

Local and Personal

Forfeits Bail—Robert C. Mix, 37, Box 1165, Phoenix, forfeited \$100 bail today in municipal court on a charge of driving while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, according to court records.

Visits Home—Wayne Finley left last evening for his home at San Diego, Calif., after visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Harriet Finley, 2550 Crater Lake highway. He had visited here since Christmas eve, and arrived by plane. His brother, Pvt. Kenneth Finley, is serving at Chuchon, Korea, with the 73rd Army engineers. Both attend Medford high school.

Employees Dinner—A dinner for the employees of the Eugene F. Burrill Lumber Co., White City, was held Friday afternoon at the Jackson hotel. Families of the employees also were invited and about 100 persons attended. Entertainment was furnished by employees and included a solo by Wesley Riley, accompanied by Mrs. Ily Bowman, pianist, and quartet numbers by Stan Pardee, Earl Rohl Jr., Riley, and Danny Miracle. Forrest Biggers, mill superintendent, introduced Mr. Burrill, and special guests, Elwood Hedberg, manager of the First National bank, and William Pratt, assistant manager.

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THERE'S A GREYHOUND AGENT NEAR YOU

Window Broken—John Alfred Lundquist, 220 Portland ave., told city police Saturday that an unidentified subject fired a pellet at his car, breaking a window.

Tonsil Surgery—Clarence Sproul, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sproul, 413 West Clark st., underwent tonsil surgery today at Community hospital, attendants reported.

Billfold Missing—William Francis Cowning, 103 South Holly st., Apartment 3, reported to city police Saturday that a billfold with only identification papers in it was missing from his residence.

Faller Hurt—Herb Graston, 525 Benson st., a faller for the L. J. Andretta Logging firm, was treated and released today at about 11:20 a.m. at Community hospital for foot lacerations he received while working, attendants said.

Served Dinner—About 25 men were served Christmas day dinner at the Salvation Army transient shelter and several men stayed there Christmas eve. On Christmas eve a party was held for those staying there and refreshments were served. A small program was conducted.

Collision—John William Smith, 2650 Table Rock rd., and Katherine Sarah Metzler, Tacoma, Wash., were drivers in a vehicle accident on Riverside near Boyd st. yesterday afternoon, according to city police. No citations were issued and only minor damage occurred, they added.

Man Hospitalized—Arthur Raymond, 67, Camp White, was taken to Community hospital Saturday night by Medford ambulance for treatment of a head cut, according to city police. Police said they found Raymond on the sidewalk on North Front st., where he apparently had slipped on icy pavement striking his head on a nearby building.

Accident—Two cars were involved in a collision at the intersection of Summit ave. and Victory st. Saturday evening, according to city police. Drivers were Edmond Dean Davis, 384 O'Garra ave., and John Felix Williams, 612 Victory st., Apartment 1. Police said the Williams vehicle was slowing down to make a left turn and skidded into the path of the other car. No citations were issued.



END OF LONG TRIAL—This on-the-spot courtroom sketch by NEA artist Ed Kudlaty shows Dr. Sam Sheppard facing the jury for the last time in the 167-day trial at Cleveland for the murder of his wife. They had just convicted him of second degree murder. Addressing the court, but turning to the jury, Sam reassured his innocence. A minute later Judge Edward Blythin sentenced him to life imprisonment.

On USS Ashland—Allen F. Harris, a Navy seaman, is serving on the USS Ashland, a landing ship, with the Sixth fleet, according to a Navy release. He is a son of Mrs. Dorothy L. Johnson, Route 1, Central Point.

CAP Meeting—All members of the Medford squadron of the Civil Air patrol are asked by those in charge to meet at 7:30 p.m. today at the CAP building at the Medford airport. The cadet staff will be the hosts and families and friends of the members also are invited. Members are to wear uniforms.

Promoted—Russell F. White, son of Frank White, Camp White, has been promoted to corporal at the El Toro Marine Corps air station at Santa Ana, Calif., according to a Navy release. His wife, the former Miss Jo Spangler, is from Lynnwood, Calif. He is serving as a jet mechanic with a Marine Fighter Training squadron.

