

Local and Personal

Visits Here—Mrs. Katherine Earl, formerly of Medford and now living in Portland, is spending nearly a week in Medford visiting friends. She is staying at the Holland hotel.

Membership Won—Donald L. Arant, Medford, field representative for Mutual of New York Insurance company, recently won membership in the company's National Field club, according to Wilbur K. Hood, Portland agency manager.

Returns—R. B. (Dick) Knight of Dick Knight company, 33 South Riverside ave., Medford, has returned from Seattle, Wash., where he attended a sneak preview of De Soto's new 1957 cars. He was among several hundred dealers from four states in the Seattle region attending.

Business Names—L. A. Marcy and Milton L. Anderson have retired the assumed business name L and D Wood Yard and Lewis A. and Sarah Marcy have assumed that name, according to records in the county recorder's office.

Attending School—Glenn Edward McCullough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McCullough, 29 North Keeneway drive, Medford, is a student enrolled for the fall semester at Anderson (Ind.) college. He is a sophomore majoring in religious education. He is a 1955 graduate of Medford High school.

Commissioner Ill—County Commissioner L. G. Morthland has been sick in bed since Tuesday, his wife reported Saturday. His illness, a bronchial congestion, has prevented him from attending meetings of the county court, and several campaign appearances previously scheduled.

Mercy Flight—Mrs. Verna Farrier, Gold Beach, was flown from that city to Medford Friday afternoon by a Mercy Flights, Inc., air ambulance plane. She is now in Rogue Valley hospital for emergency medical treatment.

Car Struck—Frank Earl Parke, 114 East 11th st., Medford, reported Friday that an unidentified auto struck his car while it was parked on West 10th st. between Oakdale ave. and King st., according to city police.

Campaign Stickers—Mrs. Lona M. Dameron, 336 Plum st., Medford, reported to city police Saturday that some unknown people have been pasting Republican campaign stickers on the Democratic headquarters building, 416 East Main st., Medford.

Dogs Poisoned—Cecil Veri Reed, 616 North Columbus ave., reported to city police Saturday morning that his two dogs had been poisoned.

Battery Found—Daniel Morse Dwyer, 839 South Riverside, ave., Medford, reported to city police Friday that he found a commercial type battery near his home.

Ellsworth Halfhill Services Set Monday

Funeral services for Ellsworth Elmo Halfhill, 77, who died Friday, will be held Monday, Oct. 29, at 10:30 a. m. in Litwiller Funeral home in Ashland. Interment will be in Mt. View cemetery.

Mr. Halfhill, who came to Medford in 1936 from Mitchell, S. D., had lived the entire 20 years at 3047 South Pacific highway. He was born Feb. 15, 1897, in Mitchell.

Mr. Halfhill was married to Gertrude Koch May 20, 1902, at Mitchell; she died in April, 1947. The Halfhills five sons and daughters survive. They are Leonard and Abe, Medford; Mrs. Evelyn Leverette, Medford; Mrs. Waueta Rigger, Los Angeles and Mrs. Zerline Long, of Mitchell. There are nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Obituaries

HARLEY KURTZ
Funeral services for Harley Jay (Dutch) Kurtz, 78, route 1, Jacksonville, who died Wednesday, will be held at 1:30 p. m. Monday in Chapel Mortuary, with the Rev. Norman K. Tully, of Central Point, officiating. Interment will be in Logtown cemetery.

Casket bearers will be George Evans, Lee Evans, James Lawrence, and C. P. McBeth.

Mr. Kurtz, the son of Jacob and Nettie Kurtz, was born in Marion county, Ohio, Jan. 10, 1878. He was married in 1923 at Columbus, Ohio, to Elizabeth Metzger, who died in 1924. In 1929, also at Columbus, he was married to Elizabeth Denny, who preceded him in death in 1933. Mr. Kurtz was a brakeman on various railroads until his retirement, when he came to the Applegate area in 1937. He was a former member of the IOOF lodge.

Survivors include one brother, Lester Kurtz, Marion, Ohio; three sisters, Mrs. Ivy Davis, Dama, Fla., Mrs. Floss Ooley, Marion, Ohio, and Mrs. Ava Dycus, Portland; a nephew, Otis Chandler, Portland, and a niece, Mrs. Hazel Zenow, Portland.

4-H Club News

Reese Creek Renegades
The Reese Creek Renegades 4-H club had their organization meeting, Tuesday, Oct. 23. It was held at the home of their leader, Cliff Moore. The new officers are president, Ronald Nelson; vice president, Kay Stephenson; secretary, Jack Esp; and reported, John Hughes. There were three new members, Joann Cavin, Paul Medina, and John Hughes.

Members practiced tying knots after the leader gave them instructions, so none of the projects would get loose at the fair. The hostess, Velma Moore, served donuts and apple cider. John Hughes, Reporter.



WITHDRAWING WARSHIPS from Polish waters, restricting troops to treaty bases, Soviet Russia appears to be backing down in crisis over Poland's demands for full equality. Other Soviet satellites also are in ferment. (International Soundphoto)

On The Side

By E. V. Durling
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Brussels—Breezed into this historic municipality on the luxurious Amsterdam-Paris Express which train is officially known as the Etoile Du Nord. Had a very comfortable trip lolling in one of those large chairs featured in the European Pullman cars.

