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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 June 13, 1953 (Saturday) Eight Jackson County students will receive degrees tomorrow at Stanford University's 62nd commencement exercises in Palo Alto, Calif.

20 YEARS AGO June 13, 1943 (Sunday) Trial juries selected to hear condemnation cases involving land on Camp White military reservation.

30 YEARS AGO June 13, 1933 (Tuesday) Aviator and plane missing in Cow Creek canyon country on flight from Medford airport.

40 YEARS AGO June 13, 1923 (Wednesday) Ben Trowbridge and Allen Perry return from De Molay convention in Portland.

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

1. Does the United States produce 25, 50, or 75 per cent of the world's sulphur? 2. Four states border on Lake Erie; name them.

The President's Appeal

As recently as Monday, President Kennedy was being criticized for not speaking out on civil rights as a moral issue, for not exerting his vast influence and leadership potential in bringing home to the American people the dimensions of the current racial crisis.

HE HAS NOW. His special television broadcast of Tuesday evening was a magnificent performance, appeal to heart as well as head.

Let the People Decide Four persons, one a young woman, are now in the Oregon State Penitentiary waiting to die in the gas chamber.

THIS combination of circumstances presents Gov. Mark O. Hatfield with an opportunity. Personally, by conviction, the Governor is opposed to capital punishment.

THERE would be every justification in the world for the Governor to do just this. He would not only be within his legal rights, but he would be on the very soundest moral and ethical grounds.

Too Youthful Marriage

The May issue of the Oregon State Board of Health Bulletin reveals that more than half of the first-time brides being married in Oregon in 1962 were under 20 years of age.

THERE are two strikes against a couple which marries too young. They must face the problems of completing an education, getting a job, finding a place to live, trying to make ends meet, and, in many cases, adjusting to the care of small children — a responsibility too few are ready for.



"You know, sometimes we get so involved in saving the world, we tend to forget why it's worth saving!"

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.

Regrettable To the Editor: Thank you for publishing my letter on 7-4-63, which you captioned "Death is a Fact."

Mathematical Approach To the Editor: Referring to your "twister" of June 10, I presume the answer which you would accept as correct is 3 3/4 inches.

Act of Living To the Editor: And you Gals who didn't find friends in Oregon.

Recovery, Inc. To the Editor: I first learned about an organization called Recovery Inc., in the health column of your newspaper.

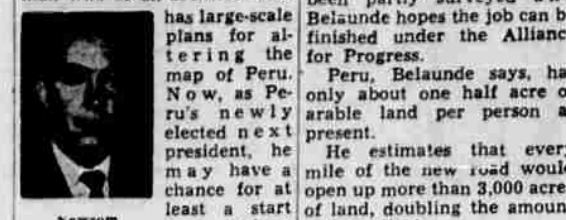
Ecumenical Persuasion To the Editor: Vivid red, the tie that binds together

Books and Freedom To the Editor: Your editorial in Friday's paper, "We Must Make a Choice," is the best discussion of the explosive racial problem that we have read recently.

MEETS WITH JFK Washington — President Kennedy held a brief meeting with Sen. Barry Goldwater, (R-Ariz.) Wednesday to discuss reappointment of Philip Ray Rodgers to the National Labor Relations Board.

Peru's President-Elect Has Plans for Large-Scale Alterations and Progress

By PHIL NEWSOM UPI Foreign News Analyst Fernando Belaunde Terry is a handsome, darkly intense man who as an architect also has large-scale plans for altering the map of Peru.



He explained those plans to this correspondent a few weeks ago, spreading maps on the floor of a pleasant room off a sun-filled patio of his home at the edge of Lima.

Magazines for People To the Editor: Americans discard about 30 million magazines a week and millions of people throughout the world hunger for these magazines not available in their country.

In the Day's News By FRANK JENKINS There's news today? The news quote a lot of it.

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Strictly Personal

By Sydney J. Harris (c) Field Enterprises Inc.

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Matter of Fact By Joseph Alsop (c) New York Herald Tribune Syndicate

THE NEW DIPLOMACY Washington — The President's major speech on Monday was different things at once, all of them extremely interesting and important.

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AFTER a period of serious ambivalence, however, the atmosphere cleared again. Some kind of admission was evidently obtained from Moscow that something might perhaps be achieved by fur-