

### Coast Defense System May Extend to Sea

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24 (AP) - Major General Butler D. Miltonberger, chief of the national guard representatives from the Pacific coast today said that the Pacific coast defense system may well be extended 2,000 to 3,000 miles seaward.

The chief of the national guard representatives said that too much of the contemplated defense plan was in the secret category to permit discussion other than to say that it may include rockets and flying missiles.

"Nothing has yet occurred," he said, "which would cause me to think the fundamental principles of our defense have changed."

He indicated, however, that the coastal defense system which served during World War II was considered obsolete and would be replaced radically to meet new conditions.

General Miltonberger told National Guard representatives that guard divisions are to be assigned as nearly as possible to the same areas as before the war and that approximately 80,000 ground troops and 8,500 airmen would be authorized for units in the Sixth army area (comprising the eight states represented).

Units will train 45,000 ground troops in addition to two divisions with 5,400 men. Assignments to Idaho are 3,600 ground and 350 air; Montana 3,100 ground and 350 air; Nevada, 1,800 ground and 350 air; Oregon, 1,400 ground and 1,100 air; Utah 4,200 ground and 350 air; and Washington, 12,000 ground and 700 air.

The first division will be stationed in Washington, Oregon and Idaho, California and Oregon will get the main armored

### Action Delayed on Employees' Petition

The state board of control Wednesday filed without action a petition of the Oregon State Employees Association asking that the association be recognized as bargaining agent for state employees.

Earl Snell said there were many facts to be determined under the national labor relations board and Oregon laws before any definite action could be taken.

### Bible Institute Seeks To Construct School

PORTLAND, July 24 (AP) - The Salem Bible Institute and Academy today asked the civilian production administration for permission to build the first unit of a high school and college on a 35-acre plot at 1125 Elm st., West Salem. The cost will be \$60,000.

### Display Only Jet Plane Japanese Built



BURBANK, Calif., July 24 - The only jet-propelled plane the Japs built is displayed for the first time at Lockheed Airport, "Shushui," as it was named, was built for the Jap navy and test flown but didn't get into combat. It has a 19-foot aluminum fuselage, plywood wings with a 20-foot spread, and a 225-pound jet engine that uses hydrogen peroxide. The plane, which the Japs copied from the German ME-163, was captured by occupation forces and brought to the United States for study. (AP Wirephoto)

### Flood Control To Be Delayed

WASHINGTON, July 24 (AP) - Two bills authorizing about \$2,000,000 in flood control, navigation and water power projects were signed today by President Truman but he emphasized he would be slow to signal for a start on the work.

Funds have not been set up for the projects and Mr. Truman said he would request none this fiscal year. He took the bills as primarily to help plan future programs with "no expectation of early appropriations."

### Woodburn Highway, Sewer Bids Awarded

Two contracts, involving \$139,892.50, were awarded by the state highway commission Wednesday to Warren Northwest, Inc., Portland. One contract covers 1.18 miles of pavement widening on the Woodburn section of the Pacific highway. The other includes highway widening, pavement and installation of storm sewers in the city of Woodburn.

### Browns to Miami

MIAMI, Fla., July 24 (AP) - Miami city fathers related today in demands for five percent of spring training baseball receipts and offered the St. Louis Browns of the American league the use of Miami field for 1947. The New York Giants, one of Miami's best tourist attractions, were released from their verbal agreement to train here next spring.

GINNY SIMMS MOTHER HOLLYWOOD, July 24 (AP) - Singer Ginny Simms, 28, wife of building contractor Hyatt Dehn, late today gave birth to a nine-pound son, David Martin Dehn.

### State Industrial Employment Less

A decrease of 0.5 per cent, or 1800 workers, in the number employed by Oregon manufacturing industries from mid-April to mid-May, was shown in a voluntary report of Oregon employers released Wednesday by the U. S. bureau of labor statistics in San Francisco.

Largest decrease was reported in transportation equipment employment, down 24.5 per cent due to additional lay-offs in shipbuilding industries.

Durable and non-durable goods industries continued to gain workers. The 1946 mid-May total in Oregon was 35 per cent higher than in 1945.

### Echo Balks at Plan To Form County

ECHO, Ore., July 24 (AP) - This town will not withdraw from Umatilla county to help form a new county to be named for the late Senator McNary.

