

Survey Stated On Quality Of Pork Being Sold Here

Housewives will have an opportunity this week to register their complaints on the quality of pork offered them through local butcher shops—that is, if they have any complaints.

Two representatives of the agriculture-economics department of Oregon State college will be in Roseburg the remainder of this week conducting a random survey of the type of pork local housewives prefer. The local survey is a part of a program being conducted throughout the state in an effort to determine whether complaints of fat pork are well founded. The survey is under the direction of Dr. C. W. Vrooman of OSC and is being conducted by Ed Coles and Ed Gorman, experimental aides in the department of agriculture-economics.

Approximately 50 local housewives will be interviewed and shown samples of fat, lean and medium cuts of pork. Housewives will be asked to indicate which type of cut they prefer and will furnish information for questionnaires.

Findings of the survey will be turned over to the animal husbandry department of the college, with Dr. Vrooman's recommendations. If necessary, the animal husbandry experts will attempt to come up with a new type of hog to meet requests of housewives throughout the state.

A total of 800 random surveys will be taken in Oregon. Coles and Gorman have already interviewed housewives in Corvallis, Medford and Astoria.

The two men emphasized that the survey is an effort by the college to help homemakers in the preparation of pork in meals. They said "we're not trying to sell a thing."

DRUNK DRIVING CHARGED

Marvin Stanley Ward, Myrtle Point, charged with drunk driving is being held in the county jail under \$250 bail, following his arraignment in justice court. Justice of Peace A. J. Geddes reported. Ward was arrested by Deputy A. A. Eckhardt.

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Senate Probers Act To Get Loyalty Records

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Chairman Tydings (D-Md) that "the single most important element" in a fair and just loyalty program is "the preservation of all files in connection therewith in strictest confidence."

Nowhere in his letter did Mr. Truman say flatly the committee could not look at the files, a step McCarthy has contended must be taken if his charges are to be proved or disproved.

Mr. Truman's Reasons

Mr. Truman gave eight reasons why he doesn't want to open the files. He said public disclosure:

1. Would tip "criminals, foreign agents, subversives and others" on how the FBI works and put "additional shackles" on the FBI.
2. Would break confidence with persons who have furnished confidential information, and dry up the FBI's sources.
3. Would place the lives of some FBI informants in jeopardy.
4. Might result in an injustice to innocent individuals.
5. Would warn persons whose names appear in FBI reports and some might flee the country.
6. Might be an invitation to blackmail the persons involved.
7. Might disclose "highly restricted information vital to the national security and of considerable value to a foreign power."
8. Details of FBI reports would be subject to misinterpretation or distortion.

Infant Dies After Rescue From Burning Home

EUGENE, March 29.—(AP)—An autopsy was planned today in the death of a 3-week-old boy snatched from a crib in the family's flaming rural Veneta dwelling.

Coroner Phil Bartholomew said the child's body did not show signs of burns. The infant was alive when examined by a Veneta physician but was dead on arrival at a Eugene hospital, he said.

Mr. and Mrs. Arleon Tucker, Rt. 1, Veneta, were repairing their car in their yard when the fire was discovered on the house roof. Flames kept the father from entering the rear of the house and he had to smash in the locked front door with an ax. He found burning wallpaper had fallen on the baby's bassinet.

A faulty chimney was blamed for the fire.

NOMINATION SENT

WASHINGTON, March 29.—(AP)—President Truman has sent to the Senate the postmaster position nomination of Paula J. Burt, Winston. Present postmistress at Winston is Marian Jackson.

Annual Kiwanis Meet Expected To Draw 10,000

More than 10,000 persons are expected to attend the 35th annual convention of Kiwanis International May 7 to 11 at Miami, Fla., officers of the Roseburg Kiwanis club were informed today.

Maurice Newland, president of the club, said that reports from the Miami Kiwanis convention headquarters indicate that preparations for the five-day meeting are fast nearing completion.

Many nationally known figures will be on hand to address delegates, representing 3,100 clubs and 200,000 members throughout the United States, Canada, Alaska, Hawaii and the Yukon Territory, Newland said.

Delegates also will participate in panel conferences on numerous Kiwanis-sponsored activities, ranging from public affairs, boys and girls work and agriculture to support of churches in their spiritual aims. An outstanding program also is being planned for the wives of Kiwanians, Newland said.

