

20 DIE IN DETROIT SUBURB TORNADO

Weather
Max. Min. Precip.
Salem 71 52 .00
Portland 70 48 .00
San Francisco 76 45 .00
Chicago 75 51 .00
New York 75 57 .00
Willamette river, S. R.
FORECAST (from U.S. weather bureau, McHenry field, Salem): Mostly clear to light and fresh breeze, southerly winds in afternoon. Highest temperature 80 degrees.

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Fight Ends With Logger Facing Murder Charge

ALBANY, June 17.—John Raymond Davis, 31-year-old Brownsville logger, was charged with first degree murder in Linn circuit court here today following the death of Lloyd Hubbs, 21, of Junction City, as the result of injuries received in a fight with Davis at Brownsville Saturday night.

The men, allegedly fought with their fists and Hubbs was later taken to a Eugene hospital where he died at 5 a. m. Sunday morning. Little is known of Hubbs here except that he was from Junction City. Davis has a wife and two children and his father, John Raymond Davis has been a logger here for 20 years, off and on. The fight took place, for the last 20 years, officers said.

An argument over a chair which had been occupied by Mrs. Davis, is believed to have started the fight between the two men.

Meeting Called To Determine Need for Wire

Action to relieve the shortage of baling wire is the most critical of agricultural shortages — was underway today. In co-operation with public agricultural agencies, Paul Shepard, of the farm service department of the Salem branch First National bank, has scheduled a meeting of all hay baling operators, and growers needing wire baling ties, at the A. C. Haag Implement company in the Silverton road at 2 p. m. this Wednesday.

The meeting is designed to determine the amounts of wire needed. A simple, home-made device for manufacturing wire baling ties from turn wire is to be demonstrated.

Valley Cherry Picking Starts

Cherry picking got under way in a number of Willamette valley orchards Monday but the peak of the harvest will not be reached for 10 days or two weeks, growers said. Damage to cherries from recent rains was nominal.

Jews Damage Haifa Terminal

JERUSALEM, Tuesday, June 18.—Workshops in the Haifa railway yards were damaged extensively by fire and explosion last night during attacks in which two Jewish saboteurs were reported killed, bringing to 11 the death toll in Palestine's two-night wave of terrorism and violence. There were 15 explosions during the one-hour attack on the Palestine railway's facilities in the port city. Defenders of the yards finally beat off the armed raiders, although fire fighting and pursuit of the attackers was difficult as all roads leading to the workshops had been mined heavily.

Man Dies in Indiana Flash Hotel Fire

GARY, Ind., June 17.—(AP)—One man was killed and nine others were injured this afternoon when a flash fire raged through the 82-room Imperial hotel. Seven persons were rescued from the top floor of the three-story structure by firemen using ladders. Only 18 persons were reported in the building at the time the fire started.

Animal Crackers

By WARREN GOODRICH



"If there's anybody else in this apple besides me speak now or get your tail bit!"

\$389,265 Permit For 28 Buildings In Salem Denied

PORTLAND, June 17.—(AP)—The Oregon national guard's proposed construction of 28 motor storage buildings at Salem costing \$389,265 was denied a permit by the civilian production administration today. At the same time one other business concern was denied a permit, another was granted one, and a third filed an application. Davidson Baking company, Salem, application for a permit to construct a retirement home was denied. A permit was granted I. M. Moyer, Salem, for a \$350,000 addition.

Violations of Curfew Law Show Decline

City police redoubled their efforts to enforce the curfew on juveniles over the weekend, but the "fair warning" of last week's announcement that strict enforcement would be the policy apparently put youngsters on their best behavior.

Only two curfew violators were apprehended and the most troublesome and seasonal juvenile problem was the use of fireworks, according to the newly appointed juvenile officer, Howard Higby.

Another "gunshot" report came to police late Saturday night from North 20th street, and upon investigation turned out to be a firecracker explosion. Youth had been seen setting off the fireworks but were not in the neighborhood when police arrived, the police report stated.

