

Local and Personal

Rummage Sale—A rummage sale will be held by Chapter DG of the PEO Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Fehi building, 100 North Ivy st.

Council Meeting—A meeting of Medford Building Trades Council will be held at the Medford Labor Temple Wednesday at 8 p.m.

Muscular Dystrophy—A regular monthly meeting of the Muscular Dystrophy association will be held at the Eagles auxiliary hall, 217 West Main st., Monday.

Wood Theft—Jacqueline A. McGee reported to sheriff's officers Friday that fire wood had been stolen from Jackson Hot Springs on Highway 99, north of Ashland.

Right of Way Fire—A grass and brush fire, caused by a hot box on a Southern Pacific train, burned a strip one mile long and 100 feet wide three miles south of Gold Hill Saturday afternoon, according to forestry department officials.

Accident Reported—John Willard Morgan, 1117 Murray st., reported to city police Saturday morning that a pickup owned by Seven-Up Bottling company, 306 South Fir st., had been struck by an unidentified vehicle. The pickup was parked on South Fir st. between Tenth and Eleventh st., police reported.

Daughter Born—Mr. and Mrs. William Swofford, Arcata, Calif., are parents of a girl born Aug. 8. Mrs. Swofford is the former Miss Shirley Keplinger, daughter of Mrs. Henry Keplinger, 107 South Newtown ave. Visiting at her home Swofford home were Mrs. Keplinger and her two children, Miss Linda Sharon and Phillip Henry Keplinger. They recently returned to Medford after a six weeks visit.

WEATHER United Press Northern California: Fair except local coastal fog; slightly warmer.

Festival Plays

Tonight: "Othello."
Monday: "Two Gentlemen of Verona."
Tuesday: "Henry VIII."
Wednesday: "As You Like It."
Curtain time for all plays is 8:30 p.m.

News About Servicemen

RATING ADVANCED

Ellis Feinstein, Ashland, a member of Naval reserve electronics division 13-5, Medford, was recently advanced to petty officer rating as electronics technician third class, from electronics seaman.

ON ACTIVE DUTY

Five members of Naval reserve electronics division 13-5, Medford, go on active duty Aug. 22. They are Gerald Gilbert and Daniel R. Mackay, Ashland, and Montana B. Facey, Eugene D. Henshaw and Bruce E. Pingle, all of Butte Falls.

CAMP BOUND

Twenty-eight enlisted men and officers of headquarters and headquarters company, second battalion, 413th infantry regiment, Medford, leave here Sunday for two weeks of summer training at Yakima Training Center, Yakima, Wash. The group will travel by private car. Commander of the unit is Major Robert A. Elliott, 432 Ardmore ave. Also at the camp will be Company E of the same unit, Grants Pass, with 33 men.

CHAPMAN ON TEAM

Marine staff sergeant Wayne L. Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. Chapman, 343 Mae st., is competing as a member of the Marine corps rifle and pistol team in the 1957 national rifle and pistol matches at Camp Perry, Ohio. Chapman is one of 110 Marines in the event, which lasts Aug. 9 through Sept. 10.

POLICE WOUND SELVES

Los Angeles—Two off-duty policemen wounded themselves with the same revolver Friday when a man tried to hold them up. The gun went off and wounded officers R. J. Steele and J. K. Sherratt when they both reached for it as it lay on the auto seat between them. The would-be holdup man fled.

Obituaries

JAMES A. BRADSHAW
James A. Bradshaw, 86, of 159 Second st., Ashland, died late Saturday afternoon. He was born on March 3, 1871 in Lathrop, Ill. He is survived by his wife, Alice L. Bradshaw. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Litwiller's Funeral Home.

WILLIAM C. MCKINNIS
William C. McKinnis, 69, 144 Fourth st., Ashland, died Saturday at an Ashland hospital. Mr. McKinnis has been in the shoe repair business for many years in Ashland. Further funeral arrangements will be made Monday by Litwiller Funeral home in Ashland.

SUSIE E. SHERRIFF
Services for Mrs. Susie E. Sherriff, 70, of Wimer, who died in a local hospital Saturday, will be held in the Conger-Morris Chapel Monday at 3 p.m. The Rev. George A. Trobough, of the First Methodist church will officiate. Committal will be in Memory Gardens.

Mrs. Sherriff was born in Whitehorse, Montana, Dec. 3, 1887. She had made her home in the Rogue valley for the past seven years. She is survived by her husband, Earl Sherriff, of Wimer; a son Arthur Sherriff, Portland; a brother, Randolph Butts, Atascadero, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Edith Knight, Portland, and Mrs. Hattie Old, Medford, and four grandchildren.

RICHARD LANDERS
Graveside services for Richard Vernon Landers, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James Landers, of Central Point, were held yesterday morning at Siskiyou Memorial park. Conger-Morris Funeral home was in charge.

Survivors besides the parents include three sisters, Connie Marie, Cathie Elizabeth, and Cyndie Ann; and grandparents, Mrs. John Claybaugh, Eokette Falls, and Jess Cohen, Los Angeles; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lentz, Medford.

C. ROY COFFMAN

Funeral services for C. Roy Coffman, 75, who died Thursday, will be held in Ashland Mortuary chapel Monday at 1:30 p.m. The Rev. B. J. Holland of the First Presbyterian church will officiate. Masonic graveside services will be held at the Stearns cemetery, Talent.

