

Local and Personal

To Install — Nevada chapter, Order of Eastern Star, will hold the annual installation of officers Friday, Dec. 31, at 6 p.m. in Central Point Masonic hall.

Chimney Fire — Central Point rural firemen were called to the E. M. Bishop home on the old Pacific highway north of Central Point about 8:30 p.m. yesterday because of a fire fire. They said there was no damage.

In Corvallis — Horticulture Agent C. B. Corby is in Corvallis attending a horticulture college meeting at Oregon State college. Interested persons from throughout the state are attending to discuss future horticultural prospects for Oregon.

Building Permits — Donald Pittsford has issued a building permit yesterday for an \$8,000 residence at 720 Broad street. A. M. Board has issued a permit for a \$2,500 addition to a residence at 1416 Stratford way. S. E. L. Pitterson received a permit to remodel a residence at 425 Haven st. into a duplex.

No Fire Found — City firemen investigating a report of smoke about 1:10 p.m. yesterday at a 317 East Jackson st. apartment house owned by the George Neilson estate, said they found no fire. They said, however, that overloaded wiring was evident with several fuses having blown in the past few days.

Square Dance — Joane and James Square Dance club members played a New Year's eve square dance session at the Double barn on Grove way south of Grants Pass. The dancing is to begin at 8:30 a.m. Doug Fosbury will call and women are to take refreshments for a pot-luck lunch.

Mekvold To Portland — Alf Mekvold, superintendent of county schools, will spend Friday in Portland attending a meeting of the finance committee of the Oregon Education association. He will be in Salem Jan. 6 for a meeting of the county school superintendents' legislative committee.

Theft Reported — Theft of three guns from the Earl Richardson home, 2133 Crater Lake ave., was reported to Medford city police yesterday. They were taken sometime between noon Sunday and noon Monday stolen were two shotguns and a rifle, police said. Police reported the Medford Labor temple, 2414 South Grape st., was entered between 10:30 p.m. and 4:25 a.m. last night. Nothing was reported missing.

3 GREAT HITS! LOCALLY OWNED PH. ASH 9-6231 DRIVE-IN THEATRE 2 1/2 Miles North of ASHLAND TONITE Thru SAT.

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News About Servicemen

Has Surgery — Mrs. Daniel Linville, route 2, box 460, Medford, is a surgery patient at Community hospital, attendants reported today.

Happy Harvesters — The Happy Harvesters Square Dance club will hold a dance at the Central Point American Legion hall New Year's Eve. Paul Larsen will call, and potluck refreshments will be served.

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Property Sold — The sale of the former Earl D. Moore home at 2329 East Main street, was announced this week by Bill Kerr of the Fidler-MacKenzie agency. Purchasers are Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Mirick. He is band director for the Medford schools, and they recently sold their home at 509 West 14th st. to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Basore. The Moores moved recently to Redding, Cal., where Moore has purchased the Lincoln-Mercury agency, according to the realtors' release. They were in Ashland with his parents, the Homer Browns, for the Christmas holidays.

HOME ON LEAVE — Sgt. John R. Monroe III, son of Mrs. Flossie D. Monroe, 321 Howard st., returned home recently for a 30-day holiday leave.

CHRISTMAS LEAVE — Currently home on Christmas leaves are Marines Pvt. Keith E. Paschke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin G. Paschke, 892 Stewart ave., and Pfc. Alfred R. Cane, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred L. Cane, route 1, Central Point. Pfc. Paschke is a graduate of Medford High school and Pfc. Cane of Crater High school. Both men are now stationed in California.

ON LEAVE — John Wolfe, second class airman stationed at Craig Air Force base in Alabama, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Hazel Wolfe, 322 Benton st., Medford. Wolfe is a graduate of Medford High school, and has been in the service about a year and a half.

VAL-ROGUE SQUAD — Four men have enlisted for a new "Val-Rogue Leathernecks" squad, the local Marine corps recruiting station has announced. Those signed up for the new squad which will leave Medford Jan. 9 and train as a unit while in basic training are Truman Price, Gold Hill, Lyle Yocom, Central Point, Darrel Roberts, Medford, and Leroy Champney, Cave Junction.

American Can Company Exercises Salem Option — Salem — (U.P.) — American Can company said yesterday it was exercising its option to buy nearly 11 acres of land in north Salem, and indicated a \$2,500,000 plant will be built on the site. The company is paying \$53,900 for the site. The plant will employ at least 100 persons with peak employment up to 400.

Births — BURTON — To Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. 1020 Ellendale dr., Dec. 28, 1955, a girl, weight 8 1/2 pounds, at Community hospital.

OFFENBACHER — To Mr. and Mrs. Richard, route 1, box 71, Jacksonville, Dec. 28, 1955, a girl, 6 3/4 pounds, in Sacred Heart hospital.

FIELD — To Mr. and Mrs. Charles, route 2, box 388D, Medford, Dec. 29, 1955, a girl, 8 1/4 pounds, in Sacred Heart hospital.

Obituary Notices

JESS WINTERS — Funeral services for Jess Lawrence Winters, 55, of Camp White who died Wednesday will be held in the Camp White chapel at 9:30 a.m. Friday. Chaplain Lawrence Eskay will officiate. Committal will be in Camp White cemetery. Conger-Morris funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

DISCHARGED — Stanley Michael Purcell, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Purcell, 439 North Front st., returned home recently after he received his discharge from the Army after serving at Heilbron, Germany. He had been in the service for 21 months. Purcell is a Medford senior high school graduate and has attended Southern Oregon college, the University of Oregon and Oregon State college. He plans to leave next week to enter pre-dentistry studies at Oregon State college.