The 1942 city ordinance prohibiting sale, distribution or use of any kind of fireworks for duration of the wartime emergency remains in force, police warned Monday. Penalty for using the fireworks can be as stiff as \$500 fine and 60 days imprisonment.

Jackson to Return to U.S.

NUERNBERG, June 17.—(AP)—Supreme Court Justice Robert H. Jackson disclosed today he would return to the United States after July 15 when his work as chief U. S. prosecutor in the Nazi war crimes trial is over, and hinted that he might discuss the explosive supreme court controversy directly with President Truman.

Italy Permitted to Ask Damages

PARIS, June 17.—(AP)—The four-power foreign ministers council today gave Italy an equal vote in settling war damage claims arising out of military action on Italian soil by providing for the establishment of multi-national mixed claims tribunals.

81 Willamette Valley Navy Volunteers Leave for Camp

"It ain't all gonna be sunshine!" With this parting bit of information from Chief Quartermaster Robert B. Fallon ringing in their ears, 81 members of the second company of Willamette Valley Volunteers left Salem on Monday night for San Diego boot camp training. The first Willamette Valley Volunteers left for Farragut on D-day, June 6, 1944.

Lined up on the state capitol steps early Monday afternoon the 81, largely 17 and 18-year-olds, were given their formal send-off an hour earlier than had originally been scheduled. So businessmen who gathered at the capitol missed the ceremonies. However, their contribution of fruits for lunch boxes packed by the Navy Mothers club was delivered to the youths as they entrained. State Treasurer Leslie Scott, representing the state for the occasion, praised the foresightfulness of the volunteers and the oppor-

Boosts in Three Items Cost Salem \$72,000 Annually

Newly-authorized increases in three food items—milk, butter and cheddar cheese—have boosted the drain on Salem's household budgets by \$72,000 annually, a compilation showed today. The added cost in Marion, Polk and Yamhill counties together totals \$250,000.

Milk nationally went up a cent a quart 10 days ago (in this area it went up 1/2 cent in April, another 1/2 cent early this month); butter advanced 11 cents a pound and cheddar cheese 6 cents a pound, effectively making a pound cost a quart delivered.

Stabilization Director Chester Bowles estimated the increases in the three items would cost the nation's housewives each year at least \$250,000,000, or about \$1.80 per person. The new butter price in Salem ranges around 66 cents a pound. Milk is 14 1/2 cents a quart delivered.

Butter Price Raised by OPA 11 Cents Pound

WASHINGTON, June 17.—(AP)—Housewives were confronted tonight with higher prices for butter, cheese and evaporated milk and prospects of slightly smaller supplies of meat, poultry, eggs, wheat products and dried fruits.

The higher prices were set by OPA, following earlier increases on milk, bread and other food. The shorter supplies of other items during the next 12 months were forecast in a report by Secretary of Agriculture Anderson.

It said, however, that canned fruits and vegetables will be more plentiful than during the year ending June 30. The retail increases go into effect, OPA announced, with first sales by dealers who have paid more for their supplies. Manufacturers were authorized to begin charging higher prices right away.

Sentiment High For Spain Rift

NEW YORK, June 17.—(AP)—Australia, France and Mexico joined today in firm opposition to an attempt by Great Britain to send Spanish exiles to the United States. The British cabinet's Spanish security council to the general assembly without a recommendation for a diplomatic break with Madrid.

After two and one-half hours of debate, the council adjourned at 10 p. m. E. D. T. tomorrow without a vote. The session was highlighted by a personal appeal from the Australian delegate, Dr. Herbert V. Evatt, to Soviet Delegate Andrei A. Gromyko to go along with the majority "in the interest of democratic principles."

The Gromyko last week had attacked the sub-committee recommendations for a break with Franco Spain if Generalissimo Franco still is in power in September. He said it did not go far enough.

