

Dr. Fishbein Muffled by Doctor's Board

ATLANTIC CITY, June 6—(AP)—The board of trustees of the American medical association today muffled the speaking and writing wings of medicine's most famous figure, Dr. Morris Fishbein.

The board wants him to stop speaking or writing on anything except scientific medicine. That means he cannot talk publicly on state medicine nor on the political issues now boiling up in the AMA's campaign against the Truman National Health Insurance plan.

Dr. Fishbein is the editor of the Journal of the American medical association. He has no official position except that in the American medical association. He has no vote in the house of delegates, which is the ruling body of American medicine.

But over the years he has been called the Dictator of American medicine. And in today's move the trustees say "The public has come to believe that the editor is the spokesman for the association."

Company Asks Pelton Dam Authorization

WASHINGTON, June 6—(AP)—Northwest Power Supply Co., Portland, Ore., asked the power commission today to authorize the \$12,775,000 Pelton hydro-electric power plant on the Deschutes river near Madras, Ore.

The company plans to build a concrete arch dam 190 feet high and 850 feet long at the crest, forming a 7.2 miles long reservoir in the narrow Deschutes river canyon.

A separate spillway would discharge surplus water through a tunnel from the reservoir into the river below the dam.

A power house immediately downstream from the dam would contain two units, each with a turbine capacity of 52,000 horsepower and a generator capacity of 40,000 kilowatt amperes. The project also would include penstocks, transmission lines.

The company said it expects either to sell the entire output of the plant to operating utilities in the area, or to lease the plant to an operating utility.

Spray Planes Start to Work

Spraying of 6,000 acres of a 160,000-acre tract of infested forest land was accomplished Monday as 13 planes of the Ace Flying service, Salem, started their mission against spruce budworm on the east slopes of Mt. Hood.

News that the big aerial dusting project got off to a successful start reached here Monday afternoon when Proprietor Leo J. (Ace) Demers telephoned his wife that the early morning flying had gone on schedule.

Demers told her the ground temperature stood at 102 at the time of his call.

ACTRESS ENGAGED

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., June 6—(AP)—Elizabeth Taylor of the movies is to marry William D. Pawley, Jr., son of the former ambassador to Brazil. Mrs. Francis Taylor, mother of the movie star, formally announced her daughter's engagement today.

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Church Leader



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Materialism on Wane, Christian Scientists Told

BOSTON, Mass., June 6—Breaking through the crust of ancient beliefs in material power, the postwar world is reaching, put in an unprecedented effort for something better upon which to found a union of nations, The Christian Science Board of Directors declared today.

Addressing several thousand Christian Scientists attending the annual meeting of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts, the directors viewed, with satisfaction the worldwide stir in human consciousness to discard the material for the spiritual.

Physicians, they said, are giving more importance to thought in relation to disease. Natural scientists, they added, are gaining in their recognition of the insubstantiality of matter.

Religious leaders everywhere, they declared, have developed a widespread sense of the need and reasonableness of greater and more direct evidences of spiritual power.

The directors' statement and the election of Miss Emma C. Shipman to the presidency of the Mother Church for the ensuing year sparked an annual meeting filled with reports of marked progress in the Christian Science movement throughout the globe.

County Road Repairs Start

Engaged this year in repairs rather than any new work, the Marion county road crew began its summer road-oiling program Monday noon on the Central Howell road between Pratum and Gerwas.

A primer coat will be applied to all roads on the program before the second round is made to apply gravel and asphalt, according to County Commissioner Roy Rice.

Judge's Right to Override Mercy Suggestion Upheld

WASHINGTON, June 6—(AP)—The supreme court upheld today a judge's right to sentence a murderer to death despite a jury's recommendation for mercy.

By a 7-2 vote, the court refused to interfere with the death sentence given Samuel Titus Williams, a New York negro convicted of the murder of a 15-year-old girl during an attempted robbery at her home.

The jury had urged that Williams be imprisoned for life.

Bridges Site Near The Dalles Urged

THE DALLES, June 6—(AP)—The proposed bridge over the Columbia river here may be built at a site three miles east of The Dalles.

It will be if the recommendation of a San Francisco engineering firm is followed. Estimated cost is \$2,121,000. This would be raised by bond sales.

The firm was hired by the Wasco county court, which hopes to interest the states of Washington and Oregon in joining in the effort to get the bridge built.

AFL TO MEET IN EUGENE

EUGENE, June 6—(AP)—The American Federation of Labor will hold its state federation in this city beginning June 19 and ending Friday night, June 24. Ray McInnis, general chairman for the event, said that the State Building Trades council will also hold its convention here June 19.

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Judgment of \$8,274 Filed In Bus Wreck

Judgment of \$8,274 for Anna M. Hansen of Silverton against Pacific Greyhound lines, for injuries incurred in a fatal bus-truck crash Nov. 5, 1947, near Midway, was on file Monday following a Marion county circuit court jury verdict.

