

DISPOSAL PLAN SUPPORT HERE IS MARSHALLED

Civic Organizations Will Name Representatives Upon Committee

Building Congress Listens To Game Commission's Views On Issue

Plans for promoting a vigorous educational campaign to inform voters of the facts concerning the desired approval at the July 21 election of the proposed city sewage disposal plant as a public works project were laid at a conference last night between directors of Salem chapter, Oregon Building Congress, and representatives of the state game commission.

Today, it was announced, all civic organizations in the city will be asked to name representatives to form a committee to conduct the campaign. The building congress will then take its place among these organizations. The issue for which the committee will through press, pamphlets and public speaking seek a favorable vote is approval of a charter amendment permitting the city to apply to President Roosevelt's public works administrator for \$450,000 with which to build the sewage disposal plant. Thirty per cent of this amount, or \$135,000, will be a direct grant from the government, while the remainder will be given the city in exchange for self-liquidating four per cent bonds, which will not be a general obligation of the city.

The bond issue, which the public works administrator will hold as security, will be liquidated through user charges and sale of by-products of the sewage plant. R. D. Slater, president of the congress, said, Ernest L. Crockett, assistant game supervisor, declared that operation costs, bond principal, and interest, the first year would amount to about \$1 per capita here and at the end of the 30-year bonding period, only 50 cents per capita.

"Employment is the primary purpose of the sewage disposal projects up and down the Willamette river," declared Miss Nadie Strayer, of the game department. "If we don't build these plants, then what other projects will we have to reduce unemployment?" Building congress members pointed out that approximately 50 per cent of the cost of the plant would go to labor.

Miss Strayer further outlined the need of a sewage disposal plant from the health, recreation, and game fish standpoint. "The people want a clean river for boating, fishing and swimming; and erection of these plants from Cottage Grove to Portland will save the commercial salmon industry," she asserted. "Sewage disposal plants are high on the list of preferred projects in the public works program," Mrs. Crockett explained, "and Salem is fortunate in having engineering plans sufficiently complete to make it possible for the job to be started yet this summer if the people approve the application."

FAILS IN ATTEMPT TO TAKE OWN LIFE

Mrs. Emma Beckett, about 60, of 467 North 13th street, was recuperating last night from what city police believed was an attempt to drown herself in North Mill creek at about 3:15 p. m. Attendants at a local hospital, from which she was released last night, said her condition was not serious.

Police said the woman either leaped or fell into the creek from the bridge at 14th and Center streets. Their aid was sought by neighbors who heard her screams. The officers found her standing in water up to her ears, about 80 yards downstream from the bridge, rescued her, using a boat and took her to the hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Beckett, police understood, recently suffered a stroke of apoplexy.

Someone Peeved At Dog Catcher

Perhaps a man in a green cap was peeved at the city dog catcher for having put his pet in the pound. For this man, unidentified, was seen to drive the man's retriever's automobile away from where it was parked. Ferry and Commercial streets. Carl Radke, the dog catcher, notified police of the theft of his car, bearing license number 125-397, late Monday afternoon.

Five Americans are In Spanish Jail for 'Military' Offense

New Leader of Militant Dries



Mrs. Ida B. Wise Smith, Des Moines (Iowa) clergywoman, who was elected president of the national Women's Christian Temperance union at the recent convention in Milwaukee, Wis. She succeeds Mrs. Ella Boole of Brooklyn, N. Y., who declined re-nomination.

WARNING ISSUED ON BREAD PRICE BOOST

Anti-Trust Laws Waved as Threat; no Increase Made Here so far

WASHINGTON, July 10—(AP)—A new warning came from the department of justice today it would stand between the consumer and profiteers who take advantage of the recovery drive for personal gain. Discussing reports of bread price increases exceeding the fair amount the new processing tax was estimated to cause, Attorney General Cummings said prosecutions under the anti-trust laws would be instituted wherever an organized attempt to increase bread prices unduly was shown. He said an agent was in North (Turn to page 2, col. 1)

Job Supply Here Holding Up Well Bureau Reports

Fifty-four men and women were provided with jobs Monday through the U.S.-Y.M.C.A. Employment bureau and farmer inquiries indicated that many more would be hired within the next 10 days. There were 25 persons sent out to pick cherries, 16 to pick raspberries, five to pick blackberries, four to do common labor, three to do general farm work and one to do housework. The raspberry pickers were to receive a cent and a half per three-fourths pound box.

