Local and Personal

Ball Cancelled—The Military Ball scheduled to be held at the Rogue Valley Country club Saturday, May 24, by the Reserve Officers association, has been cancelled, according to association officers.

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On Program — Elliott D. Becken, assistant superintendent of Medford public schools, was one of the speakers at a regional curriculum conference for Oregon school administrators May 15-17 at Kitson Springs, near Oakridge. He discussed means for the implementation of a local curriculum improvement program.

Visits Here — Mrs. A. J. Rowe, Eureka, has been visiting the past several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Baldwin, Sams Valley.

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Leaves for South — Mrs. Maude Wright, 236 South Central ave., Medford, left yesterday for San Diego to attend the funeral of John L. Gary, formerly of 21 Genessee st., who died unexpectedly Saturday in San Diego. Survivors include the widow.

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Patients — Surgery patient at Rogue Valley hospital today is Mrs. Chet Ernst, 2940 Crater Lake ave., Medford. Dannie Cowdrey, 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cowdrey, 2949 Barbara st., Ashland, underwent a tonsillectomy there today.

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Plan Meeting — A meeting for all Southwestern Indians will be held Sunday, May 25, at the Indian hall at Empire. Box lunch will be served at noon, and the business session will start at 1 p.m. A lawyer will be selected to work on claims, officers said.

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Clean Up Scheduled — The Talent Garden club is sponsoring the annual clean up of Stearn's cemetery and residents who are unable to clean family lots and wish to have them cleaned may send contributions to Eleanor Powers, Talent, secretary of the Stearns Cemetery association.

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Collision—Vehicles operated by Marvin Andrew Ward, 324 South B st., Eagle Point, and Joe Leavitt, 268 B st., Ashland, were involved in an accident on Court st. between Ohio st. and Highway 62, Wednesday afternoon, according to city police. Leavitt was cited by police for failure to yield right of way.

Theft—William Lee Evans, 1425 Lawnridge ave., Medford, reported to city police Wednesday evening the theft of two hubcaps from his car while it was parked in the vacant lot next to 821 North Riverside ave.

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Item Stolen — James H. Semple, 626 South Holly st., reported to city police Wednesday afternoon the theft of a sander from the Growers Refrigeration Plant at Melrose and Fir sts. It was valued at $50.

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Gas Fire—A small fire resulted when a break and leak in a gas line occurred about 8:50 a.m. today at Eighth and Orange sts., firemen said. They put out the blaze with a booster line and stood by until the leak was repaired.

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Patients — Mrs. Elmer O. Reinking, 3134 Beale lane, and Mrs. Scott Hamilton, route 1, box 589, Central Point, are convalescing at Osteopathic hospital following surgery this week. Medical patient there is Mrs. Mable A. Hunbley, route 2, box 325, Central Point.

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Motor Smokes—Two pumper trucks and crews on home inspection were sent to the residence of Mrs. Myrna Roberts, 903 West 10th st., when a garage fire was reported about 2:45 p.m. yesterday. Firemen found a washing machine motor burned out and smoking. A grass fire in a vacant lot in the 1000 block on West McAndrews rd. was put out at 6:30 p.m.

Obituaries

CHARLES MAYBEN

Ashland—Charles Mayben, 85, died today at an Ashland nursing home. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Annie Peek, Ashland.

CHARLES L. LATHROP

Charles L. Lathrop, 80, died last night at the Veterans Administration Domiciliary, Camp White. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Conger-Morris, funeral directors.

News About Servicemen

IN MATCHES

Specialist 3/c Phillip N. Sweet, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall B. Sweet, 624 East Ninth st., Medford, recently participated in the second army rifle and pistol matches at Ft. George G. Meade, Md.

Sweet is a 1951 graduate of Medford High school and a 1955 graduate of Whitworth college, Spokane.

Training Consultant Says County In For Big Business Boom

In the next five to 10 years this country is in for the greatest boom it has ever known, F. H. Womack, Austin, Tex., stated yesterday in a talk to Medford Kiwanis club.

Womack, a training consultant in public relations and personnel management, said the boom should extend 20 to 25 years. He pointed to increase in population as a reason for the boom in business.

The consultant addressed Kiwanians at their luncheon at Rogue Valley Country club. He is conducting classes three days this week at Hedrick Junior High school, under sponsorship of the Retail Credit association and the Credit Bureau of Medford.

