

Local and Personal

Correction — Gladson unit of Wesleyan Service guild will meet January 17 rather than tonight as was stated in a previous issue of The Mail Tribune.

On Staff — Bob Harp, 817 West Second st., has returned to the Medford Sewing center staff after being associated for the past 1 1/2 years at the Grants Pass store of the firm. He has made his home in Medford during that time.

Return — Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watkins, 1509 Terrace dr., have returned home from San Bernardino, Calif., where they visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Al Watkins. They also visited at Palm Springs and in the Los Angeles area.

Smoke Check — Medford firemen were called to the residence of Thomas Carey, 325 South Holly st., about 12:20 p.m. yesterday to check smoke reported in the house. Firemen said they found a motor in a furnace duct burned out. There was no other damage.

Surgery Patients — Four surgery patients were reported by Community hospital this morning. They were Mrs. Wilburn Haworth, 1119 East Jackson st.; Robert L. Stewart, 4219 Colver rd.; Mrs. Grant Nelson, 21 Vancouver ave., and Terry Lucich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lucich, route 1, box 364F, Medford.

At Mart — Mrs. Nunya Lizburg and Mrs. Marjorie Green, Burelson's Ready-to-Wear Shop, are in California where they will attend merchandise mart shows and purchase stock for their store. They will be in Los Angeles and San Francisco. Mrs. Green plans to return this weekend and Mrs. Lizburg will remain in San Francisco for a week to visit a sister, Mrs. Sonia Gordon.

It requires about 15 minutes of camera shooting time for each minute of finished film to be produced for a typical television drama show.

Moved — Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Neill, formerly of Griffin Creek, have moved to 1415 West Eighth st., where they have purchased the residence.

In Hospital — Mrs. Don Hodge, former Grants Pass resident now living in Missoula, Mont., underwent major surgery in Osteopathic hospital yesterday, it was reported this morning.

Dismissed — Fred Barker, 82, was released from Osteopathic hospital yesterday after having been a medical patient there for several weeks, the hospital reported this morning. Barker, whose Medford home is at 16 South Peach st., will make his home for the present with Mr. and Mrs. Walter K. Davis, route 2, box 788, Central Point.

Accident — Cars driven by Maella Mathern, 46, of 1070 Shafer lane, Medford, and Robert William Kimbrell, 34, of 1468 Prune st., Medford, collided at the intersection of Dixie lane and Stewart ave. about 8:20 p.m. yesterday, according to state police. There were no injuries, and damage was relatively minor.

Orchestra To Rehearse — R. D. Werner, director of the orchestra of the Philharmonic Society of Southern Oregon, this morning "urgently requested" all members of the orchestra to be present for rehearsal this week. It will be held Wednesday, Jan. 11, at 8 p.m. in Washington school gymnasium. The orchestra will give a concert January 29 in Medford.

Return Home — County Commissioner and Mrs. Chester W. Wendt returned home Sunday night from visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wendt, in Albuquerque, N.M. When returning home they were involved in an accident in San Jose, Calif. Both have sore backs but are otherwise unhurt, Wendt said. Their car is being repaired in San Jose. Their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Skinner, 30 Portland ave., drove to San Jose and brought the Wendts home.

Births

MILLER — To Mr. and Mrs. Roy, Talent, Jan. 9, 1956, a girl, 8 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

ERI — To Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, 2212 East Main st., Jan. 9, 1956, a girl, 8 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

HOK — To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph, 1484 Ridgeday dr., Jan. 10, 1956, a boy, 8 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

PILCHER — To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence, Gold Hill, Jan. 9, 1956, a girl, 7 1/2 pounds, at Community hospital.

BURESON — To Mr. and Mrs. Burle, Gold Hill, Jan. 9, 1956, a girl, 6 1/2 pounds, at Community hospital.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

Portland — (U.P.) — Cattle 250. Choice heavy fed steers around \$19.50 or above; top Monday \$20.50 for high choice 1059-lb; other good-choice steers 16.50-20; choice 882-lb fed heifers \$17; canner-cutter cows 7-8.50; utility cows mostly 9.50-12; light cutter bulls 11.50-12.50.

Calves 50. Good-choice vealers 21-22; one high choice vealer \$28; good heavy slaughter calves \$18.

Sheep 400. Choice slaughter lambs 18.35-18.75; good-choice 17-18; good-choice feeders 15-16; good-choice ewes 8-9.

PORTLAND PRODUCE

Portland — (U.P.) — Eggs — To retailers: Grade AA large, 80-81c; A large, 78-79c; AA medium, 76-77c; A medium, 74-75c; B small 51-53c; cartons, 1-3c additional.

Butter — To retailers: AA grade prints, 66c lb; cartons, 67c; A prints 66c; cartons, 67c; B prints 64c.

