

Local and Personal

Surgery Patient — William J. Cook Jr., 808 West Jackson st., underwent major surgery at Community hospital this morning, the hospital reported.

Rummage Sale — The Gold Hill Grange is sponsoring a rummage sale between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. today and tomorrow at 108 North Ivy st.

Inspections — Medford Fire Marshal Truman Nelson reported inspection of four business occupancies. Five orders were issued for correction of hazards.

Meeting Set — Rogue Soil Conservation district will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday at 8 p.m. in the county agents' office at the Jackson county courthouse.

Convalescing — Johnny Rowden, 9, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rowden, 1446 Thomas rd., is convalescing at home from a broken arm suffered in a fall Saturday, it was reported this morning.

Flue Fires — Two flue fires were reported to Medford fire department yesterday. One was at the E. V. Franklin residence, 1224 Stewart ave., and the other at the Jake Gidney residence, 840 Dakota ave. No damage was reported in either fire.

Arraigned — Prentice Kenneth Cox, 30, Wichita Falls, Tex., was arraigned in district court Monday afternoon when he appeared on a rape charge. His case was continued until April 4. The case involved a 15-year-old girl.

To Speak — Lewis Blyth, Jacksonville, will speak at a meeting of Central Point Garden club tomorrow, April 4, at the home of Mrs. Leonard Freeman, Wilson road. The meeting is set for 1:30 p.m. Blyth will speak on rhododendrons and azaleas.

Articles Taken — Eugene R. Richmond, 423 Berrydale ave., reported to police last night the theft of articles valued at \$16 from his car while it was parked on Central ave. Missing are one pair of white overalls, a blanket and a pair of khaki pants.

Accidents Reported — Two minor accidents were reported yesterday by Medford police. Cars driven by Josephine S. Davis and Harriet B. Parks, both of Ashland, collided at Central ave. and 12th st. and a sedan driven by Edwin E. Somero, 649 J St., was involved in a collision with a car owned by Harold T. Kunk, Grants Pass, which was parked on 11th st.

In Ashland — J. Chris Hagler, county dog control officer of Jackson county, announced today that he would spend Wednesday and Thursday in the Ashland district. Hagler pointed out that many residents of Ashland have not yet purchased licenses for dogs, although March 1 was the deadline. Licenses may be purchased at the county courthouse or at the county pound, 2872 Howard avenue, Hagler stated.

Girl Returns — Peggy Cabler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cabler, Jacksonville, returned to her home Saturday from the Georgia Warm Springs Foundation, Warm Springs, Ga., where she has been undergoing treatment for polio. Mrs. James T. Hutchison, Applegate, who accompanied Miss Cabler on the return trip, said the patient showed improvement during her four-months stay at the Foundation. Her trip was financed by the Jackson county chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis from March of Dimes funds.

Hubeaps Missing — Two hubeaps were taken March 31 from a car owned by Fred C. Ward, 2205 Roberts rd., while it was parked on North Riverside ave., the owner reported yesterday to city police.

Obituaries

AXEL RYDEN
Funeral services for Axel William Ryden, 57 of 1052 West 11th st., Medford, who died Sunday, will be held in Conger-Morris chapel 1:30 p.m. Thursday. The Rev. F. Wildon Colbaugh of the Assembly of God church, will officiate. Committal will be in Siskiyou Memorial park.

Besides his wife other survivors include three sons, one daughter, two brothers, six sisters and three grandchildren.

EVELYN COMBES
Funeral services for Mrs. Evelyn G. Combes of Jacksonville, who died Saturday, will be held in Conger-Morris chapel at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday. The Rev. George Walston of the Advent Christian church will officiate. Committal will be in Jacksonville cemetery.

Palbearers will include Guy Watkins, Lyle Hard, Glenn Hunter, Morris Byrne, Lance Offenbacher and Dow Lewis. Mrs. Combes was born Feb. 17, 1907, in Cambridge, Ida. On Aug. 21, 1926, in Yreka, she was married to Kermit Combes, who survives. Since then she had made her home in southern Oregon with the exception of 10 years in California. For the past six years she had lived in the Upper Applegate road district.

