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Two Boondoogles **Drop Dead**

The 1959 legislature, which in its wisdom decided it knew more about highway construction priorities than the State Highway Commission-charged by law with the job-turned out to be a considerably less than red hot planner.

Good planners, at least the good planners we have known, don't push projects unless they are feasible.

The legislature passed a bill providing for financing of two projects:

1. The "bridge to nowhere" across the Columbia river at Astoria. This was a particularly ill-advised idea, the law passing after a giant crab feed and bus and booze party given to members of the

legislative assembly. 2. The improvement of highway 42 in southwestern Oregon. This was put over by a housewives lobby from the And what happened to the two

Well, the first is illegal, the state's bond attorneys have just ruled. The legislature, without consulting the state of Washington, said the bridge could be built if Washington would pay half the losses. Washington wants no part of such a scheme. As a result the whole shebang will have to wait to see if the 1961 legislature is hungrier and thirstier than its 1959 counterpart.

And the second? It's legal, all right, but the sum involved in the project is so big that it will take ten years to do the job, far more than the housewives

After this the legislature had better leave highway planning to the Highway

One Country—One Defense Force

the armed services should be merged. committee has sent a report to the presi- other or been succeeded by a more termine "whether the merger of the Army and Air Force would be the best course of action." The report should have taken the more direct approach by advocating merger. Studies already made have shown that such action is called for, at least in the field of missile development.

By the very nature of weaponry development today independent action by separate services has become increasingly hazardous and costly. In the past the services have been able to adapt various weapons to specific missions; today the reliance has shifted to missions being adapted to the weapons, particularly mis-

More evidence has been gathered that research. Competing systems are advanced by the Army and the Air Force The House Government operations until they have either nullified each ent asking for more studies to de- deadly system. It is this duplication and waste that the committee wishes to

> A first step will be merger of the Army and Air Forces; ultimately as weapons continue to develop into a single striking force, the Navy and Marines can be brought into a unified command.

With our growing investment in missiles this unity of services becomes imperative. In former fighting days the services could promote a weapons system relatively inexpensively.

If the system was made obsolete or abandoned for some reason, the cost to taxpayers ranged in the thousands to millions of dollars. Today, if missile planning goes awry, the cost ranges into

Entire missile systems have been made obsolete by continuing improvements and

Grim Reaper Claimed Death Record

A budding love affair is what often blossoms into the blooming expenses of

When you talk too much you're less likely to be considered as good as your DREW PEARSON SAYS:

Nikita 'All Wet' On Theory Of What Makes America Tick

"We will bury a haven for refugees. you," before the National Press
Club. Nikita Khrushchev contended that feudalism gave way
to the better system of capitalsyn and accident the state—credit to the better system of capitalunder the federal reserve banks.

ican newsmen: "You should read as well as write."

I followed Khrushchev's advice. I went out and read the "Comnist Manifesto" published in 1848 by Karl Marx in collaboration with Friedrich Engels, both of whom Khrushchev quoted and both regarded as the fathers of communism. Their "Communist Manifesto" is the Bible of communism.

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A comparison of the Communist Manifesto with the way the Mitchell recently closed a California camp because it was unsanitary.

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Trouble once more apparently is brewing in two states of the perennially troubled Middle East. In Baghdad, the "moment of truth" may be approaching for cans political ammunition against the Democrats who incorporated automobile, motion pictures, have the Marin Kassem.

perty and the use of land rents cent in the 1900's to around 17
to defray state education—no per cent today. Main Street and feudalist state ever existed in Fifth Avenue now think, dress, the United States, so no land has been expropriated until recently to build highways, hydroeleed trie projects, and civic improvements. However, most state colleges get their revenue from the—free public schools, with compleasing of government owned pulsory attendance, have been leasing of government owned pulsory attendance leasing of government owned leasing of government o

land, as Marx advocated; while the fact in the USA for over a Texas follows the Marxian doctrine by using revenue from tide lands oil for its schools.

2. A vigorously graduated income tax—our income taxes are graduated up to 91 per cent. Soviet Russia's go up to only 13 to in providing old age pensions, ver cent.

3. Abolition of the right of inheritance — American estates
above \$66,000, with some exceptions, are subjected to a graduated inheritance tax, going up to
77 per cent. Soviet inheritance ent revolution, not the violtaxs are niddling in comparison. Karl Marx. And while some Am-

By LOUIS CASSELS

py about this country's failure to

give effective support to the world

Although the refugee year be-

gan nearly three months ago, they say, America's contribution

so far consists mainly of pious talk.

United States would set an exam-

ple for the rest of the world by making a generous financial con-

tribution and by providing thou-

sands of immigration visas for

This hope was based on the

fact that the U.S. government took the lead in organizing the

refugee year. It co-sponsored (with Great Britain) a United Na-

tions resolution calling on all countries to make special efforts between July 19, 1959 and June

30, 1960, to relieve the plight of millions of homeless people who

are still huddled in refugee camps in Europe, the Middle East and

Asia. Both Congress, in a resolution,

and President Eisenhower, in an official proclamation, have issued

Didn't Act on Legislation

ringing endorsements of the

Churchmen had hoped that the

WASHINGTON-Explaining his On the contrary we have become

ism, and capitalism then gave it was much more tightly central-way to the better system of Com-ized during the Roosevelt and munism. He also advised Amer-ican newsmen: "You should read banks participating in federal de-

munism. Their "Communist Manifesto" is the Bible of communism.

