

Foundation Gets Check From 'Green Christmas' Los Angeles—(UPI)—Stan Freberg presented the Hemophilia Foundation of Southern California with a \$1,000 check Friday taken from proceeds on his record "Green Christmas."

Freberg said earlier all proceeds from the record, which satirizes the commercial aspect of Christmas, would go to charity.

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Local and Personal

Boxes—Medford police reported finding that all mail boxes along Connell ave. between Elk st. and Mace rd. had been pushed over or torn from their posts Wednesday.

Permit—A Medford building permit was issued Friday to R. J. Crossman for a \$1,000 job involving removal of a wall in the Medical Center building, 33 North Central ave.

Theft—Emegene Winnifred Morgan, 4506 Hamrick rd., Central Point, reported to Medford police the theft of \$7 from her wallet in the office of Joe's Jalopy Jungle, 400 East Jackson st., Wednesday night.

Collision—A vehicle driven by William Hezzie Dyer, 29 Myrtle st., struck a bicycle operated by Sherman Taylor Schultz, 217 South Riverside ave., at Sixth and Bartlett sts. Wednesday afternoon, Medford police reported.

Collision—Vehicles driven by Mary Frances Whitman, 26 Rose ave., and Keith Duane Adams, 1204 Withington st., collided Wednesday afternoon on Rose ave., between Fourth and Main sts., according to Medford police.

Lights—Arlatha Jane Knutson, 615 North Columbus ave., told Medford police that eight Christmas tree lights had been taken from the front porch at that address last Sunday or Monday.

Jacket—Lester Lee Lewis, route 2, box 671, Central Point, told Medford police of the theft early Friday morning of his \$15 nylon jacket from the Chungking Inn, 23 North Front st.

Permits—Medford building permits were issued Wednesday to Fortune Stations, Inc., to erect a \$20,000 service station at 525 North Central ave., and to R. C. Beatty for installation of a \$1,981 sprinkler system at 202 North Front st.

Cited—Jarvis Hilary Matthews, 24, of Grants Pass, was cited early Christmas day for failure to leave information at the scene of an accident after his vehicle struck a city parking meter on Central ave., just north of Fifth st., Medford police reported.

Collision—A vehicle driven by Margaret Estelle Taylor, 813 Grant st., struck a parked vehicle registered to Joseph Leonard Dunn, 238 South Holly st., Wednesday afternoon on Grant st., between Dakbia ave. and Catherine st., according to Medford police.

Collision—A vehicle driven by Carl William Eisenberg, 847 South Riverside ave., struck a parked vehicle registered to Herbert and Harold Hencke, Willamina, Christmas morning on South Riverside ave., between Ninth and 10th sts., Medford police reported.

Patients—Colleen Ziemann, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ziemann, 704 Beatty st., is a medical patient at Medford Osteopathic hospital, attendants reported Saturday. William Dahl, Jacksonville, is confined to the hospital following emergency surgery Friday night.

Hurt in Fall—Herbert T. Purdue, Eagle Point, was taken to Rogue Valley hospital Friday afternoon for treatment of a leg injury received in a fall at his home, according to Medford Ambulance service which transported him to the hospital. Purdue was released following treatment.

Enter—Paul Raymond Dorff, 108 South Elm st., told Medford police Friday that two panes of glass in the front door of the Rose Grocery, 201 West Jackson st., had been broken with a rock in an apparent breaking and entering. Nothing was taken from the store, police were told.

Wins Prize—Zachary Shell Service station, Second st. and Central ave., was awarded first place last week in Shell's Eugene district Christmas decorating program. Scott Zachary, station owner and operator, received the first trophy awarded in the contest, along with a transistor radio. His decorations included a reindeer and sleigh and trees.

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Obituaries

WILLIAM SHEETS William F. Sheets, 42, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Sheets of Medford, died Dec. 25 in the Veterans Administration hospital in Oklahoma City, Okla.

Mr. Sheets was born Sept. 14, 1916, in Medford and was graduated from Medford High school. He attended the University of Oregon and received his degree in geology from Oregon State college.

During World War II he was an aerial photographer in the Italian theater and for the past several years was chief photographer for the News Eagle in Enid, Okla., where he made his home.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Elda Faye Sheets, four sons, Gary Bill, Mark, Steve, and Thomas, all of Enid; two sisters, Mrs. Harold Crowl, Cave Junction; Mrs. Don Elliott, Medford; and one brother, Martin Sheets, Houston, Texas.

