

Presbyterians Oppose Certain Type Of Nuptials

CINCINNATI, May 24.—(AP)—The Presbyterian church in the U.S.A. was on record today as (1) opposing marriage of its members to Roman Catholics under the Catholic conditions, and (2) disapproving legalization of euthanasia (or "mercy killings").

This is the resolution by the church's special commission on marriage and divorce which the 122nd general assembly adopted.

"Resolved, that this convention earnestly warns members of our church against contracting marriages with Roman Catholics under the conditions imposed by modern Roman canon law, especially as these conditions involve a promise to have their children brought up in a religious system which they cannot themselves accept."

"And further," the overture read, "because the religious education



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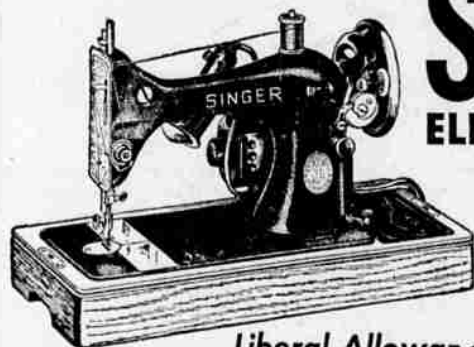
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Rose Show Will Aid Landscaping Of Hospital Site

Plans for a Rose show to be held at the Roseburg Methodist church June 7 are nearing completion. The show is sponsored by the Roseburg Woman's club. The proceeds of a free-will offering will go to help landscape the grounds of the Douglas County community hospital.

Mrs. J. M. Boyles, president of the Woman's club, in announcing plans for the show, pointed out that interest in roses is great in Douglas county. There are at least a bush or two of beautiful blooms in most yards at this time.

It is hoped, she said, that people who have not exhibited before will do so at this show, along with the Douglas county gardeners who so generously bring entries to each flower exhibit. The show will be limited exclusively to roses. It is hoped there will also be fine specimens of other June flowers on exhibition, she added.

All types of roses are desired for entries in the show. Specimens should be accompanied by tags indicating the name of the rose and the classifications as: Miniatures, floribundas or polyanthus, hybrid teas, hybrid perpetuals, climbers and patented roses.

Bottles will be furnished for display of specimen blooms.

Floral arrangements will also be exhibited, with classifications in this group as follows: Garden flowers with roses as a center of interest; colored foliage with roses and mixed garden flowers.

Another classification of entries will be: Miniature gardens, miniature bouquets, corsages, shadow boxes, trays and sickroom arrangements, arrangements by children.

Entries from the children will be especially welcome," said Mrs. Boyles. "We hope there will be many of them."

Co-chairmen for the show are Mrs. Boyles and Mrs. H. G. Powell. The children's division is under the direction of Mrs. E. L. Tauscher, music; Mrs. Earl Plummer; information and sketching, Mrs. Kenneth Ford and Mrs. West. Mrs. Lloyd Hayes is publicity chairman.

Square Dance Festival Dated At Grants Pass

Square dance enthusiasts in Douglas county are invited to take part in a square dance festival at the Lincoln school gymnasium in Grants Pass on the night of Saturday, May 27, at 8:30.

Josephine County Home Extension units are sponsoring the festival as a climax to a series of square dance training sessions under the direction of Miss Jessalene Mallalieu, extension specialist from Oregon State college.

The program will consist of a grand march, square and circle dances for anyone who wishes to participate, and a demonstration dances by Josephine county groups.

Admission is fifty cents, with proceeds going to the Azalea house project. Azalea house is to be a women's cooperative house on the Oregon State college campus. Financing is being done by individuals and women's extension groups in Oregon.

Oregon Welcome To DPs Favored By K. C. Council

TILLAMOOK.—(AP)—The Knights of Columbus want European displaced persons immigrating to the United States to feel welcome to Oregon. The annual convention of the Oregon council extended the invitation in a resolution.

The delegates also voted to ask Governor Douglas McKay to designate Columbus day as a legal holiday in Oregon.

J. W. Kennedy, Eugene, was elected state deputy of the council. Other new officers: Secretary, E. J. Bell, Stayton; treasurer, Vernon W. Collier, Redport; advocate, Walter Hansen, Bend; warden, Jack Lynch, Oregon city. The state assembly of the fourth degree named T. J. Flynn, Portland, controller; Leonard J. Thomas, Lebanon, sentinel.



COWBOY-TO-BE—Young Johnny Shaw displays his skill with a lariat to a juvenile audience at a western costume party for children during Helderado Week in Las Vegas, Nev.

Columbia Water Diversion Plan Status Is Asked

WASHINGTON — (AP)—Secretary of Interior Chapman has been asked to clear up the status of a survey into the possibility of transferring Columbia river water from the northwest to California.

Requesting the information, Rep. Mitchell (D-Wash.) said he had reports that the reclamation bureau had dropped the survey and other reports that it will be completed this year.

The bureau started the survey more than a year ago to determine the feasibility of the proposal but said it might be years before any decision would be reached.

Mitchell said the people of the northwest are confused over the conflicting reports.

"Objections by the people of the northwest to such a transfer are well taken," Mitchell wrote Chapman, "and a definite statement by you will provide a much needed clarification of the problem."

"In view of the power shortage in the Pacific northwest and the likelihood that this shortage will continue for years to come, thoughtful persons in the area see no legitimate reason to expend any position of this power to pump water over the mountains to a distant state."

Mitchell said it has been suggested "that it makes more sense for people to come to a region of abundant water, with its large potentialities for rapid growth than to move water by costly means to a distant region which is already crowded with population."

Phone Strike Rest Of '50 Unlikely, Union Chief Says

PORTLAND, May 24.—(AP)—The chances are good there will be no telephone strike the rest of this year, the head of the CIO Communications Workers says.

Joseph A. Beirne, Washington, D. C., passing through Portland, said about half of the telephone workers in the country have received satisfactory contracts.

Earlier a strike was called, but as postponed for further negotiations.

"The decision to postpone the strike was good," Beirne commented. He added that Los Angeles is the only west coast area where a new contract has been reached, but said the Oregon division was nearing an agreement. He did not comment on whether there would be a wage increase in the Oregon contract.

The tallest lighthouse in the U.S. is at Cape Hatteras, North Carolina—194 feet. It is in a State park on the famed Outer Banks, now accessible by land, sea and air.

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Great Hour Faced By Baptist Church, Convention Told

BOSTON. — (AP)—The president of the northern Baptist convention says Communism had made most headway where the church had been least Democratic and called upon Baptists to serve "the great host of common people."

Mrs. Howard G. Colwell of Loveland, Colorado, told 5,000 delegates:

"This can be our great hour, if we can divest ourselves of all self-pride and the sins of division which do so easily beset us, and if we can run with patience, pressing toward the mark of our high calling and supreme opportunity with humbleness of spirit in His name."

Before the legislative body of the 7,000-church, two-million-member denomination is a proposal for union with a denomination of similar size—the Disciples of Christ.

Mrs. Colwell dwelt upon the

historic Democratic background of the Baptist — including the driving of the Baptist leader Roger Williams from Boston in 1634 because of his stand for "complete religious liberty."

Among proposals to be considered by the convention is one that the name of the denomination be changed to the American Baptist convention, because its missionaries, and other church organizations have been so known for many decades.

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