

Local and Personal

Portland Trip—United States Marshall Paul Hanlin, 806 West Main st., has returned from Portland. Hanlin was in Portland about three weeks working out of the Portland Marshall's office.

Medical Care—Three persons from Central Point were reported today as medical patients at Sacred Heart hospital. They are Eugene Perkins, Elbert Allen and Mrs. Z. N. Nary.

Emergency Surgery—Mrs. Ernest Santo, 204 Lozier lane, is at Osteopathic hospital where she underwent emergency appendectomy Wednesday evening, attendants reported today.

From Trip—Mr. and Mrs. Lou Cranston and daughter, Patricia, 1320 East Jackson st., arrived home Tuesday after being in Lindsay, Calif., to visit Cranston's mother during the holidays.

Square Dance—The Swingin' Bees Square Dance club will dance between 8:30 p.m. and midnight Saturday at 40 North Riverside ave. Minnie Robertson will call dances. Potluck refreshments will be served.

Office Enlarged—The offices of Fidler-MacKenzie agency, Jackson hotel, have been remodeled and enlarged. The offices now include the former director's meeting room at the hotel. The change was effected Jan. 3.

Name Changed—The assumed business name College Cleaners in Ashland has been retired by Ivan O. and Amanda V. Farris. The name was assumed by George W. and Isabel F. Thomas, according to records in the county recorder's office.

Cancel Meeting—The tax study session of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce scheduled for Friday morning, Jan. 6, has been cancelled. Tax studies by the legislative committee will continue Friday morning, Jan. 13, at Medford hotel.

At Community—Douglas Reed, 2 son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Reed, route 1, box 151, Central Point, had tonsil surgery today at Community hospital, and Mrs. Lorene Fraser, 2715 Elliott ave., is there for surgery. Mrs. William Wolgamott, 409 North Columbus ave., is a medical patient at the same hospital.

Have Surgery—Several new surgery patients were reported this morning at Sacred Heart hospital. They include Kathleen and Michael Riley, children of Mr. and Mrs. William Riley, 616 Stewart ave.; Mrs. Wendell Stalker, 133 Willamette ave.; Mrs. Henry Teal, Myrtle Creek; and Mrs. Robert Hale, 2605 Tennessee dr.

Specialist Here—John Landers, extension livestock specialist from Oregon State college, is spending three days in the valley aiding in classification of beef herds. Animals are being classified by Landers and County Agent Earle Jossy, preparatory to the Cal-Ore livestock sale in February. Cattle must meet certain requirements to be eligible.

Checks Returned—Walter L. Dale, 516 Palm st., reported to city police Tuesday that three checks totaling \$35, he cashed, had been returned marked account closed. The checks were drawn on the University branch of the United States National Bank of Portland, Salem. Five checks written for \$10 each on the Grants Pass branch of the United States National Bank were returned because of insufficient funds by Max A. Kulbe, 120 Genesee st., Dec. 31, according to a police report. Police said all the checks had the same signature.

Visiting—Mrs. Christine Robbins, Longview, Wash., is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. W. Todd, and daughters, the Misses Elsie and Violet Todd, 251 Renault ave.

From Trip—Mrs. Cecilia Crawford and son, Richard Crawford, and her grandson, Robert Almond, 531 Berrydale ave., returned home this week from a visit in The Dalles. They spent the holidays with another son, Lester Crawford, his wife, and their four children.

Visit Mother—William E. Walton, an airman second class, stationed at Mountain Home Air Force base, Ida., and his sister, Miss Carol Walton, Portland, left this week after visiting their mother, Mrs. Hazel Walton, 331 Bessie st., during the holidays.

False Alarm—City firemen said that two small girls reported turning in a false alarm yesterday and were turned over to their parents for correction. Firemen reported that the two called it saying that there was a house fire in the 1800 block on Prune street.

Smoke damage—Minor smoke damage resulted from a flue fire about 3:15 p.m. yesterday at the Andrew Thanos home, 646 Pennsylvania ave., according to firemen. They said no damage resulted from another chimney fire about 8 a.m. today at the Lewis Caldwell residence, 860 Washburn ave.

Family Dinner—The local YMCA will hold a family potluck dinner at 6:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 6. Terry Brereton, YMCA delegate to the Paris conference centennial, will show slides about his trip. Mrs. Stanley Berger will lead a short discussion on women's program of the YMCA. Members are reminded to bring a meat dish, a salad or dessert and milk if desired. Recreation facilities will be available.

