

# ARC Releases Vanport List of 52 Missing

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PORTLAND, June 5 - (P) - The names of Vanport residents still unaccounted for six days after the disastrous shattering of that war-built Oregon city stood at 52 tonight.

Two bodies - both children - have been recovered.

Red Cross missing lists included 45 children and seven adults. They are:

The children - Lucile Austin, 15; Vivian Chambers, Maistra Harris, Richard Parkett, 13; Robert Watson, 6; Raymond L. Ward, Don G. Berry, 17; Minnie Evans, Shirley Golden, 9; William Donnie Hittel, 8; Milton Jones, 1; Zeta Carol Jones, 2; LeRoy McCoy, 4; Dorothy McNeill, 12; Tommy Monroe; Darlene Jean Nelson; Mildred Phillips, 10; Helen Phillips, 10; Ronnie Reines, 11; Hazel E. Sauer, Jeannette Terrell, 4; Melody Lynn Walker, Doris White; Wallace Zavoral; Glenn Zavoral; Gerald E. Allen, 17; Bill Beard, 15; two Elwin boys, 3 and 8; Elaine Crowson, 14; Floyd Crawford, 5; Dennis Reines, 4; Ben Low Davidson, infant; Ernest Gray, 10; Nelson Gray, 14; Brenda Hansen, 2; Ellen Horner, 3; Jane Laing; Irene Jean Laing; Paul Medill, 15; two Opaz children; Gloria Citson, 10; G. E. Priser; T. Dick Smith, 11; and Robert Smith, 17.

The adults -

Suzey Baker, Mrs. Helen Banks, Mrs. Effie Dawson, Earl W. Hopkins; Mrs. Louie Abe Oyama; Mrs. Camilla Weimerlund; Daxley, and Gerda Weimerlund.

# Duluth Suffers \$1 Million Fire

DULUTH, Minn., June 5 - (P) - A dozen business establishments, including a four-story furniture store, were burned up today in a fire that spread rapidly through sections of two main Duluth business blocks. Damage was estimated at nearly a million dollars.

The fire apparently started in the basement of the Rudolph furniture store in a matter of minutes the whole four-story building was ablaze.

Flames spread to adjacent structures and buildings across the street, including the nine-story Duluth board of trade, were damaged.

Smokes kindled many other small fires in a nine-block surrounding area. Nine occupants of apartments on some of the destroyed structures escaped without injury.

# New Regime In Indochina

HANOI, Indochina, June 5 - (P) - The French-sponsored central provisional Viet Nam government was proclaimed today aboard a French warship off Haiphong.

A treaty signed aboard the ship admitted the government into the "French union." It has its premier an officer in the French army.

The Viet Nam republic headed by President Ho Chi Minh has called the new regime a puppet government. The republic has been fighting against French rule in Indochina.

The new regime was set up in opposition to the republic which existed and was proclaimed without an election.

# RELIEF CLOTHING FLOWN

SAN FRANCISCO, June 5 - (P) - A navy transport plane loaded with clothing collected in Santa Cruz, Calif., for Portland area flood victims is due in the Oregon city tomorrow morning.

# 90% OF PARITY VOTED

WASHINGTON, June 5 - (P) - The house agriculture committee voted today to hold the price supports of hogs, poultry and eggs at not less than 90 per cent of parity.

# 10-CENT RAISE OFFERED

PORTLAND, Ore., June 5 - (P) - The Portland chapter of the Associated General Contractors today offered a 10-cent hourly wage increase to operating engineers, teamsters and laborers.



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# 11-Year-Old Collie, Pal, Wins Dog Trials at Fat Lamb Show

By Lillie L. Madsen  
Farm Editor, The Statesman

TURNER, June 5 - Pal, 11-year-old Border Collie won the championship this afternoon in the annual state dog trials held on the Turner Rodeo field before more than 1,000 spectators. The dog is owned by Ahrens Brothers of Turner and was worked by Eddie Ahrens.