Vet Surplus Board Formed at Stayton

STAYTON, June 17.—Liberalizing the release of surplus goods for the veterans is the aim of the Willamette Valley Veterans surplus board organized here tonight. Flavius Anatum of Mt. Angel was named president of the local unit, Clarence Baldwin, secretary-treasurer.

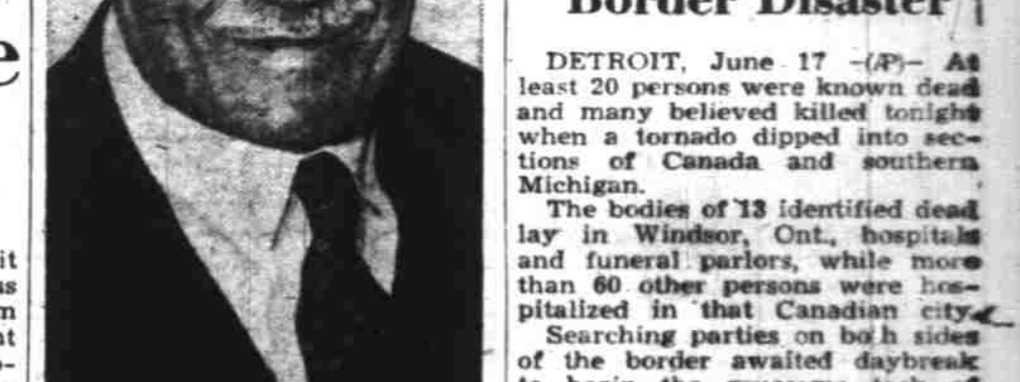
Congregational Church Ransacked by Burglars

Burglars broke into First Congregational church Sunday night and stole \$12 in cash and a \$40 check made out to cash, police stated Monday. A desk and drawers in the office were forced open, but apparently only money was taken, they said.

50 MEXICANS COMING
A contingent of approximately 50 Mexicans to assist with the Willamette valley harvest is due to arrive here Wednesday or Thursday, and another 50 is due Friday or Saturday. All are scheduled to live at the airport farm labor colony and will be situated east of Turner road.

Districts Flattened By Winds

Toll Expected to Rise in Canada Border Disaster



DETROIT, June 17.—(AP)—At least 20 persons were known dead and many believed killed tonight when a tornado dipped into sections of Canada and southern Michigan. The bodies of 13 identified dead lay in Windsor, Ont., hospitals and funeral parlors, while more than 60 other persons were hospitalized in that Canadian city. Searching parties on both sides of the border awaited daybreak to begin the gruesome task of searching the 15-mile tornado devastated areas for more bodies.

Both American and Canadian police officials predicted that the death toll would soar sharply tomorrow when the searchers get underway. More than 40 were hospitalized on the American side. Property damage was estimated in the hundred of thousands. The rolling, devastating wind ripped into River Rouge, six miles from downtown Detroit and then smashed across the Detroit river into Sandwich, on the outskirts of Windsor.

Waterspouts were raised on the Detroit river as the tornado zoomed to the Canadian side, but coast guardsmen said there were no reports of boats in distress. The little community of Sandwich apparently was hardest hit by the fury of the winds. The Canadian press at Windsor said "at least 15 persons were known dead and probably many more" lost their lives there as the wind flattened an area 100-feet wide.

Strangely enough the other portions of sprawling Detroit with its more than 1,500,000 population suffered little. The wind was not heavy and the only damage was caused by heavy rain. Detroit hospital facilities were taxed to the utmost as all available doctors, nurses and ambulances were pressed into service while extra crews of police and firemen were called in to duty.

Weather bureau officials said the tornado was reported by an observer shortly after 6 p. m. (EST) and that it directed its fury on the American side before heading for Sandwich. It then disappeared. The huge waterspouts on the Detroit river were indication of a "wreath" disturbance.

