Sharing Theme Set At Thanksgiving by President Truman

By the Associated Press Americans at home and abroad gave thanks yesterday for the nation's bounty which thousands vowed they must share with a needy

NINETY-SEVENTH YEAR

Thanksgiving, oldest of native holidays, was celebrated in traditional style in homes and churches throughout the land and wherever Americans gathered across the seas. But this year the old holiday was given a new theme as Presi-

dent Truman set aside the day for "generously sharing our bounty with needy people of other na-Turkey was king for Americans

fron. Tokyo to Trieste. President Truman and his famly attended church services in servation program to aid over-By Charles A. Soraque seas hungry, the president had

The "purge" at Hollywood treads eggs.

on rather dangerous ground. For Didn't Forget Hungry example RKO has fired two men Groups of Americans throughwho were cited for contempt of out impoverished Europe celecongress for failing to answer brated the day with turkey questions as to their political be- where it was obtainable. But they daughter is "very, very ill, according to several doctors, and needs liefs. But these two are the produ- did not forget the hungry of Eucer and director respectively of rope while they feasted. "Crossfire," a movie whose theme Lewis W. Douglas, the U. S. is the degrading practice of anti- ambassador to Britain, declared

often repulsively so.

ions, that is clear.

publish a list of "tainted" films,

"Tobacco Road" as "subversive;"

ing opinions which would paralyze

art and sterilize thought in this

country. Surely our political, so-

cial and economic order is not so

frail that it has to drive dissent

An illness diagnosed by a phy-

sician as ptomaine poisoning made

four persons occupying a trail-

er house at 546 North High st.,

violently ill Thursday morning, ci-

ty first aid attendants reported.

Four Ill from

underground.

Semitism, rated as one of the bet- in a brief speech in London that her daughter last was seen yester films of the year. Surely that "we can be thankful" the Amer- terday at the Gotham hotel on theme cannot be listed as "un- ican people "are recognizing the Fifth avenue where she had been American" yet the truth is that distress of people in distant lands many who are loudest to condemn across the waters and are pre- the girl's illness and Winchell communism are also anti-Semitic, pared at great sacrifice to extend said doctors had not disclosed its support, so needed for the resto- nature to him. Chairman Thomas of the com- ration of the ordinary civilization mittee on subversive activities of the world. says that the committee will soon Turkey in Trieste

ordered that no bread be served

and the dressing mixed without

In Trieste, a trouble spot of in Central Park," "Dark of the citing chapter and verse, or scene Europe, turkey and all the trim- Moon" and "Devils Galore." and script, which indoctrinates in mings were consumed by 5,000 alien ideology. Yet the motion pic- U. S. troops. Wherever the American flag Mass., scenic design student, on

ture association in its statement announcing the discharge of the flew over U. S. garrisons and June 5, 1945, eloping with him 10 who have offended the commit- navy ships at sea turkey was tee says that "nothing subversive served to service personnel. or unAmerican has appeared on the screen." This statement does MacArthur, supreme commander ing his wife had treated him cruelnot jibe with the committee's opin- for the allied powers, maintained

business as usual, but he planned For that matter is there any de- to return home to a turkey din- C. Leggat of the Middlesex propendable definition of what is un-American? Some would regard the embassy.

others that it is a document of act-Woman's Death ual life in certain sections. Likewise "Grapes of Wrath," and in its day, "Uncle Tom's Cabin." Privilege always regards any threat to Raises Toll in The risk in all this is that under a wave of hysteria we deny essential freedoms, accuse unjustly differ Midway Wreck from the norm, deny minority rights which presumably are pro-

The death toll from a truck-bus collision near Jefferson November Services Draw tected by the constitution. We 5 stood at two Wednesday as Mrs. thus may get through threat or fear a censorship of the movies and of other mediums of expression and of other mediums of expression a local hospital. injuries in a local hospital.

Mrs. Mawhinney was injured critically when a Greyhound bus in which she was riding crashed their many blessings in Thankshead-on into an Oregon Journal truck at Midway. Driver of the the city. truck, Donald W. Billings, Portland, died instantly in the crash. a union service held in the First The bus driver, Gerald W. Jones, Methodist church under the spon-Eugene, is in the Southern Pacific sorship of the Salem Ministerial hospital in San Francisco, recover- association to hear a sermon by ing from fractures of both legs.

