

Local and Personal

Billfold Missing—Earl Wilford Morsy, 223 West Main st., reported to city police Tuesday that his billfold containing about \$100 was missing.

Improved—Mrs. Alice Vincent, Bybee corner, Jacksonville highway, who has been ill since Thanksgiving day, is now able to sit up each day, friends reported today.

To Eugene—Mr. and Mrs. James A. Medley, 333 West Jackson st., plan to leave Friday, Dec. 24, for Eugene to visit during the holidays with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James D. Harpole, and family.

Farm Name—Betty Jean and Ralph J. Ellis have filed an application to register the farm name Forest Edge with the county clerk's office. The property owner resides at route 2, box 568, Central Point.

Coat Missing—Ralph Angus Atwood, 126 Cottage st., reported to city police Tuesday that his \$85 topcoat was stolen from Room 310, Fluhrer building, sometime between 1:45 and 2:15 p.m.

Man Jailed—James White Hepburn, 46, Room 9, Lake hotel, pleaded guilty in municipal court to a vagrancy charge yesterday and was sentenced to 30 days in the city jail, according to police records.

On Carrier—Clyde D. Williams, a Navy seaman and son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Williams, Eagle Point, is serving on the attack aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, according to a Navy release. His wife, the former Miss Elsie R. Gascon, is of Gold Hill. He entered the service in October, 1951, and attended Eagle Point High school.

Flue Fire—East side station firemen were called to a flue fire about 3 p.m. yesterday at the Jack Bertrand residence, 519 Oregon terrace. They reported no damage. West side station firemen extinguished a trash fire in the 2100 block on West Main st. about 6:45 p.m. It was burning unattended and after burning hours.

On Program—Pfc. Elwood L. Kinton, route 1, box 412, Medford, will be heard on a special Christmas program to be broadcast by radio stations affiliated with the Don Lee Broadcasting system on Christmas day, Saturday, Dec. 25, from 3:30 to 4 p.m. His message will be a part of a special Christmas day program furnished to Don Lee headquarters in Hollywood by the chief of information office, department of the Army, according to the release from the radio system. A total of 35 separate Christmas messages will be included and were recorded for Don Lee in Korea, Japan and Okinawa.

To Pick Up Trees—Preliminary plans are being made by the local chapter of the Moose lodge to pick up old Christmas trees on Jan. 2, which also will benefit the March of Dimes drives. The lodge officers ask that householders include an envelope with their contribution to MOD with the trees. The same evening the trees will be burned in a large bonfire in the Camp White area which the public is invited to watch. The lodge men plan to drive through all Medford streets with trucks to pick up the trees. Further announcements will be made concerning the project.

At Osteopathic—Charles DeWolfe, 1119 West Main st., was admitted last evening as a medical patient at Osteopathic hospital, attendants reported today.

Church Concert—Presbyterian Chancel choir members will present a concert of Christmas music at a candlelight service beginning at 11 p.m. Christmas eve. Several guest soloists will sing and special choir numbers provided. The public is invited.

Envelope Lost—Harold Theodore Brinkley, 409 North Central ave., reported to city police yesterday that a white envelope containing \$30 has been lost. It contained an employee's fund to purchase a Christmas gift for the Sisters at Sacred Heart hospital.

Accident—A two-vehicle collision occurred at the intersection of 10th and Orange sts. Tuesday afternoon, according to city police records. Drivers were Minnie Alice Apollo, 508 Hamilton st., and Richard Frank Babcock, 910 West 11th st. No citations were issued, police said.

Cars Collide—Vehicles driven by Alva Lewis Reed, Lawndale ave., and Gordon Albert James, 1426 Euclid ave., collided at the intersection of Geneva and East Main sts. at about 5:15 p.m. yesterday, according to city police. James was cited for following too close, the accident report said.

Visiting—Miss Eleanor Leibbrand, University of Oregon student, and Richard Leibbrand, who attends Oregon Technical institute, are here to visit relatives and friends during the holiday season. They are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ingerson, 22½ West Jackson st.

Son Visits—Ralph Ettel Jr., who has been at school at the Navy Air base, Lakehurst, N. J., has been visiting at the home of his parents at 1 Katherine court. He is to report Dec. 27 to Mare Island Navy base to the USS Rendova as an aerographer mate. He previously was studying at Norman, Okla., and he was assigned last March from the Navy air reserve. He is a Medford High school graduate and University of Oregon student before his assignment.

On Leave—AMC-2 Winston Kurth is visiting his mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Miller, 1980 Barnett rd. He is accompanied by AB/3 Myron Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anderson, Two Rivers, Wis. Both Kurth and Anderson are stationed with the Navy at Whidby Island, Wash., and are visiting here on leave. Kurth is a Medford High school graduate and a former member of the football team. He will be discharged from the service in April, 1955, after four years. The two plan to be here about a week, and arrived Wednesday.