Oregon Briefs

ATTORNEY RETAINED
GRANTS PASS, Ore., July 10—(AP)—The opening of the first degree murder trial of John Bar-riago, 17, and Harry Bowles, 31, charged with slaying Burrell Milo Baucom, state policeman, was delayed here today when the court received a telegram from Charles W. Dempster, Los Angeles attorney, that he had been retained to defend Bowles.

The understanding here was that Mrs. Ella B. Bowles of Los Angeles, mother of young Bowles, had made arrangements for her son's defense. Both youths are from southern California.

Circuit Judge Harry D. Norton, ordering a special venire for jury service in the trial, now scheduled to open Thursday, indicated he was advised separate trials would be requested by Dempster.

The two boys pleaded not guilty to the charges when they were arraigned in circuit court today.

GUIDE TO BE BEAUTIFIED
PORTLAND, Ore., July 10—(AP)—A village stood in the way of improvements, so the residents are picking up their houses and moving the village to a new location.

Unemployed bachelors "banded" Shantytown in Sullivan's gulch, within Portland's city limits, as their place of residence until they should find employment again. Owners of the gulch decided to beautify it. The bachelors are picking up their shanties in

Consists of Striking Guard at Hotel in Palma, Report

PALMA, Mallorca, Spain, July 10—(AP)—United States authorities have demanded the release on bail of five Americans, one a woman, who have been held in jail here since June 5 charged with a military offense. Claude Dawson, United States consul general at Barcelona, who came here to investigate the case, said he had conferred with the prisoners and military authorities and felt "quite encouraged over developments."

The prisoners are Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Lockwood, Walter Blodgett, Rutherford Fullerton and Roderick Mead. Dawson said he did not know the home cities of the prisoners but understood they came from New York, Connecticut and Ohio. (A Washington dispatch said the Lockwoods and Mead are from New York City; Blodgett from Stamford, Conn., and Fullerton from Columbus, O.) Dawson said he confirmed details of the incident which led to the arrests. The Americans were reported involved in a dispute with civil guards at the Hotel Mediterraneo here. Blodgett's spectacles were reported broken in an exchange of blows with a guard, whereupon Mrs. Lockwood was said to have struck the guard. The guard then struck her with the flat side of a sabre and arrested all the Americans. It was reported. The five were charged with the military offense of attacking a guard.

SHERIFF ON TRIAL DEMANDS HIS JOB

Suspension Expires, Bonds Unprovided; Testimony Links Banks Again

MEMPHIS, Ore., July 10—(AP)—Virgil Edington, testifying today for the state in the trial of Gordon Schermerhorn, suspended Jackson county sheriff, on a charge of complicity in the theft of 10,000 ballots from the county courthouse last February, said that L. A. Banks, former editor and orchardist, had convinced him that theft of the ballots "would be an heroic act, and not a crime."

Banks recently was convicted in Eugene of second degree murder for the death of George Prescott, Medford constable. Prescott was shot to death when he attempted to serve a warrant on Banks charging him with complicity in the ballot theft, which occurred on the eve of a recount of votes to determine the legality of Schermerhorn's election as sheriff.

Schermerhorn today went to the sheriff's office and formally demanded that Acting Sheriff Walter Olmstead turn over the office to him, as his suspension expired Saturday at midnight. Olmstead said he would relinquish the office to him as soon as Schermerhorn's bonds were provided. The state said Saturday (Turn to page 2, col. 1)

Slayers Plead Not Guilty 'Shantytown' Must Move

Body Found Weighted Down Beer Parlor Death Scene

"old Shantytown," and moving Shantytown down the railroad tracks a few blocks.

SUICIDE IS THEORY
MARSHFIELD, Ore., July 10—(AP)—Police said today that a body found on the mud flats near North Bend was identified as that of L. A. Olson, 48, Coos Bay longshoreman, last seen ten days ago. Heavy weights had been attached to the body. Some of these fell from the rope and allowed the body to float free. Olson came to a beach west of the town at a beer parlor west of the city. Police expressed the belief that he drowned himself.

MURDER IS CHARGED
LAKEVIEW, Ore., July 10—(AP)—Sheriff Carrillo filed a first degree murder charge against Fred Hauser of Lakeview in connection with the slaying here last of Charles Junkin, also of this city.

