

National Director of Townsend Clubs Says Plan Gains Support

Increasing support for the Townsend pension plan is becoming more noticeable than ever this year and "there really is a cause for great hope," Mrs. J. A. Ford, national director of the Townsend legislative bureau, said in Salem Monday.

Mrs. Ford, whose headquarters are in Washington, D.C., spoke to a crowd at the 250 Court st. auditorium last night.

The Townsend leader said the pension movement would be "forever grateful" to labor for its recent espousal of pension systems "because it brought more and more attention to the need."

But she added that "the real necessity is for a system on a nationwide basis, not subject to the whims of local boards or groups and applicable to all the elderly, not just a privileged few."

Ask to Have Bill Moved
Mrs. Ford said it was hoped to force the pending Townsend bill from the ways and means committee at the next session of congress so that it could go to the senate finance committee immediately for further action.

As evidence of the contention that increasing support was given to the Townsend program, Mrs. Ford cited the statement of Rep. Noah M. Mason of Illinois who said in congress that he would support the Townsend plan even though for 12 years he had "steadfastly refused" to support it.

Asks Program Amended
The Townsend program currently constitutes a proposed amendment to the social security program. It would broaden the benefits and reduce the applicable age limit from 65 to 60.

"More and more businessmen are realizing the need for a national pension program," Mrs. Ford declared. "Many of them know they would be unable to carry on such a program of their own; they know that such systems by states do not accomplish the purpose intended."

"We shall continue to the utmost our efforts to have the congress adopt a fair, equitable, all-inclusive and desperately-needed plan."



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Civil Service Tests to Open

A series of three civil service examinations for Salem firemen and prospective firemen opens today.

Two firemen will be examined today for promotion to first aid captain where there is a single opening at present.

Eight firemen will appear Wednesday at city hall to be examined for appointment to an eligible list for promotion to fire captain. There is no opening at present, but the eligible list has been exhausted. A feature of this examination will be an oral quiz to be given by members of the city civil service commission.

Thirty hopefuls will be tested Thursday for rookie firemen eligibility. An eligible list is sought for beginners, as the city soon will man a new fire station in West Salem.

Freshmen Top Sacred Heart Academic Roll

Freshmen captured a majority of top honors on the first academic roll of the school year at Sacred Heart academy.

Six first-year students received "first honors," awarded for high grade point averages and outstanding cooperation in school. They were Dianne Blecka, Stanley Dvorak, Joann Steiner, Robert Stevens, Donald Pearl and Carl Rentz.

Other first honors went to Edward Watkins, a junior, and Donna Marie Barry, Dwyne Anne Herberger and Alan Pearl, all seniors.

Second honors were awarded: Freshmen: Shirley Etzel, Jacqueline Larson, Patricia Gillis, Meredith Hayes, Robert Joseph, Robert Lange, Janet DeV. Fisher, Pearson, Marlene Raschko, Joann Brown, Vance Cooney and Barbara Snook.

Seniors: Joan Sawchuck, Michael Raschko, Maxine Rentz, Harold Koch, Frank Lebold, Jacqueline Rom, Mary Ann Fisher, Betty Rose Nelke and William Schmitz.

Junior: Joanne Coleman, Grace Covey, Gail Lochead, Donna Belsher and Robert Kovach.

Seniors: Nancy Brown, Margaret DeV. Fisher, Barbara Van Cleeft and Jo Ann Washburn.

Third honors went to: Freshmen: Margaret Rach, Sandra Bliven, William Thompson and Mary Louise Yank.

Seniors: Joan Schroeder, Vivienne Brown, Sharon Rothenfuch, Catherine McCormick, James Dempewolf, Dolores Gottfried and Jack Kropp.

Juniors: Janice Jackson, Norma Rentz, Carl Hills, Roger Kerr and Donna.

Seniors: Richard Crowe, Gloria Koller, Doris Rohland, Thomas Melzer, Geraldine Kiser and Jere McCarthy.

Fire Protection District Vote Set Dec. 13

Voting on a proposal to organize the Liberty-Salem Heights rural fire protection district south of Salem will take place December 13, Marion county court decided Monday.

Five directors for the new district will be elected at the balloting. William J. Linfoot, chairman of the sponsoring committee, presented the court with an amended map of the proposed district Monday which deletes those areas which have withdrawn from the proposal.

Original petitions for the district carried over 500 names. The district if approved will contain about 800 property owners.

Sponsors said Monday that a special 10-mill tax levy would be necessary to support the district. Voluntary donations also will be asked in order to secure fire-fighting equipment as soon as possible.

The election will take place from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. at a place to be decided on later.

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The military parade, formed by Moscow garrison troops and led by massed drums and cymbals, began after 10 a.m. and was over before 11 a.m.

Elmer Hunter
"the Creole Flash"
TOMORROW
Singing at the
SALEM SUPPER CLUB

W. F. Neptune, Retired Salem Butcher, Dies

William Frederick Neptune, retired butcher in Salem and a resident here since 1912, died Sunday at the home of his step-son, Everett Wood, 1795 Court st. He was 74.

