

Johnson's Victory Over Shivers Ups Nomination Chance

Washington — (U.P.) — Southern senators today hailed Senate Majority Leader Lyndon B. Johnson's victory in Texas as a big boost for his chances of capturing the 1956 Democratic presidential nomination as a "dark horse" candidate.

Millard Tydings' Bid Major Contest In Maryland Vote

Baltimore — (U.P.) — Former Democratic Sen. Millard E. Tydings' attempted political comeback provided the major contest in today's Maryland primary.

Trial Starts for Connelly, Caudle

St. Louis — (U.P.) — Former Truman aide Matthew J. Connelly and T. Lamar Caudle, an assistant attorney general in the Truman administration, went on trial on tax fraud charges today.

Agate Rings Taken in Break and Entry Here

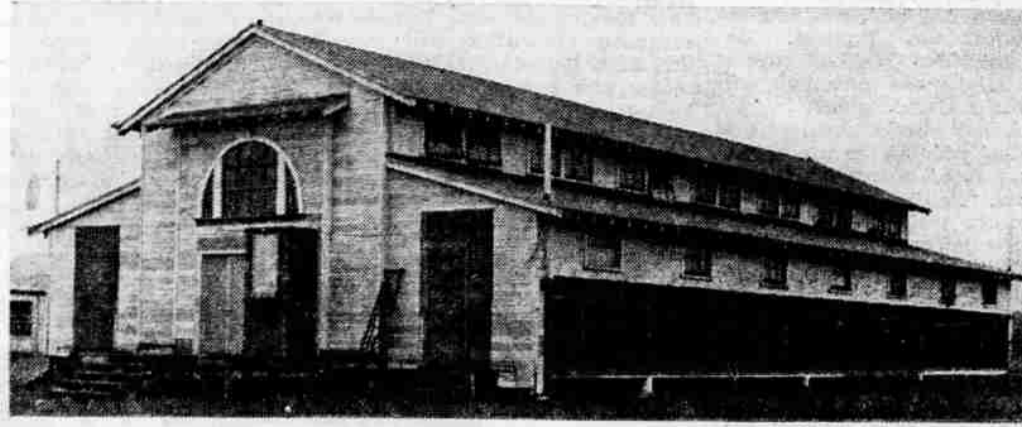
A break and entry at Santo's Agate shop, 411 East Main st., early Monday morning was reported to Medford police.

Baseball

AMERICAN Cleveland 1 4 0 Boston 5 14 2 Garcia, Houtteman (6), Daley (8) and Hegon; Brewer and White. Home runs: Gerner, Boston; Vauchin, Boston.

Hassle May Keep Kefauver, Adlai Off Joint Platform

Portland — (U.P.) — Jack Bain and William L. Josslin, co-chairmen of the Oregon Kefauver committee, today invited Adlai Stevenson to share the platform and the meeting they have arranged for Sen. Estes Kefauver when he visits Eugene May 15.



FOOTLIGHTERS HOME — Shown above is the almost-completed theater building at the fairgrounds which is the home of Medford's little theater group, the Footlighters. Formerly a two-story building located near Highway 99, it has been cut down to one story, and moved several hundred feet due east in the rearrangement of the area to permit construction of a new armory building. Though the building is not entirely completed, the Footlighters are using it anyway, and will offer their first production in more than a year there this week, Tuesday through Saturday nights. The play is "Good Housekeeping," a Broadway comedy success of a few years ago. Curtain time each night is 8:30 p.m. —(Brainerd photo)

Rain Showers Good For County Crops; Some Hail Reported

Spotty heavy rain showers over the week end generally were beneficial to county crops, according to C. C. Cordy, county agent for horticulture.

Courts Rules on US Mail Airlift

Washington — (U.P.) — The Supreme Court today denied a hearing to five Western railroads which object to a post office experiment under which some regular first-class mail travels by air.

Kefauver To Test Ike's Farm Bill Veto

Indianapolis — (U.P.) — Sen. Estes Kefauver will try to make political capital out of President Eisenhower's farm bill veto in tomorrow's Indiana presidential primary.

Air-Dropped H-Bomb Explosion Postponed

Aboard USS Mt. McKinley at Eniwetok, (Tuesday) — (U.P.) — Atomic officials have postponed for the second time the explosion of America's first air-dropped hydrogen bomb.

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Employment Increases During April; Number Of Jobless Declines

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By A. ROBERT SMITH, Mail Tribune Correspondent. Washington — Rep. HARRIS ELLSWORTH (R.-Ore.) has proved his point—namely, that there is enough hot air around the United States capitol to grow a tropical plant.

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Billy Nunn Bound Over to Grand Jury At Hearing Today

Judge Holds Evidence Sufficient for Action

Billy Junior Nunn, 28, Klamath Falls millworker who has admitted the April 19 slaying of Alvin William Eacret, 14, Klamath Falls, was bound over to the grand jury following preliminary hearing in district court this morning.

District Judge Rawles Moore ruled that testimony of State Police Sgt. Thomas Eaton, Medford, one of the investigating officers in the case, and only witness at the hearing, was sufficient to hold Nunn to answer to the grand jury.

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