

Judge May Visit Santiam Island Site of Water Rights Dispute

Circuit Judge Charles Combs of Lakeview, presiding over the Santiam river rights battle which will enter its third day this morning, may visit the river today.

The judge expressed a desire to visit Stayton island just north of Stayton on the North Santiam river. Tuesday saw a parade of witnesses and testimony centered mostly around the year 1936 when Salem purchased a water supply site from A. D. Gardner of Stayton.

Gardner Bennett, grandson of Gardner, who now owns the water power works brought the complaint two years ago. He is seeking a court order prohibiting the city from taking water from the river at the low-level season.

Allan and John Carson and Chris Kowitz, representing the city, called members of the city council and water commission involved in the purchase of the Stayton island site.

The defendants contend that the city purchased the site from Gardner in good faith, that Gardner invited the city to buy and that the city bought on representation of a good that it would be assured of a good water supply.

Bennett alleged in complaint that his own rights of 812 cubic feet of water per second from the river were established prior to the city's rights of 22 cubic feet. He maintained that the city diversion works have curtailed power production at his plant.

Letters from Gardner to the Salem city council in 1935 and 1936 and records of water commission and council meetings were brought out in testimony to support the defendant's stand. Charles McCulloch, attorney for Bennett, in cross-examination endeavored to show that Gardner had explained the necessity of using all the water himself during the low-water season.

Miller Fashion Revue Slated At Elsinore

The annual fall fashion revue of Miller Mercantile Co. will be held Thursday and Friday nights at the Elsinore theatre at 8:30 o'clock.

The fashion revue embraces every daytime and evening fashion with special emphasis on the straight-line silhouette. Twenty-one living models will display nearly 75 complete outfits which include complimenting accessories.

Margaret Allen, a radio personality, will be commentator. Catherine Kay, fashion coordinator for a hosiery manufacturer, will feature three models in a display of proportioned nyons showing the tall, medium and short lengths.

Mrs. Raymond Barton will play the Elsinore Wurlitzer organ during the fashion revue. Special stage setting will be provided by Miller's John Adlon, manager of Miller's, is organizing the revue. Regular theatre show prices will prevail.

YM Team Slates Volleyball Practice

Varsity volleyball practice for the Salem YMCA team is beginning this week, with sessions Tuesday and Thursday from 5:30 to 7 p. m., according to Dr. L. E. Barrick, coach. The team this year will be seeking the northwest area A crown, which it barely missed in 1947. Last year the team won the B championship and placed second in the A tournament.

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Transcontinental Political Parade

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What the candidates are doing today:
(All times are Pacific standard)

—Democrats—
President Truman swings through Oklahoma with a speech at Tulsa about 1:40 p. m.

Sen. Alben W. Barkley, vice presidential candidate, speaks at Buffalo, N. Y., 9:30 p. m., and at Niagara Falls, N. Y., 5 p. m.

—Republicans—
Gov. Thomas E. Dewey tours Montana with speeches at Helena, 12:30 p. m., and Great Falls, Mont., 8 p. m.

Gov. Earl Warren, vice presidential candidate, speaks at Newark, N. J., 6:30 p. m., after campaigning in Connecticut, Rhode Island and New York.

—Progressive Party—
Henry A. Wallace speaks at Houston, 8:15 p. m.

Glen Taylor, vice presidential candidate, speaks at Woonsocket, R. I., noon, and Providence, 6:30 p. m.

—States Rights—
Gov. Fielding L. Wright, vice presidential candidate, speaks at Jackson, Miss., 7:30 a. m.

YMCA to Start Swim Contest

The long series of splashes "down the Mississippi" will start again October 18 at Salem YMCA, Fred Cords, physical director, announced yesterday. The international contest is an annual event in which Salem placed 11th out of 70 entrants last year.

All YM members and all who swim at the Y pool will be able to participate, turning in daily the number of pool lengths they swim. Progress down the long Mississippi river is according to a formula based on total lengths and number of participants, submitted daily to Chicago.

The contest will last 12 days, closing October 30, with the purpose of encouraging swimming and body conditioning.

Those who swim the 88 lengths, which make up one mile, on each of 10 days during the contest will attain the international Ten Mile club.

