

# MARITIME DISPUTE SETTLEMENT LOOMS

### The Weather

Cloudy tonight and Friday; thunder showers tonight and Friday afternoon.

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### Rod-Gun Club Finance Plan Progressing

### Duck Refuge Sought in Winchester Area; Count Of Fish Shows Low Runs

Gratifying progress is being realized by the Roseburg Rod and Gun Club in its \$100 Loan Certificate program for financing purchase and improvement of its recently acquired recreational site at Winchester, members were informed at a business meeting held Wednesday night at the Knights of Pythias Hall. The club voted to seek establishment of a duck refuge in the backwater area above Winchester dam, withdrew its application for pheasants to be reared in the club's holding pens, authorized purchase of trapshooting equipment, ordered an inquiry into the advisability of recommending changes in the Oregon deer law, and heard a somewhat discouraging report on fish population in the Umpqua River.

### Finance Drive Progresses

Treasurer Ivan G. Pickens reported interest in the club's loan certificate program to be growing. The club is endeavoring to raise \$7,500 to complete land purchase, with additional funds for construction of improvements, including public picnic grounds, clubhouse, dance pavilion, small arms and archery range, trapshooting facilities, etc. Members and other persons interested in recreation have been invited by the club in a campaign so far conducted only by mail to loan the club \$100 each on a non-interest, indefinite maturity basis.

### In the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

PRESIDENT TRUMAN vetoes the Case bill and immediately afterward the house of representatives fails by a margin of five votes to muster the two-thirds majority necessary to override his veto.

That settles it for the present. A Presidential veto stands unless overridden by BOTH houses of congress.

It is just as well.

The controversial Case bill was at best only a makeshift. It was conceived in heat and anger, and has been opposed in equal heat and anger. It is extremely doubtful whether it would have helped in handling the present emergency situation.

Our great need is for wise permanent legislation to handle labor contracts as other business contracts are handled, looking toward their performance (once they are agreed upon and signed) in a satisfactory manner.

UNTIL labor contracts can be made dependable, there can be no stability in industry. With—

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### Vacancies in Teacher Staff Of Roseburg Schools Stress Necessity for Higher Budget

Vacancies still exist in certain special fields on the Roseburg school faculty, Superintendent of Schools Paul S. Elliott said today. The vacancies will be hard to fill, because few qualified instructors in Oregon, or in the Middle West, are making application for positions.

In the Senior High School, teachers are needed for counseling guidance combined with history or English, and for art. In the Junior High School, instructors are needed for physical education, choral and orchestral music, and English and music.

General subject matter teachers in the lower grades in the Junior High are also needed. Elliott said, however, he was "confident" these positions will be filled in "reasonable time."

The elementary teaching staff is intact with an increased number of teachers and an increased enrollment. Additional staff members will not be added until Monday's school election, which will determine whether the additional teachers can be added and facilities can be made available for extra rooms.

Budget Adoption Imperative

If the budget is not passed, Elliott pointed out, the schools will be crowded beyond capacity.



**RECREATIONAL HEAD** — Appointment of Walter C. Ulrich, 38, above, to serve as recreational director at the Veterans Hospital in Roseburg, is announced by Dr. George E. Melvin, manager. Ulrich, a native of Peru, Ill., and graduate of California Polytechnic, served 45 months with the U. S. Army. He was a first sergeant and spent 36 months in the South Pacific with the 41st Division. He and Mrs. Ulrich have purchased property in the Calkins road district, where they are building a home.

### Salem Plant to Continue Ammonium Production

WASHINGTON, June 13.—(AP)—The government-owned alumina plant at Salem, Ore., will continue operation to produce ammonium sulphate for fertilizer until December 31, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation reported today.

Sen. Guy Cordon said the action, which extends the plant's production period from June 30, was made to make available fertilizer for Northwest agriculture and possibly for export.

The plant has been operated by the Columbia Metals Company.

### Two Prisoners Saw Way Out of Yamhill Jail

McMINNVILLE, Ore., June 13.—(AP)—Two Yamhill County prisoners were still free today after sawing window bars in their cell block and escaping down a fire escape, Sheriff George W. Manning reported.

