

# Local and Personal

**Thefts**—Robert L. Jones, 1702 Ridgeway st., has reported to city police a series of thefts at the YMCA, 522 West Sixth st., over the past few months.

**Inspections**—City Fire Marshal Truman Nelson inspected a packing house and five business occupancies yesterday. He issued six orders for correction of hazards.

**Meeting Set**—Phoenix Neighbors of Woodcraft will meet Thursday, Aug. 2, at 8 p.m. at the Grange hall. Regular business meeting is scheduled and refreshments will be served.

**Meeting**—The Mistletoe Club will hold a special meeting after the regular meeting of Royal Neighbors of America Thursday, Aug. 2, at the K. P. hall. All members have been urged to attend.

**Committee Meeting**—The Juvenile court advisory committee will meet at 8 p.m. Monday, Aug. 6, in the circuit court room for election of new members to the executive committee, election of officers and presentation of detention home plans.

**Stands By**—A fire department pumper stood by at the municipal airport about 2:15 p.m. yesterday when an Air Force plane loaded 18 members of the Veterans Administration Domiciliary, Camp White, on board for a flight to Reno, Nev.

**Brief Case Gone**—Stanley G. Parrish, route 2, box 434B, Central Point, reported to Medford police Monday the loss or theft of a tan brief case with his name monogrammed on it from his office at 137 South Central ave. It is valued at \$20, police said.

**Arm Broken**—Bill Mathey, 8, of 724 West Second st., suffered a broken arm yesterday evening when he fell from a tree at his residence. He was taken to Sacred Heart hospital and hospital attendants report his injury was not serious.

**Barn Damaged**—Fire in a barn at 100 Vancouver ave. extended to the wall, ceiling and roof about 9:30 a.m. today. Firemen reported that sparks from a trash fire ignited debris in the barn. A hole in the roof of about six square feet was burned. The barn is owned by Everett Emery, Berkeley, Calif. Maude Power resides at the address, firemen reported.

**Permits Issued**—Watkins Construction company has been issued a building permit to erect a \$12,000 residence at 317 Black Oak dr. D. L. Pickell, 103 Vancouver ave., has been issued permits to erect a \$9,000 residence at 1449 Whitman ave., a \$11,000 residence at 1440 Whitman ave., a \$9,000 residence at 1448 Whitman ave. and a \$10,000 residence at 1457 Whitman ave.

**Grass Burned**—A fire in grass and blackberry vines spread over about two acres of property owned by R. E. Mullen in the 700 block of Cherry st. yesterday morning and damaged several fruit trees, according to firemen. Cause of the fire was not learned. About 1,500 square feet of stubble was burned along the edge of a field in the 2900 block along Table Rock rd., also yesterday morning. Firemen said children playing with matches were responsible.

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**Visiting**—Mr. and Mrs. Louie Creling, Tacoma, Wash., are presently visiting Harriet Fenley, 2250 Crater Lake highway, and their nephew, Kenneth Fenley, Eagle Point.

## Proper Weeding, Thinning Suggested

Madison, Wis.—(U.P.)—A vegetable crops specialist at the University of Wisconsin says good weed control and proper plant thinning are largely a matter of timing.

John Schoenemann said weeds are easiest to control just when they sprout and before seedlings really get going. He suggests drying out the top inch of soil by careful stirring once a week and as soon after each rain as the soil can be safely worked.

He said the garden can be mulched with straw, hay or lawn clippings to control weeds, but the mulch must be completely free of weed seeds. The mulch should cover all the soil and should be put close to the plants.

Schoenemann also suggested planting more seeds than needed and thinning later to get a more even stand of plants. He warned that thinning should be done at recommended distances for each different plant to assure that remaining plants get all the light, nourishment and water they need.

## Concentrated Milk Claimed Good Keeper

Madison, Wis.—(U.P.)—University of Wisconsin researchers have developed a new fresh concentrated milk which they say has excellent keeping qualities in regular household refrigerators.

H. E. Gilbert and A. M. Swanson said consumer tests showed that consumers liked the new product, which is not for sale yet in most stores. A can of the concentrate mixed with two cans of water makes a quart of milk. Mixed with one can of water, the product is good as a coffee, cereal or fruit cream.

The two men said the fresh concentrate could be shipped to distant areas at a lower cost than regular milk and might cut home delivery costs, an important item in milk marketing expenses.

**PORTLAND LIVESTOCK**

Portland—(U.P.)—Cattle 430. Choice 110-120; short fed standard steers 100-110; cutter-utility steers 80-90; heavy holsteins to \$2.50; utility cows \$1.0-1.1; commercial to \$1.2; utility bulls \$1.2-1.4; light cutter bulls down to \$1.0. Cows 130. Good-choice vealers \$1.5-1.8; good around \$2.5-3.50 lb. calves \$1.5-1.8; utility-commercial vealers \$1.0-1.4.

Hogs 400. Mixed 1, 2 and 3 grades 180-240 lb. butchers \$18.50-19.25; sorted 1 and 2 lots \$19.50-19.75; sow \$15.50-18; good around \$25-350 lb. up to \$18.50.

