

FINAL RITES FOR MRS. KERSHAW AT 3 P.M. TOMORROW

Funeral services for Tamar Dettie Gregory Kershaw, wife of P. M. Kershaw, will be held Monday at 3 p. m. at the Conger-Morris Chapel with the Rev. Harry W. Hansen officiating. Mrs. Kershaw passed away August 3 at a local hospital.

Interment will be in the family plot in IOOF cemetery. Pallbearers will be Thomas G. Bradley, Ralph Sweeney, O. C. Felling, Robert Duff, Clatous McCredie, and James C. Collins.

Mrs. Kershaw was born on Wagner Creek, Jackson county, August 23, 1880, the youngest daughter of James F. and Louisa Cochran Gregory, pioneers who came to the Rogue River valley in 1871. She received her education in the Medford schools and on June 10, 1904, was united in marriage to Peter M. Kershaw. To this union one son was born, Gordon P. Kershaw.

A member of the Presbyterian church for over forty years, she was active in church work as long as health permitted. She had also been a member of Reames Chapter, Eastern Star, and Daughters of The Nile.

In her early childhood she manifested a marked talent for drawing and painting, her work receiving favorable comment from renowned critics.

She was endowed with a broad and clear understanding of life's problems, and her faith and belief that god must prevail, made her a delightful and comforting companion. She met each trial with courage and without complaint. A devoted wife and mother, her life was given in service for others.

Her refined character and gracious manner endeared her to all her many friends and acquaintances. Her interest in the various topics of the world's drama continued through her last illness.

She leaves to mourn her passing her husband, P. M. Kershaw, and son, Gordon Kershaw, one grandson, Peter, also three sisters, Mrs. Lillian Schermerhorn, Mrs. Josephine Yashin, both of Medford, and Mrs. Jessie E. Douglas, of Eugene, Ore., also one brother, Basil Gregory, of Eureka, Calif. A sister and brother preceded her in death.

War heroes have been decorated with Medals of Honor ever since Biblical times.

OBITUARY

JOHN J. BOLAND

Services for John J. Boland, who passed away in a local hospital Thursday, will be held in the Conger-Morris Chapel at 10 a. m. Monday with the Reverend Father Henry Orth officiating. Interment will be in Siskiyou Memorial Park.

He was born in Lyons, Iowa, on Feb. 18, 1869, and had made his home in this community for the past 35 years. Surviving is his wife, Mrs. Mary E. Boland, Medford.

JOHN EATON

John (Jack) Eaton former long-time resident of Medford and recently of city Friday after an illness of two years. Graveside services will be held in Jacksonville Monday at 2 p. m. Born in Jacksonville on Oct. 28, 1862, Eaton is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Paul Demmer of Medford and Mrs. Forrest Tomlinson of Coquille, Ore., two grandchildren, and four sisters, Mrs. Ruby Fox of San Francisco, Calif., Mrs. Valene Mulholland of Portland, Mrs. Joe Pope and Mrs. Lida Armstrong of Roseburg.

Need Housing For Children Of Vets

Although the people of Medford are proving very cooperative with the new bill of lading office, located in the Rogue Valley Transit depot on North Bartlett street, by listing available living quarters, there is still an acute shortage of housing for servicemen with children, according to Sgt. Jay Saucy, in charge of the office.

The sergeant said that of the many returning overseas veterans who are now being stationed at Camp White, nearly all have families with children and that the continual refusal of property owners to admit families with children is creating a serious problem.

Rev. Baker Speaker Park Service Today

The Rev. G. O. Baker, of the Assembly of God Church, will speak at the Union Vespers today at 4:30 p. m. in the city park. John Eby will conduct the music, and other members of the local Ministerial Association will assist in the service.

The Sunday afternoon vespers will continue throughout August and over Labor Day Sunday, at least, according to Milo C. Ross, president of the association. The public is invited to attend the services.

Closing time for Sunday Too Late to Classify 4:00 Saturday afternoon. Please remember.

JULY SLIGHTLY WARMER, DRIER THAN AVERAGE

Monthly report issued Friday by the U. S. weather bureau here showed that July of this year was somewhat warmer than normal with a deficiency of rainfall of .36 inches.

