

Local and Personal

Bike Stolen—Darwin Morehouse reported to city police today that his green and white World bicycle was stolen from the front porch of his home.

Installation Started—Snook brothers contracting firm today began installation of a storm sewer on East 10th street between Willamette and Portland avenues.

Insurance Men—Drew P. Lawrence, Portland, and Harold B. Cunningham, San Francisco, are here representing Great American Insurance company, of New York.

To San Francisco—Duane L. Childs of the Phoenix-Jacksonville highway left Sunday for a combined business and pleasure visit in the San Francisco bay area. He expects to return about the middle of March.

Scout Dinner—Boy scout Troop 8 will meet Tuesday at 6:30 p. m. in St. Mark's Guild hall for their annual potluck dinner, according to Calvin McDonald. Parents and friends are invited to attend.

40 and 8 Members—All members of 40 and 8 are asked to meet at the Legion club at 5:30 p. m. Tuesday, by S. S. Humphries, chef de gare, to go to Grants Pass for installation of a new vehicle.

Entry Attempted—Robert Marion Smith, 45, and Charles Harvey Reigard, 27, are in jail for investigation of an attempted entry to break into the Kennedy service station at Ninth street and Central avenue, city police reported.

Held—City police said that Robert Lee Smith is held in the county jail on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. He allegedly passed a spurious check for \$7 at the King Street market on Saturday, according to police.

Reserve Officers—Logistical division 6310, reserve officers, will meet at 7:30 p. m. today in the Federal building. Subject for the meeting will be military law, phase 2. Instructors will be Maj. Gene L. Brown and Capt. Loren S. James.

Undergoes Surgery—Mrs. J. G. Kofani, Gold Hill, who has been in San Francisco for medical treatment, underwent surgery Friday at the St. Francis hospital and is reported doing nicely and will soon be able to return home.

Driver Hurt—F. D. Hiltson, 61, Bonanza, suffered slight injuries Saturday when the sedan he was operating and a coupe driven by C. K. Williams, 1047 McAndrews road, collided on South Riverside avenue near Ninth street, according to reports filed with city police.

From Los Angeles—Dr. Walton Hubbard, CSB, is here this week from Los Angeles.

From Hollywood—David A. Palmer, Hollywood, manufacturer's representative, is a business visitor here.

Club To Meet—Carnation club will meet Tuesday, February 21, at the home of Mrs. Virgil Bowers, 729 West Thirteenth street.

VFW Meeting—Medford post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will meet tomorrow at 8 p. m. in the VFW hall, 42 North Front street.

From California—Mrs. Gilbert Stuart, Berkeley, Cal., spent the week end in Medford visiting friends and renewing acquaintances. She is a former resident.

Schoolmasters Meet—There will be a meeting of the Jackson County Schoolmasters' club at the office of the county school superintendent at 7:30 p. m. today, according to Donald Hembre president of the group.

Get Yreka License—Lorne Irwin Martin, 32, Ashland accountant, and Marj Beale Grove, 27, Ashland stenographer, secured a marriage license February 16 in the Siskiyou county clerk's office at Yreka, Cal.

Guests Leave—Mr. and Mrs. James Warnock, Palo Alto, Cal., returned to their home there this morning after spending the week end with Mrs. Warnock's mother, Mrs. William Hamilton, GoBauer apartments.

Visitors Here—Mrs. Ruth O. Barnett, Pendleton, is visiting for several days at the O. H. Bengtson home, 122 Oregon terrace. Mrs. Barnett, an aunt to Mrs. Bengtson, arrived here from California where she has been visiting the past two months.

Photo By Brainerd—The credit line "Photo by Brainerd" was inadvertently omitted from the Roosevelt School Fathers, Sons and Daughters club photo published Sunday. The picture was taken as a public service and the credit should have been given.

HONOR COURT SET—A boy scout court of honor will be held at the Howard school Wednesday at 7 p. m. for Troop 10. A representative of Standard Oil company will give a one-hour motion picture program and Neighborhood Commissioner Raymond Johnson and Troop Committee Chairman George Flanagan will attend. Flanagan will describe the Valley Forge scout jamboree that is set for later this year and a collection will be taken to help finance the trip for a local scout.

