Mrs. Derby Dies at Coast, Rites Friday

A resident of Salem for 56 years, Mrs. Frank Derby died unexpectedly Tuesday morning at Newport, Ore. Born in Ionia, Michigan, she had come to Salem in 1891 and had resided for some years at 245 N. Winter st.

Services will be held Friday at 10:30 a. m. at Clough-Barrick chapel, with the Rev. Dudley Strain efficiating. Ritualistic services will be rendered by the Willamette White Shrine of Jerusalem, and committal services will be held Friday at 1:30 at the Portland mausoleum.

Mrs. Derby had been active in the First Christian church in Salem. She was a charter member of the Willamette White Shrine of Jerusalem, No. 2, Salem, and was a member and past matron of Chadwick chapter 37 of the Eastern Star.

Mr. Derby died Jan. 22, 1945. The Derbys owned a number of pieces of property in Salem, including the Derby building which houses the Senator hotel.

Surviving are two daughters, Ulva Derby, Salem, and Mrs. Nellie Derby Collins, Portland; one sister, Mrs. Minnie DeLong Watson, Portland; two grandchildren, Mrs. Marian D. Johnston, Portland, and Mrs. Katherine D. Whitney, Forest Grove; three great grandchildren, J. Wilson Johnston II, and Prudence K. Johnston, both of Portland, and Hartwell H. Whitney, jr., Forest Grove.

Appropriation Bills Pass

WASHINGTON, July 15 – (AP) – Behind schedule, the fourth and fifth of a dozen big departmental appropriation bills needed to run the government this fiscal year went from congress to the white house today.

They set up $3,433,046,100 cash for the navy and $55,000,000 to run congress.

Director

The Rev. Herbert E. Anderson, who will become director of Salem Youth center at the youth rally this Thursday night at senior high auditorium. He recently completed his ministerial course at Prinston Theological seminary in New York, and succeeds Herbert E. Hanks, director of the Youth center the past six months, who will continue his ministerial training in California.

Dr. Dreesen to Assist Tax Office In Advisor's Role

Dr. William Dreesen, professor of agricultural economics at Oregon State college from 1918 until his retirement this month, will assist the Oregon sales tax committee in a consultant and advisory capacity during its campaign with the election on October 7, a tax committee bulletin announces.

Throughout his long service with Oregon State college, Dr. Dreesen has been recognized as an authority on taxation, especially as it applies to agriculture, tax committee officials state.

Dreesen believes, according to the Oregon sales tax committee bulletin, that "the sales tax measure referred to the people by the 1947 legislature constitutes a constructive step in the financial history of Oregon."

Europe Planners Outline Program

PARIS, July 15 –(AP)– Swiftly and without division, the 16-nation European economic conference completed today its blueprint of an organization to draft and administer continental reconstruction outside the aloof Russian sphere, under the Marshall plan of U. S. aid.

The conference unanimously approved steering committee, a five-nation executive board and four technical boards.

The lesser committees will survey Europe's resources and dollar needs by Sept. 1.

20,000 DIE IN FLOOD

SHANGHAI, Wednesday, July 1–(AP)–The Chinese Central News agency reported from Kweilin today that at least 20,000 persons died and 1,500,000 were made homeless during the recent Kwangsi province flood, described as the worst in 30 years. Kwangsi is in south China.

VISITING AT SPRINGFIELD

UNIONVALE—Mrs. Leah Braat is at Springfield to spend a week with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE: Lumber truck with steady haul. Ph. 2-5087 or call 1240 S. 15th.

WANTED TO RENT

Furn. Apt. for 2 women & 4-yr.-old girl. Clean habits. No drinking. Must have by Aug. 1. Ph. 3267 bet. 9-4 daily exc. Thursday.

James Conlee Reunion Held At Dallas Park

DALLAS—The James R. Conlee family reunion was held at the Dallas park Sunday with about 60 attending.

James Conlee came to Oregon from Iowa in 1853, settling near McMinnville where the family resided for a few years before coming to Polk county. The honored guest was Mrs. Mary Connor, a daughter, a native of McMinnville and now of Dallas, who will celebrate her 91st birthday in September.