Neptune was born Nov. 28, 1874, at Barnesville, Ohio, and came to Silverton in 1910, settling in Salem two years later.

He was employed first at Fletcher's Meat Market here and later operated his own shop 17 years until a heart ailment forced his retirement in 1944.

Neptune served one term as a member of the Salem school board and was active in Knight Memorial church where he was a trustee and for a number of years was chairman of the church building committee.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Emma Neptune, Salem; a daughter, Mrs. Doris Ransom, Turner; a sister, Mrs. A. J. Pinnick, Sebring, Ohio; three step-sons, Everett T. Emery F. and Carl A. Wood, all of Salem; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at the Clough-Barick chapel Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. with the Rev. Louis White officiating. Interment will be in City View cemetery.

Senate Race in N. Y. Tops Long List of Ballots

By The Associated Press
Some 5,500,000 New York voters are expected to turn out today to give their verdict on a bitterly contested senatorial race heralded as a test of President Truman's "Fair Deal."

The fight between Senator John Foster Dulles, republican and former Gov. Herbert H. Lehman, democrat, brought the first major showdown between the administration's domestic policies and charges of "statism."

The race highlights a series of scattered elections over the country.

Aside from the headline battle, their are at stake one house seat each in California and New York; governorships for New Jersey and Virginia; and a number of mayor posts in such strategic cities as New York, Detroit, Boston, Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Scranton, Bridgeport, Louisville, Albany and Buffalo.

Two other issues—poll tax repeal and veterans' bonuses—also come before the voters. Virginia and Texas will vote on proposed constitutional amendments to junk the poll tax, while Pennsylvania and New Jersey have bonus propositions. Tennessee voters will decide whether to hold a convention to discuss changes in the constitution.

Complaint Cites Bus Driver

A complaint that alleges a bus driver "forcibly closed a bus door" on a man's arm and shoulder was filed Monday in Marion county circuit court.

The suit, seeking damages totaling \$11,550, was filed by William Kim against Gene Blakely, the driver, and the Oregon Motor Stages company of Salem.

Kim's complaint alleges that June 20 he boarded a bus in Salem, paid his fare and all during the ride was subjected to "derogatory and insulting language" directed at him by Blakely.

As Kim was leaving the bus, the complaint states, Blakely closed the door on his arm and shoulder, causing him to fall to the pavement.

Kim asks \$1,550 general and \$10,000 punitive damages.

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Mayor Elfstrom Issues Education Week Statement

A plea that citizens help build better educational systems both locally and nationally was issued Monday by Mayor R. L. Elfstrom in observance of American Educational week, November 6-12.

Elfstrom said, "among principles that have made America great, none has been more important than our belief in free public education." He urged everyone to visit Salem's schools and to help maintain and improve schools.

Mrs. Cameron Succumbs at Home in Salem

Mrs. Melinda J. Cameron, a Salem resident the past six years, died at her home at 260 South View pl. Sunday. She was 76.

Born July 7, 1873, in Ontario, Canada, Mrs. Cameron lived most of her life in that country.

She and her husband, George B. Cameron, who survives her, were married in 1899 at Grafton, N. D. They celebrated their golden wedding anniversary here in September and all nine children were in Salem for the event.

An invalid the past few years, the deceased previously attended the Methodist church.

Surviving, besides the widower, are four sons, Archie Cameron, Salem; Reynolds Cameron, Roseburg; David Cameron, Post Falls, Idaho; and Gordon Cameron of Canada; five daughters, Mrs. Marie Natheliter and Miss Florence Cameron, both of Salem; Mrs. Margaret Walsh, Riddle; and Mrs. Donald Beaton and Mrs. David Schissler, both of Canada; eight brothers and sisters in Canada; and 12 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Thursday at 1:30 p.m. at the Clough-Barick chapel with interment in Belcrest Memorial park.

National Guard To Receive Pay Increase

Pay increases for national guardsmen were announced Monday night at Salem's B company drill at the armory.

Lt. Louis Osborne said the increases immediately would jump enlisted pay rates by an average of more than \$1 per drill.

In addition, Osborne said pay increases now have been authorized every two years instead of every three years as in the past.

Announcement of increases came as Salem's national guard companies swing into the home stretch of a current enlistment drive that ends November 19.

Nearly 20 new members have been recruited by company B, Osborne said, including three recruits signed up at Monday's drill.

A highlight of the drive is a dance scheduled from 8 to 12 Friday night at the armory. Music for the dance, which falls on Armistice day, will be furnished by Glenn Woody's orchestra.

The enlistment drive has been marked by spirited competition among teams in company B who are competing for an expense-free trip to the Michigan State-Oregon State football game in Portland Saturday.

Osborne said many non-commissioned officer berths are available for veterans of World War II.

He pointed out that new retirement benefits recently have been authorized for the national guard which enable men who complete a total of 20 years active and inactive service to draw retirement pay ranging up to \$63 monthly for master sergeants.