Livestock

Portland, Ore., Feb. 20 — (U.P.) — Cattle 1300, market active, on reduced supply; mostly 50 cents higher better steers, heifers and cows; canner-cutter cows steady to 50 cents higher, but buyers resisting advance; bulls about steady; high good fed steers including 1140 lb. weights \$27; medium-good steers \$24.50-26.50; commons \$20-22; good fed heifers \$24.50-25; mediums \$20-23.50; common heifers \$16-19; canner-cutter cows \$13.50-14.75; commons \$12-15; market mostly steady; fair active, good-choice light vealers at \$26-30; good 450 lb. calves \$24.50; common-medium calves, vealers \$15-23.50.

Hogs 900; market active, strong to 25 cents higher; good-choice 180-230 lb. butchers \$16-19.25; few \$19.50; 250-300 lb. \$17-18; good 350-550 lb. sows strong at \$14.50-15.75; good-choice 113 lb. feeders \$17; lighter weights to \$17.50 or above.

Sheep 500; market active, strong; good-choice, woolled and No. 1, light lambs under 105 lbs. \$22.50-23; medium feeders \$19-20; good ewes \$10. The north Portland market closed Wednesday, February 22, Washington, D.C. market reporting service office will be closed.

San Francisco, Feb. 20 — (U.P.) — Cattle 400, supply consists of around two loads and couple lots of Washington and load heifers, balance cows. Trade opened fairly active with fully steady prices. Canner and cutter cows \$13-15. Commons \$15.50-16.50. Few high-common and low-medium \$17. Couple common bulls \$16-50. Calves \$20, no early sales.

Hogs 150; active. Butchers 50c lower and sows steady. Good and choice 180-240 lb. butchers \$19; good \$13.50.

Sheep 350; active with fully steady prices. One load good and choice No. 2 pelt lambs averaging 112 lbs. \$25.25; couple good feeder lambs \$23.

South S. F. livestock market closed Wednesday, February 22, Washington, D.C. market reporting service office will be closed.

Portland, Ore., Feb. 20 — (U.P.) — Butter—Prices to retailers: Grade AA 66c; Grade A 64c; B 62c; C 60c; D 58c; E 56c; F 54c; G 52c; H 50c; I 48c; J 46c; K 44c; L 42c; M 40c; N 38c; O 36c; P 34c; Q 32c; R 30c; S 28c; T 26c; U 24c; V 22c; W 20c; X 18c; Y 16c; Z 14c.

Egg prices to retailers: Grade AA 43c; A 42c; B 41c; C 40c; D 39c; E 38c; F 37c; G 36c; H 35c; I 34c; J 33c; K 32c; L 31c; M 30c; N 29c; O 28c; P 27c; Q 26c; R 25c; S 24c; T 23c; U 22c; V 21c; W 20c; X 19c; Y 18c; Z 17c.

Cheese—Prices to retailers: Portland, Oregon, singles, 30-42 lb. Oregon 5-lb. lots 44c-45c; lb. triplets 1 1/2 less than singles. Premium brands, singles, 2 1/2 lb. lot \$3.33-3.50; No. 1 western, singles, of medium size sold for \$1.85 a 50-lb. sack on the Portland eastside farmers' wholesale produce market today with large sizes selling at \$2-2.10.

Florida Kentucky Wonder beans were 23c; cents a pound; Washington, D.C. market reporting service office will be closed.

Tangerines were quoted at \$4 a box; Pampas were \$1.25-1.50 a lug; Carrots brought \$1 a lug or \$1.35-1.50 a 50-lb. sack.

Turnips sold for \$1 a lug; Potatoes were \$2.85-3 a hundred pounds; Poultry, Rabbits.

Live chickens—Broilers under 2 lbs. 17c; 2-3 lbs. 22c; 3-4 lbs. 26c; 4 lbs. and over, 27-28c; fryers 2-3 lbs. 22-25c; 3-4 lbs. 25-26c; 4 lbs. and over, 25-26c; leghorns under 4 lbs. 15-18c; 4 lbs. and over, 15-16c; roosters, 25c; colored fowl, all weights, 18c; old roosters, all weights, 14-16c.

