

# Local and Personal

**Fender Skirt Missing**—Mable C. Glaser, 125 Mistletoe st., Medford, reported to city police Thursday that a fender skirt, valued at \$8.75, had been taken from her car which was parked near her home.

**To State Meeting**—Charles Stanley, Brownsboro, president of the Jackson County Livestock association, plans to attend a meeting of the state Livestock association at Bend, May 7, 8 and 9, county agents said today.

**Marshal Inspects**—City Fire Marshal inspected a private home at the request of the owner yesterday. He also inspected an apartment house and a convalescent home and issued five orders for correction of hazards.

**At Community**—Ivan Smith, route 1, box 527, Gold Hill, Frank Gidney Jr., 215, Central Point, and Warren Cooper, 5, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dale Williams, 3069 Crater Lake ave., are listed today at Community hospital as surgery patients.

**Oak Grove Clinic**—A clinic for preschool age children who will enter Oak Grove school next fall for the first time will be held Monday, May 7, from 9 a. m. to 12 noon. Dr. E. Erin Merkel, county health officer, will be examining physician and he will be assisted by health nurses.

**Collision**—A three-car accident at Eighth and Holly sts. Tuesday involving cars operated by Carl Francis McQuigg, 533 Austin st., Calvin Leon Reisinger, 719 West Second st., and John Dennis Patton, 3225 Forest ave., according to Medford police. No injuries were reported. Patton was cited for following too close, police said.

**Trash Fire**—Medford fire department dispatched two trucks to the E. E. McClearen residence, 707 Clark st., about 12:25 p. m. yesterday to a reported house fire. A trash fire was found, and extinguished before damage resulted. The fire apparently started in a box, firemen said, and damage was limited to the box.

**Injured**—Robert B. Bigman, route 1, box 284, Gold Hill, received treatment at Osteopathic hospital for injuries he received Wednesday when he jumped from a truck he was driving when the brakes failed, according to attendants. He suffered a wrist fracture, and multiple cuts and abrasions. The accident occurred on Miller's gulch after he had left the Silica mine on that road.

**Money Lost**—Mrs. Clara Isobell McKee, 718 Grant st., Medford, notified city police Wednesday evening that her daughter, Rena Ann, 13, had lost a \$10 bill in downtown Medford. She said the girl had placed the bill in her pocket and it apparently fell out while she was walking on 11th st., South Front st., or East 9th st.

## 1,350 Expected at Music Festival

Ashtland—More than 1,350 students are expected to participate Friday in the sixth annual Jackson county elementary school music festival. Singing Time, at Southern Oregon college.

A rehearsal of the massed chorus is scheduled for 11 a. m. and the festival will formally begin at 1:15 p. m. The festival and rehearsal are open to the public. Portions of the program will be recorded and broadcast by KMED on Tuesday at 11:15 a. m.

Dr. Elmo N. Stevenson, SOC president, and Mrs. Una B. Inch, assistant superintendent of county schools will extend greetings to festival participants.

Miss Helen Robinson, who organized the festival in 1951, will be director of the event. Announcer will be Lyman Pruitt and accompanist will be Charlotte Hanan.

**LITHIA DRIVE-IN THEATRE**  
7 1/2 Miles North of ASHLAND

**TONITE!**  
SHOW STARTS 7:30 P. M.

**VAN HEFLIN**  
Count Three and Pray  
CINEMASCOPE  
Wendell COREY  
Evelyn KEYES

**HELL'S HALF ACRE**

**Stove Overheats**—Firemen were summoned to the Clinton R. Phelps home, 1337 South Peach st., about 9:10 a. m. today when an oil stove overheated.

**Bicycle Taken**—Jerold R. Poulos, 2130 Capital ave., reported to city police Wednesday afternoon that his daughter's bicycle had been taken from Roosevelt school.

**Building Permit**—The Pinnacle Packing company has been issued a permit to erect a \$38,000 cold storage plant at 508 South Front st.

**Committee to Meet**—Members of the 1955-56 home economics committee of the county 4-H Leaders association will meet at 8 p. m. today in the county agent's office, according to Miss Marjorie Hattan, county 4-H agent.

**In Portland**—District Judge Rawles Moore is attending a three-day district court meeting, which started this morning in Portland. Municipal Judge James Main is acting as district judge pro-tem.

**At Osteopathic**—Stephen Sherman, Seiad Valley, Calif., is a medical patient today at Osteopathic hospital and Mrs. Carl Ceideburg, Rogue River, had minor surgery there today, attendants reported.