Mean maximum temperature for the month was 92.5 degrees as compared with the average monthly mean maximum of 90.7 degrees. The monthly mean minimum was 55.8 degrees while the average lowest temperature for past years is 54.7 degrees. This gives an average monthly temperature of 74.2 degrees, or 1.5 degrees above the normal average of 72.7 degrees.

On July 1 and 8 temperature registered 100 degrees. Lowest temperature was 49 degrees on the fourth. Highest ever recorded for any July was 110 degrees on July 16th in 1911. Thirty-nine degrees on July 2, 1921, was the lowest ever recorded.

No measurable precipitation fell at the bureau during the month, but rain from thunder storms fell in spotted areas of the valley on July 10 and 23. A trace of rain fell on the 18th.

There were 25 clear days, four partly cloudy days and two cloudy days, according to the report.

With exception of the very warm days during the first of the month, the weather was fine, good for crops in the valley, according to C. B. Cordy, assistant county agricultural agent.

ARTHUR M'MAHAN, STATE POLITICAL FIGURE, STRICKEN

Albany, Ore., Aug. 4—(U.P.)—Funeral services will be held Tuesday in Albany for Arthur K. McMahan, Albany attorney and statewide Oregon political figure, who died last night at Vida on a fishing trip.

McMahan was stricken suddenly while at the summer home of a friend. He had been associated in law since 1924 with Willard Marks, president of the state board of higher education. He was a former president of the Oregon State Bar association, member of the board of governors, and a former chairman of the state liquor control commission, as well as serving in the state legislature. He also occupied a number of Democratic party posts.

He was born at Drain, Ore., in 1892 and attended school at Harrisburg. While working as a timekeeper on the railroad, he suffered the loss of an arm. Following this, he turned to law in 1914, entering Willamette University and practicing in the office of Weatherford and Wyatt in Albany. He was admitted to the bar in 1920.

Boy Scout News

Cub Pack No. 2 met at the Lincoln school gym Thursday night with two boys, Jerry Besonette and Ernest Rogers, receiving Bobcat pins and Jerry Dailey and his twin brother, Derry, receiving gold honor points.

A music program was provided by members of Den No. 2.

STARS SHUN PUBLICITY
Hollywood, Aug. 4—(U.P.)—Movie Stars John Garfield and Rita Hayworth today informed their studios they did not want studio publicists still on the job to use them in any forthcoming publicity releases, the Screen Publicists Guild said.

GIRL SCOUT CAMP OPENS THURSDAY AT LAKE O'WOODS

Girl Scout camp at Lake O' Woods opens Aug. 9 with over 90 campers registered for each of the two weeks periods. Buses will leave the Scout house on East Main street Aug. 9 and 16 at 9 a. m. to transport girls and leaders to the lake site, where they will occupy the Boy Scout cabins which will be vacated by the boys Aug. 8.

An outstanding staff has been secured to direct camping activities, according to Mrs. Everett Faber, chairman. Mrs. Marjorie Hopkins, camp director, will be assisted by the Mesdames Don Zeis, Rollin Jones, Ival Murray, H. C. Obye, Douglas Guiberson, Roy Byrd, Rose Hutton Ramin, Nadja Scroggins and the Misses Joan Walker, Jean Rouch, Norene Bohnert, Carlin Platt, Barbara Olsen, Barbara Osten, Marilyn Christlieb, and Joan Adler.

Four separate units have been set up, so the program can be planned for specific age groups, allowing more personal supervision for individual campers, the directors state.

Six qualified life savers, experienced instructors and boatmen, will be stationed at the waterfront at all times, along with additional strong swimmers.

Camp directors today issued a plea to Scouts and friends not attending camp to assist in the food problem if possible. Each camper gives her red and blue food stamp for each week at camp, but the committee in charge of buying food states that the stamps are not sufficient.

The local OPA was unable to procure special food allotments from the state office and only 11 pounds of sugar was secured, directors say.

Rev. Sitton Speaks At Service Tonight

The Rev. and Mrs. John W. Sitton, field representatives of the servicemen's department of the Gospel Publishing House, Springfield, Mo., will conduct services at the Assembly of God Church tonight at 7:45 o'clock. Rev. Sitton, a world war veteran, has traveled thousands of miles in the service men's interest.