Three of the prisoners in the same block remained in the jail, the sheriff said. The escapees are Stanley L. Smith, 22, charged with forgery, and Fred Gordy, 24, parolee from Illinois. They escaped Tuesday.

### Pasteurization Plants Slated for Inspection

SALEM, Ore., June 13.—(AP)—The State Department of Agriculture today announced it would begin immediate inspection of all pasteurization plants in Oregon to determine compliance with rules and regulations for pasteurization of milk.

The department also announced that in August it would begin to hold a series of examinations for licensing pasteurizer operators.

### House Group Shies at Feud In High Court

WASHINGTON, June 13.—(AP)—The House Judiciary Committee decided today it does not have sufficient evidence to take any action in the Supreme Court controversy involving Justices Robert H. Jackson and Hugo L. Black.

Chairman Hutton W. Summers (D-Tex.) told reporters at the end of the closed meeting that there is "no determination at the moment to conduct an investigation."

Summers said Jackson's criticism of Black, cabled to the committee Monday from Nuernberg, Germany, was discussed at length but the consensus was that the committee had no jurisdiction in the matter.

"There may be something shaping up," he added, but said nothing received thus far indicates committee jurisdiction.

Summers explained that the committee's action is limited to studying or recommending legislation, and to matters dealing with impeachment. But, he emphasized that there was nothing in the case to indicate the need for impeachment proceedings.

The committee remains free to take action or recommend action later, the chairman said, if any evidence should indicate the need.

### Go-Slow Is Favored

Even before the meeting, Summers was on record as favoring a go-slow attitude. At that time, he said the committee could take one of three courses:

1. Recommend an investigation into Jackson's complaint that Justice Hugo Black employed "bullying" tactics and threatened him with "war" unless he "covered up facts" in the portal-to-portal mine wage case last year.
2. Decide to take no action at all.
3. Adjourn without taking

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### Umberto, in Exile, Goes to Portugal

ROME, June 13.—(AP)—The royal palace announced today that King Umberto had left Italy for exile in Portugal.

Thus the king ended his three-day struggle with the cabinet over whether a republic triumphed in a plebiscite ten days ago.

The rejected monarch's moves came as Premier Alcide de Gasperi was granted new powers as acting chief of state in a temporary compromise solution of Italy's political crisis.

Queen Maria Jose and her two children went to Portugal last week, soon after it became apparent that Italy had voted to overturn the Royal House of Savoia in favor of a republic. Umberto's father, tired old King Vittorio Emanuele III, went into exile in Egypt on May 29, clearing the throne for his son for a month.

Earlier in the week, bloody riots had erupted in Naples, Taranto and Rome, provoked by Umberto's reluctance to quit the throne until the supreme court ruled on petitions charging fraud in the election that deposed him.

### Ship's Officers Accused Of Pilfering Cigarettes

SEATTLE, June 13.—(AP)—Six officers and the skipper of the Liberty ship Frank B. Kellogg were indicted yesterday by a federal grand jury on charges of theft on the high seas.

The indictment accused the officers and Capt. Louis Guilmette of pilfering 125 cases of cigarettes from the vessel's cargo.

Twenty-seven crew members also were charged when arrests were made as the ship docked here last month, but their cases were not taken up by the jury yesterday.

The 27-year-old shipmaster from Woonsocket, R. I., told reporters following his arrest that pilfering cargoes was common practice in the Far East, where his ship had been, but that he was unaware of any such activity on his own craft.

### Society Protests Use of Animals in Bomb Test

POWELL RIVER, B. C., June 13.—(AP)—Threats of a "picket line" of ships around the Bikini atom bomb test site by the Powell River branch of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals were forwarded to President Truman last night.

The local branch of the society is disturbed about the business of subjecting animals to the effects of atomic radiation, and taking a firm stand, said "if livestock are used all humane societies will be contacted to charter boats to patrol the area in the name of Christianity and with the backing of the Atlantic Charter."

### Election of School Director, Decisions on Higher Budget, Merger Plan Facing Voters

Voters in the Roseburg school district will be called upon Monday, June 17, to elect a director, pass upon a budget which exceeds the six per cent limitation, and determine the proposed consolidation of the Roseburg and Sylonon Valley school districts.

