

### Barber Shop Harmonizers Receive National Charter

The Klamath chapter of the Society for Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America, Incorporated, became an official chapter of the society Saturday night when President Chester Morris was presented with the charter by the international president of the society, Charles M. Merrill of Reno, Nev.

Between 60 and 70 people gathered in the Pelican party room to witness the presentation and listen to group singing. Songs were presented by the Klamath chapter and quartets from Eugene and Portland chapters. Wives of Klamath members were present at the banquet, and it was the first time many of them had heard their husbands sing with the organization. International Presi-

dent Merrill expressed amazement at the organization and progress being made by the local group.

The Klamath chapter was started approximately six months ago by John Houston, director, at the suggestion of members of the Eugene chapter. The organization is primarily for those who enjoy group singing and are interested in four part harmony. Meetings are held each Thursday at the Willard.

The revival of barber shop quartets has been increasing since the formation of the first chapter of SPEBSQSA in Tulsa, Okla., in 1938. There are now 400 chapters with over 20,000 members in Canada and the United States.

Klamath Falls members are L. H. Stone, Fred Southwell, John Huston, E. M. Igl, William Bullard, Claude Davis, Chester Morris, Charles F. Bane, George A. Myers, Donald C. Oppelt, John Ebinger, Carl Schubert, Dr. F. W. Peak, H. E. Hamaker and Homer Amoureux. Howard S. Dewey represents Merrill, and Tulelake members include Arthur E. Martin, Marvin Thomas, Charles K. Weise, S. F. Terry, Jack Carlisle,

### Portland's Chance For Confab Thin

PORTLAND, July 22 (AP)—Mayor Earl Riley, who proposed that the Japanese peace treaty conference be held here, was advised today that Portland was "most unlikely" to be selected as the conference site.

The telegram came from Warren Kelchner, chief of the division of international conferences of the U. S. state department. He implied that the conference probably would be held in Washington, D. C.

### Driving Case Jails Woman

TULELAKE, July 22—Mrs. Opal Estridge, 29, mother of five children, is in the Siskiyou county jail at Yreka where she began serving a 30-day sentence Monday after being unable to pay a \$50 fine. Mrs. Estridge, a repeater in police court, was arrested Sunday after driving into a new Hudson sedan owned by Harry H. Anderson, Newell, damaging the machine. She pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated and driving without an operator's license. She is a former resident of Oklahoma.

Two of her children were taken by their father, who had previously left Tulelake, and the other three were taken to Washington by their maternal grandmother.

Also in court Monday was Robert Julian White, painter, of Tulelake and Klamath Falls, who was charged with disturbing the peace. White, 40 years old, was fined \$80 and put on six months probation. He was picked up early Monday morning.

### Target Ship's Career Brief

TOKYO, July 22 (AP)—As a target ship, the former Japanese destroyer Escort 104 had an extremely brief career.

The Japanese ship was towed 100 miles off the entrance to Tokyo bay Monday to provide gunnery practice for the Cruiser Toledo, the destroyer Obourun and the Seaplane Tender Duxbury Bay. The Toledo's five-inchers opened up first.

And that was the end of the 104.

W. H. Anderson, F. W. Soderman, Walt Meshke, M. J. Brown and O. L. Rudd.

### Raise In Hotel Rates Forecast

SEATTLE, July 22 (AP)—Declaring that 60 per cent of hotel operation costs is for service, the cost of which "rose more than 100 per cent during the 1941-47 period," J. E. Frawley of Detroit, American Hotel association board chairman, said last night that hotel-managers have no choice but to raise rates.

Here to attend a meeting of association directors in preparation for the annual convention in San Antonio, Tex., September 28 to October 1, Frawley said permanent guests in hotels were "the preferred citizens of the United States" during the period of rent control.

### U. O. Library Due For Enlargement

PORTLAND, July 22 (AP)—Plans to enlarge the University of Oregon library to double its seating capacity, enlargement of the music school, facilities and remodeling of Adair Village apartments for new faculty members at Oregon State college had approval of the building committee of the state board of education today.

The committee at the same time reported that high building costs forced delay in plans for a new teaching hospital for the university of Oregon Medical school in Portland. A new administrative and laboratory structure was approved, however.

Classified Ads Bring Results.



### Salute To Klamath Scheduled

Plans for a "Salute to Klamath Falls Week" sponsored by the Oregonian were outlined Monday by the Portland newspaper's promotion manager, George P. Griffith, in a talk to a group of Klamath people at a luncheon at the Pelican cafe sponsored by the chamber of commerce.

September 8 to 18 is the week designated, and at that time the Oregonian will run a full page magazine story about Klamath Falls, as well as a full page advertisement about this community in Newsweek magazine. Radio programs are also planned.

Griffith discussed the significance of the present westward movement of U. S. population. He recalled he covered wagon migration of 1840-1860, and the railroad development migration a few decades later. A third migration is now starting, he said, and the importance of this movement to communities such as Klamath Falls was emphasized in his talk.

Griffith was introduced by Vern Moore, director in charge of the community advertising committee of the chamber of commerce.

