# Berry Season Off to Early Start in Nation

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Oregon berry fields are still cormant but the strawberry season is off to an early start nationally. Strawberries from early states will compete with carry-over stocks of frozen strawberries. Many retail stores throughout the



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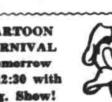
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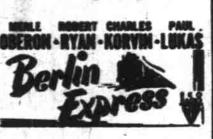
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& Walt Disney's "BAMBI"

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Second Feature "GUNS OF HATE" Tim Holt, Nan Leslie country are reducing prices and featuring the frozen berries in an

effort to increase movement. Queries from both processors and dealers Thursday in the mid-Willamette valley a rea, showed that practically all berries were out of hands of processors. There is still quite a carryover in the

Not Yet Determined Just what the prospects are for berries in Oregon this spring cannot yet be determined fieldmen for canners said Thursday. General estimates were for a comparatively light loss -- from 3 to 10 per cent - - from winter weather injury. Bearing acreage as a whole, if injury is small, will be considerably larger this season, es-

timates show. Fresh shipments from the south so far this season are running well ahead of last year. Strawberries have moved out of Florida since early January, and nine cars had been shipped from Louisiana by February 20, reports released Thursday by the USDA show. This is a near record for early shipments from Louisiana. Due in Mid-March

Shipments in volume are expected about mid-March. Last season, Louisiana shipped 986 cars of fresh berries besides large quan-tities moved by truck and some processed. Surveys on results of Amity, Corvallis Men efforts to move carryovers as well Win Farms in Idaho as the effect of these on the arrival of fresh berries are now being made by the department of agriculture and will be completed within the next two weeks.

also be known better before the end of March, fieldmen stated Thursday. Some of the injury is in the roots and countries the roots are roots and countries the roots and countries the roots and countries the roots are roots and countries the roots and countries the roots are roots and countries the roots and countries the roots are roots and countries the roots and countries the roots are roots and countries the roots and countries the At present, the outlook for little injury is optimistic, they said.

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# Anti-Wallgren Truman States

WASHINGTON, March 3-(AP)-President Truman said today politics was involved in the opposition to Mon C. Wallgren, nominated by the president to be chairman of the national security resources board.

Senator Cain (R-Wash), who has been battling the appointment, announced today he had protested directly to the president by letter. On Tax Evasion Charge Mr. Truman told questioners at a news conference he hadn't received the letter and had no com- other Portland businessman was ment on Cain's charges that Wall- arrested today on a charge of gren had associated with commun- income tax evasion.

political matter. Wallgren, a democrat, formerly was governor of Washington state and was one of income tax returns.

eral officials this morning on a route 1, box os, was need to secret grand jury indictment. He was charged with making false income tax returns. the senate.

The senate armed services committee, which is considering the nomination, decided to delay action on it until next Tuesday.

### Member of French A-Commission Arrested

PARIS, March 3 -(AP)- A geologist member of France's atomic energy commission has been arrested and jailed in the government drive against communist spies, security police said tonight. The geologist, eighth to be arrested in the roundup, was identified by police as a man named Pelas, who the police said had been employed for a year with the atomic commission's department of uranium research.

### Union, Employers Join To Promote Shipping

SAN FRANCISCO, March 3-(AP) Waterfront employers and CIO longshore leaders made history today when they jointly consulted on ways to give the Pacific shijping business a shot in the arm. It was the first of two days of "better business" sessions of coastwise representatives of the nternational Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's union and the Waterfront Employers' association.

.000 AT RABBI'S RITES

PORTLAND, March 3-(AP)-A thousand persons attended the final rites today for Henry J. Berkowitz, Portland Jewish leader who was the rabbi of congregation Beth Israel for 20 years. Berkowitz died here Tuesday.



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## Five Generations Represented | Plane Search



ZENA. March 3-Five generations are represented in this picture. Portrayed are Mrs. Carrie Penrose, 87 (left front), and her daughter. Mrs. Walter B. Hunt (left rear), of Zena; a gravadaughter, Mrs. Ted Burns (right rear), also of Zena; and a great-granddaughter. Mrs. John Noble of Salem and great-great-granddaughter, Chery's Ann Noble, born last August.

