

Snell to Speak at Governors' Conference in Pennsylvania

HERSHEY, Pa., May 8.—The 36th annual meeting of the Governors' Conference will be held in this model community May 28-31, and possibilities are that for the first time in history the chief executives of all 48 states will meet under one roof for discussions of common problems.

Forty-five governors so far have reported they will attend for discussions which will place emphasis on the prosecution of the war and on problems of reconstruction and development which the states anticipate for the postwar era. In addition, territories of the United States will be represented at the meeting by at least one chief executive—Gov. Charles Harwood of the Virgin Islands.

The governors will attend their annual gathering as guests of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and Gov. and Mrs. Edward Martin will serve as hosts.

A highlight of the meeting will occur on May 30, when a northern and a southern governor—Leverett Saltonstall of Massachusetts, who is chairman of the Governors' Conference, and J. Melville Broughton of North Carolina—will deliver the main addresses during the colorful Memorial day observance at Gettysburg.

Bernard M. Barush, advisor, office of war mobilization, will be a special guest of the conference on Tuesday, during a round table discussion on industrial reconversion. This session will be held in the senate chamber of the state capitol, in Harrisburg, a few miles from Hershey.

Other governors scheduled to speak before the conference are: Monday, May 29—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York, "Organiz-

Leaders Near New Guinea



Their faces marked with expressions of seriousness and tension, Lt. Gen. Robert L. Eichelberger (left), first corps commander, and Rear Adm. David E. Barbery, amphibious force commander, approach Dutch New Guinea, in the Pacific, aboard a US war vessel, for the opening of the Hollandia area invasion. (AP Wirephoto via signal corps radio)

Land Board Group To Return Wednesday

Members of the state land board, now on a tour of central and eastern Oregon, probably will return to Salem late Wednesday, executive department attaches here announced Monday.

The board left here last Wednesday for an inspection of state lands. Board members include Gov. Earl Snell, State Treasurer Leslie M. Scott and Secretary of State Robert S. Farrell, jr.

Pacific Synod Of Lutherans Opens Today

The Pacific Synod of United Lutheran church will hold its 44th annual convention at the American Lutheran church starting today and closing Thursday, May 11.

Rev. Fred C. Weigman, Midland college, Fremont, Neb., will be the speaker at the banquet Wednesday night in the social rooms of the church. Another session which is expected to be of interest generally will be the communion service conducted by Rev. W. I. Eck, tonight at the church. Rev. M. A. Getzendaner is host pastor, and a welcome will be extended by Mark Gehlar at the service tonight.

Morse Backer Raps Holman

PORTLAND, May 8.—(AP) Charges by Sen. Rufus Holman that his opponent in the senatorial candidacy race, Wayne Morse, is sponsored by the New Deal, is a "subterfuge to cover mistakes of the last six years," Morse' campaign manager said today.

Ralph Moores, speaking for Morse, said: "Let Sen. Holman remember 1930 when he led forces against Phil Metcham, the regular nominee for governor. Let him remember 1932 when he voted for Roosevelt."

"Let him remember 1938 when he double-crossed Governor-elect Sprague and resigned as state treasurer ahead of time so a democratic governor could name a democratic state treasurer."

Sawyer Hits River Ruling

PORTLAND, Ore., May 8.—(AP) The rivers and harbors bill as passed by the house of representatives constitutes a threat to irrigation, mining and industry, Robert A. Sawyer of Bend, vice-president of the National Reclamation association, said today.

Sawyer, who also is state director of the organization, told a meeting of Oregon citizens interested in reclamation that the federal government appears more interested in using the waterways for navigation than for irrigation purposes.

A resolution urging the measure be changed to safeguard western irrigation rights was adopted. George Neuner and C. E. Strickland of Salem were among those present.

Fortress in Flames Over Yugoslavia



This Flying Fortress is engulfed in flames after it was hit by anti-aircraft fire while making a bomb run over the target at Nis, Yugoslavia. The tail section has disintegrated and the starboard wing is breaking between the engines. None of the fliers escaped. It is not known whether any of the bombs were dropped from the Fortress. This striking picture was made from another plane in the formation. (AP Wirephoto from the army air forces)

Eric Johnston Russia Bound

NEW YORK, May 8.—(AP) Eric Johnston of Spokane, Wash., president of the United States chamber of commerce, said today he will leave next Sunday to visit Russia's "vast industrial empire beyond the Ural mountains."

"I will learn a great deal in Russia," Johnston said in an interview.

"I will go to the battle front, see collective farming in practice and talk personally with the people of Russia."

"Above all," he said, "I will talk about greater exchange of goods and services—our manufactured goods for strategic raw materials which we may be short of or need."

Among other things, he added, he planned to investigate the possibility of private airlines operating to Russia from the United States.

Elect Mrs. Stark Swegle Club Head

SWEGLA.—The last meeting for the school year of the Community club was held at the schoolhouse Friday night, with the vice-president, Homer J. Conklin, presiding in the absence of the president, Mrs. William Hensell.

8 People File To Be Citizens

Eight applicants for US citizenship reported for individual interviews all day Monday at the county clerk's office. Victor S. Hemmen, examiner for the immigration and naturalization service, met with each candidate and his two sponsors at the preliminary hearings. The regular naturalization hearing will be before one of the circuit court judges on June 9, at which time, those having fulfilled the necessary qualifications will be sworn in. However, those of German and Italian heritage will not be included at this time unless the statute requirement of 90 days' filing is waived.

10% of Fuel Should Remain

Fuel oil users in this locality should not have burned more than 90 per cent of their total yearly fuel oil allotment, Charles B. Maxfield, district OPA fuel rationing representative, said Monday.

With the season practically over, OPA is all set to begin the work of issuing next season's regular application form and ration coupons. Within the next few weeks every fuel oil consumer throughout the nation will receive a simple re-application form. The sooner these forms are returned to the local OPA board, the sooner the boards can start issuing next year's coupons, Maxfield emphasized. Therefore, consumers are urged to send back

Officers elected for the new year

Officers elected for the new year are president, Mrs. C. L. Stark; vice-president, Mrs. Marion West; secretary, Mrs. Charles Norton and sergeant-at-arms, Carroll Runney; the program committee, Mrs. Renst Real; and Mrs. William McKinney presented a musical program.

Numbers included solos by Patricia Standley and Joan Lake and guitar selections by Mrs. Jack Nelson. On the refreshment committee are Mrs. Andrew Clark and Mrs. Otis Dawes.

The 90 days' filing is waived. Isaac Dumlum, 790 North Church street, Salem; Edna Sayre Sipola, 991 Mill street, Salem; Harold Edward Bacon, 1688 Cent street, Salem; Domenk LaRosa, route 7, box 297, Salem; Paul Gasper, 134 Steelhammer road, route 1, box 198, Silverton; Sabatino Marcello Dagli Innocenti, 990 North Winter, Salem; Antonio DeSantis, star route, Silverton and Lena DeSantis, star route, Silverton.

their filled-in renewal forms within seven days after receiving them.

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