### Pair Drop to Death From Hotel Near White House

WASHINGTON, June 13.—(AP)—A former garage owner and a 25-year-old girl short story writer plunged to their deaths 45 minutes apart early today from a ninth floor room of the Lafayette hotel, two blocks from the White House.

The girl, clad only in pink panties, landed on the second floor roof of the hotel dining room soon after midnight.

The man, dressed in underwear shorts, followed in a fatal leap after a long argument through the barricaded door of his room with two policemen who sought to dissuade him.

Captain Clyde N. Strange, assistant chief of detectives, said the pair were Arthur D. Millison, 34, estranged from his wife and the father of three, and Mrs. Dorothy Cox Mahoney, mother of a three-year-old child, who had registered last Saturday as "Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Millison, San Francisco."

### Byrnes, Senators Leave For Showdown With Reds

WASHINGTON, June 13.—(AP)—With a "goodbye, good luck" from resident Truman, Secretary of State Byrnes left today for Paris and a showdown with Russia on European peace settlements.

Byrnes' plane left a few minutes after President Truman had waved him and Senators Connally and Vandenberg aboard.

Byrnes himself said earlier that the Paris session is a critical one in which failure would be a disaster for mankind. He had asked for prayers to support his efforts in dealing with Molotov and Foreign Minister Bevin of Britain and Bidault of France.

Connally, who, along with Vandenberg, is an adviser to Byrnes, issued an appeal for passage of the draft extension act as he stepped aboard the plane.

It is needed, he said, "in view of our foreign commitments and our far-flung possessions."

### First Catholic Saint Of U. S. Is Canonized

VATICAN CITY, June 13.—(AP)—The United States got its first Catholic saint today as high Catholic prelates, at a semi-public consistory in the Vatican's consistory hall, voted unanimously in favor of the canonization of Mother Frances Xavier Cabrini of Chicago.

The 20 cardinals and 40 archbishops attending the ceremony also voted for the canonization of three others.

They are Bernardino Realino, an Italian Jesuit who died in 1616; Frances Joan Elizabeth Richier de Ages, co-founder of the Order of the Daughters of the Cross, and Joao de Brito, Portuguese Jesuit martyr in India.

The formal celebration of the sainthood of the four will take place in St. Peter's July 7.

### Chinese Truce Appears To Have Collapsed

NANKING, June 13.—(AP)—China's 15-day truce between warring nationalist and communist factions appeared to be reduced to a scrap of paper today.

The government's tightly-controlled Central News Agency reported nationalist troops were driving ahead in Manchuria and had frustrated attempted landings by communists near Tsingtao, where U. S. Marines have one of their strongest North China garrisons.

Chinese press dispatches said without other confirmation that martial law had been proclaimed in the Shantung peninsula seaport.

While deep concern was shown over the situation in Tsingtao, U. S. General Marshall's headquarters said it had failed to get negotiations for a permanent settlement of China's civil war.

### Chas. Butterworth, Film Comedian, Dies After Auto Mishap

LOS ANGELES, June 13.—(AP)—Charles Butterworth, 46, whose subtle drooleries and tangled metaphors carried him to success as a film comic, died in an ambulance today shortly after his automobile struck a lamppost, catapulting him to the pavement.

The veteran actor, who lived alone in a Hollywood hotel, was returning from a night club when his small, foreign-made car skidded more than 50 feet and struck the light pole, sheriff's deputies reported.

### Way Opened For Hoist in Cafe Prices

WASHINGTON, June 13.—(AP)—OPA opened the way today for higher restaurant prices.

But in doing so, the agency followed only in part a recommendation of the Senate Banking Committee, which voted to wipe out ceilings on meals made up of foods on which there are no price controls.

OPA issued an order which simply allows new menu prices to reflect the full amount of any higher costs stemming from the removal of price ceilings on food items.

The order is effective immediately, but it will have little effect on restaurant prices right away. The reason is that not many food items are exempt from price control at this time.

But OPA officials said the new regulation means the cost of dining out probably will go up sharply if ceilings are stripped from meat, poultry, eggs and dairy products. The Senate committee has recommended removal of these controls July 1. A decision by the full Senate is expected by nightfall.