Accidents—No one was injured in two auto accidents in Medford Tuesday. Cars driven by Robert Kenneth Fink, route 1, box 592, Central Point, and Delores Francis Sullivan, route 1, box 383, Talent, collided at the intersection of West Eighth and South Ivy sts., about 12:17 p.m. About 4:10 p.m., vehicles operated by Eloise Distel, 833 West Jackson st., and Gary Leroy Hanson, 744 Normal ave., Ashland, collided at the corner of West Third and North Ivy sts., according to Medford police.

Daily Weather Report

Sunset tonight 4:53 p.m. Sunrise tomorrow 7:40 a.m.

FORECASTS
Medford and vicinity: Cloudy with occasional showers tonight and Friday. Low tonight 34-36. High Friday 42.

LOCAL DATA
TEMPERATURE: Mean yesterday 44; above normal 7.
Record high this date 67 in 1914.
Record low this date 13 in 1913.
PRECIPITATION: 24 hours to midnight 25 in.; Midnight to 10 a.m., 0.
Total this month, 51 in., .19 in. above normal.
Total since Sept. 1, 16.15 in., 7.47 in. above normal.

HUMIDITY: Lowest yesterday 63%, highest this a.m., 98%.

CITY	High	Low	Prec.
Brookings	53	46	.92
Crater Lake	28	20	.59
Grants Pass	52	36	.53
Klamath Falls	38	32	.01
MEDFORD	51	34	.25
Portland	50	43	1.14
Seattle	48	36	.98
Spokane	44	34	.41
Yakima	44	34	.03
Eureka	58	45	.91
Red Bluff	49	47	.24
Sacramento	51	49	.11
San Francisco	58	52	.27
Los Angeles	71	51	.01
Phoenix	77	44	.04
Denver	67	39	.00
Chicago	51	25	.00
Miami	67	45	.00
New York	43	33	.00
Washington, D. C.	44	32	.00

The Community's Biggest Marketplace
Dead line for Sunday Classified is at noon Saturday



CELEBRATING 75th birthday, General of Army George Marshall chats with neighbor, John Bertrand, at Pinehurst, N. C. home. (International)

News About Servicemen

RETURNS
R. L. Hurd, a hospitalman serving in the Navy at the Corona, Calif., Naval hospital, recently completed a leave, during which he visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hurd, Ashland, and other relatives. He was home for the recent holidays.

Transportation Funds To Be Considered

Auditing and approval of a \$7,370.37 transportation payment to high schools taking non-high district students will be completed at a regular meeting of the non-high board at 1:30 p.m. Friday in the courthouse annex. A. E. Brockway is chairman.

The board also is expected to review requests for further release from attendance in school as well as tentative releases made by the county school superintendent's office.

Two Thefts Reported To Sheriff's Office

Theft of \$48.03 from a safe company was reported yesterday at the Main Building Supply to the sheriff's office. Yard Manager Paul R. Hughes discovered the burglary early Wednesday.

Burglars forced open the safe with a sharp instrument, according to investigating officers. The company is owned and operated by Harold Salter, Rogue River, and Francis and Richard Shontz, Gold Hill.

Sheriff's officers also reported the theft of a 48-inch bolt cutter, taken Jan. 3 from a tool-house, F. R. Fairweather, contractor, at the Gold Hill school.



SWORN IN—Lt. Gen. Randolph McCall Pate (above), mild-mannered, battle-hardened Marine, has been sworn in at Washington as the 21st commandant of the Marine Corps. He began his military career as an Army enlisted man.

Obituary Notices

NEWTON SHIREY
J. Newton Shirey, 85, of 1358 Ross lane, died last night in a local hospital. Conger-Morris funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

LEO BACH
Leo March Bach, 63, of Portland, died in a local hospital last night. Among survivors is a daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Phillips, of Central Point, Conger-Morris funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

Frank B. Moulton Dies In California

San Rafael, Calif.—Frank B. Moulton, 93, a retired San Rafael police officer and correction officer at San Quentin, died Saturday at the Odd Fellow's home in Saratoga.

Funeral services were held yesterday in San Rafael, and burial was in Golden Gate cemetery, San Bruno. He was a veteran of the Spanish War, and was active in Masonic lodge events.

