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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
Jan. 21, 1953 (Monday)
District Attorney Walter Nunley has reaffirmed his office's policy regarding enforcement of gambling laws...

20 YEARS AGO
Jan. 21, 1943 (Saturday)
Clyde Fichtner undergoing training at gunners' school at Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif.

30 YEARS AGO
Jan. 21, 1933 (Monday)
Pilot Harold R. Adams, Medford, killed when mail plane crashes at Eugene.

40 YEARS AGO
Jan. 21, 1923 (Tuesday)
Mah Jongg, "the new Chinese game," being demonstrated by "expert" at Medford gift shop.

50 YEARS AGO
Jan. 21, 1913 (Thursday)
Medford police department warns that curfew laws will be strictly enforced after many youths reported out "after 11 o'clock at night."

What's Your I.Q.?
Nine or ten correct is superior; seven or eight is excellent; five or six is good.

1. A man who has two wives at one time is a bigamist; what is a woman in the same situation called?
2. What was Moses' occupation?
3. With what industry was Joseph Pulitzer connected?
4. The head of which European government bears the title of Caudillo?
5. Is pure air visible to the naked eye?
6. Are the young of beavers known as pups, calves, or kits?
7. For what food product is the village of Cheddar in England famous?
8. What is the N. M. U.?
9. Tibet is bounded on the south by Nepal, Burma, India and what other country?
10. The Transvaal is a province of which country?
Answers: 1. A bigamist. 2. Sheep-tender. 3. Newspaper. 4. Francisco Franco of Spain. 5. No. 6. Kits. 7. Cheese. 8. National Maritime Union. 9. Pakistan. 10. Union of South Africa.

What It Costs

The essential facts about President Kennedy's budget are its size and why it is the size it is. It is huge, \$98.8 billion.
And what does the money go for? It goes for wars, hot and cold, past, present and future.

ADD those up. It shows that 78 cents out of each dollar goes for military or defense spending or for the consequence of those.
This is necessary. No serious student of world affairs would suggest that we could cut back very much on this and still meet our obligations to this generation and to future generations.

Putting It In Its Place
James Roosevelt, son of the late President, Democrat, elected for the third time to represent the 26th District in the County of Los Angeles...

Steadily and slowly he has won the support of a few of the Congressmen in his drive to put an end to the violations of the First Amendment which are inherent in the operations of the committee.

Nevertheless, he has been unsuccessful. Too many people, including Congressmen, apparently feel that to speak out against a committee formed to investigate un-American activities is, or would be considered to be, un-American.

DESPITE the fact that the committee, on the basis of its past performances, seems to be dedicated to the continual harassment and exposure of law-abiding citizens and despite the fact that it seeks to limit the basic freedoms of speech and assembly, the committee seems destined to again have Congressional approval of its actions—thus strengthening Chairman Francis Walter's contention that he and his committee are doing the right thing.

Roosevelt was denied the opportunity of introducing a resolution in opposition to the HUAC during the debate on House rules. He has, however, gotten Walter's support in seeing to it that it might come to the floor of the House at an early date.

THE resolution, while calling for the abolishment of the HUAC as it is presently conceived, proposes that the functions of the HUAC be given to the House Judiciary Committee to make explicit the committee's power to recommend legislation dealing with the punishment of overt acts against the government such as treason, sabotage and espionage.

This move, it seems to us, makes sense. It is placing the responsibility where it belongs instead of in a committee which seems to have forgotten that its purpose in the legislative branch of our federal government is to recommend legislation—not to carry on witch hunts.—Coos Bay World.

Lifting the Lamp

Give me your tired, your poor, Your huddled masses yearning to breathe free. The wretched refuse of your teeming shore. Send these, the homeless, tempest-tossed, to me: I lift my lamp beside the golden door.

This inscription for the Statue of Liberty, New York Harbor, has a special pertinency in January, when all aliens in the United States must report their addresses to the Immigration and Naturalization Service. Very close to 3,000,000 aliens are expected to file address report cards this year, as against 2,948,000 last January.

