

Locals

In Hospital - Mrs. James H. Daily, 830 East Ninth st., Medford, is convalescing at Rogue Valley hospital after injuring herself in a fall recently. She will remain in the hospital about two more weeks.

Permits - Building permits have been issued by the Medford building department to erect an \$11,000 residence at 1635 Corona ave. by D. L. Pickell, and to A. R. Dubs to erect a \$13,000 residence at 1500 Siskiyou blvd.

Clean-Up Day Set - The Antioch Cemetery association will hold a clean-up day at the Antioch cemetery starting at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, May 26. Those interested in participating should take their own tools, association officers said. The Antioch cemetery is located on the Antioch rd., a mile north of Highway 238.

Accidents - Two hit and run accidents were reported to Medford police yesterday. One involved a truck parked at the Richfield Truck Stop, Riverside ave., and another was reported at 9:35 a.m. while a station wagon was parked in the lot at the Oregon Bank, Court st. The truck driver was Robert Olivas Joseph Campuzano, Berkeley, Calif. The station wagon was owned by Walter Lee Vaughn, 1500 Windsor st., Ashland, police said.

Four Vietnamese Students Convicted

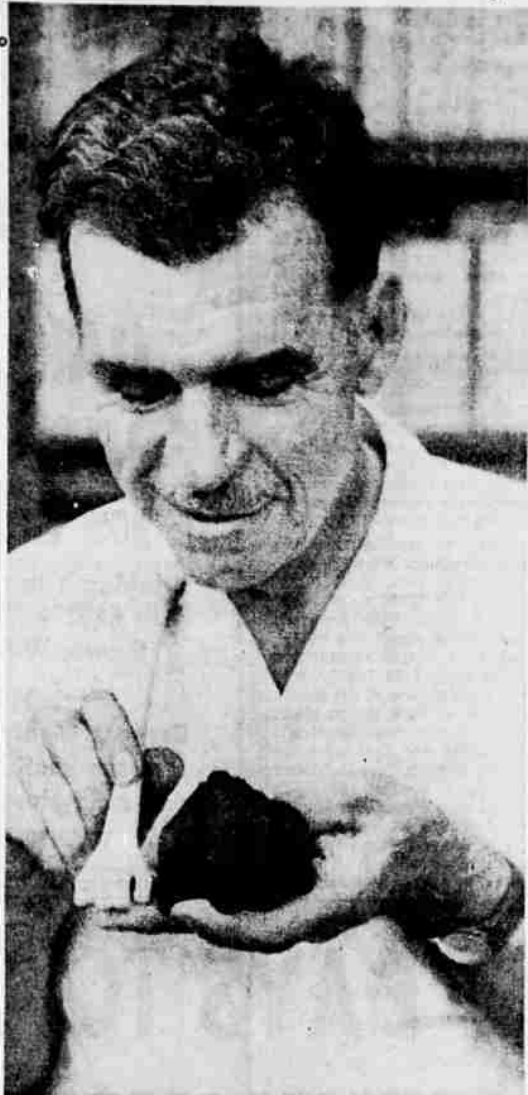
Saigon, South Vietnam students convicted of attempting to assassinate U.S. Ambassador to South Viet Nam Frederick Nolting Jr. were sentenced to death Wednesday by a special military tribunal, it was reported today.

The government press agency reported that the students also were convicted of planning and carrying out five other hand grenade attacks in the Saigon area last summer, including two attacks against the lives of U.S. Military Assistance and Advisory Group personnel.

The attempted assassination of Nolting took place last August when a hand grenade was tossed at the ambassador's car. The grenade bounced off the car's door but did not explode.

The prosecutor charged the students with being responsible for the deaths of two Vietnamese soldiers in one hand grenade attack, which also injured nine civilians.

The highest average or mean temperature in the U.S. is 26.8 degrees at Mt. Washington in New Hampshire, a record held for several years.



Obituaries

ASA T. BOYD, former Medford resident, died in Modesto, Calif., Monday, according to word received here. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday at the Salas Brothers and Moore Funeral parlor in Modesto. While living in the Medford area, Mr. Boyd was employed at the Grocceria.

FRANK L. COLEMAN, 69, died last Saturday at his home in El Segundo, Calif. He was born in Phoenix, Ore., the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Coleman, pioneer residents of this area.

Survivors include his widow, Valaska Coleman; two sons, Frank and Bill Coleman; a daughter, Nadine; and two brothers, E. F. Coleman, Medford; and W. R. Coleman, Honolulu. Mr. Coleman was a veteran of World War I, and served in France with the 63rd artillery.

WILLIAM J. STEVENS, Private funeral services for William James Stevens, 82, who died Tuesday, will be held in Ashland Mortuary Chapel Saturday morning. The Rev. G. Malcolm Hammond of the First Methodist church will officiate.

Mr. Stevens was born Feb. 18, 1880, in Ft. Collins, Colo. He was married June 30, 1902, in Ft. Collins, to Laura Dealy, who survives.

Mr. Stevens had been a resident of Ashland since 1929, operating the Stevens Meat Market. He was a member of the First Methodist church.

