

Program for Cherryland Fete Outlined

Committee reports and a tentative program outlined of activities for this year's Salem Cherryland festival were outlined at a meeting Thursday night of the Salem Cherryland festival association in the Marion hotel.

The festival slated for July 15 to 18 will include a parade starting at Sweetland field, a horse show and pageant at the fairgrounds, an air show at the municipal airport, exhibits and dances, according to a tentative program outline.

Selection of the festival queen will take place at the Salem senior high school auditorium. The queen selection committee headed by Mrs. Arthur Weddie, will meet within the next few weeks to lay plans, it was reported.

Assisting her this year on the committee will be, Fred McKinney, Mrs. Glenn McCormick, Irwin Wedie, Margaret Magee and Charles Barclay.

The sponsoring committee, headed by Linn Smith, reported that 1,300 letters have been mailed out to prospective sponsoring firms in the Salem vicinity and that to date 81 returns have totaled \$1,235. He said that 29 pledges for \$475 have also been received.

President Sidney Stevens appointed a committee consisting of Fred McKinney, William McKinney, Ralph Nohlgren and Smith to consider the hiring of a business manager for the festival's office, a promoter and a publicity agent.

Rex Kimmell was named to head a committee which is to draw up a list of honorary directors of the festival.

Colonel Tells Of China Scene At Lions Meet

Chinese communist armies are actually fighting "for all or nothing," even though they think they are fighting for a democratic way of life, it was asserted in Salem Thursday by Lt. Col. Frederick Dahquist who spent seven months in north China attempting to bring peace between warring communist and nationalist Chinese forces.

Toastmaster Contest Starts

Capitol Toastmaster club began its intra-club contest to determine the club's representative to the Toastmasters annual speech contest, slated for this spring, at Thursday night's meeting in the Gold Arrow restaurant.

Speakers were George Hewitt, Thomas Massey, George Naderman, Elmer Amundson and Robert Forkner. As a publicity meeting each member will speak and next month the club winner will be chosen.

E. A. Bradford was acting toastmaster at the meeting and Wayne Smith was general evaluator.

Delegates Arrive for Wool Growers Meet

PORTLAND, Jan. 8 —(AP)— Delegates began arriving here today for the 52nd annual convention of the Oregon Wool Growers association, opening tomorrow. Approximately 300 are expected for the two-day session.

Optimism prevailed among early arrivals, with J. M. Jones, Salt Lake City, secretary of the National Wool Growers association, predicting a strong market for northwest growers for several years yet.

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4 Vessels Stand by Distressed Soviet Ship

TOKYO, Friday, Jan. 9 —(AP)— Four rescue vessels stood by the water-logged Russian ship Dvina today off Japan's northeast coast ready to take it in tow when high seas subside.

Air Reserve Meet Delayed

Because of a small turnout due to the local floods, the scheduled election of officers of the Salem Air Reserve association Thursday night was postponed to the next regular meeting on January 22.

A special meeting has been planned for all members and guests of the association on the night of January 14. The place of the meeting has not been selected yet, association officers said Thursday night.

Speaking at the special meeting will be Col. Chester McCarty, Oregon air reserve wing commander, and Col. S. S. Murphy, group commander, both from Portland.

Lebanon Men Still Hospitalized

LEBANON — Serious head injuries were suffered during the holidays by two Lebanon men. Percy Miller, 52, is still hospitalized with a skull fracture sustained when he was struck by the rear view mirror on the car of Chester Anderson when he started across the highway after alighting from a bus at the Waterloo crossing.

New Year's eve, Oneal Trembley, 23, was struck by his own car. He had parked in front of his parents' home and was under the front end of the car making some repairs when an oncoming car driven by Delbert Glasser struck the rear of the Trembley car pushing it on the owner. Trembley who was hospitalized immediately, has not regained consciousness.

DEPARTMENT CALLED GERVAIS — The fire department answered a call Monday at John Birn home.

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Marines Said China Captives

TSINGTAO, China, Jan. 8 —(AP)— The Chinese government garrison commander reported today that communists killed one and captured four U.S. marines on a Christmas-day hunting trip on the Shantung peninsula.

(In Nanking the official Chinese central news agency said also that an American missionary party of four persons was believed to have been captured by communists in Honan province, central China.)

U.S. Naval headquarters declined comment on the incident.

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Mihai, Princess May Live in U.S.

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Jan. 8 —(AP)— Princess Margrethe, mother of Princess Anne of Bourbon-Parma, told the Danish newspaper Berlingske Tidende today it was possible that Anne and former King Mihai of Rumania would go to the United States to stay "immediately after" their wedding.

She was quoted as saying: "We do not live in the medieval any more. They are modern young people and they might want to settle in America."

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