AND even though the great waves of immigration from Europe are a thing of the past, nearly 100,000 Europeans charged to quotas take up permanent residence in the United States every year. Twice that number enter this country outside their national quotas as candidates for naturalization.

The expected registration of 3,000,000 is all the more remarkable when it is considered that the law does not apply to persons in diplomatic status, those accredited to international organizations, and persons admitted temporarily as agricultural laborers. Willful non-compliance with the registration law is punishable by a 30-day jail sentence, \$200 fine and deportation.

This Kind Of Reckless Talk Could Take The World To The Brink Of Peace



Washington Report

By William S. White (c) United Feature Syndicate

DE GAULLE: TOO FAR
Washington — The most delicate problem in all politics, whether national or international, is how to push a tough design of self-interest to the precise point of reaching the maximum possible advantage for it without overstepping and bringing disaster upon the pusher himself.

This is the ancient brinkmanship of public policy, and in this brinkmanship success and catastrophe may be separated by the width of an eyelash.
Not in decades has a statesman been so engaged in such a fateful balancing act as is now the case with President Charles De Gaulle of France.

AND as to America's effort to develop a common nuclear defense within NATO, the United States government has no intention of halting this plan simply because De Gaulle will not play. If he continues to scorn our nuclear help on this basis, there is nothing to say that Italy and West Germany, not to mention Britain, will do so.

His equally long months of playing along with the Western military alliance, the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, have been ended by equally harsh notice that, again as of now, he will not be satisfied by anything short of total French "independence" in an enterprise designed to be all for one and one for all.

THIS proposed budget for next year is \$499 million MORE than the previous record budget of \$98,303,000,000 in WARTIME 1945.
Which is to say: In this year of supposed peace, we propose to spend half a billion dollars more than we spent in the final year of the greatest war in our history—which was also the greatest war in the history of the world.

President Kennedy sent to Congress last week the biggest budget in United States history—a colossal \$98 BILLION, 802 million dollar financial plan, which he said would permit the efficient and FRUGAL (yes, he used that word) conduct of the public business.

TRUE, the early innings have been his beyond question. By the mere constant reassertion of a degree of French "power" that really does not exist, he has thus far made almost a reality of what is in fact largely a fiction. It has been a superb act of illusion-making.

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Foreign News: Italian Confidence Vote Debated; Philippine's Borneo Claims

By PHIL NEWSOM
UPI Foreign News Analyst
Notes from the Foreign News cables:

Confidence Vote
Although tension between Italian Premier Amintore Fanfani's Christian Democrats and the left wing Socialists of Pietro Nenni is near the breaking point, the government is expected to survive a vote of confidence vote brought by the Communists and scheduled to be decided later this week.

Philippine Sovereignty
The Philippines will maintain its claim to sovereignty over British North Borneo in talks with the British government starting in London this Thursday. But the Filipino delegates probably will settle for less—say a lump sum payment for waiving sovereignty claims, along with guaranteed membership for the proposed Malaysia Federation in the Southeast Asia Treaty Organization. It is not certain, however, that the British will yield anything.

Berlin Tension
Don't look for any lessening of the heat in the Berlin crisis to result in any contacts or "deals" between the East and West Germans. This idea is in the deep freeze at present. The West Germans feel that East German Red boss Walter Ulbricht is losing ground. This, despite Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev's backslapping and kissing demonstrations with Ulbricht. The West Germans therefore are dead-set against any dealings with him. The East Germans, too, are adamant.

Smoking
To the Editor: Also to teenage boys and girls in particular, and to all whom it may concern: "Dr. Alton Ochsner, world's most famous lung surgeon, said: 'If there were one-tenth the evidence that the Brooklyn Bridge is unsafe, that there is that smoking causes cancer, the bridge would be closed in 24 hours!'"

Everett Acklin, Ashland, Ore.
P. S. I think it's about time some of our Union leaders were hit with a big stick.