Sheep 200. Good-choice 77-108 lb. spring slaughter lambs \$18.50-20; mostly choice \$21; utility-good springers \$18-18; cull-good ewes \$2-4.

**PORTLAND PRODUCE**

Portland—(U.P.)—Eggs—To retailers Grade AA large, 37-39c; A large, 32-36c; A medium, 48-51c; A medium, 48-51c; A small, 31-32c; carton, no charge to 3c additional.

Butter—To retailers: AA grade prints, 68-69c; B grade, 66-67c; C grade, 64-65c.

Cheese—To retailers: A grade cheddar, single daisies, 43-47c; 5-lb. leaves, 48-51c; processed American cheese, 5-lb. loaf, 42-44c.

**Farm Market**

Fancy packs of Milton-Freewater potatoes sold at \$2.75-3 for large sizes with ordinary No. 1 at \$2.50 and No. 2 at \$1.50-2; best packs of precooled Willamette valley corn \$2.25 for five-dozen ears; pickling cucumbers sold to wholesalers at \$1.25 a 15-lb. flat; Willamette valley beans were quoted at \$11.25 for 15-lb. bags of Kentucky Wonder.

**Poultry, Rabbits**

Live Chickens—To growers (No. 1 quality f.o.b. Portland): Fryers, 2 1/2-4 lb., 24c; at farm, 22-23c; light hens, no few transactions for Portland price, 13c at ranch; heavy hens 5 lb. up, not enough trading for Portland price; at country, 17c lb. up, old roosters, 11-12c.

Dressed Chickens—No. 1 grade dressed to retailers: Fryers, New York style, 36-37c lb.; whole drawn, 41-44c lb.; cut up, 47-51c; light type, New York style, 28-29c; cut up, 40-44c; hens, heavy type, N.Y. style, 30-31c; whole drawn, 42-44c.

Turkeys—To producers: Fryer turkeys, live weight, 27-28c lb.; young A grade turkey hens, 35c lb. on eviscerated basis.

Rabbits—Average to growers f.o.b. killing plant: Live white, 3 1/2-4 lb., 20-25c; 5-6 lb., 15-18c; colored pelts, 4c under; old does, 10-12c lb., a few higher. Fresh killed fryers to retailers, 38-50c lb.; cut up, 60-63c.

**PORTLAND HAY, GRAIN**

Portland—Wholesale Hay Prices—New crop No. 2 green alfalfa baled 10-b Portland, \$31-32.

Wholesale Prices as reported by the USDA market news service: Wheat, No. 2 soft white, 72c ton; No. 2 white oats, 38-lb. test, Coast delivery, \$37.50 ton; No. 2 Valley oats, nominally \$3.00, soybean meal, \$44 ton f.o.b. Portland; barley, Coast delivery, \$48 ton; standard millrun, \$41-42 ton; No. 2 yellow corn, Eastern shipments f.o.b. Portland, \$71.50 ton.

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**DUE HERE SATURDAY**—The Maddox brothers and Rose, western show band, will perform Saturday at the Rogue Valley Ballroom. They will play for dancing and present shows between 9 p.m. and 1 a.m.

## Stock Hike Hits Snag

New York—(U.P.)—The stock market steam roller met a bit of opposition on the upgrade today when profit taking hit steel shares.

Elsewhere a long list of issues moved higher, some of them with real vigor. The oils replaced the steels in leadership. There were many strong spots in the copper and some of the aluminum moved higher. In addition a long list of special issues registered wide gains.

## High Altitude Chute Jump Tests Conducted

El Centro, Calif.—(U.P.)—High altitude parachute jump tests to determine physical effects on chutists are in progress at the Defense Department's joint parachute testing grounds.

Cmdr. N. F. Waters, commanding officer of the naval parachute unit, said the tests, setting bailouts at 32,000 feet with 100-second free falls, are to study a jumper's tendency to spin dangerously at high altitudes during the free fall.

Centrifugal force created from an uncontrolled spin could be fatal to jumpers if it is strong enough to cause rupture of blood vessels, Waters said.

These tests are being conducted by the Navy along with the 6511th Test Group of the U.S. Air Force.

**GOLD FISH STORY**

Nashville, Tenn.—(U.P.)—If F. L. Sanders thought there was something "fishy" he was 100 per cent correct. Mrs. Sanders searched all over the house for a missing goldfish, found it in Sanders' pocket when he came home from work. The goldfish apparently jumped out of the bowl into the pants while they were hanging over a chair near the bowl.

## COMING SATURDAY, AUG. 4

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## Obituaries

**IRENE M. DUNPHY**  
Mrs. Irene Dunphy, mother of James Dunphy of 903 Winchester ave., Medford, died yesterday in a local hospital. Conger-Morris Funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

**WILLIAM B. HEWITT**  
William B. Hewitt, 58, of 433 Berrydale ave., Medford, died yesterday in a local hospital. Conger-Morris Funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

**LESTER MESSAL**  
Lester Messal, Star route, Eagle Point, died at a local hospital this morning. Peri Funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

**Daily Weather Report**

**FORECASTS**  
Medford and vicinity: Cooler with showers in the vicinity tonight and early Thursday. Risk of thunder-showers this evening. Low tonight 45. High Thursday 78.

