Word War Warms Over

there still was no specific answer under controversy."

as to what will happen to it. state treasurer, which were print- ity. ed in the state's printing plant for public distribution.

Gov. Douglas McKay previously had disapproved the claim as a member of the board of control.

Tuesday's discussion followed presentation of a statement by Secretary of State Earl T. Newbry in which he said he neither approved or disapproved the claim. Board members are Mc-Kay, Newbry and Pearson.

The letter said, "I certainly don't like the attitude of Governor McKay in striking me below the belt when I was out of the city." McKay countered with the Pearson as acting "silly." charge that Pearson was playing State Sen. Richard Neuberger,

"I have nothing to fear in this controversy," Pearson shot back. "Both the law and a previous running about the state criticisand integrity of a member of this

"The only thing political around of my personal funds if you and dome," Newbry continued.

professor of political science at

civics should be banned at Hou-

claim that it plants "insidious

seeds" in the minds of students.

He has been a successful author

of textbooks, the one criticised,

on "American Government" hav-

ing been first published in 1917.

cause offense is as follows:

The passage which is said to

"The United States is called a

capitalistic country, but it does

not have pure capitalism. It has

capitalism subject to increasing

governmental control as our man-

ner of living becomes more com-

plex. The country is capitalistic

with strong socialistic and even

communistic trends. The postal

system, power projects and pro-

gressive taxes are bits of social-

ism; and public free education

amples of communism . . . to each

Now is that true, or isn't it

Who claims that we have "pure

both political parties been doing

The Houston action is just a

there is an open season on text-

ferret out any with any language

that suggests that the country

isn't just what it was when the

When youth get into high school

(Continued on Editorial page 4.)

LAKE SUCCESS, Oct. 25-(AP)-

The Big Five powers and Canada

will make public Thursday a re-

port on their recent secret talks

on proposals for controlling atomic

founding fathers departed.

it is time they learned the

ATOMIC REPORT DUE

communistic trends is concerned the darkness.

struck the country. In particular another \$32,000.

haven't right-wing speakers of Hay Barn was New

according to his need."

Who's a what?

State Treasurer Walter Pear- of the seals but he refused to pro- office. "Neuberger apparently has son's \$160.80 printing bill spark- vide them. I then decided to have forgotten the large orders for ed a heated session of the state some recognition for my office personal letterheads and postboard of control Tuesday but and ordered the statements now cards he placed, even before he

showing a photograph of a \$1,- sional committee against the pro- that used by other legislators. 990,000 state check signed by the posed Columbia Valley Author- "I don't like to refresh the sen-

the legislature had provided him cern of mine. But I don't like with a traveling expense account a cheat." and he could spend it in any way he desired. Further resentment ing to permit his claim to take its was expressed by the governor in regular course on its merits. connection with an inference by Pearson that a certain contractor approving the purchase made by had been favored in a state pur the state treasurer from his own chase.

"I never have favored any conases are made on bids." Governor McKay referred

in the meantime, was branded a "cheat" by Newbry. "I don't like the idea of people

opinion of the attorney general ing my office and what I do when control secretary, which must be are on my side. This is the first they don't know what they are time I can recall that the honesty talking about," Newbry averred, actual purchase was made ac- sion came. All were accounted Newbry's statement was the reboard has been publicly attacked sult of Neuberger's recent criti- claim take its course and be sent hospital. by another member of the board." cism of Newbry who Neuberger to the claims audit division of The state treasurer then refer- said is placing his name on state

red to Governor McKay as the department motor vehicle applionly member of the board running cations and other state documents issued from his office.

seals you have and are distribut- printing costs of his department board of control. Pearson is the ing to school children and tour- and state seals were being dis- democratic member.

\$60,000 Blaze Destroys Hay

Salem Tuesday night.

in battling the fire.

headquarters.

discovered.

investigation.

No Evidence of Arson

commercial insurance.

nail through his foot.

capitalism" in this country? As of the movie hall were turned off

far as pointing out socialistic and flames could be seen flaring in

that for years-and condemning at the prison farm, estimated dam-

Halley said he smelled no

haul the stacker from flames.

Only casualties reported were a

Most of the annex inmates were

attending a movie when the fire

was discovered. When the lights

Everett Kaiser, superintendent

The barn, 255 by 55 feet in

three sides of the barn.

cere F. A. Magruder long time four trucks and about 35 men.

ston, Texas, high school on the the burning structure.

Discovered About 7 p.m.

