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MENU—Strictly fresh, home-made sausage, mashed potatoes, apple sauce, cream gravy, home-made hot biscuits, vegetable, salad, pickles, jelly, home-made pie, wonderful coffee.
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STARTING 9 P.M. — USUAL PRICES

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We get 'em daily from the ocean by Southwest Airways.
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Fresh Smelt, Kipped Salmon, Sliced Salmon, and Halibut, Prawns and Breaded Prawns, Fresh Cod, Salt Cod, Ocean Perch, Shrimps, Scallops, Crabs, Oysters, Crab Meat.

Local and Personal

Correction—The Eagle Point Extension unit is sponsoring the American Cancer Foundation drive in the Eagle Point community rather than the Red Cross drive as stated in Tuesday's paper.

In Roseburg—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Hume and twin daughters of Trail visited visitors Sunday at the Arthur Kobernik home in Roseburg. Mrs. Kobernik's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Harding Sr., also of Trail, have been guests at the Kobernik home for the past week.

Plan Family Night—A feature movie will be shown at the YMCA as part of the weekly family night program Friday, March 17. It was announced today. In addition the usual program of activities will be provided. Hours are from 7 to 10 p.m.

To Meet—Local 700, National Federation of Federal Employees, will hold a dinner meeting in the Pioneer room of the Jackson hotel Friday, March 17 at 7 p.m. All federal employees and their wives are invited to attend, and dinner will be followed by a program and dancing.

Jacksonville Dinner—Mariners club of the Jacksonville Presbyterian church will sponsor a home-cooked ham dinner in the church parlors Friday, March 17. Serving will begin at 5:30 p.m. and continue until all are served. Special arrangements have been made to expedite seating and serving guests. There will be children's portions and proceeds will be used toward support of Bible history and literature classes in the school. All in the vicinity are invited.

Plan Dinner—A St. Patrick's day party will be held by Loyal Order of Moose and Women of the Moose Friday, March 17, in the lodge hall. A potluck dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m.

Announcement—Col. Sargent Camp and auxiliary, United Spanish War Veterans, will meet at the army Sunday, March 19, at 1 p.m. for a covered dish dinner. Meetings of both groups will follow.

Livestock

Portland, Ore., Mar. 16 — (U.P.) — Cattle 150; market active, steady with Wednesday's strong to 30 cents higher market; low holdover steers unsold, odd common steers \$21-23, medium butchers \$22-24.30, common dairy type heifers \$17-19, canner-cutter cows \$14-15.30; odd head \$16; shells \$13 down; medium-low good beef cows \$18-20.30; good beef bulls \$21-22.50; common-medium sausage bulls \$17-20.
Calves 30; market steady; good-choice grades \$20-23, mediums \$20-25; common down to \$15.
Hogs 125; quality below normal, only few \$14-15; 200-250 lb. head at \$26. Few high-cutter and common cows \$17.50-18.50, odd head canners and butchers \$15-17. Wednesday couple good sausage bulls \$21-22; 200-250 lb. head common vealers \$23-28, with single high-medium vealer \$31.
Sheep 30; practically nothing available early; good-choice fed lambs \$24-24.50, good-choice ewes \$11.50-12.50.

San Francisco, Mar. 16 — (U.P.) — Cattle 100. Supply includes two loads of steers, with fully steady prices. Around 50 head medium 925-940 lb. steers led off, good-choice 2 lbs. head at \$26. Few high-cutter and common cows \$17.50-18.50, odd head canners and butchers \$15-17. Wednesday couple good sausage bulls \$21-22; 200-250 lb. head common vealers \$23-28, with single high-medium vealer \$31.
Poultry, Rabbits No early sales Wednesday active, fully steady; around 100 medium and good woolled 93 lb. lambs \$26.

Portland Produce

Portland, Ore., Mar. 16 — (U.P.) — Butter prices to retailers: Grade AA prints 69¢, A prints 70¢, B prints 68¢. Egg prices to retailers: Grade AA large 40¢, A large 38¢, medium 36¢, B medium 34¢, small, nominal; cartons 2c additional.
Cheese—Active. Butchers steady. Portland, Oregon singles 39-42¢ lb. Oregon 5-lb. loaves 44-45¢ lb. triplets 15¢ lb. than singles. Premium brands, singles \$19¢ lb., loaves \$19¢ lb.
Trading on the Portland eastside farmers wholesale produce market today was limited to low potatoes, dry onions and root vegetables with prices unchanged or nominal.
Live chickens—Broilers under 2 lbs 17¢, 2-3 lbs, 22-25¢, 3-4 lbs, 26-27¢, 4 lbs and over, 27-28¢; fryers 2-3 lbs, 30-32¢, 3-4 lbs, 32-34¢; roasters, 4 lbs. and over, 33-34¢; leghorns under 4 lbs, 16¢, 4 lbs. over, 20-21¢; roasters 25¢, colored fowl, all weights, 26¢; old roasters, all weights, 14-16¢.
Turkeys—Not to growers, toms, 20-31¢; price to retailers: dressed, A young toms, 27-28¢; light hens, \$1-42; heavy, \$1-42.
Rabbits—Live white 4 to 5 lbs, 17-20¢; 3-4 lbs, 15-18¢; colored 2c lower; fresh dressed Idaho flyers to retailers 40¢; local 48-52¢.