Coming in second was Jim, worked by Robert Finley, and recently imported from Scotland for Broadmead Farms in Yamhill county. Birdie, owned by Gath Bros. and worked by Eddie Gath, who won the championship at the Linn County trials a week ago, placed third here today, with Lady, owned by Ronald Hogg of Salem, coming in fourth, and Karl Wipper's one-year-old dog, Toni, taking fifth place. Jim penned his five sheep in five minutes and 21 seconds against Pal's six minutes and four seconds, but the calm obedience of the older dog won him the coveted blue. Much favorable comment was made on the work of Toni, the youngest dog worked on the field today. While he was still a little unsteady and tended to make his band of sheep nervous, he showed unusual promise.

Jim Palmer, Dixon, Calif., who judged the dog trials, gave an exhibition of Tread, the dog who played in the motion picture, "Bob, Son of Battle," at the close of the state trials.

# Lewis Reopens Pension Battle With Survey

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The union made public a memorandum to Lewis by Murray W. Latimer, former chairman of the U. S. railroad retirement board. In it, Latimer compared the operators' March 12 survey with a previous survey made by the same company last November 6.

Latimer said:

1. That the company has changed its estimate of the pensions that can be paid out of the miners' welfare fund. Latimer said that on November 6 the company "suggested that as a transitional arrangement, pensions of \$50 beginning at age 70 might be paid. They now conclude that \$100 a month, inclusive of social security, can be paid beginning at 65."
2. That the second survey, "translated into plain English," means that the company "admits that the benefits can be '98 per cent larger' than was suggested in the first survey."
3. That the first survey contained errors ranging as high as 358 per cent, which were corrected in the second survey. For example, Latimer said the company at first used a too-high total figure of 400,000 soft-coal miners, and later dropped this to 336,037.
4. That he, Latimer, is more convinced than ever that Lewis' original pension demand—\$100 a

# Flower Show

In the flower show, sponsored by the Turner Better Home and Garden and the Cloverleaf clubs, the Turner Home extension unit placed first with its arrangement of semi-double clematis. Donald unit was second; Landcaster unit, Salem, third; Merry Minglers, Salem, fourth; Union Hill, fifth; and Lansing, fifth. Salem sixth. The floral exhibits were judged by Frank Dierker and his daughter, Mrs. Wayne Rose.

Mrs. Ed Gilbert of Aumsville guessed 114½ pounds for the 114-pound lamb exhibited in the annual weight guessing contest held in connection with the Marion County Fat Lamb show at Turner Saturday. This is an annual event with prizes awarded to those who guess the closest to the correct figure.

Winners in the show were:

Future Farmers of America division - Single ewe—1, Danny Miller; single wether—1, Danny Mills; 2, Don Schoder; pen of three lambs, Danny Mills.

4-H division - Single ewe—1, Kenneth Mitchell; 2, Bob Bannick; 2, Patricia Hennies; 4, Jerry Wipper; 5, Marly Pearson; 6, George Pearson. Single wether—1, Patricia Ahrens; 2, Bob Bannick; 3, Shirley Hennies; 4, Jerry Wipper; 5, Patricia Hennies; 6, Harvey Elmer; Pen of three lambs—1, Jerry Wipper; 2, Karleen Drager; 3, Shirley Hennies; 4, Bob Bannick; 5, George Pearson; 6, Patricia Ahrens. Registered single ewe—1, Eldon Andrus; 2, Jerry Wipper; 3, Bob Bannick; 4, Karleen Drager; 5, Harvey Elmer; 6, Marilyn Pearson. Registered single ram—1, Bob Bannick; 2, Karleen Drager; 3, Roy Gould; 4, Margie Jo Drager; 5, Jerry Wipper; 6, Marilyn Pearson. Fleeces 4-H - Quarter—1, Bob Bannick; Patricia Ahrens; three eights—1, Jerry Wipper; 2, Wayne Feller; low quarter, 1, Patricia Ahrens; Braids, 1, Patricia Ahrens; 2, Jerry Wipper.