Turkeys—Net to growers, toms, 30-31c; prices to retailers, dressed: A 31c; B 30c; C 29c; D 28c; E 27c; F 26c; G 25c; H 24c; I 23c; J 22c; K 21c; L 20c; M 19c; N 18c; O 17c; P 16c; Q 15c; R 14c; S 13c; T 12c; U 11c; V 10c; W 9c; X 8c; Y 7c; Z 6c.

Rabbits—Live white 4 to 8 lbs. 17-20c; 8 to 12 lbs. 18-20c; colored 12-15c; fryers, fresh dressed Idaho fryers to retailers, 40c; local 48-52c.

Wall Street

New York, Feb. 20 — (U.P.) — Railroad shares led the stock market down today when the

Obituary

OSCAR ENGMAN
Oscar Engman, 50, route 1, Gold Hill, passed away at his home Saturday. Funeral arrangements are in care of Conger-Morris funeral home and a complete obituary will be published later.

ALBERT DOUGHTY
Albert Doughty passed away at the V.A. Domiciliary center Sunday. Funeral arrangements are in care of Conger-Morris funeral home and a complete obituary will be published later.

EVALYN SIMONS KIMBALL
Mrs. Evelyn Simons Kimball, 72, died February 15 at her home in Santa Rosa, Cal. She was born in Santa Rosa, Cal., and had resided in San Diego five years. Survivors include her husband, James W. Kimball; son, George F. Kimball, Toronto, Can., and her sister, Mrs. Scott Woolf, San Diego, formerly of Medford.

26,000 Reported Idle In Northern Counties

Portland, Ore., Feb. 18 — (U.P.) — Bad weather and post-holiday layoffs idled 26,000 in Multnomah and Columbia counties during January, the Oregon employment service said today. The labor force during the period was estimated at 60,197.

Alamosa, Colo. (U.P.) — The Alamosa postmaster put up a notice that postage rates on Christmas cards would be higher this year. He was immediately swamped by residents who looked at the sign and said they wanted to buy some. The sign he had posted said: "Unsealed Christmas cards—two cents each."

soft coal miners refused to return to their pits.

Some of those who had bought the rails last week on the belief the mines would resume sold today. Prices declined fractions to more than a point and other sections of the market declined moderately with the carriers. Rails made a new high since Nov. 8, 1948, on Saturday.

Dow Jones closing stock averages: 30 industrials 203.47 off 0.50; 20 railroads 55.65 off 0.35; 15 utilities 42.73 off 0.05; 65 stocks 73.84 off 0.23.

Sales today approximated 1,420,000 shares, compared with 1,940,000 traded last Friday.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:

American T & T	149 1/2
Anaconda	30 1/2
Chrysler	64 1/2
Curtis Wright	9
Eureka	40 3/4
Havre	40 7/8
Klamath Falls	51 2/3
Los Angeles	67 1/2
Medford	51 1/2
New York	43 10/16
Omaha	43 2/3
Phoenix	80 3/8
Portland	47 3/8
Reno	54 3/4
Salt Lake	53 3/8
San Francisco	54 1/4
Seattle	46 3/8
Spokane	40 2/8
Washington, D. C.	43 1/2
Yakima	50 2/4

Sunrise 6:39 a.m. Sunset 5:51 p.m.

BIRTHS

RUTH—To Mr. and Mrs. Irving, 311 Ashland avenue, Feb. 17, 1950, a boy, 8 1/4 pounds at Sacred Heart hospital.

HENRY—To Mr. and Mrs. Allen D., box 290 Central Point, Feb. 17, 1950, a girl, 7 1/2 pounds at Sacred Heart hospital.

NIEDERMYER—To Mr. and Mrs. Dale, route 2, box 404, Feb. 18, 1950, a boy, 7 pounds, at Community hospital.

WEHDE—To Mr. and Mrs. Leroy, Trail, Feb. 18, 1950, a girl, 8 1/2 pounds, at Community hospital.

