

Local and Personal

Plan Sale—Women of Moose will hold a sale of baked goods Saturday, Feb. 11, at 104 North Ivy st., between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Building Permit—A permit to erect a residence at 1809 Oregon ave., at a cost of \$9,500 was issued A. R. Dubs by the city building department.

At Community—Oscar J. Holmway, 180 Jeanette st., and Judy Nidever, 3, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hoy Nidever, Ashland, are listed today as surgery patients at Community hospital.

Cars Collide—Sedans driven by Austin J. Murray, 1033 West 11th st., and Charles T. Rose, 3612 South Pacific highway, were damaged Thursday in a collision at Main and Front sts., according to Medford police.

Car Recovered—A car owned by Elmer G. Huff, 518 Plum st., which was reported stolen Tuesday from Front st., was reported recovered Wednesday night in Grants Pass, according to city police.

At Home—Robert E. Harnish, route 2, box 364 D, Medford, is home after being at Sacred Heart hospital for a week for surgery, family members reported today. He is making a satisfactory recovery and may have friends visit.

Chimney Fire—Firemen reported a flue fire about 8:30 p.m. yesterday at the Lee Morton home, 1517 Oregon ave.

VA Officer—Shirley T. Brannock, local Veteran's Administration officer, will be in Coquille Feb. 16 and 17 to attend a Conservative Baptist state convention, he announced Friday.

Card Found—A social security card signed by Joe Edward Reynolds is being held for the owner at the sheriff's office in the county courthouse, it was reported today.

Groceries Taken—Barbara Lee Parson, 816 Taylor st., reported to Medford police Wednesday the theft of groceries valued at \$7.50, which were taken from her car parked on North Grape st.

Medical Patients—Wallace Haskins, 228 North Holly st., John Walery, 2125 Orchard Home dr., and Louis Upp, route 2, Medford, are medical patients at Sacred Heart hospital, attendants said today.

At Osteopathic—Victor Frost, chief guard at Camp White Domiciliary, had emergency surgery last night at Osteopathic hospital. Mrs. William Byrd, Ashland, also is a surgery patient there, according to the hospital report today.

Improved—Conditions of two elderly women brought here for treatment this week for accident injuries are reported improved at Community hospital. The women, Mrs. Nellie Griffin, 80, and her sister, Mrs. Rose McDonald, 85, both of Smith River, Calif., were injured Monday in an automobile accident near Grants Pass.

From Trip—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Prough, 1019 Mt. Pitt ave., arrived home Tuesday from a 2½ week trip to Pueblo, Colo., where they were called by the illness of one of his brothers, Noel Prough. The couple left here for Los Angeles where they met another brother, Clyde Prough, who accompanied them on the trip.

Sells Home—Mrs. Alma Smith has sold her home at 911 Queen Anne ave., to Mr. and Mrs. Talbert Sehorn, formerly of 832 Summit ave., and Mrs. Smith has left for Chicago for an extended visit with a daughter there. The transaction was made through a local real estate broker. Sehorn is with the federal agricultural department.

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Obituaries

HARRY COGESHALL
Funeral services for Harry Eugene Cogeshall, 74, of 2410 Charles lane, who died at home Thursday, will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday in Chapel Mortuary. The Rev. L. G. Fraser of the Grants Pass Baptist church will officiate. Interment will be in Hillcrest Memorial park at Grants Pass.

Mr. Cogeshall, the son of John G. and Emma Fisher Cogeshall, was born in Randolph, Iowa, Nov. 11, 1881. He came to the Medford area when he was six years old. He prospected along the Illinois river and spent 10 years mining in Alaska. He returned to Grants Pass 18 years ago, and to Medford six years ago.

On Feb. 17, 1951, he was married in Medford to Maggie Campbell, who survives.

Other survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Lola Puricia and Mrs. Ethel Friedel, both of Klamath Falls; two step-sons, Clyde Jaques, Compton, Calif., and J. Duckett, Medford; a step-daughter, Mrs. Irene Tinkham, Seattle; two sisters, Mrs. Nell Brown, Portland, and Mrs. Bessie Meach, Carmel, Calif.; seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

JOHN COATES

John Clayton Coates, 75, of 404 North Oregon ave., died this morning. He was a veteran of the Spanish-American War, and was a member of the United Spanish-American War Veterans of Medford. Conger-Morris funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

CARL REED

Carl M. Reed, 53, died this morning in the Veterans Administration Domiciliary at Camp White. Conger-Morris funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

Tools Stolen—Several tools were reported stolen yesterday from a tool box on a power shovel parked on Bear creek off Ellendale dr. Arvel Lee Nash, 2075 South Pacific highway, told sheriff's deputies that persons unknown had pried a lock off the box.

