

Salem Girl Killed in Midnight Auto-Train Collision Here

(Story in Col. 4)

IT SEEMS TO ME

By Charles A. Sprague

Under congressional mandate... the state department, particularly the state department, are busy with communist purges. The law now requires a government employe to deny membership in the red party before he can draw his pay. Under special legislation the state department recently has fired some 20 persons for "security" reasons. Not all are accused of party membership; in fact no specific charges have been placed against them nor are they permitted to defend themselves. Suspicious associations are said to be cause for dismissal, or evidence that one's name was on a mailing list of some suspect outfit.

Free Palestine To Be Urged by U.N. Committee

GENEVA, Switzerland, Aug. 29 (AP)—Members of the United Nations special committee on Palestine said tonight the committee's report to the U. N. general assembly would call for termination of the British mandate in the Holy Land at the earliest possible moment.

Malheur Fights Polio Menace

ONTARIO, Ore., Aug. 28 (AP)—An emergency medical team from Portland met with health officials here today to draft a program against the polio menace which has postponed school opening and canceled the county fair and public gatherings.

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CORVALLIS, Ore., Aug. 29 (AP)—State Sen. Angus Gibson, 60, soloed here today in a four-place airplane after two weeks of intermittent training.

Atomic Theft Cited

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29 (AP)—The federal bureau of investigation tonight announced the arrest of Armand Frederick Kivi, 27, at Brooklyn, N. Y., for the theft of "highly confidential photographs" from the Los Alamos, N. M., atomic installations.

Research Pictures Found The pictures found in Kivi's possession, Hoover said, depicted various phases of atomic research equipment used in connection with the bomb and several pictures of visitors to the atomic project.

Welfare Board Blames Slice On Legislature

POTLAND, Aug. 29 (AP)—The state public welfare commission declared today that the blame for this summer's reduced checks to old age pensioners should be placed on the state legislature rather than the commission.

Salaries Boost Chest Budget

Increased salaries for staff members of the participating agencies explain most of the increase in this year's Salem community chest budget, W. L. Phillips, budget committee chairman, told members of the chest campaign executive committee at the Friday luncheon at the Marion hotel.

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Sweet Home Bank Robbed of \$58,000

Argentina Driver's Retracts Objection

QUITANDINHA, Brazil, Aug. 29 (AP)—Argentina withdrew tonight her proposed amendment to the inter-American mutual defense treaty which would have limited the treaty's application to the hemisphere security zone, thus ending an impasse and permitting unanimous adoption of a Mexican compromise.

Road Mishap Fatal to Boy; Week Toll 29

HILLSBORO, Aug. 29 (AP)—A highway crash tonight killed Glenn A. Leutho, 15, Agate Beach, Ore., the first fatality of the Labor day weekend in Oregon.

U.S., British Raise German Output Ceiling

BERLIN, Aug. 29 (AP)—The British and American military governments announced today their plan to raise the permitted ceiling of industry in their two German zones to approximately the standard of 1936; increase exports to 15 per cent above that year, and to hike the present German living standard to 75 per cent of that basic period.

Rev. O'Connell To Leave Here

The Rev. Daniel K. O'Connell, pastor of the Catholic parish at Shaw since 1943 and Catholic chaplain for state institutions, has been transferred to the Forest Grove parish and its attached missions, the Portland archdiocese announced Friday.

Tsaldaris Cabinet Sworn In

ATHENS, Aug. 29 (AP)—A right-wing Greek government headed by Constantinos Tsaldaris and composed with one exception of populist (royalist) party members—contrary to United States wishes—was sworn in at the palace of King Paul tonight.

Aurora Bridge Goes to McKee For River Span

Marion County Commissioner E. L. Rogers Friday announced that the 50-ton steel bridge which spanned the Pudding river for many years at Aurora will be moved at McKee until such time as it is possible to erect it there upon new concrete piers to cross the Pudding river.

Salem Woman Crash Victim

OSLO, Norway, Aug. 29 (AP)—The only American killed in the Norwegian flying boat crash that took 34 lives yesterday was identified today as Mrs. Harteidke Margrete Jess, 67, Salem, Ore.

Atomic Power in Industry Nearer Through 'Harnessing' of A-Bomb

LOS ALAMOS, N. M., Aug. 29 (AP)—A significant stride toward an atomic power plant, involving a harnessed version of the atomic bomb, was announced today by the atomic energy commission.

Picnic Closes Playground



Little Danny Greig, 2060 N. Church st., clutches his lunch pail as he sits at the near end of the table and other youngsters of Highland school summer playground dig into the eats at the "last day" picnic Friday...

War not Immediate Threat, Legion Told

NEW YORK, Aug. 29 (AP)—General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower, in an address he described as "something of an official farewell," told the American Legion today he did not foresee "a global war as an immediate threat."

Wet Week End, Clear Fair Set

Salem and vicinity may expect cloudy weather accompanied by occasional showers over the Labor day weekend, the U. S. weather bureau predicted Friday night, while forecasting clear skies and warm temperatures for the week of the state fair.

Senator Chessman Condition 'Grave'

PORTLAND, Aug. 29 (AP)—State Sen. Merle R. Chessman, Astoria, publisher of the Astorian-Budget, was reported in a "grave" condition at a hospital here tonight, following a brain operation Tuesday.

Miss Oregon on Way To 'America' Contest

PORTLAND, Aug. 29 (AP)—Jo Anne Amorde, 19, Sutherlin school teacher named "Miss Oregon" this year, arrived here tonight en route to the "Miss America" contest at Atlantic City.

Police Seek 2 To East

SWEET HOME, Ore., Aug. 29 (AP)—The Sweet Home bank was robbed of about \$58,000 in small bills today by two men who ordered customers to the floor, overrode employes' desperate stalling attempts, and escaped two pistol shots and a pursuing car.

Picker Demand High; Machine Need Urgent

Hop growers in the Salem area still need 2,000 hop pickers, with an increased demand for hop-picking machine men for both day and night shifts, states Mrs. Gladys Turnbull, assistant at the local farm labor office.

Our Senators Rained Out

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