

News About Books From the Library

At almost any time outside school hours teen-agers will be found to outnumber other readers in the Medford Public Library. Many of them, of course, are working on school assignments; but most have recreational interests in reading as well. Some 46 per cent of teen-agers questioned recently in a nationwide survey said they read more than 10 books yearly outside of school assignments. Best-liked kinds of books were adventure books, love stories, sports stories, mysteries and science fiction.

According to Librarian Helen Webster, the Medford Public and Jackson County Library has a

wide selection of recent books for young people in all of these interest categories.

Adventure Books
Adventure fans are reading Dale White's "Vigilantes, Ride," a gripping story of Montana in the 1860's, and Fritz Muhlenweg's "Big Tiger and Christian," a story of an adventurous trip through the Gobi desert. Other books in this category include "Everglades Adventure," by Stephen Meader; "The Long White Road," Marvin Albert's story of Ernest Shackleton's Antarctic adventure; "Shipwreck," by Howard Pease; and "Glacier Pilot," by Beth Day.

New science fiction titles added lately to the library include "Vanguard to Venus," by Jeffery Castle and "The Third Level," by Jack Finney. Of equally exciting interest are such "down to earth" books as space flight as Mullers "Man Among the Stars," del Rey's "Rockets Through Space," Von Braun's "Conquest of the Moon," and Ahnstrom's "Complete Book of Jets and Rockets."

Romances
Love stories are always a favorite with teen-age girls, and several new ones have recently been purchased, according to Miss Webster. Included on the list are "Straw Hat Summer," by Marjorie Hall; "The Wonderful Time," by James Summers, and "Married on Wednesday," by Anne Emery. Girls who enjoy vocational romance will read "Vida Prescott: Attorney," by Rita Brady, "Marcia, Private Secretary," by Zillah MacDonald, or "TV Girl Friday," by Ruth Milne. Other recent titles are "Kathie, the New Teacher," by Lucile Rosenheim, "Miss Library Lady," by Ann Pfander, and "Rosemary Wins Her Cap," by Zillah MacDonald.

Brown University Doing Film on Palsy

Providence, R.I. — Shooting of a documentary film illustrating the scope of research into the causes of cerebral palsy and allied disorders being conducted at Brown University has begun.

The research is being conducted by the Institute for Research in the Health Sciences in association with other institutions.

The film, titled "Year of Birth," deals with the problems faced by parents, one of whose children is afflicted with cerebral palsy.

Production of the film is underwritten by a grant of \$85,000 to Brown by the National Institute of Neurological Diseases and Blindness, a branch of the U.S. Public Health Service.

The complete film will be the property of Brown, but its distribution for nationwide showing, sometime next spring will be handled by the National Institute.

Court Records

MUNICIPAL COURT
Sally Janell Miller, disobeyed traffic signal, \$5.
Ivan Lynn Curtis, no tail lights, \$5.
Boyd Jesse Carson, failure to display Oregon driver's license, \$5.
Robert L. Campfield, no driver's license, \$5.
Robert Rowland Johnson, improper left turn, \$5.
Thomas William Mast, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Elio Feinstein, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Jackie Dean McKinney, defective equipment, \$5.
James Hamilton Madden, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Edwin Randall Logan, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Arthur Hugh Warren Jr., disobeyed traffic signal, \$5.
Robert Edwin Meyer, disobeyed traffic signal, \$5.
Raymond Eugene Stahler, improper lane usage, \$5.
David Boyce Parker, disobeyed traffic signal, \$5.
Kenneth Wilber Tuedt, disobeyed traffic signal, \$5.

DISTRICT COURT
Therman James Nickles, no PUC permit, \$15.
Delmar B. Gillispie, defective wiring device, \$8.
Jerry Klocke, hunting during prohibited hours, \$15.
John William Holgate, failure to stop at traffic sign, \$10.
Otto Leroy Lilya, no license on house trailer, \$6.
David Robert Davis, failure to stop at traffic sign, \$10.
Monte Leroy Whaley, four persons over 12 years of age in front seat, \$6.
Carol Nancy Coffman, no operator's license, \$10.