The Manifesto is about the same length as the Republican party platform, and reading it convinced me that Mr. K is all twiction of uncultivated land, and improvement of cultivated land on one vital point, has become a deserter to the Marxian theory.

Mark taught that the proletariat could not emancipate itself except by breaking all the chains of bondage, by reconstituting the whole of constituted society. "The day of German resurrection will be announced by the crowning of the Gallican cock," he proclaimed.

Mr. K, however, has become a traitor to Marx. He announced that communism and capitalism would "compete." He deserted the Marxian doctrine of revolution. If the capitalistic system is able to give people more than the communistic system, he said, "I will be the first to come to you and ask for a job for which is amounted to communistic system, he said, "I will be the first to come to you and ask for a job for which is a grant transit lines.

7. Increase of national factor-ies and means of production, cultivated land improvement of cultivated land and out of cultivated land and out of cultivation and therefore run counter to Marx. The TVA. Bonneville Dam, Grand Navy-Interior Department own-orship of oil lands go along with Marx.

8. Universal and equal obligation to work; organization of industrial armies especially for agriculture—this was aimed at the then large idle class in Eucope. The desire to work is the then large idle class in Eucope. The desire to work is the then large idle cla Corps.

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taxs are piddling in comparison. Karl Marx. And while some Am-4. Confiscation of property of cricans don't agree with all this today. all emigres and rebels—this re-program, it has been voted by ers to the flight of royalty and majority rule, so they abide by

aristocrats from European coun-tries. No such flights have tak-en place from the United States. that job before he goes home.

Support Of World



When you make your one big pledge to your town's united campaign, you are actually giving to many campaigns in one. Your one contribution fights disaster and disease, works to prevent juvenile delinquency, and attacks the problems of the aging and the breakdown of family life.

"I will be the first to come to last month passed a bill reinstation and ask for a job for which ing the Youth Conservation Middle East Boiling, Trouble Karl Marx turn over in his grave. Uneasy Republicans Armies for agriculture are organized every summer in the south to harvest crops in the local parts and the comparison of the Comparison o

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OBITS

United Press International

ROME — Noted archaeologist Msgr. Giulio Belvederi, 77, a friend of Pope John XXIII, died

Locke, 88, founder of the Locke Steel Chain Company died Sunday at his home here, it was learned

KASSEL, Germany — German racing idol Rudolf Carriacciola, 58, died Monday in a local clinic from a liver ailment.

Bergstrom urged that church

Congressmen to demand "effec-

as the new sessions meets in Jan

Still Expresses Hope

The Very Rev. Francis B. Sayre Jr., dean of Washington Episcopal Cathedral and chair-

between the Kassem and UAR outlets once more were advocated President Garnal Abdel Nasser ing Kassem's violent overthrow.

"Let Kassem follow Nuri." through Baghdad streets in the tion of Iraq known to be most revolution which overthrew the sympathetic to Nasser's brand of the Iraq monarchy

QUOTES FROM THE NEWS

United Press International JACKSON, Miss. — Mary Ann Mobley, last year's Miss Ameri-Mobiey, last year's Miss Ameri-ca, after abandoning plans to be-deal with the violence. If he does come a school teacher in favor of

from Ole Miss; maybe I'll attend summer school there sometime."

deformats last spring said would be the measure of Communist power.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. - Lt. Cmdr. Morgan L. Davison, 37, after spending 12 hours in the eye BRIDGEPORT, Coan.—Sylvanus of hurricane Gracie in a Navy hurricane hunter plane: "She is the worst hurricane I've

seen all season."

MILWAUKEE, Wis. - John Roseboro in the Dodger dressing room commenting on his sixth in ning homer that represented the winning run against the Braves: "I swung with all I had. There can't be any bigger thrill than

MILWAUKEE, Wis. - Hank Aaron in the Braves dressing room after losing the first game in their National League playoff "We'll take 'em, we've bounced

back before.

U. S. Scientists members get in touch with their Show Photograph From Outer Space refugee legislation as soon

WASHINGTON (UPI)- Scientists today proudly displayed the first photograph ever taken of the earth from space

The admittedly crude picture was taken by a television camman of the U. S. National Com- era abourd Explorer VI. the Padmittee for Refugees, said this con- diewheel satellite, at an altitude cern about the situation is re-illeved only by "the hope that Congress will hustle a refugee bill scene photographed.