Cars Collide—Stephen Miles Davis, of 1565 Roberts rd., and Melvin N. Hogan, 66, of 30 South Central ave., were drivers of cars which collided at the intersection of Stevens st. and Crater Lake ave. at about 12:30 p.m. Saturday, according to state police. Minor damage to both vehicles was reported and Davis was cited for following too close, police said.

At Osteopathic—William, Donna and Wayne Debrick, children of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Debrick, route 1, box 492A, Central Point, are tonsil surgery patients today at Osteopathic hospital. Convalescing from surgery there are Mrs. Theodore Rundell, Route 2, Jacksonville, who had emergency appendectomy Saturday night; and Robert Lamb, 1211 West 10th st.

High Score—Pfc. Leonard Wicksten, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wicksten, Jacksonville, has fired a high score on the M-rifle at Ft. Campbell, Ky., and his total of 195 out of the possible 210 has qualified him as an expert marksman. He is a company cook with Company D of the 188th Airborne division which is a part of the 11th Airborne division. He is a qualified parachutist.

At Station—John M. Parsons, a Navy commander, husband of the former Miss Josephine Bullis, 15 Florence ave., reported Dec. 7 to the office of information, executive office of the secretary, Navy department, Washington, D.C., according to a Navy release. He entered the Navy in 1941 and reported from the staff of the commander, 7th fleet in the Far East. Before entering the Navy he was graduated from Louisiana State university and was employed as a newspaperman in New Orleans.

Now Corporal—LeRoy Clay, headquarters and headquarters company, 503rd airborne infantry regiment, 11th airborne division, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Clay, Medford, recently was promoted to the grade of corporal, according to a release from Ft. Campbell, Ky. He is stationed there. Before entering the Army he was graduated from Medford high school and after graduation enlisted in the Army for a period of three years. He volunteered for airborne duty and has been graduated from the basic airborne school at Ft. Benning, Ga. He now is qualified as a parachutist in the 503rd "Rock" airborne infantry regiment.

At Sacred Heart—Several patients were reported today at Sacred Heart hospital. The medical patients listed are Miss Olive Crump, 106 South Orange st., Mrs. Henry Renfro, 106 Ajax st., Mrs. Lulu Brown, 17 Hawthorne ave., Mrs. Nellie Huntaker, 3405 Lone Pine rd., and Yvonne Nichols, 8, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nichols, 728 Welch st. Sandra Lillgren, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hillard Lillgren, Tiller, William Mohr, 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Dorrigan, 647 South Holly st., and Michael Wayne Giles, 8 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Giles, 523 Haven st., are surgery patients at the same hospital.

Obituaries

ELENA WATSON
Mrs. Elena Charlott Watson, 85, of 710 South Holly st., died Saturday in a local hospital. Conger-Morris funeral home is in charge of funeral arrangements.

LEVI HAND
Remains of Levi E. Hand, 63, who died Thursday at Camp White, are being forwarded tonight by Conger-Morris funeral home to Minneapolis, Minn., for services and interment in Fort Snelling National Cemetery.

The deceased was born Feb. 2, 1891, in Lawler, Ia., and was a veteran of World War I, serving from June 28, 1918, to May 13, 1919, as a private first class in the 468th Transportation Corps. Survivors include a nephew, Dr. M. J. Rooney, Sioux Falls, S. D.

LEON TAYLOR
Services for Leon Clark Taylor, 68, who died Friday, will be held in Conger-Morris chapel Tuesday at 3 p.m. with the Rev. Don Whitney, Central Point, officiating. Interment will be in Jacksonville cemetery, with committal services by the IOOF Lodge of Central Point.

Pall bearers, members of the Central Point IOOF lodge, will be Forrest Thompson, Gerald Kime, Frank Glenn, A. C. Smith, Clark McDowell and Andrew Glenn.

The deceased was born April 18, 1886, in Ashland, Ore., the son of the late Henry H. and Florence Taylor, who came to southern Oregon in 1853. He was a member of the Central Point IOOF lodge. In 1921 he was married to Hattie Fletcher, who survives.