This was the first of four suits tried in this county which has resulted in a verdict for the plaintiff.

In the same suit, the Journal Journal Garage company, owner of the truck whose driver was killed, was exempted from payment of damages.

Mrs. Hansen was a passenger in the bus, which she alleged was operated at a speed "greater than was reasonable" and to the left of the highway center line. She sought \$1,000 special and \$7,500 general damages for injuries to her throat, caused when her denture lodged in the back of her throat.

Burned Texas Boy Succumbs

VERNON, Tex., June 6—(AP)—Time ran out on 10-year-old Donnie days with 70 per cent of his skin burned away.

Woodard today. He had lived 27 hours. He died at 5 a. m.

"Even at the last he cheated death," Dr. Jack Restivo said. "I didn't see how he possibly could live past 9 p. m. last night. But he lived for eight more hours."

Wadleigh Said Spy Helper

NEW YORK, June 6—(AP)—Whittaker Chambers today named Julian Wadleigh as a second state department employee who helped him obtain government secrets for a prewar soviet spy ring.

Chambers resumed the witness stand at the federal perjury trial of Alger Hiss, also named by Chambers as a source of state-department secrets.

Henry Julian Wadleigh, formerly of the state department, declined comment last year when his name arose in similar testimony before the house un-American activities committee. He said he had no comment today when reached at his home outside Washington.

Near 200 Join Swim Classes

The Salem YMCA's annual learn-to-swim campaign started Monday when 80 girls, 106 boys and one man attended the opening class at the Y pool.

Women's classes begin tonight, 7-8 p. m., and will be held Tuesdays and Thursdays for two weeks. Men's classes are scheduled at the same time Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Classes for boys and girls will continue every day this week. All sessions are for beginning swimmers.

Commie Query to Excuse Bridges Case Witnesses

SAN FRANCISCO, June 6—(AP)—One of 11 witnesses ordered by a court to testify before grand jurors in the Harry Bridges case was excused this afternoon — so he wouldn't have to say whether he was a communist, and the prosecution said all 11 would be thus excused.

First of the 11 to appear was Frank Slaby. He refused to say whether he himself was or had been a communist.

Special prosecutor F. Joseph Donohue agreed that an answer might be incriminating. Donohue said Slaby was therefore excused, and that all the 11 witnesses would be thus excused.

'Queen for Day' Scheduled as Guest of Ranch

WREN, June 6—(Special)—Radio's "Queen for a Day," to be selected on the Jack Bailey-Phillip Morris program, Wednesday, will be ranch guest at the H. Bar H Ranch, located west of Corvallis.

Whoever is chosen will arrive at Corvallis on Thursday at 7:30 p. m., will be met by ranch cowboys, the mayor and citizens of Corvallis. She will be taken to the ranch via Philomath and is to be feted and will be taken on a tour of the Willamette valley.

West Salem Traffic Congestion Problem Aired at Council Meet

By Robert E. Gangware City Editor, The Statesman

WEST SALEM, June 6—(Special)—Parking and traffic congestion on Seventh street was aired before the West Salem council tonight, with suggested remedies ranging from parking on one side only to a strict enforcement of city law requiring parking lights showing on cars parked all night.

Action was withheld pending a conference between Police Chief W. H. Porter and owners of large trucks frequently parked along Seventh street.

Councilman Chester Douglas

Cooke to Attend Boy Governors' Conference

James Cooke of Salem High school's recent graduating class will be one of two major speakers at a Washington, D.C., conference of "boy governors" later this month.

Cooke was "Oregon governor" for a week and end this spring in connection with the annual Youth and Government conference sponsored by YMCA for Hi-Y youths of the state.

As a high school senior Cooke had been active in public speaking contests and has been The Statesman's school correspondent.

With other boy governors of west coast states Cooke will make a 25-day tour of southern and eastern states, stopping in many state capitals en route to Washington. The local YMCA has been instrumental in helping finance the trip for the boy.

Cooke expects to enter Stanford university this fall on a naval reserve officer training corps scholarship.

Doctors Plan Cancer Talks

Diagnosis and treatment of cancer will be discussed at two meetings of local physicians today at 4 and 6:30 p. m., in the Senator hotel.

Today's meetings are part of an annual post-graduate instruction program for Oregon physicians. Conference sponsored by the state board of health and the Oregon state medical society, will be held in 10 Oregon cities during the next two weeks.

Dr. George Z. Williams and Dr. Randolph Hoge, professors at the Medical College of Virginia, will speak at today's meeting, according to Dr. James L. Sears, president of the Marion-Polk county medical society.

NEW JET PASSES TEST

LOS ANGELES, June 6—(AP)—The United States air force announced today that its newest jet fighter, the Lockheed F-90, successfully completed its first test flight Saturday at the Muroc flight test base.

said heavy parking on both sides of the narrow street, including logging and dump trucks, resulted in one-lane traffic.