Two mid-valley veterans were among the 46 from 12 states to draw farm tracts on the Minidoka. reclamation project in southern

### Tank Explodes in Hospital Basement PORTLAND, March 3 -(AP)- An

nies racing to Physicians and Sur- far: from the Oregon Baptist geans hospital today, but only one person was hurt. That was Fred O'Brien, a workminor burns to hands and chest.

drum that had contained alcohol, and fumes exploded. The blast occurred in the hospital boiler room. Smoke poured culture agreed Thursday on a fense alliance. upstairs into the hospital briefly.

## Businessman Arrested

PORTLAND, March 3-(A)-An-

Sam G. Marinos, president of Charged with Assault But the president described the Basket Grocery and Wine Cain's opposition as purely a local Shop, Inc., was arrested by fed-

### Woman Second Portland Traffic Death of Year

land's second traffic fatality of hospital here.

### Ex-Navy Hospital at Astoria Urged as **State Boys Camp**

ASTORIA, March 3 -(AP)- A state representative said today that the site of the wartime naval hospital here might be used as a camp for first - time juvenile de-

Rep. E. H. Condit, Westport, said in a letter that he and other legislators favored the site, as a possible substitute for the camp at Timber. There has been complaint that the Timber area where it rains a lot — would not be suitable. The war assets ad-Drive Political, PORTLAND, March 3 -(AP) - An ministration, which will dispose of the hospital, has only one bid so Youth Institute, Inc.

### man at the hospital, who suffered 3-Point Plan Formed to department. He was using a torch to open a Fight Newcastle Disease

Poultry industry representatives three-point program to fight Newcastle disease, which is threaten- Girls Win Citation;

The program calls for continuquarantine measures, and expanded vaccination.

# A. A. Schafer, Brooks,

Alfred A. Schafer, 66, Brooks reportedly been found hurt on the floor of their farm house. State police said the woman was unable to tell what had happened to her

PORTLAND, March 3-(AP)-Port- BILL ADDS OREGON JUDGE WASHINGTON, March 3-(AP) 1949 was on record today, after an Chairman Celler (D-NY) of the elderly woman succumbed in a house judiciary committee proposed today that Oregon be given an The victim was Mary Reznik, additional federal district judge. 74. Portland, who was struck by a He introduced a bill to give the car at an intersection last night. | state three judges instead of two.

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The gay

adventures of a bachelor

baby-doctor

# **Turns West**

EUGENE, Ore., March 3-(AP)-A ogger's report of a low-flying plane turned the search for two missing fliers to the Triangle Lake

plane overhead about 2 p.m. Tuesday-the day that Frank Hulme and his brother, William Hulme, disappeared in a private plane. The Menlo Park, Calif., brothers

### **Scotland Yard** Hot on Trail of **Human Vampire**

LONDON, March 3-(AP)-Scotland Yard detectives scraped up fragments of bone from a London basement today, seeking proof of their belief a human vampire had slain half a dozen rich Britons and dissolved their bodies in acid. They say they believe the killer lusted not only for money, but for actual human blood.

There were indications the killer slit the throat of pretty Mrs. Rosalie Henderson and sipped her blood from a glass.

# Invitation to Join

WASHINGTON, March 3-(AP)-Norway has accepted an invitation to join in negotiations for a north Atlantic defense pact, Ambassador Wilhelm Munthe de Morgen-

negotiators tomorrow in the state

În Copenhagen, diplomatic sources said Denmark also had decided to line up with the western powers and take part in the disand the state department of agri- cussions of a North Atlantic de-

# The program calls for continuing interstate shipping rules, strict Keep Horses from

PORTLAND, March 3-(AP)-The police chief sent commendations

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Several men working in the woods reported hearing a noisy

were en route from Kelso, Wash., to Sacramento, Calif. Their last radio report came from near Eu-

## Large Pkg. . . . . . . . .

Police think her body was later

dropped into an acid vat to destroy it and that her husband met the same fate, along with other vic-

# **Defense Pact Talk**

stierne announced today.

The ambassador told a news, conference that he will represent his country at a meeting with the

# **Crowd of Children**

### today to three schoolgirls who street toward where some 20 first by one—over a fence into a cor-saved a crowd of younger children and second graders were walking. her lot. from being trampled by escaped

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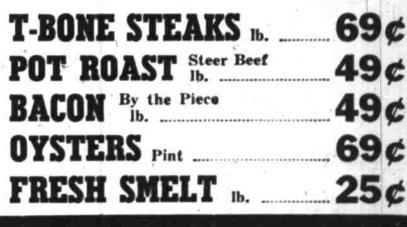
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