RUDOLPH HESS CONFESSES TO AMNESIA HOAX

AFL Mill

At Dallas

To Open

Oregon Pulp's

Lumber Division

To Resume Work

PORTLAND, Nov. 30 - (AP)

Members of the Dallas, Ore., local

2714, AFL Lumber and Sawmill

Workers, voted tonight to accept

the 15-cent offer made in negoti-

ations of the Willamette valley

council with Willamette Valley

Operators' association representa-tives, Ed Hayes, local secretary,

Hayes said the Willamette Val-

ley Lumber company would re-

sume operations of some units Tuesday. The firm employes 320

Approximately 120 men will re-

sume work shortly at the Oregon

Pulp and Paper company, after

acceptance of the 15 cents per

hour compromise wage increase

was announced Friday by repre-

sentatives of the lumber division

of the company and local 3050,

Sawmill and Timber Workers

Some of the men, who are mill-

wrights, will start work today.

Full operation will not be in ef-

fect for some time because of

needed repairs to the plant, E. A.

Linden, lumber division manager,

The increase accepted is the

U. S. Diplomats

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30 -(P)-

The United States has sent a dip-

lomatic mission to northern Iran

to obtain an on-the-ground report

on the Russian-Iran tension there,

the state department disclosed to-

The department dispatched three

attaches from its Tehran embassy

by plane and jeep to the trouble

spot, Tabriz, in Azerbaijan prov-

This news, announced by Mi-

chael J. McDermott, special as-

sistant to Secretary of State

Byrnes, coincided with these other

1. Publication by the Iranian

international developments:

In North Iran

said Friday.

next general election might get \$1.05 per hour base pay, George on the special ballot was fore- Surgeon, president of the local,

June 2 and June 12, the election was illegal and the affidavits re-

seen by merchant opponents of stated Friday night.

Standard Increase

The Oregon Statesman

Closed By Lack

The school plant uses sawdust

school, heated by wood, remained

A central heating plant used by

several stores in the business dis-

trict continued operating today but

had only a little sawdust left.

Council to Be

Asked to Stage

Special Ballot

Salem city council will be

asked Monday night to move ra-

pidly, either suspending the min-

utes or going into special session

a few days after the Monday

meeting, to pass an ordinance

calling a special city election in

conjunction with the January 11

Thus, it was generally agreed

Friday, can the council best help

to rectify the mistake which nul-

lified the June 22 decision of the

city's voters to expend \$125,000

for purchase of 43 acres of Bush's

pasture to complete a 100 acre

park. At the same election, vot-

ers refused to grant a franchise

to Salem Electric. That question,

too, will be re-referred to the vo-

ters, if the ordinance planned for

Because the formal call for

a special election June 22 was not

published at any time between

June 2 and June 12, the election

quired by the bonding company

if legal, would have authorized

the issuance and sale of \$125,000

worth of city park general fund

bonds for purchase of the Bush

property. Friends of Willamette

university have raised another

congressional election.

the meters.

Of Dry Sawdust

in the recorder's office.

for park purposes, still the pro-

Let Parts Flow

verting plants of the industry.

Lew Arens, Salem, was elected

president of the Interstate Asso-

ciation of Industrial Accident

means the convention will come

to Oregon for its next session,

Two hundred sixty persons have attended the conference

closing today in Winston-Salem.

Arens has just completed a term

Animal Crackers

By WARREN GOODRICH

his office here was notified.

of office as vice president.

Lew Arens Heads

Industrial Group

Salem, Oregon, Saturday Morning, December 1, 1945

No. 214 'Spec' Keene to

Snapshot from an album kept by Eva Braun shows Adolf Hitler drowsing in an easy chair, while Eva watches. British intelligence says the two were married in the last days of the siege of Berlin.

Quit Coaching to Enter Business

Roy S. (Spec) Keene, head coach and director of athletics at Willamette university for 17 years before entering the navy as lieutenant commander in 1942, has resigned to go into private business, Dr. G. Herbert Smith, Willamette president, announced Fri-

Keene will form a partnership with Howard Maple, another former WU coach, in the latter's sporting goods store in Salem, Keene, who was reappointed to the state parole board a few days ago, returned from naval duties only last week. (Full details on today's sports page.)

