



ON FAIR PROGRAM—This double quartet of square dance enthusiasts will furnish a part of the entertainment slated for Aug. 20 on the third and final day of the Western Douglas County fair at Winchester Bay. Reedsport couples pictured above are (clockwise, from upper left) Mrs. John Dye and Elli Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cairns, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Culver and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gibbons. Public dances, dedication of the Tidelands park and boat basin and selection of the "Queen of the Woods" are among other events slated. Judging for a premium list offering more than \$500 in prize money will start at noon Saturday. (Salon studio photo)

Election Forecasts Listing Defeat Of 2 Senate Leaders Doesn't Disturb Politicians

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The politicians most affected take with a grain of salt a prediction by Louis H. Bean that Senators Taft (R-Ohio) and Lucas (D-Ill.) will go down in defeat in the November election.

Bean, a department of Agriculture economist who has attracted attention by his political predictions in the past, forecast in a Look magazine article that Republicans will gain in this year's voting but won't win control of Congress.

But politicians generally discounted many of Bean's findings—primarily on past election trends—because they were made without reference to political effects of the Korean fighting.

Besides Taft and Lucas, Bean forecast the defeat of Democratic

Senators McMahon and Benton of Connecticut, Myers of Pennsylvania and McCarran of Nevada. He said Republicans had a 50-50 chance to beat Senator Taylor (D-Idaho), who apparently already has been beaten in the Democratic primary.

Bean listed Republican Senators Donnell of Missouri and Millikin of Colorado as likely to join Taft in defeat.

Bean's prediction that Taft will be beaten in Ohio by state auditor Joseph Ferguson, the Democratic nominee, brought this comment from Taft:

"Every year a new prophet arises to foretell the results of elections and disappears just as rapidly after the elections."

There was some evidence that Taft's friends think Bean's forecast might be some help, since it could serve to help dispel overconfidence in the ranks of the Ohioan's campaign workers.

Lucas told a reporter he thinks Bean included him among those the economist predicted would be defeated "so he could sell his article."

"It looks like he picked the heads of the two policy committees so that he would attract some attention," Lucas said. Lucas heads the Democratic policy group and Taft the Republican.

Bean forecast the biggest Republican gains in Connecticut, where he said Democratic Senators McMahon and Benton are likely to be beaten.

McMahon said he usually isn't a betting man but he'd like to back with some cash his belief that Bean doesn't know what he's talking about so far as Connecticut is concerned.

Donnell, whom Bean predicted

Climber's Body May Be Near Top Of Mt. Whitney

LONE PINE, Calif.—(AP)—Young Christopher Reynolds may lie dead in the snow only 300 feet from his goal, the top of the nation's highest peak, Mt. Whitney.

A search party on the mountain's perilous east face operated on that theory today after veteran mountaineer Harold Gates saw through binoculars what appeared to be a faded shirt close to the summit.

Gates gave the location as directly across from Keeler needle, a pinnacle to the south of 14,496-foot Mt. Whitney. Night closed in before searchers could set out yesterday.

Meanwhile, the young tobacco heir's mother, former torch singer Libby Holman, arrived in New York by plane from Paris. She was not immediately told that little hope is held for 17-year-old Christopher. The boys started the climb nine days ago.

The body of young Reynolds' companion, Steven Wasserman, also 17, was brought off the mountain and met by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Stix Wasserman, wealthy Philadelphians.

The searching party reported finding a 10-foot nylon rope, frayed at the end, around young Wasserman's waist—indicating that the rope may have been severed by the jagged cliff as the pair edged upward, closely together.

Wasserman's body was found at about the 11,500-foot level—some 3,000 feet below where Gates spotted the object that may prove to be young Reynolds.

Today's search for the heir to a \$7,000,000 cigarette fortune will be made by five members of the Sierra Mountain Climbing club who remained high on the peak all night to get a good start.

WATER DROWNS

LEBANON, Ore.—(AP)—Clarence Nelson Meyers, 56, Sweet Home, drowned in Quartzville creek, 15 miles northeast of Foster Sunday.

Meyers, who could not swim went wading and stepped into a deep hole.

will be defeated by Thomas Hennings Jr., the Democratic nominee in Missouri, said he isn't too much perturbed by the forecast. But Donnell said he realizes he has a battle on his hands and wants to get home for active campaigning as soon as possible.

Senator Brewster of Maine, who heads the Republican senatorial campaign committee, said he can agree with Bean on Connecticut and on the predictions that Lucas, Myers and Taylor will be defeated.

But he conceded that the Republicans think they have less chance to beat McCarran in Nevada than almost any other Democrat running this year.

The Republicans also quarrel with Bean's listing of Maryland, Oklahoma and Utah in territory "safe" for the Democrats in November.

Democrats contend, on the other hand, that they have a chance of winning in Kansas, South Dakota and Oregon, which Bean listed as "safe" for the GOP.



ROLAND WAGNER, pianist, will be one of the contestants in the amateur program the Roseburg Active club is sponsoring Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights at 8 o'clock at the fairgrounds. Wagner, a junior at Roseburg senior high school, was a division winner at the amateur program sponsored here recently. He has two brothers, Wayne and Chuck, who are also top entertainers. (Picture by Paul Jenkins)



INSTRUMENTAL—Acts for the Active club amateur program at the county fair Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights will be varied. Clarence Irving Anderson, son of C. H. Anderson of Roberts creek, and Ralph Fray, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fray, 1609 Medford St., will put on a guitar number. (Picture by Paul Jenkins)

Mayor O'Dwyer Going To Mexico As Ambassador

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The White House announced that President Truman will nominate Mayor William O'Dwyer of New York City as ambassador to Mexico.

