

Dr. O. Hagmeier Elected Health Board President

SALEM (AP)—Dr. O. C. Hagmeier, Seaside physician, is the new president of the Oregon State Board of Health.

He was elected here Tuesday at the Board's annual meeting to succeed Dr. Thomas Griffith, The Dalles.

Serving with Hagmeier will be Dr. N. E. Irvine, Lebanon, first vice president; L. L. Riggs, Portland, second vice president; Dr. Harold M. Erickson, Portland, will continue as secretary and State health officer.

In other action Tuesday the Board allocated \$124,718 federal hospital grant money for construction of the proposed Santiam Memorial Hospital at Stayton, and recommended that the State Health Office in Portland stay open all day Saturday.

Neil Wissing Becomes College Paper Editor

OREGON STATE COLLEGE, Corvallis (Special)—Neil Wissing, junior at Oregon State College, has been appointed associate editor of the Barometer, student newspaper.

One of six student publications on campus, the Barometer is published five days a week throughout the school year.

Wissing, enrolled in business and technology, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Russell, 1415 Hickory Street, Roseburg.

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Truman Sends Message On State Of Union

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trouble of getting up a new message by using last year's."

Rep. Arends of Illinois, Assistant House Republican leader commented: "It looks like the tow line has parted and the Ship of State is foundering. We must call a Republican rescue tug."

Mr. Truman's request for the domestic program he terms his "Fair Deal" was phrased in much milder language than he has used at times in the past.

But he asked that Congress at least put to a vote the controversial measures he has proposed in the field of racial discrimination.

Refers To Corruption

The President touched on the question of tax scandals and dishonesty in government.

"Some dishonest people worm themselves into almost every human organization," he said.

Then he went on to declare that he intends to see that federal employees guilty of misconduct are punished, and that the "honest and hard working majority of our federal employees are protected against partisan slander and malicious attack."

He said he would send Congress some recommendations about this, and then suggested that the legislators look to their own hours. He said:

"Congress can do a great deal to strengthen confidence in our institutions by applying rigorous standards of moral integrity to its own operations—and by finding an effective way to control campaign expenditures—and by protecting the rights of individuals in congressional investigations."

Police Dept. Reports On Work During 1951

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Arrests for drunkenness totaled 337. Ninety-nine persons were arrested on vagrancy charges.

Disorderly conduct arrests numbered 99, and miscellaneous charges accounted for a 100.

O.E.A. Plans Meeting Monday in Roseburg

All Douglas county teachers are urged to attend a meeting of the Douglas county unit of the Oregon Educational Association Jan. 19 at 1:30 p.m. at the Junior High School.

Cecil Posey, O. E. A. executive secretary, will be guest speaker. There will be a short program under the direction of Harold Brown, chairman, Dillard school, and Bertha Blundell, Riddle.

Reports from the Representative Council, held in Portland Dec. 7-8, will be given by Warren Ewing, Roseburg, and Muri Barkhurst, Myrtle Creek.

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Hospital Denied Grant Will Try Oregon Tie-Up

PORTLAND (AP)—Physicians and Surgeons hospital—denied a \$80,000 grant—is going to try to tie up all federal hospital grants in Oregon, its attorney said Tuesday.

The hospital "will file an injunction or take other appropriate action against the State Board of Health challenging the manner in which disbursements of Hill-Burton Act federal funds were handled," the attorney, Ernest Burrows, said.

If an injunction is granted the entire \$576,000 which Oregon has received under the act might not be disbursed to the dozen or so hospital projects for which funds already have been allocated.

The Hill-Burton Act provides for a federal grant of 1-3rd of the cost of a hospital providing the remaining 2-3 of the cost is put up by the hospital and certain other conditions are met. The Board of Health distributes the funds.

By-Passing Charged

Burrows explained that Physicians and Surgeons applied for a \$80,000 grant some time ago. He said the Board of Health approved the grant in 1950 and told the hospital that the funds would be forthcoming.

But since then, a number of other hospitals have received grants and Physicians and Surgeons has been by-passed, he said.

Dr. Harold M. Erickson, state health officer, explained that federal grants for Oregon had been cut one-third since the board agreed to allocate the money to Physicians and Surgeons.

Since then a number of other hospitals—in areas which he described as having a greater need

—have applied for funds. These other hospital-short areas were allocated the funds at the expense of Physicians and Surgeons and other hospitals, he said.

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Vital Statistics

DIVORCE SUITS FILED
HAYICE — Mabel vs. Andrew Hayice. Cruelty charged. Plaintiff asks custody of two minor children and property disposition.

FITZGERALD — John S. vs. Katie Fitzgerald. Cruelty charged. Plaintiff asks \$75 monthly support for two minor children.

INDECENCY DENIED
William Loran Bostwick, 35, 1225 Pine St., is being held in lieu of \$1,000 bail after pleading innocent Tuesday to a charge of indecent exposure. District Judge A. J. Geddes said. Bostwick was arrested by Roseburg police.

PERSONAL
Anyone knowing the whereabouts of the following described person please phone 3-5084.

The wanted person is a lady between 30 and 70 years of age. Her hair is between dark brown and white, her weight between 100 and 200 lbs. She is a lover of beautiful gawking things and can often be distinguished by a green thumb. She may be apprehended loitering around a garden or greenhouse just waiting for spring to arrive. If you know her, do not call the FBI, but get in touch with Specialized Building Supply because she can be subdued with one of their prefabricated Greenhouses. They are located at 743 Garden Valley Rd. or phone 3-5084.

