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the ORESCH STRAFFICHTY Extends vectors females, but it 1840

Flax Price and Crop Are Good

Harvest of 7000 Acres Under Way: Further **Expansion Looms**

(Continued from Page 1) answer to the problems of the valley's dry summers. So far this variety has been grown only experimentally at the penitentiary. The seed was imported from Yugoslavia and three bushels was planted at the penitentiary in the tall of 1938. Eleven bushels of seed was harvested from this and was resown to seven acres last fall. The showing it has made has greatly pleased Superintendent Laws, who reports 19 tons net, or 2.8 tons per acre, produced with no irrigation. The fibre is apparently as good as that of spring

Seed for winter flax is planted about September 25 and has a short growing period before lying Sormant through the winter. This year the state industry will place seed in selected farms for further experimentation. Flax growers are particularly anxious to find if the variety will be killed by severe winters. Since the past two winters have been unusually mild, this factor has not been determined. In Yugoslavia, where it has been grown commercially for some time, winter snows protect

Nine new-type pulling machines were imported this year from Belgiam. Five are at work for the state and the other four for the Springfield cooperative. The new Scenens machine has fewer working parts, is cheaper and is easier to repair than the old type. It will also pull greener flax. Chief drawback is that it does not bind as well as the old type, as the bundles it makes are not so even. However it is believed this difficulty will be remedied with experimentation. Speed of the two types of machines is about the same. One puller is needed to each 100 to 150 acres.

The old Vesset machine, a Canadian invention, was manufactured here through patent agreements. A similar arrangement will probably be made for the new machine, so that it will not need to be imported.

Other new equipment which the state succeeded in importing from Belgium in spite of war time difficulties, includes a new Van Hau yaert scutching turbine, now being installed at the state processing plant. It will supplement the five old turbines over 12 years

Processing Limit Principal Problem Although the flax industry is showing great progress in the valley, its development could well be ster. Laws believes. ditions for the growth and pro cessing of flax are ideal in the valley, he points out. The long dry summers are good for retting. as the wet flax from the tanks must be dried in the sun, and the rainy winter months are well-suited to the scutching process, which

Both production conditions and available markets are favorable to great expansion of the industry here. It is only lack of more processing plants that is holding things up, Laws declares.

requires humidity.

a 4000-ton capacity and each of the three cooperative plants a 1500-ton capacity. Thus only 8500 tons of fibre can be processed in the state each year.

Defense Lagging Martin Charges from loum.

PROVIDENCE, RI., July 27-(P)-Representative Joseph W. Martin, jr., republican national chairman, charged today that although cash and plans have been ready for more than two months, "we have not yet placed a single order for a combat plane for the new gir armada which everybody recognizes is the most essential part of our preparedness pro-

paigns of Congressmen Charles F. Risk and Harry Sandager of this Agnes Gilbert Shucking, and a state, Martin cited his indictment sister, Mrs. William Graf of New as "one reason why the Ameri- York City. can people believe we must have The Clough-Barrick mortuary Willkie for president."

"Public opinion cannot and omit flowers. will not tolerate such a condition," he said, "it takes more than Oil Strike Threat mere words, appropriations and headlines to give us an adequate defense. There must be intelli-

Martin predicted election of a this country out of war.

Want Leave Pay if Called to Service

PORTLAND, July 27-(P)-Oremilitary service.

The US workers of the state elected L. J. Canfield, Portland, President; Clarence K. Rand, Trained Dog of Roseburg, vice-president; C. E. Mounsey, Portland, secretary-

Design on Dutch Colonies Denied

AMSTERDAM, July 27-(P) (Via Berlin) - German Commis-sioner Arthur Seyse-Inquart declared in an address at The no designs on Dutch overseus posns and does not wish to exterminate the Netherlands. Queen Wilhelmnia's fate, he

Willamette Highway to Be Dedicated Tuesday



Photo shows electrically-lighted Salt Creek tunnel on newly-completed Willamette highway which will be dedicated Tuesday afternoon by a caravan in which Salem will be represented. Map shows the highway, which leaves the Pacific highway at Goshen and joins The Dalles-California highway near

URBANA, III., July 27 .- (AP)-

the institution announced today.

Publishers association.