Most seasonal fruits and vegetables were at steady prices today. No. 1 California cauliflower quoted at 3.50-3.75; a pony crate; Florida two-layer lugs of tomatoes sold at 6.25-6.75.

PORTLAND HAY, GRAIN

Portland — Wholesale Hay Prices: No. 2 green alfalfa, baled, f.o.b. trucks, Portland and Seattle, 40-42c ton. U. S. No. 1 timothy hay \$48 ton f.o.b. Seattle; No. 1 timothy mixed hay, \$44, Seattle.

Prices as reported by the USDA market news service: Wheat, No. 2 soft white, \$74.50 ton; No. 2 white oats, 38-lb test, coast delivery, \$33; No. 2 western barley \$46.50 f.o.b. Portland; Coast delivery, soybean meal \$79.50 ton, delivered Portland; standard mill run 41.50-42; No. 2 yellow corn Eastern shipments f.o.b. Portland \$63.25 ton.

Federal Control Of Natural Gas Would Hike Cost

Washington — (U.P.) — The Joint Committee of Consumers and Small Producers of Natural Gas said today rigid federal regulation of natural gas production would cause gas prices to rise by stifling competition.

Former Mayor Alex M. Clark of Indianapolis, committee chairman, said the newly-formed committee supported a controversial bill that would exempt independent gas producers from direct federal regulation.

"The big Eastern gas utilities are trying desperately to deceive the public into believing that fantastically high prices will be forced on gas consumers unless a bureaucratic stranglehold is maintained on the producers," Clark said in a statement.

Measure Defended — Sens. A. S. Mike Monroney (D-Okla.) and Andrew F. Schoepel (R-Kan.) both from gas-producing states, heatedly defended the measure against an attack from Sen. Alexander Wiley (R) of gas consuming Wisconsin.

In a speech yesterday before groups opposing the bill, Wiley urged the public to send the Senate an "avalanche of protests" against the "evil" bill. He said chances are it will be approved by the Senate unless there is a "blizzard of protest."

Schoepel fired back in a statement that Wiley was merely echoing earlier charges by "the eastern utilities lobby." He said the measure offers full protection against the "fantastic" gas price increases predicted by Wiley.

Douglas Timber Sales Above Record for '54

Roseburg — (U.P.) — Sales of national forest and bureau of land management timber in Douglas county last year was nearly double 1954 sales.

Sales in 1955 totaled \$13,939,152, according to figures released by the BLM and the forest service. The 1954 figure was seven million dollars. Federal timber sold in 1955 amounted to 408,884,000 board feet. Sales the previous year amounted to 405,625,000 board feet.

The forest service said it planned to sell about 280,000,000 board feet of Umpqua National Forest timber in 1956. The BLM would sell about 120,500,000 feet.

Colorado has 49 mountain peaks that are 14,000 feet or more above sea level, ranging from Pyramid (14,000 feet) to Elbert (14,431 feet).

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JOIN THE MARCH OF DIMES

E-R Commission Retains Lawyers

Portland — (U.P.) — The Exposition-Recreation commission, facing a court fight over selection of the South Auditorium site for Portland's E-R center, today engaged a legal firm to help the city attorney's office in defense of its position.

Meanwhile, a preliminary injunction for an initiative to restrict construction of a center to the east side of the Willamette river was filed with the city auditor. The South Auditorium site is on the west side of the river.

The firm of Mautz, Souther, Spaulding, Denecke and Kinsey was retained by the commission.

Commissioners found that three of the five had been served subpoenas to appear in court Thursday. All five commissioners and the city of Portland were named in an action filed by Joe Dobbins and "all other taxpayers" of the city. The action seeks to enjoin and restrain the commission from entering into any contract or expending any money to construct a center at the downtown site until the question can be resolved finally through a suit.

The first people to emerge from Stone Age barbarism are believed to have been the Hamites, who lived in the Nile valley about 5,000 B.C.

The Escalante, Utah's river of arches, makes such sharp loops and turns in places that it can travel half a mile yet be only 50 yards from where it started.

Security Risk Hirings Blamed

Washington — (U.P.) — Chairman Philip Young of the Civil Service Commission said today a survey shows that the Eisenhower administration hired about 41 per cent of the government employees it later listed as security risks when they were fired or resigned.

Young told a Senate Civil Service Subcommittee that his agency made a sample survey of 3746 of the 9267 employees fired by the administration as security risks or listed as such when they resigned. He said it found that 1542, or 41.2 per cent, were hired since the Eisenhower administration took office and that 2204, or 58.8 per cent, were hired before that date.

He also reported that 5.4 per cent of employees listed as security risks when they left government service subsequently were rehired. One of his aides explained that the rehired employees were given other jobs, usually in other agencies.