Those coming from a distance included Mr. and Mrs. Cal Turnidge of Taft; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Turnidge of Otis; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson and granddaughter, Viola Wilkening, all of Portland.

New officers are Oliver Henshaw, Salem, president; Rouleigh Francis, Sheridan, vice-president; Ora E. Francis, Salem, secretary-treasurer.

Board to Vote on Fairview Projects

A joint meeting of the state board of control and state emergency board has been called for next Tuesday for consideration of a contract for construction of three buildings at the Fairview home (state home for the feeble minded) near Salem.

The low bid of $742,740 for construction of the three buildings in combination was received from W. C. Smith, Inc., Portland, last week. This bid was nearly $75,000 less than the original estimate by state engineers. The projects include an employes' dormitory, patients' cottage and laundry.

Federal Employe Check-Up Passes

WASHINGTON, July 15 – (AP) – Legislation setting up the machinery for loyalty checks on all federal works and job applicants was passed today by the house and sent to the senate.

The vote was 319 to 61.

The measure applies only to officers and employes of the executive branch of the government, an amendment to include the legislative and judiciary branches having been defeated, 109 to 29. Temporary and part-time workers paid by the hour are not affected.

APOSTOLI WINNER

SAN FRANCISCO, July 15-(AP) Fred Apostoli, 161, San Francisco, scored a technical knockout over Cowboy Ruben Shank, 160, Denver, in the eighth round of their scheduled 10-round fight at the Civic auditorium Monday night.

30 MEMBERS

Thirty different teams have held franchises in the National league since it was organized in 1876.

Scottish Family to Survey Salem as Possible Homesite

A royal welcome will be given a far-traveling family who want to make Salem their home, if Chamber of Commerce officials are successful in contacting the family before their arrival here, expected this morning about 10 o'clock.

The Chris Mattisons, coming from Glasgow, Scotland, were known to be en route to Portland Tuesday by train. The chamber was checking railway travel as far as Pocatello to determine their arrival time. At the depot here, they are to be met by Mayor R. L. Elfstrom and other civic leaders.

The family includes two children, Margaret, 6 years old, and James, a baby. They have emigrated to become U. S. citizens, according to a wire to the chamber from Tommy Bartlett, who interviewed them Monday on a Chicago radio program.

78 at First Session Of Boy Scout Camp

LEBANON — Camp Pioneer, summer camp for the Cascade area Boy Scouts, is open for the season with an enrollment of 78 regular campers. The staff of 18 is headed by Lyle Leighton. Last week a new unit of Boy Scouts was accepted at the Fairview school, sponsored by the Thursday Afternoon Sewing club. Robert Morton is scoutmaster and J. V. Avrit is chairman of the committee. It is thought that some members of the new troop will attend the camp for a part of the season.

MARKUSON RITES HELD

LEBANON — Friday afternoon final rites were read for Axel Markuson in the IOOF cemetery. Mr. Markuson, 55, came here from Minnesota and is survived by his wife and three sons, Marvin, Keith and George Markuson.

Cigaret Tax Stamps Wait

The 11,000,000 cigaret stamps purchased by the state tax commission prior to filing of the referendum against the two-cents-a-package cigaret tax law of the 1947 legislature probably will be usable in case the referendum is defeated and the law is placed in operation, Tax Commissioner Carl Chambers announced Tuesday.

The proposed referendum of the law will go before the voters at a special election October 7 along with the 3 per cent sales tax law. Chambers said all refunds to cigaret dealers who purchased stamps before the law was attacked have been made. Approximately $4,000 was spent by the tax commission in anticipation that the cigaret tax law would become operative July 5.

New Mexico Base Holds Army Secret

WASHINGTON, July 15 –(AP)– Use of a New Mexico base for a highly secret project was disclosed indirectly today in a war department announcement of routine changes of command for a number of general officers.

The announcement reported that Brig. Gen. Robert M. Montague, former assistant commandant of the antiaircraft and guided missiles center at Fort Bliss, Tex., was now assigned to the "armed forces special weapons project at Sandia base, Albuquerque, N.M."

There was no further explanation of the function of this project.

QUAKE IN COLOMBIA

BOGOTA, Colombia, July 15 (AP)- Widespread damage was caused by yesterday's violent earthquake at Pasto, but only seven of the city's 50,000 inhabitants were reported injured. No fatalities were recorded.