Wall Street

New York — (U.P.) — Stocks moved higher today when President Eisenhower's State of the Union message became public news.

The market moved up after two sessions of decline following a one-day year end rally on Dec. 30 that carried industrials to a new record high.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:
American T & T180 1/4
Anaconda 71
Chrysler 83 7/8
Curtis Wright 28 7/8
General Electric 55 5/8
General Motors 44 1/2
Montgomery Ward 93 3/4
Penn R R 25 1/4
Penny J C 99
Radio 45 5/8
Southern Co 19 7/8
Southern Pacific 55 1/2
S O of Calif 91 7/8
Texas Gulf Sulphur 37 3/8
Transamerica 40 5/8
Tri-Continental 25 5/8
United Aircraft 70 1/2
U S Rubber 52
U S Steel 56 5/8
Youngstown 93 1/4

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK
Portland—(U.P.)—Cattle 200. Good light fed steers 17-20 and 18 utility and commercial steers 11-15-15; culler-cutter cows mostly 7.50-9; few 9.25; utility cows 10-12.
Calves 25. Good-choice vealers 20-26; cull down to 7.
Hogs 300. U. S. 1 and 2 butchers 180-235 lb. 13-13.50; No. 3 around 12-12.50; sows 300-350 lb. 9.00-9.50.
Sheep 100. Good-choice slaughter lambs 17-18; choice 18.25-18.50; good-choice feeder lambs 15-16.

PORTLAND ALFALFA, GRAIN
Portland—Wholesale Hay Prices: No. 2 green alfalfa, baled, f.o.b. trucks, Portland and Seattle \$40.42 ton.
No. 1 Timothy hay, 848 ton, f.o.b., Seattle; No. 1 Timothy mixed hay, \$42, Seattle.

Prices reported by the USDA market news service: Wheat, No. 2 soft white, \$74.50 ton; No. 2 white oats, 38-lb. test, Coast delivery, \$52; No. 2 Western barley, \$46.50, f.o.b. Portland Coast delivery; soybean meal \$79.50 ton, delivered Portland; standard millrun, \$41.50-42; No. 2 yellow corn, Eastern shipments, f.o.b. Portland, \$63 ton.

PORTLAND PRODUCE
Portland—(U.P.)—Eggs—To retailers: AA grade, 63-67¢; A grade, 62-66¢; B grade, 61-65¢; C grade, 60-64¢; A medium, 59-63¢; small, 54-58¢; carton, 1-3¢ additional.
Butter—To retailers: AA grade, 66¢ lb.; cartons, 67¢; A grade, 65¢; carton, 66¢; B grade, 64¢; C grade, 63¢; Oregon singles, 40 1/2-45 1/2¢; 8-lb. loaves, 46 1/2-49 1/2¢.

Farm Market
Top quality 2-2 1/2 dozen stalk crates of lettuce sold at 4.25-4.50 today; cauliflower and lettuce prices were steady.

Poultry, Rabbits
Live Chickens—To growers (No. 1 quality, f.o.b. Portland): Fryers, 2 1/2 to 4 lbs., 25¢; at farm, 24¢; roasters, 2 1/2 lb. f.o.b. Portland; light hens, 17-20¢; heavy hens, all wts., 25¢; old roasters, 11-14¢.
Dressed Chickens—No. 1 dressed to retailers: Fryers, New York style, 3 1/2 lb., whole drawn, 44-46¢; cut up, 50-52¢; hens, light type, New York style, 30-32¢; cut-ups, 42-46¢; hens, heavy type, N. Y. style, 36-38¢; whole drawn, 45-49¢.
Turkeys—To producers: Eviscerated tons, 23-24¢; lb. fryer turkeys, live weights, 6 1/2-10 lbs., 24¢ lb.
Dressed Turkeys—To retailers, nominally A grade young hens, 53-56¢ lb. eviscerated; A grade young toms, 46-50¢ lb. eviscerated, depending on wt. eviscerated fryer-roasters, 57¢ lb.
Rabbits—(Average to growers, f.o.b. killing plant)—Live white, 3 1/2-4 1/2 lbs., 23-26¢; 3-6 lbs., 18-21¢; colored pelts, 4¢ under; old does, 10-14¢ lb., a few higher. Fresh killed fryers to retailers, 58-61¢; cut up, 62-65¢.