Why not save and dry egg shells for him to eat? Being rich in calcium it would be so much better for his teeth.
Mary E. Atkins, 1634 Orchard Home dr. Medford

Strictly Personal

By Sydney J. Morris (c) Field Enterprises, Inc.

CULTURAL LAG
It takes a long time for the habits and attitudes of a people to catch up to their technology. This is what the sociologists call "cultural lag," and nowhere is it more evident than in our vacation patterns. Why should children of today be out of school for three months in the summer? This custom began a century ago, when we were a rural nation and the children were needed to help with the important farm work in the decisive months.

On the adult level, new modes of transportation are just beginning to crack the traditional patterns of vacationing. I know a number of doctors, for instance, who now take a month off every year — divided into four periods of 10 days each.

They have found that a whole year is too long to wait; tensions build up, fatigue sets in, and efficiency falls off. So each spring, fall, winter and summer, they take off for 10 days. With jet planes, they can go farther and do more in a week than their parents could have in a whole month.

Physically and mentally both, relatively short periodic vacations are more rejuvenating than one long one. Most people returned exhausted from a protracted summer vacation, in which they tried furiously to make up for the lassitude of the rest of the year. It is comparable to the person who starves himself all day and then eats an enormous meal at night — when three or four light meals over the same period are more helpful.

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Disarmament Talks
The outlook for the 17-nation disarmament talks appears dim in the wake of Premier Khrushchev's statement that a Berlin settlement takes precedence over a disarmament treaty. There even is talk of recessing the Geneva conference indefinitely until the Russians give some indication they are ready to do some serious negotiating. So far it is only talk. But members of delegations in Geneva are half-ready to return home if there is more delay.

... 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. The Mail Tribune reserves the right to edit all letters with a view to clarification and condensation. Letters submitted for publication must not exceed 400 words. The letters printed in this column do not necessarily represent the views of the paper; in fact the contrary is often the case.

never thought of having to face? Where is the courage that enabled the apostle Paul to say, "For I am not ashamed of the Gospel of Christ; for it is the power of God unto salvation."
The lack of this spirit is what makes our Christianity so pallid when compared to that of the early church. The lack of this spirit is also evident in the actions of our nation. During the past 26 years our policies of appeasement and catering to the will of the UN have gained us nothing but the plaudits of our enemies and rebuffs from our friends. We have not become the second-rate military that John F. Kennedy predicted, it now seems we were never in danger of this, but we have certainly come out as a second-rate power in diplomacy and use of common sense.

A certain fellow contributor to this column claims to know all he needs to about communism and says he opposes it as much as I do but still wants to just co-exist. Our chances of co-existing with communism are like those of a patient co-existing with a deep-seated cancer.
Read Senator Goldwater's book and ask yourself, why can't we win and extend freedom to others? Have we truly become the nation of sheep as some have suggested? If so then I know one of us, who though claiming vast experience and scholarship has had the wool pulled over his eyes.
James K. Shafer, Route 2, Box 210X Medford.

TV Logs Improved
To the Editor: The new set-up for TV programs is a great improvement over the old one—easy to pick out programs. Please keep it as it is now. This program is the main reason for taking the paper. I like communications, or letters to the editor, also a good section.
I did not get a card to you when you asked people if radio programs were desirable. Better late than never to write. Thank you.
Mrs. Horace Failing, Eagle Point, Ore.