News About Servicemen

QUALIFIES — Allen D. Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernal E. Taylor, Jacksonville, has qualified as a carrier pilot in the Navy. To qualify, six landings aboard the carrier USS Saipan were completed. He is now undergoing instruction flying instruction at Pensacola, Fla. He is a graduate of Oregon State college.

Obituaries

MARY MILLER — Funeral services for Mrs. Mary D. Miller, 86, of 413 South Central ave., who died Saturday, will be held in Conger-Morris chapel at 1 p.m. Wednesday. The Rev. D. E. Miller will officiate. Committal will be in Jacksonville cemetery.

Mrs. Miller was born March 22, 1869, in Shasta county, Calif. She was married to William S. Gray in 1887 in Medford. They lived for about three years on Butte Creek, then moved to Guinda, Capay valley, Calif., living there until his death in 1933.

She married John F. Miller in 1937 at Grants Pass. Mr. Miller died in 1946.

Survivors include two sons, Samuel C. Gray, Oildale, Calif.; and Joseph I. Gray, Napa, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. Alice Tyrrell, Yreka; Mrs. Eva True, Medford; and Mrs. G. A. Andrews, Gold Hill; one brother, Perry, Gold Hill; Richmond, Calif.; six grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

CARRIE YOUNG — Funeral services for Carrie E. Young, 89, of 237 South Ivy st., who died Sunday, will be held at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Perl Funeral home. The Rev. D. K. West, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will officiate. Committal will be in Siskiyou Memorial park.

Mrs. Young was born April 22, 1866, in Derry, N.H., a daughter of Samuel G. and Carrie Pillsbury. The family moved to near Boston, Mass., and later to Marshall county, Kan. Mrs. Young taught school for several years in Phillips county, Kan.

On April 26, 1885, she was married to John Hopkins Young. They came to Medford in 1919, and in 1935 celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary.

She was preceded in death by her husband in August, 1939, and two daughters, Mrs. Allen D. Curry and Mrs. Arthur Short.

Survivors include two sons, Ira C. Young and Joseph S. Young of Long Island, Kan.; one daughter, Mrs. Donald R. Nugent, Arlington, Va.; 12 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Young was a member of the Presbyterian church of Medford, and was active in Women's Relief Corps, Daughters of the American Revolution and the Women's Christian Temperance Union.

Palbearers will be J. O. N. Poling, Pete Ryn, Walter Gebhard, Leo Young, Johnny Graham and S. S. Stevens.

EMMA WOODWARD — Emma J. Woodward, 54, Happy Camp, Calif., died in Medford Monday.

She was born in Spokane, Wash., Oct. 4, 1901. She is survived by her husband, Edmund Woodward, of Happy Camp, Calif.

The body will be transferred to Mt. Shasta, Calif., for services at Nobles mortuary. Perl funeral home had charge of arrangements here.

Wall Street

New York — (U.P.) — Another selling drive hit the stock market in the first half of today's session with a rally lifting prices in the later trading.

Rails and industrials came back from their lows. Utilities lost about a quarter point and held there.

At the worst of the decline, the second severe one in a row, the losses ranged to 5 1/4 points in Du Pont which cut that down by three. Jersey Standard had an outside loss of more than three points. Bethlehem at its low was down four from which it rallied halfway. Chrysler came back to a small net gain after losing 1 1/2 points.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:

American T & T	180 1/2
Amoco	70 1/2
Chrysler	81 3/4
General Electric	28 1/2
General Motors	43 3/4
Montgomery Ward	90 1/2
Penn. R. R.	24 3/4
Raytheon, J. C.	97 1/4
Radio	44 1/2
Southern Co.	19 1/2
Southern Pacific	54 1/2
S. Oil of Calif.	91
Texas Gulf Sulphur	36 3/4
Transamerica	40 1/4
Tri-Continental	25 1/2
United Aircraft	67 1/2
U. S. Rubber	52 1/4
U. S. Steel	54 1/2
Youngstown	90 1/2

Daily Weather Report

Sunset tonight, 4:58 p.m.; sunrise tomorrow, 7:38 a.m.

FORECASTS: Medford and vicinity: Light rain late tonight and early Wednesday. A few showers and partial clearing Wednesday afternoon. Low tonight 38. High tomorrow 48.

WESTERN OREGON: Mostly cloudy tonight with occasional rain beginning during the night, continuing Wednesday morning. Partly cloudy Wednesday afternoon. Low 38-44; high 42-48.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA: Considerable cloudiness through Wednesday with occasional rain in the extreme north Wednesday.

FIVE-DAY FORECASTS: Western Washington and Oregon — Very little precipitation except for recurring rains near the coast and moderate rains southwestern Oregon. Temperatures averaging a little above normal, highs 45-55, lows 30-40.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA: Rain at times, mainly Wednesday night and early Thursday and again on Sunday. Temperatures near normal.

LOCAL DATA: Temperature: Mean yesterday 39; above normal 3. Record high this date 62 in 1936. Record low this date 6 in 1945.

