

Legion Denounces Reds, Beats Pension Bid, Approves United Nations In Principle

MIAMI, Fla. (AP) — The drums and bugles are stilled and the veterans scattered, but the old boys who attended the American Legion's national convention showed plenty of zip.

In the convention which ended Thursday they voted to do away with UNESCO, but just as overwhelmingly endorsed the United Nations in principle and approved U.S. membership.

LOCAL NEWS

Vacationing — Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dent of this city are enjoying a three-week vacation in California. They are visiting friends and relatives in Santa Ana, Lemoore and San Francisco.

Leave Wednesday — Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bruley left Wednesday for their home in Tillamook, following a visit here with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hill.

Return From Canada — Mrs. E. G. High and son, Vernon J. Houck, have returned to Roseburg after a 10-day trip to Alaska, Sask., Canada. They made the trip to attend the funeral of Mrs. High's only brother, A. E. Running.

Attend Wedding — Coming to Roseburg for the Fisher-St. Onge wedding were A. A. St. Onge's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. St. Onge, of Garibaldi, Ore.; his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Philbrook, Eugene; his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hughes, and his nephew-in-law and niece, Mr. and Mrs. George Steig, and two children, of Longview, Wash., and Mrs. F. W. Watkins of Medford.

Six-Jet B47 Bomber Crashes Into Hill; 4 Dead

RIVERSIDE, Calif. (AP) — A six-jet B47 bomber powered into a hill and exploded killing four crewmen Thursday night, shortly after it had taken off on an instrument training flight from nearby March Air Force Base.

Col. Pinkham Smith, base commander, estimated the bomber was traveling nearly 500 miles an hour when it hit. The explosion scattered flaming wreckage over a two-mile area. Houses shook in Riverside, eight miles away.

The bomber was attached to the 320th Bombardment Wing at March AFB. Victims' names were withheld.

COLLISION KILLS WOMAN

PORTLAND (AP) — Collision of an automobile and a garbage truck killed Inez Carroll, 52, in North Portland Thursday, the 28th fatality of the year in the city.

Paul F. Schwab, 67, a passenger in the car, was injured seriously.

HOLDS SESSION

JERUSALEM, Israel (AP) — The Israel Parliament met in extraordinary session Wednesday and decided to hold a foreign policy debate next week.

They gave a thumping defeat to a bid for \$100-a-month pensions for all first World War veterans at age 60, but asked greater benefits for ill veterans and dependents.

A floor revolt developed against Legion "brass" over a proposal for a steering committee to do planning at conventions, but a new national commander and five vice commanders were elected by acclamation.

Russia, China and India were given a kicking around, but the veterans asked solid military support for Nationalist China and South Korea.

Most of the delegates were World War I veterans, with a smattering of younger World War II and Korean service men. The older men dominated the floor during debates—but the new national commander, J. Addington (Add) Wagner, was born in 1914, when war clouds began to shadow the oldsters.

Wagner, an attorney of Battle Creek, Mich., is a Navy veteran of World War II. He was commissioned a Navy ensign in 1942, served aboard a rocket-firing ship in the Pacific and was wounded in an air attack at Okinawa. He recovered in time to take part in the occupation of Japan.

A Massachusetts delegate, Jacob Kessler, tossed in from the floor was the only name in opposition to Wagner. He nominated Dwight E. McCarty of Fitchburg, Mass., as a part of the revolt against "brass." McCarty received 20 Massachusetts votes. All the remaining 3,145 went to Wagner. A motion from the floor made it Wagner by acclamation.

Walkers Purchase First Christmas Seal Bond

The first Christmas Seal bond in Douglas County has been purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Rex G. Walker, 230 S. Parrott St., Roseburg.

The Walkers' being first comes as no surprise to the Douglas County Tuberculosis and Health Assn. They've made initial purchases for several years.

County Executive Secretary Mrs. Edwin Tauscher announced Thursday that Christmas Seals were now available at the local association office, 204 Pacific Bldg., for persons desiring to place them on overseas packages.

WRITERS ON RADIO

Members of the Roseburg Writers Club will be heard over KRNR in a program Saturday, Oct. 15, at 4 p.m. in observance of national poetry day.

Hospital News

Douglas Community Hospital

Admitted

Surgery: Jack Schell, Winston. Medical: Mrs. Francis Wilkerson, Mrs. Alfred Koller, Mrs. Donald Olivanti, Mrs. George Sanders, Gary Sprague, Mrs. Carl Arvidson, Roseburg; Mrs. Lyndon Lengele, Winston; Mrs. Richard Standley, Glide; Bruce Glanville, Myrtle Creek.

Discharged

Mrs. Carl Yeust, Tiller; Mrs. John Wilton, Mrs. Carl Ellis, Beta Rose, Mrs. Art Swenson, Mrs. Kenneth Anderson, Floyd Wells, Roseburg; Mrs. James LaCava, Mrs. William Smitherman, Winston Scott Wilson, Oakland.

Mercy Hospital

Admitted

Surgery: Linda Davis, Mrs. Homer Strickling, Mrs. Frank Lening, Louis A. Miles, Roseburg; Gaynell Watkins, Camas Valley; Mrs. Floyd Porter, Mrs. Henry Byrd, Sutherlin.

Medical: Charles Hilber, Mrs. Thomas Hamilton, Mrs. Rex Roberts, Mrs. Roscoe Hasenager, Roseburg; Mrs. Harold Householder, Reedsport.

Discharged

Mrs. Martin Yoder and baby, Lowell Dean; Mrs. Roy Cooper, Mrs. Willma Hill, Norcen Kay Meade, Silas Turpin, Roseburg; Lloyd Cornish, Sutherlin.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED

At the regular meeting of the Riddle school board this week, the budget committee for the year was named as follows: J. L. Atkins, Earl Smith, William Markham, Robert Lilly and Mrs. Austin Wilson. Selection of a committee of citizens to study future school needs, sites and salary schedules is under way.

Plans Formulated For Magazine Sales

Plans are being formulated for the 19th annual junior high school magazine campaign in Roseburg's District 4.

The young salesmen and women sold over \$11,000 in subscriptions last year, reports Central Junior High School Principal Clifford Norris. He said the students retain about 30 per cent of the sum for their school treasures. Last year they earned more than \$3,000.

The money is used to finance the activity programs of the junior highs and to supply many of the building furnishings.

During the 19 years of the program, the junior high pupils have earned approximately \$20,000, Norris said.

The contest starts Oct. 20 and continues through Nov. 3. The students will make all of the home contacts after school and on weekends.

Principal Norris said they would have a list of some 50 magazines from which District 4 residents could select new subscriptions or renew old ones.

DANCE SCHEDULED

Members of the Roseburg Country Club and their invited guests have been asked to attend an informal dance at the clubhouse Saturday, Oct. 15, beginning at 9:30 p.m. Ralph Brevik's orchestra from Eugene has been engaged to play for the dance.

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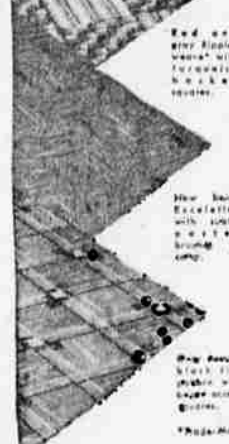
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