

Locals

Rotary Speaker—The Rev. John Keene, principal of St. Mary's High School, spoke to the Medford Rotary Club at its noon meeting Tuesday.

Stages Show—Bliss Heine's Moose Juniors presented a benefit show recently at the American Legion hall. Pictures were taken which may be seen at classes Dec. 28. The show netted \$40 for the Juniors' Portland Rose festival trip fund.

Flue Fire—Medford firemen reported a flue fire at the home of Edward Lodge, 115 Newtown St., at 5:29 p.m. yesterday. No damage was reported.

False Alarm—Medford firemen were called to Bear Creek Orchards on South Pacific Highway last night on a false alarm. They were called when someone thought steam from a relief valve was smoke.

House Fire—A house fire was reported at 5:15 o'clock this morning at the home of Thomas Furnas, 3856 Madrona Lane. Christmas wrappings had been placed too close to the fireplace. The fire had been extinguished before firemen arrived, and there was slight damage to the floor and carpet, firemen said.

Two Accidents Are Checked by Police

Two vehicle accidents were investigated by Medford police Christmas day.

At 11:30 a.m. vehicles driven by William Alexander Barker, 31, of 2430 Hillcrest Road, and Robert Dale Hodson, 21, of Route 1, Box 92D, Gold Hill, collided at the intersection of Riverside Avenue and Main Street, police said. Police cited Hodson for disobeying a traffic signal.

Police said a vehicle driven by Leon Stibitz Miller, 60, of 322 S. Riverside Ave., sideswiped three parked vehicles owned by Joseph S. Sauer, 305 Liberty St., Ashland, Stephanie Sue Anderson, 3041 Delta Waters Road, and David O. Turvey, Route 2, Box 744, Central Point, about 7 p.m. on Central Avenue between Main and Eighth Streets.

Miller was stopped and detained for the police by a local resident, according to reports. Miller was cited for violation of basic rule and failure to leave information at the scene of an accident, police said.

Wrestling Medford Armory TONITE! Dec. 26-8:30 PM The DESTROYER VS Luther Lindsey (Destroyer has offered \$1,000 to anyone who can break his Figure Four leg lock. Lindsey vows to win the money!) 2 Other Matches Ringside \$2.00 General 1.50 Children under 12 75c Tickets at Lampert's Medford



FINGER FOODS — Pick a peek of finger foods for the hungry guests your youngsters bring home without notice during the holiday season. Dips and drinks from packaged sauce mixes, a good supply of fresh fruits and soft drinks round out this teenage spread.

Feeding the Family

ZOLITA VINCENT Food Editor

Teenagers Delight to Pick Their Pick of Finger Foods The popularity of finger foods among the teen set has been well known for many a year, particularly when "just the crowd" has been invited over on the spur of the moment as is likely to happen often during the holiday season. Here are suggestions for snacks especially designed for encouraging teenagers to do-it-themselves when it comes to entertaining their friends. Packaged mixes are the key. Adults and small fry will enjoy nibbling on these goodies too.

Caesar Dip Blend one three-ounce package cream cheese and one half cup dairy sour cream until smooth. Add two packets garlic-olive dip mix and blend. Add two tablespoons milk, one teaspoon lemon juice and one teaspoon finely chopped anchovies or anchovy paste; beat until smooth and creamy. Refrigerate several hours before serving.

Punch Tropicale A little red or green fruit coloring will put this right in season, if you like. To make 50 servings or one and one-half gallons, start by dissolving one package strawberry soft drink powder and one cup sugar in three and one fourth quarts water. Add one can (six ounces) frozen concentrated lemonade, one can (six ounces) frozen concentrated orange juice, one can (11 ounces) pineapple juice; chill. Just before serving add one large bottle chilled ginger ale. If served from a punch bowl, float some fancy fruit.

Zippy Nuts and Bolts This tasty bit of nonsense started a number of years ago and continues to go great guns in the popularity poll of easy-to-keep-on-hand snacks. Recipe makes three quarts, and that's a lot of good munching. Melt one fourth pound (one stick) butter or margarine in a large baking pan. Add two cups each of ready-to-eat bite-size wheat, corn, rice and oat cereal, one eight-ounce package pretzel sticks, and one one-pound can salted peanuts. Toss to coat all evenly with butter, place in moderately, 300 degree, oven 10 minutes. When thoroughly heated, remove from oven and toss with one envelope of chili mix or with one tablespoon Worcestershire sauce, one half teaspoon garlic or onion salt, one half teaspoon celery salt and other seasonings as desired. Continue baking an additional ten minutes.

Cheese Potato Chips Empty one giant size box or bag (one pound) potato chips into a large baking dish. Heat in moderate, 300 degree, oven 10 minutes. Remove from oven and sprinkle with one package dried powdered cheese sauce mix. Toss until well blended. Return to oven and heat another 10 minutes.

Dilly Sour Cream Dip Even sour cream sauce comes in a packaged powdered mix these days. For this dip blend one half cup milk into one envelope of sour cream sauce mix. Add one half cup mayonnaise, one teaspoon dill seed; let stand 15 minutes or longer to develop full-bodied flavor. Serve with crisp raw vegetables. Recipe makes approximately one and one fourth cups.

