

Obituary

CLARENCE JOHANSEN
Funeral services for Clarence H. Johansen, 34, Portland, who was killed in a logging accident near Prospect Wednesday, are pending with arrangements in charge of Conger-Morris funeral home.

DEWITT MYERS
Services for the Rev. DeWitt Lewis Myers, who passed away at his home, 10 East Clark street, Wednesday, will be held in Conger-Morris chapel Friday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. C. W. Frost officiating. Committal services will be in IOOF cemetery.

Mr. Myers was born in Atwood, Kan., Nov. 11, 1890. He has been in Medford for more than 20 years, engaging in interior decorating work. He was active in work with the congregation of the Apostolic Faith church in Medford.

He is survived by his wife, Bessie; two sons, Delmar and Robert; one daughter, Mrs. Bernice James, all of Medford; two sisters, Mrs. C. S. McDougal, Atwood, Kans.; and Mrs. Wallace Blundon, Mt. Vernon, Wash.; one brother, Robert, of Bay View, Wash.; and six grandchildren.

Grass Fire—State forest patrolmen extinguished a grass fire back of Coker butte yesterday afternoon after the blaze used a lumber company to burn old logs had jumped a road.

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Local and Personal

In Hospital—John Crisel, Applegate, underwent tonsillectomy this morning at Osteopathic hospital.

In Hospital—Jim Robins, 217 Laurel street, is convalescing in Sacred Heart hospital, following eye surgery yesterday.

Grange Meeting—The Griffin Creek Grange will meet at 8 p.m. today with the Roxy Ann Grange in charge of the program.

School Picnic—Classes of the Jacksonville high school held an all-school swim party and picnic today at Jackson Hot Springs.

From Coos Bay—Mr. and Mrs. Al Piche, Coos Bay, former Medford residents, arrived Tuesday to visit various friends here until Sunday.

Picnic—Boys of the Roosevelt grade school who have participated in athletic events this year were entertained last evening at a swim party and picnic in Ashland.

To Pocatello—Mrs. Ike Stenerson, Barnes apartments, left this week to spend some time in Pocatello, Ida., where Stenerson is associated in the building business.

From Hospital—Mrs. Josephine Porter, 745 Dakota street, was released from Community hospital yesterday after being there for some time because of a broken hip.

Guest Night—The YMCA will observe a guest night Friday, and families planning to participate in the weekly family night activities are privileged to bring a guest family. Events are scheduled from 7 to 10 p.m.

Juniors to March—Members of Bliss Hine's Juniors will take part in the parade at Camp White Sunday and final instructions will be given at classes Saturday. They will meet Sunday at the armory at 12:45 p.m., and will leave in a Camp White bus at 1:15 to be in the parade line-up by 1:30 p.m. All parents wishing to drive out may do so by reporting at the armory first.

Club to Meet—Electa Social club will meet Friday at 1 p.m. at the Girls Community club. Dessert will be followed by cards. All unaffiliated members of the Order of Eastern Star are invited to attend.

To Conference—Lynn Cram, district manager for Northern Life Insurance company, left by plane today for Seattle to attend a conference for northwest managers of the company. He will return Friday.

From California—Mrs. Marguerite Fagan arrived Tuesday to visit during the week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wright and children, Michael, Tamara, Dale and Larry, 706 Victory street.

Fathers to Meet—The Fathers, Sons and Daughters Hobby club of Roosevelt school will meet at the school at 7:30 p.m. Friday to elect officers for the coming year. The fathers are urged to bring the children. Moving pictures will be shown.

To Salem—Mrs. Cora White, 107 Almond street, left this morning for Salem, where she will visit cousins and friends. While away Mrs. White will attend the ice follies appearing in Portland. The visitor expects to return here Monday.

From Texas—Mr. and Mrs. Adam Richter, 856 Pennsylvania avenue, returned Friday after vacationing in Texas. In Abilene, they visited Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Loper, former Medford residents who have lived in Texas the past one and one-half years.

New Employee—Miss Susan Inskeep, 2401 Hillcrest road, is a new employee in the bookkeeping department of the United States bank. Mrs. Myrna Harris, of the same department in the bank, has been confined to her home in Jacksonville because of an eye infection.