Felt in Certain Areas

Womack, who reported that he had "pipelines" to economists, said that the so-called "recession" is only being felt in certain areas to any extent. He said that the recession has been localized with industrialized areas, the auto, steel and iron and alloy industries being hard hit. The consultant reported that the Southwest was not touched hard and the West Coast was only lightly hit.

Concerning the outlook in the immediate future, Womack said that business and government heads in Washington, D.C., have recognized what is happening and are doing something about it. However, he told of the current aversion toward rush legislation. He indicated that it will be another month before some of the leveling off effects are felt and predicted a slight upturn in the latter part of the year.

Unemployment now is declining but will go back up in June, Womack said. He added that this is a "natural thing" and nothing to get excited about. He mentioned the addition of students to the labor market as a reason.

Long Range Projects

Concerning some of the trends, Womack reported that businessmen, instead of looking for a "fast buck," are eyeing long range projects. He reported that savings are at the highest level in history and that people, unsure of the future, are paying off installment credits fast and are paying for things in cash.

Management realizes that it is to blame for some of the faults in business, Womack stated. It is going into the field of public relations and an aim is to stress to every person of an organization that he is a direct representative of that business. "One of the things we need most in life is to get along with other people," Womack stressed.

The training consultant mentioned to the service club members the sweeping economic changes which take place when as many as 100 people are brought into a community by a business. He said that 174 other jobs are created and sales and bank deposits go up.

Lavern Watrud, accountant, was introduced as a new member of the Medford Kiwanis club. President Bill Singler announced that the club would be host Wednesday, May 28, to dentists who are donating time to the Kiwanis-sponsored dental clinic. It also will be loud shirt day for Kiwanians.

Portland Livestock

Portland—(U.P.)—Cattle 150; includes two lots mostly good fed steers; balance largely cows; trade slow; no steers or heifers sold early; few cows about steady; choice steers this week 28.25-29.25; good 26.50-28.25; good-choice heifers 26-28; few canner-cutter cows 16.50-19.50; utility 20-21; few light cutter bulls 21-23; utility bulls 25-26.50.

Calves 25; market mostly nominal; good-choice vealers late 26-30; no full test heavy calves.

Hogs 100; market not fully tested; few sales steady; few 1 and 2 butchers around 200 lb. 24.50; some held higher; individual No. 3 sows at 612 lb. 18.

Sheep 300; holdover 300; trade slow; few spring lambs weak to 50c lower; few lambs around 50c lower; couple lots mostly choice spring lambs 20; few good lambs 19; load mostly good with few utility and few choice fed old crop lambs 14.50-16; one lot 124 lb. at 14; deck ewes unsold.

Portland Produce

Portland —(U.P.)— Eggs—To retailers: Grade AA large, 45-48c doz.; A large, 42-45c; AA medium, 39-43c; A medium, 38-42c; AA smalls, 30-33c; carton 1-3c additional.

Butter—To retailers: AA and Grade A prints, 66-67c lb.; carton 7c lb. higher; B prints, 64-65c.

Cheese—medium cured—To retailers: A grade cheddar single daisies, 40-51c; 5-lb. loaves, 51½-57c; processed American cheese, 5-lb. loaf, 40-43c.

Poultry and Rabbits

Live Chickens—Quoted to growers at Portland, Salem and south to Eugene f.o.b. ranch No. 1 quality fryers, 2¾-4 lbs., 21-22c; light hens, 15-16c; heavy hens, 5 lbs. up, 20-21c; old roosters, 7-8c lb.

Dressed Chickens—No. 1 grade dressed to retailers: fryes, whole drawn, 38-43c lb.; cut up, 44-48c; hens, light types cut up, 37-40c; heavy type, whole drawn, 43-46c.

Dressed Turkeys—A grade breeder hens, net to producers on an eviscerated basis, 29c lb.; toms, same basis, 25c lb. to retailers; A grade hens, mostly 37 cents, oven-ready dressed; toms, 32c lb.

Rabbits (average to growers, f.o.b. killing plants)—Live white, 3½-4½ lbs., f.o.b. Portland, 22-25c; colored pelts, 4c under. Fresh killed fryers to retailers, 59-61c lb.; cut up, 62-65c.

Portland Hay, Grain

Portland—Wholesale Hay Prices; No. 2 green alfalfa, baled, f.o.b. Portland and Seattle, nominally $24 a ton.