Survivors, besides his wife, include two sons, Ellis J. Stevens, Portland; and Milton B. Stevens, Matamora, Mich.; a daughter, Mrs. R. C. (Lorraine) Cuffel, Bellevue, Wash.; and six grandchildren.

CARL I. PEARSON, Funeral services for Carl I. Pearson, 78, of 118 Clark st., Medford, who died Wednesday, will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday in the Chapel in the Trees in Siskiyou Memorial park. The Rev. George G. Roseberry of the First Methodist church of Medford will officiate. Private interment will follow in Siskiyou Memorial park.

Mr. Pearson was born Oct. 22, 1883, in Halmstad, Sweden. On Nov. 12, 1913, in Medford, he was married to Miss Margery Watkins, who survives.

The family has lived in this community for the past 52 years. Mr. Pearson had been employed as a cabinet maker in the building industry prior to his retirement several years ago.

He was a member of the First Methodist church of Medford, a 45-year member of Medford IOOF Lodge, a member of Rebekah Lodge, a member of Knights of Pythias, Talisman Lodge, and a member of the Royal Neighbors of America Camp. He had been active in all of the lodges during his lifetime.

Survivors, besides his wife, include four daughters, Mrs. Christine Alexander, Coos Bay, Ore.; Mrs. Edith Davis, Tucson, Ariz.; Mrs. Beverly Huggahl, Medford, Ore.; and Mrs. Lucille Johnson, Ashland, Ore.; one brother, Emil Pearson, Medford, Ore.; one sister, Mrs. Esther Carlson, Brockton, Mass.; and nine grandchildren. One daughter preceded him in death in 1950.

Honorary pallbearers will be Carl Foster, Robert Gilman, Lloyd Marsh, Carl Fichtner, Tom Mee, Earl Scripner, Edward Pease, and Howard Glascock. Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Siskiyou Funeral Service directors.

Weather

FORECASTS Medford and vicinity: Mostly cloudy with a few light showers tonight. Partly cloudy and a little warmer with a chance of scattered showers over mountains today. Low tonight 42. High Friday 72. Western Oregon: Cloudy tonight and Friday morning. A light clearing Friday afternoon. Scattered showers this evening. Low tonight 45-50. A little warmer Friday. High 58-65. Northern California: Mostly fair tonight and Friday with occasional high clouds. Scattered showers in the sierras. Slightly warmer inland.

Table with columns for Fund, Bid, Asked, and various investment fund names like Bullcock, Chemical Fund, Colonial Ener, etc.



RIGOROUS PROGRAM-A training program more rigorous than any he endured in learning to walk the circus high wire has begun at the Detroit, Mich., Rehabilitation Institute for Mario Wallenda, shown with therapist Regina Reagan as he began the long slow process of learning how to walk all over again. Wallenda was injured Jan. 30 in a 40-foot fall from a circus high wire. Two other members of the "Great Wallenda" high wire act were killed in the accident when a human pyramid collapsed. (UPI)

Washington Group Opposes Proposed Railroad Merger

St. Paul, Minn. (UPI)—If four western railroads are permitted to go through with their proposed merger, it would seriously limit rail competition in Washington, the Interstate Commerce Commission was told Wednesday.

Gilbert J. Parr, of Washington, D. C., urged the ICC to turn down the merger request of the Northern Pacific, Great Northern, Burlington and Spokane, Portland & Seattle railroads.

The merger, Parr said, "will result in a severe curtailment, and in some instances a complete elimination of competition between rail carriers."

In addition, Parr contended that the plan would "result in the diversion of considerable traffic from the lines of the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Pacific Railroad."

Parr was joined by Raymond S. Fountain, supervisor of accounting for the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, in protesting the merger on behalf of the state.

Fountain presented three documents which he said indicated that the Northern Pacific, Great Northern and Burlington lines compared favorably with most of the nation's other major rail lines in terms of a series of indicators of financial standing.

Fountain implied that his figures showed that the lines did not need to merge. Merged Mileage Noted. Parr said if the plan was approved the merged line would operate 3,606 miles in Washington "and the Milwaukee, the only other competitor which has a direct single-line transcontinental route, would operate only 1,063 miles."

Under present conditions, there is competition between the three applicant lines, as well as the Milwaukee. Under the proposed merger, there would be only one competitor... which would be pitted against combined mileages of three carriers with operations of three and one-half times those of the Milwaukee," he said.

Portland Produce The following price quotations are from the agricultural marketing service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture in Portland. Eggs: Prices to retailers, cartons. X large AA 42-45; large AA 38-41; large A 37-40; medium AA 32-35; small AA 27-32. Prices to processors: X large AA 28-32; large AA 27-30; large A 25-27; medium AA 20-25; small AA 15-18. Butter: Prices to retailers, No. 1 prints, delivered, AA and A, 66¢ B 65. Pork: Prices to retailers, delivered, for grade A quality, fryers, 29-30; cut up 30-42; light type hams, whole 23-29; cut up 26-34; heavy type hams, whole 30-39.