Presidential Secretary Charles G. Ross told reporters the nomination will be sent to the Senate about Sept. 1.

Ross said O'Dwyer would resign as mayor of New York about that time. The resignation will mean a majority election campaign in New York this fall.

In Mexico city, O'Dwyer would succeed Ambassador Walter Thurston, 56, a career diplomat.

Ross said Thurston would be given another top-level diplomatic assignment, but did not indicate what that assignment might be.

O'Dwyer, 60, has been Mayor of New York since 1945. He first ran for the office in 1941 but was beaten that year by Fiorello H. La Guardia who was elected for a third term.

O'Dwyer opposed Mr. Truman's renomination prior to the Democratic national convention in 1948 but quickly supported the President after his renomination.

Monkey Deserts Teacher Raids Liquor Store

NEW YORK—(AP)—Learning a vaudeville routine can be a grind, so Susie sneaked away.

She sauntered down Broadway yesterday, entered a liquor store and smashed \$100 worth of bottled whiskey. Then she highballed farther down the main stem, dashed into a woman's dress shop and hid under a pink negligee.

The shop owner solded a d and shook a finger at Susie, who countered with a nip on the extended finger.

Born in Mayo, Ireland, O'Dwyer came to this country when he was 20 years old.

Series Results Of Horse Races At Yoncalla Noted

The second in a series of horse races sponsored by the Yoncalla Lions club was held at the Yoncalla rodeo grounds Sunday.

A large entry of good quarter horses with some thoroughbreds as well as several good saddle horses were present. Starting gates were loaned by Lou Andrus of Eugene.

Results of the race (listed by horse, owner and rider in that order):

Race No. 1, saddle horse, distance 220—Gypsy, L. Dilley, D. Vest; Josey, F. Miller, Miller; Babe, J. Weber, Weber.

Race No. 2, quarter horse, distance 220, time 13.5—Abby, W. Clark, C. Black; Little Betty, McFarland, McFarland; Carson Kid, C. Hartford, C. Hartford; also ran Short Stuff, Thomas.

Race No. 3, quarter horse, distance 220, time 12.5—L. T. L. John, L. Brooks, D. Park; Texas King, L. Torricellas, Torricellas; Pass M. Roy Mason, D. Weldon; Light Hand scratched.

Race No. 4, saddle horse, distance 330, time 21.0—Coon, A. Rychar, D. Vest; Peanuts, D. Wise, D. Wise; Goldie, L. Merk, L. Merk; also ran Lady D, D. DeVore.

Race No. 5, unclassified horses, distance 330, time 21.0—Sanbley, Raub and Hutz, C. Black; Chatawa, C. Applegate, L. Merk; Rocket, B. Applegate, B. Applegate; also ran Lady Trinket, C. Hartford, V. Hartford.

Race No. 6, saddle horse, distance 330, time 21.3—Smoky, D. Vest, D. Vest; Gypsy, L. Merk, L. Merk; Butch, G. Striklin, G. Striklin.

Race No. 7, unclassified horses, distance 330, time 23.10—Golden Poppy, Roy Mason, D. Weldon; also ran Golden Meteor and Bingo. Both jumped track.

Race No. 8, unclassified horses, distance 400—Jungle, D. Weldon, D. Weldon; Cow Girl, H. Chappellet, C. Black; Light Hand, J. Gaylor, L. Torricellas; also ran Smoky, D. Vest, D. Vest; also Short Stuff, rider thrown.

The third in the series will be held at the Yoncalla rodeo grounds Aug. 27.

A man ran in and grabbed Susie—a nine-month-old Rhesus, a breed of small monkey.

The man, Tommy Bell, is Susie's owner and trainer. He said Susie went A. W. O. L. while he was teaching her new tricks for a vaudeville act.

Manpower Mobilization Aid Group Oregon Plan

SALEM—(AP)—A statewide labor-management committee to help mobilize manpower for defense production will be appointed, Governor Douglas McKay announced. The committee will work with the state unemployment compensation commission in making uniform rules for recruiting war workers.

Earl R. Lovell, state employment service director, will be the chairman of the committee.

"Although manpower shortages already are beginning to appear in certain classifications, we hope by early organization of these groups to help maintain an even distribution of essential workers among defense establishments, agriculture, food processing lumber and other industries vital to our economy," Governor McKay said.

T. Morris Dunne, Chairman of the unemployment compensation commission, said his organization would work with the government and other states in "developing uniform patterns of operation for recruitment, utilization and stabilization of manpower for any emergency that may develop. We hope to avoid large scale migration and dislocation of workers insofar as that is possible."

He said also that labor-management committees for areas within the state would be appointed later.

Shriners, Families To Hold Picnic August 20

The annual Shriners picnic will be held Aug. 20, at Wolf Creek Forest camp on Little river, with Shriners, members of their families and out of town guests to attend.

Bill Evans, picnic chairman, said the menu will include ham, fried chicken, baked ham and potato salad, relishes, ice cream and soft drinks (all you can eat).

A stag party for Shriners only will be held Saturday afternoon and evening. Families and guests will assemble at the picnic grounds Sunday at 11 a.m. for the lunch, softball games and children's events which will be featured.

Shriners planning to attend are asked to bring sleeping bags and table service.

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