### Few Items Affected

How much the cost of major items will be affected is not known.

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### Gromyko Opposes Plan to Compromise on Spain

NEW YORK, June 13.—(AP)—Soviet delegate Gromyko today expressed complete disagreement with a compromise plan for the United Nations Security Council to refer the Spanish question to the general assembly but did not at this point invoke his power of veto.

The council adjourned until Monday with the Spanish question still undecided.

Gromyko's stand against the compromise plan as well as a bitter attack on the conclusions of the sub-committee which investigated Spain made it certain that the delegates would have to arrive at another solution if the Spanish question is to be acted on in the council or sent forward to the assembly.

### J. N. Emerson New Head Of Kiwanis International

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 13.—(AP)—The new president of Kiwanis International is Jay N. Emerson, Pullman, Wash., a 66-year-old retired merchant.

Delegates to the 31st annual convention chose him yesterday to succeed Hamilton Holt, Macon, Ga. Dr. Charles W. Armstrong, Salisbury, N. C., and John Mac D. Burden, Toronto, Ont., were elected international vice presidents and J. Belmont Mosser, Saint Marys, Pa., was named international treasurer.

### Canal Combed for Body Of Missing Attorney

YAKIMA, Wash., June 13.—(AP)—Search of the Koy canal near Yakima for the body of Robert C. Thurston, prominent Yakima attorney missing since Tuesday afternoon, will be resumed today. Thurston's automobile and hat were found on the bank of the canal Wednesday, but no trace of Thurston was found in a 10-hour search Tuesday.

### Nursery Income Doubled

SALEM, Ore., June 13.—(AP)—Income from Oregon's nursery industry totaled \$7,500,000 in 1945, with 4,600 acres of land being used by the industry, the State Department of Agriculture said today.

The income is more than double that of 1940, when the last estimates were made.

### With Roseburg's March of Progress



HOUSES—FOR WHOM?—Let's guess at the ownership of these two houses, located at East Second Avenue North and East Fifth street. That's what the photographer had to do after making three futile trips of inquiry. The sound of hammers temporarily at least had ceased. No nails, do you suppose? No lumber? No carpenters? Any of these lacks could have been responsible. Probably none of them was.

### Senator Bankhead of Alabama Passes On



WASHINGTON, June 13.—(AP)—Senator John H. Bankhead of Alabama died yesterday. He was 73.

Bankhead suffered a stroke the night of May 24, while attending a Senate Committee meeting, and was taken to the U. S. Naval Hospital at Bethesda, Md., where death occurred.

A Democrat, he was elected to the Senate in 1930. He was a brother of the late Speaker William B. Bankhead and was an uncle of Tallulah Bankhead, the actress. His father was a U. S. Senator, and his son, Walter Will Bankhead, served a brief term in the House.

The Alabamian was author of many major farm bills passed in the New Deal era.

### British Loan Gets House Group O. K.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—(AP)—The House banking committee today approved legislation ratifying the \$3,750,000,000 British loan. The vote was 20 to 5.

The legislation, already approved by the Senate 46 to 34, now goes to the House floor, where opponents promised a sizzling battle.

The committee vote came after long hearings, during which the administration told Congress the loan is essential to take the shackles off world trade, to encourage international economic cooperation and to aid world peace.

Without the loan, the proponents argued, Britain would be unable to participate in the Bretton Woods World Bank and currency stabilization fund, and this ambitious attempt at international economic cooperation would fail.

This view was supported by the American Bankers Association, United States Chamber of Commerce and a number of other organizations and individuals.

### Fifty Portland School Teachers Quit in Body

PORTLAND, June 13.—(AP)—Resignations of 50 Portland district school teachers were accepted last night by the Board of Education, the largest number leaving the system at any one time.

Dr. Willard B. Spalding, superintendent, said 14 were retiring, but that uncertainty of the school's fiscal budget had undoubtedly led many of the instructors to seek employment elsewhere.

The city schools expect a budget deficit of \$1,500,000 which would force curtailment of many special studies and the athletic program unless Congress approves extension of Lanham Act funds.