Women of the Bible
To the Editor: A man in Friday, Jan. 11, Tribune thinks a letter written earlier wasn't in good taste. Perhaps he is right, but it's not imagination, but simple truth, and truth can hardly be libelous. God, the Creator, didn't have the faith in woman this one man has, and God created them.
Proverbs, Ch. 6 24 through 34. God warns man of the evil woman, the flattery of her tongue, the fluttering of her eyelids, which is a useless toy to man. Proverbs, Ch. 14: 1. A foolish woman will lead down a house with her hands. Ecclesiastes, Ch. 21 9. God said it would better for man to dwell on a corner of the house-top than in a wide house with a brawling woman. This is the barking, snarling canine, vicious and snarling woman. Ecclesiastes, Ch. 7 26. It is more bitter than death, the woman whose heart is a snare and trap with her hands; he who pleases God will flee from her. Here is your cheating woman. Proverbs Ch. 7 V 10 through 13, the woman with subtle heart is loud and stubborn, her feet abideth not in her house, she lay in wait for men to come by. Here is your ape-like woman. Reading on, "She caught him and kissed him with impudence in her face. Or could this be cat - like? Proverbs, Ch. 21. V-19, It's better to live alone in the wilderness than with an angry woman. Proverbs Ch. 9 V. 13. The foolish woman is clamorous, and simple, and knoweth nothing. Here is the sluggish in indolence and ignorance; a lazy woman. Proverbs, Ch. 22 V-14. The mouth of woman is a deep pit and men fall into it, whereoy he is bought by a piece of bread.
First Tim., Ch. 4 V. 3 and 4. Women who forbid to marry and will not eat meat which God hath created for them. Every creation of God is good and to be received with Thanksgiving, for it is sanctified by the word of God.
E. Dykes, Eagle Point, Ore.

God uses the natural things which we can see to describe spiritual things which we cannot see. Adam's family tree can be traced to Christ. The written record stops there because God declared in Genesis 3:15 that the seed of the woman would bruise the serpent's head. Christ was the Seed that conquered sin, death and the devil.

Many graves bear their own testimony to the reality of physical death. Would any deny that we return to dust? Yet, God permitted physical death to warn us against spiritual death.
Likewise, God has given us the seed to portray the resurrection. Soon innumerable seeds will be planted to die and to bring forth a more glorious type of life. "For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall be made alive." I Cor. 15:22.

"But some men will say, How are the dead raised up? and with what body do they come? Thou fool, that which thou sowest, is not quickened, except it die: And that which thou sowest, thou sowest not that body shall be, but bare grain, it may chance of wheat, or of some other grain; But God giveth it a body as he hath pleased Him, and to every seed his own body. . . . So is also the resurrection of the dead. It is sown in corruption; it is raised in incorruption: It is sown in dishonour; it is raised in glory: it is sown in weakness; it is raised in power; it is sown a natural body; it is raised a spiritual body. There is a natural body, and there is a spiritual body." I Cor. 15: 35 to 38 and 42 to 44.

If the spiritual which we cannot see is more glorious than the natural, let us not deny these "unseen atoms of spiritual things" which give ample proof of existence.
Thanking you for permitting me to not agree with you.
Thelma Malott, 1691 South Peach st. Medford.

Logic
To the Editor: Recently in these columns (MIT 1-13-63) my contributions were ridiculed as being irrelevant and a strong inference made that I hate my fellowman. Such a response from the fountain of brotherhood indicates the shallowness of it. Apparently my fellow contributor has never been able to hate the sin and love the man.

If Christian people have become so timid, complacent and self-satisfied that they no longer can rise up in righteous indignation in protest of inhuman and ungodly acts because of fear of being judged, then we have really reached the ebbtide of Christian influence. Where is the spirit which enabled the early church to survive in the face of obstacles the like of which present day Christians have

It would make much more sense to begin at 10 a.m. (except, perhaps, on the production line), and I am convinced that just as much work would be done — if not more. Most modern urban workers don't get enough sleep during the week, as attested by the staggering amounts of coffee they must drink in the morning before they can function properly.

Much of American society is still geared to a rural 19th century rhythm awkward and obsolescent. Seventy per cent of the American people live in urban complexes, but our work habits and school habits remain dominated by outmoded customs. We would not permit our machinery to so long outlast their original purposes.

IN conclusion: It's quite a world we're living in, isn't it?
One can't help wondering what Benjamin Franklin would have thought of it all if he could have foreseen the fiscal situation of the 1960's.