

7 Killed, 60 Injured As Tornadoes Strike Two Minnesota Towns

(Story in Column 4)

CIO Reviews Congress, Posts Score On Solons' Vote Record

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17—(AP) The CIO published today as a "guide" for citizens in determining how they will cast their ballots, the voting records of all members of congress on 12 issues of major importance to the American people.

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The Weather table with columns for Max, Min, Precip and locations like Salem, Portland, San Francisco, Chicago, New York, and a forecast for the Willamette river.

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Gambling Ship Man Slugged



HOLLYWOOD, Calif., Aug. 17—Jimmy Uiley (center), 43, concessionaire on Tony Cornero Stralla's gambling ship Bunker Hill, shown while being treated at a hospital after he was severely beaten in a Hollywood cafe. Several movie people were held at bay with a pistol by one of two men while the other struck Uiley with a blackjack. (AP Wirephoto)

OPA Ready To Roll Back Meat Prices If Board Acts

Inquiry Hints Little Return Of Subsidies

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17—(AP) The question asked more than 100 witnesses by members of the powerful new decontrol board in four days of public hearings on meat, dairy products and other major foods showed that they were thinking along these major lines:

To Visit State



Harold E. Stassen

Oregon GOP Convention to Hear Stassen

Former Governor Harold E. Stassen of Minnesota who served his state as chief executive for three consecutive terms until he entered the U.S. navy in 1943, will be the guest speaker at the 13th annual convention of the Oregon Republican club to be held in Portland at the Multnomah hotel on October 4 and 5, according to an announcement Saturday afternoon by Judge Joseph B. Felton, president of the Oregon Republican club.

OPA Leader Denies Word To Contrary

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17—(AP) OPA Administrator Paul Porter said tonight that June 30 ceilings will be restored on most meat if the price decontrol board authorized reestablishment of ceilings and payment of adequate subsidies.

118 Arrested In Portland Gambling Raid

PORTLAND, Ore., Sunday, Aug. 18—(AP)—Portland police launched a series of raids on what they said were gambling establishments last night and early today, and by 12:30 a. m. had arrested a total of 118 persons.

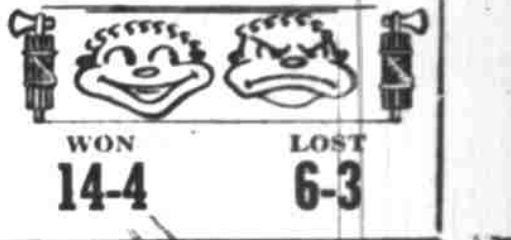
Park Traded For Building By Silverton

SILVERTON, Aug. 17—McGinnis park has been exchanged for Washington Irving school building by the city council, it was announced by Mayor George Christensen following a special council meeting.

Auto, Bicycle Collide In City; Nobody Hurt

An automobile driven east on Center street by Edwin G. Wittenberg, 550 N. Summer st., collided Saturday afternoon with a bicycle which Lloyd Chawell, 420 S. 22nd st., was riding south on Liberty street, according to police reports.

Our Senators



Full Blast of Twister Levels Tourist Camp

Tornadoes which struck two Minnesota towns, located about 30 miles apart, killed at least seven persons Saturday night and injured about 60 others.

Negotiations Loom in Great Lakes Strike

DETROIT, Aug. 17—(AP)—Top leaders of the CIO National Maritime union headed toward New York and Chicago today for "important" new negotiations with two companies in the Great Lakes shipping strike.

Russ Troops Said Massing

TEHRAN, Aug. 17—(AP)—An official foreign source who requested anonymity said today that cables reports from the northern frontier indicated the Russians had massed between 15 and 25 divisions—possibly as many as 115,000 men—along the Araxes river boundary between Iran and Soviet Russia.

2 Coos Bay CIO Leaders Attacked

COOS BAY, Aug. 17—(AP)—Two CIO waterfront leaders escaped two men who struck them last night with blackjacks, Henry F. Hanson, chairman of the CIO committee for maritime unity, told police today.

Fair Manager Working On Traffic, Parking

Measures are being taken to alleviate the customary traffic congestion at entrances to the Oregon state fair next month, Manager Leo Spitzbart said Saturday. He also reports complete re-fencing of the parking areas and that the entire area will be chalked Monday.

Bus Overtakes In Illinois; One Killed, 32 Hurt

PITTSFIELD, Ill., Aug. 17—(AP)—The Pike county sheriff's office said one person was killed and 32 persons injured, "many of them seriously," when a Greyhound bus overturned on route 36 east of Pittsfield tonight.

P51 Crashes On Rail Track

CONCORD, Mass., Aug. 17—(AP)—An army P51 Mustang fighter pilot, flying formation with another P51 and B29 bomber at the New England air show, was killed tonight before 5,000 spectators in a crash on main line tracks of the Boston & Maine railroad little more than a car length behind the road's Chicago-Boston "minute man."

Truman Takes Swim in Bay

WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN THE ATLANTIC, Aug. 17—(AP)—President Truman swam in Delaware bay this afternoon before putting out to sea, bound for the Narragansett bay area and the east coast of Maine.