Mr. Coffman was born Nov. 1, 1881, in Lebanon, Mo. He was married to Edith Coleman, who preceded him in death in February this year. He came to the Rogue valley in 1907. He lived in Talent before moving to Ashland three years ago. While living in Talent he was town marshal. Mr. Coffman belonged to Ashland lodge AF and AM.

Survivors include three sisters, Mrs. Victoria Carter, Pauls Valley, Okla.; Mrs. O. Jean Strickland, and Mrs. Laura Barnes, both of Los Angeles; two brothers, Clarence W. Coffman, Pauls Valley, Okla.; and Paul W. Coffman, Los Angeles; a step-daughter, Mrs. George Holt, Ashland and a step-son, E. H. Cochran, Klamath Falls.

Nobel Prize Winner Dies in Mass. Friday

Falmouth, Mass. — Dr. Irving Langmuir, 76, world-renowned scientist and winner of the Nobel Prize, died Friday at the summer home of his nephew. Langmuir, who retired after serving 41 years with the General Electric company in Schenectady, N.Y., in 1950, won the Nobel Prize in 1932 for research in chemistry. He made his home in Schenectady.

The scientist's research was said to have saved the American public billions of dollars a year in electric light bills and to have helped establish modern radio and television broadcasting. Langmuir's experiments with oil films on water opened an entirely new field of chemistry, known as two-dimensional or surface chemistry. The scientist also made significant contributions to the developing science of weather control.

Woodlawn, Tenn. — Harold Foster got a surprise when he opened a door of a cabinet where his wife keeps canned goods. A live opossum was calmly lying in the cabinet. Nobody knows how he got there.

Preliminary Permit For Dam to Be Filed

Seattle — The Washington Public Power Supply System this week will file with the Federal Power commission a preliminary permit application for the proposed 585,000 kilowatt Ben Franklin dam on the Columbia river, it was announced Friday.

The system, composed of 17 state Public Utility districts, decided to file the application in response to a request by the Benton County PUD last week. Grover C. Greimes, president of the system, said the preliminary permit "would give WPPSS a three-year priority period in which to perfect detailed plans for the fullest possible benefits from this section of the river and to prepare for a construction license application."

The dam would be located about eight miles upstream from Richland.

Court Dismisses Appeal from Indians

San Francisco — The U. S. Court of Appeals Friday dismissed an appeal by the Cowitz Tribe who sought to enjoin the city of Tacoma from building two dams on the Cowitz river.

The court held that the Indians had no title to the land or water through treaty or other rights and that the United States occupied the land "sovereign and proprietor . . . of all the lands involved for a century."

The court also said Tacoma had gained title to some of the lands by release of portions of the area by the federal government. The Indians had sued in Federal District Court for the injunction to halt construction of Mayfield and Mossy Rock dams on the ground that they had an "aboriginal" right to the area. The District Court dismissed the suit on the ground that there was no federal question involved.

Yugoslavia Refugees Flooding Austria

Vienna — The influx of refugees from Communist Yugoslavia to Austria has reached the "character of a mass flight" in the past weeks, Austrian Interior Minister Oskar Helmer said Saturday. Helmer said the Yugoslav refugees are pouring into Austria at a rate of 80 to 100 daily, jamming all Yugoslav refugee camps in this country. The number increased from 1,500 in June to 2,600 in July and is likely to exceed 3,500 in August, he said.

Suez Company Taking Court Action for Money

Paris — The old Suez Canal company said Saturday it was taking court action in Switzerland to regain assets seized by the Egyptian government after the nationalization of the waterway.

A spokesman said the company asked a Swiss bank holding assets to transfer them to the company, but the Egyptian government opposed the request. He said "in consequence, it will be up to the Swiss courts."

EGYPT DELIVERS PLANES

Cairo — Egypt has delivered another group of fighter aircraft to Saudi Arabia under the provisions of the 1956 joint defense pact, Cairo Radio reported today.

Government Cracks Whip on Schedules

Washington — The government cracked the whip Saturday over the nation's commercial airlines to provide "realistic" passenger flight schedules.

It handed a major victory to the Airline Pilots association (ALPA), which had complained to the Civil Aeronautics Board that "phony" flight schedules were a threat to safety.

The ALPA had charged that schedules put out by a number of airlines listed flight times which were incapable of being met "even a small percentage of the time."

It said that trying to "accomplish impossible schedules results in a threat to safety." An airline spokesman denied the charge.

California Couple Looking for Son

A letter seeking a missing California boy was received by the Mail Tribune Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Little, of Placerville, Calif., reported to sheriff's deputies there that their son, Patrick, 13, left home Saturday, Aug. 10, after wrecking his father's pickup truck.

He was reportedly last seen on highway 99 west near Dunnigan, Calif., hitchhiking north. He is described as five feet two inches tall, wearing a white T shirt and a brown leather jacket. His parents estimated he had some \$40.

Anyone seeing the boy is asked to call MO 2-5872, Woodland, Calif.

AVA ESCAPES INJURY
Madrid — Movie star Ava Gardner escaped unhurt when her car collided with a taxi at an intersection Friday. Both cars were damaged severely, but no one was reported injured.

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