Other survivors include three sons, Norvall O., Lebanon, Ore.; Delbert, Portland; and Harvey, in the U. S. Navy in Japan; three brothers, Jesse M., and John N., Prospect, and Edwin H., Table Rock; two sisters, Mrs. Stella Anderson and Mrs. Lester Throckmorton, both Medford; and three grandchildren.

FLOYD TUTTLE

Funeral services for Floyd Tuttle, 71, of Jacksonville, who died at his home Dec. 23, will be held at Perl funeral home Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. Interment will be in Siskiyou Memorial park.

The deceased, a carpenter, was born in Kansas on Sept. 19, 1883.

Survivors include three sons, Raymond, San Francisco; Lloyd, Shawanigan Lake, B.C.; and Lloyd, Jacksonville; two daughters, Mrs. Edna Britton and Mrs. Stella DeGroff, both of Los Angeles; three brothers, Erbie, Napa, Colo.; Carl, Portland, Ore.; and Manfred, Redmond, Ore.; and four sisters, Mrs. Della Mounse, Mrs. Cora Babcock, Mrs. Dora Tedford and Mrs. Laveta Kasel.

150 Attend Dinner, Party Given at 'Y'

About 150 children and young persons attended a dinner Dec. 24, given at the YMCA building through the Groceteria management and the Salvation Army. Mrs. George Johnston of the SA said today. Entertainment included piano music by Mrs. Robert Corliss, and songs by Mrs. Duane Bowman, wife of the SA transient shelter manager.

Melvin H. Hall, manager of the Groceteria, was in charge of dinner arrangements and plans, and the food and treats were furnished by the store. Toys were given to each who attended through the Salvation Army.

About 25 SA workers did the serving and other work in that connection. The age limits for the dinner were 5 to 18 years and the group was well mixed in regard to the various ages, those in charge said.

Births

MONTIETH—To Mr. and Mrs. Darrel, 19 Vancouver ave., Dec. 26, 1954, a girl, 7 lbs. at Community hospital.

GASCON—To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond, 508 Liberty st., Dec. 26, 1954, a girl, 6 1/2 lbs., Sacred Heart hospital.

CARTER—To Mr. and Mrs. Markel, 2447 Happy Valley, Dec. 27, 1954, a girl, 7 1/2 lbs., Sacred Heart hospital.

Wall Street

New York (U.P.)—Profit taking in the recently strong industrial shares brought that average down sharply in an irregularly lower market today.

This was the last day of 1954 in which profit taking sales could be made in the regular way. To register the profits the delivery of stock must be made in 1954.

Sales for profits made tomorrow will carry over into the 1955 income tax return unless made on a cash basis.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:

American T & T	172 1/2
Anaconda	48 1/2
Chrysler	69 1/2
Curtis Wright	18 1/2
General Electric	45
General Motors	83 3/4
Montgomery Ward	77 1/2
Penn. R. R.	24 1/2
Penney, J. C.	76 3/4
Radio	37 1/2
Southern Pacific	52 1/2
S. Oil of Calif.	72 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	125 1/2
Transamerica	38 1/4
United Aircraft	76 1/2
U. S. Rubber	43 1/2
U. S. Steel	Unquoted
Youngstown	68 1/2

Monday, December 27, 1954

MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—SEVEN

Confessed Slayer Will Be Sentenced

The Dalles, Ore. (U.P.)—Harry C. Knowles, confessed slayer of Albert C. Stuart, was scheduled to appear in Wasco County Circuit Court this afternoon for sentencing on a second degree murder charge.

Knowles, 46, former resident of Bangor, Me., waived his rights to have his case heard by a Grand Jury, and can legally be sentenced without a trial. Oregon law provides for a mandatory life sentence for second degree murder.

Knowles is also scheduled to appear in federal court in Sacramento, Calif., for sentencing on an auto theft charge. He has admitted transporting Stuart's car across the Oregon-California border after strangling the 56-year-old ranch hand near Shaniko, Ore., in October, 1953.