Rot formerly was assistant pro-

He was born in Great Falls

Haakon Tells His

Seamen to Fight

LONDON, July 27-(A)-King

Haakon of Norway told Nor-

wegian seamen to fight for Britain in a "pep talk" delivered

While detectives guarded the hall, the sailers hailed the mon-

arch's speech with thunderous

applause, and erowds outside

Prince Olaf. They were admirals'

Haakon later disclosed, "that now

they are in this country they

must fight against the only ene-

my in the world. Norway today

is part of Britain and we shall defend her shores until the last.

and a world rid of the people who are trying to destroy civiliza-

Douglas to Return

To Fish and Hunt

BEND, July 27-(P)-Central Oregon fishing will lure Supreme

Court Justice William O. Douglas

and upper Deschutes river and Paulina lake i as t week, taking

Whiting Succeeds Willkie

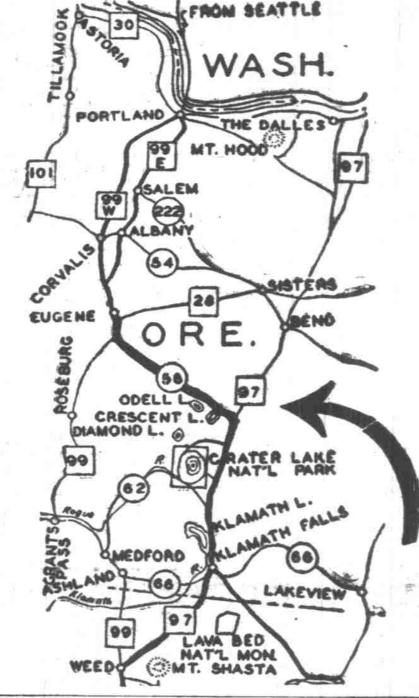
As Edison Firm Chairman

AKRON. O, July 27-(P)-Directors of the Ohio Edison Co. have elected Justin R. Whiting, of

"There must be free democracy

heered him as he left with Crown-

last night at St. George's hall.



ings up, Laws declares. The state processing plant has Schucking Rites Set for Monday

Funeral services for Bernard Otto Schucking, 68, prominent Arne Rae, executive secretary of agriculturist who died early Sat- the National Editorial associaagriculturist who died early Sat- the National Editorial associaurday at his home "Eola Acres," tion, has been appointed an aswill be held Monday at 11 a. m. sociate professor in the University from the Mt. Crest Abbey maso- of Illinois school of journalism.

Mr. Shucking was born in 1871 in Baltimore, Md., and came to fessor of journalism in the Unieducation. He lived there with ager for the Oregon Newspaper an uncle, Adolph Sutro.

From 1898 to 1903, he was engaged in the hop business in Mont, Oregon. In 1904 he married Agnes Gilbert, member of a prominent Salem family.

Shucking was connected with the Oregon state highway department patil about ten years ago. Speaking at an outing held to Patterson farm, where he resided inaugurate the re-election cam- at the time of his death. when he retired to the Gilbert Survivors are the wife Mrs.

is in charge of services. Please

Is not Immediate

MEXICO CITY, July 37-(AP)republican president and congress Vicente Lombardo Toledano, secthis fall and said they "will keep retary general of the Confederation of Mexican Workers, announced tonight that the Petroleum Workers union had postponed indefinitely the anti-eco-nomy walkout it had called for Monday.

Instead, he said, the union would submit a counter-project gon federal employes, in a state to President Cardenas for reor-tronvention today, adopted a reso-lution asking federal workers be President Cardenas recently given payment for accumulated ordered the government oil adleave in case they were called to ministration to enforce wage cuts and other economies.

Pageant Is Dead

mer, he promised before leaving for Baker yesterday. The former Whitman college student found sport on the lower Timber, seven-year-old trained dog owned by R. Porter Conger of Salem, died Saturday after- the limit the first day at the lake, noon. An important role as a stalking wolf in the Centennial pageant and as a surfboard rider in the river celebration had been

given him: The German shepherd had aplague Friday that Germany has peared in many benefit performances in and near Salem and was well known for his ability.

Queen Withelmnia's fate, he said, is a matter which the Dutch people ultimately will have to decide for themselves, but he warmed that the queen, now in mentioned in political gatherings during the German occupation.

Silas Obenchain Dies

New York, chairman to succeed Wendell L. Willkie, republican nomines for president, of the Commonwealth and Southern. He previously had been atterney for the holding company, a position will kie held before elevation to the presidency.

Violations Charged

City police last night william Kirkland Hope, 2020

North Liberty street, on a charge of failure to observe a stop sign, and one as county commissioner, died here last night.