Survivors, besides her husband, include her mother, Mrs. W. A. Childers, Jacksonville; one brother, Clifton W. Childers, Jacksonville; three sisters, Mrs. Leonard McKee and Mrs. C. L. Jones, both of Jacksonville and Mrs. Eddie Heim, Talent.

IVY PELHAM
Ivy A. Pelham, 2130 College way, died at a local hospital today. Her funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

Convict Tunnel Found At Walla Walla Prison

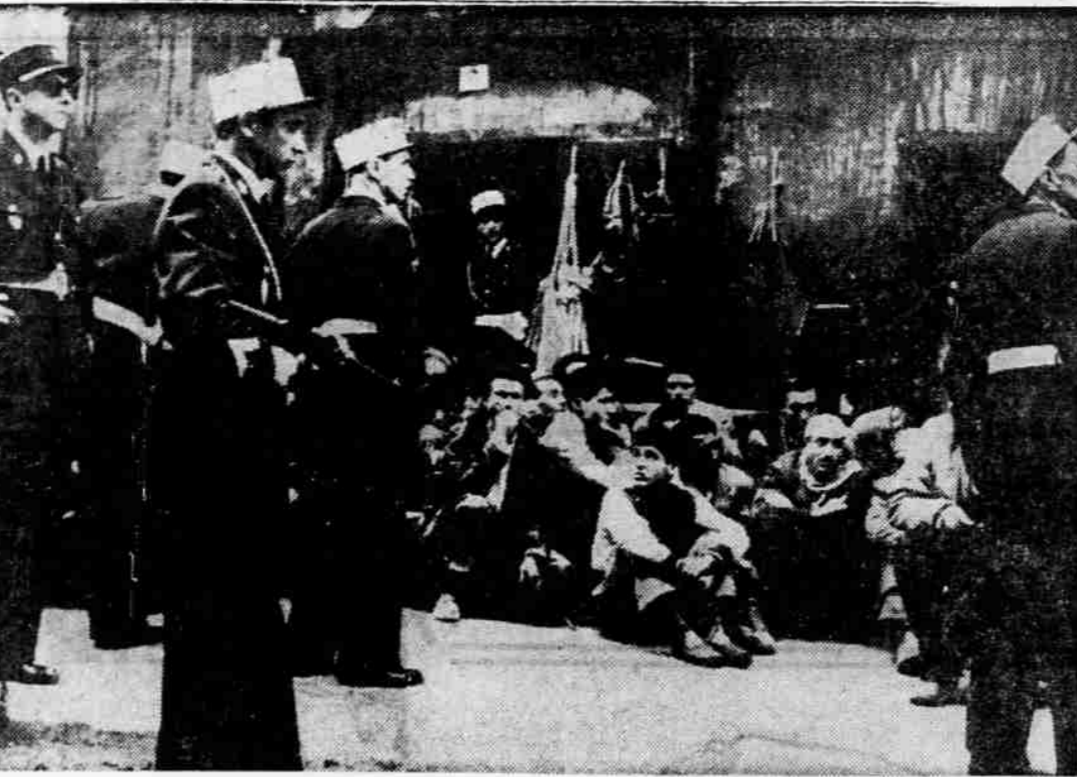
Walla Walla, Wash. — (U.P.) — Nine convicts were being questioned today after a guard discovered a 25-foot tunnel leading from the basement of a cell wing almost to the wall of the State prison here. One convict was found in the tunnel.

Daily Weather Report

Sunset tonight 6:39 p.m. Sunrise tomorrow 5:49 p.m.
FORECASTS
Medford and vicinity: Fair through Wednesday with rising daytime temperatures. Low tonight 30; high tomorrow 70.
Western Oregon: Partly cloudy tonight and morning fog and low clouds along the coast and over northern valleys. A little warmer. Low tonight 34-42; high Wednesday 52-62.
Northern California — Fair tonight becoming partly cloudy Wednesday. A little warmer.
FIVE-DAY FORECASTS
Western Washington, Oregon — Temperatures averaging near normal with high in western Washington 50 to 60, western Oregon 55-65. Lows 35-45. Precipitation averaging one-quarter to one-half inch in occasional showers.
Northern California — No precipitation of consequence. Temperatures slightly below normal.