Twins Born—Mr. and Mrs. John Pogue, 5121 Crater Lake highway, are parents of twins born Feb. 10. The infants, a boy and a girl, weighed five pounds, eight ounces and five pounds, seven ounces, respectively. The couple has another son, age 2, and the father is employed by C. M. Moody, rancher.

Prowler—Two hubcaps, valued at \$24 were stolen from a car owned by Lucile Elizabeth Copeland, 937 Alta ave. She called city police early this morning to report a prowler at her residence and an investigating officer discovered the theft of the hubcaps, according to a police report.

Have Surgery—Several new surgery patients are listed today at Sacred Heart hospital. They are Carol Depner, 1013 South Oakdale ave., Kenneth Northy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Northy, 2111 Hillway dr., Patrick Brusha, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brusha, 2741 North Pacific highway, Kathleen Talbot, four months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Talbot, Central Point, Johnny Jakoski, 2190 Spring st., and Millard Daugherty, 128 South Holly st.

Dead line for Sunday Classified is at noon Saturday.

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Problems of Smaller Governmental Units Discussed At Meeting

Executives of two irrigation districts and a rural fire protection district discussed the problems of small units of government this morning at a chamber of commerce committee breakfast.

The session, another in a series of tax study meetings of the chamber's legislative committee, heard reports from Jack Hoffbuhr, manager of the Medford Irrigation district; his brother, Walter Hoffbuhr, manager of the Talent Irrigation district, and Dick Krupp, fire chief of the Central Point Rural Fire Protection district.

Aid in Problems

The irrigation district men reported that work currently under way to improve, repair and expand irrigation facilities will go far toward solving the problems of the districts themselves, as well as the acute need for more irrigation water on the valley floor. Rehabilitation work on the canal systems of the Rogue Valley and Medford districts, and the Talent project which will increase water supplies for all three districts, will be of great benefit, they reported.

The rehabilitation work is already well started, Jack Hoffbuhr said, with \$232,000 in contracts already let. Within three years all major water structures will be renewed at a cost of about \$1,475,000, and a longer million-dollar project of renovating canal systems will take 10 to 12 years.

Growth Cited

The Medford district had only some 460 water users when started in 1920, he said, a figure which grew to 800 in 1943 and then more than doubled to some 1,800 today.

The rapid increase in the last few years is largely the result of subdivisions and fringe developments, and poses a major problem in administration to the district, he indicated. The district, as a result of this and of high maintenance costs, has the highest water assessments in the state, \$14 per acre per year, but it is hoped this can be reduced as a result of the work now under way, Hoffbuhr stated.

Both districts have bonded indebtedness of just under \$200,000 which will be liquidated in 11 or 12 years.

Walter Hoffbuhr said funds for construction of the Talent project are expected to become available in July, and that the job can be completed in about four years. It will result in some 5,000 additional acres of land under irrigation, as well as about 9,000 acre-feet of water available to the other two districts.

Five District Problems

Krupp listed several problems facing the directors of the rural fire district. These included operating under budget limitations of a 4 mill levy and the 6 per cent limitation; the necessity of improving and expanding service as more homes and businesses were constructed in the district; filling the need for fire protection in areas outside the district; constructing and equipping stations to serve all in the 75-square mile district with no more than a 4½-mile run; an increasing number of fire alarms (from 84 in 1954 to 147 in 1955); administration of the district's fire code, as well as others.

The fire protection offered district residents has resulted in residential fire insurance

premium reductions averaging some 33 per cent, Krupp reported. A second station and a seventh piece of mobile equipment are almost ready for service, he said, and water supplies have been developed.

Budgetary Limits

The chief stated this progress has been made despite budgetary limitations and without any bonded debt, without an increase in the tax base and without a special continuing levy over the 4 mill basic tax. The budget this year will be close to that of last year, he said, but a budget election to approve it will be needed because the tax base is too low to permit a realistic operating budget without one.