Piquant Dip Blend one cup dairy sour cream, two packets garlic-olive dip and mix until smooth; add one tablespoon lemon juice, two tablespoons milk; beat until creamy. Stir in one-fourth teaspoon crumbled tarragon. Refrigerate several hours before serving.

Mushroom Trio Delicate, delicious canned and fresh mushrooms are party-perfect fare for food lovers everywhere. Some like them hot; some like them cold; so here are three favorite recipes for serving these mighty flavoring midgets of the vegetable kingdom. For a buffet serve all three. A chafing dish, of course, for keeping the hot ones hot.

Pickled Mushrooms. In a one-quart jar pour three fourth cup salad oil, one fourth cup olive oil, one half cup fresh lemon juice, one medium onion, chopped; one clove garlic, crushed; one teaspoon salt, one fourth teaspoon dry mustard and three bay leaves. Mix thoroughly. Add one eight-ounce can button mushrooms, drained. (Save mushroom liquid for adding to soups or for cooking vegetables.) Stir well; cover and store in the refrigerator for 24 hours. Before serving remove mushrooms from paper and drain thoroughly on paper towels. Insert picks for easy handling. Sauce may be re-used. Stuffed Brailed Mushrooms. Drain broth from a six-ounce can broiled mushroom crowns. Scoop out stem ends with sharp knife or stem beller. Finely chop stems. Combine one three-ounce can deviled ham with one fourth teaspoon mustard and one half teaspoon minced parsley. Stir in chopped stems. Stuff mixture into mushroom crowns; arrange in shallow pan to go under broiler. Broil four inches from moderate heat until thoroughly hot, about five minutes. Serve hot with picks. Fresh Mushrooms Parmesan. Wash fresh mushrooms with light spray of cold water and dry gently with a paper towel. Dust lightly with salt and freshly ground black pepper. Saute in butter only until golden brown. Dust with finely grated Parmesan cheese and serve hot. Smorgasbord Pie This eye-catching Smorgasbord Pie is a delightful arrangement of many flavors. It is really three canapes in one. Once you've tried it you're sure to come up with many imaginative filling combinations. 2 cups round butter cracker crumbs (about 50 crackers) 1/4 cup (1/2 stick) butter, melted 2 tablespoons water 1 teaspoon unflavored gelatine 2 tablespoons water 3/4 cup mayonnaise 1 7-ounce can white albacore tuna

Funeral Services Set Saturday for Alvin Leighton

Funeral services for Alvin C. Leighton, 81, of 641 J St., who died Tuesday, will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday at Perl Funeral Home.

The Rev. George Bolster, rector of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, will officiate, assisted by Carl Oestreich of the Medford Masonic Lodge. Interment will be in Siskiyou Memorial Park.

Mr. Leighton was born April 10, 1883, in St. Paul, Minn. He lived in Miles City, Mont., for several years where his father founded the Miles City First National Bank.

He was a civil engineer for the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad and he was also employed as general sales manager for the Durant Motor Car Company. He moved to Medford in 1934 and was owner and operator of Browns Cafe and Billiards during and after World War II. He was a veteran of World War I serving as a major in the United States Army. Prior to United States entry into World War I, he operated a Red Cross ambulance for the French Army.

He was a life member and Past Exalted Ruler of the Miles City Elks Lodge, New Jersey Veterans of Foreign Wars, Medford Kiwanis Club, Medford Salvation Army Advisory Board, Miles City Masonic Blue Lodge, Miles City Royal Arch Lodge, Miles City Council and Commandery. He belonged to Medford Scottish Rite and the Ashland Hillah Temple Shrine. He was a member of St. Mark's Episcopal Church.

He was married in New York City to Irene Cuevas, who preceded him in death Jan. 22, 1959. Honorary casket bearers will be E. B. Serruys, Herb Grey, Ron Gandee, Albert Lenox, Eugene Thordike, Harold Hubler, Earl Yeakley and Paul Selby. Active bearers will be Chet Hubbard, A. K. Morse, Howard Bush, L. C. Taylor, T. J. Hight and J. E. Jorgensen.

Defense Lawyer Lauds Ruby Case

DALLAS (UPI) — A defense lawyer in the Jack Ruby case Wednesday lauded the district attorney's handling of a bond hearing Monday and said it was "quite a shock" to Melvin Belli, chief defense counsel. "I think the big city lawyer from out-of-state found out that Texas district attorneys can hold their own in a courtroom," Tom Howard said in an interview with Larry Dum of the Dallas Morning News.

Howard was retained by Ruby a short time after Lee Harvey Oswald, accused presidential assassin, was gunned down in the basement of city hall.

Belli, a spectacular plaintiff's attorney from San Francisco, was later named chief defense counsel. He headed a six-man team, but now the defense lawyers have been reduced to four. Belli failed Monday to get Ruby released on bond for the holidays. Criminal Dist. Judge Joe B. Brown recessed a writ of habeas corpus hearing until Jan. 10. Dist. Atty. Henry Wade vigorously opposed the bond.