Johnson Back On Texas Ballot

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28—(AP) A ruling by Justice Hugo Black of the U. S. supreme court today put the name of Rep. Lyndon B. Johnson (D-Tex) back on the November 2 ballot as democratic nominee for U. S. senator from Texas.

Former Gov. Coke Stevenson, Johnson's opponent in the closest senatorial race in Texas history, had won a temporary injunction barring Johnson's name from appearing on the ballot.

The injunction was granted by Federal District Court Judge T. Whitfield Davidson on Stevenson's complaint charging ballot frauds in three south Texas counties.

Today Justice Black overruled Judge Davidson by striking down the injunction. In effect, the action put Johnson's name back on the ballot.

West Salem Man Recovering After Mystery Ailment

Willis Hollingsworth, 47, West Salem, was recovering in Salem General hospital early this morning after being stricken violently ill Tuesday night with a mysterious stomach ailment.

West Salem police, who rushed Hollingsworth to the hospital, said he was seized by stomach cramps and a choking spell a few minutes after finishing dinner in his home at Burke's Trailer camp on Edgewater street.

When his condition remained serious after preliminary examination at the hospital, a physician performed surgery, but was unable to determine the cause of the illness.

Hospital attendants early this morning said his condition was "good."

\$30,000 Jewel Theft in Boston

CHICAGO, Sept. 28—(AP)—Theft of \$30,000 in jewelry from the apartment of Mrs. Rose Palmer, Chicago and Boston society matron, was reported to police today.

Mrs. Palmer is the former wife of the late Potter Palmer 3rd, heir to a Chicago real estate fortune.

The jewels were reported taken in a burglary while Mrs. Palmer was in Land o' Lakes, Wis. The loss was discovered by a maid.

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Prosecution Urged in Spy Investigations



WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Prosecution on charge of conspiracy to commit espionage of (L to R) Dr. John H. Chapin, of New York; Marcia Sand Hickey, of Brooklyn and Steve Nelson of Pennsylvania, has been urged in a report by the house un-American activities committee. Chapin was an atomic bomb project scientist during the war. Marcia Hickey is the former wife of Dr. Clarence Hickey, atom bomb scientist, and Nelson is the communist party organizer in Pennsylvania. (AP Wirephoto to The Statesman).

Oil Men Leave Vienna for U.S.



VIENNA, Sept. 28.—Paul Ruedemann (left) of Hartsdale, N. Y., and his deputy, George Bannantine of St. Louis, Mo., stand at an airport in Vienna, Austria, prior to leaving by air for New York. Ruedemann and Bannantine, oil men, were expelled from communist-controlled Hungary. They said they had been forced to sign statements saying they had sabotaged production in the Hungarian plant of Standard Oil company. They denied all charges of sabotage. (AP Wirephoto via radio from Vienna to The Statesman). (Story also on page 1.)

Man Arrested After Accident

Harold Tipton, 1630 Yew st., posted \$115 bail in municipal court Tuesday after being arrested by city police on charges of failing to remain at the scene of an auto accident and being intoxicated.

A municipal court warrant charged Tipton, a truck driver, with striking a parked auto owned by Richard Hill, 2150 Garden rd., in the 900 block of State street, and leaving the collision scene.

Police said they arrested Tipton later on charges of being intoxicated on a public street. The hit-run charge was signed by Hill. His auto was extensively damaged.

Tipton was cited to appear in municipal court today.

FLIGHT TRAINERS TO MEET
PORTLAND, Sept. 28—(AP)—Oregon flight school operators will meet here Thursday to discuss opposition to curtailed flight training under the GI bill of rights.

AUTO ACCIDENT FATAL
PORTLAND, Sept. 28—(AP)—Mrs. Margaret Pittblado, 60, of Hood River, Ore., was injured fatally tonight when a car in which she was a passenger collided with another car.

The 1,250,000,000 pencils used each year by Americans could draw a line 43,475,000,000 miles long.

Strike Closes Pacific Fruit, Produce Firm

AFL teamsters and warehousemen picketed the Salem branch of the Pacific Fruit and Produce company Tuesday, virtually shutting down operations.