Daily Weather Report

FORECASTS:
Medford and vicinity: Considerable high cloudiness tonight and lowering Tuesday. Slightly warmer. Low tonight 22-25. High Tuesday 42-45.
Oregon (Western): Increasing cloudiness tonight. Mostly cloudy Tuesday with occasional rain beginning during day. A little warmer tonight and Tuesday. Low tonight 30-40. High Tuesday 44-54.

LOCAL DATA:
Temperature a year ago today: Highest 39; lowest 35.
Total monthly precipitation 1.32 in. Deficiency for the month, 1.36 in. Total precipitation since September 1, 1954, 3.75 in. Deficiency for the season, 4.16 in.

Relative humidity 4:30 p.m. yesterday 66%; 4:30 a.m. today 90%.
Tomorrow:
Sunrise, 7:39 a.m.; sunset, 4:46 p.m. Observations taken at 4:30 a.m., 12:00 meridia, time.

	High	Low	prec.
Boise	29	7	
Boston	40	35	
Chicago	46	41	32
Denver	32	18	49
Eureka	47	31	
Grants Pass	40	23	
Have	27	11	
Klamath Falls	30	5	
Los Angeles	58	47	
Medford	39	17	
New York	45	35	
Omaha	38	27	trace
Phoenix	63	39	
Portland	37	33	
Reno	33	8	
Seattle	43	27	
Salt Lake	29	10	.06
San Francisco	53	38	trace
Seattle	37	24	
Spokane	26	12	
Washington, D. C.	48	29	
Yakima	44	13	

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

Portland (U.P.)—Cattle 1200. Cutter-utility steers, heifers 10-15; canner-cutter cows 7-8.50; beef-type cutters to 8.50; utility cows 10.75-12.50; mixed utility-commercial 12.75 with young commercial cows to 12.50; utility-commercial bulls 12.50-14.50. Calves 100, Good choice vealers 18-22; utility calves, vealers 12-20. Hogs 800. Choice 180-235 lbs 20-22.50; 165-172 lbs 19.50; choice 450-500 lb sows 18.50-21.75. Sheep 200. Good-choice 106 lb. No. 1 pelts lambs \$16.50; utility lambs \$14.

Portland Cash Grain

Portland—Prices as reported in the USDA market news service: Wheat, No. 2 soft white, \$7.50 a ton bulk, prompt delivery f.o.b. Portland. No. 2 white oats \$8.50; utility oats \$7.50. Corn \$3.70 ton; Portland delivery \$3.50 ton. No. 2 Western barley, \$4.50. Good delivery, Soybean meal, \$96.50 a ton, cars, prompt delivery Portland. Sd. mill, prompt shipment, f.o.b. Portland, \$44.50 ton. No. 2 yellow corn \$67.50 ton f.o.b. Portland. Wholesale hay prices: No. 2 green alfalfa, baled, f.o.b. Portland, 34-35 trucks, 36-37 rail.

Portland Cash Exchange: Friday's close:
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Oregon World's Fair Plans Will Continue

Portland (U.P.)—The governor's Oregon Centennial Committee announced over the week end that it is definitely going ahead with detailed studies for a world's fair in 1959 in observance of the 100th anniversary of Oregon's admission to the union.

Chairman James Mount said the decision was reached at a conference of the executive board after evaluation of plans by the city of Houston, Tex., to hold a world's fair in 1959 or 1960.

"We are going right ahead with the Stanford Research Institute survey of the possibility of a world's fair as a highlight of the state's celebration of its 100th birthday," Mount said.

Red Broadcast Tells Of Nationalist Raids

Tokyo (U.P.)—Radio Peiping said today Nationalist troops attempted to raid Red light-houses along the Fukien coast of southeast China Thursday but were driven off by Communist troops.

The Communist broadcast said 24 Nationalist soldiers landed from Quemoy Island and attempted to raid the lighthouses of Weitow Peninsula and Wuchientow.

Peiping said they were immediately driven off by a coastal unit of the Chinese People's Liberation Army and local militia-men.

Chimney Fire—City firemen reported no damage from a flue fire about 10:30 a.m. yesterday at the Keith Bristlin residence, 1420 Hillcourt.

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