Wholesale prices are reported by the USDA market news service: Wheat, No. 2 soft white, $73 ton; No. 2 white oats, 38-lb. West Coast delivery, $54-54.50 ton; No. 2 Valley white oats, $50.50 ton; soybean meal, $83 ton, f.o.b. Portland; barley, No. 2 West Coast delivery, $47.50 ton; standard mill run, prompt delivery, $38.50-39.50 ton, f.o.b. Portland; No. 2 Milo, Eastern shipment, f.o.b. Coast, $53.50-54 ton; No. 2 yellow corn Eastern shipment, f.o.b. Portland, $62.50-63 ton.

Nixon Rated Top Candidate For President

Washington — (AP)— Sen. William F. Knowland said today he considers Vice President Richard M. Nixon to be the only "major" Republican candidate for the presidency in 1960.

The California Republican, GOP leader in the Senate, made the statement at a news conference when asked if he thought Nixon's presidential stock was boosted by the big reception he received following his violence-marred tour of South America.

"I do not agree with some columnists that this development should necessarily be tied in with 1960," Knowland said. "While I don't feel the South American tour and the 1960 elections is particularly significant, I think the vice president is the leading contender for the presidency and so far as I can see he is the only major candidate on the Republican ticket."

Knowland said that Nixon and his wife, Pat, "handled themselves extremely well under the most trying circumstances."

Knowland is retiring from the Senate to run for governor of California.

His opponents have charged that Knowland hopes to use the governorship as a "stepping stone" to the White House. He has insisted repeatedly that he is running for governor "and nothing else."

Weather

FORECASTS

Medford and vicinity: Considerable cloudiness through Friday. Scattered light showers or thundershowers late this afternoon and evening and again Friday. A little cooler in afternoon. Low tonight 55. High Friday 85.

Western Oregon: Thundershowers over southern mountains this evening. Partly cloudy tonight and Friday, except for late night and early morning low clouds along coast and in northern interior valleys. A little cooler in interior Friday. Low tonight 50-60. High Friday 75-85, except 60-65 along coast.

Northern California: Mostly cloudy with scattered showers and widely scattered thunderstorms tonight and Friday.

LOCAL DATA

TEMPERATURE: Mean yesterday 73; above normal 13.

Record high this date 100 in 1941.

Record low this date 33 in 1920.

PRECIPITATION: 24 hours to midnight, none. Midnight to 10 a.m., none.

Total this month .16 inch, .66 inch below normal.

Total since Sept. 1, 22.03 inches, 5.61 inches above normal.

HUMIDITY: Lowest yesterday 22%, highest this a.m. 74%.

City	High Yesterday	4:00 a.m. Low	24-hr. Prec.
Brookings	60	53	
Carter Lake	62	39	
Grants Pass	91	54	
Klamath Falls	82	50	
MEDFORD	90	58	
Portland	85	60	
Seattle	81	57	
Spokane	89	61	
Yakima	93	59	
Eureka	58	54	
Red Bluff	90	64	
Sacramento	85	60	.03
San Francisco	72	61	.02
Los Angeles	79	60	
Phoenix	102	59	
Denver	85	55	
Chicago	69	58	.02
Miami	84	76	
New York	71	56	
Washington, D.C.	76	51	

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Moderate Trading Noted on Market

New York—(AP)—Stocks generally favored the upside today in moderate trading.

Specialties provided the best upside features with gains running to 2 points or more.

Amerace Corp. and Automatic Canteen, which declared a 100 per cent stock dividend, ran up more than 2 points each. Pittston was up 2.

Minute Maid continued active and firm. Brunswick Balke, enjoying the fruits of the bowling boom, tacked on more than a point, as did Inspiration Copper, which maintained ts dividend.

Illinois Central was the weak spot in the rails, losing 1¾ on a statement by its president that earnings will be down this year and the dividend may be cut.

Aircrafts improved fractionally. Motors were steady. Oils firmed, with Kerr-McGee up a point.

Nonferrous metals firmed on the outlook for improved demand later this year.

DOW-JONES AVERAGES

Dow-Jones final stock averages: 30 industrials 460.24, up 1.74; 20 railroads 114.95, up 0.94; 15 utilities 77.94, up 0.16, and 65 stocks 159.64, up 0.68. Sales today were about 2,950,000 shares compared with about 2,580,000 shares Wednesday.