FRED GOODWIN — Funeral services for Fred H. Goodwin, 63, who died Saturday in Portland, will be held in Conger-Morris chapel at 3 p.m. Friday instead of 9:30 a.m. as previously announced. The Rev. Dexter Williams of the First Christian church, Gold Hill, will officiate. Graveside services in Memory gardens will be under the direction of the Gold Hill VFW, assisted by a military detail from Camp White.

GREENSBORO, N. C. — (U.P.) — Some 25,000 undelivered Christmas cards will be burned by the post office because of wrong addresses, illegible addresses, or in some cases, no addresses at all, an official announced today.

WALL STREET — New York — (U.P.) — Stocks had a half-hearted year end rally in increased volume today. Industrial shares did fairly well and their average came within two points of setting an all-time record high. Rails and utilities slipped down a peg or so.

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WALTER WOODS — Funeral services for Walter Russell Woods, 53, of 435 Manzanita st., Central Point, who died Monday, will be held in Conger-Morris chapel at 1:30 p.m. Friday. The Rev. Norman K. Tully of the Central Point Presbyterian church will officiate assisted by the Rev. E. J. Clark. Committal will be in Siskiyou Memorial park.

Mr. Woods was born Feb. 25, 1902, in Red Oak, Iowa. On Dec. 9, 1939, at Meadville, Mo., he was married to Violet Shore, who survives.

He came from Kansas City, Mo., about four years ago and made his home in Central Point. He was a member of the Pres-

byterian church at Central Point.

CORBETT DAIRY FARMER GORED BY YOUNG BULL — Portland — (U.P.) — Kenneth E. Innis, 44-year-old Corbett dairy farmer, was being treated in a local hospital today for rib fractures suffered when he was attacked by a young bull late yesterday.

Innis and his wife were leading the Guernsey bull to water when the rope attached to the nose ring broke. The bull butted Innis in the chest and knocked him down. Innis grabbed the nose ring and held on until he was able to run to safety. Neighbors had the bull under control when county police arrived.

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Legion Dance at Central Point Friday

Central Point — The Myers-Holland American Legion post of Central Point will sponsor a Teen Age dance in the Legion hall here Friday, Dec. 30. The Camp White orchestra, under the direction of Jimmy Rae, will furnish music.

Dancing will start at 9 p.m. and continue until midnight, according to Ray Charters, chairman of the dance committee. The dance will be under the supervision of the committee's personnel.

WAIVES PRELIMINARY HEARING IN COURT — Jack Richard Crescenzi, 27, of 135 Tripp st., waived preliminary hearing yesterday in district court on a charge of entering a motor vehicle with intent to steal.

He was bound over to the grand jury and is free on \$1,500 property bond. Medford police said Crescenzi has admitted theft of a tire and a jack from a car owned by Colleen Hope Winterhalter as well as theft of two credit cards.

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FARM MARKET — Wholesalers quoted firm to higher prices for green onions and radishes. Light green onions were quoted at 90 cents to \$1.10 a dozen bunches and fresh radishes sold at 70-80 cents; cauliflower prices were booked at \$2.90 for dozen lots of cellophane packages; heads, Northwest Starling red delicious apples sold at \$6.50 for large wrapped and packed boxes.

POULTRY, RABBITS — Live Chickens — To growers (No. 1 quality): Fryers, New York style, 2 1/2 to 4 lbs., 22c; at farm, 21c; roasters, 2 1/2 to 4 lbs., 24c; light hens, 17c; heavy hens, all wts., 23-24c; old roosters, 11-14c. Dressed Chickens — No. 1 dressed to retailers: Fryers, New York style, 3 1/2-3 3/4 lb., whole drawn, 42-44c; cut up, 47-49c; hens, light type, New York style, 29-30c; cut-up, 41-44c; hens, heavy type, N. Y. style, 34-36c; whole drawn, 44-47c lb. Turkeys — To producers: vicerated toms, 33-34c; fryer turkeys, live weights, 6 1/2-10 lbs., 34c lb. Dressed Turkeys — To retailers, nominally A grade young hens, 55-56c lb.; vicerated: A grade young hens, 46-50c lb.; vicerated, depending on weight, vicerated fryer-roasters, 57c lb. Rabbits — Average to growers (No. 1 killing plant): Live white, 3 1/2-4 1/2 lbs., 23-26c; 5-6 lbs., 18-21c; colored pelt, 4c under; old does, 10-14c lb.; a few higher, fresh killed fryers to retailers, 58-61c; cut up, 62-65c.

PORTLAND PRODUCE — Portland — Wholesale hay prices: No. 2 green alfalfa, baled, f.o.b. trucks, Portland and Seattle, \$39-41 ton. U. S. No. 1 Timothy hay, \$48 ton. f.o.b. Seattle. No. 1 Timothy mixed hay, \$42 Seattle. Prices as reported by the USDA market news service: Wheat, No. 2 soft white, \$74.50 ton; No. 2 white No. 2 Western barley, \$46.50 f.o.b. Portland Coast delivery; soybean meal \$79 ton, delivered Portland; standard millrun \$42; No. 2 yellow corn, Eastern shipments f.o.b. Portland, \$62.50.

Sweet Home Couple Starts Prison Term

Albany — (U.P.) — A Sweet Home couple had a tearful farewell with their two children and then left for Salem to begin serving three-year terms in the state penitentiary.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Molitor were convicted of arson for setting fire to their home. Judge Victor Oliver refused a plea for probation and the children, aged 11 and 5, were made wards of the state.

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