Barn at State Prison Annex

No reports of convicts who might

Attack then was leveled at last legislature," Newbry said. The The bill was for 10,000 state- Governor McKay for spending secretary of state said Neuberger ments, outlining the duties of the state money to go to Washington, asked that his stationery be printstate treasury department and D. C., to testify before a congres- ed in different colored ink than

ator's memory," Newbry declar-Governor McKay replied that ed, "and what he does is no con-

Pearson then said he was will-

"I am not approving or disappropriation," Newbry's prepared statement to the board of contractor," McKay said, "and I want trol read. "This question has been raised before. I am merely maintaining the position that I held in the past. I do not believe an in the past. I do not believe an official it understood that all state purch- raised before. I am merely mainelected and bonded state official is required to justify his administrative policies before similarly

approval of Roy Mills, board of persons. laws relating to auditing are comprehensive and if the maker of suffered burns. "If Neuberger was in my posi- a claim resents the action of the Governor McKay and Newbry

Newbry will pay for the state Newbry said he had reduced are republican members of the project.

A spectacular fire destroyed a wooden barn filled with hay and

Pearson's Printing Bills The (1) TERON Statesman

The Oregon Statesman, Salem, Oregon, Wednesday, October 26, 1949

Russians Demand Recall of Yugoslavia's Ambassador; Full Diplomatic Break Near

Wealthy Horse

Straus made a fortune by in-

venting the totalizator, the de-

on the outskirts of Baltimore.

Fish Factory

Police headquarters at first said

Three police launches converag-

several radio cars stood by in the

THE WEATHER

it received a report that a "plane"

er popularity.

in trouble at sea.

was in trouble at sea.

duced "tote" betting in this coun-

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plosion tonight wrecked a fourplosion tonight wrecked a fourfamily apartment building in a elected and bonded officials. . . . family apartment building in a housing development, injuring 14

Police said only 14 persons were taken as an indication that the in the building when the explocording to statute. I urge that the for. Only three remained in the

They were David Ballard, 6 the secretary of state where its Virginia Ballard, 28, and Michael validity will be established. The Staton, 4. The two children had head injuries. Virginia Ballard

The blast rocked buildings in here is you," Pearson said. "I'll tion he would have his name in secretary of state he has recourse a five-block area. It threw some of the Cedar Springs housing

Leroy Shannon, 28, said the explosion occurred in his apartment available. Shannon said he and his wife Besides, said Attorney Ewing Shannon said the explosion was the board found objectionable. accompanied by a blinding sheet Retired Professor

wrecking all four apartments.

Thomas Wilson, 29, of Louisville, according to his need." Ky., pulled a six-year-old young- The text, by Dr. Frank Magru-

to Louisville. "I heard screams coming from Last night, with one negative unconscious but was crying and moaning. I cut him loose from the mattress with my pocket knife and carried him out."

Schrunk Takes Multnomah **Sheriff Reins**

tain, was sworn in today as Mult- a footnote. nomah county sheriff. He replaces Marion L. (Mike) Elliott, recalled by the voters Friday.

Schrunk took the oath as soon were certified by James W. Gleason, county elections registrar. He had posted the \$110,000 bond required of the office earlier. It was provided by the Maryland Casualty Co. of Baltimore through State Treasurer Walter J. Pearson.

Schrunk was promised a leave of absence from the fire department after his appointment as sheriff by the board of county commissioners.

Attorney Nicholas Granet, chairman of the Multnomah County Democratic committee, represented Elliott at the ceremonies.

ALBANY, Oct. 25-The biggest The second is an amendment the 4H pavilion here Tuesday

port the structure. July. Surplus dry kiln lumber will be stored in the building.

Egg Prices Drop Two to Five Cents

Salem egg prices dropped for the third time in two weeks Tuesday following a similar cut in the Portland wholesale market. The reduction ranged between five and two cents a dozen.

As for 45 cents.

Project Blast For Communist Reference Of Peace Pact **Book Banned**

Texas School

HOUSTON, Tex., Oct. 25 -(AP)-Houston's school board voted to ban the civics textbook "American Government" because it found a paragraph in the 1947 edition obectionable.

But the member who had the book banned said tonight it apgladly pay this printing bill out boxcar letters on the capitol to an appeal to the legislature." people out of bed in nearby units high school students to go ahead using the book-at least temporarily. He said no other texts are

> were in the rear of their apart- Werlein, civics classes for this ment at 10:30 p.m. when a ter- term already have studied the secrific blast knocked them down, tion containing a paragraph which

> That paragraph, saying the Un-The explosion lifted the roof ited States is called a capitalistic off the one-story building and country, but does not have pure it back, completely capitalism, read in part: "The postal system, power projects, and Emergency lights were set up and the area roped off to keep back thousands of spectators who and old age assistance are exam-Two volunteer rescue workers, ples of communism . . . to each

Owner Killed ster from the wreckage at the der, retired Oregon State college front of the building. Wilson was history professor, is used by Housdriving through Dallas, en route ton's 2,221 senior high school civics students. In Plane Crash

the building, and went in, through vote, the board moved to ban the the north side," he said. "We book from further use. Werlein found a boy about six pinned be- said he feared the paragraph neath a mattress and a concrete might cause youngsters "to think dropped from the roof. He was socialism and communism are good."

