

New Enlarged Traffic Safety Program Set

Schoolboy patrols and school bus inspections are included in an enlarged traffic safety division program announced here Wednesday by Secretary of State Earl T. Newberry.

Designed to reduce traffic accidents and the deaths that follow, Newberry said his purpose was "to make Oregon the top state in the union insofar as safety is concerned."

In charge of the school bus inspection program will be a pair of new employees, D. V. Price and Ray W. Taylor. The program is required by an act of the 1949 legislature.

Chief Walter Lansing is in charge of the division. Until recently he was in charge of the state police district headquarters in Salem.

Paul Warren will direct the adult and school child training program, while James Banks and William Grant will continue in charge of newspaper and radio traffic safety work.

The schoolboy patrols will train children how to cross streets while walking to and from school.

Ideas which were advanced at a national safety conference which Newberry recently attended will be included in the new program, he said, and recommendations by the governor's traffic safety committee also will be used.

High Winds Blame For Rash of Fires In Dallas Area

(Story also on page 1.) DALLAS, June 15 (Special)—The Dallas Volunteer Fire department made three runs Wednesday night in what Fire Chief Walter Young called "at least the busiest day this year."

Shortly before the Mountain States Power company fire they were called to the Laclede lumber company in North Dallas where sparks from an open burner started a fire. It was confined to the green-chain.

At 10 p.m. they were called to Rickerale to extinguish a roof fire at the Ezra Hart home. Damage was not extensive.

Some local observers thought that high winds which whipped Dallas Wednesday had a hand in some—if not all—of the fires. Members of the fire department were standing by after their return from the third call.

Smith To Leave For Washington

Francis W. Smith of Salem, president and general manager of Credit Bureaus, Inc. of Oregon and Idaho, is leaving via plane today for Washington, D. C., where he will present Oregon and Idaho congressional petitions opposing the nationalization of medicine.

The petitions are signed by several thousand citizens. Presentation will be Friday in the office of Rep. Walter Norblad (R-Ore), with senators and other representatives also in attendance.

Area Hopmen Win Damages

PORTLAND, June 15 (AP)—Several hop growers of Marion and Clackamas counties won out in four separate federal court suits today.

These growers brought suit against firms, contending they had agreed to buy hop crops and then refused them. The fourth suit was brought by the buyer, J. Sonnenschein Hop company, against A. W. Nusom and Miram Nusom, Marion county growers, asking \$12,250 damages on the ground that the hops were mildewed.

Judge Claude McCulloch ruled in favor of the Nusoms, holding that they had told the buyer early in the season of the mildew infestation and asked what to do. The buyers said to go ahead and complete the crop.

The following growers were awarded judgments, although the amount of damage was not set: Fred Geschwill, Woodburn, against Hugo V. Loewi, Inc.; Kilian W. Smith, Donald, vs. Hugo V. Loewi, Inc.; O. L. Wellman, Clackamas county, vs. John I. Haas, Inc.

Soroptimists Elect Officers

Mrs. Glenn McCormick was elected president of the Salem Soroptimist club Wednesday night at a meeting at the American Legion Club.

A large Portland delegation was present at the meeting at which the following officers also were elected: First vice president, Mrs. H. G. Mason; second vice president, Mrs. John Beakey; secretary, Eva Bush; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Donald Reinke; treasurer, Mrs. Leo Johnson.

Farm Returns Lower In 1949, Survey Shows

CORVALLIS, June 15 (AP)—Oregon farmers are getting as much for their crops as they did a year ago.

The Oregon State college extension service reported the mid-May farm price index was 15 per cent below the record high of May, 1948. It was still 158 per cent of the 1938-1947 level, however.

That meant less net profit for the farmers, since costs have declined much less—only two per cent in the last year.

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Model Aircraft Group Plans Summer Events

A new model aircraft club sponsored by Salem's Exchange club is planning demonstrations and other events designed to boost membership now that organization has been completed.

Model fliers of any age are eligible for membership in the group which will meet again at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 22. Naming of the club, election of officers and extent of activity will be decided in the near future.