Councilman Earl Burk recommended widening of Seventh between Patterson and Gerth and eventually extending the street beyond Gerth. But council members indicated the coming budget, up for action by the budget committee June 16, leaves little leeway for such an expensive undertaking. Douglas said widening should be three feet on each side, to prevent interference with trees along the street.

The police chief was instructed to ask the truck owners if they could find vacant lots nearby to park their trucks. Douglas offered the use of property he owns on Eighth street.

The council authorized Police Chief Porter to hire an extra patrolman for a single night shift not now staffed.

Preliminary request for a local option zone permit was made by Vernon Semrau who said he wished to establish a convalescent home at 1479 Elm st. in a residential zone. He presented a petition signed by 65 per cent of nearby property owners, but City Attorney Steve Anderson ruled the petition did not comply with zoning law.

Hostility to the zone proposal was voiced by Councilman L. F. Sheridan and by citizen Clyde Everett, both of whom declared the residential area would suffer from a convalescent home there. Everett said several landowners who signed the petition have since reconsidered their action and would like to withdraw signatures.

In other actions the council sold for \$2,000 a 100 by 100 foot lot at Seventh and Patterson avenue to Carl Gerlinger who has industrial interests in the adjacent area; directed that Lawrence Imah and others be notified the city cannot immediately improve the drainage ditch along their property on Wallace road, pending sewage disposal plans; and changed the name of Madrona avenue to Arthur way in memory of the late Arthur Brown, West Salem resident and state granite leader who died a year ago. Postal authorities had asked the name change to avoid conflict with the Madrona street name in Salem.

State Emergency Board to Discuss New Construction

More than \$2,400,000 worth of construction will be discussed today in Salem by the state emergency board and the state board of control.

Decisions may be reached by the emergency board regarding construction of a \$180,000 building for tubercular patients at the state hospital and a \$250,000 hospital at Fairview home, to replace the hospital building which burned last month.

This morning members of the Portland city planning commission will tell the board of control why they think the proposed \$2,000,000 state office building in Portland should be built on the west side of the Willamette river.

Aged Woman Disinherited Negro Husband

LOS ANGELES, June 6—(AP)—An aged white woman who married her young Negro chauffeur because, she said, she wanted him to have her property, actually disinherited him, her will disclosed today.

When filed for probate, the 1945 will of Mrs. Adriana Eugenie Nicholson Woods contained a codicil, written two months after the original, which cancelled an original bequest of her home to Allen L. G. Woods, 28, the chauffeur.

The will, valuing the estate simply as "over \$10,000," left the residue in equal shares to Stanford university and the University of California. All personal effects were left to Mrs. Isabella Bishop, Brentwood, Calif., and \$500 to Jessie Bramette, Los Angeles, "my faithful servant."

Crew Cleared, Batory Sails

NEW YORK, June 6—(AP)—The Polish liner Batory, which got into international hot water when Gerhart Eisler escaped on it May 6, sailed again today with its crew cleared of any part in the escape.

A federal immigration official said crew members "have been cleared of any implication in the flight of Eisler from this country aboard the Batory."

Mrs. Timmons Rites Today

Funeral services for Mrs. C. T. Timmons, former Salem resident, will be held at 10 a. m. today at Pearson's Funeral home in Portland.

Mrs. Timmons, the former Dora Miller, was 81 when she died at her home in Portland June 4. She lived in Portland the past 30 years. Interment will be in Portland at the Lincoln Memorial park.

Mrs. Timmons, whose husband died several years ago, died after a five weeks illness. Her health had been poor since she broke her pelvic bone in a fall last autumn.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Stanley Woollem of Washington and Miss Mebel Timmons of Portland; a son, Earl L. Timmons, Portland; a sister, Mrs. C. L. Wright, Salem; a brother, Sam Munner; and several grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Highway Interim Board Organizes

PORTLAND, June 6—(AP)—The legislative interim committee on highways organized itself here today, electing Rep. Ralph T. Moore, Cross Bay, as chairman.

Sen. Paul L. Patterson, Hillsboro, was named vice-chairman and secretary. Committee headquarters will be in room 319 in the Capitol at Salem.

Detroit Plans Celebration

DETROIT, June 6—(Special)—Planning of preliminaries for a celebration to open the relocated North Santiam highway, expected in July, is slated for a meeting here Thursday night, by call of Ed Vickers, Idanha, president of Canyon Commercial club.

The meeting will be at 8 p. m. in Detroit high school for heads of the organizations in the Santiam canyon.

A later meeting is slated for next week in Salem, with representatives of chambers of commerce and other groups from the Willamette valley.

CITIZENSHIP BILL PASSES WASHINGTON, June 6—(AP)—The House today passed a bill of repeal, long-standing racial restrictions which deny citizenship to some 85,000 Japanese and "other Asians" living in the United States. The bill now goes to the senate.

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