### Forest Service Sues Flier Over Woods Fire

PORTLAND, Ore., June 13.—(AP)—The National Forest Service has filed suit to recover \$6,782 it reported spending to control a forest blaze caused when Louis W. Soukup piloted a small airplane into a power line that set a fire in the Colville National Forest.

The government charged Soukup operated the airplane in a negligent manner and knocked down the power line which crosses the Columbia River four miles south of Northport, Wash., on July 7, 1945.

### Cash Bonus to Veterans Urged by Post of VFW

SALEM, Ore., June 13.—(AP)—Payment by the state of a cash bonus to veterans of World War II, based on length of service, was advocated last night by Meadowlark Post 6102 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

The post will take its resolution to the state VFW encampment to be held June 29 in Corvallis.

### Portland Salesman Found Dead in Hotel Room

Arthur Peter Donohue, 66, salesman, was found dead in his room at the Umpqua Hotel late yesterday afternoon. Death was reported due to natural causes by County Coroner H. C. Stearns. Donohue's address was given as 2027 N. W. Lovejoy St., Portland. His widow was due in Roseburg today, Stearns said. The body was removed to the Roseburg Funeral Home.

### 'Good Chance' Averting All-Coast Strike Slated For Tomorrow, Report

WASHINGTON, June 13.—(AP)—Capt. Granville Conway of the War Shipping Administration indicated today that negotiations for an agreement to avert the maritime strike have been reduced to a matter of wording.

"There is a dispute over the wording of four or five things," Conway told reporters as signs pointed generally to agreement on major issues.

CIO President Philip Murray spoke likewise: "Some issues need further clarification."

These developments followed the statement by a government conciliator that "there's a good chance" for settlement today. The all-coast maritime strike is to start tomorrow midnight.

The conciliator made this statement to a reporter privately after a joint session of east and west coast operators and union leaders representing the CIO-dominated Committee for Maritime Unity.

Murray and CIO General Counsel Lee Pressman sat in on the meeting, held at the Labor Department.

Assistant Secretary of Labor John W. Gibson, handling the negotiations for the government, was asked whether "everything is buttoned up yet" on a settlement. "When it's buttoned up, we'll announce it," Gibson replied.

### Still Hanging Fire

One of the union leaders, asking that his name not be used, told reporters:

"The government's proposal has neither been accepted nor rejected (by the unions), because we do not know yet what its final form will be."

The conciliator who said "there's a good chance" for a settlement during the day, added that the CIO National Maritime Union, biggest union in the CMU, has not formally approved a WSA proposal to put into effect a 48-hour week for seamen and a wage increase of \$1.50 a month.

"They haven't accepted anything yet but they've indicated their willingness to accept," he added.

Chairman A. B. Kelley (D-Pa.) of the House labor subcommittee investigating the dispute expressed belief that a settlement definitely would be reached before the deadline.

He told a reporter that he based his opinion on information received from those close to the negotiators.

Kelley added that he had been informed only one important issue—the amount of monthly pay—remains to be settled.

This statement followed a brief morning hearing at which John Owens, secretary-treasurer of the International Longshoremen's Association, testified. Owens said that if CIO unions go on strike his AEW members will observe their picket lines and refuse to cross them.

Strike Plans Go On

Meanwhile 200,000 union members girded for the crowding strike deadline.

Scores of soup kitchens were set up, strike rallies were called, and seaports were scoured for living quarters for thousands of

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### Stores Aiding in Cowboy Togs Plan

Roseburg business firms were reported today to be lending encouragement to the Sheriff Posse's request for pre-rodoo costume-tuning throughout next week. Several of the city's principal stores, it was learned, are permitting women employees to wear jeans, slacks, shirts and western hats while on duty. A near sell-out of western garb was reported by nearly all stores as Roseburg people prepared to join in the week's festivities.

Due to the great scarcity of suitable garb, the posse reports it cannot expect full western regalia, but urges all to "do the best they can." Judge Fred M. Wright will be in Roseburg Friday night to conduct special court for non-cooperators as a part of the pre-rodoo program.

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### Levity Fact Rent

By L. F. Robinson

The case of the People vs. "Nine Old Men" calls for decision as to whether Black is white.