The wing of a plane identified as part of an American army bomber fell on a house on George avenue in Windsor in the height of the storm. No other trace of the craft was reported. Mrs. Albert R. Perry of Windsor said at least seven persons were killed a short distance from her home.

The seven, she said, were living in a house across the street from her. "We saved the house lifted from its foundation," she told a Canadian press reporter. "It just came rolling, and rolling, and rolling along. I saw the house go up in the air and I saw the bodies being carried away by the wind. I don't know what became of them."

Silver Creek Land Exchange Planned

WASHINGTON, June 17.—(AP)—The house passes legislation Monday authorizing the interior department to exchange federally owned lands in the Silver Creek recreational demonstration project in Oregon for privately held lands of equal value.

The interior department said the legislation was needed to consolidate lands in the project, which will later be turned over to the state. The measure now goes to the senate.

Civil Service Board

Lyle J. Page, Salem attorney, was elected unanimously to the city civil service commission Monday night by the city council. Page has been filling the unexpired term of William C. Jones, who resigned when he moved to Eugene.

Appointment of David Cameron to the city airport advisory committee was announced by Mayor I. M. Doughton. Cameron replaces John Hughes, who recently resigned.

MARRIAGES DOUBLE
During the first 15 days of June 72 marriage licenses have been issued by the Marion county clerk, or nearly twice as many as the 34 issued during the first half of May. It is estimated that this June may prove the biggest marrying month on record here.

WHEAT CONTROL URGED
KANSAS CITY, June 17.—(AP)—Government control of wheat will be necessary at least another year to make sure food is shared with the hungry millions of people throughout the world, Norris E. Dodd of Washington, undersecretary of agriculture, said here today.

Senate-House Vote 9-Month Draft Addition

WASHINGTON, June 17.—(AP)—In a slight setback for the war department, a senate-house conference agreed today to extend the draft nine months beyond July 1, and then continued to argue over drafting 18-year-olds. A compromise offer would subject 19-year-olds to induction.

The war department and other draft proponents had asked that the selective act be continued for one year from May 15 last. The senate passed a bill providing for such an extension, but the house limited the new lease on life to next Feb. 15. The senate-house conference, seeking to reconcile differences on the two measures, agreed today to compromise on March 31, 1947.

This is a nine-month extension beyond the present expiration date of July 1, which was established in a stop-gap extension bill pushed through congress on May 15.

It differences over including 18 year olds can be compromised, conferees said that all other senate-house disagreements will be quickly adjusted.

Building Delay Probe Readied

WASHINGTON, June 17.—(AP)—Attorney General Tom Clark disclosed today that a nationwide investigation of construction industry trade practices which he said are delaying new homes is under way. The inquiry is the 16th being conducted by the justice department's anti-trust division in a variety of fields, including food, fuel, transportation, banking and electrical equipment, Clark told a reporter.

He added, "The investigation also encompasses reported abuses in allied fields, including mortgage interest rates, and reports of black market dealings in lumber."

West Salem to Vote On Budget Today

WEST SALEM, June 17.—The city budget election will be held here tomorrow at the city hall. The polls will be open from 8 a. m. until 8 p. m.

The budget calls for a levy of \$20.365, which is in excess of the six per cent limitation. The proposed increased levy reflects increased costs of materials, labor costs and improvements resulting from rapid industrial expansion.

Rest Homes Granted Higher Pay for Housing County Aged

The high cost of living has made the raising of rates by nursing rest homes justifiable, Marion county welfare commission members agreed Monday as they approved higher payments for the county's aged wards who are housed in such establishments. At the same time, the commission set up a list of standards it said it would require of homes receiving county checks.

In addition to the standards established by the state board of health and state fire marshal, the county will require that wherever possible a trained nurse shall be employed. If the care home has seriously ill persons as residents; otherwise, a trained practical nurse shall be in attendance at all times. Inmates of the Fairview home, employed in some establishments, shall not wait on patients to the extent