CIRCUIT COURT
Darleen Ruth Tripp vs. Joseph Donald Tripp, divorce complaint.
Mary M. Means vs. Lawrence Means, divorce complaint.
MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATION
Raymond Edward Wyatt, Gold Hill, and Melba Edwards Eldred, Gold Hill.

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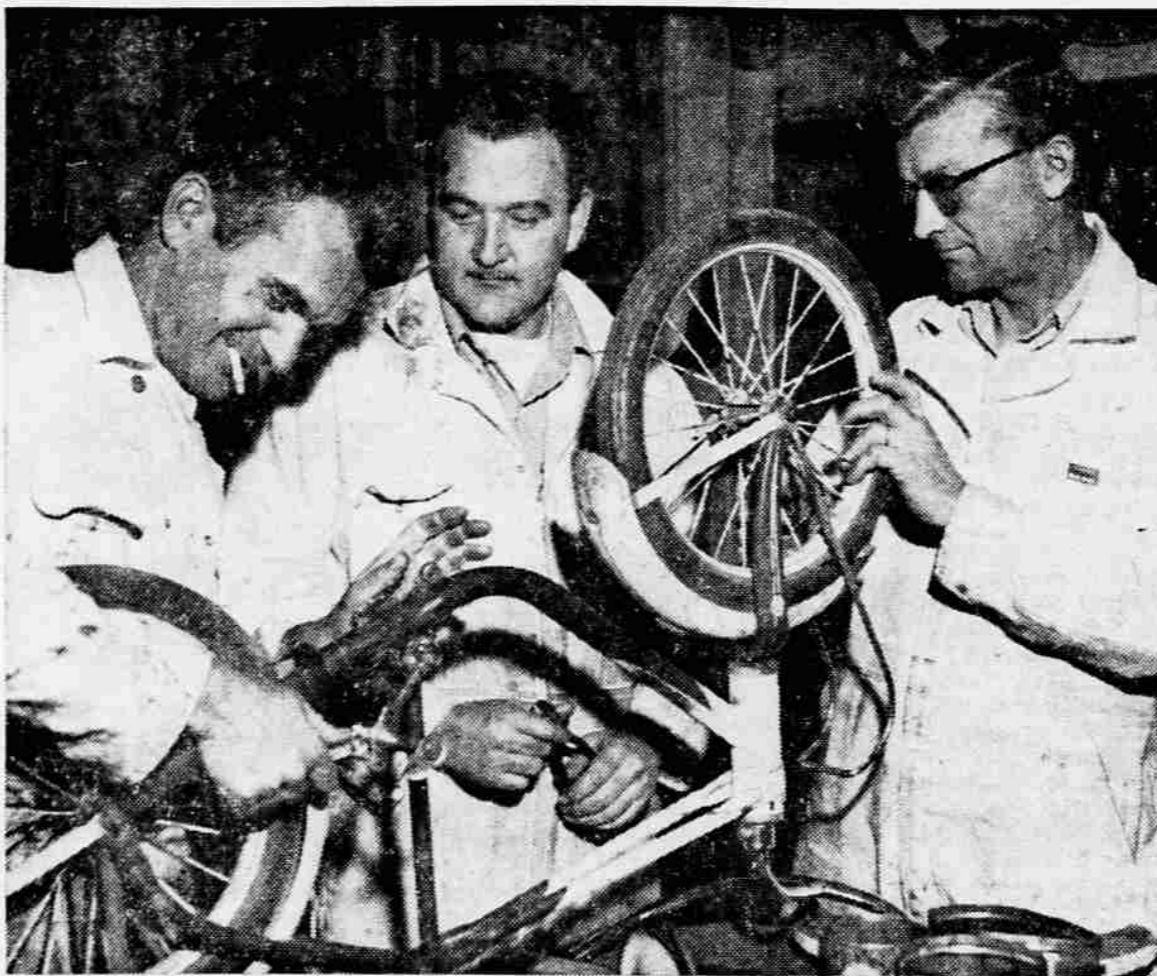
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REPAIRING BICYCLE — Mitchell Millich, Allison Moulton and Hugh Huntley apply finishing touches to repair of a small bicycle which will be given to the Lady Lions for distribution to needy children on Christmas morning. The three firemen are a few of the men of the Medford department now at

work on the toys which is a yearly spare time project. Repairing of the toys is done at the central stations while painting of the toys is done at the west and east side stations. Proceeds from the firemen's Ball on Thanksgiving will be placed in the toy fund.