Police said the shooting climaxed a row between the two at a beer parlor west of the city. Junkin objected to Hauser's conduct in the presence of several women, and knocked Hauser down. Hauser regained his feet, the officers said they were told, went to his automobile, grabbed an automatic pistol and shot Junkin through the body and head. Junkin formerly lived at Weiser, Idaho. Hauser surrendered to Sheriff Carrillo when he was found in a shack about a mile from the scene of the shooting.

INDUSTRY CZAR THREATENS TO SET DEADLINES

Delay in Agreement Upon Codes Worries Johnson And-U. S. President

Labor Advisors Insistent On Wage Settlement; 'Chiselling' Eyed

WASHINGTON, July 10—(AP)—The recovery administrator is seriously considering setting a deadline for the voluntary submission of industrial codes under a plan by which if agreements were not then submitted, Administrator Hugh S. Johnson would set dates for each line of business and order its members to appear.

A definite decision on the plan, Johnson said tonight, may be reached within two or three days. Much depends, he said, on whether the slow pace of the past weeks continues or industries start submitting agreements which fall in line with President Roosevelt's wage-raising, hour-reducing purpose.

In the case of one industry, coal, Johnson has decided he will have to call such a hearing, since there is no indication the various regional groups of the industry are anywhere near agreement. A date will be set, he said "as soon as I get my head above water"—referring to the rush of work which has cut his sleep to a few hours nightly and caused him to catch his meals on the run for days. He indicated the action would come in a day or two.

The general deadline order may not develop if codes for industries such as steel and oil are ready for hearings within the next few days. For the past two days Johnson has been urged to take some such step, especially by his labor advisors.

President Roosevelt also has been showing concern over the slow progress in the wage-raising line, while cheap-labor production (Turn to page 2, col. 1)

OFFER MEDIATION OF MOVIE STRIKE

LOS ANGELES, July 10—(AP)—Offers to leave wage disputes to future negotiations while between 800 and 1000 men involved in the strike return to work were made today by executives of the Columbia Motion Picture studio, S. J. Briskin, general manager, said, but were rejected by union leaders.

A strike of sound technicians Saturday caused about 100 members of that union and allied trades to walk out, tying up immediately three film productions on one of which 200 extras were employed. Sympathetic strikes were called by employees in the electrical laboratory and in the camera and projection units.

Studio officials proposed that all employees return to work while a technical question is settled as to whether the company, a member of the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, is also signatory to the basic wage scale agreement that association has with the union.

Briskin claimed the union's salary demands were exorbitant, but Harold Smith, business representative of the sound union, said 40 other producers had met the technicians' wage scale.

SLAYING AT DANCE DECLARED MURDER

MEDFORD, Ore., July 10—(AP)—District Attorney George Oodding of Jackson county announced here today that a formal charge of first degree murder will be filed tomorrow against Earl Hanson of Eagle Point, in connection with what police described as a fatal assault on Albert Tinglet, 45, at an Eagle Point dance Saturday night.

Tinglet was found on the sidewalk outside the hall with his facial bones crushed and a fractured skull. He died in a hospital here Sunday.

Police said Hanson told them he had only touched Tinglet with his hands, using no other means of fighting. Officers said, however, they were investigating the possibility that some instrument had been used. They said that none had been found at the scene of the slaying. Mrs. Irene Gerome of Portland, police said, will be returned to Medford as a material witness. They said she was seated in a car outside the dance hall with Hanson when the fight started.

Labor Official Recovery Aide



Edward F. McGrady of the American Federation of Labor, who was recently appointed assistant to General Hugh S. Johnson, recovery administrator, is shown at his desk in the capital as he assumed his new duties.

GOLD AND NON-GOLD CAMPS CALL TRUCE

Conference Steering Group Agrees to Halt Money Negotiations Soon

LONDON, July 10—(AP)—The gold and non-gold camps of the world economic conference called a truce today and prepared to bring at least this phase of the world congress to a close with such agreements as are possible within two or three weeks. July 25 was tentatively selected as the date for adjournment of the conference.

The principal developments centered in the bureau, or steering committee, where well-informed sources said the tentative adjournment date was selected, and in a meeting of the monetary commission of the parley.

In the latter session, which followed the meeting of the steering committee, the group voted 23 to 15 to retain on the agenda all the original questions submitted. This vote was interpreted in some circles as a defeat for France and her allies of the gold group. It was reported that conference progress is impossible without solution of the stabilization question.