In Revised Edition He declined to say who called and three others.

the paragraph to his attention. The board also took the action without taking note of the fact two not far from the spot where 53 editions of the book are being used by the civics students.

have a 1947 revised edition. Werlein's paragraph came from the 1947 revision. The paragraph Delton R. Osburne of Palm Beach Schrunk, 36, a Portland fire cap- but similar material is included in of Baltimore.

1945 official version, but others

A spokesman for Allyn & Bacon Publishing company, Boston, Mass., publishers of the book, said today revisions carried in a 1949 as results of the recall election edition probably would satisfy the Houston board.

Draws Comment Werlein said he might be willing to have the book remain in use, if later editions changing the paragraph were brought into use. He said the entire matter probably will be settled at a Nov. 14 Austin meeting of the state text-

book committee. Dr. Magruder was away from try. He brought the Australian his home at Corvallis, Ore., but tote to Hialeah. The American this base. his wife told the Houston Chronitote came later, a different, more cle by telephone: "It looks like compact type which gained greatsomebody is on a witch hunt."

The official text, under state law, is the 1945 edition, and not the 1947 edition in which Werlein found the objectionable paragraph. Only a comparatively small number of students were said to have Fire Mistaken

For Airplane

Statesman News Service IDANHA, Oct. 25-(Special)-

put into use this week. Located a short distance east of the mill, the building is 136 feet long, 72 feet wide and is 42 feet high. Large piers, varying from two to four feet in diameter, sup-

Construction was started in

Salem wholesalers are buying extra large AAs for 61 cents per dozen; large AAs for 60 cents; large As for 57 cents; mediurs AAs for 47 cents and medium

Pullet eggs which are becoming scarcer, took a jump from 38 wholesale buying prices.

Czechs Order Expulsion of U.S. Official

embassy official on charges of spying.

country. Embassy sources said he was either in Germany or Vienna and would not return to Prague.

Heyn was accused of industrial espionage and attempting to learn Mrazovic on his arrival. Czechoslovak state secrets about industrial production and commerusing Czechoslovak citizens to in a note handed to the Yugoslav

the embassy's political attache, who was expelled last Friday on 24 hours notice. Heyn came to Springdale, Conn.

Samuel Meryn, were accused by denied the accusations. The actions against the employ-

es of the American embassy in (AP)- A private plane exploded in pushed an anti-spying campaign

Parachutist Saves Buddy sed by the civics students. Most of the students have the morial day, 1947, when a large airlined plummeted into a woods $B_VWild\ Grab$

EGLIN AIR FORCE BASE, Fla. Oct. 25-(AP)-A parachute jumper snatched a companion literally feud between Yugoslavia and the PORTLAND, Oct. 25-(AP)-Terry is not included in the 1945 version the co-pilot, and A. J. Johnson from the thin air to safety today. cominform — the Soviet-led assotwo parachutists were about half tions which has accused Tito of

50's, had been president of Tropical Park race track, Fla., since a slow-flying C82 transport plane. from the true Marxist line. They collided in the air and bevice which computes odds and

to hurtle earthward. Sgt. Marvin O. Smith of Huntsville, Ala., reached out and caught Minor Officials Remain safely; the remaining 500 feet of

Secretary of the Army Gordon ing a massive air-ground show at

Elk Season Cuts Town's Manpower

Statesman News Service

-With the opening of elk season this city is practically devoid of manpower this week.
One group of Mehama hunters

left fully prepared for a successful hunt. They took a truck, a NEW YORK, Oct. 25-(AP)-A fire in a fish factory off Port Monmouth, N. J., set off a large-scale ment and \$100 worth of grub. rescue operation tonight in the false belief that an airplane was are shorthanded due to the spread the western Pennsylvania coal in trouble at sea.

Dallas Housing Magruder Textbook Banned Action Follows Renunciation

LONDON, Wednesday, Oct. 26-(P)-The Soviet Union said today it has demanded the recall of the Yugoslav ambassador to Moscow because he is guilty of "spying and subversive activities" against Rus-

nunciation last month of her treaty of friendship with Yugoslavia. It brought Moscow perilously close to a full diplomatic break with Marshal Tito's government. The Russian ambassador to Bel-

The action followed Russia's re-

grade has been absent from his post for many weeks.

