P.)—The coming summer may be the most critical forest fire season since the start of the war, the Keep Oregon Green executive committee warned Oregonians today.

The committee has named Charles E. Ogle, Klamath county forest fire protection leader for many years, as executive secretary of the K. O. G. organization to lead the campaign against fires.  
Edmund Hayes, chairman of

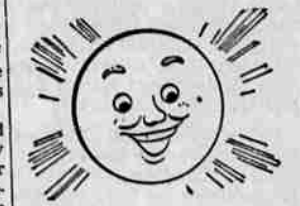
the group, said that the difficulty in securing adequate equipment, the absence of most of the military-age manpower and the enemy incendiary device threat make it more necessary than ever this year to reduce man-caused fires.

The anti-fire campaign will start soon, Hayes said.

**STRANGLES IN CHAIR**  
Santa Barbara, Calif., March 6—(U.P.)—Thomas McCarthy, 7, Gallup, N. M., patient at a school here for spastic children, was tied in his wheel chair so he wouldn't fall and be hurt. But Sunday, Thomas slipped. The safety cloth tightened around

him and strangled the boy, coroner E. G. Dodge reported today.

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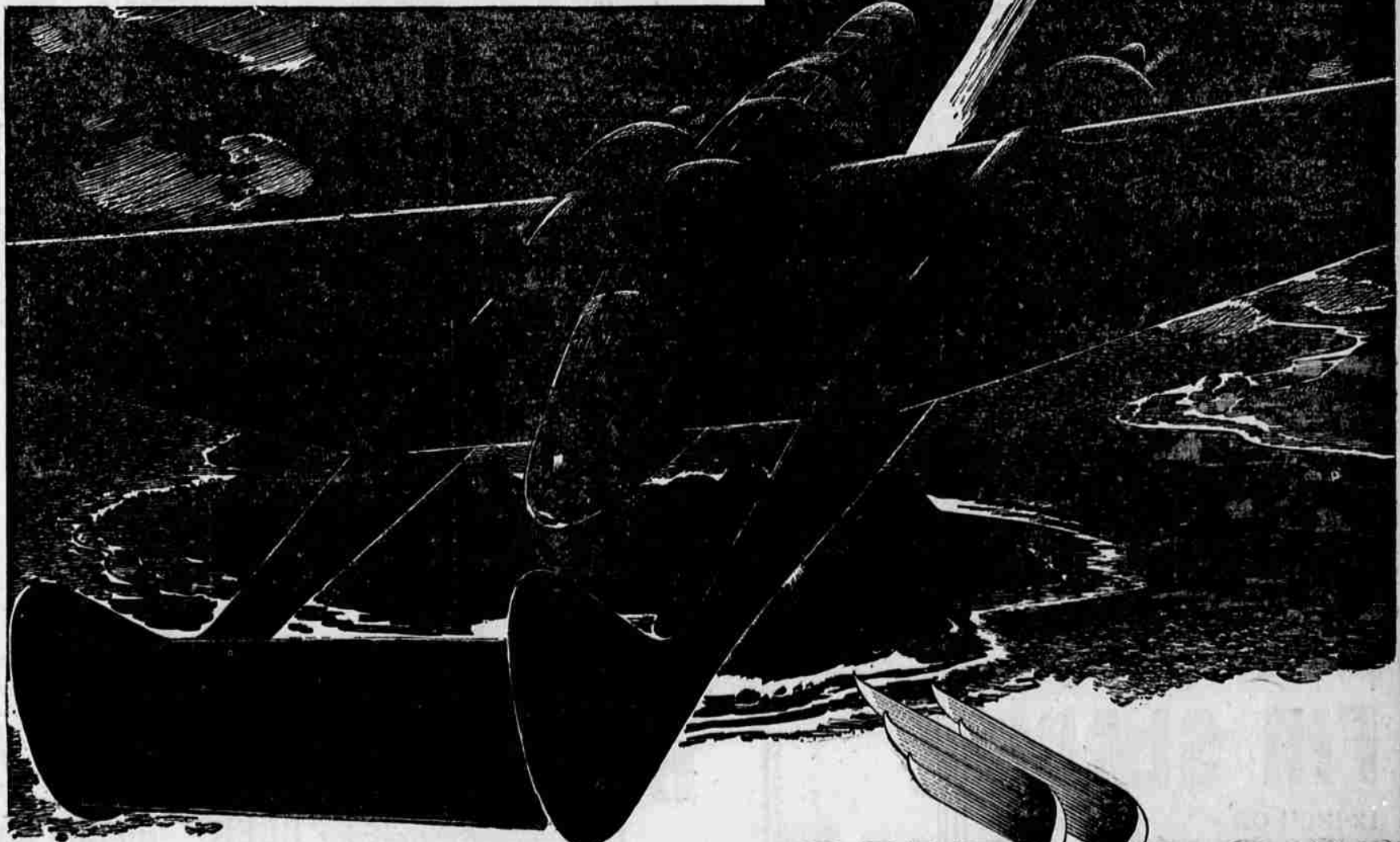


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