Security Council to Decide On Entry of 9 States to UN

NEW YORK, Aug. 17—(AP)—The first actual vote on nine applications for United Nations membership will come in the organization's powerful security council, where the big five holds the power to blackball any state seeking admission.

Registrations of Motor Vehicles At New Peak

There was a new high record of 423,000 motor vehicle registrations in Oregon the first half of 1946, with additional fees of \$3,250,000, Secretary of State Robert S. Farrell, Jr., announced Saturday.

Calcutta Riot Toll Mounts To 250 Dead

CALCUTTA, Aug. 17—(AP)—Rioting Moslems and Hindus fought a pitched battle in central Calcutta tonight and casualties mounted steadily from two days of bloody clashes. Reuters said the toll was estimated at 250 killed and 1,800 injured. Other reports said more than 2,000 had been hurt.

Race 'Scuffle' Reported in New Jersey

SWEDESBORO, N. J., Aug. 18 (Sunday)—(AP)—J. T. Sholl, secretary-supervisor of the migrant labor division, New Jersey department of labor, said early today a scuffle in a restaurant occupied by several hundred negroes and white persons last night brought a call for state police assistance but there was "no riot" and no one injured.

Oregon Vet Loans Averaging \$4,776

PORTLAND, Aug. 17—(AP)—Fifteen million dollars have been loaned Oregon veterans under provisions of the GI bill of rights, Albert E. Tate, loan guarantee chief of the veterans' administration, said today.

Radio Monitoring Station Requested

WOODBURN, Aug. 17—The Marion County Firemen's association meeting here voted to name a committee to ask the aid of the sheriff's office and the county court in obtaining a radio monitoring station in Salem, to cover all of Marion county. The action following a talk regarding the working of such a station at Oregon City.

George Flagg Heads Utility Commissioners

George H. Flagg, Oregon public utilities commissioner, was elected chairman of the 11-state Mountain-Pacific Conference of Utilities Commissioners at Boise, Ida., last week.

Parley Votes To Hear Iran, Austria Views

PARIS, Aug. 17—(AP)—The European peace conference, turning down Russian objections, voted 15 to 6 today to invite Austria to present its views on the draft treaty with Italy, and then approving unanimously a soviet suggestion that Iran also be invited.

Oregon Health Record Among Best in Nation

PORTLAND, Aug. 17—(AP)—Oregon's health record is among the best for the 48 states, the research council for economic security reported today.

20,000 Indians Start Festival

ANADARKO, Okla., Aug. 17—(AP)—Thousands of American Indians are converging on this "Indian capital" of the country for the opening Tuesday of a five-day festival of tribal dances, pageantry and craftsmanship.

Hours for Sprinkling Set in West Salem

WEST SALEM, Aug. 17—Sprinkling can be carried on in West Salem from 7 a. m. until 8 p. m. Sunday, the water department announced today. The week-end closing of Blue Lake Cannery makes additional water available for residents. The new pump, expected to augment the supply, probably will be working by the end of next week.

Tanker Explodes

PORTLAND, Maine, Aug. 17—(AP)—Fumes exploding with terrific force blasted the 16,000-ton tanker Diamond Island in Portland harbor today, taking the lives of two crewmen and injuring three others.

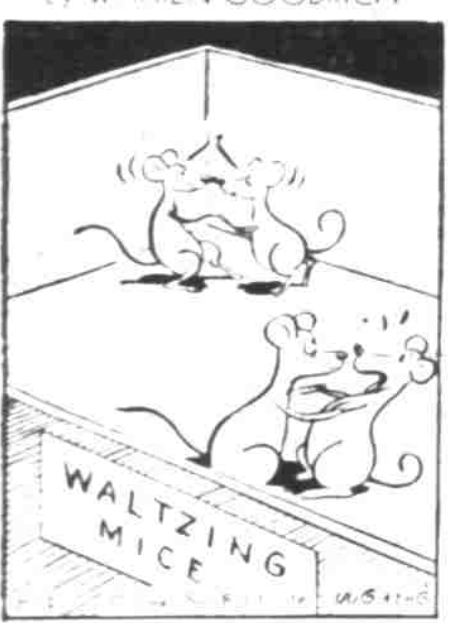
IT SEEMS TO ME

By Charles A. Sprague Stanley Walker was a good newspaperman; his back "City Editor" is still good stuff for young reporters to study. I say "his back" because Walker is turning his back on New York, the scene of his labors in journalism. He tells the world why in "Farewell to New York" in the last Saturday Evening Post. It reads like a complaint in a divorce action—not the formal recital of "cruel and inhuman treatment," but the admission of lost love, of distressful change. The essay is a blend of nostalgia and criticism, surprising for one just reaching 48, but then New York ages one fast, in mind as well as body.

Two Convicts Flee Annex

Prison officials reported no traces late last night of two convicts who disappeared just before noon from a gang working at the prison annex. Neither was listed as dangerous.

Animal Crackers



I don't know why you can't learn to Samba like that mouse from Brazil.