Today's prices on selected stock:

Allied Chemical	76
American Can	46⅞
A T & T	178
Anaconda Copper	44¼
Bethlehem Steel	41½
Caterpillar Corp.	61¼
Chrysler Corp.	46¼
Continental Can	49½
Crown Zellerbach	47⅞
Curtiss Wright	25¼
Du Pont	175
Eastman Kodak	104¼
General Electric	58¾
General Foods	57⅝
General Motors	38
Georgia Pacific	37⅞
Graham Paige	1⅜
Homestake Mining	44⅝
Kaiser Frazer	9
Kennecott Copper	88
Lockheed Aircraft	47½
Katy Pfd.	48¼
Montgomery Ward	35¼
New York Central	14½
Penney, J. C.	94¾
Penn R R	12¼
Radio Corporation	33½
Richfield Oil	72¼
Sears	29
Socony Vacuum	50⅛
Southern Co.	29½
Southern Pacific	44
Standard California	49½
Standard Indiana	42⅞
Standard N. J.	53⅝
Sun Mines	7⅞
Texas Gulf	19⅝
Tex Pac Land Trust	10⅝
Transamerica	39⅞
Tri - Continental	34⅛
Union Carbide	86
Union Pacific	29¾
U. A. L.	25¼
U. S. Rubber	32⅝
U. S. Steel	64
Youngstown S&T	84¾

Over-the-Counter Western Stocks

The following bid and asked prices on selected Western securities, provided by the Medford branch office of Pacific Northwest Company, are unofficial and do not represent actual transactions, but are intended as a guide to the approximate price range.

Common Stocks	Bid	Asked
Bank of America	36½	38⅜
Calif.-Pacific Utilities	30	32¼
Cascades Plywood	25	27¼
Cons. Freightways	15¼	16½
Copco	31⅞	33⅝
First National Bank	47¾	50⅛
Pacific Pwr. & Lt.	34¼	36¼
Portland Gen. Elec.	24¾	26⅜
U. S. National Bank	63	67½
United Utilities new hi	23¾	24¼
West Coast Tel	20	21⅜
Weyerhaeuser new hi	37	38⅛

Investment Funds

Noon Quotations on selected funds supplied by the Medford Branch of Foster & Marshall, Members New York Stock Exchange.

Fund	Bid	Asked
Bullock	11.73	12.86
Chem Fund	16.04	17.35
Eaton Howard Stk	19.69	21.05
Fidelity	12.68	13.71
Gas Ind	12.31	13.45
Group Sec—Avia	9.32	10.21
Group Sec—Com Stk	11.28	12.35
Group Sec—Elec	6.30	6.91
Group Sec—Petr	10.64	11.65
Group Sec—Steel	7.15	11.84
Group Sec—Tobac	6.16	6.74
Keystone B-3	15.58	18.00
Keystone B-4	9.08	9.91
Keystone K-1	8.23	8.99
Keystone K-2	10.19	11.12
Keystone S-1	14.85	16.20
Keystone S-2	10.13	11.05
Keystone S-3	10.76	11.74
Mass Inv Tr	10.67	11.54
TV-Elec	10.38	11.53
Value Line Inc	4.73	5.17
Wellington	12.44	13.57

Births

O'DELL—To Mr. and Mrs. Bill C., 328 North Central ave., Medford, May 21, 1958, a girl, weight 7½ pounds, at Osteopathic hospital.

BELL — To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drew, 2143 West Main st., Medford, May 22, 1958, a boy, weight 6¼ pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

ROMBACH — To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eugene, 2784 West Main st., Medford, May 22, 1958, a girl, weight 7¾ pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

McQUADE — To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Loren, 49 Vilas Way, south, Central Point, May 22, 1958, a girl, weight 7½ pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

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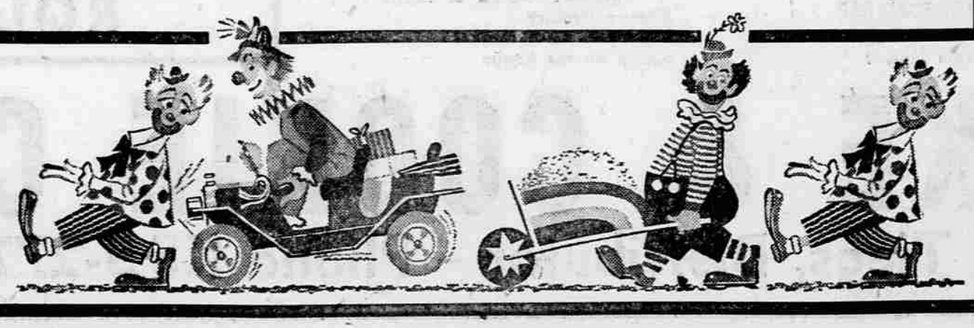

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