The steering committee also agreed to eliminate from further discussion subsidies and commercial policies, including quotas and tariffs.

WANT PUBLIC DEBT PAYDAY EXTENDED

WASHINGTON, July 10—(AP)—President Roosevelt today ordered a study of means of putting the public debt on a long term basis at a reduced cost.

He named two college professors—James H. Rogers of Yale and George Warren of Cornell—to make a comprehensive survey of federal finances.

Among the things the president has in mind is taking up the huge amount of short term paper, much of which falls due this year, and converting it into long term issues.

He also wants to coordinate closely the vast amount of expenditures under the recovery program with the government budget. He has insisted the normal outgo must balance the income but that extraordinary recovery expenses do not come in that classification.

Professors Rogers and Warren will work as volunteers without pay through the summer college recess.

They will cooperate under Lewis Douglas, the director of the budget.

Plot to Murder Japan's Cabinet Leaders Hinted

TOKYO, July 11 (Tuesday)—(AP)—Armed police and gendarmes last night and today closely guarded the official residences of Premier Makoto Saito and other members of the cabinet. The reason was understood to be the discovery of an assassination plot in connection with which several persons were arrested.

WALLACE GOES AHEAD DESPITE CROP DOUBT

Forecast of Short Crop of All Grains no Barrier To Acreage Scheme

Situation Calls Still More For Control, Declares Agriculture Chief

WASHINGTON, July 10—(AP)—Secretary Wallace said tonight he would proceed with his program for cutting American farm production despite today's forecast of the smallest harvest of grain, including corn, in decades—the result of the worst general crop shortage in 50 years.

The crop reporting board, assessing damage from excessive heat, drought, and storms up to July 1, predicted the year's wheat harvest would be the smallest since 1893 and more than 100,000,000 bushels below normal domestic needs; that the corn crop would be 50 per cent below normal in 32 years, and the output of oats the lightest since 1897.

Its estimates, regarded as gloomier than private reports of recent weeks, indicated an aggregate crop of corn, wheat, oats, barley, rye and flaxseed of 2,733,204,000 bushels. This would be 1,408,996,000 bushels below last year's harvest of these crops and 1,105,396,000 bushels below the average for the five year period, 1926 to 1930, inclusive.

Many large areas in the middle west have the poorest crop outlook in the memory of their oldest farmers with the prospect of any harvest eliminated on thousands of farms the operators, of which, with little or no grain to sell, will have no opportunity of sharing in the recent general advance of farm prices.

After reading the report, Wallace said in his opinion the crop outlook indicated greater necessity rather than less for his program for reducing the output of farms.

"The exceedingly short grain crop this year, while it solves to some extent the surplus carryover from last year, can easily cause both farmers and city people to lose sight of the fact that we are still planting more acres to grain than can be consumed in this (Turn to page 2, col. 4)

MATTERN HOPEFUL OF FINISHING TOUR

(By the Associated Press) Undaunted by a crash that left him with a wrecked plane in an unsettled section of Siberia, Jimmie Mattern was reported planning Monday night to continue his 'round-the-world-flight in a new ship.

Whether Mattern, "the smiling pilot with all the luck in the world," would be able to complete the globe-circling flight solo was problematical. It appeared he might be forced to fly from Anadyr, Siberia, to Nome, Alaska, with another pilot.

"He'll go it alone, though, if there's any possible way," said S. J. Sackett, one of his backers, in Chicago.

Developments in the plan to bring Mattern back to civilization after nearly a month in Siberia—part of which time he supposedly subsisted on small game—came from several points.

From a rescue plane sent out by Irving Friedman of New York and how in Alaska, word was relayed that Mattern was willing to fly in a soviet plane to Nome and then continue on to New York in an American ship.

William Alexander, head of the rescue expedition, said he had been informed too long a time would be required to repair Mattern's ship or send a new one to him.

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Member of Prominent Democratic Family is Latest Kidnap Victim

Weather News To be Speeded By New Hookup

A change making for greater efficiency in the relaying of weather reports has been made in the weather bureau circuit of the Airways Division of the United States department of commerce, according to announcement by the local weather observer last night. Formerly three circuits were employed: From Salt Lake City to Pasco, Pasco to Seattle and Portland to San Francisco. The late change cuts out one circuit, and by adding four teletypes between Seattle and Portland leaves just two divisions: Seattle to San Francisco and Salt Lake City to Seattle.