Here for Caravan

20 Autos Sought

Chamber of Commerce Is Sure of Five Carloads, on Willamette Trip

Salem will be represented by at least five cars, with the committee hoping for 20, in the caravan which Tuesday will dedicate the completed Willamette highway, which provides a shortcut from Eugene to Klamath Falls and California points, Dan Hay, chairman, announced last night,

The Salem caravan members will assemble at Chemeketa and North Summer streets at 9:15 a.m. Tuesday to join the string of automobiles coming from Portland. A police escort is being

at McCredie springs for luncheon. Hay, representing the Salem chamber of commerce, said his committee would meet at the Quelle Monday noon to seek ways of encouraging more Salem citizens to join the caravan.

Commission Sets Coast Route Tour

Members of the state highway commission will spend the week beginning August 16 on an inspection tour of the coast highway, R. H. Baldock, state highway engineer, announced Satur-

Baldock said the inspection trip would start at the Oregon boundary north of Crescent City, Calif., and continue northward as far as Astoria. Parks maintained by the highway commission along the coast highway also will be inspected.

Former Oregonian Eastern and central Oregon To Teach, Illinois highways will be inspected by the commission shortly after September 1, Baldock declared.

Agreements Made

PORTLAND, Ore., July 27-(AP) Temporary arrangements for a to fish. San Francisco for most of his versity of Oregon and field man- three-way tie-in with Spokane and announced today by Dr. Paul J. Raver, Bonneville power admin-

The Bonneville - Grand Coules line will be inter-connected with the Washington Water Power company of Spokane where their lines cross near Stratford, Wash. Raver said.

In addition, he will seek an inter-connection with the Northwest Electric company of Portland, although the latter depends upon arrangements with the Portland General Electric company for transfer of power to Northwestern, Raver said.

The three-way contract is intended to strengthen services by permitting the parties to draw upon each other in emergencies.

"I told my countrymen," King Methodists Pick **Publicity Leader**

CHICAGO, July 27.-(A)-Dr. Ralph Stoody, Fall River, Mass., was elected today as the first director of public information of the Methodist church.

The new commission on public information, headed by Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam of Boston, selected Dr. Stoody for the task of publicizing on a national scale the personalities and activities of His ministerial career was com-

bined with 20 years of religious journalism work.

back for a month later this sum- State to Register Pickers in South

GRANTS PASS, July 27,-(P) The Oregon employment service opened offices here today to register 4000 hop pickers needed in

The farm security administra-tion, cooperating with the labor service, plans to set up a mobile farm labor camp to house 200 families in the hop district a few miles west of here. The camp will be moved to Klamath Falls lator for use by potato harvesters

Violations Charged bicycle without a light.

Policy Backed

Defense, Economie Plan Generally Supported by 21 Americas

United States

(Continued from page 1) awakening of the republics from an attitude of complacency and belief that the mere assertion of neutrality was sufficient to deterforeign conquerors.

It's US Program Except in Wording
The concrete results of the conference, as agreed upon by committees, were three-fold;

1. A declaration that the status of European possession in this hemisphere is of equal concern to all the American republics and creation of machinery under which any of them might be taken over and administered temporarily to safeguard continental se-

2. Establishment of the framework of a broad economic plan for immediate relief of countries burdened with exports shut off from European markets and development of an independent American system strong enough to prevent foreign customers from forcing unfair trade terms or practices upon individual coun-

3. Agreement on close consultation among the republics on any "fifth column" activities endan-gering individual governments or the continent as a whole, and in-vestigation of the reported abuse of immunity and privileges by some foreign diplomatic and consular agents.

The formula for dealing with the European possessions was said to be substantially the same as the "collective trusteeship" plan sponsored by the United States but the word "administration" was understood to have been sub-stituted for "trusteeship."

Venus, Moon Will Stage Occultation

(Continued from Page 1) which is also in the crescent phase. Venus will have large an-The dedication party will stop gular diameter, because of its proximity to the earth, so the immersion and emersion will require comparatively long times. Throughout the day Venus will be visible to the unaided eye and

its nearness to the moon may be used as a guide in finding it. through the telescope at Bradley's say okay and I go with them.