## City Council Buys New Chamber Rug

A bid was awarded to Medford Furniture store to furnish carpet for the council chamber floor Tuesday night. Amount of the bid was \$995.25.

The council also called for bids for paving the north portion of the airport runway and resurfacing city streets.

Streets to be surfaced are East Main st. from Willamette st. to East Wood drive, East Main st. from Riverside st. to Myrtle st., Sixth st. from Riverside st. to Front st., Laurel st. from Seventh st. to Eighth st., South Front st. from Main st. to 10th st., and Bartlett st. from Fourth st. to Sixth st.

Purpose of the resurfacing is to recondition streets now in need of maintenance and to prevent eventual failure of the streets.

Bids will be accepted until 11 a. m. June 1.

## Henry Fonda Divorced On Cruelty Charges

Reno, Nev. — (U.P.) — Actor Henry Fonda was divorced yesterday on grounds of extreme mental cruelty by the former Susan Blanchard of New York City.

Mrs. Fonda was awarded custody of their daughter, Amy, 2. The couple was married Dec. 28, 1950.

South Carolina was partially explored by the Spaniards 29 years after Columbus discovered America.

## Obituaries

**LAURA DRUMM**  
Mrs. Laura B. Drumm, 83, a resident of Jacksonville for the past four years, died there on Wednesday. Chapel Mortuary is in charge of funeral arrangements.

**ARTHUR SHIRLEY**  
Funeral services for Arthur Blaine Shirley, 75, who died Tuesday, will be held at 10:30 a. m. Friday at Perl Funeral home. The Rev. William C. Piper, pastor of the first Christian church, will officiate. Interment will be in Siskiyou Memorial park.

Mr. Shirley, a resident of Medford for 39 years, lived at 2681 Buckshot rd. He was born in Julesburg, Mo., April 4, 1881.

He operated a confectionery store in Medford for several years before he retired in 1945. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Irene Shirley, Medford; two daughters, Mrs. Francis Moffatt, Medford, and Mrs. Helen Lawrence, Stockton, Calif.; four brothers, J. W. Shirley, Central Point, B. S. Shirley, Florence, Ore., Ray Shirley, Glenwood, Mo., and Paul Shirley, Blacksburg, Iowa; two sisters, Mrs. Laura Moulder, Queen City, Mo., and Mrs. Mabel Hammons, Kirksville, Mo.; two brothers, and one son, Darrell B. Shirley, preceded him in death.

Pallbearers will be Michael Beck, Louis Bashaw, E. W. Pease, A. R. Allen, R. L. Burchfield, and Raymond Price.

EVERY FRIDAY IS  
**CORNED BEEF and CABBAGE DAY**  
At The  
**Top Notch Cafe**  
Next to Craterian Beauty Shop



**TALK HELL'S CANYON**—Adlai Stevenson (seated, center) was brought up to date on the status of the Hell's Canyon fight while in Oregon this week. C. Girard Davidson, a former interior department official and now a candidate for Democratic national committee, is shown discussing a new "fact sheet" for voters to the Democratic presidential aspirant. Davidson is a leader in the fight for a high dam on the Snake river at Hell's canyon. Mrs. Gladys Last, candidate for national committee, looks on. The picture was taken at a Democratic rally in Oregon City.

## Grange

**Roxy Ann Grange**  
Roxy Ann Grange met April 20 with several guests from other Granges present. Mrs. Willie McClain, a member of the Gold Hill Grange attended. She is the state juvenile superintendent. Also present was Mrs. Caroline Harding, master of the Upper Rogue Grange, Mr. Harding, and Mrs. Anna Scott from Upper Applegate Grange.

Roscoe Roberts gave a report on the last county agricultural meeting held at the courthouse and on Grange insurance. Kenneth Shaw, dance committee chairman, reported a large crowd at the last dance. The next one will be held May 5.

A social hour followed the meeting and refreshments were served by the Camerons, Quackembushes and Offords.

Next regular meeting will be on May 4 and the men of the Grange will put on the program and serve the refreshments in honor of Mother's Day.

**Butte Falls Grange**  
The Butte Falls Grange will hold a regular meeting May 7 at 8 p. m. in the high school auditorium.

Instead of the regular lecturer's program, there will be a seating drill practice. There will be a short Mother's day program.

The social night in April was attended by more than 40 members and guests. The pot-luck supper was served at 6:30 p. m. Ernest Smith showed slides of wild flowers in this area, and other interesting scenes taken on some of his trips to the midwest. Square-dancing was enjoyed by the group for the remainder of the evening.

The Home Economics Club of the Butte Falls Grange met with Mrs. Floyd Mattern, President Minnie Green presided at the business meeting. Several members are entering the sewing contest, and discussion was held on this project. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. L. L. Casey, May 16, at 1 p. m.