Labor-Capitol **Meet Ends in**

Disagreement

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30 -(P) President Truman's labor-mangement conference adjourned at 6:25 p.m. eastern standard time tonight without setting up the hoped-for machinery to handle postwar labor disputes.

Toward the end, John L. Lewis arose to scold fellow labor leaders for inability to agree among themselves. He called on them to sighted. witness management's "precise and efficient functioning" at the conference and to put their "own house in order" by unifying their

The conferees were in complete disagreement on such major issues as wages and collective same as was accepted by the Wil- bargaining, but leaders asserted presentation Monday is adopted, lamette valley district council and the meeting attained "substantial it was said.

Possibility that the parking meter referendum ordered for the

Eugene Thursday. It provides for day meeting called by Mr. Trucurbing industrial strife, flared in open attacks on management by

> orous exchange between the heads of the rival CIO and AFL Little business was transacted today other than the defeat, by voice vote, of each proposal submitted by either labor or man-

ranking labor leaders and a vig-

Jean Wolcott **Back in Lead**

agement, Each side voted as

Back in the lead again for the Marion county queen contest of Miller's store candidate, with \$65,300 worth of E bonds. She climbed from third place in Fri- Due on Jan. 15 day's count to the lead position, Saturday morning.

Victory Loan bond purchases in Marion county to date: Total, all issues, \$1,731,246.76, out of bonds \$684,382.75 of quota of \$1,150,000. Deadline: December

\$65,130 in E bonds to her credit. Judge Grant Murphy declared Fri- vada was started today by J. Hugh Following closely behind the day. two leaders is Leona Tingelstad, Hollywood Lions club candidate, the date changed to permit voters with \$61,050. Faye Larkins, spon- of the county to cast their ballots counts from persons who saw the sored by Salem Lions club, is at the old, familiar 82 precincts. above the \$50,000 E bond total ber of Commerce, \$15,850 for the

normal Friday, following heavy on the 27th. This was the wet-rains of the past few days, R. H. test November since 1937 when Baldock, state highway engineer, 11.13 inches were recorded. Two the 20th.

Baldock, state highway engineer, announced.

Chains were advised on the Wapanitia, Santiam, Willamette and The Dalles-California mountain passes. Weather was clear in the passes Friday and no rain or snow was reported anywhere in the state. The Wilsonville ferry and Independence-Granger highway were still closed by high water but the flood threat had disappeared and traffic over the latter highway probably will be resumed Saturday.

11.13 inches were recorded. Two and forty-seven one hundredth inches were measured on the 26th well above the monthly normal of 5.99 inches and brought the calendar year's total to 41.23 inches to the end of November. Since the average rainfall for the year in Salem is only 37.92 inches, 1945 has already established an "above normal" record regardless of what December may contribute. Winds near 40 miles an hour were noted at the weather bullet the first probably will be resumed Saturday.

Quiet-Lover at Work

Navy Plane Missing sponsibility have done." Over Cascade Area feet and read a short, astonishing speech into a microphone when British Lord Justice Geoff-

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 30-(A)-A navy Ventura plane with a crew of six men aboard disappeared today over the storm swept Cascades on a flight from Portland to Red Bluff, Calif., the Portland army air base reported.

The missing plane is the second to disappear over Oregon since Monday when an army C-46 exhausted its fuel over the

Oregon coast and 12 army airmen parachuted from the craft. Nine of the army airmen have been rescued and the search continues for three still missing in the rugged wilderness near Coos Bay.

The navy plane was last heard congressmen om at 1:20 n.m. when the pilot from at 1:20 p.m. when the pilot reported he was returning to Portland to land after running into storms on the radio range beam, the air base here reported. An air search was begun late today as far south as weather would permit, but no trace of the plane was

Prep Tourney **Slated Here** For March '46

Willamette university, host to tournament annually since 1917, will entertain prep hoopsters in the A portion of the tourney and their guests again the third week in March, 1946.

In the face of other bidders, the university was handed the biggest high school sports event in the state at Friday's meeting of the Oregon High School Activities association in Portland.

