

SEEMS TO ME

Gov. Mon Walgren of Washington had rejected suggestions for building new facilities for the new state penitentiary at Walla Walla. He proposes that a new penitentiary be built to replace the present one...

High Court Asked To Rehear Arguments

Contending there is ample existing authority for Portland school board to call an election, Attorney General George Neuner and Multnomah County District Attorney Thomas B. Handley Wednesday petitioned the state supreme court for a rehearing of

Portland High School Students Demonstrate Against Governor

PORTLAND, May 8-(AP)—Groups of high school students paraded through downtown streets today in a demonstration against Governor Earl Snell. Several schools reported demonstrations during the lunch hour. At Commerce high, youngsters paraded with banners saying "Down with Snell" and "We want Snell out."

Grain Ceilings Raised to Aid Famine Relief

WASHINGTON, May 8-(AP)—The government announced jumps in the ceiling prices of wheat, corn and other grain and livestock feeds tonight in a new effort to remedy the food situation at home and abroad.

Many Attend Services for Noted Engineer

Standing room at the rear of the church was taken and a number of persons were seated in the church of St. Paul's Episcopal church behind banks of flowers as state and city paid tribute to a noted engineer...

U.S.-Red Korea Talks Collapse

SEOUL, May 8-(AP)—American-Soviet negotiations for establishing a provisional Korean government collapsed tonight over the issue of free speech for Koreans.

Russia Snubs Council Meet

NEW YORK, May 8-(AP)—Soviet Russia snubbed the United Nations Security Council today when it failed to appear for the first time since the council was formed.

Sailor Heir Back in U.S.

OAKLAND, Calif., May 8-(AP)—John Ochsenr, 19-year-old navy seaman heir to a \$2,000,000 oil fortune, arrived at the Oakland airport this afternoon and into the arms of his mother, Mrs. Hilda Ochsenr. He said he was "all through with Marguerite Human, the girl who stowed away on a government liner to meet him in Honolulu."

Animal Crackers

By WARREN GOODRICH

By Wendell Webb Managing Editor, The Statesman Twenty-nine incumbent state representatives seeking re-election are unopposed for nomination in the 17 primaries...

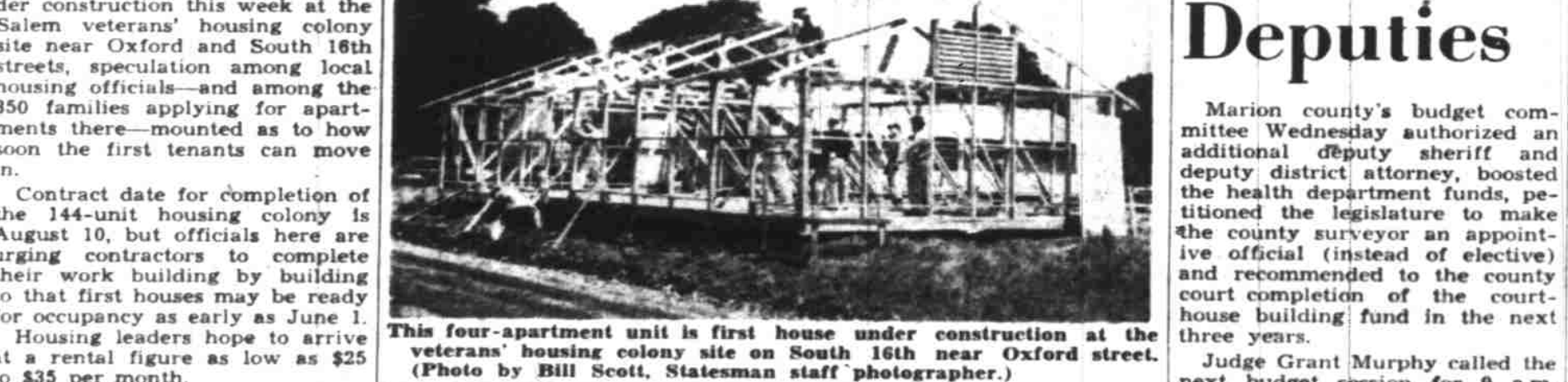
Many House Candidates Are Unopposed

(d) of Corvallis, Fred Himmelwright (r) of Joseph, V. B. Staples (r) of Ontario, Truman A. Chase (r) of Eugene, and Speaker of the House Eugene Marsh (r) of McNamara, Chase and Marsh are seeking senate seats.

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Apartment Being Constructed County To Add Two Deputies



This four-apartment unit is first house under construction at the veterans' housing colony site on South 16th near Oxford street. (Photo by Bill Scott, Statesman staff photographer.)

