

Post Office Clerk Promoted to New Supervisory Job

Stanley G. Sherwood, an employee of the Medford post office since July, 1920, has been promoted to the supervisory staff here, it was announced today by Postmaster Moore Hamilton.

Sherwood joined the post office as a carrier shortly after high graduation from Medford high school, Hamilton said, and later was promoted to clerk in the finance section. He has now been named clerk in charge, and will have supervision of outgo in mail.

Other supervisory personnel at the office here include Hugo Guenther, assistant postmaster; Otto DeJarnett, superintendent of mails, and Earl York, assistant superintendent of mails. The post to which Sherwood was named is a newly-created one.

Hamilton also revealed that stamp sales during the first quarter of 1952 increased about 16 per cent over the comparable period last year. They totaled \$91,843 in January, February and March, compared to \$78,987 in the same months of 1951.

Library Board Names New President Tuesday

Eric Allen Jr. was elected president of the Medford Library board at a special meeting held in the office of Mayor Diamond Flynn last night.

The meeting followed city council action confirming two new members appointed to fill vacancies, and the reappointment of two present members. The new members are Jack Fitzgerald and Elwood Hedburg; the reappointed members are Mrs. Frances Cochran and Mrs. Allen R. Smith.

Allen was appointed to the board two weeks ago to succeed John Boyle, former chairman, who resigned last month.

Transport Plane Seats Will Face Backward

Washington —(U.P.)— The Air Force announced Wednesday that a number of C-131 twin-engine transport planes have been ordered equipped with seats facing backward.

Tests have shown that a passenger has a better chance of surviving a plane crash if he is in a seat facing backward rather than the conventional type which faces forward.

Dead line Sunday Classifieds at noon Saturdays

County Savings Top \$17,000,000

An informal survey of the amount of money held in savings accounts by residents of Jackson county yesterday revealed that the total is close to \$18,000,000, or something more than about \$300 for each man, woman and child in the area.

The amount held in savings accounts in the two savings and loan associations slightly exceeds \$7,000,000, the survey showed, and the savings accounts of the two Medford banks, and the branch banks in Central Point and Ashland totaled more than \$10,000,000.

The survey did not take into account savings in financial institutions outside the county, nor did it include other methods of savings, including war bonds, stocks and other securities.

HIS CRIME DIDN'T PAY

Columbus Grove, O. —(U.P.)— A young man admitted to police that crime doesn't pay when questioned about the theft of a \$2 battery from a car sales lot. He revealed that leaking battery acid had ruined his new coveralls. He also was fined \$25 and costs.

Personal Income Shows 5 1/2 Per Cent Increase

Washington —(U.P.)— Personal income in February was at an annual rate of \$257,100,000,000, an approximate 5 1/2 per cent rise over the same month last year, the Commerce Department reported Wednesday.

The February figure was a "modest decline" of \$600,000,000 from January because of a reduction in farm income, the report said, but was still regarded as generally stable.

Klamath Tribe May Be Separate Group

Klamath Falls —(U.P.)— A plan was under study Wednesday which may make the Klamath Indian tribe a separate organization and responsible only to itself.

The U. S. government's advisory committee on Indian affairs has suggested the tribe incorporate to separate it from the federal government.

All tribal business, such as timber sales, which are now the responsibility of the government, would be handled by the corporation. Officials of the Klamath tribe are studying the proposal.

Seed Potatoes for Table Use Prohibited

Portland —(U.P.)— Sale of white seed potatoes at prices higher than ceiling for table stock potatoes has been specifically prohibited by the Office of Price Stabilization, Portland District OPS Director Carl Donough said Wednesday.

OPS said in a statement, "It is apparent that these potatoes have been sold for and consumed as ordinary table stock potatoes." Seed potatoes are exempt from price control.

The price office said "the sale of potatoes to housewives has been so serious and so widespread that immediate action is necessary to protect consumers against higher prices and to guard against the depleting of seed potato supplies."

COP TRIPPED UP

Oklahoma City —(U.P.)— Oklahoma highway patrolmen investigating a four-car collision discovered that one driver, George T. Newton, 53, didn't have a driver's license. Newton, it turned out, was a lieutenant on the Oklahoma City police force, with a record of 21 years in uniform.

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MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—NINE

Grand Coulee Reservoir Drops To Lowest Level

Portland —(U.P.)— The Grand Coulee reservoir dropped to the lowest level in its 10-year existence Tuesday, Bonneville Power Administration said.

The water level gauge read 1225.1 feet above sea level, about 35 feet below the spillway level. At the crest of the 1948 flood, water in the pool rose to the 1290-foot mark.

Heavy and prolonged drain of "storage hydro" by the dam's 18 generators was responsible for the record low water level, BPA said.

Former Medford Man Dies in Tucson, Ariz.

Harvey Davis, 63, Tucson, Ariz., a former resident of Medford, died in a Tucson hospital recently, it was learned here today.

Davis, a Marine Corps veteran of World War I, was active in Medford American Legion affairs during his residence here, and for a time was an announcer for radio station KMED. He left here in 1933.