Two events this week will focus attention on the new group. Model flying will be demonstrated during a ball game at Waters field Friday night. Models will be shown at a YMCA youth meeting at 10:45 a.m. Saturday.

40 et 8 Picks New Officers

At the regular Promenade of the 40 et 8, fun and honor society of the American Legion, held last night at the Golden Arrow cafe, officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: chief de gare, Luther L. Jensen; chef de train, Bert Victor; commissaire intendant, Conrad P. Paulson; correspondent, Carl Schneider; conducteur, R. C. Blaxall; garde de la porte, James Garvin; commis voyageur, John Kerrick; lanterne, Claude Martin; cheminot, Ernest Crockett, Jim Turabull and William Poorman.

Delegates and alternates to the grand promenade, to be held in conjunction with the state convention to be held in Salem August 3, 4, 5, 6, were: Sephus Starr, Dave Hoss, Chester Zumwalt, L. L. Jensen, Hans Hofstetter, Frank Grimm, Waldo Mills, John Kerrick and Rex Kimmell; alternates elected were: Claude Martin, W. F. Poorman, Bryon Liesalle, Fred Paulus, Braxton Small, Kelly Owens, Lawrence Osterman, Chas. Huggins, and Berg Victor.

Vet Rehabilitation Fund Requests Due Before July 1

Oregon war veterans' organizations must apply by July 1 for state funds authorized to assist such groups pay the cost of veterans' rehabilitation work, state veterans' department officials announced Wednesday.

The advisory committee of the veterans' department which will administer the fund has ruled that all organizations considering themselves eligible for a share of the appropriation should submit written applications to the department at least 15 days in advance of the hearing, which is scheduled for July 15 in Portland.

A total of \$33,529 has been set aside by the state veterans agency to distribute to eligible veterans' groups during the next two years, in compliance with an act of the 1949 legislature, to cover certain expenses incurred in assisting veterans or their next of kin on claims for pensions, compensation, hospital, medical care, and other benefits.

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Rotary Gets New Chieftain



NEW YORK, June 14—Angus S. Mitchell, (right), of Melbourne, Australia, outgoing president of Rotary International, and the incoming president of the organization, Perry Hodgson, of Pawtucket, R. I., get together at the opening session of the first Rotary International convention ever to be held here. (Associated Press wire-photo to The Statesman).

Lebanon Lumberman Passes In California

MENLO PARK, Calif., June 15 (AP)—Private funeral services will be held here tomorrow for Corydon C. Low, 68, California and Oregon lumberman and longtime resident of Portland. He died yesterday in Stanford hospital, San Francisco, after a long illness.

Low was owner and operator of the Ukiah Pine Lumber Co., Ukiah, Calif., and the Ford Lumber Co., of Lebanon, Ore.

He leaves his wife, Bertha, and two sons, Remington of Menlo Park and Preston of Campbell, Calif.

Fans Unconfused, Disk Jockey Now Jack of All Trades

SPOKANE, June 15 (AP)—"They're smarter than I think" should be the name of disk jockey Robert Swartz' radio program.

The music and chatter man dreamed up one for his station KRU matinee fans that he was sure would confuse them. He ran a recording of a popular record backward and defied his listeners to put the correct name on the garbled rendition.

"If you're right," he told his fans, "I'll do any odd job around the house you say."

Eighteen music lovers' picked the right name and disk jockey Swartz has his choice of an assortment of jobs. One newlywed bride wants him to help iron shirts. A man needs help with a new roof. A high school student wants a leaky fish pond mended. Strawberry patches need picking and lawns need mowing.

Even this black cloud had a silver lining — one of the winners just wanted Swartz to go fishing with him.

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Door-To-Door Mail Delivery Due Kingwood

City mail delivery will replace the rural variety in the Kingwood annexation to Salem in Polk county, the Salem post office announced Wednesday.

The new system starting July 1 will mean a change from route-and-box-number addresses to the street-number type for those who live in that area.

The post office and city engineering department have been working on the street numbering system, and considerable progress has been reported. New street markers will be up soon on streets that have not been identified in the past.