SUMMER CAPITOL HERE IS PLANNED

Mayor Carson of Portland Says President Isn't Opposed to Idea

PORTLAND, Ore., July 10—(AP)—A statewide movement having as its objective the establishment in the Oregon country of a permanent "summer capital" for the president of the United States and his official family was suggested in an address here today by Mayor Joseph K. Carson.

The mayor proposed that a popular subscription fund be raised to provide suitable domiciliary facilities. He said the plan had been mentioned at the White House and "has not been frowned upon there."

The suggestion was made in an address at the weekly forum luncheon of the Portland chamber of commerce. "There is nothing novel about the idea," Mayor Carson declared. "Every nation has its summer capital."

"The president is entitled to the rest, comfort, pleasure and healthfulness of our region. Residence here, moreover, would enable the president to acquaint himself with the Pacific coast so that he could better inform congress, from time to time, concerning the state of the Union in its entirety. Distance need be no barrier. The Oregon country is nearer in time to Washington, D. C., than New York and the Carolinas were in the early days."

ICKES ASKS SPEED IN JOB PROMOTION

WASHINGTON, July 10—(AP)—Secretary Ickes took command of the administration's \$3,300,000,000 public works program today and ordered a speeding up of the operations by which it is planned to give jobs to millions of the unemployed.

As he assumed the office of public works administrator, the secretary announced in a formal statement the administration would push forward with the full program and would not curtail it until a report gratifying gains in industry and employment have been "secured and consolidated."

He served notice that the government expects its loans to be repaid and would not make advances to local governments until their ordinary current expenditures are not being brought within prudently estimated revenues.

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National Drive Upon Abduction Racket To be Started

ALTON, Ill., July 10—(AP)—August Luer, 74, wealthy retired meat packer and bank president, was kidnaped tonight by a band of men and at least one woman who seized the banker and fled in two motor cars after gaining entrance to the Luer home by a ruse.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 10. — (AP)—The kidnaping of John J. O'Connell, Jr., 24, athlete, whose family dominates a powerful upstate democratic machine, became known tonight with word his abductors were demanding a ransom payment of \$250,000.

O'Connell disappeared early Friday morning. Word of the kidnaping, however, was withheld from police by the family under threat of death to their victim by the kidnapers if details of the negotiations were made public.

In Washington tonight, Senator Copeland (D., N. Y.), chairman of a senate committee appointed to investigate racketeering in all its phases, made a plea to Attorney General Cummings and to the bureau of investigation of the department of justice to aid in apprehending the abductors.

Saying he would confer tomorrow morning with the attorney general on the subject of kidnaping, Senator Copeland declared "There can be no doubt about the seriousness of this racket. Something must be done to stamp it out."

The kidnap victim is the nephew of Edward J. and Daniel P. O'Connell who joined forces with Tammany Hall and Alfred E. Smith at the Chicago convention in June, 1932, in a vain attempt to forestall the nomination of Franklin D. Roosevelt.

A telephone call to Samuel Aronowitz, law partner of Edward J. received Friday, was the first information young O'Connell was held for ransom.

"Eddie (Edward O'Connell) that we're his nephew and that he will hear from us," a muffled voice advised Aronowitz. "If he tells the police we'll kill him."

During the day a letter was received advising the O'Connells to designate intermediaries and further instructing a code to be used in the classified section of the Kluckerbocker Press. The code notice was inserted in the Sunday edition of the paper. It was put in the paper by Walter V. Johnson, Rensselaer democratic leader, and a friend of the O'Connells.

Game Board to Ask U. S. Loans For Hatcheries

PORTLAND, Ore., July 10—(AP)—The state game commission, meeting here today, decided to apply to the Reconstruction Finance corporation for a loan of \$100,000, to be used in the construction of 13 projects at state game farms and fish hatcheries.

A delegation of Corvallis sportsmen requested a lower deadline on Alsea bay to protect steelhead from commercial fishermen, and an open season on bass.

The commission received word that 1,000,000 cutthroat trout eggs are being shipped here from Yellowstone National park by the United States bureau of fisheries, and that the Colorado game commission is shipping to this state 250,000 cutthroat eggs.

Further Deaths Are Reported in Colorado Flood

DENVER, July 10—(AP)—One man and possibly a woman were believed to have drowned today in a new flood which swept down Bear Creek canyon. Three bodies have been recovered and two other persons were believed drowned in a flood last Friday.