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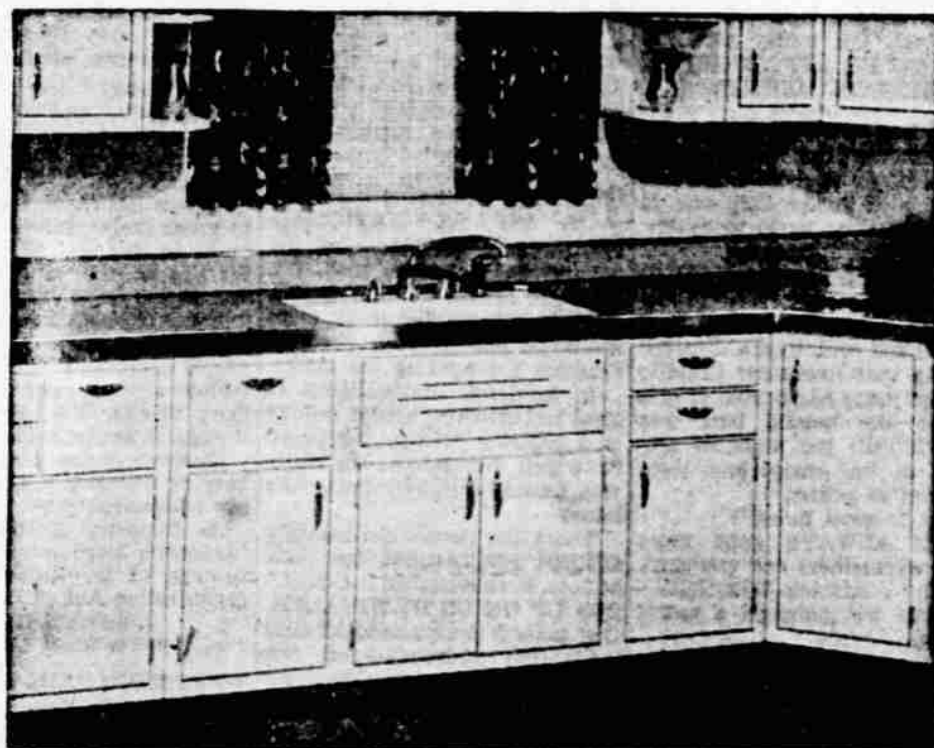
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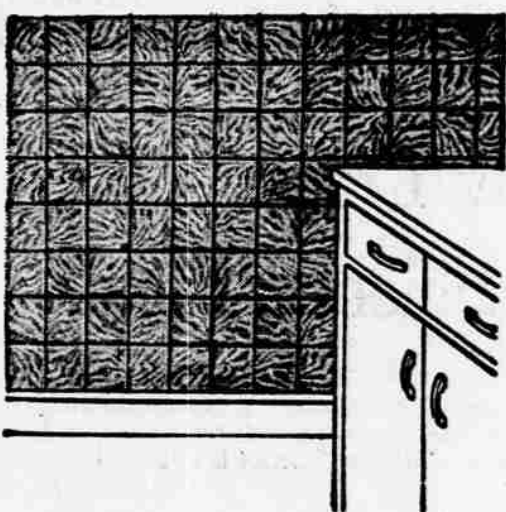
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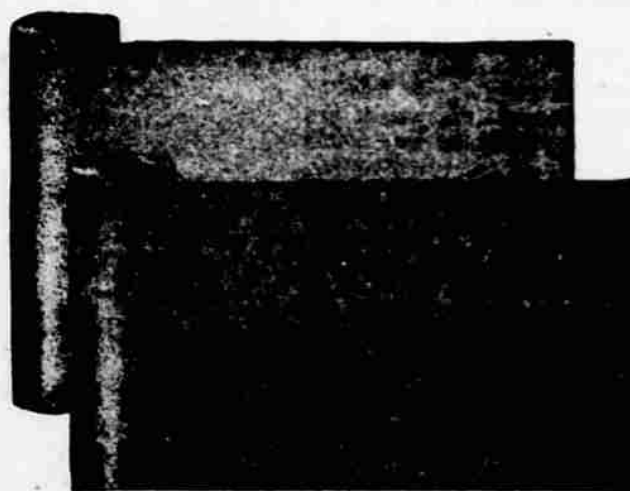
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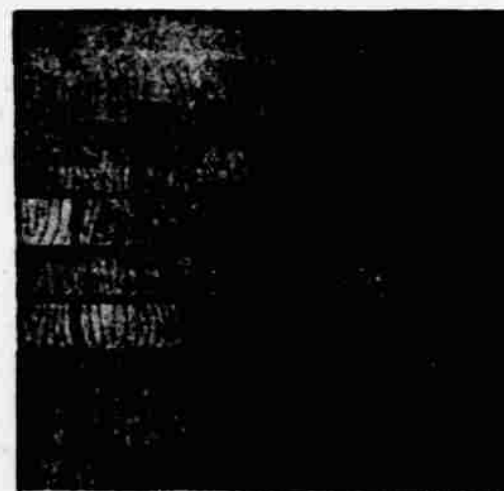
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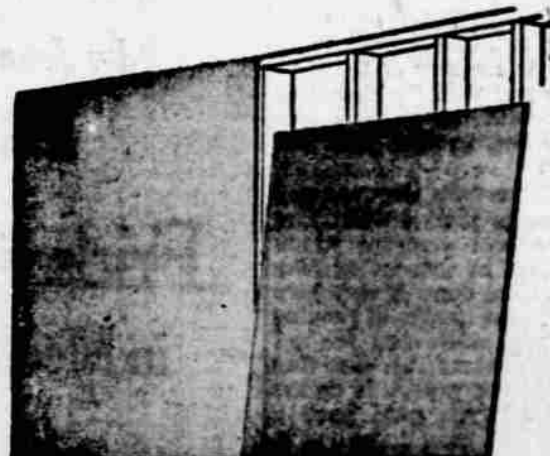
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