Lawrence Chosen

TILLAMOOK, Ore., July 27-(AP) -The Oregon council, Izaak Walton league, elected H. Abbott Lawrence of Portland president today at the final meeting of the 18th annual state convention

Other officers: Judge Harlan M. Woods, Tillamook, vice-president; Dr. David Charlton, Portland, secretary; J. Stanley Emery, Marshfield, Dr. P. A. Loar, Silverton, John B. Ebinger, Klamath Falls, Arthur I. Moulton, Portland, R. H. Gardner, Tillamook, Walter Johnson, Astoria, and Chester McCarty, Portland,

The Waltons ask a state appropriation of \$3000 to investigate an algae condition in the Columbia river said to be detrimental

Another resolution favored ex-Portland power companies were tension of the maritime boundary grounds, particularly in view of of the United States 100 miles farther at sea in order that commercial fisheries of the west coast might be better controlled.

League May Move **Technical Service** To United States

GENEVA, July 27-(Saturday) (P)-Joseph Avenol, waiting for the league of nations supervisory committee to accept his resignation, took a "rain check" today on an invitation to move all the league's technical services to

With the British government's approval, eight members of the economic and transit section of the league have been ordered to Princeton on a "mission." This is equivalent to partial acceptance of the Princeton of-

fer. The league committee then must decide whether to surrender all hope of political rejuvenation and try to save its technical services by moving to the United

The league's headache, how-ever, is that if it moves all technical sections, including the active health and anti-narcotic divisions, it may be forced to aban-don the \$10,000,000 league palace here and declared the league's political phase definitely dead.



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-Paul Hauser's Column

lookin' fo' Philadelphia yo' sho' on the wrong train. This here's Kansas City." This about bowls me over since up to then I am figuring that railroads don't run past Philly and

money, watch, valies and all. All the bill were passed.
I've got is the clothes on me and Army plans content the ticket, which the heist somehow overlooks. The ticket says to Portland, Oregon. I do not know this town, but a lady from Boston says it is definitely wild west. You know me how I was always itching to travel and how I used to read those western books. So I decide I will just keep going as

It is beautiful country only some of it is a little too wide open for my taste. I like the mountains and you never see such mountains. They are higher than six Empire State bldgs.

Well, to make a long story short, as the fellow says, I get to Portland finally. It is quite a town only I am disappointed. I figure I am coming out to see the west and what do I see? Tall buildings, busses, automobiles, hamburger stands and beer jernts. I do not see a citizen packing any artillery. The only six gun I see is

on a cop.

I forgot to tell you how I do not shave all the time on the train, since that monkey has made off with my razor. That is important, it turns out. So I have

quite a beard in Portland.

I am moping up the main drag in this burg the day I get there and people keep staring at me. It is because of the beard.

So I am standing on a street corner wondering where I could get a free shave when a truck with a wooden lock-up on the back of it rolls up. It is the first time I see real westerners. They are all over the truck. They spot me as soon as I spot them and they let out a wild yip and are after me. I run, but they catch me and put me in the lockup. By this time I look them over and see they all have broad-brimmed hats and fancy shirts. So they

are westerners at last. I find out they are from Salem. So I say, "There's where I'm heading. I came to see the west and I guess that's it." So I tell these cowboys on the truck I am glad to find the west and like to go with them back to While only one person will be the ranch. At first they look at

able to watch the heavenly event me like I am screwloose, but they observatory he will be glad to assist persons with binoculars in while it's not quite the cow town finding the phenomenon and will I figured it's west enough for me

P. S.—Here's a laugh. I am on good terms with the sheriff here (my record hasn't got this far yet) and he says he'll let me ride in his Mounted Posse. He hasn't told the horse yet.

McNary Event Is Set on August 28

(Continued from Page 1) ficials said yesterday. Bleachers to accommodate an additional 15,000 will be set up. Parking spaces for 6000 automobiles are

available on the grounds.
While the setting up of concessions and exhibits for the state fair, which opens September 2, may interfere with the notification crowds' movements, the two activities can be carried on at the same time, Fair Director Leo Spitzbart said.

"We are very glad to have the notification at the fairthe fact that Senator McNary has always given strong support to the fair," Spitzbart declared.

Frederick S. Lamport, Salem delegate to the national convention, has been designated to represent his delegation, as will one member from each state. Walberg Tonstad of Auburn will represent the Washington dele-

Ralph Pray Given up as Drowned in Klamath Lake

KLAMATH FALLS, July 27-(P) Sheriff Lloyd Lowe aban-doned hope today for Ralph Pray, Klamath Falls, missing for four days in the upper Klamath lake

Pray's canvas fishing boat was found Thursday, half full of wa-ter, and a cushion washed ashore several miles away.