KATHERINE VOLKENANT
Mrs. Katherine C. Volkenant, 85, a Medford resident for 12 years, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Kathryn V. Clegg, 2235 Oakwood drive, Wednesday.

Mrs. Volkenant was born in Ottawa, Ill., May 3, 1870. She was a member of the United Brethren Evangelical church of Ottawa, Ill.

Besides her daughter, she is survived by three sisters, two grandchildren, William B. Clegg Jr., Medford, and Janice Volkenant of Ottawa, Ill.

The body will be transferred to Ottawa, Ill., for services and interment.

The family has requested that in lieu of flowers a donation be sent to Rogue Valley Memorial hospital, Medford, Ore.

LE ROY SLACK JR.
Graveside services for Le Roy Marvin Slack Jr., 5, of Anderson, Calif., who died Tuesday in Redding, Calif., were held today in Woodville cemetery with the Rev. Don Mainwaring of the Community church of Wimer, officiating. Conger-Morris funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

Besides his parents, survivors include two sisters, Margaret Lynn and Noralee; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Slack, Anderson, Calif.; and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Thompson, Rogue River.

BANNA MILLER
Funeral services for Banra A. Miller, 17, of 1117 South Stage road, who died Monday at Eugene, will be held in Conger-Morris Chapel at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, with the Rev. J. O. Morgan officiating. Committal will be in Siskiyou Memorial park.

Funeralbearers will include George Potucek, Robert Long, Elliott Lester, Lawrence Patterson, Pearl Millhouse and Glen Allen.

Miss Miller was born in Medford, Jan. 3, 1938. She attended grade school at Griffin Creek and graduated from Medford High school in 1955. She was past Royal princess of the Pythian Sunshine girls.

Survivors include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Miller; a sister, Ana; a brother, Rusty; a grandmother, Mrs. A. W. Sullivan, all of Medford; an aunt, Mrs. Anna Jones, of Norco, Calif., and several cousins.

CHARLES MOORE
Funeral services for Charles H. Moore, 61, who died Wednesday in Veterans Administration domiciliary at Camp White, will be held in Camp White Chapel at 9 a.m. Friday. Chaplain Samuel Feller will officiate. Committal will be in Camp White cemetery. Conger-Morris funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Moore was born Sept. 13, 1894, in Louisville, Kan. He enlisted in the Army Oct. 2, 1917, at Tucson, Ariz., and was discharged July 5, 1919, at Camp Dodge, Iowa.

Survivors include a son, Elmer E. Moore, of North Sacramento, Calif.

Scientists Plan High Altitude Photos of Life of Hurricanes

Washington — (U.P.) — Government scientists hope with the help of high altitude rockets to photograph some of this year's hurricanes in the act of being born, growing up, aging, and dying.

With such photos and other information the Weather Bureau hopes in time to perfect methods of forecasting the mammoth tropical storms which annually threaten or ravage the Gulf and Atlantic coasts.

The bureau also hopes ultimately to find means of steering hurricanes to make them miss populated areas.

Part of Research
The photography program will be part of a big hurricane research undertaking which the Weather Bureau will launch from bases in Florida, probably in May.

Representatives of the bureau and the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics will start work this month on technical aspects of the rocket photography project. The NACA has had nine years of experience firing high-soaring rockets at Wallops Island, Va.

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broad atmospheric environment in which they are spawned and move, and the tremendous internal and external forces which influence their course.

The Air Force is providing three specially-equipped planes, one a jet, for the project. These planes are in addition to the hurricane hunting and watching aircraft in regular use each year.

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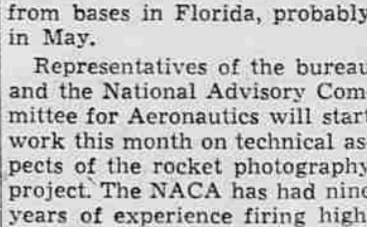
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TOMORROW!
Vets May Apply For Tax Exemptions Now
Applications for property tax exemptions to veterans and widows of veterans are being taken at the county assessors office in the courthouse, it was reported today.

All honorably discharged veterans of World War I and II and the Korean war, with a disability rating of 40 per cent or more, are eligible, as well as widows of all veterans who have not remarried, and veterans of any war preceding World War I.

Applications must be filed out in the assessor's office by April 1. A maximum exemption of \$2,250 on homes is available under the law.

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