Western Oregon: Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday except late night and early morning overcast on coast and over north interior. A few light showers in north portion and over mountains tonight. Low tonight 48-54. High Thursday 72 north to 83 south interior, 65-75 on coast.

Northern California: Fair tonight and Thursday except for coastal fog.

**LOCAL DATA**  
TEMPERATURE: Mean yesterday 66. HIGHEST: 73. LOWEST: 45. RECORD HIGH THIS DATE 102 IN 1950. RECORD LOW THIS DATE 46 IN 1944. PRECIPITATION: 24 hours to midnight none. Midnight to 10 a.m., none. Total this month 34 inch, 77 inch above normal.

**CITY**  
Brookings 74 48  
Crater Lake 84 50  
Grand Pass 82 50  
Klamath Falls 82 50  
Medford 84 53  
Portland 72 52  
Seattle 68 51  
Spokane 80 72  
Yakima 68 58  
Eureka 58 52  
Red Bluff 96 73  
Salem 80 58  
San Francisco 61 54  
Los Angeles 69 66  
Phoenix 80 72  
Denver 68 58 134  
Chicago 81 66 136  
Miami 79 79  
New York 80 70  
Washington, D.C. 78 67 03

**Sales today** were about 2,230,000 shares compared with 2,520,000 shares Tuesday.

Today's prices on selected stocks:

American Chemical	111 3/4
American Can	43 3/4
A T & T	184 5/8
Anaconda Copper	79 1/4
Bethlehem Steel	165 1/4
Caterpillar Corp.	89 1/2
Chrysler	64 3/4
Continental Can	53
Crown Zellerbach	66
Curtiss Wright	34 1/4
Du Pont	214 1/2
Eastman Kodak	96 5/8
General Electric	65
General Foods	49 5/8
General Motors	47
Georgia Pacific	79 1/2
Graham Paige	2
Homestake Mining	34
Kaiser Frazier	19 1/2
Kennecott Copper	137 1/2
Lockheed Aircraft	48 3/4
M and M Wood	unquoted
Katy Pfd.	65
Montgomery Ward	43 1/4
New York Central	39 3/4
Penn. J. C.	91 1/4
Penn R. R.	24 3/4
Radio Corporation	42 3/4
Richfield Oil	79 1/4
Socony Vacuum	59
Southern Co.	22
Southern Pacific	50 5/8
Standard California	55 1/4
Standard Indiana	61 3/4
Standard N. J.	59 1/4
Sun Mines	8 1/2
Texas Gulf	32
Tex Pac Land Trust	8 1/2
Trans American	39 3/4
Trans West Air	22
Tri - Continental	28 3/4
Union Carbide	129 1/4
Union Pacific	33 1/4
United Aircraft	74 1/2
U. A. L.	42 1/2
U. S. Rubber	53 1/2
U. S. Steel	64 3/4
Youngstown S & T	101 1/4

**FIVE-DAY FORECAST**  
(Through Aug. 6)  
Western Oregon—Western Washington—No precipitation except a few showers northwest Washington Sunday or Monday. Temperatures averaging a little below normal. Highs 65-75 Western Washington, 75-85 western Oregon, 60-70 along coast. Lows in low 30s.

Northern California—No precipitation. Temperatures near normal.

Dead line Sunday Classified is at noon Saturday, 10 a.m. Monday for Monday, other days 5:30 previous day.

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## Inventor of Alternating Current Little Remembered

Niagara Falls, N. Y.—(U.P.)—July was the 100th anniversary of the birth of Nikola Tesla, a little-remembered Yugoslav immigrant whose invention of the polyphase alternating current motor and system led to our modern electrical systems.

Tesla's invention first was used on a practical basis in 1896 when electric power created by Niagara Falls was sent surging through transmission lines to Buffalo 22 miles away. It marked the harnessing of the falls and the beginning of the age of electric power.

Despite the revolutionary impact of this invention Tesla is scarcely remembered today, only 13 years after his death. He was a strange and solitary man, preferring to live and work alone. So great was his desire for scientific knowledge that he vowed never to marry. He felt love would impede his work for science.

Shortly after his arrival in America Tesla went to work in the laboratories of Thomas Edison in New York. He soon demonstrated his brilliance and received the recognition of Edison. But the two were worlds apart. Tesla favored alternating current, Edison direct current.

Tesla thought his system, though more complex, was better because electricity could be transmitted over long distances.

## News About Servicemen

**HOME ON LEAVE**  
Lloyd Fogelquist, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Fogelquist, 2554 Roberts rd., Medford, is home on a 14-day leave from the submarine USS Bugara stationed in San Diego, Calif. Fogelquist is a sonarman seaman, and has been stationed aboard the snorkel type submarine for the past year. The ship is scheduled for a tour of duty in the Far East next January.

**HYPNOTISM**

Has been scientifically used in muscular rheumatism, constipation, menstrual disturbances, migraine headaches, insomnia, stuttering, etc. For information regarding Hypnotism see

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