Funeral services and interment will be held today at 2 p.m. in Enid.

LAZZARRE GREER Funeral services for Miss Lazzarre Genevieve Greer, 81, of Gold Hill, who died Friday at a local nursing home, will be held at Perl Funeral home at 10 a.m. Monday. The Rev. D. E. Millard will officiate. Interment will be in Siskiyou Memorial park.

Miss Greer was born in Missouri on Aug. 22, 1877, and had been a resident of the Medford area for two years.

She is survived by two brothers, Virgil Greer of Gold Hill, Fernando Greer of Oakland, Calif., and one sister, Lila Greer, of Medford.

MRS. MINNIE WRIGHT Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie Bell Wright, 76, of route 1, box 306, Gold Hill, who died Wednesday at a local hospital, will be held at Perl Funeral home at 1 p.m. Monday. The Rev. Lyman Stiles will officiate. Interment will be in the Rock Point cemetery, Gold Hill.

Mrs. Wright was born in Richland, Ind., July 19, 1882, and had been a resident of this area for the past 23 years. She was a member of the Assembly of God church in Gold Hill.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Robert Williams, Gold Hill; two brothers, Charles Willis, Fruitland, Ida., and John G. Willis, Indianapolis, Ind.; seven grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be William Dusenbury, Joe Buchanan, Kenny Bailey, Luther Blake, Floyd Romine and Cleo Gilchrist.

MARION MATIKA Marion Matika, 60, died Friday night at the Veterans administration Domiciliary, Camp White. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Perl Funeral home.

FRANK M. HURST Frank M. Hurst, of 444 N. Grape st., Medford, died Friday in a local hospital. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Conger-Morris funeral directors.

VELMA FILLINGER Mrs. Velma Fillinger, of 1883 Stewart ave., died Saturday in a local hospital. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Conger-Morris funeral directors.

ALBERT G. SODERLUND Services for Albert Carl Soderlund, 74, Jacksonville, who died Wednesday will be held in Conger-Morris funeral home Tuesday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. W. Elwood Irby officiating. Burial will be in Jacksonville cemetery.

Mr. Soderlund was born Feb. 22, 1884 in Linkoping, Sweden. On March 14, 1914 in New York City, he was married to Thyra Peterson, who survives him.

Also surviving are three children, Mrs. Inez Altvatter, Medford; Mrs. Ann Russell, Tigard, Ore.; Jon Soderlund, San Francisco; two brothers, Karl and Rudolph Soderlund, both in Sweden; three sisters, Mrs. Anna Karlson, Mrs. Sigrid Bengston, also in Sweden, and Mrs. Mia Leffman, Hollywood, Calif., and four grandchildren. Pall bearers will be Jon Soderlund, Albert Altvatter, Richard Souza, Fred Hedorfer, James Skog, and Emory Abel.

Mrs. Duncan's Lawyer May Request Change of Trial Site

Ventura, Calif. (UPI)—The attorney for 54-year-old Mrs. Elizabeth Duncan—accused of hiring two ex-convicts to murder her pregnant daughter-in-law—said yesterday he may seek a change of venue in the case.

S. Ward Sullivan, well-known Los Angeles lawyer, said the decision on whether or not to ask for a new trial site would be made after he reads a transcript of grand jury proceedings.

Grand jurors indicted the much-married Mrs. Duncan, Augustine Baldonado, 25, and

Luis Moya, 22, Friday night on charges of murder in the death of Olga Kupczyk Duncan, 30-year-old Canadian-born nurse.

The indictment was voted in 15 minutes after a little more than eight hours of testimony during which Moya dramatically confessed his part in the brutal slaying of the nurse.

"I have confessed to God that I did it," Moya said in his confession implicating the older Mrs. Duncan. "I have asked forgiveness."

Moya broke down Thursday night under questioning by Sheriff's Sgt. Ray Higgins, substantiating an earlier confession by Baldonado.

The two told authorities Mrs. Duncan hired them to kill her daughter-in-law—wife of young attorney Frank P. Duncan—for \$6,000.

Higgins said the two lured Olga Duncan from her Santa Barbara apartment by telling her she was in a car outside, passed out after drinking in a bar.

When the nurse leaned over Baldonado in the car, Moya told officers he hit her. She was taken to a remote spot a few miles north of here.