Precipitation: 24 hours to midnight 0.1 in. Midnight to 10 a.m. trace. Total this month, 1.40 in., .55 in. above normal. Total since Sept. 1, 17.04 in., 7.93 in. above normal.

Humidity: Lowest yesterday 51%. Highest this a.m. 98%.

City	Hi	Lo	Prec.
Brookings	52	46	1.22
Crater Lake	29	9	0.26
Grants Pass	42	39	3.4
Klamath Falls	37	35	0.14
Medford	48	38	0.1
Portland	42	38	19
Seattle	44	35	1.1
Spokane	35	31	1.9
Tulsa	35	25	2.5
Eureka	55	48	1.11
Red Bluff	46	45	0.7
Sacramento	52	48	1.4
San Francisco	53	50	2.4
Los Angeles	66	48	0.4
Phoenix	77	43	0.4
Denver	57	37	1.9
Chicago	34	26	trace
Miami	59	42	0.4
New York	46	31	0.4
Washington, D. C.	31	—	—

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Walla Walla Prisoner Innocent of Escape

Walla Walla — (U.P.) — Arthur Lee Walker, 28, was found innocent of escape charges in the Walla Walla Superior Court yesterday.

Walker, serving a 15-year sentence for grand larceny in King county, was the first of the 10 escapees who tunneled out of the state prison last year to be found innocent.

The last of the escapees to be tried, William Paul Lee, 42, will face the court during the next jury term. The eight other men already tried, either pleaded guilty or were found guilty by the jury.

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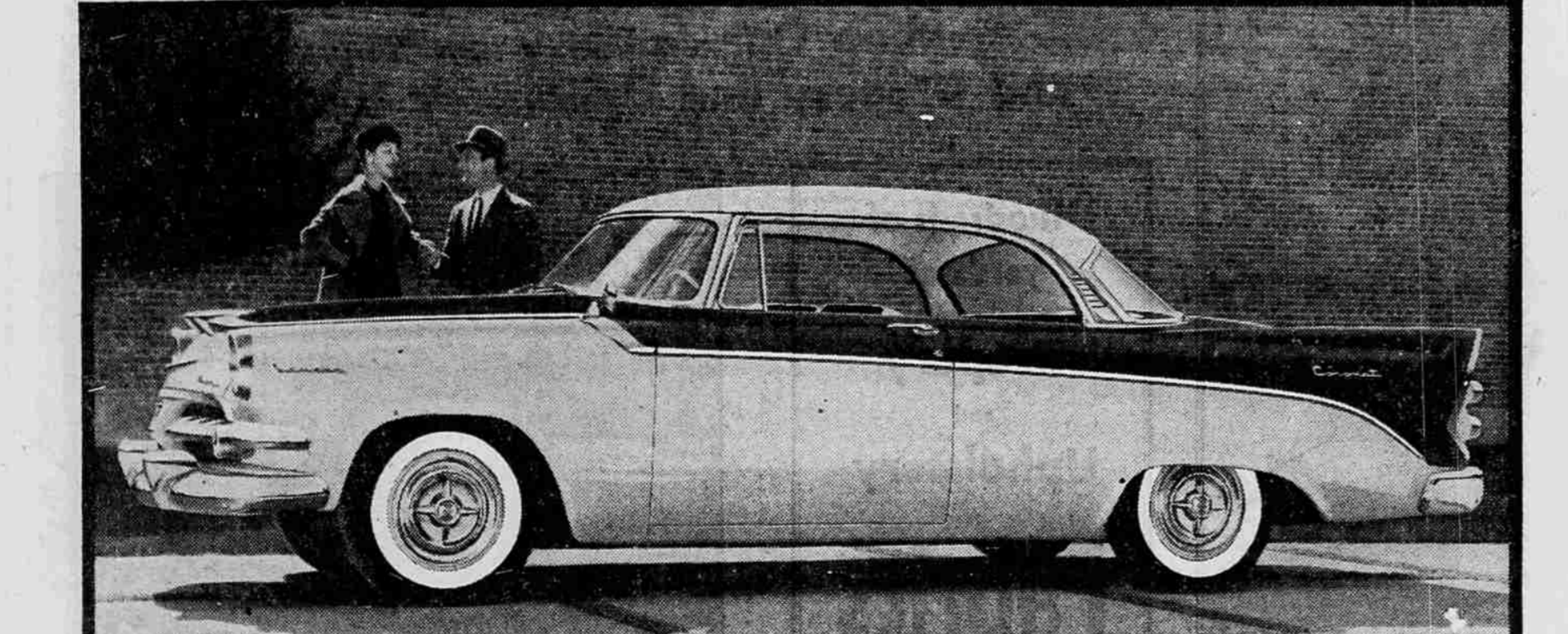
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