

# LOCAL and PERSONAL

**Grass Fire**—A grass fire at the end of Bennett street was extinguished by firemen yesterday evening and no damage was reported.

**Gilliland Home**—Lewis Gilliland II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gilliland, 16 Corning Court, arrived home Saturday to spend a two weeks annual leave from the air technical service at McClellan field, Sacramento, Calif., with his parents here.

**Announce Figures**—Marriage licenses issued during August numbered 41, and divorce suits filed totaled 39, according to the records of the county clerk's office. As in July, it was a close race with the figures for both approximately the same.

**Returns**—Mrs. Max Leischner, 906 West Fourth street, returned to her home here today from Portland. Mrs. Leischner went to Portland about a week ago for the funeral of her father, Albert Janits, who passed away in Sacred Heart hospital here.

**Returns**—Miss Kay Gentner, 22 Groveland avenue, returned to her duties at the First National bank yesterday following her recovery from a recent illness. Miss Gentner spent the past ten days at Smith River, Calif., and returned Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Gentner.

**Truck Mishap**—Slight damage was caused to a pickup truck operated by Margaret M. Harper yesterday when the casting of the steering wheel of the truck broke while she was driving north on North Riverside avenue. City police reported today. The truck came to rest against a tree at 1103 North Riverside avenue after jumping the curb.

**In States**—Pfc. William Denzie Wood arrived in the United States Monday by plane from Guam, after 18 months in the Pacific theater, according to a phone call from Pfc. Wood, in San Francisco, to his wife, who resides at 329 North Bartlett street. Wood, who was injured while with the 47th engineers on Okinawa, expects to be stationed in the States in the future. He is the son of Mrs. Clarence Pankey, 321 Apple street.

**Mrs. Latham Home**—Mrs. Ethel Latham, 822 South Oakdale avenue, returned to Medford Monday night from Portland. While there Mrs. Latham attended capping ceremonies held at Providence Hospital Sunday for members of the United States Cadet Nurses corps now in training there, her daughter, Miss Betty Latham, being a member of the class. Mrs. Latham was accompanied to Portland by another daughter, Mrs. Eugene Peterson of Roseburg.

**Captain Returning**—Capt. Robert T. Iven, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore H. Iven, 1006 West Fourth street, has been returned to the continental United States from the Pacific war theater according to a release from the army. Capt. Iven, who has been in the army since October of 1940 had been overseas 10 months and with his air corps unit participated in the offensive against Japan. He recently was stationed on Tinian in the Marianas Islands. Capt. Iven wears the Asiatic-Pacific Ribbon and two battle stars, the release states.

**Couple Here**—Adj. and Mrs. Charles K. Cox, former Medford residents, are in Medford and are guests at the home of Mrs. Cox' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Towndrow, 1035 West Tenth street. Since leaving Medford about two years ago Adj. and Mrs. Cox have been directors of the Salvation Army USO center at Tacoma, Wash., and are now en route to San Francisco where they will become directors of the Market Street Salvation Army center for the USO. Adj. Cox was head of the Medford Salvation Army corps when first coming to Medford and later, with Mrs. Cox, directed the West Main Street USO here for several months.

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**TONIGHT**  
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## CALENDAR

**Thursday**  
8:00 p. m.—Royal Neighbors of America, initiation at KP hall. Officers asked to wear formal.  
8:00 p. m.—Adarel Chapter No. 3, O.E.S., Jacksonville, stated communication.

**To Portland**—Mrs. John Wilkinson and young son, Donald, 714 Park street, and her mother, Mrs. Anna Miksche, 120 South Oakdale avenue, were to leave the city this morning for a visit in Portland.

**Visitors Here**—Mr. and Mrs. D. F. O'Rourke of San Francisco are in Medford for a visit of two weeks, having arrived here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Gerhardt and son, who motored to Dunsmuir to meet the O'Rourkes. Mrs. O'Rourke is the former Harriet Gerhardt.

**Lieutenant Home**—Lt. (jg) Leighton Platt arrived in Medford Sept. 2 and is spending a 30-day leave with his father, H. F. Platt, 815 East Jackson boulevard. Lt. Platt has served two years in the Pacific theater. He reports to San Diego Oct. 1 for reassignment.

**Moves Business**—Jim Grimes is this week moving his barber shop from the Medford Center building to a new location, 423 East Main street, across from the Roxy theater. Grimes states that he will be open for business Sept. 8. He operated in the former location for eight years.