## Myrtle Creek Logger Killed In Drew Mishap

Roseburg — (U.P.) — Kenneth Gerald Mathews, 48, Myrtle Creek, was killed yesterday while working on a logging operation in the Drew area east of Canyonville.

Douglas County Coroner L. L. Powers said that Mathews was struck by a falling tree.

It was the eighth logging fatality of the year in Douglas county.

**Dow-Jones Averages**  
Dow-Jones closing stock averages: 30 industrials 513.04 up 1.25; 20 railroads 178.01 up 1.87; 15 utilities 65.48 up 0.33; 65 stocks 182.67 up 0.98.

Sales today were about 2,640,000 shares compared with 2,400,000 shares yesterday.

Sixty different varieties of trout are found on the North American continent.

## Mustard Weed Pests Should Be Sprayed

White top and marlahan, serious mustard weed pests growing in relatively small areas in the county, are advancing to the point where they should be sprayed, according to Earle Jossey, county extension agent.

Jossey said county agents will arrange for spraying these weeds free of charge upon notification by the landowners.

Marlahan, an upright growing tall plant with a cluster of blossoms at the top, may be found growing with hay from Scott valley. Farmers who have obtained seed from Scott valley in recent years should be especially on the lookout for marlahan, the county agent said.

White top and marlahan, as well as leafy spurge and Canadian thistle, are capable of doing considerable damage, he explained. For that reason their control is considered in the public interest and spraying is done free of charge.

## Wall Street

New York — (U.P.) — Stocks resumed their rise today after two sessions of decline.

Trading increased on the upturn which was led by aircrafts, chemicals, oils and rails. Many specials accounted for gains ranging to more than four points.

Warren Petroleum ran up five in its department. Gulf rose more than three. Jersey Standard held about steady after directors declared the usual dividend. Union Oil of California lost more than a point and rallied to the low.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:

American T & T	182
Anacosta	79 1/2
Chrysler	68 1/2
Curtiss Wright	35
General Electric	61 3/4
General Motors	44 1/2
Montgomery Ward	92 1/4
Penn. R. R.	27 5/8
Penney, J. C.	90
Radio	45 3/4
Southern Co.	21 3/8
Southern Pacific	56 1/2
S. Oil of Calif.	110 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	34 1/4
Transamerica	43 1/4
Tri-Continental	27 5/8
United Aircraft	70
U. S. Rubber	56
U. S. Steel	61 3/8
Youngstown	98 3/8

## Commercial Fishing Halted by Dispute

Westport, Wash. — (U.P.) — The salmon trolling fleet operating off the Washington coast was in port here today while fishermen and buyers attempt to settle a dispute over weight grading that halted fishing Tuesday.

The Fishermen's Co-operative association in the past has paid a premium for fish weighing over 10 pounds. This year it proposed to set the scale between large and small fish at 12 1/2 pounds.

## Prineville Man Fined In Circuit Court

H. Keith Bennett, 28, Prineville, was fined \$300 and sentenced to 30 days in the county jail this morning when he appeared in circuit court on a charge of writing a check without sufficient funds.

Bennett previously pleaded guilty to the charge.

Cases were continued pending receipt of FBI records on William L. Foreman, 22, Portland, charged with burglary not in a dwelling, and Marion Ben Day, 43, of 417 King st., Medford, charged with concealing stolen property. Foreman pleaded guilty to an indictment and Day pleaded guilty to a district attorney's information.

## PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

Portland — (U.P.) — Cattle 150 choice steers \$19.50-20.50 with some at \$21; choice heifers \$18.75-19.50; canners \$19-21; few \$21-22; utility \$12-13; utility bulls \$15-16.50; choice calves \$25-30; good weaners \$20-23; choice \$25-28; culls down to \$8.

## PORTLAND PRODUCE

Portland — (U.P.) — Eggs—To retailers: Grade AA large, 48-49¢; A large, 45-47¢; AA medium, 42-43¢; A medium, 42-44¢; A small, 34¢; cartons, 2-3¢ additional.

Butter: Retailers: AA grade prints, 68¢ lb.; cartons, 69¢; A prints, 68¢; B prints, 66¢.

Cheese—To retailers: A grade cheddar, single daisies, 43¢-44¢; 5-lb. loaves, 48¢-51¢. Processed American cheese, 5-lb. loaf, 42-44¢.

Farm Market  
Northwest asparagus prices held firm and mostly unchanged with best Sunnyside \$3.25-3.50 for bunched spears and Hood River pyramids to \$3.25 a box; overhead green onions in short supply and California offerings brought up to 95 cents a dozen bunches.

