

RELIEF PROMISED FOR SHORTAGE OF MEDFORD HOUSING

Some relief for the current housing shortage in Medford was promised yesterday by George Coplan, Seattle, regional director of the national housing authority, who met here with James Maxwell of the Portland office, the Jackson County housing authority and representatives of various financial interests, the Chamber of Commerce and local lumber yards. The group discussed the housing need in this area, and Coplan advised them that some relief will be given soon.

The northwest district has been allotted a certain number of housing units, Coplan said, but it is recognized that the number is not sufficient to meet all needs, and covers mainly essential industrial workers. The housing authority favors rental units rather than owner-occupied units, it was pointed out, and most building approved in this area will probably be for rental purposes.

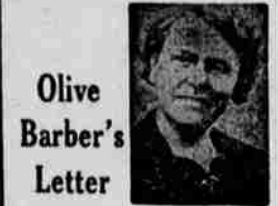
Mark Goldy, executive director for the housing authority here, said today that the public housing facilities are practically filled at present.

Rental basis on new housing units approved and built in Medford will be established by the national housing authority rather than the OPA, it was said.

CITY HAS VISION MAYOR DECLARES

"Without vision individuals or cities cannot succeed," Mayor C. A. Meeker told Rotary club members in addressing the club's Tuesday meeting at the Medford hotel. Medford citizens, the mayor said, showed vision recently by voting favorably the bond issue that should make our city one of the nicest and most beautiful cities in this part of the country.

"Every city has personality the same as people," the mayor continued, "and the personality shows when the city is entered." "People make the city by their attitude toward it," he said. The mayor said a portion of the improvement bond money would be made available as soon as possible so that preliminary work may be started on the more necessary projects.



Olive Barber's Letter

Mall bag: Private Buck writes, "I've just re-read for about the 10th time the letters received during the past few months. So many of them are dated from Hillside. At present, I am working very hard; long hours, too. Not only am I doing my regular work as baker but also the work of the mess sergeant, as he left a month ago and out here, replacements take a long time. I am responsible for all the cooks, stand all inspections, receive rations, make out the menus and a dozen other headaches. I bake about five times a week, and make ice cream two or three times a week. The boys are so

appreciative of any extras, I can't bear to let them down. "The other day our freezer container got a small leak and some of the brine got into the ice cream. I served it, not knowing it was salty. Of course the boys couldn't eat it—all but one, who just ate away, saying all he asked was that it be cold and look like ice cream. I had the hole fixed and made five gallons today. I have a hard time getting ice and salt and sometimes the cream isn't frozen any too well. "Yesterday I made 20 cherry pies. Cherry pie is my specialty, though I like to make any kind of pie. I traded the driver of the ration truck pie for an extra case of sour cherries and now have enough cherries to make pies two more times. Also I traded two bottles of beer for some extra lard. I'm capable of all sorts of schemes if those schemes lead to more pies for the boys. "The cook situation promises to get worse and worse as I am to lose four more cooks soon. They are leaving the army and already are insisting we call them MISTER Parker and MISTER Nichols. Needless to say we have some other names for them! "I gave away two of the kittens; one to the fellows I cook with in "D" battery and the other to the man who drives the garbage truck. His little girl was always crying because one of the neighbors had a kitten and she didn't. She got so she wouldn't even go to their house. I hope the kitten will straighten things out. I kept the red one; one reason being, I can't get close enough to it to catch it; think it is scared of being transferred. The old mother is running around half crazy looking for her two missing children. She is a fine mother and tried to nurse the kittens even after they were almost as large as she and she was as dry as a bone. "Soon I will give you the rest of his letter, telling about Gheko, the pet lizard; and the miracles the doctors are working out there in the South Pacific. Kittens, pet lizards, an Irish lad who wangles pies for his "boys" no matter the ethics of the "wangling"—strange doings in the heart of the South Pacific holocaust.

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What the Girl Scouts Are Doing

Gold Hill
Gold Hill Girl Scout troop went on a bicycle ride June 27. They rode to Rock Point bridge and down Galls Creek road to Dorothy Parker's where they ate sack lunches. Leaders Ruby Inman and Edna Cogswell provided two watermelons, and Dorothy Parker served cake. Following lunch, the Girl Scouts visited an old quarry and returned by way of Gold Hill bridge.

Attending were Joanna Cogswell, Donna and Ann Centers, Beth Eskew, Carma Ferguson, Patty Clement, Lena Holderness, Iris Owen and leaders Ruby Inman and Edna Cogswell, and the former leader, Hazel Holderness.

WEATHER
Northern California—Mostly clear today, tonight and Friday, except for fog near coast and few scattered light showers in extreme north portion. Slightly warmer in valleys Friday. Moderate northwest wind off coast.

Closing time for Classified Ads 8:30 a. m.—Too Late to Classify 12:15 p. m.

