



RECEIVES CHECK—I. A. Mirick, president of the Medford Kiwanis club, presents a check for \$305.39 to Sam Hersch, general chairman of the United Medford Crusade. The money represents proceeds from the Kiwanis club annual project for the Crusade of selling souvenir football programs at the Medford-Klamath Falls game recently. Bill Blackstone, left, was chairman of the Kiwanis project. The United Medford Crusade also received \$72 from the Senior Tri Hi Y club, representing proceeds from a dance recently at the Medford YMCA. (Brainerd's Photo)

Engineering Subject Of Career Program

E. N. McKinstry, Medford city engineer, spoke to a group of students interested in engineering on "Engineering as a Career" at Medford High school this week.

In explaining the role of an engineer, McKinstry said "an engineer adapts natural forces found in nature to more useful forms, such as highways, bridges, dams and jet airplanes."

Basic subjects for prospective engineers, according to McKinstry, are science and mathematics. If students do not like mathematics they should not plan on an engineering vocation, he said. They also must have a desire to be an engineer, he added. McKinstry said the requirements for entrance in many institutions are English, social studies, algebra, geometry, physics and additional sciences.

Referring to reimbursement, he said technicians and junior engineers receive \$350 to \$400 per month, while those who have completed their formal training start at a minimum of \$400. He added that students in the upper third of their class have the pick of the better jobs.

McKinstry said that students at Medford are fortunate because of the courses in mathematics and sciences, which many schools do not offer.

McKinstry spoke at the second in a series of vocational conferences featured as a part of the career program at the high school.

Construction of New Dam at Squaw Lake Is Under Way

Construction has recently started on replacing Squaw Lake dam in the upper Applegate area with a new dam, according to Clem Ault, local soil conservationist for the Rogue Soil Conservation district.

The new dam is being constructed by the Squaw Creek Improvement district. Members of the district are Jack O'Brien, A. F. Collins, L. E. Bigelow and Burt Harr, all water users of the lake.

Ault said concrete pouring for the conduit and excavating for the spillway is now in process. If the weather does not become too inclement, according to Ault, earth fills should begin in about two weeks.

Same Water Storage
The new dam will provide for the same water storage as the previous structure, he added.

Purpose of replacing the old dam, Ault said, is because it was considered unsafe and to insure a dependable water supply for users in the district and to improve lake recreational facilities.

The new structure is being paid for by the water users, according to Ault, and should be completed sometime this fall.

Plans for the new dam, he said, were developed by soil conservation service engineers. Construction of the dam is being

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TOOTHY DIVORCE ISSUE
San Diego, Calif. (U.P.)—Mrs. Marjorie Lee McClurken, 48, charged in a divorce suit she was forced to make five sets of false teeth for herself in the last 10 years because her husband refused to pay for professional dentures.

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Cases Being Appealed To Oregon High Court Show Rise Since 1950

Salem—Cases appealed to the Oregon supreme court from the lower courts of the state have increased each year since 1950, resulting in a "serious congestion" of the court docket and long delay in hearing and deciding cases, Justice William M. McAllister told the Chamber of Commerce forum here.

McAllister, who was appointed to the court last August following the death of Justice Earl Latourette, said 257 cases were appealed to the court in 1955 compared to 151 in 1950. He said there is some indication that the number "has reached a plateau and is leveling off at about 250 cases per year."

"It is apparent that at this rate the backlog of unsettled cases is going to grow at a prodigious rate," he stated. "It is equally apparent that the situation demands immediate and effective remedial actions."

McAllister expressed the belief that there is no single remedy "which will effectively solve the problem" and called for the "application of a number of changes each of which will

be a help toward the ultimate solution."

He recommended short memorandum opinions in relatively simple cases, use of departments consisting of three judges by a decision of the majority and the appointment of a permanent chief justice who had administrative ability.

The court uses departments of three judges at the present time but the chief justice must sit on all cases and handle the administrative work of the court as well. As a result, he said, the departmental system does not speed the work of the court.

McAllister said he would "vigorously oppose" any attempt to suspend or eliminate the right of oral arguments as a means of expediting the court's work, asserting that "oral arguments are of great value to the court in most cases."

He did suggest, however, that a more generous use of the practice whereby oral arguments are suspended by stipulation of both parties would help the problem.