**Tollsons Here**—Sgt. and Mrs. Ted Tollson are spending 30 days in the city visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Fassel, 40 North Peach street. The Tollsons arrived in Medford from Petrolia, Tex., where they visited with the sergeant's father. Sgt. Tollson, on convalescent furlough from Hammond general hospital, Modesto, Calif., was wounded last October while in action with the 91st division in Italy.

**Receives Medal**—Pfc. Cecil E. Rogers, infantry rifleman in the 43rd, or Winged Victory Division, has been awarded the purple heart medal for wounds received March 14 while in combat against the Japanese on Luzon Island, the Philippines, an army dispatch states. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Rogers of Butte Falls. Pfc. Rogers has returned to duty with the 43rd Division, which has seen action in four major campaigns during 33 months in the Pacific theater, the release states.

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**TOMORROW**



Plus  
ACTION ON THE  
OPEN RANGE  
**South of DIXIE**

**Infant Dies**—News of the death of the infant daughter of Lt. and Mrs. Carl G. Casperson, Sioux City, Ia., has been received here. The child passed away Aug. 18. Mrs. Casperson is the former Avonne Rae of Medford.

**Merchant Mariner Home**—Kenneth Hamner arrived home Sunday from Long Beach, Calif., where he has been stationed for the past eight months with the merchant marine. Hamner, his wife and daughter, reside at the Holland hotel.

**Committee To Meet**—The committee for Community Aids to Veterans will meet Friday evening of this week to hear a talk by E. L. Knight, new representative of the National Veterans' Administration for Jackson county. The meeting is scheduled for 8 p. m. at the Red Cross chapter office in the courthouse.

**Lantz' Leaving**—Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lantz and sons, Kenneth and Carrol, who made their home in Medford since 1935, plan to leave the city Thursday for Portland, where Mr. Lantz has been transferred by the Pierce Auto Freight Lines, Inc., and where they will make their home. Mrs. Lantz has served as organist at the First Methodist church, Main and Laurel streets.

**In Hospital**—John Perkins, 26 West Main street, was recovering in Community hospital today from head and chest injuries suffered last night when the car he was operating struck a Southern Pacific engine at the Jackson street crossing, city police said today. Perkins apparently did not see the train, which was moving slowly, and the car was dragged about 25 feet, according to the report.

**ARRIVES IN "LUNG"**  
Headquarters Pacific Division, Oahu, T. H., Sept. 5—(U.P.)—Pfc. Leonard E. Blom, 22, Ferndale, Wash., today arrived in an iron lung aboard a C-54 transport after a 30½ hour

## Young Liberees Going Home



With a broad smile, an unidentified Catholic sister bids goodbye to Tomislav Mescheriakoff, 7, and his sister, Milica, 9, shortly before the youngsters left a Jap internment camp in the Tokyo area. They are on their way home to San Francisco with their mother to be united with their father, Nicholas Mescheriakoff, a dentist, residing at 1218A Fulton street. Photo by Tom Shafer, Acme photographer, via Navy Radio-Telephoto.

flight from Nichols Field on Luzon. Blom, the first iron lung patient to be evacuated by air transport, was stricken with poliomyelitis at Lingayen.


## China's First Lady Lands At Chungking

Chungking, Sept. 5—(U.P.)—Madame Chiang Kai-Shek arrived today from the United States aboard a C-54 Skymaster. She was met at an air field 30 miles outside Chungking by Generalissimo Chiang and her brother, H. H. Kung.

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Marshall discovered the ore at Sutter's Mill. The total was 113,500 fine ounces, valued at \$3,972,000.

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## 4-H JUDGING TOUR SLATED SATURDAY

The Jackson county 4-H livestock judging tour will be held Saturday, Sept. 8. It will be an all day meeting, starting at the courthouse in Medford at 9 a. m. Classes to be judged are as follows:

Jersey cattle, provided by E. B. Payer, Ashland; Guernsey cattle, provided by Leonard Freeman, Central Point; Hereford cattle, provided by G. E. Pierce, Medford; Hampshire sheep, provided by Dale Franklin, Medford; Duroc hogs, provided by C. P. Gassaway, Ashland.

Club members will judge each class and give reasons on the class corresponding to his own project. Fair prizes and ribbons will be awarded. Each club member is to provide his own lunch.

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


**BIRTHS**  
DAY—To Mr. and Mrs. Clifton A. Lake Creek, Sept. 4, 1945, a boy, 7 lbs., at Sacred Heart Hospital.  
ZWAN—To Mr. and Mrs. Emil J., R. 4, Box 319, Sept. 5, a girl, 9 lbs., at Sacred Heart Hospital.

islative action in those states, according to a Chicago Public Administration Clearing House report.

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Afternoon of Sept. 9th

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