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Taft Joins Foes Of Conscription

(Continued from Page 1) When the American people Camas was ahead 1-0 until the are put on a conscript basis, what sixth, when Murray tied it. In the "When the American people

Vandenberg asked. The training bill, as revised the rest of the way you go by by the military committee, au-stagecoach. Maybe I'm dumb or thorizes the president to order thorizes the president to order that geography teacher in P. S. registration of all men 18 to 63 189 gave me a bum steer, but anyway this is Kansas City.

Well, I look around and find
I've been rolled for everything.

Well and the initial registration would be confined to men 21 to 30 if

Army plans contemplate conscripting 400,000 men by October 1 from the first registration which probably would be ordered for early in September. Training would be for a year with regular army pay which begins at \$21 a

long as I have the ticket. I will old Age Benefits see some of this west like in the

(Continued from page 1) counties with grants of \$23.35

and \$22 respectively. In order to be eligible for old age assistance, a person must be 65 years of age or over, have lived five of the last nine years in Oregon, and must have spent one of the five years in Oregon immediately preceding the date of application for the pension.

Each applicant must be in need of assistance and be without

resources or near relatives in a position to provide adequate support. Inmates of institutions are not eligible, though citizenship is not a requirement.

Attack on Britain Switches to Land

(Continued from page 1) in, and damaged several homes. British and Italian air forces also traded blows, meanwhile, over the Mediterranean and the near east.

The British announced they had made successful raids on Italian naval stores at Assar, grounded planes at Mille, Eritres, and plane concentrations at Derna, Libya.

Northwest Moose Select Vancouver

EUGENE, July 27 - (AP) - Vander of the Moose. J. B. Ballard, Seattle, was elected president.

and W. E. Heinkie, Eugene, second vice-president. State officials elected included Clyde Thompson, Klamath Falls,

bany, prelate.

Late Sports

Salem's Papermakers won the coast championship of paper mill teams last night in an extra- inning game with Camas, Wash. The score was 3-1.

is left to separate us from a com-plete totalitarian war-basis?" B. Gentzkow homered. McPhes struck out ten for the locals. Salem got into the finals of the tourney, part of the annual paper festival at Camas, by virtue of wins over Oregon City 5-3 and

Vancouver 12-0. MEDFORD, July 27.-(P)-Eugene defeated Medford 7 to 5, in 11 innings in a state league game

here Saturday night. Medford Richards and Mattison; Rego, Carlstrom and Hawkins,

ALBANY, Ore., July 27.-(P)-Albany held onto its top position in the Oregon state baseball league tonight by defeating Jack & Jill tavern of Portland, 9-6. The Alcos ran up a 6-5 margin in the first three innings. Richards homered for Albany in the

Jack-Jill Albany 9 8 1
Pendergraff and Mize; Johnson
and Robertson.

HOLLYWOOD, July \$7.-(P)-Freddie Gay, former Oakland southpaw, held his one-time teammates to six hits tonight as Holywood beat the Oaks 4 to 2 in a Coast league baseball game.

The victory gave the Stars a cinch on their first series win this month. Oakland Corbett, Johnson (8) and Conroy; Gay and Brenazel.

San Diego Sacramento Newsome, Craighead (2) and Salkeld; Schmidt and Grilk.

HAVANA, July 27.-(A)-Gaul Carabantes, 146 - pound Chilean velterweight champion, pounded out an easy decision over Bobby Britton of New York, billed as the American southern welter-weight champion, in a ten-round bout here tonight.

Defense Topic at VFW Observance

(Continued from Page 1) idded, whether we intend to defend merely our own shores or defend the "legitimate interests of the United States in other zones of pressure."

About 400 members of patriotic organizations filled the main ascouver, BC, tonight was selected sembly hall of the new bungalow 1941 convention city of the North- style meeting place and saw Post west association of the Loyal Or- Commander Frank Millett receive the keys to the building after the Dr. E. M. Ramsey, Spokane, reading of the dedicatory proclawas named first vice-president mation by Past Department Commander John H. Schum.

State Senator Douglas McKay was master of ceremonies. Nupresident; W. E. Heinke, Eugene, merous state and local officials of first vice-president; Ed Shaw, Al- veterans organizations were honered by introduction.

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