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Flight o' Time
Medford and Jackson County
History from the files of The
Mail Tribune 10, 20, 30, 40
and 50 years ago.

10 YEARS AGO
Feb. 3, 1951 (Saturday)
A "wildcat" walkout of
railroad switchmen on the
West Coast, has affected Med-

20 YEARS AGO
Feb. 3, 1941 (Monday)
The Jackson st. bridge was
threatened with destruction
this morning when a large tar

40 YEARS AGO
Feb. 3, 1921 (Friday)
The Trigon oil well in
Fern valley is now down 800
feet and signs of oil are said
to be more pronounced.

50 YEARS AGO
Feb. 3, 1911 (Friday)
The county court yesterday
appropriated \$7,500 toward
construction of a national
guard armory in Ashland.

What's Your I.Q.?
Nine or ten correct is superior;
seven or eight is excellent; five or
six is good.
1. Which noted American
said "I will return"?

Who Represents Who?

Bob Taylor, newly-installed president of the
Medford Chamber of Commerce, is a forthright
guy who calls the shots as he sees them.
He did so in a talk at the chamber's round-

WE DISAGREE, however, with a few of his
remarks. In particular, this one:
"I don't think we have the caliber of people on the
council to represent business that business is entitled to."

TAYLOR is understandably concerned with the
business community, and therefore is serving
the chamber of commerce—which is to his credit.

THE CHAMBER of commerce is a worthwhile
organization. The Mail Tribune is a member.
(Its immediate past-president, in fact, is a Mail
Tribune executive.)

Boeing
Well, now that the Boeing Aircraft Co. has
settled on the Boardman site in eastern Oregon
for future expansion of its missile operations,

JUST how the Medford city council could stop
a company from buying land around Talent
wasn't explained. But, as always, we checked the
rumor and found it without foundation.

Morgan Makes Things Interesting
It was just 22 years ago, if memory serves,
that a young man named Howard Morgan was
serving as president of the student body of Reed
college in Portland.

Not As Strangers
To the Editor: Perhaps it
would interest you to know
that through the means of
your Communications page,

Good for the Dads
To the Editor: We, the students
of West Side school, would like
to take this opportunity to
publicly thank some of our
dads for constructing and
installing our new scoreboard.

IN THE process of making life interesting,
Howard Morgan made powerful enemies, many
of whom are a credit to him.
He is a man who neither asks nor gives
quarter in a fight, and that is a good omen for
the difficult job he will be taking on in one of
the most controversial of government agencies.

Dennis the Menace



"YOU KNOW WHAT WOULD GO GOOD WITH THIS
GLASS OF MILK? A GLASS OF ROOT BEER!"

... Communications ...

Letters to the Editor must bear the name and address of the writer, although under
certain circumstances the use of a pen name or initial for publication is permissible.

For Fair Taxation
To the Editor: The bumb-
bling, stupid and confusing
methods of financing the cost
of education in this state are
enough to make strong men
weep. The recent revelation
of how the allocation of O&C
funds for Jackson county dis-

First-Grader Bill
To the Editor: The follow-
ing is a letter sent to State
Reps. John Dellenback and
Robert Duncan, and State Sen.
Monroe Sweetland, chairman
of the Senate committee on
Education, in support of House
Bill 1097.

Men and Moors
To the Editor: After sitting
and observing people walking
in and out of a super market
with automatic doors, I have
come to the conclusion that
some men are not worthy for
them.

Monopolies
To the Editor: May I at-
tempt to answer Mr. Clifford's
letter in last Sunday's M.T.?
Free-enterprise, in the com-
mon usage of the term, de-
notes a desire to engage in a
business or undertaking un-

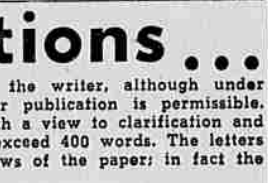
Monopolies (continued)
Organized Labor is a loose
but misleading term used to
describe any coalition of
workers. Labor is far from
being completely organized.

Monopolies (continued)
The original intent and pur-
pose of organized labor is to
protect and promote the wel-
fare of its members, and is to
labor what chambers, clubs
and associations are to the
businessman.

Kennedy Forces Find Great Challenge
In House of Representatives This Year

By LYLE C. WILSON

Washington—UPI—The Ken-
nedy administration and the
Democratic party confront
their greatest challenge now
in the U. S. House of Rep-
resentatives.



One Republican Added
House Republican Leader
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same time was authorized to
name one more of his party
to the Rules committee.

Pea Soup
To the Editor: We see some
personality haggle creeping
into our Gold Hill issue. Why
lose sight of the over-all issues
in these trivial personal against
person squabbles?

Lovely City, Lovely World
To the Editor: Gold Hill is
a lovely city. I said it and I
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They broke it this week with
a House vote authorizing
Speaker Sam Rayburn to add
two Democrats—both good
guys—to the Rules commit-
tee.

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same time was authorized to
name one more of his party
to the Rules committee.

GOP Fought Change
Halleck and the Republican
leadership went all out to
prevent the addition of good
guys to the Rules committee.

Gomulka Still Walks Uneasy
Tightrope Between East, West
In a declaration of inde-
pendence with possible wide-
spread repercussions, Nowe
Drogi proclaims the right of
Communist nations to conduct
their own internal affairs in
the light of the "ma..." features
specific to their respective
countries.

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