She was still alive as she was taken from the car—rented by Baldonado and Moya for the trip—officers said the two took turns strangling the attractive nurse while the other dug a shallow grave in soft earth of a highway fill.

Higgins said the two were not sure whether or not young Mrs. Duncan might not have been buried alive. An autopsy failed to show whether she was dead or not when she was crammed into the grave.

The elder Mrs. Duncan, married six times in the past eight years, denied hiring Baldonado and Moya for the crime. She said they had been trying to blackmail her.

Her son, Frank, said Friday at the grand jury hearing he would "not take sides in the case."

"I could never recall my mother doing anything cruel or being able to hit anything or kill anything," he said. "I knew my mother called my wife, but I never knew she had threatened her with any physical violence."

"She would have to be insane to be linked into it," the victim's father, Elias Kupczyk, was expected to arrive from Canada today to claim his daughter's body, released to him by Duncan.

Arraignment on the grand jury indictment of Mrs. Duncan, Baldonado and Moya was scheduled for Tuesday morning in superior court.

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Foster Parents Await Orphans Portland (UPI)—New Foster parents from 22 states were on hand at Portland International airport Saturday to pick up Korean orphans they have adopted from the latest Harry Holt waif airlift.

The 107 orphans, of American-Korean parentage, all arrived in good health aboard a super Constellation from Seoul.

The orphans that arrived today boosted the total number of Korean waifs brought to the United States by Holt, a Creswell, Ore., farmer, to 1,176.

Latin American Influence Spreads Throughout U.S.

By HARRY W. FRANTZ United Press International Washington (UPI)—The Latin American influence permeates the United States from our channels of commerce right down to the cha-cha-cha.

Whether it is in diplomacy, journalism, commerce, finance, show business, the inter-American activities of the United States, the impact from South of the Border is on the increase.

Yet, persons from the Latin American republics represent less than 3,000,000 of the total U.S. population of 175,000,000.

Unlike the European elements in the population of the U.S., there are no identifiable, large "blobs" of former Latin Americans in this country with the possible exception of Mexican-Americans and Cuban-Americans.

The total Latin American population in the U.S. is largely concentrated in New York City and in such states as Texas, California, Arizona, New Mexico, Florida and Colorado.

Their residential preferences conform, except in the case of New York, with a pattern established when the Spanish Colonial domain encroached on what is now the borders of the U.S., or in regions lost by Mexico during the United States-Mexican War.

The Bureau of the Census estimated in 195 that 2,281,710 persons with Spanish surnames lived in the Southwest. About half were of native parentage.

Spanish-language publications are another index of the geographical distribution of Latin Americans and Spaniards in the U.S. At present, there are two Spanish-language dailies in New York City and a San Juan, Puerto Rico, paper also has a mainland edition. Other Spanish dailies are published in Miami and Tampa, Fla., El Paso, Tex., and Los Angeles.

Circulation figures run from 7,500 to 40,000. In addition, there is a Portuguese-language daily, read also by Brazilians, published in New Bedford, Mass.

Periodicals dealing with special topics such as medicine, commerce, industry or religion—in the Spanish language—are issued in all the southwestern states, Florida, New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois and Washington, D.C.

A 1950 Census Bureau breakdown of the foreign-born white population in the U.S.

POPULAR TRAIN Chicago (UPI)—The Burlington Railroad's "Vista Dome" Denver Zephyrs have carried more than 420,000 passengers between Chicago, Denver and Colorado Springs since they went into regular overnight service two years ago.

Wesleyan College, chartered in 1836 as the Georgia Female college, was the first college in the world chartered to grant degrees exclusively to women.

THE first commander of the Continental Navy was Esek Hopkins, who lived in a house on Admiral Street in Providence, R.I., which is still in use.

REPORTED 450,562 from Mexico; 29,295 from Cuba and 9,680 from Brazil. The other Latin American nations were represented by fewer than 10,000 from each.

The migrants from Latin America are attracted by the high U.S. standard of living, the opportunities for employment in service occupations, agriculture or mining. Gradually, they move into commercial, industrial and professional vocations.

In addition, non-immigrant aliens by the thousands are admitted to the U.S. for trade, study, pleasure and international activities. It is these non-immigrant groups of transients who multiply the inter-American contacts that are helpful in furthering "good neighbor" relations.

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