



MEOW—Several parts of the Cat Care's problems are shown trying to escape the bonds of the cage. Cat Care, a non-profit, local organization dedicated to the care of lost and stray cats, has scores of these felines awaiting homes. Because of financial difficulties, the local society has been unable to house and care for as many animals

as it would like to. Mrs. Peter Shogren, president, claims that some 175 cats have been taken care of during the last several weeks. If some one would like a cat, care to belong to the society, or volunteer financial and carpentry assistance they may contact the society at post office box 3, Medford, or by telephoning SPring 3-2335.

Organization Specializes in Caring for Feline Population

"Hello? Is this Cat Care? I found a cat on a little country road near here; would you come pick it up?"

This simple, but pains-taking request is duplicated some 25 to 30 times a week by residents throughout the valley when help is needed with stray or lost animals.

Most people know that lost and found animals, including cats, are usually disposed of by contacting a local humane society. But what people generally don't realize or are not aware of is that animals must be brought to the society, since they offer no pick-up service.

To abolish this problem and to help stray or lost felines, a group of Medford residents organized last July an independent, non-profit association called "Cat Care society."

Although the cat club is supported solely on donations and memberships, it has managed to succeed since last summer on the limited funds. Officers of the society have reported that requests for services have increased dynamically during its short life, and during the past two months over 175 calls requesting placement of kittens have been received.

At the present time there are about 40 members and contributors in the group. This financial help, the society points out, is only enough to defray some of the cost of veterinary fees and the purchase of humane literature to inform local residents of the present situation.

Considering that the society picks up the animals and must feed them until placement is available, additional financial help is needed and wanted, society spokesmen emphasize.

Where to house the kittens is another problem. Because economic reasons prohibit building a regular shelter at this time, club officers have been forced to accommodate the cats in their own homes. Several members have 3, 8, 15, or more cats at their homes at one time.

Five Objectives

Basically, the Cat Care society has set aside five objectives for their program. They are:

1. To encourage and promote humane education.
2. To cultivate sentiments of friendship and common interest in humane work among our members and to promote the welfare of all cats.
3. To provide care and placement services for cats

Animals Placed in Douglas Fair Zoo

Roseburg — Several wild animals and birds have recently been added to the zoo at the Douglas county fairgrounds for the up-coming county fair later this summer.

Included in the roster are buffalo, bobcats, a raven, a red-tailed hawk, two foxes, an owl, a coati-mundi, two bear cubs, several monkeys, raccoons, three deodorized skunks, seven fawn, a coyote, a porcupine, several chipmunks and squirrels, an assortment of peacocks, pigeons, pheasants, and ducks.

Fair Manager Dick Turley said the zoo has opened from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. each week day, two months in advance of the usual annual opening.

Medford Youth To Go To Dental School

Portland — Glen Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Peterson, 540 Ross lane, Medford, will be among an 81-member class of first-year dental students who have been accepted for admission this September at the University of Oregon dental school, according to Dr. C. Keith Claycomb, chairman of the admissions committee.

The group of applicants including 60 men from Oregon; the remaining 21 represent seven western states and Canada. Most members of the class have completed three to four years of pre-dental college study.

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and kittens needing homes.

4. To provide, when possible, financial assistance for veterinary fees for the spaying and medical care for cats when owners are unable.

5. To improve help conditions in general for all animals.

Heading the local organization is Mrs. Peter Shogren, president; Mrs. Allen Wilkes, vice president; and Mary Schwiager, secretary-treasurer.

The composition of the board of directors includes these officers plus Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wynn, Mrs. G. Goldthorpe, and Mrs. Donald Schreder.

These people are the ones responsible for and in charge of making policies for Cat Care.

Unique in Capacities
Cat Care, being a local organization, cannot be found anywhere else in this region, according to the society. Because Cat Care does offer a pick up service, it is unique in its capacities.

Membership in the organization has been set at \$2 which signifies interest in the care of kittens and other animals and entitles the member to a group organization.

In addition to money, presently a need is evident for building materials and personnel to construct a small shelter for the felines. The organization advises that volunteers will not be turned down.

Voluntary contributions or membership requests may be mailed to the Cat Care society, post office box 3, Medford, or interested persons may contact the society by telephoning Spring 3-5091 or Spring 3-2335.

Scout News

TROOP 105
Boy Scout Troop 105, under the leadership of Richard Melum, Scoutmaster, held a court of honor at the Jefferson school gymnasium June 30.