TEMPERATURE: Mean yesterday 42, below normal 8.
Record high this date 81 in 1951.
Record low this date 22 in 1918.
PRECIPITATION: 24 hours to midnight, trace. Midnight to 10 a.m., none. Total this month trace, .08 inch, below normal.
Total since Sat. 1, 27.78 inches, 13.22 inches above normal.
HUMIDITY: Lowest yesterday 43%, highest this a.m. 93%.

CITY	High	Low	Prec.
Brookings	55	42	
Crater Lake	33	11	T
Grants Pass	55	38	
Klamath Falls	43	23	
MEDFORD	51	29	T
Portland	49	36	.4
Seattle	50	38	.03
Spokane	52	33	
Yakima	58	30	
Eureka	51	40	
Red Bluff	66	45	
Sacramento	67	40	
San Francisco	58	41	
Los Angeles	63	49	
Phoenix	66	43	
Denver	40	23	.09
Chicago	79	64	.09
Miami	75	69	
New York	50	42	.01
Washington, D.C.	63	48	



TROUBLE IN THE CASBAH—A group of Algerian natives sit patiently on the ground guarded by heavily armed French police in Algiers' famed Casbah. The police are systematically searching for possible trouble makers in this rebellion threatened North African city. The underground Algerian "liberation army" boasted that it will conquer half of France after driving French out of Algeria.

Nationalist China Hopes To Buy US Goods

Taipei, Formosa — (U.P.) — Nationalist China hopes to buy nearly \$10,000,000 worth of U.S. surplus farm goods, it was reported today.

Informed sources said the two governments are negotiating on details of payments with the expectation of reaching an agreement soon.

China hopes to buy cotton, wheat, tobacco, powdered milk and other commodities with local currency.

Crews Start Paving On Fair Oak Drive

Paving of Fair Oaks dr., between Modoc ave. and White Oak dr., got underway today, according to Vernon Thorpe, director of public works.

The two-inch asphaltic concrete pavement should be completed tomorrow by the Rogue River paving company, which is doing the work for Hughes and Dodd, general contractors employed by the T. J. Hight agency Thorpe said.

Food Manager Named At State Penitentiary

Salem — (U.P.) — Richard Dempsey, food steward at the Oregon state penitentiary, was promoted to food manager today by Warden Clarence Gladden. Dempsey has been employed in the food industry since his discharge from the Army in 1946. He served with the quartermaster corps in World War II. The food manager job was held by Al Richardson until he resigned to become the Democratic candidate for state treasurer.

Fire at Vancouver Damages Tire Stock

Vancouver, Wash. — (U.P.) — Fire last night damaged several thousand dollars worth of stored tires in a service station here. The blaze broke out in a tire repair shop and warehouse section of the station and was discovered by three policemen. Firemen blamed defective wiring for the blaze.

Paul Ewing Resigns Job With Bonneville

Portland — (U.P.) — Paul Ewing, local newspaperman who has been working for the Bonneville Power Administration for nearly two years, has resigned. Ewing has been in the information department of BPA. It was reported he would join the McKay-for-senator campaign team.

Iran Tells Soviets Of Pro-West Intent

Tehran, Iran — (U.P.) — Iran told the Soviet Union for the third time today that it intends to keep its membership in the pro-Western Bagdad pact in spite of strong Russian protests.

BIRTHS

BOHL — To Mr. and Mrs. Robert, Jacksonville, April 3, 1956, a girl, 7½ pounds, at the Community hospital.

GARRIS — To Mr. and Mrs. Gerald, 206 West Third st., April 1, 1956, a boy, 3½ pounds, at Community hospital.

HANLIN — To Mr. and Mrs. Robert, 409 Barneburg rd., April 2, 1956, a boy, 4 pounds, at the Sacred Heart hospital.

READ — To Mr. and Mrs. Cecil, 1320 Beatty st., April 2, 1956, a girl, 8 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

STEVENSON — To Mr. and Mrs. Douglas, 305½ Edwards st., March 31, 1956, a boy, 6½ pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

DAVIS — To Mr. and Mrs. William, 130 South Grape st., April 1, 1956, a boy, 6 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

Wall Street

New York — (U.P.) — Prices on the Stock Exchange pushed higher again today.