With the first dwelling unit under construction this week at the Salem veterans' housing colony site near Oxford and South 16th streets, speculation among local housing officials—and among the 350 families applying for apartments there—mounted as how soon the first tenants can move in.

Contract date for completion of the 144-unit housing colony is August 10, but officials here are urging contractors to complete their work building by building to that first houses may be ready for occupancy as early as June 1.

Three-room apartments will have twin beds in one bedroom and a double bed in the other. All beds come with springs and mattresses. Each apartment includes a bathroom.

Senators Smash WIL Record with Thirteen Straight

They did it again, and this time for an all-time Western International league record! Salem's soaring Senators, an unbeaten ball club this WIL

Hotel Building Permit Refused

PORTLAND, May 8-(AP)—Construction permits were refused for \$915,616 worth of Oregon building plans today, while 16 projects totaling \$615,800 were granted approvals.

Poultry Feed Famine Said Critical in State

PORTLAND, Ore., May 8-(AP)—Oregon poultrymen face a poultry feed famine for their flocks within a few days, G. C. Keeney, manager of the Pacific Co-operative Poultry Producers' association warned today.

State Nurse Group Elects Mrs. Hilmer

Mrs. Selma Hilmer, superintendent of nurses at Salem Deaconess hospital, was elected vice president of the Oregon States Nurses association during the three-day Portland meeting from which she returned Wednesday.

Weather

Table with weather data for Eugene, Portland, and San Francisco, including max, min, and rain forecasts.

Bill to Return Dead Voted

WASHINGTON, May 8-(AP)—Congress gave final approval today to President Truman's today bill authorizing return of the nation's war dead to this country for burial. The war department would return and bury the bodies of any war dead whose immediate family requests such action.

Gas Next To Be Cut In Crisis

WASHINGTON, May 8-(AP)—A far flung dimout was urged by the government tonight, and steps were in preparation for nationwide rationing of manufactured gas as the coal strike crisis moved rapidly toward perhaps the most momentous showdown in the country's peacetime history.

Salem to Feel Effects of Rail Embargo Soon

Portland, Ore., May 8-(AP)—Northwest lumber will jam all available storage space and many mills may be forced to close as a result of the freight embargo starting Friday, lumbermen predicted today.

British Loan Passes Test

WASHINGTON, May 8-(AP)—By a scant five votes, the administration today won its first big test on the \$3,700,000 loan to Britain and drove ahead with new speed striving for senate passage tomorrow.

Clubwomen Favor Military Training, Strike Machinery

MAXINE BUREN Women's Editor, The Statesman PORTLAND, May 8-(Special)—Oregon Federation clubwomen at the 36th annual convention held for three days in Portland, reported on record as urging more satisfactory machinery for dissolving differences of labor and management. It also urged the study of proposals to provide for adequate defense and military training.

House Building High in Salem

Slightly over 70 per cent of the total valuation of construction and repairs for which the city issued building permits during April was in new residential construction, the city engineer's monthly report showed Wednesday.

Garbage Men Say Food Drive Effective

PORTLAND, May 8-(AP)—Portland garbage collectors told the state food for famine committee today that since the famine relief drive started, the amount of discarded food has dropped noticeably.

Italy's King to Abdicate

ROME, May 8-(AP)—King Vittorio Emanuele will abdicate before the June 2 plebiscite to decide whether Italy shall be a monarchy or republic, Falco Lucifero, minister of the royal household, said today, but the abdication document has not yet been drafted.

Farmhouse Priority

PORTLAND, Ore., May 8-(AP)—Farmers may obtain priorities only for farmhouses, not other buildings, the department of agriculture production and marketing administration said today.

Body-Snatchers Caught

ROME, May 8-(AP)—The Italian news agency Ansa said in a dispatch from Milan today that two of the 12 persons arrested in connection with the theft of Benito Mussolini's body had confessed their participation and said the duce's body now was hidden "in a secure place."

Baptists Elect Cates

Local Baptist leaders have been attending sessions of the state Baptist convention in Portland, which ends today. Delegates yesterday elected Ray Cates of Salem president of the state men's council.

Terminal Pay Sought For Enlisted Men

WASHINGTON, May 8-(AP)—The house military committee recommended today that enlisted men be given the same terminal pay benefits accorded officers, but that in the future the payments be dropped for everyone.

Time Change Vote Due

PORTLAND, Ore., May 8-(AP)—City council will decide next Wednesday whether to adopt daylight saving time, Mayor Earl Riley reported today.

