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No. 2

HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burnette, 543 Foss Rd. lost their home by fire Feb. 2. A neighbor, Mrs. Loraine Meyers, reported the fire to the Talent City Fire Dept., who were on a controlled burn at Skeeters Garage.

The two story house was built in the early 1900's by Blynn Coleman.

The Burnettes are now making their home next door at 517 Foss Road.

HOME DAMAGED BY FIRE

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sommer escaped their burning home on Wagner Creek Road in the middle of the night. They were awakened by their smoke alarm.

The second story of their home was badly damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. Sommer are living in a travel trailer, which was loaned to them.

MOBILE HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE

A mobile home at 460 Arnos St., Sp.100 was destroyed by fire Sunday night and the cause of the fire is still under investigation. Owner of the home is Gary McDougall. A mobile home in Sp.99, owned by Don Bull, was damaged by the heat.

FLUE FIRE

Jackson County District 5 firefighters were called to a flue fire at 105 W. Valleyview Rd., Talent, Sunday evening. Damage was estimated at \$100 to the home, which is owned by James Hanscom.

LUMBERJACK BREAKFAST

Talent Community Hall..Sunday, Feb. 25
7 am -1 pm.

HOBBY SHOW..March 10..Community Hall
FREE ENTRY....FREE ADMISSION. Anyone having a hobby they wish to show may call 535-1421 or 535-2241 for further information.

PLANNERS OK 2 REQUESTS

The planning commission Feb.7 unanimously approved a conditional use permit that will allow Janet and Philip Post to operate a cooperative pre-school in their home at 207 N. First St..

The non-profit pre-school has been in existence for over a year, first in the Talent Friends Church then in the Community Hall/

The commission also voted unanimously to recommend the the City Council annex 1.35 acres of property at the corner of Valley View Road and Highway 99, Wayne's Fuel Inc currently occupies part of the property.

Lawyer Pat Huycke, who was representing owner Vera Munoz, said she is requesting the annexation so she could expand the commercial use of the property.

The commission also accepted "with regret" the resignation of Commissioner Sybil Ingram, after about 4 years on the commission. She said she tendered her resignation because of time conflicts.

The commissioners recommended the council appoint planning adviser Larry Gay to fill her position.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Harland Lowe, 109 S. 2nd St., who was notified recently that his name had been placed in the Smithsonian's Air and Space Museum as an Old Time Modeler. Lowe started in 1928 modeling airplanes. In 1958, he won First Place in World Wide competition. He competed against among others, representatives from Russia, Germany, Japan and England. He has also won many trophies throughout the United States and England.

ENROLLMENT CRUNCH AT PHOENIX

Enrollment at Phoenix Elementary School has already exceeded fall projections and Dist.4 may have to begin busing the overflow to Talent School Supt. Bill Force said. Current enrollment at Phoenix is 560 students and the district had been planning for 549 by Sept. They can accomodate 430 in permanent classrooms

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Main Street has been torn up for some
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RECUPERATING Phyllis Turnbaugh is home
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Born to Mark and Janet Lynn Kelley, 1716 Talent Ave., a girl, Nancy Christine, on Feb. 2

Born to David and Susan Young, 109 1/2 Talent Ave., a boy, Jesse Richard, on Feb. 5.

INJURED IN ONE CAR CRASH

Ernest Wayne McCormick was injured in a one car crash near Crescent City. He was hospitalized there but has been moved to Rogue Valley Memorial Hosp.

TALENT SMALL ENGINES
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Debby Helms, Portland, spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Helms, Wagner Creek Road.

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OBITUARY

Jean L. Cayford

The funeral for Jean Logan Cayford, 75, 8394 Wagner Creek Road, who died Feb. 1 was held in Los Angeles. She was born April 10, 1903, in Scotland.

In 1938 in Los Angeles she married Ernest Cayford, who survives. They moved to Talent 12 years ago.