1/4 cup chopped celery 1 pintino, chopped Tabasco 5 hard-cooked eggs, chopped 1/2 cup cottage cheese 1/2 teaspoon curry powder Stuffed green olives Seeded ripe olives Combine cracker crumbs, butter and 2 tablespoons water. Press firmly against bottom and sides of a nine-inch pie plate. Bake in moderate oven, 375 degrees, 10 minutes. Cool. Soften gelatine in the two tablespoons cold water; dissolve over hot water and combine with mayonnaise. In small bowl break tuna into bits; add one half cup of the mayonnaise mixture, one half cup of the chopped celery, the pintino, and tabasco to taste. Arrange in a ring around outer portion of the crust. Combine remaining mayonnaise with chopped hard-cooked eggs, the remaining chopped celery and the minced anchovy. Cover and refrigerate at least one hour. Cut in wedges or let each guest cut a slice to his own specifications.

EDISON S. TURNER Private cremation services for Edison Silas Turner, 91, 99 Granite St., Ashland, who died Tuesday, were held Tuesday at Siskiyou Memorial Crematorium. Mr. Turner was born July 21, 1872, in Peoria, Ill. On Jan. 23, 1946, in Grants Pass, he was married to Chloe Lewis, who survives. Mr. Turner had owned and operated a cattle ranch at Fort Klamath for many years. He had been a resident of Oregon since 1907, and a resident of this community since 1944. Survivors, besides his widow, include two daughters, Mrs. W. S. Davis, Tokette Falls, Ideyld Park, Ore., and Mrs. Marion VerBryck, Ashland. Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Siskiyou Funeral Service directors of Chapel in the Trees mortuary.

Obituaries

ETHA W. WALL Etha W. Wall, 84, of 2357 Ross Lane, died in San Jose, Calif. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Conger-Morris Funeral Directors.

CLIFFORD COWAN C. Clifford Cowan, 59, of Jackson, died Tuesday in Los Angeles. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Conger-Morris Funeral Directors.

DOROTHY M. WRIGHT Funeral services for Mrs. Dorothy Mae Wright, of Butte Falls Community Bible Church, will be held at 1 p.m. Friday in Hillcrest Memorial Chapel on the North Phoenix Road. The Rev. James Powers of the Butte Falls Community Bible Church will officiate. Committal will be in Hillcrest Mausoleum, with Conger-Morris Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Wright was born July 1, 1910, in Palouse, Wash. She had lived for a time in Coquille, and since 1958 in Butte Falls. She was married April 15, 1951, in Nevada, to John H. Wright, who survives. She was a member of Aerie 2196 of the Eagles in Coquille, and of the Women of the Moose, Chapter 628, Pullman, Wash.

Survivors, besides her husband, include a daughter, Mrs. Elaine (James) Kay, Gold Beach, Ore.; a sister, Mrs. Phylla Story, Pullman, Wash.; two brothers, Raymond Hill, Marshall, Wash.; and Preston Hill, Bellevue, Wash.; and two grandchildren.

AMOS C. LOOP Funeral services for Amos C. Loop, 72, of 1200 Withington St., who died Wednesday, will be held in the Conger-Morris Chapel at 10 a.m. Friday. The Rev. Harold M. Sanner, First Church of the Nazarene, will officiate. Committal will be in Memory Gardens.

Mr. Loop was born July 7, 1891, in Camden, Ill. He moved to Medford in January, 1942, and worked for Medford Corporation for a number of years. Mr. Loop retired in 1956 due to ill health.

He was married Feb. 25, 1915, in Galesburg, Ill., to Maude Ida Wilson, who survives. Other survivors include two sons, Gaylord Loop, Portland, Ore.; and Norman M. Loop, San Jose, Calif.; four daughters, Mrs. William A. Moss, Phoenix, Ariz.; Mrs. Wayne Flanery, Huntington Beach, Calif.; Mrs. David Saunders, Phoenix, Ariz.; and Mrs. Calvin Moberly, South Gate, Calif.; one brother, Ben Loop, Augusta, Ill.; 15 grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

BERTRAM E. ADAMS Funeral services for Bertram E. Adams, 62, former long time resident of Medford, who died Tuesday, were held today in Vancouver, Wash. He was a contractor for the Mann Body and Fender Works.

Mr. Adams had made his home in Vancouver at 2921 Neals Lane for the past 10 years.

Surviving are two sons, Robert Adams and Richard Adams, Vancouver; a brother, Homer Adams, Valdosta, Ga.; a sister, Grace Miller, Oak Harbor, Ore.; eight grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren. Interment was in Park Hill Cemetery, Vancouver, Wash., following services at the Evergreen Funeral Home.

Religion in America

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Servicemen

IN TRAINING Marine PFC Manfred R. Olson, son of Mrs. Edna S. Olson, 12512 Ross Lane, Medford, is participating in cold weather training at the Marine Corps Warfare Training Center, at Bridgeport, Calif.

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