Those with friends or relatives in the service are especially invited. The church will be decorated with flags.

KISSES CAUSE KILLING
Los Angeles, Aug. 4—(U.P.)—Roy Hale, 33, an aircraft worker who explained he shot a woman friend because her "kisses made me nervous," is expected to be given a sanity hearing. Lt. Ray T. Hopkinson, of the Sheriff's Bureau of Investigation, said tonight.

BIRTHS

RICE—To Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, 610 W. 10th St., August 4, 1945, a boy, 7½ lbs., at Community Hospital.

What's Doing at U. S. O.

Accordion Troopers and Tiny Tots of Mrs. Eve Prentice will entertain guests of the Riverside USO at 7 o'clock tonight following the serving from the Pantry Shelf which begins at 6 p. m. by the Lady Elks.

The regular dance will be held tomorrow night at 8 o'clock with the SCU band.

Rev. Hansen Holds Memorial Service For Crash Victims

The Rev. Harry Hansen, pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Medford, left Saturday morning for Portland where he conducted memorial services at 9 o'clock Saturday night for four victims of the plane wreck in Rogue River National Forest a week earlier.

The Medford minister was asked Friday by Portland relatives and friends of the three Portland persons who lost their lives, to conduct the services there. Rev. Hansen was a member of the burial party which went to the scene of the wreck, 40 miles from Medford on Butte Fork, Wednesday. Bodies of Sylvan L. Gosliner, his wife and her sister, Mrs. Alma Finley Pratt of Portland, and Robert L. Armstrong of Lindsay, Calif., pilot and owner of the plane, were buried near the wreckage and Rev. Hansen read simple burial services over their forest graves.

Returning to Medford last night after the memorial service, Rev. Hansen will conduct regular services today at the Presbyterian church.

Approximately 25,000,000 persons held \$50 Liberty Loan Bonds at the end of World War I. Five issues of Liberty Loan Bonds were sold from 1917 through 1919, with a subscription of more than \$5,000,000,000.

TILLAMOOK FIRE CURBED; FALLING HUMIDITY FRETS

Portland, Ore., Aug. 4—(U.P.)—Loggers and soldiers today gained the upper hand on the nearly month-old Tillamook burn in western Oregon although falling humidity over the weekend left the fire in a critical stage.

Bulldozers, truck and portable pumps and hand tools were used by hundreds of fire fighters to consolidate gains against the fire made in the past few days. Spot fires were still raging within the 225,000 acre checkerboard area but backfires and wide bulldozer fire trails were gradually hemming them in.

It was the first time since the fire started on July 11 along the Willson river that the fire fighters approached even odds in the continuing battle to save green timber, partially reforested lands, lumber camps and city watersheds.

LADINO CLOVER CROP HARVEST STARTS SOON

Certification of an estimated 2,200 acres of ladino clover in the county has started and threshing of the seed crop will start as soon as grain threshing now under way is completed. The ladino harvest is due to start the last week of the month, and early in September.

Grain threshing is expected to start in the Applegate next week.

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

ROSEBURG WILL HAVE CROSS ARM FACTORY

Roseburg, Aug. 4—The American Cross Arm Co., Inc., will start construction this month on a mill at Roseburg to produce cross arms and other highly specialized wood products, it was announced today by P. N. Coleman, president.

The mill, to be located immediately east of the Roseburg city limits, will furnish employment for from 35 to 50 men and is expected to be in operation by early November, Mr. Coleman states. It will utilize from 12 to 15 million board feet of high grade lumber annually furnishing an open market for better grades from small nearby mills.

Yank Troops Dock At Eastern Pier

New York, Aug. 4—(U.P.)—The Sea Tiger, carrying 2,065 troops, including detachments of the 45th Division, docked early today off Piermont, N. Y.

The Sea Tiger was the first of 10 ships, carrying a total of 4,569 American troops, to dock here today.

Those aboard the Tiger were sent to Camp Shanks, N. Y.

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YANK SUB OVERDUE

Washington, Aug. 4—(U.P.)—The 1523-ton U. S. Submarine Snook is overdue from patrol and presumed lost, the Navy announced today. The vessel presumably was lost in far eastern waters.

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