Dr. Abner Clark, advancement chairman of the Big Pines district, assisted by Frank Taylor, Harley Finney, Del Durkee, and Arnold Opgand, members of the Troop committee.

The following badges were presented: tenderfoot, Elkton Walker, second class, Mark Opgand, Steve Finney, and Dennis Melum; first class, Dale Durkee; and music merit badge, Dale Durkee.

Robert Heide At Music Workshop

Portland — Robert Heide, 1605 East McAndrews rd., Medford, is attending the third annual Fir Acres Music workshop at Lewis and Clark college, here.

L. Stanley Glarum, chairman of the college music department, is director of the workshop which features theory and choral classes, in which all participate, and band, orchestra and ensemble groups.

Robert, a junior at Medford High school, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Heide. He plays the cornet and trumpet in the high school band and orchestra.

COMPACT MARKET
New York—UPI—If 6,500,000 cars are sold in the country this year, the so-called compacts will claim between 25 and 30 per cent of the market, trade sources predict.



PURR—Questioning the whole thing, Mr. Kitten is contemplating escaping from the arms of Mrs. George H. Schwiager, secretary-treasurer of Cat Care society, Medford. Cats of all sizes and ages are not available for private homes and may be obtained by merely contacting Cat Care. Hundreds of calls each week are received by the local society, requesting the group to pick up a stray or lost cat. Calls that the organization does not get, however, are those offering financial assistance to the society or wanting a cat.

Servicemen

SUMMER CAMP

Cadet Garret A. Scholz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Scholz, route 1, Grants Pass, is receiving six weeks of training at the Army Reserve Officer Training corps summer camp at Ft. Lewis, Wash. It is scheduled to be concluded July 29. Scholz is a student at the University of Oregon, a member of Scabbord and Blade society and is a 1957 graduate of Grants Pass High school.

TRAINING CORPS

Cadet Carroll J. Tichenor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earle W. Tichenor, 1317 Reddy st., Medford, is receiving six weeks of training at the Army Reserve Officers Training corps summer camp at Ft. Lewis, Wash. Tichenor is a 1957 graduate of Millwaukie High school, a student at the University of Oregon and a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

ON LEAVE

Phil Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan, 629 South Holly st., is at home while on leave from the U. S. Army Signal corps.

Morgan is stationed in Boston, Mass., where he has been assigned to the Sylvania corporation for work on an "electronic brain" project Sylvania has built for the Army under contract.

This is the first large-scale mobile digital computer ever built and has been housed in a 30' by 10' van, scheduled for use in Germany this fall. The unit has been given the name of "Mobic" and is being assigned to the Seventh Army Supply.

Morgan is one of a group of 14 "programmers" who set up the problems the computer is to work out. He will report back to the base July 15.

ASSIGNED

Army Pvt. Laurence C. Haynes, whose wife, Lenora, lives at 2268 Beall lane, Central Point, recently was assigned to the 101st Airborne division at Ft. Campbell, Ky.

Haynes, a finance clerk, entered the Army in December, 1959, and received basic training at Ft. Ord, Calif.

Empire Man Can't Run for State Post

Salem—UPI—Jack H. Boon of Empire advised Secretary of State Howell Appling Junior Friday that he is "unable to accept the nomination" for Republican state representative from Coos county.

Boon won the 16th district nomination with 4,431 votes against no opposition in the Oregon primary.

Boon said he wanted to withdraw now to give others interested in the position "ample time to prepare an effective campaign organization before the November election."

State Rep. Clarence Barton of Coquille won the district's Democratic nomination, also without opposition, with 7,793 votes.

It will be up to the Coos county Republican Central committee to select a candidate to replace Boon, who is the first candidate for any office nominated in the May 20th primary to withdraw.

Oregonians Vote To Override Veto

Washington—UPI—Oregon's four congressional Representatives voted Friday to override President Eisenhower's veto of a \$740 million pay raise for federal workers and postal employees.

Democratic Reps. Edith Green, Al Ullman and Charles Porter were among 255 Democrats voting for overriding the veto. Rep. Walter Norblad was one of 89 Republicans going against the President.

The total vote was 345 for overriding and 69 against.

New York—UPI—For space purposes at least, 59 rats equal one man.

This is formula used by one firm which found that 59 rats consume the same amount of oxygen as one human and give off about the same amount of carbon dioxide and moisture in their breaths and body heat.