Return To Live—Mr. and Mrs. Victor Seeburger and children, Danny and Vickie, recently returned here to live. They are from Salt Lake City, Utah, and now live at 148 Winema way. He is stationed with the Civil Aeronautics administration at the Medford airport in the communications office. The Seeburgers left Medford about seven years ago. She is the former Miss Deline Thompson, daughter of Mrs. Jesse Greene, 122 Tripp st. He was with the Western Union offices here and Mrs. Seeburger was with the OPA offices and later at the National Hospital association offices.

Obituaries

LEVI HAND

Levi Hand, 63, died today at the V. A. Domiciliary, Camp White. Conger-Morris funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

To Tacoma—Mrs. Ivah Murray, 1033 West 11th st., left last evening for Tacoma, Wash., to visit for about a week with her sister, Mrs. E. W. Cummings.

To Seattle—Mrs. Betty Boyle, manager of the Jackson hotel, left last evening by plane for Seattle, Wash., to visit for the Christmas week end with her son and his family.

At Community—Mrs. Fred Watson, 710 South Holly st., is a medical patient at Community hospital, members of her family said today. As yet she is not allowed to have visitors.

To Portland—Hugh McKenzie, 608 Catherine st., plans to leave Friday for Albany, to meet his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Elder, and then continue to Portland to visit through the Christmas week end with relatives.

Arrested—David E. DeLong, 35 of 227 Meade st., Ashland, has been arrested by Ashland city police on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon, according to records in the sheriff's office. DeLong has been lodged in the county jail.

Photographer's Mate—John W. Green is a Navy photographer's mate second class and is serving on the attack aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, according to a release from the Navy. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Green, Rogue River.

Library To Close—The Medford Public library will be closed at 6 p.m. Christmas eve, and remain closed through Christmas day so that employees may be with their families for the holiday. The library will be open during the usual hours on Sunday.

Items Taken—Several items, including a portable sewing machine valued at \$227.50, a television set valued at about \$70, and an automatic rifle, have been taken from the home of Dorothy M. Rutherford, 103 Genessee st., according to reports filed with city police. The items apparently were taken Dec. 15, the reports said.

From Bend—Mrs. Catherine Jay and her grandson, Terry Sanders, both of Bend, are visiting here with Mrs. Jay's daughter, Mrs. Robert C. Wright, 20 North Orange st. The visitors plan to leave Christmas day for Bend. Terry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Vic Sanders, son-in-law and daughter of Mrs. Jay. All are former valley residents.

Dead line for Sunday Classified is noon Saturday, 10 a.m. Monday for Monday; other days 5:30 previous day.

Nehru, Tito Call for Peaceful Coexistence

New Delhi, India (U.P.)—Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru and Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia called today for acceptance of "peaceful co-existence" and denied they plan to form a third force as a balance between Communism and the West.

Their views were expressed in a joint statement issued at the end of a series of talks between the two heads of state. The statement endorsed the idea of "peaceful co-existence" as the basic concept which "should govern international relations."

Wall Street

New York (U.P.)—Strength in railroad issues imparted a firm tone to the stock market late in today's session after mild irregularity earlier in the day.

Trading lightened on the eve of the holiday. The market as well as other security markets throughout the nation will be closed tomorrow.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:

American T & T	174
Anaconda	49 3/4
Chrysler	71
Curtiss Wright	17 1/4
General Electric	45 3/4
General Motors	95 3/4
Montgomery Ward	77 1/4
Penn. R. R.	24
Penney, J.C.	87 1/2
Radio	37 3/4
Southern Co.	unquoted
Southern Pacific	53 1/2
S. Oil of Calif.	73 3/4
Texas Gulf Sulphur	126 3/4
Transamerica	38 1/4
Tri-Continental	26 1/4
United Aircraft	78 3/4
U. S. Rubber	44 3/4
U. S. Steel	70
Youngstown	unquoted

Daily Weather Report

Medford and vicinity: Variable cloudiness with a few light showers tonight. Partly cloudy with scattered showers mostly in mountains Friday. Snow above 3,000 feet. Valley fog patches Friday morning. Low tonight 32-34. High Friday 45.

LOCAL DATA
Temperature a year ago today: Highest 41; Lowest 29.
Total precipitation 1.29 in.
Deficiency for the month 1.00 inches.
Total precipitation since September 1, 1954, 3.72 inches. Deficiency for the season 3.80 inches.
Relative humidity 4:30 p.m. yesterday 72%; 4:30 a.m. today 99%.