Open class lambs: Medium Wool single ewe—1, Herbert Booth; 2, Louis Hennies; 3, George Kins; 4, J. J. Thompson; 5, Henry Davenport; Medium wool, single wether—1, Herbert Booth; 2, Fred Gilbert, Jr.; 3, Louis Hennies; 4, George Kins; 5, Fred Gilbert; 6, Karleen Drager. Pen of three lambs—1, J. J. Thompson; 2, Herbert Booth; 3, Louis Hennies; 4, George Kins. Bottle class—1, Phil Janice; 2, Dorothy Meier; 3, Margie Drager; Fred Feller; 5, Marian Meier; 6, Carmen and Darrel Kins. Long wool, single ewe or wether—1, Carl Booth; 2, William

# Effort to Pry Housing Bill Into Open Fails

WASHINGTON, June 5 - (P) - An effort to pry the Taft-Elender-Wagner long range housing bill out of the house banking committee failed today.

However both Speaker Martin (R-Mass) and Rep. Wolcott (R-Mich), chairman of the banking committee, said there will be house action on some sort of housing legislation before congress quits June 19.

To by-pass the banking committee it was necessary under house rules to have 218 signatures—a majority of the house—by today on a petition to discharge the committee from further consideration of the bill.

161 Signatures

Only 161 signatures were obtained, however. With congress set to adjourn, there is insufficient time left under the rules to bring legislation to the house floor for debate via the discharge petition route.

The bill the house passes is not expected to resemble in many details the senate version. For instance, it appears certain the house will reject the T-E-W bill's provision for federally-aided construction of 500,000 low rent houses.

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# Surprise End To Meat Strike

CHICAGO, June 5 - (P) - The CIO United Packinghouse Workers to night ended its strike against Wilson and company, much to the surprise of officials of the packing firm.

"This is the first we've heard of it," said R. C. Winkler, labor relations attorney for Wilson when informed of the union's statement announcing that some 8,000 Wilson employees will return to work Monday.

The settlement was on company terms.

month after 60 years of age and 20 years' service—can be supported by the welfare fund as presently financed.

# Former Vanport Residents May Collect \$20 Refund

Former Vanport residents in Salem now may collect their \$20 deposits made when they originally occupied homes at the Portland project, Marion county Red Cross chapter said Saturday.

The refunds may be applied for by writing to John Harlow, office manager of the temporary Vanport project office, University Homes, Portland.

The letters should contain the Vanport address of the applicant and his present address. The same party who signed the Vanport lease should also sign the letter, if at all possible, said Susan Faherty, executive secretary of the Red Cross here.

Harlow said applications for deposit refunds would be handled as rapidly as possible. He added that evacuees could call in person for their deposits if they so desired.

Miss Faherty said about 50 ex-Vanport families had registered with the Red Cross here since last Sunday's flood disaster.

# Governor Gets Donations for Flood Relief

Acting Governor Ernest T. Eaton, Montana, Saturday telegraphed Gov. John H. Hall:

"It is with deep regret that the people of Montana learn of the serious calamity which has befallen your great state and especially the beautiful city of Portland and its environs.

"If there is anything the state of Montana can do toward the alleviation of the suffering and losses sustained, kindly permit us to assist."

A contribution to Oregon's flood relief program was received by Governor Hall Saturday from Lawrence B. Myers, a Fresno, Calif., attorney.

Sympathy for victims of the flood disaster was expressed in Myers' letter. The governor has presented the contribution to the American Red Cross which has been officially designated as the agency to handle flood relief funds.

# Rail Freight Moving Again

SEATTLE, June 5 - (P) - Railroad freight was moving again today between Seattle and California points on a roundabout course, skirting the Columbia river washouts.

Shipments were being sent from Seattle to Spokane and Pasco, Wash. There they moved to Spokane, Portland and Seattle rail-



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# Truman to Aim Portland Speech At Flood Victims

OMAHA, June 5 - (P) - President Truman will speak at Portland, Ore., June 11, at the Red Cross service center.

Presidential Press Secretary Charles G. Ross said today the speech will be given at 4 p. m. (eastern standard time).

The president altered original plans to speak at the Rose Festival in order to speak in behalf of victims of the Pacific north-west floods.

# FACT-FINDERS TO MEET

SAN FRANCISCO, June 5 - (P) - The president's fact-finding board in the maritime dispute today

called its first west coast session for 10 a. m. Monday in San Francisco.

**L.A. BUS STRIKE NEAR**

LOS ANGELES, June 5 - (P) - Negotiators went into a last-minute conference today seeking to avert a city-wide transit strike set for 12:01 a. m. (PDT) Monday.

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