Wall Street

New York, Mar. 16 — (U.P.) — Utilities came within a few cents of setting a new 19-year-high in an active, firm stock market today.
Spurred by a smart recovery yesterday that lifted the industrial and utility averages to new highs for more than three years, the market met new buying and strengthened in all departments.
Dow Jones closing stock averages: 30 industrials, 207.89, up 0.43; 20 railroads 56.42, up 0.37; 15 utilities 43.75, up 0.27; 65 stocks 75.33, up 0.29.
Sales today approximated 2,000,000 shares, compared with 1,830,000 traded yesterday.
Today's closing prices on selected stocks:
American T & T 151 1/4
Anaconda 29 1/4
Chrysler 65 3/4
Curtiss Wright 8 3/4
General Electric 46 3/4
General Motors 77
Montgomery Ward 37
Penn R R 17 3/4
Ponney, J. C. 38 3/4
Radio 14 1/4
Southern Co 13 3/4
Southern Pacific 53
S Oil of Cal 64 3/4
Texas Gulf Sulphur 73 3/4
Transamerica 16 3/4
United Aircraft 27 1/4
U S Rubber 43 3/4
U S Steel 31 3/4
Youngstown 81 1/2

Obituary

ALBERT AKERS
Services for Albert J. Akers, 80, who passed away at his home in Jacksonville Monday, will be held in Congregational Chapel Saturday at 10 a.m. with the Rev. J. A. Skinner, Jacksonville, officiating. Interment will be in Jacksonville cemetery. Mr. Akers lived in the Trail-Shady Cove district for many years. A complete obituary will be published later.

Landscape Project To Start Next Tuesday

The home landscape project sponsored by the county agent's office will get under way in five different communities next Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. C. B. Cordy, county agent for horticulture, said today.
Five homes have been selected for meetings with a landscape architect from Oregon State college who will first discuss the theory of the individual problems presented by the site and will then apply the theory to the actual plotting and planning of the grounds. His services will be furnished without charge to the homeowner who will be responsible only for the cost of the plantings.
Homes to be landscaped are the Ira Burns home, Old Crater Lake highway, Tuesday; Howard William home, Brownsboro district, Wednesday; Fred Hasse, lower river road across the Rogue river from Gold Hill, Thursday; James Rasmussen, Valley View road, Friday morning, and a home yet to be selected in Ashland, Friday afternoon.

C. A. Meyer Elected To Head Principals

C. A. "Dutch" Meyer, Central Point, was elected president of the Southern Oregon Principals' association when the group met recently in Ashland. Bob Sage, Gold Hill was named secretary, and Robert Cook, Lake county, vice president.
Speakers included Attorney Frank Van Dyke who discussed the proposed CVA, Secretary of State Earl T. Newberry, who praised the school safety patrol program, and Rex Putnam, superintendent of public instruction, who discussed the responsibilities of elementary school principals.

BIRTHS

HAMILTON—To Mr. and Mrs. George Williams, Mar. 14, 1950, a boy, weight 8 lbs., at Osteopathic hospital.
GLENN—To Mr. and Mrs. Dwight N., general delivery, Mar. 15, 1950, a girl, weight 6 lbs., at Community hospital.
VESSEY—To Mr. and Mrs. Doris Victory, Mar. 16, 1950, girl, 6 1/2 pounds, at Community hospital.

Allen—To Mr. and Mrs. William J., 927 Murray street, Mar. 15, 1950, girl, seven pounds, at Community hospital.

Rent Day Wrong Time To Hold Up Landlord

Milwaukee, (U.P.) — Two Milwaukee holdup men made an error in planning the robbery of Albert Renk.
They tried to do it on rent day. Since Renk is the superintendent of a large apartment building, the bandits had no sooner entered his rooms when the door bell started ringing. While the robbers fled out the back door, Renk went to the front and accepted the month's rent from one of his tenants.

