

## Parents Ask Fraternities Made Legal

PORTLAND, Oct. 22 (AP)—A proposal to make fraternities and sororities legal in high schools was put forward here today.

A committee of parents, whose youngsters now belong to the

groups, suggested that all secrecy be removed from the groups and that they be recognized by schools. The membership would remain exclusive under their proposal. Fraternity pins would be allowed, but hazing would be banned, all meetings would be chaperoned and open at any time to inspection by school officials.

The school district earlier indicated all secret organizations would be prosecuted.

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## Students Will Vie in Talks On Democracy

Students from Salem high school, Sacred Heart academy and Salem academy will compete for prizes in a speaking contest on the subject "Voice of Democracy," sponsored by the U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce and the radio industry, it was announced last week.

Two chosen from each school will give five-minute talks before three judges within the next two or three weeks, and the three chosen as finalists will talk via radio (KSLM) to determine first, second and third place.

Regional and state winners will be chosen later, the latter to compete in the national contest. Mayor R. L. Elstrom has issued a statement commending the project.

## Travel High in National Parks

SPOKANE, Oct. 22 (AP)—Tourist travel in Pacific northwest parks and recreational areas reached a new post-war peak this year, the chamber of commerce publicity bureau said today.

William Oves, secretary, said bureau of reclamation figures show 214,384 persons visited Grand Coulee dam, an increase of 11 per cent over last year. The count was taken through the months of June through September.

Yellowstone national park also had an 11 per cent increase with 1,133,516 visitors. Mount Rainier Park had 1,003,200 visitors for a 12 per cent increase. Banff national park in Canada had 34,350, a 18 per cent increase.

The initials "TV" have been introduced into the language as being synonymous with television.

## C. of C. to Hear Talk on British Devaluation

Recent devaluation of the British pound sterling will be interpreted by Walter Johannsen of the U. S. National Bank of Portland Monday noon at the Salem Chamber of Commerce luncheon.

Johannsen, head of the foreign exchange department in the Portland bank, will discuss the effects of devaluation on the American businessman and the ordinary citizen.

## STAFFORDS HONORED

JEFFERSON — Mrs. R. W. Nuson and Mrs. A. W. Nusom were hostesses at a supper party this week at their home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Stafford on their 30th wedding anniversary.

## John H. Brugh, Local Office Manager, Dies

John H. Brugh, Salem office manager, died suddenly Friday on the train at Rawlins, Wyo., en route home from vacation trip in the mid-west. His wife was with him when he succumbed to a heart attack.

He had been office manager of the J. Wesley Webb Construction company for several years. Word of Brugh's death was received by his daughter, Mrs. Carl Jordan of Salem. The body is being brought to Salem for services and interment under the direction of the W. T. Rigdon company.

## Streit to Make 2 Appearances

Clarence K. Streit, president of Federal Union, Inc., and author of "Union Now," will make speaking appearances in Salem Monday and Tuesday.

The well-known author, editor

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and lecturer will speak at Waller hall on the Willamette university campus Monday evening in a public session and again Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock to the Willamette student body.

For many years a New York Times correspondent at the League of Nations, in Paris, Greece, Rome, Constantinople and Vienna, Streit has been president of Federal Union since 1939. He has edited "Freedom and Union" since 1941.

## U.N. Club to Form at WU

An organizational meeting of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural organization will be held on the Willamette university campus Tuesday at 8 p.m. for all students and faculty members interested, in Baxter hall lounge.

The group will be organized under the leadership of Lowell Miller, senior from Los Altos, Calif. Main purpose of the club is to strike a blow against future war. The club will work with the United Nations Economic and Social Council, will approach the problems of both future peace and war

in a "business-like manner," said Miller.

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