Food Poisoning Jones was found guilty of neg- First Church of the Nazarene. ligent driving by a Marion county coroner's jury Tuesday. The jury take too much for granted," Jenruled that Jones was driving the kins said. "Ours is a troubled bus on the wrong side of the high- world and only in God is there way at the time of the crash. Dis- hope and courage; just so long as trict-Attorney Miller Hayden said we have God we need not be Tuesday that Jones would be ci- afraid." ted to appear before the grand Large throngs attended masses jury on a charge of negligent hom- at St. Vincent DePaul and St. icide as soon as he is able to ap- Joseph's Catholic churches. Two

Three other bus passengers in- Episcopal church and others at St. jured in the collision have recov- John's, Christ Lutheran, St.

Surviving Mrs. Mawhinney are churches. three daughters, Mrs. Henry Hunt Announcement of services will

be made later by the W. T. Rigdon

STRIKE SUPPORT WEAK

HELSINKI, Finland, Nov. 27(AP) was for \$330,000. The government said tonight support for a strike of more than Elect Al Feeney, a democrat, will 10,000 government employes had take over the city that is busted 'weakened" among the workers, on Jan. 1 when the republican

LOAN PEGGED FOR BELGIUM C. S. Ober, city controller, who WASHINGTON, Nov. 27:-(AP)-A announced the error, said that Inloan of \$50,000,000 has been ear- dianapolis has \$330,000 less cash California "into the scramble for marked for the use of Belgium, on hand than the books show. He the republican nomination for over a five-year period, the ex- blamed "sloppy, haphazard bookpresident of the United States port-import bank announced to- keeping" and said no money was

hospitalization and immediate treatment." He added:

NEW YORK, Nov. 27 -(AP)- Red-haired Walda E. Winchell, 20-

In Hollywood, the columnist and radio commentator said his

year-old actress daughter of Columnist Walter Winchell, was report-

missing today by her mother, who said the girl was ill.

This is a helluva Thanksgiv-

Mrs. Winchell informed police

to West New York, N. J.

derful daughter in the world."

Thanksgiving

"Most of us are too prone to

At Indianapolis

regime goes out.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 27 -(AP)-

As a result of the error Mayor-

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Crews Sight After-Section Of Shipwreck

KETCHIKAN, Alaska, Nov. 27-(AP)- A coast guard rescue party completed today the removal of four known survivors of the German territory up to the Oder Crew of 38 Saved dale Victory from desolate little and Neisse rivers was ceded to The bookkeeper who made that Hippa island, as the probable death error in the Indianapolis city actoll was placed at 49. counts was no piker. The mistake

day night's shipwreck were taken "pending final determination of aboard the cutter Citrus. One of Poland's western frontier." the trio, unidentified in the dispatch from the scene, has a broken United States, Russia and Britain hip. All were reported suffering reached a tentative agreement from shock and exposure.

Later Third Mate William M. Rasmussen, Modesto, Calif., and ence. Claire E. Driscoll, Los Angeles,

Oakland, Calif., was being flown in another plane to Annette island, and was to be brought here by boat tonight. The coast guard also said that

the after section of the ship, with a mast protruding, had been definitely located off shore from the grounded bow. The other known survivor, who

Only four bodies have been re-covered, two of them unidentified.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27-(AP)-The United States Rubber Co. announced today an increase in prices of its passenger car, truck, farm tractor and implement tires,

Passenger tires will go up 6 virtually unchanged.

Russ Seek Jap Pact Parley in January Tragedy the First Baptist church, Washington, before sitting down to a turkey dinner in the White House. In conformity with his food con-**Accident Toll at 105** Daughter Missing 4-Nation

A total of 105 persons died

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Alaska Crash Kills 13 on Oregon Airliner

Conclave

LONDON, Friday, Nov. 28 -(AP)-

The Russian news agency Tass-said

today the Soviet government had

suggested that foreign ministers

of China, the United States, Rus-

sia and Great Britain meet next

January to discuss a peace settle-

The Tass report, which was from

Moscow and was distributed by

the Soviet monitor here, said Rus-

special session be held in China

provided that "the Chinese gov-

Soviet Foreign Minister V. M.

Molotov, said Tass, made the pro-

posal in reply to a suggestion for a

preliminary conference delivered

by Dr. Wang Shih-Chieh, Chinese

minister of foreign affairs, through

the Chinese embassy in Moscow.

Molotov's proposal also was con-

The Soviet foreign minister's re-

ply to the Chinese foreign min-

ister was reported to have been

given through the acting Soviet

charge d'affaires in China yester-

day. Tass quoted Molotov as say-

German Unity

Germany's final boundaries.

NIP SPECTATORS KILLED

"Consequently for the sake of

veyed to the U.S. and British gov-

ernments, the agency said.

ernment deems this desirable.

ment for Japan.