When students decide in which school to enroll, McKinstry recommended they write the dean of engineering and obtain a list of the requirements needed for entrance. He said 50 per cent of those who enter the engineering curriculum do not graduate.

He added that all schools of higher education are being tightened up due to the fact that too many students wish to obtain a college education.

The fields of engineering are civil, mechanical, electrical, agricultural, chemical, mining, metallurgical and aeronautical. The dispersment of men in the field is 34 per cent executives, 20 per cent planning and designing, four per cent sales-engineers, five per cent consulting engineers, 18 per cent research and development, three per cent teaching, seven per cent construction, and seven per cent manufacturing production.

Pick of Jobs

Dale Smith Receives Hereford Award at PI

Dale Smith, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jennings, Central Point, Wednesday received the Double M. Hereford Ranch award at the Pacific International Livestock exposition in Portland.

The award is presented annually to the highest scoring 4-H exhibitor at the show. There were about 60 Hereford exhibitors.

Dale, who has been active in 4-H club work for about eight years, won the honor with the 18-month-old Hereford he exhibited. With the award he presented a two-month-old Hereford steer, which he will be required to exhibit at the PI show next year.

The Hereford he entered was judged prime in carcass value, the highest rating given, and placed fourth in its class. Dale also was a member of Jackson county's red ribbon-winning 4-H livestock judging team and placed fifth in showmanship.

He is a member of the Central Point 4-H beef club, led by Dale's grandfather, Floyd Charley.

Court Records

POLICE COURT
Zen J. Clement, violation of basic rule, \$10.
L. E. Grilleit, violation of basic rule, \$10.

DISTRICT COURT
Morton E. Price, four in front seat, \$10.
Donald Louis Ward, defective lights, \$10.
Henry V. Maddox, intoxicated in a public place, \$30, bail forfeited.
James Dee Enaley, intoxicated in a public place, \$30, bail forfeited.
Elvis Lee Harel, violation of basic rule, \$25, bail forfeited.
John Burton Hamacher, failure to stop at stop sign, \$10.
Merlin Wayne Farli, insufficient binder chains, \$15, bail forfeited.

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS
Robert Earl Stevens, 15 Ashland ave. Medford, and Viola Maude Shepherd, 2780 Lone Pine rd., Medford.

Cub Scouts Visit Mail Tribune Friday
Eight Medford Cub Scouts of den three, pack three visited the Mail Tribune Friday afternoon.

They were Ladd McQueen, Bobby Dames, William Mohr, Billy Collins, Bobby Emig, Robby Rector, Dicky Thieroff and Rob Kinney. Mrs. Stuart McQueen and Mrs. John Collins accompanied the scouts.

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Pickin' Pears News and Notes From Camp White

Dr. E. H. Everett will be in San Francisco the week of Oct. 29-Nov. 3 to attend a refresher course in medicine at Lettermann General hospital.

A ward party held by VFW auxiliary 218 Friday afternoon was conducted by Lelia Birch and Helen Lusk of the department hospital committee, aided by Fay Allison, Eva Pitcock and Amy Randall.

Open house at Legion headquarters at VAD was held Tuesday honoring Thelma Williams on the sixth anniversary of her service at Camp White with American Legion. Oct. 23, 1950, marked the advent of the first service group established at the Domiciliary and Mrs. Williams' service was given recognition. Ruth Freed, Gloria Minnecci and Alice Jarmin served coffee and cookies.

Daughters of Union Veterans

group have assumed a sewing project for the second and fourth Wednesdays of the month for members. The ladies are of the more recent groups servicing Camp White. Under Mrs. Eva Ware, chairman, a party comprising Joan Guyer, Sadie Balmeter, Maude Walton, and Dorothy Hershiser were given a tour by J. F. Glonning, chief special services.

DAV auxiliary 8 of Medford sponsored a games session Wednesday afternoon at the theater. Ruth Elliot, Louise Heckman and Mary Boyd were the ladies in charge.

Wednesday evening theater billing was Miss Pat's School of the Dance of Medford by presentation by Red Cross. Mrs. Frances Flink, hospital chairman and Marie Reihling were in charge. Cliff Aldrich of the studio was master of ceremonies. Coffee and cookies were served by the Red Cross.

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