J. E. Middleton of the Echo Booster's club said those favoring the idea were presumptive in including Echo among towns favoring formation of McNary county from Umatilla and Morrow counties.

### WARREN APPOINTS ARNOLD

SACRAMENTO, July 24 (AP) - The state senate today confirmed Governor Warren's appointment of General H. H. (Hap) Arnold, retired chief of the army air forces, to the state fish and game commission.

### POWER LINE PLANNED

PORTLAND, Ore., July 24 (AP) - Preliminary surveys are underway for a 46-mile transmission line to provide power for Detroit dam on the north Santiam river. S. E. Schultz, Bonneville power administration chief engineer said today.

### Nationalists on March in China

NANKING, July 24 (AP) - Nationalist armies reputed to total nearly 500,000 men today were reported driving along a 130-mile Yangtze river front between Nanking and Shanghai.

The communist New China News agency described the movement as a "full scale" Kuomintang offensive.

A government spokesman said that nationalist troop concentrations in Kiangsu now were "ample" to block any possible threat to the seat of nationalist government at Nanking or to the commercial queen city of China, Shanghai.

### States to Discuss Purchase at Adair

The Oregon state purchasing department announced Wednesday that it would confer with Washington and Idaho and with Multnomah county hospital officials with the idea of joining in the purchase of \$200,000 worth of equipment at Camp Adair.

Officials said Oregon could use 20 per cent of the Adair property at state institutions. It was indicated that the equipment could be purchased on a bid ranging from \$25,000 to \$50,000.

### Atom Medicine Tests Scheduled Next Year

PORTLAND, July 24 (AP) - Today's underwater atom bomb blast at Bikini must be considered minor compared to tests scheduled for next year, Dr. John Simpson, chairman of the atomic scientists of Chicago, told Reed college students today, predicting new use of the atomic science in medicine and biology.

### Soviet Papers Attack FBI for Lt. Redin Case

MOSCOW, July 24 (AP) - Soviet Journalist David Zaslavsky assailed the federal bureau of investigation today as the "American secret police" and charges that its prosecution of the Lt. Nicola Redin spy case was "a criminal conspiracy" aimed at injuring Soviet-American relations.

Zaslavsky, writing in the communist party newspaper Pravda, said the handling of the case by the FBI smacked of the dread Czarist Okhrana (secret police) "which resorted to forgery, provocation and perjury."

Redin was acquitted July 17 in Seattle of espionage charges.

Journalist Ilya Ehrenburg, writing in the Soviet government newspaper Izvestia, told the Russian people that "America, which never knew feudalism, has established another hierarchy - a racial one."

Under the headline "black deed of the American secret police," Zaslavsky wrote:

"There is and was no 'cause of Redin.' There is the case of the American secret police and it is known that part of the American press prefers to keep quiet about it."

### Fairview Bus Line Pondered

Establishment of bus service between Salem and state institutions east of the city remains under consideration of the state board of control.

No action was taken Wednesday when the board heard Oregon Motor Stages' offer to operate five buses daily from 12th and Hoyt streets to Hillcrest and Fairview homes, on a one-month trial basis. The bus firm asks a \$600 guarantee.

Board members said a survey of the two institutions' staffs showed that their use of bus service would not alone pay operation costs.

### Sprinkling System Installed in Park

Sprinkling of Willson park now can be accomplished in less than half the time required formerly, thanks to the recently installed modern sprinkler system, Park Superintendent C. W. Shields said Wednesday.

Water pressure is ample for operation of 60 sprinkler units simultaneously, which means that the entire park can be watered in about three hours, he said. Formerly the sprinkling by hose connections took eight hours.

### Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE: Walnut meats, off a few left. Phone 6778.

### Sen. Morse Adds Lengthy Items to Congress Record

WASHINGTON, July 24 (AP) - Five items, totaling more than 15 one-page columns, were contributed to the July 18 Congressional Record by Senator Morse (R-Ore.).

They were a plea for a new Portland postoffice, a price control editorial from the Denver Post, an editorial from the Medford, Ore., Mail-Tribune advocating abolishing the filibuster, an article on "liberals and liberalism" and an address he delivered before a local church on political ethics.

