

Socialized Medicine Subject Of Debate At Toastmistress Club

A seven-minute debate on the topic, "Socialized Medicine," was featured at the Tuesday night meeting of the Roseburg Toastmistress club.

Mrs. E. L. Tauscher represented the pro side of the question and Miss Marion Davis led opposition remarks. Mrs. Phil Harth was toastmistress for the evening.

Mrs. Tauscher declared socialized medicine was desirable in the U.S. because it would result in a proper distribution of doctors and hospitals and without fees to worry about, doctors would be able to give better service.

Citing Kansas as an example of socialized medicine at work, Mrs. Tauscher said in that state, there is adequate medical care for all and patients still enjoy the right to choose their own doctor. She said such a setup would not make it necessary for people to put off needed medical care because they have not been able to afford it.

Opposing these arguments, Miss Davis listed six reasons why socialized medicine should not come to this country.

She cited our present health standards—highest in the world—which have been attained under the present voluntary system. It was her claim that the voluntary health plan now in operation is "highly efficient" and declared it should not be changed. Miss Davis also pointed to recent stud-

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The afternoon's program to follow will include: 1:20 to 1:50, "Public Employees' Retirement Law" talk by Jerry S. Taylor, executive secretary of the Oregon State Employees Association.

1:50 to 2:20, "Recent School Legislation and Oregon School Law," talk by Lester A. Wilcox, assistant superintendent of public instruction. Intermission.

2:30 to 3:30, "Can We Win Europe's Children?" Rev. W. A. MacArthur, pastor, First Methodist church, Roseburg.

Spurious Check Passing Charged To Prisoner

John Wesley Green, 32, arrested by authorities at Toledo, has been committed to the Douglas county jail to face charges of issuing a fictitious check, according to Sheriff O. T. "Bud" Carter. Green was brought here Wednesday by Deputy Cecil Beaver of Reedsport, who said that Green passed a worthless check at DRAIN and received in exchange for the value of the check, a rifle valued at \$25.20.

Those taking part in a previ-

ously unreported meeting Sept. 27 were Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Dufresne, Mrs. Winston, Mrs. Tuttle and Mrs. Warren Tozer. Mrs. Jack Myers was a guest at the meeting.

His face was so battered and bloody, it was difficult to determine if he might have been shot also, the detectives said.

Octopuses have an ink sac from which they can squirt a colored fluid which they use as a kind of smoke screen.

Police identified the victim as Dr. Donald Buge, 50, who has a medical center at Long Beach.

Det. Sgt. George Burroughs said the doctor had been playing poker at a club in nearby Gardena. They added that he had left the club without his wife.

When found, the pockets of the doctor's suit had been turned out.

Nearby were keys to an automobile, fifty cents in change, a single cigarette and books of matches.

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The Weather

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W. Va., were deadlocked.

He said that the union negotiators had not yet had opportunity to present their specific demands to the operators because of the steel-influenced interests. He said these interests dominated both negotiations and had set up "road blocks."

Lewis minimized the use of fact-finding boards of any kind to settle his dispute and threw his support behind a recent statement of AFL President William Green opposing the fixing of wage rates or working conditions by such boards.

Government Efforts To End Coal Strike Are Continuing

Government prodded negotiations to end the 25-day-old coal strike continued today despite another blunt refusal from the United Mine Workers to renew their contract for two years.

UMW Vice President Thomas Kennedy says the union is willing to "continue in these meetings until we get a contract."

The government's conciliation director, Cyrus S. Ching, hoped to get leaders of the CIO United Steelworkers union and industry officials back at the bargaining table.

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Senate Faces Major Threat

The biggest threat appears to be the fabricating steel industry.

plants that use steel for hundreds of articles. Some 500,000 USW workers are employed in the fabricating plants and Murray wants free pensions and insurance for them as well as for the 454,000 men on strike.

Their contracts begin expiring Saturday. About a dozen firms, which employ a few thousand workers, have signed new contracts with the union, agreeing to pay the 10-cent hourly package recommended by the presidential fact-finding board.

In a radio speech last night, Phillip Murray urged the public to support the steel strike because "our cause is just and righteous."

He said the steel workers "cannot and will not permit any wage cut, whether by the false principle of contributory pensions and insurance or otherwise."

The big steel companies have said they will pay toward a pension insurance program—but only if the workers also contribute.

In other labor developments:

No settlement was reached in negotiations in Chicago over a rail union demand for a third crew member on multiple unit diesel engines. No date was set for further meetings.

The Harvester council of the CIO United Farm Equipment workers pledged support to a proposed merger of the union and the CIO United Electrical Workers. The council claims to represent 40,000 workers, a majority of U. S. membership in 11 international Harvester plants.

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Slaying Admitted By Tampa Youth

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TAMPA, Fla., Oct. 13.—(UPI)

Sheriff Hugh Culbreath said Thursday that a Tampa youth, charged with a hatchet slaying here, has admitted killing a Hollywood bit player more than a year ago.

The sheriff quoted 17-year-old Kay Robinson Deer as saying that he killed Henry Schwab of Hollywood, Calif., on Sept. 16, 1948. Schwab's body was found 10 days later.

Culbreath said Deer was on furlough from the army at the time of the Hollywood killing.

Schwab's semi-nude, brutally beaten body was found in his blood-stained apartment.

The first radio telegraph service over water was set up in 1912 between San Francisco and Honolulu.

One out of six auto drivers involved in a fatal accident has been drinking.

DDT Spraying Urged To Control Diseases

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emergency measure to control polo epidemics.

The State Board of Health, the letter continues, "does believe that a well considered fly control program, which includes other phases in addition to DDT spraying, can be justified in relation to its effect in reducing the incidence of diarrhoea and enteritis, especially bacillary dysentery."