

Meeting Called To Hear Speech On School Bill

An important public meeting will be held on Monday, Sept. 25, at the Junior high school auditorium at 5 p. m. to hear a discussion of the measure to increase the basic school support fund from the present \$50 to the needed \$80 per census child.

Mr. Cecil Posey of Portland will discuss the measure which will be on the November election ballot and will answer all questions from the floor. The main emphasis of the meeting is to stress the facts concerning the future of education for children in Oregon. How the local tremendous growth in population will affect the children in Roseburg will also be discussed.

The meeting is jointly sponsored by the Roseburg Parent-Teacher association and the Roseburg Education association. Parents are advised to take this opportunity to become more familiar with the provisions of this measure.

Printers, Loggers Best Paid Oregon Workers

SALEM — (AP) — The average pay of Oregon's production workers increased \$1.20 a week during the first month of the Korean war, the state unemployment compensation commission said.

It brought the average weekly wage to \$71.99, highest on record, and \$6.81 above the figure of last October.

The average earnings in the printing and publishing industry dropped \$2 a week to \$74.68, because of a shorter work week. But employees in that field remained the best paid of all workers.

Loggers were a close second with \$78.02 a week.

Life Term Given Killer Of Wife's Ex-Husband

PORTLAND — (AP) — William Glen Jordan, 35, was sentenced to life in the state penitentiary Wednesday after pleading guilty to a charge of second degree murder.

Jordan, an unemployed ironworker, had been on trial for first degree murder in the fatal shooting at the Labor temple here Aug. 3 of Joseph N. Taylor, 42, ex-husband of Jordan's wife.

He entered the guilty plea to the reduced charge and circuit judge Lonergan pronounced the life sentence.

V-P GETS OREGON BID

SALEM — (AP) — Vice President Alben W. Barkley has been invited to attend a Democratic rally in Salem October 13.

The invitation was sent by State Treasurer Walter J. Pearson, who said Barkley would be in the northwest at that time.

Provision In Economic Aid Bill To Ban War Goods For Russia Faces House Battle

WASHINGTON — (AP) — House leaders probed today for a plan acceptable to President Truman which would deny U. S. economic aid to nations sending war potential goods behind the iron curtain.

They hoped to have it in shape to receive bi-partisan backing today when the House resumes consideration of a \$17,000,000,000 defense appropriation bill.

The controversial provision is part of a compromise between differing versions passed previously by both chambers. President Truman has voiced his open opposition, adding to that expressed previously by Gen. Omar N. Bradley, joint chiefs of staff chairman, and William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor.

The amendment, sponsored by Senator Wherry (R-Nebr.) says in effect that any nation receiving economic help from the United States shall lose that help if it exports to Russia or her satellites arms or commodities that can be used for military purposes. The ban would apply only while United States forces are "actively engaged in hostilities" to back up United Nations security council decisions.

House Republicans and many southern Democrats are strongly in favor of the Wherry amendment.

Compromise Planned

Administration forces had planned for a showdown vote Wednesday but a nose count indicated they could not knock the amendment from the bill.

Indications were that a final compromise might authorize the Economic Cooperation administration to cut off aid to foreign nations when, in the judgment of the National Security council, those nations are sending to Russia or her friends arms or commodities that are being used for military purposes.

Why Truman Objects

The President urged elimination of the Wherry amendment in a letter to Cannon. He sent a similar one to Chairman McKellar (D-Tenn.) of the senate appropriations committee.

"No one," Mr. Truman wrote, "can quarrel with the ostensible purpose of the amendment—to weaken the war-making potential of Communist dominated countries—and on the surface the amendment may seem to be a plausible means for accomplishing that end."

"But the fact is that it would defeat its own purpose and accomplish substantially the opposite result from that intended—it would weaken the free nations more than it would weaken the Soviet bloc."

The President said nations receiving U. S. economic help have embargoed the shipment of arms to eastern Europe for some two

Congress Gave Truman What He Wanted, He Says

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Congress is in the process of winding up its business this weekend, and President Truman said today it has given him substantially what he asked for.

He told a news conference he is very well pleased with Congress' work and thinks it has accomplished the purposes for which it met.

Democratic and Republican leaders have agreed to close up shop Saturday night—if possible—and to stay closed until Nov. 27.

Mr. Truman remarked that Congress members want to go home and attend to a little private business, and he is for them.

That business, he said, is electioneering for the November races. Asked to campaign, Mr. Truman answered in one word: no.

Congress still wants to dispose of a few "must" measures and to stick around until Mr. Truman signs or vetoes the Communist control bill it sent him last night.

Truman sidestepped today the question of whether he will sign or veto the subversives control bill passed overwhelmingly by Congress.

He did indicate early action, saying there will be no suspense about what he does with the bill.

Mr. Truman told a news conference the bill hasn't reached his desk, but as soon as it does, he will let reporters know his views on it.

While he didn't indicate whether he would sign or veto it, he previously has shown displeasure with many of its provisions and had said he would not sign an earlier form.

Second Operation Is Performed On G. B. Shaw

LUTON, England — (AP) — Playwright George Bernard Shaw today underwent a second major operation at the hospital where he has been recovering from a broken thigh, the British Press association reported.

The agency said the new surgery was designed to relieve a bladder and kidney condition which began to trouble the 94-year-old Irish-born dramatist after he was first operated on for a fractured thigh.

Shaw broke his thigh in a fall in his garden.

After the thigh was operated on Sept. 11 Shaw was pronounced in good condition. However, the bladder condition shortly afterward caused his physicians some concern.