Karl Mrazovic, the Yugoslav ambassador to Russia, went to

The economic squeeze put on Yugoslavia by Russia and her eastern satellites was in full effect. Moscow dispatches at the time said only a minor Russian protocol officer was sent to greet

The Moscow radio, which announced the demand for the recall embassy in Moscow yesterday.

He was assistant to Isaac Patch, Text of Message The text of the note: "The ministry of foreign affairs of the Union of Soviet Socialist Re-

publics has been authorized by the Prague April 19. His home is in Soviet government to inform the Yugoslav government of the fol-"During the Budapest trial of

the government of directing a the state criminal and spy (Laszlo) widespread espionage ring. Patch Rajk and his accomplices it was established that the present Yugoslav ambassador in the U. S. S. R., Mrazovic, had for a long time en-PORT DEPOSIT, Md., Oct. 26 Prague came as the government gaged in spying and subversive activities against the Soviet Union, and while being Yugoslav ambassador in the U. SM. S. R., had come out in the Yugoslav press with slanderous fabrications against the Soviet Union.

"In view of this the Soviet government considers it impossible for Mrazovic to continue to be Yugoslavia's diplomatic representative in the USSR.

Latest in Series The Soviet demand that -arshal Tito recall his ambassador was the latest development in the The rescue was made when the ciation of eastern communist na-

way down a 1,000-foot jump from being anti-Russian and deviating The Soviet Union suffered a defore they got untangled, the par- feat on the diplomatic front last achute of PFC Charles A. Dye, week when Yugoslavia was elect-

Akron, Ohio, collapsed. He began ed to the United Nations security council over Czechoslovakia, the As Dye's chute went by him, latter a faithful member of the cominform. When Czechoslovakia served

open 'chute carried them both notice on Yugoslavia that it was ending the friendship pact the Czechs also demanded the recall of the Yugoslav ambassador to Gray witnessed the incident dur- Prague. The other cominform countries did not go that far.

The Soviet ambassador to Yugoslavia, Anatole I. Levrentiev, was promoted last month to the job of deputy minister of foreign affairs. Tass, the official Soviet news

agency, made no announcement at the time of a successor to Lavrentiev in Belgrade. Thus while the post in Belgrade remains vacant, diplomatic relations can continue through minor officials.

VIOLENCE MARS WALKOUT

ALTOONA, Pa., Oc. 25 -(AP)- A small caterpillar, camping equip- steam shovel was dynamited at a strip mine operation near Coupon Many local mills report they tonight as new violence flared in

ed on the waters off Coney island while an emergency truck and In Chiefs of Staff Meet

fact that they met at all was considered news, because there had been predictions that they might never work together again,

so great has been the split. Admiral Louis E. Denfeld, chief

upon struck back at "Fancy Dan" admirals.

"How did things go, General?" "Fine, fine," the chairman re-Was the meeting harmonious?

"Sure," answered Bradley, pok-

Was the testimony before the house committee brought up? "I have no statement," Bradley

answered. "It was just a normal meeting of the J.C.S." Earlier in the day Secretary of Defense Johnson talked over the armed forces row with President Truman, but later kept silent about a possible shakeup in the

navy high command. "We are just working on unification and it is coming along." Johnson told newsmen as he left

The defense chief refused either to confirm or deny reports that Vice Admiral Forrest Sherman, commander of the U.S. 6th task fleet in the Mediterranean, would succeed Admiral Denfeld

Coast guard boats joined the WASHINGTON, Oct. 25 -(P)- porters asked Bradley:
Bitterly estranged admirals and "How did things go, generals sat down around the table today in what Gen. Omar plied. er report indicated that a "flame" N. Bradley called a "harmonious" meeting of the U.S. joint chiefs er-faced. of staff. Just what they said to each

> of naval operations, was among those present. At house hearings he and other admirals assailed the handling of the unified defense setup, saying the navy was being woefully weakened, to the detriment of the national security. Gen. Bradley, who is chair-man of the joint chiefs, there-

Animal Crackers By WARREN GOODRICH **Down Zoning Proposal**

INDEPENDENCE, Oct. 25-Voters defeated Tuesday the proposed Talmadge zoning district involving property bounding the Independence - Monmouth highway. The tally was 47 to 12.

from the east Salem city limits.

Only landowners who lived in the proposed district were eligible to vote. Boundaries were the city limits of the two towns and ex-tended 1,000 feet back from each side of the highway.