Anticipating a huge delegate registration, Kiwanis International established its convention headquarters at Miami in January. J. Hugh Jackson, dean of the graduate school of business at Stanford university, Palo Alto, Calif., and president of Kiwanis International, will preside over the various convention sessions.

Pardon May Be Given Boy Who Slew Drunken Parent

BOSTON, March 29.—(AP)—Gov. Paul A. Dever today studied the case of a 16-year-old "model boy" sentenced to life for killing his drunkard father.

The governor has the power, with consent of the executive council, to cut the prison term of Francis Whorf, Scituate boy scout, or grant a full pardon.

The boy pleaded guilty yesterday in Plymouth superior court to second degree murder. He admitted he fired a bullet into the head of his sleeping father, Kenneth Whorf, 49, last September. He said he did it "for the good of the family."

The elder Whorf, irregularly employed as a laborer, had a long record as a wife beater and drunkard.

District Attorney Edmund R. Dewing told the court the tragedy was due chiefly to "a sordid home condition which was almost unbearable."

Degree Scheduled—Roseburg chapter, Order of DeMolay, will hold a special meeting Thursday, March 30, at the Masonic temple at 7:30 p. m. The initiatory degree is scheduled.

Czechoslovakia Expels AP's Last U. S. Reporter

PRAGUE, March 29.—(AP)—The Communist-dominated Czechoslovak government has ordered the expulsion of the last American correspondent of the Associated Press left in Prague. Information Minister Kopecky has hinted there may be further expulsions of the few remaining Western correspondents.

A government official gave "unobjective reporting" as the reason for ordering AP's Nathan Polowetzky to leave the country by April 8. He had been the lone United States national representative of the AP since chief of bureau Richard Kasichke was expelled last January with three other Western correspondents. All the expelled newsmen had been charged with unobjective reporting. They denied it.

Negro Accused Of Beating Women

LANETT, Ala., March 29.—(AP)—A negro wanted for questioning in the savage beating of two white women with an electric iron, surrendered to heavily armed possemen early today.

"I ain't done nothing!" 28-year-old Jack Tucker called out to a band of about 400 manhunters who tracked him to the outskirts of this Alabama mill town of 6,000 near the Georgia line.

Sheriff's Deputy C. H. Milford of Chambers county said the fugitive held his hands high and protested his innocence when bloodhounds sniffed him out.

Tucker became the object of a widespread search after the assault on the two women became known. The victims—Mrs. Ella Barrow, 68, and her daughter Sara—both were reported in a critical condition today at a hospital at nearby West Point, Ga. The Barrows are members of a wealthy and prominent family. The daughter is 35.

The attack occurred yesterday at the Barrows' large country home on a 500-acre farm a mile from Lanett. Officers said robbery was the apparent motive. There was no indication of rape.

ike Asks College Probe Of Mental Defectives

RYE, N. Y., March 29.—(AP)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower wants the colleges to undertake a study of why so many American men were rejected for military service in World War II because of mental defects.

There were 2,000,000 of them, the Columbia university president told an alumni meeting last night.

He urged that colleges seek information on the causes, and help eliminate them.

No other nation involved in the war, he said, had a percentage one-fourth as large as this nation's.

Douglas County Flood Control Problem Studied

Preliminary hearings on possible Douglas county flood control projects were held yesterday at Sutherland and are continuing today at Roseburg and Drain.

R. Jaren and H. N. Magness of the Portland office of the Army Engineers are conducting the preliminary hearings preparatory for a public hearing to be conducted in the circuit court room of the courthouse at 10 a. m. April 28.

The first hearing was held Tuesday at Sutherland for a preliminary study of the flood conditions of Sutherland Creek from two miles above the city to its mouth. The hearing this morning in Roseburg pertained to the Dillard section of the Umpqua river, and the third meeting tonight at Drain pertains to Elk and Pass creeks.

The April hearings, however, will cover the entire county, including the Reedport area, where preliminary hearings have already been made, and the Garden valley-Riversdale areas.

The flood control program would be a cooperative affair, with the Army Engineers doing the projected work, but with the local districts providing rights-of-way and maintenance.