Salem Chamber of Commerce. state fair officials and represenconferred here twice this week on plans which might make the pavilion at the state fairgrounds available and suitable for tournament play. More than 7000 persons could be seated there, while the university gym seats 2000, it was pointed out. (Further details from a beer bottle taken from the

Precinct changes recently approved by the Marion county court will not go into effect until January 15, three days after the special congressional election.

"It would have been physically impossible to complete all the details necessary for establishment of new precincts by the time of Meteor to Be Studied the January election, and we are By Oregon Astronomer fortunate that the order, although drawn, - had not been formally signed and filed when the governor announced the date," County

So the order was re-drawn and for the American Meteor society.

Younger GOP Start 'Revolt'

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30 -(AP) An embryo "Young Turk" movement developed today in the ranks of house republicans, but party leaders insisted it didn't mean there was lack of harmony.

the senate and the house sat down to try to write a mid-term party gator of a plot to assassinate program, 39 young-in-service French Military Leaders Gen, house members issued a state- Maxime Weygand and Gen. Henri ment of their views on universal military training and the Pearl Harbor investigation.

by the 39 — all first on second-termers — that they intend to matters and not be bound by the 3 Hearings

But behind it, those who helped prepare the statement said privately, was dissatisfaction in the ranks of the younger republican element with the way things had been handled by the party's congressional veterans.

tatives of the university have Prints Check in Mezzina Case

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 30-(A)

Chief of Detectives James Fleming reported tonight fingerprints tavern where Joe Mezzina was shot Nov. 10, checked with those of a man being held in Spokane. Fleming said the department's bertillion expert, Lou Morton, had confirmed the identification.

The prints from Spokane are those of Bert Crenshaw, 26, arrested after a tavern holdup on a charge of robbery. Fleming said the circumstances around the holdup and shooting of the Portland tavern owner coincided with those of the Spokane holdup.

EUGENE, Nov. 30-(AP)-A study of the big meteor reported seen last night over California and Ne-Pruett, Pacific regional director Pruett said he was seeking ac-

club candidate, Betty Lou Kayser, has \$30,925 for fifth place, Beulah Lott of the Junior Chami-

have been November's theme song. Rain fell on all but five days, resulting in a total amount ature was 51.7 and the minin

of 10.73 inches, 3.10 during the 39.7. The mean of 45.7 compares 30-hour period from shortly after closely with the normal of 45.6. The highest temperature, 63 de-

Ready To Face Charges

Keitel Accused Of Plot to Murder French Leaders

By Wes Gallagher NUERNBERG, Nov. 30— (AP)—Rudolf Hess sardoni-cally told the international military tribunal today that he had faked amnesia, fooling allied medical experts and his own attorney, but that now he was prepared to stand trial and "bear full responsibility for anything I

The gaunt, crafty former deputy to Adolf Hitler leaped to his rey Lawrence declared, at a special hearing on Hess' sanity, that the tribunal would like to hear from the defendant himself.

'Memory in Order' Hess told the court "my memory is again in order," and that he simulated amnesia for "tactical reasons. Afterward he remarked that "I feel unburdened, I feel better." His German attorney was flabbergasted; a British attorney said Hess either "is off his rock, er, or is completely recovered. The court adjourned without announcing any decision, but the line of questioning by Lawrence and other justices indicated they

Plot Revealed Hess' statement followed a regular court session at which German counter intelligence chief accused Field Marshal Gen. Wilhelm Keitel, Hitler's fashion plate As GOP steering groups in both chief of the German supreme command, with being the insti-Giraud.

were inclined to believe Hess is

in condition to be tried.

Their carefully-worded statement bolled down to an assertion Hurley Agrees

By William R. Spear WASHINGTON, Nov. 30 -(A) Maj. Gen. Patrick J. Hurley readily agreed to take on all comers today as three congressional committees invited him to shoot.

The senate foreign relations committee, which put in its bid first, appeared to have the inside track. Chairman Connally (D4) Tex) called a hearing for Wednesday and Hurley told reporters he preferred to testify there first but he sought a public and not a private session, as Connally had planned.