The Family Council

Editor's note: The Family Council consists of a judge, a psychiatrist, three clergymen, a newspaper editor and two writers. Each article is a summary of an actual report. The Family Council does not give advice; it merely reports on problems that have been dealt with by responsible agencies and counselors.

Genevieve R. — Rosalind ought to adopt a child.

Rosalind F. — Maybe we ought to separate instead.

Genevieve R. — My sister has been married five years to a man who has not proven to be a very good husband. He makes a living, but is not an especially good provider and my sister has been working since the day of her marriage.

Besides, Charles is not a sociable person and he is often depressed and sarcastic with my sister and our family. Recently he learned he is unable to have children and this has made him even worse than ever.

I can't see much happiness ahead for my sister unless she has children, so I think she should see about adopting a child. It might even help to bring about a change in Charles.

Rosalind F. — It is hard to think in terms of adopting a child when I am really wondering whether I can keep my marriage together at all.

I am 33 and Charles is 36 and I don't suppose either of us will change very much any more. How much difference can a child make? My family and friends say it makes all the difference in the world, but I can't help having some doubts about

this. Even though we could afford a child on Charles' income, we would not be able to provide for the child or ourselves as we would like to—and I hate being poor.

My family and friends are putting a lot of pressure on us to adopt a child, but I think maybe we ought to separate instead.

The Council:—Rosalind's family and friends should leave off the pressure at once because, as things now stand, there isn't the slightest chance of this couple's getting a child from an accredited agency. If they choose to try to get a child illegally, they run the risk of getting into serious trouble. Even if they could manage to evade this legal trouble, they run an even more terrible risk of creating more unhappiness for themselves and an innocent child.

An accredited adoption agency is interested, first of all, in the motive for wanting a child. The only acceptable one is the desire to have a child and to create a happy home for him. Even if they said the right words on this subject, Rosalind and Charles could never convince a social worker that this was their motive.

An accredited adoption agency looks for couples who are hap-

PIN MONEY UP
Washington — President Eisenhower has authorized an increase in the duty rate on imported safety pins from 22½ to 35 per cent, effective Dec. 30.

pily married. A large-sized income is not important, but it is important that the couple should not feel poor or underprivileged.

An accredited adoption agency looks for maturity of outlook and the courage and flexibility to handle problems. It looks for couples who get along well with the world at large.

Rosalind and Charles would do well to measure themselves and their marriage by these agency standards. If they do, they may begin to see the enormous selfishness involved in their even considering to try to adopt a child for the purpose of saving their marriage.

We have a rather large-sized suspicion that Rosalind is very much more at fault in this relationship than Charles. His depression and sarcasm are likely reactions to a wife who shows so much dissatisfaction with him.

Despite Rosalind's doubts about her ability and that of her husband to change at this time of their lives, she should recognize that they must change in order to save themselves from total despair and tragedy. The self-centeredness and immaturity that now undermines their marriage would prevent their finding any more happiness apart than the have found together.

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Business Licenses Issued Total 1312

A total of 1,312 city business licenses have been issued up to Friday last week, according to Darell Huson, city treasurer.

He said the list is complete on all business now operating in the city with the exception of that which may have started since then. Huson said personal contacts were made with businesses failing to file by the Nov. 15 deadline.

He said little trouble was encountered in collecting the fees for the business licenses.

Research on Social Behavior of Bees Ready

Lawrence, Kan. — Dr. Charles D. Michener, chairman of the entomology department at Kansas University, will have research published about the origin of social behavior of bees in Brazil.

Dr. Michener's reclassification of a large group of South American bees already has been printed in a bulletin of the American Museum of Natural History. Findings of his recent trip to Brazil will be published in several journals.

ONLY THE COPS

New York — "Are you guys from the mob? Are you going to rub me out?" Aaron Lederman asked his callers in a shaking voice. He appeared downright pleased when the men identified themselves as Secret Service agents, come to arrest him as an alleged "important distributor" of counterfeit \$20 bills. The agents said Lederman told them he was deeply in debt to loan sharks and feared they were out to get him quite outside the law.

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