

VFW Takes No Political Stand, Leader States

The Douglas County Veterans Council has thrown its weight behind Frank Ashley for county commissioner, but the Veterans of Foreign Wars report they cannot take a political stand.

It was reported by Ashley Friday that the VFW had endorsed him. Thomas F. Holmes, quartermaster of the Patrick W. Kelley Post in Roseburg and deputy inspector for the Dept. of Oregon, countered that the VFW "is forbidden to take partisan positions."

Instead, it is the Douglas County Veterans Council which went on record in favor of Ashley. The Council is made up of delegates of the VFW, American Legion and Disabled American Veterans posts in the county.

More than 60 million packs of playing cards have been sold in the United States every year since World War II.

CIRCUIT COURT

Decree
Hazel V. and L. D. Haines and Frankie and Archie G. Moore vs. W. D. Henry, et al. A. N. Orcutt, judge pro tem, finds plaintiffs have failed to sustain material allegations of their amended complaint. Suit dismissed.

Order
N. W. Staley, administrator of the estate of Philip H. Staley, vs. Floyd E. Bergholm. Order sustains demurrer to the complaint. Plaintiff given 15 days to file amended complaint.

Dismissal
State Industrial Accident Commission vs. Robert Vernon Hassell, Robert C. Hassell and Robert Earl Hutchinson, doing business as Hassell Lumber Co. Suit dismissed on motion of plaintiff's attorney.

Motion Overruled
Fred J. Marshall, administrator of the estate of Calvin F. Marshall, vs. Richard Raymond Mullin. Motion for new trial denied.

Complaints Filed
Odell Frank Gilliam vs. State Industrial Accident Commission. Plaintiff seeks award of compensation equal to 75 per cent loss of function of leg for injuries received Jan. 5, 1954, when struck by slab as employ of Lee Cook, Elkton. Defendant previously denied claim.

State Public Welfare Commission vs. William Ralph Shigley
Plaintiff seeks \$140, \$376 and \$840 in three causes of action, alleging the mother of the defendant received public assistance of \$1,011 and Shigley did not pay portion for support as provided by law.

State Unemployment Compensation Commission vs. Derwin L. Oberman, doing business as D. L. Oberman Logging
Plaintiff seeks \$116.26, plus interest, alleging that amount due in unemployment compensation payments required by law.

Mexicans Take Step To Exclude Religious Schools

MEXICO CITY (AP)—The Mexican government has taken another short step away from the left in dealing with the public schools.

The education minister said Mexico's policy is "simply to exclude religious education from the schools, turning it over to the home." Minister Angel Ceniceros made his statement before the National Convention of Normal School Teachers.

This is a long way from the practice some 15 years ago of requiring school teachers to certify they were not members of the Roman Catholic Church. The retirement from position has been made in a series of short steps. Ceniceros' statement is the latest in the series.

Ceniceros said that under his regime "the state abstains from deciding whether religious fanaticism or religion itself are incompatible with scientific knowledge."

Truman's Speech Stirs Blast At His Regime

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Former President Harry S. Truman, still recuperating from serious surgery last summer, told a Kansas City audience Saturday night that GOP foreign policy has piled "blunder on blunder," threatening "our own security and the peace of the world."

He said that domestically the Republicans had shown an "incapacity to govern" through a "hopeless drifting and a gradual surrender to selfish interests."

GOP National Chairman Leonard W. Hall told party leaders at Jefferson City, Mo., that Truman's "memory is certainly short."

He said Truman surely must remember that during his administration "some 600 million free people were put behind the Iron Curtain."

He said when U. S. troops were ordered out of Korea before the Korean War started, it was "like giving a gift invitation to Stalin."

He said that in contrast when Red China threatened recently to invade Formosa President Eisenhower announced "if they intend to take Formosa they'll have to climb over the American 7th Fleet."

Communists Get Jolt In Austrian Election

VIENNA, Austria (AP)—Final returns from free parliamentary elections in four Austrian provinces—including one occupied by the Soviets—showed sharp setbacks Monday for both Communists and extreme rightists.

The Communists won only slightly more than 5 per cent of the votes in Russian-held lower Austria and about 8.6 per cent in the Russian parts of Vienna. This was 11.5 per cent less than they chalked up a year ago in electoral parlance.

Marriages In Trieste Boom As Troops Leave

TRIESTE (AP)—There have been many marriages in the nine years GIs have been stationed in this city of good looking girls. But theuptal rate has really boomed since the announcement that Allied troops are leaving Trieste and Italians are taking over.

Some of the GIs will send for their girls later, but it is much simpler to marry them now and take them out. Brides can accompany their husbands as military dependents.

Lt. Col. William D. Kirkpatrick of Ennis, Tex., chief chaplain of U. S. Army forces in Trieste, has 143 marriage applications pending.

British Nudists Plan Recruiting With Pretty Girls

LONDON (AP)—British nudists announced Saturday they will send flying squadrons of pretty young women to the beaches next summer wearing bikini shorts, but as bare as they were born above the waist.

"Briefly, the plan is to form groups of pretty young women who will visit selected beaches and who will dispense entirely with brassiere tops when they don bathing attire," said a bulletin from the British Sunbathing Assn.

This bold step is being taken, it was explained, to induce more girls and women to join the nudists.

"The interest and envy these sun-tanned bodies will arouse in other young women on the beaches will bring crowds of new members to the nudist ranks," the announcement said.

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Community Players To Map New Activities

Winter activities will be mapped out by members of the Thalia Community Players when they meet Tuesday night at Central Junior High School.

The players have invited non-member area residents interested in dramatics or radio work to meet with them in Room 212 at 8 p.m. Thalia Players were inactive during the past summer months.



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5. New farm price program adopted to protect farmers and develop exports of farm products.
6. Stronger defense program adopted. Heavier reliance on atomic weapons and air power. Air Force Academy established.
7. New housing program raises limits on Government-insured home mortgages, lowers down-payments, makes home ownership easier for thousands.
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9. 12 Reorganization Plans adopted. Department of Health, Education and Welfare created.

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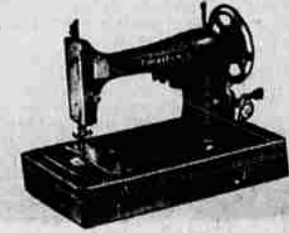
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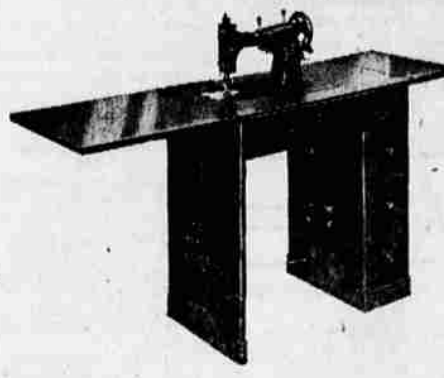


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