



BUILDING MOVED—This Texaco service station building at the corner of East Main and Hawthorne sts., Medford, was "whisked" away early Saturday morning, Aug. 8, to reveal a brand new building directly behind it. The picture above shows the structure cribbed up and "ready to roll," before it was moved to a lot on Court st. by Contractor Stan Parrish. The change has made it possible for the station to add two more pumps and a second lube rack, in addition to other improvements. One innovation of the modernized station is an overhead grease supply unit. The station is owned by Bud Peebler.

Agriculture Sag In State Arouses Plea for Scrutiny

Corvallis (UP) — The sagging condition of agriculture in Oregon may come under careful scrutiny in the near future. Oregon State college has been requested to launch an investigation of the state's agriculture situation. The Oregon State Farmers union, in a letter to OSC President A. L. Strand, urged that the college embark upon a study at "the earliest possible date."

H. D. Rolph Sr., state president, said the Farmers union is "much concerned over the depressed condition" of Oregon agriculture.

"Despite this situation," Rolph said, "we have not heard of any studies being undertaken by federal or state agencies into the causes of the depression, or recommended remedies."

Overproduction in some areas was blamed for the "serious condition" of agriculture in Oregon. However, Rolph said, overproduction has not hampered the dairy and poultry industries in the state.

State Director of Agriculture Frank McKennon agreed with the Farmers union.

"The farmers are definitely in a price squeeze," he said. "Any studies that produce a solution would be wonderful."

Small Worlds Around Us

By Lynn M. Watkins

Naming of Some Things Gets Pretty Confusing

It's very logical that we get olive oil from olives, grape juice from grapes, tomato juice from tomatoes, or orange juice from oranges. But illogically, we do not get banana oil from bananas or onion oil from onions.

Of course banana oil does have the odor and taste of ripe bananas, but actually it is an artificial product used commonly in solvents or as a flavor. Chemically the same is true of onion oil. It, too, is a synthetic, but it smells as if it has been extracted from crushed onions.

Color of Blood

It is pretty common knowledge that it is "impossible" to get blood from a turnip, but the juice of the beet, naturally called beet juice, is the color of blood. There the similarity ends. Pure vanilla comes from a pod that grows on a vanilla vine, but the "vanilla" you get in ice creams, cakes or cookies purchased in the store is not vanilla at all. It is just a flavor made in a factory or laboratory.

There are some startling contradictions in the naming of many common things that get rather confusing. A ridiculous example of this mis-naming process is the tropical fruit, the avocado. We call them "alligator pears." They have absolutely no connection either with pears or alligators, except that some varieties are slightly pear-shaped. But the "alligator" part of the name seems ill advised and meaningless — about as impossible as "crocodile tears." No reptile of this order was ever emotionally upset to the point of shedding tears.

Vitamins From Test Tubes

There are many valuable vitamins contained in the livers of the codfish, but today these same vitamins can be produced in a test tube — vitamins that never developed in an ocean fish, but we often call this "cod liver oil."

Everyone who has ever polished his own shoes, treated a leather belt or a leather wrist-watch strap or a purse, has probably used neat's foot oil. Perhaps you may have wondered where neat's foot oil comes from. Peculiarly enough, we get it from the neat, and you'd be surprised to learn the identity of this animal even though you have seen hundreds of them.

By some wild wrenching of word twisting, a neat is a bovine member of the animal world, just another little-used word for cattle. So neat's foot oil is a pale yellow oil made by boiling the feet and shin

bones of cattle and sold as well as used by just about everybody who polishes his shoes or softens a leather belt. Legal, too, that the neat, which means one cow or a whole herd of cattle, lives in a neat house, and belongs to a neat herd. Confusing, isn't it?

PROSPECT Toni Owens on Team

By FRANCES RING

Prospect — Toni Owens, 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Owens, Prospect, is a member of the Rogue Valley Dairy Maids, who participated in the state softball tournament at Camp White this week end. She has played with the Dairy Maids one season. She has played second base, third base, outfield and is training for catcher.

Toni has gone to school at prospect for two years and has been active in sports there. She will be a sophomore this year.

Klamath Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bastianii at Copco last week.

Kindergarten for the first graders will start Monday, Aug. 17 at the Prospect Grade school with Mrs. Brewster teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. McKillop are grandparents of a granddaughter born Aug. 2 to Mrs. Renata Ryan and Mrs. Matilda Sari and children of

cess. Reports were given and a present given to Mrs. Georgia Mc Killop, who was the Jamboree chairman.

The Ben Scriven family have moved from Lewis rd. to the Paul Struck house on Red Blanket rd.

Word has been received here that a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Bean of Sacramento, Calif. She has been named Robin Lynn Mc Mrs. Bean is the former Sue Colley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Colley, and Bean is the son of Marian Bean Nye and Bob Bean. He is with the Air Force stationed at the weather station there.