### Foresters on 24-Hour Duty

Twenty-four hour dispatching service will be maintained daily at the state forester's offices here during the remainder of the forest fire season, with Wendell Ewing serving as chief dispatcher, Nels Rogers, state forester, announced Wednesday.

Rogers said all movements of crews outside their supervising district boundaries would be controlled by the state forestry department. Districts requiring assistance will make request through the Salem dispatcher.

Two blister rust control camps of 50 men each have been established in the Swede Basin area of the Siskiyou national forest and one camp of 100 men in the Pinehurst area. These will be available for emergency fire fighting.

### Cutler Applies For Retirement

Police Sgt. J. L. (Jack) Cutler, a Salem policeman for 22 years, has applied for retirement upon completion of his current vacation from the police force.

He is the first policeman to apply since the new public employee retirement system went into effect recently, and whether he is eligible immediately has not yet been determined, according to Police Chief Frank A. Mintz.

Sgt. and Mrs. Cutler and their daughter Doris Jean Cutler are vacationing in Los Angeles.

### Reckless Driving Charge Levelled

WEST SALEM, July 24 - West Salem police tonight arrested Howard W. Moehne, Willamette, on a reckless driving charge after a chase across the Willamette river bridge into Salem. Police said they had observed Moehne's truck passing up a long line of traffic approaching the bridge, travelling at high speed. Moehne was released after posting \$25 bail.

### Two Injured, Man Held in Auto Accident

Mavis Baker, 25, of 350 Belmont st., and Stanley Hegburg, 22, of Dallas, today are recuperating from injuries they incurred early Wednesday morning in an automobile collision on North Church street near Fairgrounds road.

Following the accident, Salem police arrested William T. Cox, route 1, Ruckreath, on a charge of drunkenness. Police said Cox was driving the car in which Hegburg and Mavis Baker were riding, and that the car had struck a parked car so hard it rolled over the curb onto a lawn at 1361 N. Church st.

Raymond Sidney Sherry, 1325 D st., and a friend were sitting in the parked car when the collision occurred, police said. Both the injured were treated at Salem Deaconess hospital and released (Cox posted \$10 bail and was released later Wednesday).

### Training Schools To Be Surveyed By Association

Operations and staff of the state boys' and girls' training schools will be surveyed by the National Probation association in the next three weeks.

Approval of the survey was given yesterday by the state board of control to Fred S. Finley, San Francisco, western director of the probation association. The board advised Finley not to have the survey concern whether the Woodburn school and the Hillcrest school should be administered by the state public welfare department instead of by the board of control.

The board deferred action on a request for construction of a \$12,500 superintendent's cottage at Hillcrest.

### WEDDING FOLLOWS DIVORCE

LAS VEGAS, Nev., July 24 (AP) - Actress Martha Scott, 32, and Mel Powell, 23, pianist in Benny Goodman's band, were married yesterday 15 minutes after she divorced movie producer Carleton Alspop, it was disclosed today.

### Hearing Held on Medford Bus Line

Hearing on the application of Norman Cooper, Beaver Bus Lines, to acquire the privileges and permit of the Rogue River Transit company, Medford, has been held before Public Utilities Commissioner George H. Flagg.

The applicant seeks to carry both passengers and express. Flagg indicated that he would release a decision in the proceedings within the next few days.

### Court Asked to Drop Dairy Case

Intervenors Wednesday filed a motion in the Marion county circuit court in the case of the Sunshine dairy, Portland, against E. L. Peterson, state agricultural director, involving the use of paper milk containers, asking that the case be dismissed.

In event the motion is rejected intervenors ask for argument on the demurrers be postponed until trial of the action on its merits.

### Flash Flood Destroys Portion of Utah Town

MOUNT PLEASANT, Utah, July 25 (AP) - At least one building was demolished and cars were carried as far as five blocks late yesterday when a disastrous flood raged through the center of this Utah town from rain-swollen Pleasant Creek.

Damages estimates were more than \$100,000. No lives were lost.

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Romance!  
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NOW SHOWING!  
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ANN (A girl in a million... with a million poses!)  
SHERIDAN  
DENNIS (In love, and oh how he loves it!)  
MORGAN  
JACK (He's a weed in the garden of love!)  
CARSON  
ALEXIS (Everybody's girl - friend... all at once!)  
SMITH  
JANE (She's a playgirl... playing for keeps!)  
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ONE MORE TOMORROW  
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