

Medford Man Still Plays Flute Which Was Used in Shows

William Thomas Bolger, 2395 Spring st., Medford, at 92 is still playing the flute which took him around the vaudeville circuit when vaudeville was the entertainment world.

Bolger celebrated his 92nd birthday here recently. He was born in Oneida county, Clinton, N. Y., in 1868, and started his professional musical career when 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Bolger taught music in Ashland junior and senior high schools about 30 years ago.

Bolger began playing the flute in theaters when 16 years old and met his wife while she was playing the violin in vaudeville. He has also played with a symphony and various bands in Boise, Idaho.

When younger, Bolger was a skilled machinist and was employed as assistant foreman of the Howe scale works in Rutland, Vt. During the war he worked at Lockheed Aircraft as shipping and receiving clerk.

Bolger claims to have driven without accident until 1959 when he sold his last car. He says he plans to celebrate his 100th birthday.

The Bolgers have lived in this area since January, 1920.



PLAYS FLUTE—William Thomas Bolger, Medford, is still playing the flute at 92 years of age. Bolger and his wife have lived in the Medford area since 1920.

Inmate Population At OCI on Increase

Salem — (UPI) — The inmate population at the Oregon Correctional Institution east of here continues to rise and the problem of prisoners sleeping in the halls has intensified, Superintendent Paul J. Snider said Friday.

By late Friday the institution had 351 inmates — 67 over capacity.

Eighty-five prisoners have to sleep on bunks set up in hallways because of the crowded conditions, Snider said. Beds have been set up in three cellblocks and a dozen beds were put up Friday for the first time in the admission and orientation section.

Squier will make a report on the situation to the Board of Control at its Monday meeting. He said he may have to recommend transfer of some inmates to the state penitentiary.

Squier said he hopes the board will contact circuit judges and ask them to consider shifting of some commitments that would ordinarily be made to the institution. The correctional institution is for first offenders only.

FREE! LETTERS FROM SANTA CLAUS

With This FAMOUS POSTMARK



FOR YOUR GIRL OR BOY
Here is all you do. Choose from several different types of letters. Then address it to your girl or boy and drop it in our special mail box. We will have it post-marked from Santa Claus, Indiana and your child will receive it thru the mail. Letters and envelopes furnished FREE.

STOP IN!

ONLY TAKES A MINUTE. THE CHILDREN WILL BE DELIGHTED THAT SANTA REMEMBERED TO WRITE TO THEM.

JACKSON COUNTY FEDERAL

Savings & Loan Assn.

HOME OFFICE
126 E. Main, Medford
ASHLAND BRANCH
337 E. Main, Ashland

Planes Searching For Missing Ship

London — (UPI) — A British navy plane searched in the North Atlantic Saturday for signs of wreckage of a life raft from a freighter missing with 22 crewmen and an adventurous American skipper.

The admiral said that by late yesterday afternoon the navy aircraft had failed to sight any evidence of a shipwreck in the search area between 600 and 700 miles west of England.

A report by a commercial airliner early yesterday of the sighting of "something" — perhaps a life raft — in the wind-chopped Atlantic waters had led to hope for the rescue of some crew members of the missing Liberian-flag freighter Iri.

Prisoners of Reds
The Iri, a 41-year-old, 3,210-ton vessel, was captured by Ben Krasner, an American formerly of Newark, N.J., whose adventure-packed career on the seven seas had been interrupted once by an 18-month period as a prisoner of the Chinese Communists.

Another American reported aboard the Iri was Jim Dixon, brother of a CBS newsmen. Dixon was reported to have hitched a ride aboard the Iri on the last lap of its round-the-world voyage.

The battered old tramp freighter, a veteran of Great Lakes shipping, vanished after sailing from Falmouth, England, Nov. 8 en route to Montreal.

Jungle Doctor Said Sick in Hong Kong

Hong Kong — (UPI) — American Jungle Doctor Thomas A. Dooley, who last year underwent surgery for cancer, said Saturday that there was "no proof presently of any connection between cancer and my present illness."