Conveyed to U.S.

violent deaths as the nation observed the Thanksgiving holiday, and the automobile accident was the chief killer. Ninety persons lost their lives Motorists by the thousands

took to highways in the Salem area Thanksgiving day as clear skies and a bright sun brought the temperature up to 62 degrees, but only two minor traffic accidents were reported by state and city police at a late hour this morning. One accident occurred two

miles north of Salem Thursday morning and the other within the city limits, but none of the passengers in any of the cars involved were seriously injured,

in traffic accidents, and 15 others died violently of miscellaneous causes, including an air-

plane crash in West Virginia, dawn crash today as it approachhunting accidents and drown- ed the Yakutat village airport for

JUNEAU, Alaska, Nov. 27 -(P)-

A twin-engine air transport care

ried 13 persons to death in a pre-

The DC-3, operated by the Co-

from the mile-long airport after

Townspeople reported two ex-

joined coastguardsmen in rush-

ing to the scene, and the civil aero-

Yakutat is about 200 miles north-

which it had departed. It was

headed back for Seattle and Port-

land after picking up seven pas-

sengers at Fairbanks and four at

The cause of the tragedy re-

The Columbia firm is one of

Harold Ames of Longview.

Ed Marek, of Seattle and An-

Hugh Wolbert, Spokane, Wash.;

J. T. Jenkins, Milwaukie, Ore.;

Haworth, who is survived by

his widow and two children, flew

with the Royal Canadian air force

before transferring to the United

States air force and then was an

route into China during the war.

A ground party was led to the

In the party were Richard

One wing had been torn from

Party Rushes to Scene

R. M. Murdock, La Salle, Ill.

Donald C. Smith, Denver, Colo.;

The passengers were:

Ralph Chinella, Seattle;

Edward Novans, Seattle:

T. S. Morgan, Fairbanks;

Betty Carter, Portland;

A. Miller, Seattle:

Anchorage.

Cause Mystery

a scheduled landing.

The total passed last year's 83, of which 69 were traffic Portland, Ore., crashed two miles

The traditional fall holiday radioing at 4:20-a.m. for a straightwas marked by sunny, mild in approach. Joe Dobbins, presiweather in the gulf and south dent of the company, confirmed plains states and in most of the that all of the 11 passengers and western states. Skies were gen- two-man crew were killed. erally clear on the east coast, but snow fell over most of the plosions after the crash. They midwest and in western Pennsylvania and western New York. Illinois, beset by icy roads,

and New York state, reported they found only nine bodies, alington six each.

pill containing a quantity of

nautics administration reported the greatest number of traffic though the search was continuing. deaths with 11 each. Indiana The wreckage was reported "about had eight and Texas and Washtwo-thirds burned. A light drizzle and some fog One violent death from misshrouded the area at the time of cellaneous cause was reported the crash, with a 500-foot ceiling

in Oregon. A child at Oregon and visibility of 134 miles, the City died after swallowing a Yakutat weather station reported. west of Juneau and about 350 miles east of Anchorage, from

Schuman Regime Wins French Confidence Vote

PARIS, Friday, Nov. 28 -(AP)- Premier Robert Schuman and his mained a mystery. The timbered new coalition government won a narrow vote of confidence in the terrain adjacent to the airport is national assembly today after he promised to demonstrate, before the moderately low, with clear apday is out, "proofs of the government's energy" in combatting France's proaches. The field is close to the the earliest restoration of peace in menacing wave of communist-led strikes. Gulf of Alaska.

In winning the vote of confidence 322 to 186, Schuman received pan and her people corresponding nearly 100 fewer votes than he conditions of peaceful develop- did last Saturday when his ap-

special session of the council of ed 412 to 184. Eighty - three foreign ministers comprising representatives of China, the U.S.A., the U.S.A., the U.S.A., and Great Britain to only 13 votes more than an about 13 votes more than an about 14 to 15 to 1 discuss the question of the prepar- soli ation of the peace settlement for tain the government.

Communists Oppose All but two of the opposition The Tass report said the orig-votes came from the communist

inal Chinese note proposed that a deputies. The motion was introduced by nation Far Eastern commission be five deputies representing each of held at "an early date" to be chos- the blocs supporting Schuman, a

en by Great Britain, Russia, the popular republican. It expressed "confidence in the This preliminary conference government to fight by the most energetic means against the high cost of living, to assure immediately the freedom to work, to Thursday. repress violence and to guarancitizens and maintain order in

Prepared to Use Force

night emergency session that his rains. United States, Britain and Russia force "as a last recourse" to end ing a central government for all the nation.