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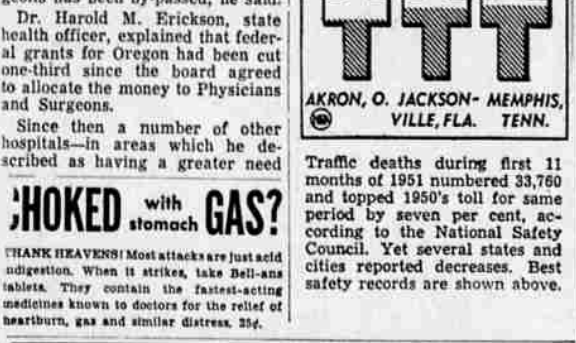
PORTLAND (AP)—The Oregon Potato Commission will send representatives to a meeting of the National Potato Council in Washington, D. C., Jan. 17-19 to oppose the announced potato price rollback.

The Council will draw up what it says will be "workable price ceilings" to be presented to the Office of Price Stabilization.

Scott Warren, chairman of the Oregon Commission, said Tuesday that the recently announced price rollback will cut the potato growers' price \$1.60 a bushel. Such a cut is unrealistic in view of present economic conditions, he said.

MULE RESENTS INSULT
SPRING HOPE, N. C. (AP)—Being hit by the car was bad enough for the mule. But when the vehicle ran over him, he got up and lashed out with a kick that toppled the car into a ditch.

Damage—to mule, slight scratches; to Baker Barnes' car, \$300.



Traffic deaths during first 11 months of 1951 numbered 33,760 and topped 1950's toll for same period by seven per cent, according to the National Safety Council. Yet several states and cities reported decreases. Best safety records are shown above.

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Kiwanis Installs, Hears Summary Of Year's Work

Retiring Kiwanis President James E. Slattery turned over the gavel to N. D. "Nat" Johnson, incoming president, following the club's installation of officers Tuesday noon in the Hotel Umpqua Civic Room.

Dr. E. J. Wainscott, a past lieutenant governor, served as installing officer, and administered the oath to the new officers, who include, besides Johnson; George Neuner, first vice president; George Luoma, second vice president; Gordon Stewart, treasurer; Bob Bashford, Earl Plummer, Ray Sims, Ray Puckett, Dr. Byron Woodruff, George Erickson and Bob Davis.

Installation of a new lieutenant governor for the Southern Oregon Kiwanis District took place Tuesday night, when Horace C. Berg of Roseburg was installed in this position at a special meeting held at the Roseburg Country Club.

Tommy Thompson, Redmond, retiring lieutenant governor, was present to bestow the honors, Kiwanis members and their wives, together with representatives from most other clubs in the district, attended.

Year's Mark Summarized

Slattery summarized activities of the past year, and read the report of Treasurer Gordon Stewart. Emphasizing work of the organization as a service club, Slattery pointed out principal expenditures, other than strict club activities, as including:

Medical and dental care, including nine tonsilectomies and four dental cases for temporarily indigent children, amounting to \$612.37; contribution of \$81.39 for the July 4 fireworks display, and expenses of the Peewee football jamboree project, amounting to \$620.57, of which the major portion went for purchase of 88 jerseys, 88 football pants, 20 shoulder pads and 20 helmets for the players.

The club contributed \$500 for children's books at the city library; purchased a Future Farmer of America calf and a sheep in the Kiwanis calf chain program, under way for five years, and the addition of a sheep chain this year. Contributions were made to the state FFA contest, two Campfire Girls summer camp scholarships, student Community Concert tickets, donation to the traffic safety campaign, the Roseburg symphony group, international relations forum and movie screen for the hotel Civic Room.

William Jess McCleary Passes At Home Here

William Jess McCleary, 48, of 2515 N. Stephens St., died at his home early today.

Deputy Coroner Robert Bellows, who with city police investigated, said an autopsy to determine cause of death would not be necessary. Bellows said McCleary's father, Truman S. McCleary, had found his son floundering in the bathtub about 2:30 a.m. He got him to bed with some difficulty, and later found him dead, with his head over the side of the bed.

McCleary was born April 1, 1904, at Colorado Springs, Colo. He had been a resident of this community 23 years. His father and step-mother, Mr. and Mrs. Truman S. McCleary, Roseburg, and a half-sister, Mrs. Evelyn Strange, Santa Monica, Calif., survive.

The body has been removed to Long & Orr Mortuary and services will be announced later.

Winston Church To Present Cancer Film

The Winston Christian Church will present a moving picture depicting the early symptoms of cancer Sunday, Jan. 13, at 8:15 p.m. This sound picture is being shown by the Douglas County unit of the American Cancer Association. Dr. B. R. Shoemaker will be the speaker.

The public is invited.

Outstanding Jaycee Lacking; Award Off

GARY, Ind. (AP)—The Gary Junior Chamber of Commerce, which annually presents a distinguished service award to one of its own members, got a shock Tuesday night.

A selection committee (composed of non-members) reported to the Jaycees' annual meeting that it could find no outstanding member in the organization.

Confessed Killer Of Three Faces Murder Charge

EVERETT, Wash. (AP)—Harold G. Chase, 22, was charged with first degree murder Tuesday in connection with the death of Dr. Russell R. Bradley, Everett optometrist.

Chase, former Darrington, Wash. marshal, told authorities last week he strangled the optometrist and also was responsible for the deaths of two other persons.

The justice court complaint filed by Prosecutor Phil Sheridan charged Bradley was choked to death by the ex-marshal. The death in Dec. 1950 originally was attributed to a coronary thrombosis.

Chase, held here on first degree, arson charges, told Snohomish County officers last week he killed Dr. Bradley and robbed him of \$538 after they had met in a bar.

Chase also said he killed Leonard M. Lewis, 50, at the Northern State Hospital at Sedro Woolley in January, 1949, and a man called "Joe" at San Francisco last September or October.

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