Investors recently have been selecting their groups. Yesterday it was the aluminum stocks. Today they decided to buy the chemicals. This group was strong throughout the session.

Steel shares also ran into some buying, but improvements here were limited to around a point.

American T & T	182 3/4
Anaconda	79 1/8
Chrysler	75 1/4
Curtiss Wright	30 5/8
General Electric	62
General Motors	45 5/8
Montgomery Ward	90 1/4
Penn R R	27
Penny J C	97 3/4
Radio	49 3/4
Southern Co	22 1/8
Northern Pacific	56 1/4
S Oil of Calif	107 1/4
Texas Gulf Sulphur	36 3/4
Transamerica	39 1/4
Tri-Continental	27 1/8
United Aircraft	70
U S Rubber	60 1/8
U S Steel	60 1/8
Youngstown	103

PORTLAND HAY, GRAIN

Portland — (U.P.) — Cattle 500, commercial-low good steers \$16.50-18; choice steers \$20.50 and above; some \$21; choice 857 lb fed heifers \$19.50; mostly choice \$19; low good heifers \$17.25, canner-cutter cows mostly \$9-10.50; utility cows \$11.50-13; commercial cows \$14-14.50; utility bulls \$15-16, light cutters down to \$12. Hogs 250, U.S. 1 and 2 butchers \$18-23, U.S. 3 and 4 butchers \$17-23, 300-300 lb., sows \$11.50-14.50. Sheep 200, Choice 78 lb spring lambs carrying No. 1 and fall shorn lambs \$18-18.25; good ewes \$5.50.

PORTLAND PRODUCE

Portland — (U.P.) — Eggs — To retailers: Grade AA large, 30c; A large, 30c; B large, 29c; A medium, 29c; B medium, 28c; C medium, 28c; A small, 28c; B small, 27c; C small, 27c. Additional: To retailers: AA grade prnts, 66c; B prnts, 64c; C prnts, 62c. Cheese — To retailers: A grade cheddar, 46c; B grade cheddar, 45c; C grade cheddar, 44c; 4-lb. loaves, 46c-49c. Processed American cheese 5-lb. loaf, 39c-41c lb.

Farm Market

Northwest potato quotations held steady to firm today; dealers were watching reports from Kern county, Calif., where it appears harvesting of 1956 crop long whites and Kennebecs will not get under way until after April 15; Calif. lettuce firm with best 2-dozen head cartons selling at \$2-3.25. Poultry: Rabbits — Live Chickens — To growers (No. 1 quality f.o.b. Portland): Fryers, 21c-4 lbs., 23c; at farm, 22c; roasters, 23c lb. f.o.b. Portland; light hens, 19-20c; heavy hens, 5-lb. and up, 23-24c lb.; old roasters, 11-14c. Dressed Chickens — No. 1 dressed to retailers: Fryers, New York style, 36-37c lb.; whole, 41-43c; cut up, 37c lb.; heavy, light type, New York style, 30-31c; cut up, 41-44c; heavy type, N.Y. style, 35-36c; whole drawn, 44-47c. Turkeys — To producers: Fryer turkeys, live weights, 27c lb. Dressed Turkeys — To retailers: nominally A grade young hens, 35-36c lb.; eviscerated, depending on weight; eviscerated fryer-roasters, 57c lb. Rabbits — Average to growers, f.o.b. killing plant: Live white, 3½-4½ lbs., 23-26c; 5-6 lbs., 18-21c; colored pairs, 4c under; old, 10-14c lb., a few higher. Fresh killed fryers to retailers, 38-61c lb.; cut up, 62-65c.

Weed Killer May Be Used as Cancer Tool

Los Angeles — (U.P.) — A chemical now used as a weed-killer may prove to be a tool in cancer research.

Drs. Werner Heim, David Appleman and H. T. Pyfrom of the University of California discovered that weed-killing aminotriazole has the same effects as cancer on an important but little understood body enzyme.

The enzyme is known as catalase and occurs in red blood cells, the liver and kidneys. Its role in body chemistry is not known. The scientists found that when aminotriazole was given to experimental animals that catalase levels dropped in the liver and kidneys, but remained the same in the blood. This is the same effect on the enzyme as that produced by cancer growing anywhere in the body.