The confidence vote was taken of Germany. Russia balked at creating a commission to study only a few hours after leaders of cific railroad involves the major crash scene by the pilot of a Over the protests of the United lic service workers applied an un- county. Oaks said. A contract for States and Britain, Soviet For- expected checkrein to the strike \$1,748,777.50 for construction of dawn. eign Minister V. M. Molotov de- wave by voting against a walk- the Lost creek section of the railclared that so far as the Soviet out

Poland and required no further Poland and required no further study. The Potsdam conference As Ship Hits Rocks placed this territory under provisional Polish administration Off South Africa

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 27 -(AP) The conference sources said the its nearby Manhattan Beach sta-Harry Newak of the Earlham that a German government should Victory saying it had taken participate in any peace conferaboard 38 crew members of the South African freighter President Reitz, wrecked today on rocks at Cape St. Francis, near Port Eliza-TOKYO, Friday, Nov. 28 -(AP)- beth, South Africa. A surging crowd in Tottori, anx-

The message said the Earlham ious for a glimpse of touring Em- Victory, owned by the J. H. Winperor Hirohito, fell 30 feet when chester Co. of New York, had a flimsy wooden overpass at the been damaged in the rescue opedied and 26 others were seriously Port Elizabeth with the other vessels' crew for repairs.

several that operate in Alaska and ment, the Soviet government pro-pointment as premier by Presi-poses to convene in January, 1948, dent Vincent Auriol was approvbetween Alaska and the States on a non-schedule basis. It has been operating since May, 1946. Two wartime pilots were at the controls. They were Pilot Jay B. Haworth, jr., 26, and Co-Pilot T. A. Keranen, 27, both of Portland. Passenger list

> Wash., who was employed by the air firm in Anchorage; for the accommodation of thousands of men who will be employed on the Detroit dam, is advancing rapidly and should be chorage, who was entoute to his former home in Schuyler, Neb., completed within a few months. Ivan Oakes, secretary of the Wil- for a holiday visit:

declared in a progress report here The town will include standard tee the liberty and security of the streets, sewers, a sewage treatment plant, dormitories, mess hall

lamette River Basin commission,

and various other facilities. Work on relocation of the north Schuman told the assembly last Santiam highway, the report said,

night at the opening of its all- is progressing slower due to heavy LONDON, Nov. 27 -(A)- The government was prepared to use Engineers, in charge of the pro-

ject, now are located at Fern instructor and flew in the South agreed tonight, informants said, the crippling strikes, now involv- Ridge dam. They were moved to Pacific Keranen flew the "hump" on the necessity of quickly form- ing 2,000,000 workers throughout the new location during the last month.

Relocation of the Southern Pa-Piper Cub who first spotted the France's 1,000,000 unionized pub- task at the Meridian dam in Lane wreckage from the air just after road has been awarded to Mc- Asland, Seattle, and Emmett Flood, Nutt Brothers. Another contract Renton, Wash., pilot and co-pilot for excavation for a cut off trench of a Northern Airlines plane which on the left abutment of the Mer- followed the ill-fated craft into idian dam has been let to Morri- Yakutat two hours later. son-Knudson for \$139,295.

Concrete pier and abutment the transport, apparently when it construction for three steel bridges hit a tree, and wreckage was found on the Southern Pacific lines will over a 100-yard area, Flood said. be completed within approxi- The horizontal stabilizer was Mackay radio today received at mately 30 days, the report con- ripped from the plane and it was tinued. Building and utilities at badly burned, he added. The crash tion a radio message from Capt. the camp site will be completed was in a level wooded area and the early next year.

Weather

San Francisco Willamette river 2.6 feet.

FORECAST (from U.S. weather bureau, McNary field, Salem); Fair torailway station collapsed. Two rations and was proceeding to day and tonight with light fog and died and 26 others were seriously Port Elizabeth with the other

gency other than weather. Driver Escapes as Car Overturns

pilots' opinions coincided that the

crash resulted from some emer-

J. Malcolm Pierce, 243 D st. escaped with minor injuries Thursday night when his car overturned at North Church and Madison

streets, city police reported. Investigating officers said Pierce's car went out of control as he was driving south on Church street, skidded 100 feet and rolled over three times. The car came to rest 215 feet from the point where it started to skid, police said.

Pierce was thrown out of the car as it rolled over, police said, and he refused medical aid offered at the accident scene.



Willamette Valley Bank Plans Open House at Hollywood Site

The new Willamette Valley area adjoins the bank on the

stitution. Meeks invited the public to view mers. use in the modern and colorful poration.

structure. The staff of seven persons has been completed for the opening directors are Ronald E. Jones, of business at 10 a. m. Monday, vice-president, Earl H. Mootry, Hours will be from 10 a. m. to 3 Dr. F. C. Rankin, Frank T. Cutsp. m. daily and until noon Satur- forth, David O'Hara and Glenn M.