Approval of the proposed dis-

STRIKE ACTION DELAYED

DETROIT, Oct. 25 -(A)- The and the remain building fund.

valued at nearly \$60,000 at the state penitentiary annex southeast of Origin of the blaze that quickly roared through 800 tons of hay



barn was salvaged by inmates and Prime Minister Attlee firemen who used a tow chain to pet dog who was tied inside the and old age assistance are ex- barn and burned to death, and an unidentified inmate who ran a Attacked by

age to the building, constructed during World War II, at \$25,000. sample of the jitters which has Hay in the barn was valued at

building from flames. Firehoses played water on the blaze from demanding a vote of confidence witnessed drew 3,500 people to Fire Chief William Roble of by Winston Churchill's conserva- night. Salem estimated that the fire tives, declaring the government would be burning many hours is "taking no sufficient measures" ing from dogs to trucks, all do-

spreading. Burning rafters were The third is by the liberal plete a War Memorial stadium crashing to the ground for sev- party's 10 members in the house here. Good prices prevailed in the of commons. The fourth is a mo- early stages of bidding. State police set up roakblocks tion of censure by the Indepen- So many items were donated on highways leading to the prison dent labor group which objects that a second auction probably to prevent spectators from enter-ing the area. The fire was visible in the outlay for defense. Will be needed to dispose of them.

Attlee Policies

LONDON, Oct. 25 -(AP)- Three parties - conservatives, liberals and independent leftists - called Prime Minister Attlee's economy

labor government.

The first motion is by Attlee,

demanded the downfall of his The house of commons is to vote

books as super patriots seek to area, was located below a cliff government budget outlay for the

and concentrated his squad's ef- to prevent inflation and restore nated to the junior chamber of forts on preventing flames from the national credit abroad.

Three Parties

that protected the main annex year.

program too timid tonight and Stadium Benefit **Auction Draws** on four motions Thursday in the 3,500 at Albany

commerce drive for funds to com-

Idanha Dry Kiln Placed in Service

1947 copies.

new dry kiln storage building was

25 -(AP)- For the second time in five days, the communist Czechoslovak government today ordered the expulsion of an American Economic Squeeze On The newly named official, de- Moscow last Dec. 16 when relaclared persona non grata, is John tions between Yugoslavia and Rus-C. Heyn, assistant attache in the sia were already near the boiling embassy's political department. point. However, he is already out of the

Dr. Frank Magruder, Corvallis, retired Oregon State college history professor, whose text on cial relations. He was chrged with of Mrazovic, said it was contained American government was barred by the Houston, Tex., school gather this information.

Patch and an embassy clerk, lowing:

the air tonight, killing millionaire horseman Henry L. Straus The twin-engined Beechcraft crashed to earth in a ball of fire. persons lost their lives on Me-

The other dead were identified by state police as Wally Mayer the pilot, of Palm Beach, Fla., Straus, who was in his early

prices at race tracks throughout the country. He owned a large stable of horses and kept a breeding farm in Worthington valley, the trailing shroud lines. His own The late Joseph E. Widener Philadelphia sportsman, who took the jump. over Hialeah park in 1931, intro-

MEHAMA, Oct. 25-(Special)

Brass Hats Harmonious

Then the coast guard said a latrather than a "plane" had been other was kept secret. But the

When today's three - and - a -

the White House.

quarter hour meeting ended, re- as chief of naval operations.

trict would have brought regulation of future construction in the

tion of a hospital building at Fair-

of Portland. The main hospital at cations for a tuberculosis ward at the home burned down last May. the Oregon state hospital here was high, of concrete construction, and the plans had been approved they a capacity of 57 beds. Of the total amount of money required for conhealth and federal regulations. struction costs \$92,056 will come Other plans and specifications will from the state restoration account have to be substituted. and the remainder from the state

Work on both the Fairview view home was accepted by the home hospital and boiler installa-

state board of control here Tues- tion will get under way soon. A claim of \$1,250 from Frank H.

Talmadge District Votes Portland Firm Given Contract To Construct Fairview Hospital A bid of \$193,678 for construc- tuberculosis hospital.

The low bid, one of eight, was Struble, architect, for work coversubmitted by Malarkey and Moore ing preliminary plans and specifi-The hospital will be one story approved. It was discovered after

Gov. Douglas McKay said this Chrysler corp. agreed today to put aside threat of strike action while they negotiate on pensions the union has demanded.

The board accepted the \$64,000 Roy Mills, board of control secretary, said the state would profit by having a better building under the sale buying market. Retail prices at the Eastern Oregon state new plans. looked like a waste of funds but

On the block were items rang-Idanha Lumber company's huge

On Salem Market

The coast guard finally said it had located the fire in the fish It illuminated the sky for some