The doctor, who is famous throughout the Far East, arrived here last week to purchase supplies for his hospital in Southeast Asia. He became sick and was hospitalized suffering from "complete physical exhaustion and serious backache."

Dooley said yesterday that he was feeling better. He was awaiting the doctor's diagnosis. He was reported to require sedation in order to sleep.

Used
FRIDENS

"Automatic"

\$175.00 Up

A REAL

CALCULATOR

Not Just a Gadget!

VOIGHT'S

FRIDEN AGENCY

8th & Grape

Medford

FIRST BANANAS

New York — First bananas to arrive in New York were included in a shipment which arrived from Cuba in 1804.

The average person in the Philippines and in India consumes less than 2,000 calories a day—fewer than any other country in the world.

FOREST DOMAIN
Denver—There are more than 130,500 square miles in the national forests of the Rocky mountain states.

MONARCH MONARCH MONARCH

GIVE A LIVING GIFT FOR CHRISTMAS --

Give a
ROSE BUSH!
Over 50 Varieties to Choose from
OLD FAVORITES AND NEW!

- Peace • Pink Favorite • Tiffany
- Oregon Centennial • Garden Party
- Bellina • Mojave • Many Others

HOLLY — WREATHS — SWAGS — CONES AND OTHER CHRISTMAS GREENERY AVAILABLE

Monarch
SEED & FEED CO.
6th and
Bartlett

If in Doubt
GIVE A
GIFT
CERTIFICATE

We will be happy to wrap and mail roses for you!

MONARCH MONARCH MONARCH

Headquarters for Home Gifts

Yours for
ONLY

\$1.00



with any purchase of \$29.95 or over.
Big, beautiful, and cuddly—

SHAGGY DOG

is practically a gift at \$1.00 with your purchase of \$29.95 or over!

CLUB CHAIRS

with Ottoman

Full pillow backs, foam cushions. A deep, rosy, comfortable chair with large 18"x26" matching ottoman. 5 colors to choose from, green, dark red, brown, tan or russet.

Special Price

\$79.95

Both Pieces



Home gifts make the nicest, most appreciated gifts and WEEKS & ORR has the largest, most varied selection to choose from in Southern Oregon! 3 big floors brimfull of furniture for every room in the house. Come in and browse around... choose the piece of furniture you want. A small deposit will hold for Christmas delivery. And remember... at WEEKS & ORR there are no carrying charges or interest... you pay only for the merchandise!

PLATFORM ROCKERS

Well balanced, all hardwood frames, large, roomy, very comfortable, covered in Naugahyde. Choice of tan, green, brown, or oxblood.

\$49.95



SWIVEL ROCKERS

Same style as platform rocker above, with thick pillow back. A most comfortable rocker. Tan, green, brown, or oxblood.

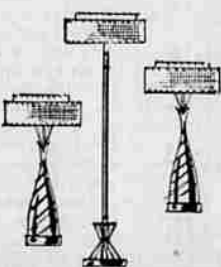
\$65.00

LAMP SPECIAL

3 Piece Matching Set

\$21.95

See this beautiful matching lamp set... one floor lamp and two table lamps. Light up your home for Christmas!



SAVE ON RUGS!



REMNANT BUYS

Room Size Carpets

12' x 15'	Reg. \$84.50	SALE \$ 69.95
12' x 15'	Reg. \$189.50	SALE 149.50
12' x 15'	Reg. \$199.95	SALE 159.50
12' x 15'	Reg. \$199.95	SALE 149.50
12' x 15'	Reg. \$239.50	SALE 159.50



DOZENS OF

HASSOCKS

ALL KINDS OF SIZES, STYLES, SHAPES, COLORS



EASY TERMS

No carrying charges or interest—we carry our own contracts. There is no extra charge added to your payments. Shop at Southern Oregon's longest established Furniture Store where you find quality at lowest prices.

Open Monday Night

WEEKS & ORR

114 West Main St.

Phone SP 2-9351