A three-foot rattlesnake with eight rattles was killed in the Dick Mather's yard recently. One of the children saw the snake and called Mrs. Mather who in turn called a neighbor who killed the snake. This is the fourth such snake killed near there this year. This is high for a rattlesnake to be found and many feel that the excessive heat has made them come up.

Gene Smith, who underwent surgery recently at Sacred Heart hospital, is home and able to receive visitors.

Veda Neville recently spent a week in Rogue Valley hospital undergoing medical treatment. She has returned to her home and is feeling better.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. (Billy) Grieve are parents of a 9 pound, 8 ounce boy born Aug. 12 at Rogue Valley hospital. He has been named William Mark. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Heston Grieve.

St. Martha's Guild of the Episcopal church met Tuesday at the Church of the Good Shepherd. Mrs. Marge Biden spoke on her visit to St. Francis Boys home in Kansas.

The Rev. D. W. Curry of the Seventh Day Adventist church in Hong Kong, China, spoke and showed movies of the Seventh Day Adventist school, San Yuk, in that city, at the Episcopal church recently.

The Church of the Good Shepherd had a fellowship party and pot-luck at the Community hall Friday with 75 people attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Millbank visited friends and relatives in this area Aug. 11 and 12.

Mrs. Alice Conger, who underwent major surgery recently, is convalescing at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jones, Medford.

A Jamboree party and pot-luck was given at the Community hall Aug. 8 to honor the workers who made it a suc-

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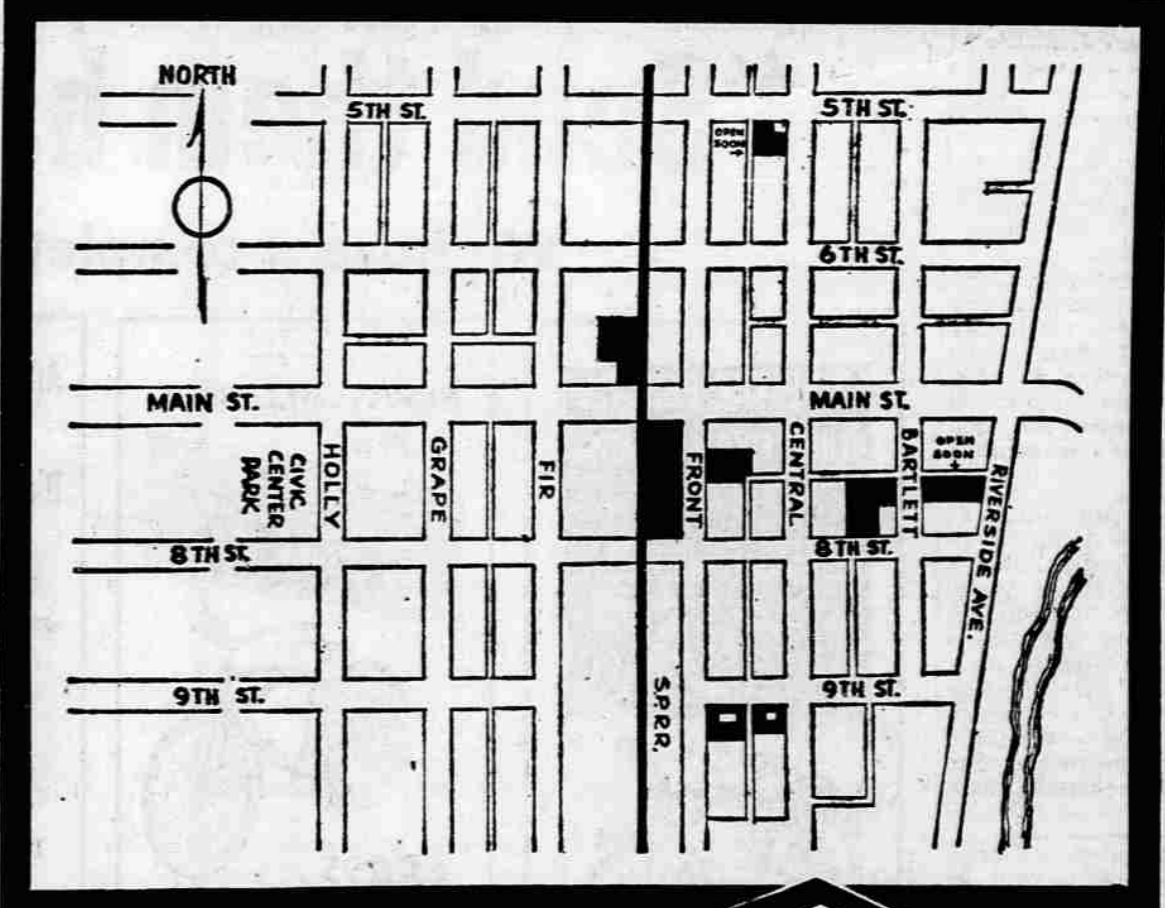
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