Truman Seeks Showdown on **Civil Rights**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17-(AP)-President Truman declared today that the administration will press the bitterly fought civil rights program to a showdown vote in congress "if it takes all summer."

The president served notice, in effect, that he wants every member of congress to be put on record for or against the proposals which caused a split in democratic party ranks during the 1948 presidential election campaign.

Lashing out at a coalition of southern democrats and republicans on the house rules committee, Mr. Truman said he would fight to defeat their efforts to repeal a parliamentary rule under which the administration hopes to bring up civil rights legislation in the house

On Capitol Hill, republican Leader Martin of Massachusetts told newsmen his party favors the repeal action, but doesn't want to vote on it until next week. In Ticklish Spot

This seemed to indicate that the republicans are anxious to avoid being put in the position of voting for a rules change that might stifle a vote on civil rights. Like the administration democrats, the republicans are politically committed to a civil rights program.

It also indicated that by wanting to delay the vote until next week, the republicans hope to be in a position later to bottle up other phases of Mr. Truman's fair deal program.

Mr. Truman denounced the repealer resolution as "a blow that is serious and backward-looking." Asks Pressure

The president made his remarks before a national emergency civil rights mobilization delegation which called at the White House **Kiwanis Clubs'** to urge all possible administration pressure to pass the fair employ-**35th Birthday** ment practices commission (FEPC) bill.

The measure, one of the most **Subject of Talk** bitterly fought by southern congressmen, would establish a federal commission to combat discrim-Kiwanis was "born practicaly in another world" 35 years ago but ination in the hiring of negroes and other minority groups. it "has made its program meet the

The president devoted part of the speech to the move in the house to repeal parliamentary regulation lieutenant governor, declared in a which is known as "Rule 21." The background on this is as

follows:

Until last year, the house rules dress, finance, government and peace, its sacrifices for war, its committee had broad powers over world affairs in the last 35 years, promotion of better relations bethe legislative machinery because and termed the period a "wonder- tween farmers, labor and businessit could bottle up bills it opposed. ful" era. At the age of 35, he de- men, and its general efforts to-

Last year these powers were clared, "a man begins to know ward better citizenship. largely taken away when the house the score. Kiwanis does, too"





FALLS CITY-Frank Brown, Falls City garageman, points to absurdity of the parking sign on main street. Before the sign was erected difficulty was experienced in keeping parkers out of the restricted zone. Motorists this week, end were lucky to negotiate a parking spot along much of the main artery as snow plows formed side and center ridges towering five feet. Twenty inches of snow covered the street before it was cleared for travel. (Abel photo.)

Vet Dividend **Mailing Speeded**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17 - (AP) The federal government mailed an estimated \$87,500,000 to 500,000 World War II veterans Monday as a start in the payment of the \$2,-800,000,000 GI insurance dividend. This was more than twice the anticipated daily mailing rate of 200,000 checks, it represented an accumulation of several days of advance preparations.

Williamson was introduced by

Annual Jaycee Expansion of Dinner Honors Social Security Grabenhorst System Asked

By John H. White

Staf' Writer, The Statesman Coburn L. Grabenhorst, Salem for a vast expansion of the social realtor, Tuesday night was honor- security system today amid signs ed as this city's Junior First Citi- that some increase in coverage, zen for 1949.

The award, based on outstand- into law this year. ing service to the community and presented annually since 1939, was bestowed by the Junior Chamber gress to extend old age insurance of Commerce at its annual banquet in the Senator hotel.

Grabenhorst was commended by 000,000 persons gainfully employ-Gov. Douglas McKay, principal ed in the U.S. speaker, who said, "Most of us 35 Million Workers are 100 per cent American in creed and 10 per cent in our daily about 35,000,000 workers. living. Coburn has been 100 per cent on both counts."

which to live," McKay said.

Chairmen Jobs

"If more young men like Coburn to 46,000,000, bringing in self-emwould perform in peacetime as ployed persons, many domestic serthey do during wartime and na- cants, and employes of local and tional emergencies, we would have state governments.

a better city, state and country in Altmeyer did not mention all of and increased benefits be proposed sions he would like to see brought cent of payrolls.