Survivors, in addition to her husband, include three sisters, Mary Wylie, Glendale, Calif.; Margaret Frasier, Los Angeles, and Marian Logan, Covina, Calif.; and one brother, Mathew Logan, Temple City, Calif.

COMMENT

In January a family on 2nd St. lost their little white poodle with a pink collar. They had let it out of the house in the morning and it was found by a neighbor shot to death on Lura Jo Walty's lawn. Some one trying out th^e their new Christmas 22?

At the fire at the Burnette home on Foss Rd., one of the City Volunteer Firemen lost his wallet. It was later found with papers scattered and money missing.

There used to be a saying "He's few enough to walk under a snake's belly with a high hat on! That's the way I feel about persons who do such things.

A. Burnette

VISIT PARENTS

Lt. and Mrs. Don Roberts and family spent the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Roberts. This is the first time in five years since Lt. Roberts has been home. In October Don will be promoted to the rank of Captain.

JACKSON COUNTY LEGAL SERVICES Free legal assistance to low-income residents of Jackson Co. For more information, call 779-7291 or 779-1844.

Eldon and Goldie Volpi were happy to have all their children except Pat at home for the Holidays.

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DARWIN MATZNICK
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Elfa Scheck entered the hospital Friday for surgery.

The old Skeeters Garage disappeared from the scene Feb.2 in a controlled burn by the City Fire Dept. The new garage is a good looking building in the town.

NEW RULES FOR USE OF COMMUNITY

HALL PASSED BY COUNCIL 12/12/79

Rental for the hall will be \$40 of which \$15 is non-refundable. The remaining \$25 is a returnable cleaning fee.

The hall must be cleaned immediately following its use or the \$25 cleaning deposit will be forfeited. User must call Police Chief Charles Roberts immediately after cleaning to inspect the premises.

Following items that must, where applicable, be performed in cleaning the hall.

1-Floor dust mopped immediately following use.

2-All spills mopped up or wiped up.

3-Any item used will be cleaned and returned to its proper place.

4-Any ashtray used will be emptied and cleaned.

INAUGURAL BALL

The recent ball in honor of the new Mayor and councilmen was greatly enjoyed by those attending.

OBITUARIES

THYRA A HOLMBERG Memorial service for Thyra A Holmberg, 73, 6405 Frost Lane, who died Feb.2 were held Feb. 10 in Conger-Morris downtown Medford chapel.

Born June 10, 1905 in Gotland, Sweden, she came to America in 1925 and in Los Angeles, on June 2, 1934 she married Henry Holmberg, who survives. She has been a resident of the Rogue Valley since 1942.

Survivors beside her husband include one son, Larry, Bend; two sisters, Clara Ogren, Laguna Hills, Calif., and Elsa Olofsson, Sweden; one brother, Gunnar, Sweden, and two grandchildren.

Milan "Blondie" Burnette..Private service for Milan "Blondie" Ralph Burnette 72, Medford, who died Feb.7, was held with inturnment within Hillcrest Memorial Park Feb.8,

He was born June 1, 1906 in Talent, the son of the late William and Lillie Burnette. On Dec.18, 1948 in Medford, He married Margaret Hunt, who survives. He was a resident of Oregon all his life and was a member of the Medford Elks Lodge.

Including his wife, he was survived by one daughter, Lois Johns, White City, one sister, Valeta Lenaburg, Beaverton, and one brother, Ray, Talent. Those who may contribute to the American Cancer Society, P.O.Box 698, Medford.

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Rogue River girls won 50-41 over the Phoenix girls basketball team Feb.8. Rogue River also won the junior varsity game 43-38.

ODD FACTS During your lifetime your hair will grow 25 ft. Wouldn't that be a sight I wonder how much it would weigh.

ZEARN PERFECT GRADES AT TALENT JR.