Daily Weather Report

FORECASTS
Medford and vicinity: Cloudy and mild with occasional light rain tonight and Friday.
Western Oregon: Rain tonight and Friday. Little change in temperature. Low tonight 42 to 48. High Friday 48 to 52.
Temperature a year ago today
Highest 64; Lowest 25
Total monthly precipitation 34 inch
Deficiency for the month 42 inch
Total precipitation since September 1, 1949, 12.92 inches.
Excess for the season 55 inch.
Relative humidity 4:30 p.m. yesterday 32%; 4:30 a.m. today 86%.
Observations Taken At 4:30 A.M., 120 Meridian Time

Place	High	Low	Prec.
Roseburg	54	36	
Boston	43	23	
Chicago	33	28	
Denver	50	31	
Eureka	54	44	.03
Havre	39	21	
Klamath Falls	55	37	
Los Angeles	64	43	
Medford	58	43	T
New York	50	26	
Omaha	43	33	
Phoenix	73	44	
Portland	52	44	.19
Reno	60	22	
Eugene	58	44	.18
Salt Lake	52	33	
San Francisco	55	37	
Seattle	49	22	.06
Spokane	44	37	.01
Washington, D. C.	60	33	
Yakima	59	39	

Tomorrow
Sunrise 6:19 a.m. Sunset 6:19 p.m.

Former Resident Of Jacksonville Dies

Andy S. Christensen, 93, former resident of Jacksonville and Medford, passed away at the home of his son in San Jose, Cal. March 14, relatives reported this morning. Funeral services were to be held in San Jose this afternoon, with interment following in a cemetery there.
The deceased is survived by two sons, Sherman and Andy, and a daughter, Marie, all of San Jose. He had made his home in Jacksonville until a few months ago, and was a member of the Jacksonville IOOF lodge, in which he had held office.

Court Records

Police Court
Betty Ann Bradshaw and Fred N. Stevens, failure to yield right of way, fine \$5 each.
Ernest H. Connor, drunk driving, license suspended one year, fine \$100.
Alvera E. McDonald, failure to yield right of way to pedestrian, fine \$5.
Doris E. Hussong, reckless driving, fine \$25.
Justice Court
Warren E. Poling, no clearance lights, fine \$1 and costs.
Gerald F. Covel, violation of basic rule, fine \$1 and costs.
Charles E. Henderson, overload, fine \$75 and costs.
David R. Berry, one license plate only, fine \$1 and costs.
Ross B. Fall, permitting unlicensed minor to operate vehicle, fine \$1 and costs.
Frederick J. Bristow, no vehicle license, fine \$1 and costs.
David E. Porter and Paul E. Ivans, no operator's license, fine \$1 and costs each.
Daniel T. Lindsey, drunk in public place, fine \$25 and costs.
Mary L. Henshaw, failure to stop at stop sign, fine \$1 and costs.
Ernest M. Walling Jr., overload, fine \$12.50 and costs.
Donald T. Wright, overload, fine \$6.50 and costs.
Clarence N. Brown, overload, fine \$10 and costs.

Robin Finds Home Life Better'n Facing Cats; Takes Bath In Saucer

Cleveland, O. (U.P.)—This pet robin is a wise old bird and comfort-loving too.
Nancy Fabian, aged 9, owns Cooky, a really domesticated bird despite his freedom-loving ancestors.
His domesticity got its big boost last summer when he was rescued from the clutches of a neighborhood cat.
Since that frightening incident Cooky has been satisfied to take his daily bath in one of the family saucers, watch Nancy's mother do the laundry and pick his dinner here and there through the house while basking in the safety of his domain.

Court House News

Divorce Complaint
Barrentine, Vera L. vs. Albert E.

DANCE
Central Point
American Legion Hall
SATURDAY
MARCH 18
9:00 P.M.
FEATURING
LEE MASTERS
AND HIS ORCHESTRA

RIALTO Today
2 TOP HITS 2
COLBERT - GODDARD - LAKE
SO PROUDLY WE MAIL
PLUS
DESPERADOES
with Glenn Scott - Ford - Trevor Keyes - Buchanan

HOLLY NOW
THEY PAINT THE TOWN WITH JOY AND SONG!
Gene KELLY
Frank SINATRA
Vera-Allen
ON THE TOWN
Patricia Medina
Zasu Pitts - Ray Collins
"FRANCIS," the Talking Army Wife
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Week Day Matinees
DOORS OPEN
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ADMISSION 40c

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Handa HENDRIX
Marilyn CAREY
in
Song of SURRENDER
with ANDREA KING
ESQUIRE

ASHLAND TODAY!
Eddy ARNOLD
"TRUDIN' RHYTHM"
PLUS
Victor Moore - Lisabeth Scott
Lucille Ball - Sonny Tufts
EASY LIVING
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SCOTT
THE NEVADAN
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ST. PATRICK'S DAY
DANCE
MEDFORD ARMORY
Friday, March 17
Auspices
MEDFORD MARINE CORPS LEAGUE
Western and Modern Music by
ARNOLD'S RHYTHM BAND
Balloon Scramble Dancing 9 to 1
Admission—\$1.20 a couple (tax inc.)