Ancient Indian rulers in Mexico used to carry rare orchids in their hands, as a mark of rank, when they appeared in public.

Heiress Balks At Questions On Communism

By Roger D. Greene
WASHINGTON, Nov. 7 - (AP) - Wealthy Mrs. Louise Branstetter today refused to answer a barrage of questions pumped at her by the house un-American activities committee in its investigation of communism.

The red-headed heiress from San Francisco and New York has similarly balked at responding to the committee's inquiry a year ago.

At one point, however, she interrupted today's questioning and angrily told Chairman Wood (D-Cal.):

"Mr. Wood, I have never engaged in any espionage activity."

Indignant at what she termed "my continued harassment" by the committee, Mrs. Branstetter countered more than two score questions with the stock answer used by many other witnesses: "I refuse to answer on grounds afforded by the fifth amendment."

Entitled to Silence
The constitutional amendment, as interpreted in court decisions, provides that witnesses are entitled to remain silent if their testimony would tend to incriminate them.

The 40-year-old witness, reputed beneficiary of a \$500,000 trust fund when her father died in 1929, declined to say whether she ever contributed to communist front organizations.

2 Brothers Plead Guilty To Burglary

Twin brothers Monday pleaded guilty in Marion county circuit court to a charge of burglary.

The twins, George William Hotchkiss, Jr., and Robert Donald Hotchkiss, both of Salem, admitted burglarizing a Salem house of \$32.35 October 29.

They were ordered to the state hospital for 30 days observation, and Judge George R. Duncan said pre-sentence investigation would be conducted during this time.

James Elmer Armstrong, 2425 Hazel st., received a suspended one-year jail sentence on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor and was placed on probation one year.

In two non-support cases, Gerald Edward Wornstorf was continued for sentencing to November 14, while imposition of sentence was suspended for Delbert Willis Turnidge on condition he immediately pay \$214 back support money due his wife and one child. Turnidge was placed on probation two years.

UNION HILL — Mrs. O. W. Humphreys, with Mrs. M. Gilmour as co-hostess, will entertain the Union Hill Grange Economic club at the grange hall Wednesday at 1:30 p.m.

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USO Director Tours State

Robert R. Boardman, USO state director, is conferring with community chest groups and county committees in northeastern Oregon this week.

Today he will be in Pendleton, LaGrande and Union and Wednesday in Heppner, Condon and Foster.

Boardman said the current USO fund drive includes money for a service center at Astoria and visits by entertainment units to the Astoria naval base, Roseburg Veterans hospital and Camp White Veterans hospital near Medford.

Vote Marred In Philippines By Violence

By Spencer Davis
MANILA, Tuesday, Nov. 8 - (AP) - Reports of violence today marred the Philippine republic's presidential election.

Radio reports from Iloilo, capital of Panay island, said shooting broke out there between liberal party supporters of President Elpidio Quirino and backers of Dr. Jose P. Laurel, nationalist party candidate.

One person was reported killed but there were no details.

Promises of fair weather led to hopes of a record ballot. More than 5,000,000 voters registered.

Suit Asks \$21,797 In Crash Damages

A suit seeking \$21,797 for injuries allegedly incurred in an auto accident was filed in Marion county circuit court.

Edwin Harling filed the complaint against Harold William Benke.

Harling alleges he was injured in an accident July 1 on the Pacific highway between Aurora and Hubbard. His complaint states that Benke was driving on the wrong side of the road when the head-on collision occurred.

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DUFF TOREN BRENT

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Pope Cites Rule For Divorce to Catholic Jurists

By Philip Clarke
ROME, Nov. 7 - (AP) - Catholic judges throughout the world have been told by Pope Pius XII to beware of granting divorces which would break up marriages "valid before God and the church."

The pontiff referred to his remarks, made to a group of Italian Catholic jurists yesterday, as a statement of "fundamental norms."

Thus, legal sources said, the pope meant his words to be taken as guidance rather than as a statement which would carry the weight of Roman Catholic law.

Lays Down 4 Rules
The pontiff laid down four rules "to illuminate the conscience of Catholic jurists:

"1. In each sentence (decision), the principal stands that the judge cannot purely and simply refuse responsibility for the decision in order to make it fall upon the laws and its authors. These certainly have the main responsibilities for the effect of the law. But the judge, who by his sentence applies it to the particular case . . . is co-responsible for these effects."

"2. The judge can never, through his decision, force anyone to commit an intrinsically immoral act, that is to say, contrary by its nature to the laws of God or the church."

Limbs Sentenced
"3. He cannot, in any case, formally recognize and approve the unjust law (which, anyway, would never constitute the foundation of a judgement valid in conscience and before God). He, therefore, cannot pronounce a penal sentence which may be equivalent to a similar approval. His responsibility would begrave if his sentence should cause a public scandal."

"4. Nevertheless, not all application of an unjust law is equivalent to its recognition or approval. In this case the judge can—and perhaps sometimes must—let the unjust law take its course in the event that this be the sole means to prevent much graver evil."

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John Mills
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Charles Starrett
"South of Death Valley"