GORDON C. HAYS
To Manage New Mortuary

## Conger-Morris To Open New Mortuary In Ashland Soon

Carlos W. Morris, managing partner, and Mrs. Mabel C. Conger, of Conger-Morris funeral parlors, Medford, announced today the purchase of the Seventh Day Adventist church and adjoining property at Fourth and "C" streets, Ashland, for the purpose of opening a branch mortuary. The adjoining property will be used for modernization and expansion.

Assistant manager Gordon C. Hays, who has been with Conger-Morris for the past 6½ years, will be manager of the Ashland Mortuary.

Hays, a licensed embalmer and funeral director, was born in Stanton, Ia., in 1919, and received his education at Tulane university in New Orleans, and at the San Francisco College of Mortuary Science. He spent 20 years in Red Oak, Ia., and worked there for Sellergren Funeral home for one year. He came to Washington in 1941, joined the Army in 1942, and spent four years as an army officer, serving in Germany.

**Will Move**

He plans to move to Ashland with his wife, Joyce, and three children, Conlee, Chris, and Karen Sue, after the school year ends.

Hays is a member of the Elks, American Legion, U.S. Army Reserve, and the First Christian church. He has been a deputy coroner of Jackson county for about four years.

The new Ashland Mortuary is expected to be open for business some time this week.

Conger-Morris funeral home was originally established in 1888 by John Weeks, who served the community as an undertaker, first at Phoenix. Shortly before his death in 1902, Mr. Weeks opened a furniture store and undertaking business on Front st., near Eighth, in Medford. His youngest son, Fred, moved to Medford to help him, and shortly thereafter they built a two-story frame building on the present site of Weeks and Orr Furniture store.

In 1900 this building was sold and moved away, and the present building was erected. From 1906 until 1920, Bert Orr and the late W. H. McGowan became business associates of Fred Weeks in the funeral business.

In 1920 this funeral business was purchased by H. W. Conger, who passed away in 1949, and Mabel C. Conger. They moved to the ground floor of the IOOF hall on Sixth st. and in 1928 they built the present funeral home at Sixth and West Main sts.

Personnel and equipment will be interchanged between the two locations, as required.

## Reserve Service Advised by Officer

Young men wishing to choose the Navy for their military service were advised today to enlist in a reserve unit before new legislation affecting the reserve program is enacted.

J. Rodney Keating, Jackson county judge who is also commanding officer of the Naval reserve electronics division 13-5, pointed out that it is expected such new legislation will severely limit or stop recruiting into the Naval reserve.

"It appears that if the men in the 17 to 18½-year-old bracket want the Navy as the service of their choice when they go on active duty, they had better enlist in the Naval reserve and join a drilling unit, either for pay or non-pay, before this proposed legislation is enacted," Commander Keating said.

Information on the Navy reserve program is available from E. V. Tate, radioman first class, at the Federal building, 33 North Riverside ave., on week days, or at the Medford post office on Saturdays. Telephone numbers are 2-2566 and 2-4060.

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

## As We Live

By ELIZABETH HURLOCK, PH.D.

**MOTHER-IN-LAW LISTENS IN ON TELEPHONE TALKS**

Sharing a house with in-laws can cause a lot of trouble. The best way to put an end to this is to move away.

**(Q) "We live on the second floor of a house my husband's parents own. We have our own apartment but our phone is the same as theirs. My mother-in-law always answers the phone as soon as it rings. If it is for me she doesn't hang up when she hears me on the line, but listens while I talk. This infuriates me. Also, whenever I go out of the house, I see her coming to the window to watch where I am going. I don't think it is any of her affair. I feel as if I were being spied on. My husband likes living in the same house as his folks; he likes to go downstairs to see them in the evenings. We have no children and could live anywhere we wanted. I think his parents count on the rent we pay them, but I tell my husband they could rent the apartment to someone else. How can I convince him that I am not happy as things are now?"**

(A) From what you have said I infer that your husband is something of a "Mama's boy" who would never believe you if you suggested that his mother "spies" on you. Therefore you would have to have a better argument than that to persuade him to move.

Dr. Hurlock

So far as you are concerned, it is essential to get away. Of course your mother-in-law should not listen in on your telephone conversations. Most people would not stoop to such a thing.

