

Local and Personal

Patient - Mrs. William E. Prentiss, 926 Grant st., is convalescing at Rogue Valley hospital following emergency surgery last week.

Recognized - H. M. von Stein, Medford, has been selected for membership in the National Writers club, Denver, Colo., an organization of freelance writers for his work in creative writing.

Bazaar - Providence Guild of Sacred Heart hospital will hold their annual bazaar Tuesday, Dec. 9, on the first floor of the hospital. The event will start at 9 a.m. and will include handmade Christmas gifts and baked foods.

To Attend Conference - Gerald M. Gastineau, district manager in Medford for The Equitable Life Assurance Society, plans to attend a five-day conference in Monterey, Calif., starting today. The conference will be on methods of agent recruiting in life insurance.

Tire, Wheel Taken - Leonard Halfhill, 3178 South Pacific highway, reported to sheriff's officers Friday afternoon that a tire and wheel were taken from the trunk of his car parked at his residence. He told sheriff's deputies he had just returned home after being gone for two days and noticed the theft.

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Copper Coins and Tokens Taken West by Migrators

Pennies never had much of a vogue in the Old West, most of whose people couldn't be bothered with coins that weren't gold or silver. Nonetheless Easterners and Southerners passing through to California must have brought a fair amount of the big coppers with them, along with a percentage of the merchants' tokens that also saw use as currency. At any rate, that is how a friend of mine accounts for his having come across an accumulation of the big pennies he bought recently in northern New Mexico. There were about 100 of them. The owner said they had been saved by a storekeeper who had refused to give them out in change and didn't think them worth banking. What clinched the story in my friend's eyes was a brass token, put out by a New Orleans clothing dealer of the 1830s. When he saw that, he

FOREIGN STAMPS AID KNOWLEDGE OF HISTORY

A friend of mine who is not a stamp collector has insisted that his children take it up and with special emphasis on foreign stamps. "It's for the very practical reason," he told me, "that that way they'll learn a lot more about other countries, and some day the knowledge will come in handy." He felt strongly on the subject because of the conviction that knowledge he had gained as a youthful philatelist had given him the edge in an Argentine business deal that had paid off handsomely. My friend took out his billfold and removed a cellophane envelope containing the Corrientes stamp he carried as a good luck piece. The item issued in 1856, is not strictly Argentine. At the time, Corrientes, now a province along the Brazilian - Paraguayan border, was an independent

PONTIL MARK ON GLASS IS SIGN OF ITS AGE

A punty or pontil is an iron rod glassmakers used for manipulating hot glass, and a punty or pontil mark is a small roughness in the glass where the object was broken off from the rod. Generally when one finds such a mark on a piece of well-worn design, it may be interpreted as a sign of age. It means that the piece was probably produced before glass-making techniques got out of the relatively crude state in which they were up to the 1850s or a little later. I was reminded of this when a friend discovered that one piece in a set of glassware she had inherited was far older than the others and much more valuable. The design of the set was what is known as bellflower. The expense of the glass is ribbed by many narrowly separated, parallel lines across which weaves a vine with an occasional flower rising from it. Glass of this type may be found in various colors or in clear glass. This one had a silvery coloration and the various pieces gave off a good ring. All except one - a covered



WELCOME NEWS he will not hang for 35-year-old murder is given Guido Grassi, 78, by Father Di Lia in Washington State Prison at Walla Walla. Originally found insane, Grassi recently was found to have recovered and death sentence was in prospect until governor commuted it to life imprisonment. He now hopes to obtain pardon.

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Obituaries

MARGARET LYDIA BOUNDS
Funeral services for Mrs. Margaret Lydia Bounds, 521 West Second st., Medford, who died Friday will be held in the First Christian church at Myrtle Creek, Monday, at 1 p.m. The Rev. Lawrence Baird of Gresham will officiate. Interment will be in the IOOF cemetery of Myrtle Creek. Conger-Morris, funeral directors are in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Bounds was born in Calistoga, Calif. Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Gladys Rice, and Mrs. Margaret McMannis, both of Medford, Mrs. Lelia Childers, Myrtle Creek, and Mrs. Ruth Relvis, Folsom, Calif.; two sons, Jess Bounds, Medford, and Edmund Bounds of Myrtle Creek; one brother, George Peters, Aisea, 10 grand children, who include Mrs. Katherine Aising, of Ashland, and Mrs. Tresa Matlack, of Medford, and 15 great grand children. Her husband, Vernile Bounds, preceded her in death in February, 1942, and one daughter, Mrs. Josephine Marsh, preceded her in death in August, 1956.

AMELIA L. HOLMES
Ashland - Funeral services for Mrs. Amelia L. Holmes, 61, of 1300 Butler Creek rd., Ashland, who died Friday in Ashland General hospital, will be held at 1 p.m. Tuesday at Litwiller's Mt. View chapel. The Seventh Day Adventist church will be in charge of services. Interment will be in Mt. View cemetery.

Mrs. Holmes was born March 1, 1897, in Oakland, Calif., and was married to Howard Holmes on July 26, 1920, in San A'Draves, Calif. A resident of Ashland for 22 years, she was a registered nurse and an anesthetist at Ashland General hospital. She was a member of the Seventh Day Adventist church, Ashland.

Survivors include her husband, Howard; two brothers, George Lassen, St. Helena, Calif., and Henry Lassen, Vina, Calif.; a sister, Mrs. John Cox, Yuba City, Calif.

AERIAL ASSAULT
Hartford, Conn. - (UPI) - Sixty-five state and local civil defense officials were holding a conference on survival in an atomic attack when the meeting suddenly broke up. The officials were attacked by a swarm of mosquitoes.

GOOD LOCATION
Yuba City, Calif. - (UPI) - In a building directly across the street occupied until recently by both the Democratic and Republican county central committees, repairman Howard Lolmaugh recently discovered a dusty old whisky still.

News About Servicemen

ABROAD DESTROYER
Charles R. Perdue, gunner's mate seaman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert T. Perdue of Medford, is serving aboard the destroyer, USS Edson. He recently completed a seven-week course in damage control procedures at Newport, R. I.

RECEIVES TROPHY
Pvt. Gordon K. Mekvold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alf B. Mekvold, route 2, box 803, Central Point, received a rifle-marksmanship trophy for scoring 226 of a possible 250 points in recent rifle matches at Ft. Ord, Calif. He is a 1954 graduate of Crater High school, Central Point, and attended Oregon Technical Institute in Klamath Falls before going into the service.

INDUCTED
Two Jackson county men were inducted by the local selective service board recently. They are David Richard Bliss, Prospect, and Donald Eugene Clay, Medford.

REASSIGNED
Army Specialist Third Class Donald H. Martin, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Martin, route 1, Rogue River, is scheduled to leave Germany for the United States in mid-December for reassignment at Ft. Riley, Kans. A 1955 graduate of Rogue River High school, he entered the Army in March, 1956.

FAULTY ALIBI
New Britain, Conn. - (UPI) - When police asked William Stubbs, 23, what he was doing up in a tree, he explained he was looking for apples. It was a cherry tree.



LEADING prospect to succeed Will Harridge as American League president is reported to be Joe Cronin (above), Boston Red Sox general manager.

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JAWBREAKER
Donelson, Tenn. - (UPI) - Mrs. Jim Hagedorn threw her jaw out of place while yawning. A doctor set it but on the way home from his office sighed, yawned—and threw her jaw out of place again.

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