The Week in California

Power Plays Begin as Demo Conclave Nears Opening Date

Sacramento—UPI—California has become a focal point for the political news of the nation.

Power plays and jockeying for position began last week with the Democratic National Convention at Los Angeles only a little more than a week away.

And California's own Gov. Edmund G. Brown, himself a "favorite son" candidate for President, attended a National Governor's conference in Glacier National Park, Mont., that turned into a political sounding board.

Governor Brown and three other "favorite son" nominees virtually wrote off Adlai E. Stevenson's chances of winning the Democratic Presidential nomination for the third time.

Brown said he wanted to see if a draft Stevenson movement got off the ground but the consensus of the four governors was that the "chances are very remote."

Brown also said the four governors wanted to see a convention "that is not cut and dried" and wanted to "maintain individual freedom of action."

Elsewhere during the week, the news highlights:

TERRANOVA: Charles S. Terranova told an investigator from the California Department of Justice that he knows nothing about the "red light" crimes in Los Angeles for which Caryl Chessman was executed in El Paso, Tex., and Gov. Edmund G. Brown sent the investigator to talk with him.

FOREST FIRE: The first major forest fire of 1960's season broke out on Ash Mountain in Sequoia-Kings Canyon National Park. It was the largest in the park during the past 14 years.

SIDELINGER: A new trial date of Aug. 15 was set for Mrs. Henrietta Sidelinger, charged in San Francisco with attempting to hire a college student for \$2,000 to kill her former son-in-law. The first trial was declared a mistrial when the prosecution said

the woman's attorney was degrading the college student, Bruce Benner.

FARM LABOR: Farm labor organizers from California met in Washington with Labor Secretary James R. Mitchell on his views about recruitment of workers for farms being picketed by an Agricultural Workers Organizing Committee. No decision from Mitchell was announced.

HOMES: State Corporations Commissioner John Sobieski adopted new home financing rules that could cut the prices by \$1,000 or more for dwellings. The complicated regulations set up rules for financing new homes from pools of money created by selling securities to small investors.

SCOTT: A \$10,000 reward was offered to anyone who can find the wife of L. Ewing Scott, convicted of murdering her by a Los Angeles court. He claimed that she wasn't murdered, only missing.

ADLAND: Mrs. Florence Adland pleaded innocent in a

Los Angeles court to a charge of contributing to the delinquency of her 17-year-old daughter, Beverly. She will go on trial Aug. 3 and her daughter will be a star witness.

FINDS RINGS ENGAGING
London—UPI—A jewelry store manager said a man walked into his store in suburban Holloway Friday and asked to see engagement rings so he showed him a trayful worth \$1,160. The man said, "thank you" and fled with the tray of rings.

JIBES AT PARTYGOERS
London—UPI—A Daily Mirror columnist said Saturday there are two types of people at parties — those who want to stay, and those who want to go home. Both types are married.

PRIVATE EYE BLACKENED
Bay Minette, Ala.—UPI—Private detective Clifford A. Ellard testified in a divorce case that he got much of his evidence by peering through a window. Judge Hubert Hall stopped the trial just long enough to have charges filed against the private eye for violating the peeping tom law.

RELIEF NEEDS RELIEF
Llanfairgogoch, Wales—UPI—The Holyhead to London mail train broke down here, so they sent a relief engine to help. Another relief engine was sent to help the relief engine which jumped the track.

Tarantula Found in Bananas at Salem
Salem—UPI—A tarantula in a crate of bananas caused a bit of a stir Saturday at the Roseland Shopping Center in Salem. The poisonous spider, about 2½ inches wide, popped out of the crate as produce man Clifford Tehantz was unpacking it.

Tehantz missed getting bitten, and even decided to take the tarantula home.

SAME PATTERN
Rio de Janeiro—The constitution of Brazil follows the pattern of the U.S. Constitution.

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Lewis Declared Winner of Trip

Portland—Arthur G. Lewis, Medford, was named recently the winner of a round trip to the Democratic National convention in Los Angeles for being the top party worker in the pre-primary registration drive.

In naming the winner, Sen. Robert W. Straub, Democratic State chairman, said the Medford man was responsible for some 988 Jackson county voters registering Democratic.

The southern Oregon man was in competition with workers throughout the state.

When the contest was announced in March of this year, the rules provided for the flight to the worker whose area showed the greatest percentage increase of registered Democrats during a specified period of time.

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