Two house committees, on military affairs and un-American activities, also want to hear more about the charges Hurley made against certain career diplomats and the state department in a press release Tuesday which announced his resignation as ame bassador to China.

Russia-Bound Nazis Suicide

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 30 - (AP) -About 600 German military internees, including 100 who attempted suicide, were hospitalized tonight after a day of violence as the Swedish government started extradition of 2700 former wehrmacht soldiers to soviet territory.

Swedish authorities said that two succeeded in taking their own lives in wild struggles with Swedish military forces and police who had the task of transporting the internees to a waiting Russian ship at Trellehorg. Many attempt-ed self-mutilation.

About 500 were hospitalized because of weakness from a hunger strike begun a week ago in protest against an order turning them over to the Russians.



NINETY-FIFTH YEAR DamFund SHEMS Back On TO ME Flood Bill

For want of a horseshoe nail

"the kingdom was lost."

The old saying fits in the case of the loss (temporarily, at least) of the Bush Pasture because failure to publish a notice of election renders the same invalid. Hence the bonds authorized by an affirmative vote with majority of over ciency supply bill today in the

The fault lies with the office of the city recorder, Alfred Mundt, whose duty it is to prepare city notices and have them published. The lack of publication was disscript which must be submitted the Dorena reservoir, \$1,000,000. covered in preparing the tranto bond attorneys for their opinion on the validity of a bond issue. Such a blunder is difficult to explain away because the forms for election procedure are

well established and well known While there is no reason to beaffirm their readiness to make jects which the committee wantlieve that the voters will not reed to shelve until next year. the purchase of the pasture tract

Thus disregarding "economy ponents are forced to the work and expense of again presenting the case to the people and obtaining their favorable response. The quest for money to put war-haltcity on its part finds that all its ed water jobs back on a peaceexpense for the June election has sanction of the budget bureau

gressman called for January 11th Leading the attack against The coming election of a congives an opportunity for the city Whittington (D-Miss) declared very little cost. Otherwise the question would have to lie over to hold a new special election at until the primary election in May. Since it is advisable to get the matter settled promptly, the sarlier date.

earlier date seems preferable; and the council should take the necessary steps Monday night to 4 More Fliers order an election. And this time it is to be hoped there are no From Missing C-46 Located

Union Asked to proposed to the city's United wild Oregon coast country.

Auto Workers tonight that work in GM's parts and accessories division be resumed for the benefit ing through rugged mountains of other automobile manufactur-The proposal was made in a letter from President C. E. Wilson of General Motors to Presi-

GM's factories for other recon-

DIRECTORS TO MEET

1946 expansion program.

\$25,000 to aid in the purchase. Willamette is to acquire a 10 acre near the fork of Bear creek and athletic field in the park tract Lake creek. They answered via a under terms of the agreement walkie-talkie dropped from the between current owners, the city

dent R. J. Thomas of the striking and clothing were dropped to the union, which has tied up GM men, missing since an army Dockmen Refuse Parley

two parachutes there, but could find no signs of life.

A special meeting of the board of directors of Sicks Brewing Co. has been called in Salem today for presentation of the company's

and the university.

On Planned Walkout SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30-(A) -A request by the Pacific Coast Waterfront Employers' association to arbitrate scheduled 24-hour work stoppage Monday on all vessels except troopships was rejected today by the CIO International Longhoremen's and Warehouse-

Frank P. Foisie, president of the association, asked that arbitration begin tomorrow unless the stoppage was called off.

Commissioners in Winston-Salem, N. C., Friday, an election which Probe Reveals Army Thought Canal, Hawaii Attacks Likely

By William T. Peacock WASHINGTON, Nov. 30-(AP)-Maj. Gen. Sherman Miles said always had considered attacks on sul in Hawaii was destroying his Hawaii and the Panama canal records but did not inform Short. about "equally likely" in case of

That was so "inherent in the situation," he declared, that he had hever thought for a moment before Dec. 7, 1941, that Pearl Harbor's defenders were not ful-

ly on the alert. Miles acknowledged before the evaluations and forecasts he prepared as head of military intelligence, Lt. Gen. Walter C. Short, army commander at Pearl Harbor when the Japanese struck, sat at a nearby table as Miles testified. He leaned forward and stroy their codes. listened carefully as Miles related No warning messages were that he had served under four sent to Hawaii between Nov. 27