P-80 to Fly Route Of Mormon Trek

OMAHA, July 15 –(AP)– An army P-80 jet fighter plane will attempt to fly over the Mormon trail tomorrow from Omaha to Hill field, Utah, in 110 minutes—a trip that took the original Mormon party 110 days a century ago, second air force headquarters said tonight.

The plane will be piloted by 1st Lt. John R. Rowson of Santa Barbara, Calif., great grandson of one of the original Mormon pioneers. The army air forces are staging the flight in connection with the Mormon Centennial celebration.

Annual Picnic Set For Next Sunday

The Juvenile-Boy Ranger branch of the Catholic Foresters of Sublimity, Stayton and Jordan will hold their annual picnic this year, Sunday, July 20, at Wilson park, on Thomas Creek, near Jordan, as guests of the Sublimity Catholic Foresters. The program will be under the supervision of the juvenile director, Richard Schumacher, of Sublimity. Sublimity boys will board a special truck for the occasion at Sublimity at 9:30 a.m. Sunday. The Sublimity group numbers around 140 Juvenile members at the present time.

GOP Governors on Dewey Bandwagon

SALT LAKE CITY, July 15 –(AP) A secret-ballot poll disclosed today that Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York is the odds-on choice of GOP state executives for the republican presidential nomination in 1948.

With 10 first choice votes to Gov. Earl Warren's two and former Gov. Harold E. Stassen's one, Dewey far outstripped the field.

Cities Prepare for Phone Rate Hearing

When hearing on the application of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company for rate increases in Oregon aggregating $2,249,000 is resumed here August 18, a large number of municipalities will be represented, information received by the public utilities commission here this week disclosed. Salem will be represented by City Attorney Chris Kowitz.

Port of Portland Refuses To Purchase Swan Island

PORTLAND, Ore., July 15–(AP) The Port of Portland commission today rejected a war assets administration proposal to sell the Swan Island shipyard to the port for $400,000.

The commission, which originally offered $250,000 for the facilities with the idea of leasing them to industries, said the Kaiser company, which operated the shipyard in the war, had given up plans for post-war industry at Swan Island.

Baptists Attend Annual Picnic

HAYESVILLE — Baptists held their annual picnic Friday evening at the church grounds with the Rev. Henry Barnet in charge of the games. One night a week is designated as work night, with members assisting in clearing undergrowth from the large grove of firs.

George Strozut, assisted by Junior Strozut, took the tenderfoot scouts from troop 20 on an overnight camping trip. The time was spent on the Santiam fishing, swimming and camp crafts.

Marilyn Broer, daughter of Mrs. John Broer, is ill with the mumps. They have just returned from an outing spent at East lake.

STATE
— Opens 6:45 P.M. —
Hurry! Ends Today!
(Feat. at 7:15-9:40 P. M.)
David O. Selznick's Mighty Production
- Starring -
JENNIFER JONES
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IN TECHNICOLOR
DUEL in the SUN

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— Opens 6:45 p. m. —
Now! Terrific Fun!
Roy Rogers
Dale Evans
"Don't Fence Me In"
—::—
Red Skelton
"The Show Off"
—::—
"Son of Zorro" — No. 2

WARNERS
CAPITOL
Ends Tonite 'The Verdict' 'Song of Texas' 40c Till 5 P.M.
Starts Tomorrow!
The Ruthless Story of Woman's Most Brutal Betrayal!
DANA ANDREWS in BOOMERANG
with JANE WYATT, ARTHUR KENNEDY, SKM LEVENE, LEE J. COBB
Betty's All Mixed Up With Men and Murder! and it's a riot! As a detective she's No. 1 suspect!
HUTTON-TUFTS
CROSS MY HEART

HOLLYWOOD
Opens 6:45 p. m.
PAT O'BRIEN
CLAIRE TREVOR
HERBERT MARSHALL
CRACK-UP
— RAY COLLINS
WALLACE FORD
DEAN HARENS
ALSO
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Added: Bugs Bunny, "Easter Yegg," World News.
Come Early for Best Seats
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ELSINORE

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There's no beauty like the beauty of
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The Ascot Gold Cup!
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