Wounded 65 Times



(Acme Telephoto)
Capt. Dixie Keifer, USN, Kansas City, Mo. (since elevated to commodore), is raised through torpedo hatch on stretcher for transfer to hospital ship from Tinian, Saipan, after surviving blistering kamikaze attack off Formosa Jan. 21. Capt. Keifer, wounded 65 times in the attack, refused to leave bridge until fires were under control 12 hours after attack, then walked to sick bay until transfer.

When crossed, they would obscure light.

Heating might be accomplished by metalized designs on walls. Dr. Silverman has a glass stove similar to what might be used. It is a piece of plate glass on which is traced a design in aluminum through which the electricity runs, providing heat.

Dr. Silverman says columns and cornices may be pressed or blown from glass, and glass tiles can be cemented or bolted.

WAR TRANSITION
Minneapolis, Minn. (U.P.)—Paradox: An artificial limb company in Minneapolis is now producing "war heads," the explosive front ends of three-and-a-half-inch rockets, used in pre-invasion bombardments on Pacific island beaches.

BIDS WANTED
Bids requested for painting exterior and interior of Shady Cove School.

All bids to be delivered by August 1, 1945, to Ed Houston, Shady Cove, Oregon.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

No. 7394
In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Jackson, Probate Department. In the Matter of the Estate of FELECITE DIEU, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as Administratrix of the estate of Felicite Dieu deceased, has filed her final account in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Jackson County, and that Friday, the 17th day of August, 1945, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon of said day and the court room of said court has been appointed by said court as the time and place for the hearing of objections thereto and the settlement thereof.

Dated and first published July 19th, 1945.
Date of last publication August 16th, 1945.
MARGARET LUTHE, Administratrix.
CHARLES COSTON, Attorney for Administratrix, 517 Davis Bldg., Portland, Oregon.

LEGAL NOTICE
Advertisement for Bids
Sealed bids will be received by the District Clerk of Kerby grade school, District No. 3, Josephine County, Oregon, until August 1st, 1945 at 7 p. m. for new School Building. Drawings and specifications may be obtained at the office of William Laing, Architect, for the School District No. 3, 303 U. S. National Bank Bldg., Medford, Oregon.

Bids must be accompanied by a bidder's bond or certified check in an amount equal to 5% of the total amount of bid as guarantee for the execution of contract. If the contract is awarded to bidder.

The School Board of District No. 3, Josephine County, Oregon, reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

(Signed) EMILY KELLERT, Clerk to School Board No. 3, Josephine County, Kerby, Oregon.

Notice of Street Vacation
Notice is hereby given that the Council of the City of Medford did, on the 17th day of July, 1945, by resolution initiate proceedings to vacate that certain street in the City of Medford, Oregon, described as follows: Gladys Avenue as the same is designated and delineated on the official plat of Highcroft Addition on file in the office of the County Clerk of Jackson County, Oregon; and did provide for a public hearing to be held at the hour of 7:30 o'clock p. m. on the 4th day of September, 1945, at the Council Chamber in the City Hall of said City of Medford, for the purpose of considering a vacation of and adoption of an ordinance vacating said street as hereinbefore described, and for the purpose of hearing and considering any objection or remon-

strance thereto, which may be made in writing and filed with the Recorder of the City of Medford prior to the date of such hearing.

By Order of the Council of the City of Medford.
J. R. WOODFORD, Recorder.

SUMMONS
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Jackson.

J. T. TUFFS, Plaintiff, vs. WESTERN COAL COMPANY, a corporation; WESTERN CLAY MANUFACTURING COMPANY, a corporation; WESTERN CLAY COMPANY, a corporation; SECURITY SAVINGS AND TRUST COMPANY, a corporation; BANK OF ASHLAND, a corporation; DENNY-RENTON CLAY AND COAL COMPANY, a corporation; ROSE TRAVERNER ROBINETT; and also all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien, or interest in the real estate described in the complaint herein, Defendants. To the above named Defendants: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit and court within four weeks from and after the first publication of this summons which is July 18th, 1945, and if you fail so to answer for want thereof the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in Plaintiff's complaint declaring Plaintiff to be the owner in fee simple of the following described real property in Jackson County, Oregon: The East half of the Southeast quarter and the Southwest quarter of the South-

east quarter and the Southeast quarter of the Southwest quarter all in Section Fourteen (14); and all of Section Twenty-Four (24); all of the above properties lying and being in Township Thirty-Eight (38) South, Range Two (2) East of the Willamette Meridian.

and that said Defendants have no right, title, estate, lien, or interest in or to said real property or any part thereof; that each of them be forever barred and enjoined from asserting any right, title, interest or estate in or to

said premises adverse to the Plaintiff.
This summons is published by order of the Honorable H. K. Hanna, Circuit Judge of the said Circuit Court, made and entered therein June 26, 1945, directing

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A. C. HOUGH, Attorney for Plaintiff.
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