JAMES—To Mr. and Mrs. Milton, Jacksonville, Feb. 18, 1950, a boy, 8 1/2 pounds, at Community hospital.

WALKER—To Mr. and Mrs. Merl, route 2, box 30, Feb. 18, 1950, a girl, 6 1/2 pounds, at Community hospital.

SMITH—To Mr. and Mrs. Cecil, Trail, Feb. 20, 1950, a girl, 7 pounds, at Community hospital.

Court Records

Police Court
Harold McCabe Von Stein Jr., void licence plates, bail \$5.

Edward Potter and Harley Harper, parked in post office zone, fine \$2 each.

Justice Court
Edward W. Earnest, improper muffler, fine \$1 and costs.

Jerry P. Meadows, failure to stop at stop sign, fine \$1 and costs.

William R. Windsor, no operator's license, fine \$1 and costs.

Daily Weather Report

FORECASTS
Medford and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight with valley fog early Tuesday morning. Increasing cloudiness Tuesday with some light rain.
Western Oregon: Mostly cloudy; a few light rain showers tonight and Tuesday. Little temperature change. High Tuesday, 45 to 52; low tonight, 32 to 40.

LOCAL DATA
Temperature a year ago today: Highest 59, lowest 47.
Total monthly precipitation 1.04 inches.
Deficiency for the month 23.35 inches.
Total precipitation since September 1, 1949, 12.44 inches.
Excess for the season 1.46 inches.
Relative humidity 4:30 p.m. yesterday 64%; 4:30 a.m. today 87%.

Observations Taken At 4:30 A.M., 12th Meridian Time

	High	Low	Prec.
Boise	50	31	1
Boston	42	7	.01
Chicago	25	15	.01
Denver	67	34	.01
Eureka	49	37	
Havre	40	7	
Klamath Falls	51	29	
Los Angeles	67	49	.01
Medford	51	31	
New York	43	10	.02
Omaha	43	26	
Phoenix	80	58	T
Portland	47	38	T
Reno	54	31	
Salt Lake	53	39	
San Francisco	54	44	
Seattle	46	38	.01
Spokane	40	28	
Washington, D. C.	43	19	T
Yakima	50	24	

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Monday, February 20, 1950

MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—FIVE

Christmas Seal Sales, Chest X-Rays In County Break Previous Records

More Christmas seals were sold and more chest x-rays were taken during 1949 than in any other previous year, reports made by the Jackson County Public Health association showed today.

Mrs. Claude Thompson, chairman of the county seal sale committee, said that \$8,700 has been realized from the sale of seals so far, and more returns are coming in daily as reminders cards are mailed out. She expressed her appreciation to the county chairman who helped with the sale.

10,525 X-Rays
A total of 10,525 chest x-rays were taken here last fall, according to a report given by Mrs. Jack Walker, chairman of the 1949 survey. Of these, 10,088 were negative, 328 were recalled for larger films, while 104 of the 1949 subjects were shown to have disorders other than tuberculosis. Only seven films were unreadable. Mrs. Walker said that final and complete results have not yet been tabulated.

Mrs. Dwight Findley, Medford, president of the association, presided at a meeting of the group here last Thursday, and introduced Mrs. Frank Conner, a recent arriver here, as new co-chairman of the social hygiene committee. Miss Helen Bullis read a letter of appreciation for the gifts of the association sent to sanatorium patients.

Mrs. Paul Skinner, president

of the Medford Health group, gave a report on the local phases of the seal sale campaign.

Nurses Introduced
Mrs. Blanche Frisbie, supervisor of nurses with the Jackson county health department introduced Miss Kathryn Berberet and Mrs. Ethel Mae Kanceler, who have recently joined the staff. Miss Berberet will be in charge of the areas including Jacksonville, Applegate, Prospect and Phoenix, while Mrs. Kanceler will have Gold Hill, Rogue River, Oakgrove and one-quarter of Medford. Mrs. Frisbie also stated that the well-baby clinics were again being resumed in the larger areas in the county.