This identical action promises new clues to the biochemistry of cancer, the scientists believe.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

Portland — Wholesale hay prices: No. 2 green alfalfa, baled, f.o.b. Portland, \$43-46 ton; some sales higher. Wholesale 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 \$55-57 ton; No. 2 Western barley, \$50.50 ton. L.o.b. Portland Coast delivery: soybean meal \$79 ton, delivered Portland, standard millrun, \$41.50-41.50 ton; No. 2 yellow corn, Eastern shipments, f.o.b. Portland, \$67 ton.

Building Construction In Salem Sets Record

Salem — (U.P.) — Building construction in Salem for the first three months of 1956 reached a new record total of \$1,860,000, City Engineer Harold Davis said today.

The March total of \$470,498 declined from last year's \$668,056, Davis said, but \$664,886 in January and \$725,508 in February made the record possible.

Klamath Basin Water Users Protest Plan

Klamath Falls — (U.P.) — Water users in the Klamath Basin yesterday criticized proposed legislation in Congress they contend would be a block to additional homesteading in the basin.

They objected to a Senate bill which would require the approval of Congress before any lands could be withdrawn from wildlife refuge areas.

Signed criticisms will be forwarded to Sen. Warren Magnuson (D-Wash.)

Damage Suit Against Officer Dismissed

An \$850 damage suit filed by Mrs. Esther Hurst, 1125 West 10th st., against a city police officer, Lee D. Rice, 22, of 1317 Stewart ave., was dismissed Monday in district court.

Mrs. Hurst charged that on or about Oct. 16, 1955, the officer engaged in a brawl with several occupants in the Veterans club, 42 North Front st., in the course of which he struck her.

Ethel Merman Plans Return To Broadway

Denver — (U.P.) — Ethel Merman plans to return to Broadway next fall to star in "Happy Hunting," a musical comedy written by Howard Lindsay and Russel Crouse.

Miss Merman made Denver her home three years ago after her marriage to Robert F. Six, president of Continental Air Lines. The new show will mark her first appearance on Broadway since "Call Me Madam" closed May 3, 1952 after 644 performances.

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Look what's in McCall's about "Meet Me In Las Vegas"

Dorothy Moore Assistant Editor says: this ticket to Las Vegas

you get for free when you visit America's famed playground in M-G-M's new gold mine of entertainment "MEET ME IN LAS VEGAS." Nothing quite so fresh, romantic and fast-paced has come along since "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers." Remember when that delightful entertainment first flashed across the movie screen? Well, it's happened again. Stars, songs, dances and romances are filmed right in the whirling activity of America's famed playground, Las Vegas itself; in fact, in the sleek Sands Hotel and all around the town to give it complete authenticity.

Ordinarily, when sweethearts hold hands, it's plenty exciting, but when a cocky young rancher, Dan Dailey, and a snobbish but shapely dancer, Cyd Charisse, entwine a few fingers, not a deck of cards or a one-armed bandit is safe. Loving, laughing, fighting, dancing, singing—Cyd and Dan hit every jackpot there is.

Twelve irresistibly catchy tunes were written by Nicholas Brodsky and Sammy Cahn. In a sizzling climax that will be talked about as the most wonderful dance number of the year, "Frankie and Johnny", Cyd Charisse disports delectably. With Dan she sings and dances "The Gal With the Yaller Shoes." It's tip-top!

To cap this madcap pleasure jaunt there are celebrity stars Jerry Colonna, Paul Henreid, Lena Horne, Frankie Laine, and tiny, adorable Mitsuko Sawamura. Completing a wonderful cast are Agnes Moorehead, Lili Darvas, Jim Backus, Oscar Karlweis, Liliiane Montevecchi, Cara Williams and The Four Aces. The producer of M-G-M's jackpot of entertainment, in thrilling color and CinemaScope, is Joe Pasternak. Isobel Lennart wrote the first-rate script, and Roy Rowland was the ingenious director. Hermes Pan designed the spectacular dances. "MEET ME IN LAS VEGAS" is one rendezvous you'll long remember!



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