Safe deposit boxes and night

tile over concrete. A 4,600-square foot parking lem firms.

bank's plans for open house on north, at Fairgrounds road and Saturday and business opening Hunt street, with entrance on both Thursday by G. Carroll Meeks, streets. Parking is to be provided president of the Hollywood in- for general Hollywood district cutter Wachusett yesterday. use as well as the bank's custo-

the bank's facilities, in a build- Both business and personal ing constructed especially for it banking are offered, including at 1990 Fairgrounds rd., from 2 checking and savings accounts. to 7 p. m. Saturday. All equipment The bank, is a member of the will be in place and ready for Federal Deposit Insurance cor-

Cashier of the bank is Al H. Flicker. In addition to Meeks, the Slentz.

Contractors for the building depository equipment were among were Mortarless Block Co., elec- to 8 per cent with the exception the last items to arrive for ad- tion of walls; Cliff Ellis, concrete; of the new low pressure type, dition to the bank. Modern light- Salem Heating and Sheet Metal, which remains unchanged. Truck ing has been provided in the heating; Parker's Hollywood casings will increase from 5 to 7 building, whose walls are of pas- Plumbing and Heating Co., per cent, and farm tractor and tel colors. The floor is of asphalt plumbing; Denison and Stone, implement tires will go up 5 to electrical installation. All are Sa- 71/2 per cent. Inner tubes remain-

the Far East and affording to Ja-Salem residents, both Protest-Chinese Proposal ant and Catholic, gave thanks for preliminary conference of the 11giving services held throughout OAKLAND, Calif., Nov. 27-Hen-A large assemblage gathered at ry H. Wolfe (above) of Oakland. Calif., Second Officer of the United States and China. Army transport Clarksvale Victory, is one of four known surwould consider "questions pertainvivors of the ship which crashed the Rev. Orville Jenkins of the ing to the convocation of a final on rocky Hippa Island off the peace conference."

Northern British Columbia coast. Forty-five other crewmen are reported to have gone down when stern half of the ship sank. Four other crewmen were found dead on the island. (AP Wirephoto to the Statesman.) (Additional pictures on page 10.)

services were held at St. Paul's Mark's and Central Lutheran

The last three survivors of Mon-

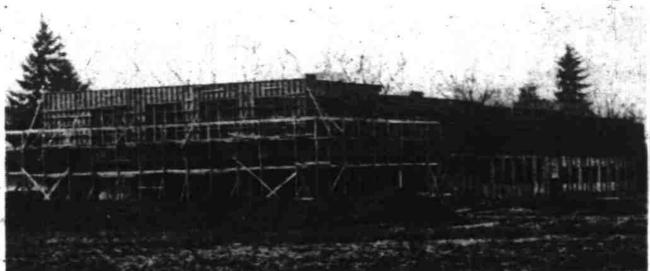
were flown here and were taken immediately to the General hos-Second Mate Henry H. Wolfe,

was found with the others on the beach, Seaman Carlos Sanabria of Honduras, was taken aboard the

U.S. Rubber Co. to **Raise Tire Prices**

effective immediately.

New State Hospital Building Rising



Progress on the new addition to the Oregon state hospital located opposite the present hospital on Center street is continuing with the service tunnel finished and some new streets paved. Shown above is the main wing of the treatment building as the forms for the concrete were being dismantled this week. Additional units will include therapy wards, nurses' housing and greater recreational facilities. (Photo by Don Dill, Statesman staff photographer.)

Stricken were Irma Spence, Joyce Spence, Barbara Spence and Bob Davis. Police and first aid attendants called to the trailer pear. said they found all four victims violently ill. A doctor summoned to treat them diagnosed the illness as ptomaine poisoning.

First aid attendants who questioned the victims said they beof Hillsboro, Mrs. Howard Mansfield in the state of Washington lieved the poison was caused by field in the state of Washington a butterscotch pie purchased at and Mrs. Harold Huber in California; a son, Edwin Mawhinney Made in City Books Wednesday night. The case was of Portland, and a sister, Mrs. John handed over to public health of- Krebbs of Salem. ficials who will attempt to trace the source of the poison.

Teamsters' Boss **Supports Warren**

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 27 -(AP)-Daniel J. Tobin, president of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters (AFL), said today the entrance of Gov. Earl Warren of gives a somewhat encouraging as- night. pect to the nominating convention next summer.

Tobin, writing in the International Teamster for December, added, however, that "there is not much hope that Gov. Warren will get the nomination."

Animal Crackers



"Boy, I'll be glad when this