Sale Postponed—The food sale planned by St. Anne's Altar society for Saturday, May 27, at Crater Lake motors has been indefinitely postponed, the chairman announced this morning. The postponement was made necessary due to a conflict in dates for the use of the space.

Recovering—Mrs. Rowena Jarvis, wife of the Rev. Holly Roy Jarvis, minister of the First Christian church in Medford, underwent major surgery at the Community hospital Wednesday morning. Mrs. Jarvis is convalescing satisfactorily, the family reports.

Leave—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cunningham of Baltimore, Md., who visited last week with Cunningham's sister, Mrs. O. O. Alenderfer, Evelyn apartments, left yesterday for San Francisco. Former residents here, the visitors also renewed acquaintances with many friends.

Accordianists Slated—Members of Eve Prentice's Accordion band have been asked to participate in the Sunday parade at Camp White in honor of Theodore Penland, last GAR commander, at 2 p.m. Band members wishing to play have been asked to get in touch with Mrs. Prentice to make arrangements.

Convalescent—Miss Louise Peterson, 803 West 11th street, is convalescing in Providence hospital, Portland, where she underwent surgery Saturday. Her condition is reported to be satisfactory. Miss Peterson has been office nurse for Dr. Dwight H. Findley, Mrs. Pearl Chord, 23 Crater Lake avenue, accompanied Miss Peterson to Portland.

Antidote Located To Save Victims Of Sleeping Pills

New York (U.P.)—Suicide hopefuls via the sleeping pill route have two strikes against them since the discovery of a successful antidote.

Dr. A. W. Freireich, toxicologist for Nassau County and the Meadowbrook Hospital, discovered that deaths resulting from overdoses of barbiturates (sleeping pills) could be kept to a minimum by the injection of benzodrine sulphate solution into the blood stream.

Dr. Freireich first used his injection technique at Meadowbrook Hospital in 1944. Since then he has treated 85 cases. Of those, 79 recovered and six died. The patients varied in age from 16 months to 74 years.

The injections are made at 30-minute intervals with the dosages gradually reduced until the patient can answer questions coherently. This is followed by a short rest and the patient is ready to return to normal life.

Like Transfusion
The system used for the benzodrine injection is similar to that used for blood transfusions. The medical apparatus remains attached to the patient and the benzodrine is tapped into the vein in prescribed amounts at the required intervals. This eliminates the necessity of numerous punctures of the vein.

The amounts of solution injected vary from 40 milligrams for "ordinary" cases to 200 milligrams for "extreme" cases rated as virtually hopeless, according to the toxicologist.

"A person taking an overdose of barbiturates first goes into a deep sleep and then a coma," Dr. Freireich explained. "The benzodrine injections must be continued until the patient comes out of the coma and can answer simple questions coherently. The length of time this requires varies with each patient and with the quantity of the drug taken," he said.

Youngest Patient
"My youngest patient suffering from barbiturate poisoning was the 16-month-old son of a fellow practitioner. One day the infant found his father's medical bag and ate some of the brightly colored sleeping pills," Dr. Freireich said. "I gave the infant one injection and within two minutes he was awake and playing on the floor."

Court Records

Justice Court
Clayton R. Hassel, no mud guards, fine \$5 and costs.
Mayner M. Hassel, overwidth load, fine \$1 and costs.
Benjamin L. Lockwood, overwidth load, fine \$36 and costs.
James R. Lees, overwidth, fine \$12 and costs.

Buren C. Kennedy, improper use of dealer's license, fine \$1 and costs.
Perry P. McCoy, operating while operator's license suspended, fine \$1 and costs.
Everett E. Chapman, overwidth load, fine \$24.50 and costs.

Court House News
Divorce Complaints
Luschen, Mildred J. vs. Elmer W.
Witten, Lois LaVonne vs. Vernon R.

Goes Home—Mrs. Zella Price, Fort Jones, Cal., left for her home yesterday after being confined to Community hospital where she had received treatment for a hip fracture.