Officials say Kingwood and Cascade drive have been a source of much confusion in the area. Street signs indicate that Kingwood drive begins at the foot of the hill a bit past the railway crossing. Actually that is Cascade drive, which is partly within and partly outside the limits of West Salem. It runs up the hill to Gehlahr road and continues on.

The Kingwood drive, which is all within the annexation, departs from Gehlahr road in a westerly direction from Cascade.

Both Cascade and Kingwood drives follow a winding course.

Dads-Sons Banquet Set for Friday at Englewood Church

A no-host father and son banquet will be held for Englewood district residents at 6:30 p.m. Friday in the Englewood Evangelical United Brethren church.

The Rev. Wilmer Brown, pastor of the First Evangelical United Brethren church, will speak. Jack Spang will be master of ceremonies.

Instrumental selections will be furnished by Otis Bradbury, Frank Young, Darrel Klampe and George Hewitt. A men's quartet composed of Frank Young, Milton and Dwight, and Donald Walters will sing several numbers. A reading will be given by George Veale.

Warm Weather Boosts Willamette Valley Crops

PORTLAND, June 15 (AP)—Another week of warm, dry weather improved irrigated crops, but was tough on dry land farming, the weather bureau reported today in its weekly crop-weather survey.

The Willamette valley generally was lucky. Wheat there was doing well. So were most fruits, vegetables, pastures, and other crops.

Late Sports

Baseball's BIG SIX

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Robinson, Dodgers	34	218	44	77	263	
Kell, Tigers	34	216	41	74	243	
Kiner, Pirates	33	197	36	67	240	
Schoendienst, Cards	48	263	28	69	240	
DiMaggio, Red Sox	49	263	41	65	320	
Joost, Athletics	54	301	55	64	318	

Home Runs: American League—Stephens, Red Sox 15; National League—Kiner, Pirates 14. Runs batted in: American League—Stephens, Red Sox 28; Williams, Red Sox 26. National League—Robinson, Dodgers 23.

Workman Hurt As Wall Breaks

NEW YORK, June 15 (AP)—Forms for pouring concrete on a new Madison avenue building collapsed today, hurling many workmen two stories below and injuring at least 14.

Other workers were forced to slide down steel rods as the forms gave way, apparently under the weight of recently-poured concrete. Some men were partly-buried under concrete.

Seven were taken to hospitals and several were reported in serious condition.

The \$1,000,000 building, which occupies a whole block between 76th and 77th streets, is under construction as a new home for the Parke-Bernet Art galleries. The part which collapsed was the fourth and fifth floors.

FOREST FIRE SPREADS

PACKWOOD, Wash., June 15 (AP)—Twenty-mile-an-hour winds whipped a sawmill fire across some 400 acres of cutover timber area here tonight. Five hours after forest crews were alerted, the blaze was still out of control. Foresters expected a night and day-long fight.

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Records Fall Spokes Tally 16-Run Frame

SPOKANE, Wash., June 15 (AP)—Two grand slam home runs and another that produced three markers helped the Spokane Indians push over 16 runs in the third inning tonight as they thumped the Tacoma Tigers 20-15.

What Western International League baseball records were broken by the spree was not known immediately, but the two homers equaled the feat of Lou Gehrig and Tony Lazzeri of the New York Yankees in 1936.

The 16 runs also exceed the modern day major league scoring record in one inning.

The three homers in the third were not all. Tacoma contributed three and Lee Howard of Spokane who got one in the third added another for a total of seven.

Tacoma 050 234 000—14 13 3 Spokan 00(16) 202 00x—20 27 5 Lazzeri, Knesovich (3), Grecco (3) and Sheets; Bishop, Werbowiski (6) and Rossi.

Mt. Angel Downed By Oregon City 9

MT. ANGEL, June 15 (Special)—The Oregon City American Legion junior baseball team today downed Mt. Angel's district two entry, 7-1 here. Numerous walks on the part of the Mt. Angel pitchers helped their downfall. Shick of the visitors homered in the second inning. Fournier of Mt. Angel tripled in the third and came in on Pitz' bunt.

Oregon City 110 203 0—7 3 0 Mt. Angel 001 000 0—1 4 2 Kendig and Bauer; Wellman, Bielemeier (4) and Turin.

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