It may be just idle curiosity that makes her look out of the window every time you leave the house, but at the same time it is bound to be annoying to a grown woman.

Couldn't you persuade your husband that you want to have a small house in the country so you can have a garden? Or think up some other good reason for wanting to move far enough away from your in-laws that they will not interfere in your life.

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## Nine SOC Students Earn Straight 'A's'

Ashland —Nine students at Southern Oregon college earned a straight "A" record during the fall quarter, Registrar Mabel W. Winston said today.

An additional 43 students achieved a grade point average of better than "B-plus", while another 114 earned grades of "B" or better.

The nine straight "A" students were Marion Anderson, Medford; Virginia Ferguson, Ashland; Judith Hall, Medford; Rachel Kneebone, Ashland; Ronald Lamb, Medford; Sandra Neill, Medford; Ardis Ptamann, Phoenix; Barbara Wyatt, Ashland; and Katherine York, Ashland.

## Medford Truck Driver Uninjured in Accident

Weed — Joe D. Cave, 510 Experiment rd., Medford, a driver for Pierce Auto Freight lines, was pinned in the cab of his truck after it went into a ditch along Highway 99 this week, but escaped injury.

The accident, which he said was his first in 15 years as a driver for the company, occurred when he swerved his truck to avoid hitting a car which stopped suddenly in front of him according to California Highway patrol reports.

## $100 Gift to SOC Received From Firm

Ashland—President Elmo N. Stevenson of Southern Oregon collect has announced the receipt of a $100 contribution from Vermiculite - Northwest, Inc., Seattle, Wash., to be used by the college in its building and development fund.

The check came from O. M. Jones, manager of the firm who said, "Each year our firm follows a policy of making contributions to religious, charitable and educational institutions to the full allowable limit. It is our pleasure this year to be able to include Southern Oregon college.


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| G.E. 11 foot Upright, 1954 Model | 379.95 | 329.95 |
| G.E. 15 foot Upright, 1954 Model | 499.95 | 449.95 |

● RANGES—16 ON SALE

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| Used Electric, several good models | $45.00 to | $75.00 |
| Used Gas, 1 Apt. model, 2 large | 65.00 to | 90.00 |
| | WAS | NOW |
| G.E. 1954 Model, Used | 199.95 | 149.95 |
| G.E. 1954 Model, Used | 279.95 | 239.95 |
| 2 General Electric, J-242 | 169.95 | 149.95 |
| 2 General Electric, J-361 | 199.95 | 169.95 |
| General Electric, J-362 | 229.95 | 189.95 |

● DISHWASHERS—5 ON SALE

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| New, Demonstrator Models, Auto. | 279.95 | 229.95 |

● AUTOMATIC WASHERS—10 ON SALE
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| | WAS | NOW |
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| Frigidaire Automatic Washer | $140.00 | $110.00 |
| Bendix Automatic Washer | 120.00 | 99.95 |
| Bendix Automatic Washer | 50.00 | 35.00 |
| Bendix Automatic Washer | 50.00 | 35.00 |
| General Electric, 1954 Model | 319.95 | 249.95 |
| General Electric, 1954 Model | 299.95 | 259.95 |
| NEW 1954 MODELS | | |
| | WAS | NOW |
| General Electric | 329.95 | 289.95 |
| Speed Queen | 329.95 | 299.95 |
| Speed Queen | 279.95 | 249.95 |
| Speed Queen | 229.95 | 199.95 |

● REFRIGERATORS—9 ON SALE
USED, Reconditioned—1 Yr. Guarantee

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| Norge Refrigerator | 140.00 | 125.00 |
| Coldspot Refrigerator | 135.00 | 120.00 |
| Electrolux Refrigerator, Gas | 60.00 | 39.95 |
| Coldspot Refrigerator | 90.00 | 75.00 |
| Coldspot Refrigerator | 120.00 | 99.95 |
| Kelvinator Refrigerator | 120.00 | 99.95 |
| G.E. Refrigerator, 1954 model | 279.95 | 229.95 |
| NEW 1954 MODELS | | |
| | WAS | NOW |
| General Electric Refrigerator | 449.95 | 359.95 |
| General Electric Refrigerator | 229.95 | 199.95 |

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