In response to questions from Gerhard Gesell, assistant committee counsel, Miles said he knew today the army high command on Dec. 6 that the Japanese con-Such secret information ordibecause its code was regarded as "more secure," he explained, and "we had every reason to believe

would be promptly given to the senate-house investigating com-letter from Lt. Col. Kendall mittee, however, that Hawaii was Fielder of the Hawaiian department, dated Sept. 6, 1941, saying cooperation among army, navy

that any navy message to Hawaii

tion "is most complete."

Miles also told the communities also told the communities are instructed military at

the attack began,

in Tokyo on Dec. 3, 1941, to de-

commanding generals in Hawaii and Dec. 7 when General George and all had always been conscious that Hawaii might be atpatched one which was not detacked if trouble developed with livered until three hours after

The largest one-day's report on

half of the \$61,462.50 came from sixth position. which already are over their quo-tas in E bonds but go right on Oregon Roads buying them. Listed from cities outside Salem were \$30,131.25 in Near Normal

looks as if the city Salem is going to have to be prodded. Salem can not let the rest of the county

Largest Bond Sale Report In

withdrawn from Iran by Jan. 1.

E-bond sales to come into Marion county Victory loan headquarters to date was received Friday, when \$61,462.50 worth were recorded.

A significant feature of the day's report was the fact that nearly

The gains made out in the county "show up" Salem again, com-mented Douglas R. Veater, county war finance chairman, adding: "It

In Oueen Race on sports page.) the Victory Loan is Jean Wolcott, Miller's store candidate with New Precincts

Only \$150 in E bonds boosted Miss Wolcott ahead of Beth Greenlee, statehouse candidate

ambassador, Hussein Ala, of Moscow's note refusing passage of Iranian government troops to the northern Iranian area where a separatist movement is reported. quota of \$2,690,000. Series 2. The United States is still awaiting a reply from Russia and Great Britain to its proposal that

troops of all three countries be however, Miss Greenlee having

now, taking fourth place in the contest with \$50,325 of bonds to her credit. The Salem Kiwanis

"Stormy Weather" could well per hour recorded shortly before The average maximum temper-

School at Dallas DALLAS, Nov. 30 - (Special) -The Dallas junior high school was closed by lack of useable fuel to-day and it was not known whether or not a re-opening could be effected by Monday. Senate Votes to Fuel on hand was too wet, Superintendent Whitworth said. The ele-Keep Willamette mentary school and the high

Control Project WASHINGTON, Nov. 30-(AP)-Big money for navigation and flood control went into a defiface of stern opposition by the

house appropriations committee. Included were three major construction jobs in the Willamette valley (Ore.) project: The Cottage Grove reservoir, \$11,500; Detroit reservoir, \$2,000,000, and 'All were flood control' projects. Also included is \$62,000 for the McKenzie river flood control project in Oregon. All had failed

to receive approval of the house appropriations committee. By a standing vote of 137-83, the house approved an amendment adding \$122,275,000 for pro-

appeals by Chairman Cannon (D. Mo) and others, the house acquiesced in President Truman's retime basis. This also had the

and the army engineers. omission of the program, Rep.

COOS BAY, Ore, Nov. 30-(AP)-- COOS BAY, Ore., Nov. 30-(AP)- cannot be provided, it was discovered Thursday. The election, missing army fliers tonight moved toward the area where a scout DETROIT, Nov. 30 -(A)- The ed toward the area where a scout plane spotted two parachutes in

Late today a navy PBY pilot spottd three other men wandercraft that they were well. A fourth later joined them. Food

production since Nov. 21 in a transport plane crashed Monday strike affecting 225,000 workers. in a coastal storm. Wilson said the proposal, for Meanwhile, searchers concenwhich he suggested "acceptance trated on a second area near the by your union," was made with one where the four were found. the thought of restoring the flow An army pilot reported seeing of auto parts and accessories from