

## Grasshopper Baiting Set In Klamath Falls Region

Klamath Falls —(U.P.)— Plans were made Saturday to bait about 25,000 acres of land with poisoned bran within the next weeks to combat millions of grasshoppers hatching out along the margins of the Klamath-Tulelake barley growing area.

Sam Smith, agriculturist for the U. S. Department of Agriculture's grasshopper control division, was directing preparation of the bait in cooperation with the California Department of Agriculture, various federal agencies and private farmers.

**Hatching Out**  
The insects, of the "clear wing" variety, have been hatching out for the past 10 days to two weeks, but have been under observation since the eggs were laid last year. The grasshoppers are remaining in hatching beds around the field and only a few have moved into the barley.

Smith estimated that \$2,500,000 worth of brewing barley would be endangered if the insects were to get out of control.

The cost of about 125 tons of poisoned bran was estimated by Smith at about \$1.03 an acre. Farmers will pay about 40 per cent of the cost, the governmental agencies the remainder.

### BIRTHS

**BREWER**—To Mr. and Mrs. George, Box 13, Shady Cove, May 31, 1952, a girl, 8 pounds, at Community hospital.

**WICKHAM**—To Mr. and Mrs. Richard, Route 2, Medford, May 31, 1952, a boy, 8 pounds, at Osteopathic hospital.

Dead line Sunday Classifieds is at 5:30 p.m. for following day; 10 a.m. Monday for Monday; noon Saturday for Sunday a.m.

## Local and Personal

**Name Retired**—John F. Rush has retired the business name, R. u. s. h. Electric, according to county clerk's records.

**Young Farmers Meet**—The Jackson County Young Farmers club will hold its regular monthly meeting at 8 p.m. Monday at Kim's restaurant.

**Returns Home**—Mrs. Clara Kale, 305 1/2 South Riverside avenue, returned to her home Friday after undergoing surgery Tuesday at Community hospital, according to friends.

**To Train**—Jack Ragsdale, Shirleen Trailer court, left yesterday for San Diego, Calif., where he will undergo two weeks of training at the Navy center. He is a Navy reservist here.

**Trash Fire**—A small blaze along the railroad tracks at the Big Pines Lumber company was extinguished at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon by Medford firemen. The fire was started by transients, according to firemen, with no damage resulting.

**Son Leaves**—Dick Simonson an Army private first class, left today after visiting for three days with his mother, Mrs. Bernice Simonson, 247 Beatty street. He entered the service six months ago and is stationed at Camp Roberts, Calif. He was employed in the circulation department of the Mail Tribune before going into the service.

**New Office**—Oregon Blue Cross has opened a new office in Medford at 220 South Central avenue, according to an announcement by Frank F. Dickson, executive director of Northwest Hospital service. Tom Cousins, who has been with the firm a year and a half, is manager.

**Sideswiped**—A car operated by Theodore G. Johnson, route 1, box 265, Central Point, was considerably damaged in a mishap on Highway 99 near the Alley Lumber company road Friday afternoon. According to the report filed with city police, the brakes of a car driven by Marjorie Banning, 415 Arcadia street, Medford, grabbed and caused a sideswiping accident. The Banning car reportedly received some damage. Sedans driven by William F. Buchanan, Tacoma, Wash., and Mrs. F. Mayfield, route 1, box 428, collided Friday on Eighth street between Ivy and Holly streets, causing some damage to the Mayfield auto, a report filed with police disclosed.

**To Redding**—Mrs. Jess Ragsdale, 513 Palm street, left today for Redding, Calif., where she will visit for several days.

**Return**—Mrs. Alvin Boswell and daughter, Shirley, 539 Palm street, returned Thursday from Portland where they had been for several days.

**From Astoria**—Mr. and Mrs. Bill Van Dusen, are visiting at the home of the R. E. Watson family on Beall lane this weekend, it was reported Saturday.

**Visiting**—Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Warner, and daughter, Carole, arrived last evening to visit several days with the Ralph Etels, 429 West Twelfth street, and friends at Lakeview and Brownsboro. They live in Klamath Falls.

**Guest Conductor**—The Rev. Kenneth Korby of St. Peter's Lutheran church will be the "guest conductor" on the program of that name on radio station KJYC this evening from 10 to 10:30 p.m. The Rev. Mr. Korby will present two works by Bach as a fitting close to the Easter season. The selections are "Easter Oratorio," and the "Ascension Cantata."

**Footlights**—The June meeting of the Footlights will be held Thursday, June 5, at 7:30 p.m. in the little theater at the fairgrounds. In addition to the general business meeting there will be a discussion of the play "The Suspect," now in rehearsal. Refreshments will be served. The meeting is of importance to the membership officers point out. Anyone interested in little theater work is invited.

**Brother Ill**—Mrs. Earle Hoover, 37 Tripp street, was to leave last evening for Fresno, Calif., where she has been called by the illness of a brother. During her absence from her work at East Side Beauty salon, Mrs. Margaret Smith will replace her. Mrs. Hoover expects to be gone about a week.

**Cars in Wreck**—Autos driven by A. P. Tauscher, Portland, and Eileen Viola Breechbill, Amboy, Wash., were badly damaged Friday morning in a collision near Roseburg, according to a report filed with city police here. Tauscher, director of athletics at Multnomah Athletic club, was entered in the rifle tournament being held here this weekend.