Mrs. Mike Gibbons gave the report of the committee which tabulated the youth serving agencies in Jackson county for the Governor's Committee on Children and Youth. Mrs. Aubrey Sanders was chairman, and assisting her were Mesdames Alan Perry, O. J. Halboth, Bernard Hughes, Otto Frohnmayer and Francis Cheney. Mrs. Sanders reported that health associations throughout the state had been requested to gather this information, which is to be compiled for a directory of welfare and youth serving agencies for the entire state.

Concluding the program, Mrs. Frank Conner and Mrs. Chester Guchey gave reports of the social hygiene conference held recently in Portland.

Several Cities to Adopt Business, Occupation Taxes

Salem, Ore., Feb. 20 — (U.P.) — Several cities throughout the state indicated today that they will adopt business and occupation taxes now that the Oregon supreme court has ruled that similar taxes imposed by Portland are constitutional.

The Oregon supreme court ruled Wednesday that Portland's tax on business and professional men, estimated to raise \$1,000,000 a year, is constitutional.

The high court held that the state six per cent constitutional tax limitation applies only to property taxes.

Fees Increased
Portland's new taxes were in the form of 22 ordinances amending the city's license and business code. Half of the new ordinances increase existing license fees on certain businesses and occupations. Some of the others create new classifications, such as retail merchants, wholesale merchants, manufacturers and food processors, and levy license fees on a basis of percentage of

gross income. Other new classifications have fixed license fees. Ted Garbade, president, and Frank Boynton, director of the Portland Retail Trade bureau, brought suit against the city of Portland and several of its officials seeking to have the 22 ordinances declared unconstitutional and void. Circuit Judge James W. Crawford of Multnomah county found it constitutional and Garbade and Boynton appealed to the supreme court. In its ruling Wednesday the supreme court affirmed the Multnomah county court.

As an indication of the widespread and active interest among Oregon municipalities in the case, several city attorneys filed a brief as "friend of the court" in support of Portland's contention that the ordinances are constitutional.

Among the city attorneys filing the brief were: Chris J. Jowitz of Salem, James L. Hope of Astoria, Charles K. McCulloch of Baker, Charles G. Schneider of Gresham, Paul Patterson of Hillsboro, John N. Mohr of Hood River, Carl G. Helm Jr. of La Grande, Raymond G. Wood of Oceanside, Edgar L. Martin of Sandy, Marvin O. Sanders of Springfield, David O. Bennett of St. Helens and Neal W. Bush of Vernonia.

In an opinion written by Justice J. O. Bailey, the supreme court held:

"The city council, in enacting the license and business code and the 22 ordinances amendatory thereof, was not exceeding its authority. There is conferred by the city charter on the council 'power and authority, subject to the provisions, limitations' contained in the charter, to 'grant licenses with the object of raising revenue or of regulation, or both.' . . . The ordinances under attack are in accord with the requirements of the Portland city charter and are not violative of the Oregon constitution."

Nothing In Record
The ruling concluded:

"There is nothing in the record before this court which would justify us in holding that the license tax imposed upon various classes, or businesses, professions, trades and callings, is in violation of the equal protection, due process or uniformity clauses of the state and federal constitutions."

Larceny From Auto Charge Jails Man

Harold Henry Gorski, 21, of 2504 Jacksonville highway, is held in the county jail charged with larceny from a vehicle last night, according to city police, who said they caught him siphoning gasoline at Hobbs' service station just west of Medford.

Officers said they summoned a state policeman to the scene since the alleged larceny occurred outside the city limits. They stated that Gorski had parole papers from the United States penitentiary, McNeil Island, Wash.

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Unique Army Concept Employed In War Games

With American-Canadian Army Maneuver Forces in Yukon Territory, Feb. 20 — (U.P.) — A unique U. S. army concept called the "aggressor republic," which smacks a little bit of Russia, is being employed in the Canadian-American winter war games with great success.

The aggressor republic is a post war invention which originated with the army field forces. It is a hypothetical totalitarian country which has had the United States under attack for the past three years.

Court House News

Divorce Complaint
Burge, Emma vs. Pearl T.

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