

# LOCAL and PERSONAL

**Permit To Build**—I. A. Larson, 523 Benson street, filed application today at the office of the city superintendent to erect a cottage costing \$1,000.

**Couple Home**—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hull, 517 South Grape street, have returned to Medford from a vacation spent at Sanitarium, Calif. Mr. Hull, manager of the Jackson Chamber of Commerce, also transacted business while away.

**In Port**—James T. Bush, chief gunner's mate of the USS Topeka a cruiser, is in port at Portland, the Topeka having docked there until after navy day, relatives report. Mrs. Bush and Mrs. Dick Richmond, Rt. 1, Central Point a sister of Mr. Bush, were in Portland when the ship arrived last Friday and Mrs. Bush is remaining in Portland for several days. The Topeka, with Adm. Halsey's third fleet, participated in the bombardment of Tokyo.

## CALENDAR

**Wednesday**  
8:00 p. m.—American Legion auxiliary, courthouse, Red Cross cutting rooms. Refreshments after work period.

8:00 p. m.—Pythian club, home of Mrs. Susie Yost, Route 1, Marsh Lane. Anna Morrissey, assistant hostess.

**Thursday**  
1:00 p. m.—Sojourners' club, Girls' Community club, dessert and cards. For reservations call Mrs. George Turney, 2862.

1:00 p. m.—Chapter AA, P.E.O., luncheon at home of Mrs. John Moffat, Assistant hostesses, Mrs. H. B. Murphy and Mrs. Ringo. Program, Mrs. Wilcox.

2:00 p. m.—Golden Link Bible class, First Baptist church at home of Mrs. George Edwards, 17 Newtown street. Mrs. Elmer Wilson, study; Mrs. R. S. Wilder, hostess.

**Tire Stolen**—A spare wheel and tire, size 600x16, was reported stolen Monday night in front of the home of Earl Owings, 411 Beatty street, owner.

**En Route Home**—Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Kenney of Jacksonville received news this week that their son, Robert Kenney, is en route home from Norfolk, Va. Kenney, who served aboard the battleship Missouri, is expected to receive an honorable discharge from the navy upon arrival to the west coast.

**Officer To Arrive**—Lt. Oliver P. (Jim) Taylor, his wife and daughter, will arrive in Medford this evening to visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo L. Taylor, 206 West Jackson street. Lt. Taylor's ship, the USS Independence, docked in Portland Sunday and he is on a three-day leave.

**Grey Ladies Notice**—Grey Ladies will meet Tuesday, Oct. 30, with Miss MacFarlane, new field director for the Red Cross at Camp White, it was announced today. The meeting will be at 10:15 a. m. in the Red Cross lounge room in the Camp White hospital. Members of the corps are asked to note that the meeting is Tuesday instead of Thursday as previously announced by cards.

**Veterans Home**—Men reporting to Jackson county selective service boards yesterday following honorable discharges from the service were Ernest N. Olson, Orlando Sloggy, Roy L. McGilvray, Joseph A. Slaby, Clarence A. Neathamer, Lee D. Pinkham, Arden R. Pinkham, John R. Speece, Gordon B. Bowman, Robert H. Harris, Irdell Penny, Thomas F. Meyer, Samuel T. Richardson, Dudley P. Smith, Jr., Bennett B. Lewis, Devere L. Holmes, John J. Estes, Daniel M. Frye, Donald F. Helm, Howard C. Robertson and Nelson E. Cannon.

## Fighting Fowl Gets Pinch by Law



(Acme Telephone)

Deputy Sheriff M. W. Kapic, Temple City, Calif., holds famed game cock Jack Dempsey, reputed the Pacific Coast champ, seized when vice detail broke up what deputies called the nation's biggest cock fighting ring. Along with gaffs, fighting and training accessories, 138 roosters were seized.

**Smith Home**—Pvt. Joseph D. Smith arrived here this week from Camp Wolters, Tex., and is visiting his wife who resides in the Griffin Creek district, and his mother, Mrs. Jessie Smith, Charlotte Ann Road. Pvt. Smith has been attending chauffeur's school for heavy transportation since his induction last May and will report back to Camp Wolters at the end of his 10-day leave.