**Non-Injury Collision**—A rear-end collision occurred yesterday on West Main street in front of the Crater Lake motors involving cars driven by James B. Cyphers, 1508 Wilson place, and Martin F. Green, Olympia, Wash., according to Medford city police. Only minor damage resulted, police said, when one car in the inside lane collided with the other when it stopped.

**Honored**—Dwight L. Hammack, a cadet attending the Wentworth Military academy at Lexington, Mo., and son of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Hammack, 602 North Riverside avenue, was one of the members of a group of cadets honored by the academy authorities during the school's awards convocation. At the assembly held in connection with the academy's 72nd annual commencement he won first in the high school junior class scholastic award. The award was presented to him before an estimated commencement crowd of 1,800 persons, according to a release from the academy.

## Wanger Scheduled To Go To Prison

Los Angeles —(U.P.)— Film Producer Walter Wanger, smiling amiably for newsmen, said Saturday he would not ask for another stay of execution of his four-month jail sentence for shooting the agent of his estranged wife, Joan Bennett.

Wanger begins the term Wednesday. He arrived by air Saturday from Chicago where he spent three days conferring with Miss Bennett, presumably regarding reconciliation.

"There is always hope where there is understanding," the silver-haired film executive said when asked if he and the beautiful actress would reconcile.

But to published reports that a reconciliation already has been effected, Wanger smiled: "Not all fiction writers write for the movies."

Wanger shot Jennings Lang in the groin last December. He will serve his sentence at the Los Angeles county prison farm.

**Leave**—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Nelson and Mrs. Nelson's mother, Mrs. Ben H. Fairchild, Yreka, Calif., left the end of the week after visiting with Mrs. Fairchild's sister, Mrs. Nick Kime and family, 511 Palm street, and another daughter and family, the T. E. Knackstedts, Renault avenue.

**Jacksonville Clinic**—A pre-school clinic for children who will be entering the first grade of Jacksonville school for the first time this fall will be held Monday from 9 a.m. to noon in the music room of the school. Inoculations and vaccinations will be given and Dr. A. Erin Merkel, county health officer, will be in charge of examinations. Birth certificates will be required for all children entering school.

**Commissioned**—Donald E. Dick, whose wife lives on Route 2, Medford, was commissioned a second lieutenant during commissioning exercises May 28 at Ft. Riley, Kan., according to an Army release. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Dick, live on Route 1, Gold Hill. He next will attend service schools to receive further instruction before being assigned permanently. He was trained at Ft. Hood, Tex., and Ft. Knox, Ky., prior to attending the officer candidate course at Ft. Riley.

Portland —(U.P.)— Private funeral services were held Saturday for Mrs. Luise Treub, 102, who died Friday at her home. She was a native of Switzerland and came to Portland 68 years ago. Her birthdate was March 18, 1850.

## Obituary

**HOWARD MISNER**  
Services for Howard H. Misner, 77, who died Wednesday, will be held Tuesday at 10 a. m. in Conger-Morris Chapel, with Chaplain Henry Anderson officiating. Committal will be at Siskiyou Memorial park.

He is survived by his wife, Louise, and one son, residing at Gold Hill, Oregon.

**ANNIE CLAVE**  
Services for Mrs. Annie Clave, who died Wednesday, will be held in Conger-Morris Chapel Monday at 10:30 a. m. with the Rev. Glenn Wade officiating. Committal will be in Siskiyou Memorial park.

Surviving are three daughters and a son; her husband, Lewis J., having preceded her in death.

**KYKER INFANT**  
Larry, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne H. Kyker died Thursday in a local hospital. Funeral arrangements in care of Conger-Morris.

**FLORETTA CALL**  
Services for Mrs. Floretta May Call, a former resident of Medford, who died Friday in Klamath Falls, will be held at 3 p. m. Monday at the graveside in IOOF cemetery, with the Rev. Meredith Groves officiating. Mrs. Call's husband, Charles Edwin, preceded her in death in 1944. Arrangements in care of Conger-Morris Funeral home.

**FRED LAW**  
Fred M. Law, Jacksonville, died Saturday in a local hospital. Funeral arrangements in care of Conger-Morris.

**Pulp, Paper Workers Gain Wage Increases**  
Portland, Ore. —(U.P.)— Union representatives of 17,000 pulp and paper plant workers in 36 plants in Oregon, Washington and California Saturday won wage increase and a jointly-financed health and welfare program.

Agreement was reached in Portland by the Pacific Coast association of Pulp and Paper manufacturers, and delegates from AFL union locals and paper mill workers. The two groups have been in session in Portland for about two weeks.

Salem —(U.P.)—Robert D. MacLean, state tax commissioner in charge of the assessment and taxation division, said Friday that the tax commission is holding a special in-service training school on appraisal methods and problems next Monday through Wednesday in Salem.

**CALIFORNIA WEATHER**  
North California: Generally fair through Sunday but a few showers or thunderstorms in mountains; coastal high fog cooler in interior; west to north-west winds 15-30 mph offshore.

## Portland Man Drowns In Irrigation Canal

Ontario, Ore. (U.P.)—James McCullough, Portland, drowned Friday night in an irrigation canal 15 miles southwest of Vale, Ore., to become the state's fourth holiday fatality.

Malheur county sheriff John Elfering said Saturday that the 25-year-old farm worker drowned about 7 p. m. while swimming with two younger companions in an irrigation canal 8 feet deep and 20 feet wide. The

body has not been found. Bureau of Reclamation officials have placed screens in the canal below the scene of the drowning in an effort to recover the body.

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