PAGE POLITICIANS!

ASTORIA — (AP) — Butcher shop not bars, are the right setting for campaigning, Austin Flegel said here.

Flegel, Democratic candidate for governor, said that in a bar, "somebody always wants to start an argument." In the butcher shop, though, they listen.

Russia Handed Two Defeats In U.N. Assembly

NEW YORK — (AP) — Russia was defeated today in an attempt to prevent consideration by the U. N. General Assembly of Nationalist China's charges that the Soviet Union aided the Chinese Communists to power.

The assembly's 14-nation steering committee defeated the Russian move 11 votes to two. The negative votes were cast by the Soviet Union and Czechoslovakia. India abstained. Nationalist China's charges against Russia were first raised at the 1949 assembly session.

Russia also was defeated, 12 to two, on its efforts to keep the old Greek-Balkan question off the assembly's agenda.

Soviet Foreign Minister Vishinsky referred to the Chinese Nationalists as "phantoms and ghosts" who have no legal right to be heard as representatives of the Chinese people.

The Russian move in the committee marked the second time in the three-day session of the assembly that the Chinese representation question has received an airing. Upon its opening Tuesday the assembly defeated Russian-Indian resolutions designed to oust the Chinese Nationalists from the U. N. and give their seats to the Chinese Communists.

The pit of Mauna Loa, the Hawaiian volcano, is two miles deep and twice that long.

Locals

Attend Reception — Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Steinberger and sons attended a Steinberger family reunion at Silverton over the weekend.

Visit at Lawson Home — Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nielsen left Tuesday for their home in Yakima, Wash., following a visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Lawson in Roseburg. Other visitors at the Lawson home recently included their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Howard of McMinville.

Mrs. Ingeborg Larsen Dies Here Wednesday

Mrs. Ingeborg Larsen, 79, died Wednesday at her home here following a short illness.

She was born in Norway, April 8, 1871 and came to the United States in 1893, making her home in Minneapolis, Minn. She was married to Anton Larsen Sept. 19, 1896 at Blooming Prairie, Minn. They came to Douglas county in 1904, settling in Lookingglass valley, where they have resided since 1946, when they moved to Roseburg. They observed their golden wedding anniversary Sept. 19, 1946.

Mrs. Larsen had been a member of the Methodist church for 60 years.

Surviving are the widow, Anton of Roseburg, a brother, Olaf Helseth of Norway, and several nephews and nieces.

Services will be held at the Long and Orr mortuary Friday, Sept. 22, at 2 p. m., with Rev. C. N. Currier officiating. Concluding services and interment will be in the Lookingglass cemetery.

Davenport Fire Spreads To Walls Of Apartment

The Roseburg city fire department was called to an apartment house at 243 Sheridan street to extinguish a fire which had started in a davenport of one of the apartments.

The fire department reported that the blaze started shortly after 8 p. m. It spread to the walls of the room but the fire was put out quickly.

Damage to the apartment was estimated by the firemen at \$500. The cause of the fire is still being investigated.

Mild Epidemics Of Polio Beset 2 Oregon Counties

PORTLAND — (AP) — Umattilla and Linn counties are areas of "mild" polio epidemics, the state health officer says.

One of the 17 cases reported for Umattilla county resulted yesterday in the death of Dale Patineau, 16, of Lexington. He had been under treatment in a Walla Walla hospital. Linn county has had 14 reported cases so far this year.

Dr. Harold M. Erickson, the health officer, noted that the Portland-Multnomah county area has had 59 cases, but said this was far from epidemic proportions because of the greater population. A new case in the city boosted the year's tally to 51, of which five have resulted in deaths. Last year there were 28 cases and six deaths in the same period.

The disease incidence appeared to Dr. Thomas L. Mador, city health officer, to have reached its peak. "It has followed the pattern of other years, starting in July's hot weather, gathering momentum in August and then tapering off with the advent of cooler weather," he said.

The latest Umattilla county cases involved a 10-year-old Stanfield girl and a 35-year-old Athens man.

SAN FRANCISCO — (AP) — A California national guard plane rushed three artificial respirators to Portland yesterday for treatment of poliomyelitis patients.

They were supplied by chapters of the National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis at Alameda, San Francisco and Sacramento. The Portland chapter had called for extra respirators when new polio cases exhausted the equipment pool there.

POLLUTION KILLS FISH

PORTLAND — (AP) — There were many dead fish in the Willamette river here Wednesday and a state sanitary authority engineer blamed low water and pollution.

Engineer K. H. Spies said the oxygen needed to keep the fish alive had been dissipated by pollution of the river from Cottage Grove to the river's mouth.

The condition may last through October, Spies said.

Roseburg Active Club Plans Amateur Program

Plans to continue promotion of amateur shows were discussed at the weekly Active club breakfast meeting this morning at the Shalimar.

President Kenneth Atterbury named Barney Root, Dick Gilman and Fred Webster on a special committee to work with the board of directors in promoting the next show, a date for which will be announced later.

Russ Marshall of Vancouver, Wash., was a guest of Arlo Jacklin.

LOGGER KILLED

DALLAS, Ore. — (AP) — A rolling log fatally injured Martin Ritchey, Dallas, at the King Brothers logging operation near Hoskins Wednesday.

He was the second logging accident victim in the area in three days.

DRIVER DIES AT WHEEL

PORTLAND — (AP) — Leon C. Reynolds, 56, Tualatin, slumped at the steering wheel last night and his car rammied into four parked automobiles. He was dead when taken to a hospital.

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