These hearings do not concern a recent House appropriation committee authorization of \$50,000 for Douglas county flood control during 1951.

Jaren and Magness were not certain about this appropriation, but believed it was for levy work previously authorized for the lower Umpqua and Smith river.

Eugene To Sell School Bonds For Merger Vote

EUGENE, March 29.—(AP)—Eugene's school board has authorized sale of one million dollars worth of bonds, the remaining portion of an authorized \$2,500,000 bond issue voted by the people in November 1948.

This action promised to clear the way for a school district consolidation vote on the proposal to join Willakenzie district 6 with Eugene's district 4. Under Oregon law, pending bond sales are nullified when a consolidation occurs, so the bonds have been authorized prior to any action on the consolidation.

Gambling Alleged In Glendale School Squad

Information contained in an Associated Press report from Grants Pass announced aroused Glendale school patrons have called a mass meeting for tonight to discuss alleged gambling by their high school athletic squad and other matters pertaining to school administration.

Chairman of the citizens committee is Everett Skillings, Glendale justice of the peace.

County school officials said they had no exact knowledge of the complaints of Glendale citizens and that the affair was a problem to be handled by the district school board there.

News-Review classified ads bring results. Phone 100.

Disappearing Chickens Worry Tenmile Owner

William Erbe, who lives near Tenmile school on the old portion of the highway, had 23 chickens.

But that was a month ago. Now he has only five.

One morning Erbe went to his chicken house to find his flock diminished by seven. Then last Sunday, 11 more were missing.

Erbe has five members in his family. If all the chickens lay an egg apiece, he asserts he can get by, so far as breakfast food is concerned, but he is definitely perturbed about the missing flock.

Deputy Sheriff A. A. Eckhardt is too. He's making a thorough investigation.

Ulster Head Hits Back At O'Dwyer

LONDON, March 29.—(AP)—Sir Basil Brooke, prime minister of Northern Ireland, buried a verbal brickbat right back at New York's Mayor William O'Dwyer today.

"During the war we entertained 300,000 American troops in Northern Ireland," Sir Basil said, "and they were made to feel at home. We never inquired whether they were Democrats or Republicans."

The Ulster prime minister made his comment at a press conference in reply to a question on a statement by O'Dwyer that if Sir Basil were to be welcomed at New York's city hall "it will be because I am dead."

O'Dwyer strongly opposed the partition of Ireland.

Sir Basil, who leaves Friday for a two-month visit to the United States, had previously declined to reply to the mayor's remarks.

"I felt that as I would be a guest in the United States it would be improper to make any comment on Mr. O'Dwyer's statement," he said today.

"If I were stumping the United States to try to induce sympathy for Northern Ireland I should deserve everything I would get. But I am going as a guest of friends who invited me."

Sir Basil said he would try to steer clear of political issues in the talks he will make to American Ulster groups and business and professional organizations in New York, Washington, Philadelphia and Chicago.

Communist Educator Denied Debate Privilege

DETROIT, March 29.—(AP)—Dr. Herbert J. Phillips, a former university of Washington faculty member who was dismissed because of his admitted membership in the Communist party, will not debate Communism at Wayne university as planned.

The debate, which was to feature Dr. Phillips and Dr. Alfred Kelly, Wayne professor, was called off last night by Dr. David D. Henry, Wayne president.

The school leader, in reference to Dr. Phillips, said:

"I can not believe that the university is under any obligation in the name of education to give him an audience. I do not intend to approve the participation of any Communist member in any university program."

Trust Fund For Pensions Sought

PORTLAND, March 29.—(AP)—AFL sawmill workers are going to ask employers to finance a trust fund pension plan that would pay \$60 a month exclusive of social security benefits.

Kenneth Davis, secretary of the union's northwest council, said yesterday the proposal—revised from an earlier \$100 a month plan including social security—was for complete financing by the industry. He said the fund would be administered by a joint union-management board of trustees, under the union's proposal.

Davis said the council had approved the pension formula. It will come up at April contract reopening talks with operators hiring 66,000 AFL workers.

The union secretary said the plan would permit workers to quit from one employer to another without loss of rights. It would also provide disability benefits, withdrawal rights and rules governing retirement before or after the normal retirement at age 65 years.

The Weather

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