Approximately 20 local union workers were involved in the dispute as the strike spread to nine company offices in Oregon and one in Washington.

Company officials in Portland would not discuss the dispute, and a union spokesman said only that it stemmed from an "unfair labor practice of the company."

Sherwood L. Auman, local Pacific Fruit and Produce company manager, said the local branch disposed of most perishable produce Tuesday when stores called for fruit and vegetables at the warehouse. He said all perishable items would be sold by today and that operations may cease until the strike is ended.

Other branches picketed were at Albany, Astoria, Bend, Corvallis, Eugene, Klamath Falls, Medford, Roseburg and Kelso, Wash. Portland operations were not affected.

Bus Terminal Changeover Made in Salem

A mid-day transfer of Greyhound bus terminals was accomplished smoothly in general and all was going well Tuesday evening, according to Bert W. Riebe, new station agent.

The line changed from the Senator hotel to a temporary location adjacent to the new terminal building under construction on North Church street, between Center and Marion.

For the present, southbound buses come to the terminal via Capitol, Court and Church streets, then depart via Marion and Commercial streets.

Northbound schedules come in via Commercial Center and Church streets and leave via Marion, Cottage, Court and Capitol streets.

Buses are loading in the 400 block of North Church street and are not affected by Monday night's city council rejection of a loading zone in front of the new terminal, which had been planned for private car and taxi usage, rather than bus loading.

Fish Cold to Craig Charm

Elusive salmon, or possibly fishing inexperience, is making an Oregon tourist out of Hollywood actor James Craig.

In Salem Tuesday en route to California from a Waldport salmon fishing derby, Craig said he had not hooked a salmon in tries of the last three years. "But I'll keep on trying, and probably will return to Oregon next year."

Craig and agent Harold Rose called on Gov. John H. Hall at the statehouse yesterday.

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Adm. Peary's Letters Found In Far North

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28—(AP)—Documents left behind by Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary on an expedition in 1905-1906, four years before he discovered the north pole, have been found far up in the Arctic circle.

The state department made the bare announcement of the discovery today. It gave no details of what the records disclosed.

The navy was similarly reticent. Some government officials said the navy's caution was dictated by fears that Russia might be tipped off about navigable waters in the ice-choked region where Peary's notes were found.

This vast polar area has assumed more and more strategic importance in post-war years since tension between the United States and Russia has tightened.

The state department's brief announcement, made jointly with the Canadian government, said three U. S. navy and coast guard ships made the discovery on an arctic expedition last summer. The documents were found in a rock cache on Ellesmere island, in the extreme north of Canada, about 450 miles from the north pole.

Found in Bottle
A member of the navy-coast guard expedition, who asked that his name be withheld, told a reporter the Peary papers included one in Peary's own handwriting. They were found in a whisky bottle.

The handwritten chronicle told of Peary's arrival in the region and listed the roster of his ship, the Roosevelt. Evidently he left it behind to show he had been there. Peary visited the area in 1905 and 1906, and reached the north pole on another expedition in 1909.

The navy-coast guard ships—two icebreakers and a cargo vessel—have now returned to Boston. Two of the ships were reported to have pushed beyond latitude 85 degrees north, or farther than any surface vessel has penetrated into the arctic wastes.

New Arctic Routes
On the voyage home, they were said to have taken a different route through straits and channels believed never to have been navigated before. The new route was not disclosed.

The task force was sent primarily to supply four weather stations in the arctic and to scout sites for new stations to be set up next year. Canadian naval officers went

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along, since the stations were jointly established by the United States and Canada.

Helicopters carried aboard the vessels helped in discovering the Peary documents.

The state department's announcement said the expedition also found records left by the British explorer, Sir George Nares, in 1875 and 1876, telling of deaths among his crew.

Commercial Crab Fishing Banned

PORTLAND, Sept. 28—(AP)—Commercial crab fishing off the Oregon coast north of Cascade Head was banned until further notice tonight by the Oregon fish commission.

Arnie J. Suomela, master fish warden, said the percentage of Soft-shell crabs in the north area have been excessive.

Crab fishing may continue, however, in bays and in the Columbia river.

Most insects breathe through a system of tubes known as tracheae.

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