Those earning perfect grades were:
8th grade: Beckey Baker. 7th Grade: Shelly Bean, Marti Eaton, Rex Force, Chris Johnson, Tracy Kievet & Karen Terpening. Those earning between 3.5 and 4.0 were:
8th grade: Cindy Collins, Donna Greenamyer, Larry Mehimauer, Tammy Savage, Mike Simpson, Jeff Sladko, Randy Stark, Lora Thompson, Jeff Veldink and Patti Westerback. 7th Grades: Lynn Clement, Julie Dodson, Dan Farrell, Layne Hauger, Stacy Herring, Dawna Kane, James Mecham, Jason Neil, Elizabeth Rose, Wendy Sommer, Dan Talbot, Jay Trimiew, Tammy Vance, Merri Walters, Mike Weston and Lori Williams.

VISITOR FROM SAN JOSE

Dick Dwyer, San Jose, visited the Lowe's last week on his way home from Seattle, where he had attended an Old Time Model Engines Asso. meet.

RETURNS FROM MONTANA

Jo Howell returned last week from Montana, where she had been called by the illness of her sister. She was gone 6 weeks.

LOMNICKI-RENEAU RITES IN CORVALLIS

St. Mary's Catholic Church in Corvallis was the scene of the nuptial mass for Donna M. Reneau and Craig J. Lomnicki. The Rev. Edmond Bliven officiated for the noon rites. The bride and groom were served communion and the maid of honor and the best man gave readings.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Ramona Reneau, Talent, and the late Paul Reneau. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lomnicki, Portland

The bride's ivory-colored gown was adorned with lace at the neckline, on the long sleeves and hem. She carried a bouquet of white roses. She was given in marriage by her brother, Jim Reneau, San Diego. Mary Reneau, Talent, was her sister's maid of honor. Her gown was sheer dark green floral print.

A reception and buffet luncheon, given by both families, followed.

The newlyweds made their wedding trip to Salishan on the coast and are living in Corvallis.

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ENROLLMENT CRUNCH

and has been using temporary facilities designed to serve an additional 100

The board agreed to endorse the contingency growth plan Force presented in Dec. It calls for new 1st and 2nd grade students in the Phoenix attendance area to be bused to Talent when Phoenix classes are full.

Force said enrollment increases by fall may displace the private kindergarten at Talent.

Classified employees 1979-80 raise about 15.8 percent, with some variations. Non-instructional staff a 10.8% cost of living raise, plus "step" increases.

TALENT POLICE cited Benjamin Robles, 19, no permanent address, Talent Sunday night on charges of criminal mischief and disorderly conduct. He was lodged in Jackson Co. jail. Police Chief Chuck Roberts said Robles threw a beer bottle through the window of a mobile home at 460 Arnos Space #1, causing damage estimated at \$25.

SHERIFF'S DEPT. Gabriel Fierra Rios, 28, Rogue River Orchard, Talent was cited by deputies Sunday morning near Central Pt. on charges of switched license plates, careless driving and driving with a suspended license.

A HEARTFELT THANK YOU

to the Talent City and Rural Fire Depts. for their help at the time of our house fire and to everyone who has shown us their kind thoughtfulness by their donations. We are truly blessed to have had so many kindnesses shown us.

Ray and Alice Burnette

PHOENIX POLICE charged Jesus B. Duarte Talent, with driving und the influence of intoxicants Saturday night after his vehicle struck two buildings in Phoenix Saturday night. Duarte, who turned 25 the day of the accident, was lodged in Jackson Co. jail. His car & Ryan's Garage, at 104 Main St., both sustained major damage.

MOVING BUSINESS march 1

Darwin Matznick who operates the Phoenix Feed & Farm Supply in Phoenix is moving it to 4753 S. Pacific Hwy. next door to Frank's Saddle and Tack.

His new location is much larger and has a large fenced field. He plans to handle some livestock as well as feed and other farm supplies.

INJURED Eugene Valley, a passenger in a pickup truck which struck a bridge railing and left the roadway at 8030 Oregon 238 near Ruch Sunday evening was treated at Rogue Valley Hosp.

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