### Nine Girls Drown In Rising Tide

BORDEAUX, France, July 22 (AP)—Nine girls between the ages of 13 and 17 drowned last night in a rising tide while bathing on a sandbar in the sea at Arcachon, 35 miles south of here.

The girls were members of a troop of French girl guides encamped at Arcachon.

### LEGAL NOTICES

**NOTICE**  
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Klamath County.  
In the Matter of the Estate of ALICE L. LYTTLE, Deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that I have filed my final account of the administration of the above entitled estate and that the Court has appointed July 31, 1947, at 10 A.M. as the time for hearing objections to such final account and the settlement thereof.  
GRACE P. LYTTLE, Executrix of Said Estate  
Jy 1-8-15-22-29 No 708

**SUMMONS**  
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Klamath.  
FRANCES L. ELLIS, Plaintiff.  
JAMES HERBERT ELLIS, Defendant.  
To: JAMES HERBERT ELLIS, Defendant.  
IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, GREETING: You are hereby required to answer and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit and court on or before July 26, 1947, and if you fail to so appear and answer for want thereof, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in her complaint, to-wit: A divorce from you upon the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment, and that plaintiff be given the care and custody of the minor child of plaintiff.

### Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints will sponsor a Centennial Picnic, Outing and Potluck Thursday, July 24

from 6 to 10 P. M. at MOORE PARK, in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the arrival of the Mormon Pioneers in Salt Lake Valley. All those who need transportation to the park meet at the church and it will be provided. GAMES, SINGING AND FUN FOR ALL!

### NEW HEARING AID DEVELOPMENT TO BE DEMONSTRATED FOR FIRST TIME

A new development for the hard of hearing will be demonstrated by Mr. Heitkemper at 201 Boivin Bldg., 6th and Main, where offices are permanently located for servicing the hard-of-hearing in this area. Mr. Heitkemper has been specially selected and trained by ACUSTICON, the world's first and oldest manufacturers of electrical hearing aids.

This new hearing instrument presents so many of the very things the hard-of-hearing have long been seeking. It's a tiny instrument, so small it barely covers the palm with its batteries enclosed—making it convenient to carry. It's light, slim and beautiful—making it attractive to wear. It offers an etched clarity of tone that's hard to imitate because it picks up even a whisper yet fades background noises as if smothered by a velvet blanket. The makers of this new development say this new Acousticon hearing aid has gathered favorable comment from users all over the country. These people have written of the unusually clear hearing they've acquired since wearing the new Acousticon.

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**National Forest Timber for Sale**  
Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor, Medford, Oregon, up to and not later than 2:00 p. m. August 22, 1947 for all the Shasta red fir trees (trade name-Silvertip) suitable for the use of Christmas trees in the areas described below, all within the Hogue River National Forest, Oregon, estimated solid for the use of religious and or less, in each area: Block 1, Cat Hill area, embracing about 200 acres in sections 2, 11, 12, 13, 14, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. The appraised value of the Shasta red fir trees is \$1.00 per linear foot. No bid will be considered which is less than this rate as a base rate applicable through the entire period of the sale agreement plus at least \$0.03 per linear foot, the total to apply to all Shasta red fir trees cut prior to September 1, 1948. On that date and at other times, as stated in the contract, total bids will be redetermined, but in no event will the redetermined stumpage rate be less than the basic appraised value as first stated and in no event will a rate below that bid be established until at least one season's operations are completed and trees paid for at not less than the bid rate in addition to the price bid for stumpage, a cooperative deposit of \$0.025 per linear foot for Shasta red fir trees, to cover the cost of timber stand improvement work on the area cut over for the total cut of Shasta red fir trees under the terms of the agreement will be required. Bidders may submit bids on any or all of the above described blocks. \$500.00 must accompany each bid, to be applied on the purchase price, refunded, or retained in part as liquidated damages, according to conditions of the sale. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Before bids are opened, full information concerning the sale area, the conditions of sale, and the limitations of bids should be obtained from the Forest Supervisor, Medford, Oregon or the District Ranger at Union Creek, Butte Falls, or Klamath Falls, Oregon.  
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**CITATION**  
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Klamath, Probate Department  
In the matter of the Estate of THOMAS COUMANS, Deceased.  
To: All persons unknown who claim to be heirs and to have an interest in the Estate of Thomas Coumans, Deceased, devisees and heirs mentioned in the petition filed herein, asking for the determination of heirs said estate and to all other devisees and heirs unknown, if any such there be, GREETING:  
You are hereby cited and required to appear in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Klamath, at the Courtroom thereof, within ten days from the date of the service of this citation upon you, if served within any other county of this State if personally served or if served by publication, then on the 8th day of November, 1947, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to show cause, if any exists, why the heirs as set out in the petition should not be determined as prayed for in the petition filed herein.  
By order of the Honorable David B. Vandenberg, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Klamath, entered June 20, 1947, with the seal of said Court affixed, this 30th day of June, 1947.  
Attest: CHAR. F. DELAP, Clerk.  
(SEAL) By MADINE WALKER, Deputy Clerk  
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