**Visitors Here**—Cpl. Ben A. Pierce, Jr., and his mother, Mrs. Belle L. Pierce of Soledad, Calif., spent the week-end in Medford at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Kilban, 534 South Fir street. Cpl. Pierce, a member of the 80th coast artillery, was a prisoner of the Japanese from May 6, 1942, when Corporal fell until Sept. 9, 1945. The corporal wears four battle stars, the purple heart and presidential citation with two oak leaf clusters.

**Nile Dance Announced**—Both a banquet and dance will follow the Daughters of the Nile ceremonial to be held Saturday at Klamath Falls according to an announcement today by Mrs. H. F. Nordwick, queen of Zuleima Temple. The ceremonial is set for 2 p. m. at the temple and the

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banquet and dance will be at the Willard Hotel. Mrs. Nordwick states that there will be a charge for the banquet but that members attending the dance will be guests of the temple. It is expected that a large number of Medford and Ashland Nile members will attend the affairs.

**EPIDEMIC EBBS**  
Billings, Mont., Oct. 24—(U.P.)—Sterling Wood, chairman of the board of trustees, announced today that Billings public schools closed two weeks because of an epidemic of infantile paralysis, would reopen tomorrow.

Channel buoys painted with black and white perpendicular stripes mark midchannel.

**Poor Digestion? Headachy? Sour or Upset? Tired-Listless?**

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## LAST RITES FOR JOHN M. RODGERS

John M. Rodgers, pioneer resident of Jackson county, passed away at the home of his daughter at Talent, Sunday afternoon. Death, which occurred from a heart ailment, was sudden.

He was born in Harrisburg, Oregon, Oct. 10, 1868. His parents, James and Martha Rodgers, were among the first settlers in the Willamette Valley. Later they came to Sams Valley.

In 1889 he was united in marriage to Nancy E. Briscoe. To this union was born six children, five of whom are living. Two sons, James E. Rodgers and Jesse G. Rodgers, both of Butte Falls, and three daughters, Mrs. E. J. Boardman of Talent, Mrs. R. M. Barker and Mrs. Fred Brown, both of Medford. Also surviving him is one sister, Mrs. Emma Huston of Gold Hill, and thirteen grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Preceding him in death was his wife, who passed away January 12, 1930, and one son, John C. Rodgers, who died July 12, 1944.

Funeral services were held this afternoon with interment in I.O.O.F. Cemetery.

Yellowstone National park, where no farm was reported in the 1940 agricultural census, now has one farm.

## Sheep Cut Cost Of Park Upkeep

Springfield, Ill. (U.P.)—A new way for park officials to beat the manpower shortage has been discovered here.

A flock of 600 sheep do the work. That isn't all. Last year these four-legged lawnmowers netted the city \$600 for the sale of 80 rams and \$600 for the sale of wool—besides wiping out a \$4,000 labor cost.

The city expects even larger profits this year. The sheep increased their numbers by 200 over last year. Commissioner Harry B. Luers estimates a labor savings of \$9,000 receipts from the sale of wool to reach \$3,000 and \$1,000 from the sale of rams.

## Army Gives Rapid Course in Reading

Chicago (U.P.)—The average illiterate or non-English speaking soldier can acquire fourth-grade reading skill in eight weeks, according to a new report.

## PALE? WEAK? from loss of BLOOD-IRON?

Girls! Women! If you lose so much during monthly periods that you feel weak, "dragged out"—this may be due to low blood iron. So try Lydia E. Pinkham's Tablets—one of the best home ways to help build up red blood in such cases. Pinkham's Tablets are one of the greatest blood-iron tonics you can buy. Follow label directions.

According to Paul Witty, former army major assigned to training illiterates. School days are here again. Kiddies, watch out for those matches. Don't start forest fires. Help Keep Oregon Green.

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