Poultry: Rabbits—Live Chickens—To growers (No. 1 quality f.o.b. Portland): Fryers, 21¢-4¢; 24¢; at farm, 23¢; light hens, too few to quote; for Portland prices: 17-18¢ at ranch; heavy hens 5 lbs. up, not enough trading for Portland prices; at country, 20¢ up; old roosters, 11-14¢.

Dressed Chickens—No. 1 dressed to retailers: Fryers, New York style, 30-37¢ lb.; whole drawn, 40-42¢; cut up, 45-50¢; hens, light style, New York style, 30-31¢; cut up, 42-44¢; hens, heavy type, N.Y. style, 35-36¢; whole drawn, 44-46¢.

Turkeys: To producers: Fryer turkeys, live weights, 27¢ lb.

Dressed Turkeys—To retailers nominal; A grade young birds, 50-55¢ lb.; eviscerated, depending on weight; eviscerated fryer-roasters, 57¢ lb.

Rabbits—Averaging to growers f.o.b. killing plants: Live white, 33¢-4¢ lbs., 23-26¢; 5-6 lbs., 18-21¢; colored points, 4¢ under old stock, 10-15¢ lb., a few higher. Fresh killed fryers to retailers, 58-61¢ lb.; cut up, 62-65¢.

## PORTLAND HAY, GRAIN

Portland—Wholesale Hay Prices: No. 1 green alfalfa, baled, f.o.b. Portland, \$43-47; 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, \$49 ton f.o.b. Portland; soybean meal \$89 ton delivered Portland; standard millrun \$44.50-45 ton; No. 2 yellow corn, Eastern shipments, f.o.b. Portland, \$71.50.

## Daily Weather Report

Sunset tonight 7:13 p. m. Sunrise tomorrow 5:33 a. m.

**FORECASTS**  
Medford and vicinity: Isolated light showers through Friday. Low tonight 47. High Friday 68.

Western Oregon: Mostly cloudy with showers tonight and Friday. Clearing and decreasing showers Friday. A little cooler tonight. Low tonight 38-44. High Friday 56-68. Expect about 35 on coast.

Northern California: Variable cloudiness tonight and Friday. Scattered light showers north portion and near central coast tonight and showers or snow flurries in north Sierras tonight and Friday. Cooler south interior Friday.

**LOCAL DATA**  
TEMPERATURE: Mean yesterday 58; above normal 2.  
Record high this date 86 in 1944.  
Record low this date 31 in 1928.

PRECIPITATION: 24 hours to midnight, trace. Midnight to 10 a. m., .01 in. Total this month trace, 28 in. below normal.

Total since Sept. 1, 28.42 inches, 12.77 inches above normal.

HUMIDITY: Lowest yesterday 31%.  
CITY High Low Prec.  
Brookings 55 48  
Crater Lake 52 34 12  
Grants Pass 73 59 02  
Klamath Falls 63 48  
MEDFORD 70 56 T  
Portland 66 48  
Seattle 57 46  
Spokane 55 37  
Yakima 66 49  
Ereola 55 50  
Red Bluff 77 55  
Sacramento 79 49  
San Francisco 72 47  
Los Angeles 68 56  
Phoenix 93 58  
Denver 76 46  
Chicago 61 43  
Miami 81 76  
New York 53 43 38  
Washington, D.C. 54 53 21

## Flyway Film Shown At Kiwanis Meeting

A film, "Behind the Flyways", was shown by Robert H. Smith, Pacific flyway biologist for the U.S. fish and wildlife service at yesterday's luncheon meeting of Medford Kiwanians at Rogue Valley Country club.

The film illustrated studies, surveys and counts made by the fish and wildlife service and other agencies which are used in determining hunting seasons and limits on ducks and geese.

Smith's work, which takes him from the Arctic circle to Central America by plane in surveys, was shown. The biologist has headquartered in Medford for his work for the past five years.

A baritone horn quartet from the senior high school played several selections at the meeting. Quartet members were Carol Hussong, Dick Swinney, Dale Shaw and Dick Surrow.

Kiwanians are to bring their wives and mothers to a Mother's day luncheon next Wednesday at the country club.