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Scientists and officials of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration said the picture in the adjournment rush was sponsored by Rep. Francis E. area of the Central Pacific, proved Walter (D-Pa.), chairman of the the feasibility of TV exploration House Immigration Committee, It of the moon and planets.

would allow European refugees to Space experts also reported at enter this country on "parele"—a status which allows them to apply for permanent residence after launched Aug. 7 has discovered a they have been here for two new, narrow region of highly penyears. Although it fixes no nu- etrating particles fairly close to merical ceiling, sponsors said it the earth,

would pave the way for admission of about 10,000 refugees a year for the next several years.

It ran into strong and stubborn ties appear to be no bar to opposition from two members of space travelers of the future.

-Micrometeorites, none larger But Congress adjourned last too many cars are parked in front watter's successful to a charlet a successful to a charlet a cha

The 17 men executed in Iraq were convicted of playing a part Nuri was Nuri As-said whose in last spring's abortive Mosul remutilated body was dragged through Baghdad streets in the he Iraq monarchy.

It meant that UAR propaganda

Arab nationalism. In fact, Iraq's foreign minister in an interview with this correspondent in Bagh-dad last spring, blamed Nasser for fostering the revolt.

The UAR will not be alone in

watching the trend of events in

Communism Not Involved

The Cairo and Damascus reports say Kassem is thinking of reviving the Communist-influenced so, he will have gone far toward

Those demands were that he carry out death sentences passed by the people's court and that he "arm the people", specifically, the popular resistance forces.
Communism is not involved in the reports of new troubles for

Jordan's King Hussein, In May, in a move to become his own man, Hussein threw out his long-time premier, Samir Rifai, and appointed a man of his own choice and thinking, Hazza Majali.

Both Rifai and Majali were friends of the West, but Rifai was notably anti-Nasser. Hussein has moved closer to the UAR regime of late, and Rifai and Hussein's autocratic mother, Queen Zein, are said to have joined forces to restore the old order of things.

REMEMBER WHEN

25 years ago the La Grande High School Tigers drop-ped their season opener to a beefy Walla Walla High eleven. 13-6, practically "blowing the tame" on a razzle dazzle play that fizzled and gave the visitors ossession of the ball that led to the clincher TD.

A series of talks was being nade at various civic organizaions by Major Andrew Looney. Sr., of the Salvation Army; meanvhile, a Rally Day was called for by Protestant churches of La irande, with plans mapped by he Methodists, Lutherans, Bapists and Presbyterians.

Almost 300 persons attended he farewell party given at the .DS church for Miss Mae Bean vho was leaving on a mission to ondon, England.

15 years ago Calais fell to he Canadians in savage Europan Theater of Operations fight-

The OPA chief announced a 20-

point cost for butter that was n the food rationing program in he United States. An attendance record of some 1,000 persons marked the annual

forse Show here under auspices of the Mavericks' Riding Club. Three hundred horses were red in the show, with M. M. Thristenson, president of the tures from a weather station troduced as show princess.

Last month set a grim record on Oregon highways when 62 persons were killed in traffic mishaps.

The Grim Reaper reached into 31 Oregon communities in claiming the highest number of monthly traffic fatalities on record.

Union County was no exception, as two persons died in road accidents and several others were injured. County fatalities were both teenage boys and

both of La Grande. Despite the great death toll for the month of August, fewer persons died on the state highways this summer than

last summer. But the Department of Motor Vehicles is not too proud of these figures. August's death boxscore is officially in the record books and it's a mark they hope will stand as a permanent record, never to be topped.

these days.

The modern girl, says a stylist, shows distinction in her clothes. And sometimes, distinctly.

Refugee Year Falls Off, Churchmen Say "At the rate we are going, U.S. of the Lutheran Refugee Service. participation in the World Refugee Year will be practically nil," said U.S. church leaders are unhapgovernment to fail to act in this

uary.

the Rev. R. Norris Wilson, direc-tor of Church World Service. "It s a very sad spectacle."
Wilson's organization is the Refugee Relief Agency of the National Council of Churches, in which

34 major Protestant and Orthodox denominations are represented. Msgr. Edward E. Swanstrom, executive director of Catholic Re-

lief Services, also expressed keen Vernon E. Bergstrom, director

NEWS CHUCKLES United Press International

BRIEFS THE COURT LOS ANGELES — Municipal Judge Parks Stillwell's court re-convened Monday after the noon recess and his honor told those

"The Dodgers are winning, 3-2 Neal is on first, there's one out and Larker is at bat." Then he looked at an attorney in a petty theft case and said:

"Counsellor, you may call your next witness.

LONDON - The Bishop of

and purposes of the world refu- PARISH CONGESTION

Southwark complained today that But Congress adjourned last too many cars are parked in front Walter's subcommittee, Reps. Mi-

And the administration is currently displaying reflectance to make the full 10 million dollars U.S. financial contribution which Congress did approve.

We often have a couple of Author May and Sept. 1.

Walter felt it was futile to try and Sept. 1.

Thistenson, president of the Mayericks, Fred Gutherie of Elinia and M. J. Goss, Horse Show closing days of the session without a unanimous subcommittee useful storm and cloud cover pictures from a weather station.

Thistenson, president of the Mayericks, Fred Gutherie of Elinia and M. J. Goss, Horse Show chairman, appearing on the progress did approve.