Passed through an extremely picturesque part of Holland including the beautiful garden city of Haarlem where most of the tulip bulbs come from. Noted a number of well kept farms. Even saw several windmills. However, didn't see anybody wear wooden shoes. Am informed there are sections in the Netherlands where the natives still go that way to the wooden footgear. Also, small towns where the females wear the native costumes. These young women wear a minimum of five petticoats. Some wear 10. Ten petticoats and a pair of wooden shoes is a lot of weight for a girl to carry. Especially when dancing.

Traffic
There are not as many cycles here as in Amsterdam. However, small automobiles are numerous. Operators of these are great lovers of speed. They keep you jumping. I have been dining very well since I have been in Holland and Belgium. Weighed today and find I have lost two pounds. That no doubt comes from dodging cyclists and motorists and worrying about 12 pieces of baggage. We misplaced two pieces on the train, last night. Finally found them. Boy, how I suffered looking for them. Made me think of the time on the boat train from Havre that we misplaced all our baggage. That's the second worst thing that can happen to you in Europe. The first, of course, is losing your passport.

Quiet Place
We are delightfully domiciled in a hotel which is in the heart of the city but quiet and restful because it adjoins a park. On the other side of the park can be seen an unusual sight for Europe. There is a skyscraper office building being constructed. I don't know what the tallest building is in Europe but this one, when completed, may be it.

Gay Place
Brussels has the reputation of being a very gay place. It certainly looks that way. It has a gay white way that somewhat resembles the vicinity of 42nd st. and Broadway, New York City. It has innumerable cabarets, dance halls, theaters and horse racing six times a week.

News About Servicemen

COMPLETES COURSE
Sgt. Harry L. Huntley, 25, whose wife, Marlene, lives in Central Point, recently completed the manual central office repair course at the Army's southeastern signal school, Fort Gordon, Ga.

AT FORT MACARTHUR
Specialist 3-C Gene R. Knutson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene R. Knutson, 1030 Stewart ave., Medford, is a member of the 554th anti-aircraft artillery missile battalion at Fort MacArthur, Calif. He is a section chief in the battalion's battery A. Knutson entered the Army in January, 1955, and completed basic training at Ford Ord, Calif. He attended St. Mary's academy.

THREE ENLIST
Three men from Jackson county have enlisted recently through the local Navy recruiting station.

They are Colin Cleve McCoy, son of Mr. C. W. McCoy, Rogue River; William Harrison Poitevint, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Poitevint, Trail; and Duane Scott Addington, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Addington, 347 North Fourth st., Central Point.

They are now undergoing nine weeks recruit training at the Naval training center at San Diego, Calif.

ON LEAVE
Two men are home on 14-day recruit leaves from the Naval training center at San Diego, Calif.

They are Cecil Opal Blake, airman, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Blake, Gold Hill; and Dale LeRoy Morgan, route 2, box 724, Central Point.

Both men have been assigned to aviation machinist mates schools for courses of instruction of six to seven months duration. Before enlisting through the Medford recruiting station they had attended Crater High school.

for every additional piece. However, they expect a tip and if same is not forthcoming voluntarily they ask for it. Somebody should write a book titled, "Tipping Your Way Through Europe" which would list the fair amount to tip all those engaged in activities in which tipping figures in their income. Might be a good idea to have a book like that for the United States. Asides

The taxicabs here are all regular cars merely featuring a small sign on the windshield reading "taxi." All are driver-owned. Their rates are higher than those of the New York cabs. Many shops here are devoted exclusively to the sale of pens. Popular American makes of ball point pens sell here for three times as much as in New York.

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DA Says He Has Been Registered As GOP Since '44

District Attorney Walter Nunley said Friday that he first registered to vote as a Republican in 1944 and has been registered in no other political party since that time.

He made the statement in response to campaign charges that he had not been registered in the party the required length of time before filing candidacy in the 1952 primary election. In a statement, signed Jan.

11, 1952, Nunley said he had been a duly registered member of the Republican party for more than 180 days prior to that date. He has been accused of making an untrue statement, since records show he registered as a Republican with the Jackson county clerk on Jan. 11, 1952.

Requirements
Nunley pointed out requirements for candidacy do not specify when the 180 days of registration must be made. He said an individual may register to vote and immediately file for candidacy, providing he has at one time or another been a registered voter for a period of 180 days and has not since changed his registration.

Births

FEHL—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert, 727 South Holly st., Medford, Oct. 24, 1956, a boy, 6 1/4 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

BUTCHINO—To Mr. and Mrs. Edward, Tokatee Falls, Oct. 26, 1956, a girl, 7 3/4 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

DUNNAGAN—To Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne, 905 Reddy ave., Medford, Oct. 27, 1956, a girl, 7 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

MILES—To Mr. and Mrs. William, Ashland, Oct. 27, 1956, a girl, 7 1/2 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

VINCENT—To Mr. and Mrs. Wayne, route 1, box 503, Central Point, Oct. 27, 1956, a girl, 7 3/4 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

LIGHT TROUBLE
Clay, W. Va.—(U.P.)—There's a faction in this small central West Virginia community that is dead set on getting rid of the town's only traffic light. After the light was shot off a second time by the shotgun and pistol fire, the mayor and police chief agreed that they would have to have a night patrolman to guard the next light the town purchased.

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