TOMORROW
Sunrise 7:58 a.m. Sunset 4:43 p.m.
OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 4:30 A.M., 120 MIDDIAN TIME

	high	low	prec.
Boise	36	20	
Boston	30	16	
Chicago	33	22	
Denver	62	28	
Eureka	55	46	
Grants Pass	39	32	
Havre	56	16	
Klamath Falls	43	22	
Los Angeles	76	30	
Medford	48	28	
New York	29	25	
Piochix	71	37	
Portland	42	37	
Reno	47	7	
Eugene	46	41	.01
Salt Lake	27	21	
San Francisco	49	10	
Seattle	51	42	.01
Spokane	33	27	
Washington, D. C.	31	24	
Yakima	31	30	

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Portland Livestock

Portland (U.P.)—Practically nothing was available in all divisions on the North Portland livestock market today. Prices were quotable steady. The market will be closed tomorrow.

Portland Produce

Portland (U.P.)—Eggs to producers: Candler f.o.b. Portland: ungraded large 32-34c; AA grade large 34-47c; A large 32-35c; AA medium 31-32c; A medium 30-32c; A small 25-29c. Eggs to retailers: Grade AA large 42-45c doz.; A large 40-42c doz.; AA medium 38-40c; A medium 36-40c; A small 32-35c doz.; cartons, 1-3c additional.

Butter—To retailers: AA grade prints, 66c lb; cartons, 67c; A prints, 66c; cartons, 67c; B prints, 64c. Cheese—To retailers: A grade cheddar Oregon singles, 42½-45½c; 5-lb. loaves, 46½-49½c. Processed American cheese, 5-lb. loaf, 39½-41c lb.

Farm Market—California green onions brought up to 90 cents a dozen bunches with radishes going at a 75-cent top in produce trading today; best cauliflower sold to \$3 a lettuce crate; East Side Farmers' market trading was on slow side.

Poultry, Rabbits—Live Chickens—To growers (No. 1 quality, f.o.b. Portland): Fryers 2½ to 4½ lbs, 21c lb; at farm, 20-21c lb; roasters, 4½ lbs and up, 20-21c lb. f.o.b. Portland, 21c at ranch; light 10-11c; heavy hens, all wts. 13c lb; old roosters 10c lb. Dressed Chickens—No. 1 dressed to retailers: Fryers, 34-35c lb; roasters, 36-37c; light hens, 21-22c; heavy hens, 26-27c; cut up fryers, all wts. 46-47c; whole drawn, 43-45c lb. Turkeys—Paying prices to producers for 1954 turkeys: Heavy type hens, 35c lb; f.o.b. farm on N. Y. dressed basis; toms same basis, 23-24c lb; Beltsville hens, 36c; light type toms, 36c; fryer-roaster, heavy type, 29c lb. live. To retailers: A grade hens, ready to cook, 52c; N. Y. dressed to 45c lb. A grade toms, oven-ready, 55c lb; light type, 51-52c lb. Rabbits (average) to growers, f.o.b. killing plants—Live white, 3½-4½ lbs, 18-20c up; 5-6 lb 14-16c; colored, 16c; under, 10c; 8-10c lb; a few higher. Fresh dressed fryers to retailers, 54-57c; cut up, 60-63c.

Portland Cash Grain

Portland—Prices as reported by the USDA market news service: Wheat, No. 2 soft white, \$78.50 a ton bulk, prompt delivery f.o.b. Portland, No. 2 white oats, 38-lb. test, Coast delivery, \$57.50 ton; Portland delivery, \$53.50 ton; No. 2 Western barley, \$55.50 Coast delivery; soybean meal, \$96.50 a ton, cash, prompt delivery Portland. Std. millrun, prompt shipment, f.o.b. Portland, \$42.50 ton; No. 2 yellow corn, \$65.25-68.50 ton on f.o.b. Portland. Wholesale Hay Prices: No. 2 green alfalfa baled f.o.b. Portland, \$34-35 trucks, \$36-37 rail. Portland Grain Exchange: Wednesday close: Soft white, \$2.34; Soft white, no rex, 2.34; White club, 2.34; H. R. winter, ord, 11 per cent, 2.36; do 12 per cent, 2.45.

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MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—SEVEN

Six Persons Perish In Car-Auto Crash

Las Cruces, N.M.—(U.P.)—Six persons, one of them a small child, were burned to death in the fiery head-on collision of a car and a heavy truck near here early today.

The six victims were so badly burned they were not recognizable and state police could not make identification immediate. The car in which they were riding was registered to Julius B. Strong, who gave his address as Big Spring, Tex. However, Big Spring police said Strong was an itinerant farm worker from Nogales, Ariz., who let Big Spring five months ago.

They said he left Big Spring

Births

McCRAE — To Mr. and Mrs. Delmar, 524 Bessie st., Dec. 19, 1954, a boy, 6¼ pounds, at Community hospital.

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