Radio Club—The Rogue Valley Radio club will meet 7:30 p.m. today at the fairground clubrooms. A moving picture: "Electron Theory and the Diode Tube" will be shown as an added feature of the meeting.

Parents Of Son—Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hooper, Ashland residents formerly of Medford, are the parents of a son born May 25 at the Ashland hospital. The boy has been named Gerald Lewis.

Chamber Directors—The board of directors of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce will meet at noon tomorrow in the Pioneer room of the Jackson hotel. The meeting is open to all members of the chamber.

Returned To Medford—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fletcher, 14 Hawthorne street, were returned to their home here Wednesday by a Conger-Morris ambulance after receiving treatment in a Grants Pass hospital. They had been hospitalized there for treatment of injuries received in an auto accident. Fletcher sustained head injuries and Mrs. Fletcher had received two broken legs.

Square Dance Jamboree
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SINATRA MISSES RIVAL—Actress Ava Gardner (left) and crooner Frank Sinatra talk with Mrs. Frank Grant (center), wife of Romulus film representative in Tossa Del Mar, Spain. Sinatra left for Paris a short while later, missing by minutes a meeting with his rumored rival, bullfighter Mario Cabra.



TOSSING bombshell, Rep. Usher L. Burdick (R. N. C.) asks House to approve resolution to determine "if Congress is on square with people." It was pigeonholed. (International Soundphoto)

\$30,000 in Building Permits Asked Here

More than \$30,000 in building permits for remodeling or new construction were issued yesterday and this morning at the city building inspector's office.

Principal items were a \$10,000 home to be built at 1616 Woodlawn drive by Stanley Kalapus; \$4,500 exterior stairway to be built at the Community hospital for a fire escape; \$10,000 addition to the Medford labor temple at 24 1/2 South Grape street, and a \$5,000 home to be built at 552 Haven street by Edward L. Isaacs.

Daily Weather Report

FORECASTS
Medford and vicinity: Continued fair and warm tonight and Friday. Western Oregon: Fair tonight and Friday. Low tonight 38 to 48. High Friday 70 to 85.

LOCAL DATA
Temperature a year ago today: Highest 90, lowest 50.
Total monthly precipitation 43 inches.
Deficiency for the month 46 inch.
Total precipitation since September 1, 1949, 15.62 inches.
Excess for the season 29 inch.
Relative humidity 4:30 p.m. yesterday 20%; 4:30 a.m. today 84%.
Observations taken at 4:30 A.M.
150 Meridian Time

	High	Low	Prec.
Boise	60	43	.02
Butte	71	53	.02
Chicago	93	65	.02
Denver	63	34	.10
Eugene	50	35	.05
Hayward	61	35	.05
Klamath Falls	69	44	.05
Los Angeles	67	40	.05
Medford	84	44	.05
New York	83	54	.05
Omaha	84	54	.05
Phoenix	91	63	.05
Portland	78	42	.05
Reno	81	38	.05
Salt Lake	73	42	.05
San Francisco	67	40	.05
Seattle	69	40	.05
Spokane	67	43	.05
Washington, D. C.	86	63	.05
Yakima	76	35	.05

Tomorrow
Sunrise 5:41 a.m. Sunset 8:35 p.m.

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Second Walnut Blight Spray Advised Now

The second blight spray on walnuts should be applied now, according to County Agent C. B. Cordy. Need for the spray should be judged by the presence of blight on walnuts last year, he said.

Suggested spray for best control is yellow copper oxide at the rate of one pound per 100 gallons of spray. Cordy said blight is a disease of the walnuts and very small twigs. It has no effect on large limbs and does not weaken the tree itself.

IT WASN'T WATER

Carrier Mills, Ill. (U.P.)—Elmer Wynne, a garage employee, ran for water when the upholstery of a car caught fire. A pail filled with what he thought was water proved to contain gasoline. Wynne suffered only burned fingers but the car was heavily damaged.

WIFELY PRIVILEGE

Chicago (U.P.)—Mrs. Esther Mourad, 36, was granted a divorce after she had testified that her husband, Arthur, 38, knocked her to the floor when she tried to sit on his lap.

The youngest regular coin still in use in the United States is the nickel, authorized by congress in 1860.

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