## Births

**BRANSOM**—To Mr. and Mrs. Homer, Jacksonville, May 2, 1956 boy, 7 1/4 pounds, at Osteopathic hospital.

**NICHOLS**—To Mr. and Mrs. Orville, 836 West 13th st., May 2, 1956, boy, 7 1/4 pounds, at Community hospital.

**LONGAN**—To Mr. and Mrs. Alvin, route 2, box 195, Central Point, May 2, 1956, girl, 7 1/4 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

**BITTLE**—To Mr. and Mrs. Louis, 435 Haven st., May 2, 1956, girl, 6 1/4 pounds, at Sacred Heart Hospital.

**KILBURN**—To Mr. and Mrs. Dale, P. O. Box 144, Central Point, May 2, 1956, girl, 6 pounds, at Sacred Heart Hospital.

**BESSONETTE**—To Mr. and Mrs. Jerry, 1926 Table Rock rd., May 2, 1956, girl, 8 1/2 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

## RUMMAGE and FOOD SALE

SATURDAY, MAY 5 AND SUNDAY AFTERNOON MAY 6  
**SEIBER'S FARMER'S MARKET**  
TALENT, OREGON  
Sponsored by Music Boosters

## AT YOUR Drive-In Theatres

Gates open 6:30 p. m. Show at 7:00 p. m.

**STARLITE** 2-4507  
SO. PACIFIC HIGHWAY

**TONIGHT TRIAL**  
Dorothy McGuire

**Lady Godiva**  
PLUS  
WORLD'S MOST FAMOUS RIDER!  
MAUREEN O'HARA  
GEORGE MANGOS

**VALLEY** 2-5562  
NO. PACIFIC HIGHWAY

**TALAR LOAD**  
TWO 50¢ ADMISSIONS BRING AS MANY AS YOU LIKE

TONITE & FRIDAY  
RITA HAYWORTH  
JOSE FERRER

**Miss Sadie Thompson**  
Technicolor

PLUS  
KAROL MARSHALL  
O'HARA-CAREY

**FIRE OVER AFRICA**  
Technicolor

## Opportunities Said Better for Women

Portland — (U.P.) — Opportunities for women in state government are growing, Gov. Elmo Smith told members of the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs here last night.

Gov. Smith pointed out to the group's annual banquet that women were already playing important roles in state government in both administrative and policy-making positions.

"As far as I am concerned," Gov. Smith added, "I intend to continue and to expand whenever possible the appointments of women to state boards and commissions."

He said women were also filling important posts on the State Board of Education, the State Board of Higher Education, as public welfare administrator, and members of the Public

## Welfare Commission, as state librarian, as superintendent of Oregon School for Girls and as members of the Legislature.

**FILE ARTICLES**  
Salem — (U.P.) — Articles of incorporation were filed here today for Medford Multiple Listing Service, Inc. They were signed by E. L. Bartholomew, William Frohnmayer and Clark J. Walker.

## HOTEL MEDFORD

TREAT YOURSELF TO THE BEST  
**Evening MENU**  
5:30 to 9:00 P. M.

Delicious SOUP de jour \* SALAD

**ROAST BEEF \$1.50**  
Natural Gravy

POKATO - VEGETABLE  
ROLLS & BUTTER  
DESSERTS BEVERAGES

BREAKFAST AND LUNCH  
7 a. m. to 2 p. m.

## ENDS TONITE! CRATERIAN

DOORS OPEN 6:45 P. M.

**COMANCHE** COLOR BY LINDA CRISTAL  
DANA ANDREWS - LINDA CRISTAL

**QUEST FOR THE LOST CITY**  
DANA & LAMA

## TOMORROW! MONGOL AND TARTAR HORDES CLASH!

... Because the great warrior, Genghis Khan, wanted the woman for himself!

**JOHN WAYNE SUSAN HAYWARD**

The **CONQUEROR**  
CINEMASCOPE  
TECHNICOLOR

**PEDRO ARMENDARIZ**  
PLUS  
**ON THE STAGE**

FRIDAY & SATURDAY  
9 P. M.

IN PERSON  
**Miss PAT'S**  
SPRING DANCE  
REVUE

"Mother Goose Rhymes in Rhythm"

**Phoenix Annual PRINCESS BALL**  
FRIDAY, MAY 4  
DANCING 9 to 1 P. M.  
(REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED)  
MUSIC BY "THE TUNESMITHS"  
At Phoenix Community Club Bldg.  
ADMISSION - ADULTS \$1.00 STUDENTS 50c

**DANCE ROGUE VALLEY BALLROOM**  
SATURDAY NIGHT  
MAY 5th  
In Person... **TOMMY DUNCAN**  
with the **Melody Wranglers**

**VALLEY** 2-5562  
NO. PACIFIC HIGHWAY  
**TALAR LOAD**  
TWO 50¢ ADMISSIONS BRING AS MANY AS YOU LIKE  
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