In reply to questioning, Krupp reported there is some rivalry between the Central Point Rural and the Central Point city fire departments, and a duplication of expensive services. He said it would be to the mutual benefit of the two groups, financially and from a service standpoint, to discuss their differences and work out a cooperative arrangement for fire protection. He stated he feels certain this is bound to happen sooner or later.

Next week's committee meeting, at 7:30 a.m. Friday, Feb. 17 in the Medford hotel, will hear from representatives of two water districts and from the county school superintendent's office. The series of meetings will continue for some time before the committee starts preparation of its report.

WALL STREET

New York—(U.P.)—Stocks advanced on sharply reduced volume today. Gains ranged to more than two points with the oil and metal groups the outstanding features. Steels had gains running to more than a point. Motors balanced off small gains and losses. Ford rallied after another decline.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:

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| American T & T | 182¼ |
| Anaconda | 68½ |
| Chrysler | 73¼ |
| Curtiss Wright | 27½ |
| General Electric | 55½ |
| General Motors | 43 |
| Montgomery Ward | 83¾ |
| Penn. R. R. | 23 |
| Penney, J. C. | 96¼ |
| Radio | 42½ |
| Southern Co. | 20 |
| Southern Pacific | 53¾ |
| S. Oil of Calif. | 89¾ |
| Texas Gulf Sulphur | 35¾ |
| Transamerica | 39¼ |
| Tri-Continental | 25 |
| United Aircraft | 68¼ |
| U. S. Rubber | 52½ |
| U. S. Steel | 52½ |
| Youngstown | 85¾ |

Salem—(U.P.)—All roads remained open with chains needed nowhere, the State Highway Department advised motorists today.

Friday, February 10, 1956

MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—THIRTEEN

Rev. McCamant Back For Church Meeting

The Rev. Thomas McCamant, pastor of the Congregational church, has returned from Berkeley, Calif., where he attended the annual Pastoral conference sponsored by Pacific School of Religion.

The conference was attended by about 1,000 ministers and church leaders of protestant de-

nominations. The two lecturers this year on the Earl foundation were Dr. Nels Ferre of Vanderbilt university and Dr. James Mullenberg of Union Theological seminary.

While there Mr. McCamant also attended a dinner sponsored by the Evangelism committee of the northern California Congregational conference and a luncheon for the board of visitors of Pacific School of Religion. The board includes representatives of various Pacific coast conferences of the three denominations which support Pacific School of Religion, the Methodist, Disciples of Christ, and Congregational churches.

Daily Weather Report

Medford and vicinity: Variable high cloudiness tonight and Saturday. Low tonight 24. High Saturday 55. Western Oregon: Mostly cloudy tonight and Saturday. A little drizzle along coast and in northern interior valleys during night and morning hours. Not quite so cool tonight. Low tonight 30-40. High Saturday 43-45. Northern California: Mostly fair tonight and Saturday except morning low cloudiness north coast and local morning fog in valleys. Sunday probably fair. Little temperature change.

LOCAL DATA

TEMPERATURE: Mean yesterday 39; below normal 3.
Record high this date 64 in 1934.
Record low this date 16 in 1929.

PRECIPITATION: 24 hours to midnight none. Midnight to 10 a.m. none. Total this month, trace; 69 inch below normal.

FIVE-DAY FORECAST (through Feb. 15):
Western Oregon—A little warmer with temperatures averaging slightly above normal through Wednesday. Showers about Monday and Wednesday. Precipitation less than three-fourths inch. Highs 50-58. Lows 32-38. Northern California—Occasional light rain with portion early in week, possibly spreading over area. Snow in mountains. Temperatures near normal.

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| CITY | High | Low |
| Brookings | 58 | 36 |
| Crater Lake | 46 | 21 |
| Grants Pass | 53 | 34 |
| Klamath Falls | 38 | 17 |
| MEDFORD | 56 | 26 |
| Portland | 41 | 28 |
| Seattle | 40 | 36 |
| Spokane | 26 | 16 |
| Yakima | 20 | 13 |
| BUREAU | 58 | 42 |
| Red Bluff | 61 | 33 |
| Sacramento | 62 | 38 |
| San Francisco | 62 | 38 |
| Los Angeles | 68 | 43 |
| Phoenix | 59 | 36 |
| Denver | 39 | 11 |
| Chicago | 37 | 25 |
| Miami | 75 | 71 |
| New York | 48 | 40 |
| Washington, D.C. | 57 | 47 |

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