Portland Livestock Portland (UPI)—USDA—Cattle 100 Mixed good-choice Canadian slaughter steers 1100 lb. 26.50. Calves: No early test. Hogs 100 No. 2 butchers 227 lb. 18; low 1 and 2 grade sows 230-300 lb. 15.50-16. Sheep 100 Mostly choice spring lambs 21.75-22.

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BIRTHS

RHEINBERG - To Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Roie 1, Jacksonville, May 23, 1962, a boy, 9 1/2 pounds in Rogue Valley hospital. HAYES - To Mr. and Mrs. Michael, route 4, box 419C, Medford, May 23, 1962, a boy, 7 1/2 pounds, in Rogue Valley hospital.

MEADOWS - To Mr. and Mrs. Donald, 325 Effie st., Medford, May 23, 1962, a girl, 9 1/4 pounds, in Rogue Valley hospital. BAKER - To Mr. and Mrs. Larry, 1992 Table Rock rd., Medford, May 23, 1962, a girl, 9 1/2 pounds, in Rogue Valley hospital.

MULLANEY - To Mr. and Mrs. James J., 356 Lindero ave., Medford, May 24, 1962, a boy, 7 1/2 pounds, in Rogue Valley hospital. HUNTLEY - To Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Abraham, route 1, box 580, Eagle Point, May 16, 1962, a boy, 6 3/4 pounds, in Ashland Community hospital.

DANCE COUNTRY PLAYHOUSE SATURDAY NIGHT 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. 8 1/2 miles up ELK CREEK ROAD MUSIC BY RHYTHM MAKERS REFRESHMENTS LOTS OF FUN!

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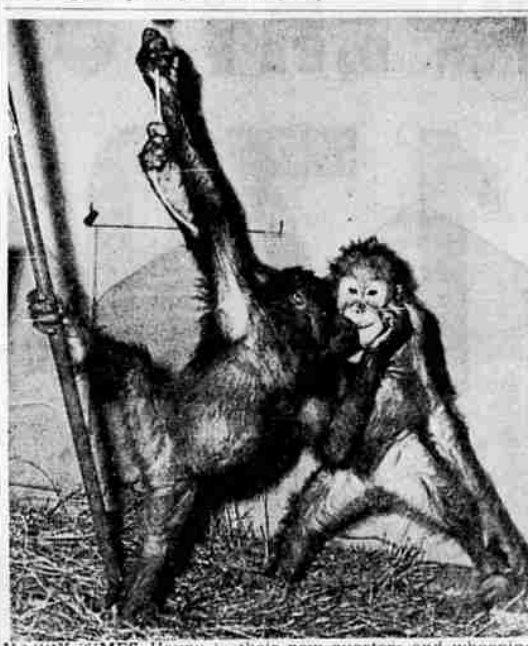
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HOLDS FOSSIL-Dr. Pierce Brodtkorb, University of Florida biologist and ornithologist, holds the fossil, in his left hand, he believes to have come from the largest flightless bird the world has ever known. The fossil, found near Gainesville, Fla., is an ankle joint, much like the rhea of southern South America. The size of the fossil indicates it belonged to a bird weighing 500 pounds or more. (UPI)



HAPPY TIMES-Happy in their new quarters and whooping it up at Chicago's Brookfield Zoo are these two orangutans, newcomers to the zoo. The little one at right seems to be enjoying the playful kiss it is getting from it's companion. (UPI)

Tips for Good Gardens Given by Specialist

Corvallis - Tips for good gardening, starting with the use of seeds and plants from reputable firms, have been given by R. Ralph Clark, Oregon State University extension horticulture specialist. In addition to furnishing the gardener with healthy stock, commercial dealers are also available for advice and assistance, Clark pointed out. Local stores have plants by the dozen in handy containers and, for many, this may be the best source of planting stock.

Hardy plants can be set out anytime now that the soil is ready, but tender crops like tomatoes should wait until the danger of frost is past and the soil is warm enough not to interrupt their growth, he cautioned. Clark advises gardeners who raise their own plants to use clean, light soil. To help prevent damping off, seeds should be lightly dusted with arsan before covering them, lightly with screen sphagnum moss, perlite or vermiculite.

By using moderately moist soil, dampening the planted container lightly and then covering with damp newspaper or glass until the plants come up, the gardener can keep the moisture up in the planter, he continued. Young plants should be spotted in a two by two-inch space in flats of soil three inches deep as soon as the first leaf is large enough to make this possible. A pencil makes a good dibble to use in spotting out young plants, Clark noted.

Plants should be sprinkled lightly after transplanting and shaded for a day or two with a single thickness of newspaper over the flats. The soil should be kept moderately moist. A soil mix of one-third loam, one-third sand and one-third peat or leaf mold could be advantageous for young plants. This should be screened through a quarter-inch hardware cloth to remove coarse material, he stressed.

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THE MARK VARSITY ENDS TONIGHT

ITULIA Theatre BOB HOPE LANA TURNER BACHELOR in PARADISE HOME FROM THE HILL