Grabenhorst, a wartime naval into the system. But he recomofficer who commanded a squad- mended specifically that 5,500,000 ron of minesweepers, has served farm operators and farm workers during the past year as co-chair- be covered. And he urged that man of the American Red Cross more domestic workers be includdrive, co-chairman of the hospital

development campaign and with vice during 1949. the community chest, Chamber of Lockman Toastmaster Commerce and Salem realty

100, was conducted by Frank M. The award was presented by Lockman of Willamette univer-Mayor R. L. Elfstrom of Salem, sity as toastmaster. Other speakwho commended the junior cham- ers included Bruce Kelly of Portber for sponsoring the plaque as land, state Junior Chamber of an incentive to further community Commerce president, and James I. Elliott of Salem, chairman of

Richard Cox and Larry E. the award selection committee. Moore of the junior chamber were honored with Key-Men awards at by soloist Terry Murray of Willathe banquet for outstanding ser- mette university.

ed than under the nous -approved The Statesman, Salem, Ore., Wednesday, January 18, 1950-7 The social security ch of testified before the senate finance committee, whose ranking democrat and republican have both predicted that increased benefits and broaded coverage will be approved by the senate and enacted into law this year. Altmeyer recommended not only

that coverage be broadened. He WASHINGTON, Jan. 17-(AP)-The proposed also that benefits be inadministration renewed its fight creased more than they would be under the house bill. And he urged that social security taxes be collected on the first \$4,800 of a benefits and taxes will be written worker's annual income, instead of only on the first \$3,000 as at pres-Arthur J. Altmeyer, the social ent.

security administrator, asked con-Altmeyer urged that the formula benefits and taxes until they cover for figuring benefits be liberalized. practically all of the nearly 60,-Under his proposal, he said, an average worker earning \$200 a month, who had been insured continuously since 1937 and whose Old age insurance now covers wife had also reached retirement age, would get a monthly retire-

ment benefit of \$111. The house has already approved If such a worker were not mara bill which would raise this total ried, he added, his monthly retirement benefit would be \$74. The administrator estimated that the cost of the expanded coverage

the additional trades and profes- eventually would be about 6 per

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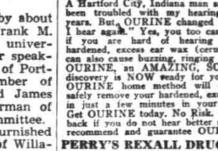
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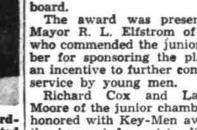


The banquet, attended by about

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passed a rule saying that if the rules committee delays a bill for 21 days, then it may be brought up in the house for a vote any-

Last week Rep. Cox (D-Ga) succeeded in getting a resolution through the rules committee to repeal this 21-day rule. The house has yet to act on it, and there was much partismentary skirmishing today, with foes of the civil rights program trving to get it up for a house vote before FEPC can be brought up.

Jockey's Airplane **Narrowly Escapes Crash at Airport**

BURBANK, Calif., Jan. 17-(AP)-The engine conked out on Johnny Longdon's private plane Monday and the ace jockey narrowly es-caped a crash in an emergency landing at Burbank airport.

Charley Williams, pilot of the plant, said he and Longden were returning from the John D. Hertz ranch near Santa Paula, Calif., when their motor quit at 3,000 feet.

"I radioed the tower to clear the runways," Williams said. "But I didn't think we could make the field. How we did it I'll never know.

The pilot said the ship barely missed the roofs on nearby houses. Ambulances and fire trucks were waiting on the field; but neither Longden nor his pilot was hurt. The jockey said he was just

shaken up.



The Albany banker cited as T. Hareld Tomlinson of Salem, alespecially praiseworthy the inter- so a former Kiwanis lieutenant national organization's work for governor.

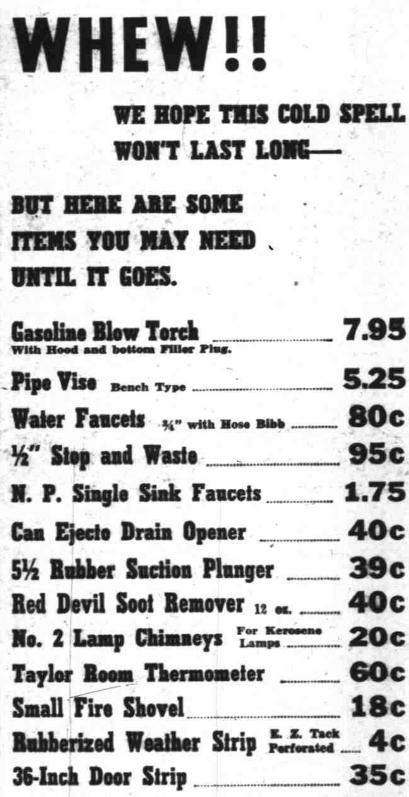
needs of the day," Clyde William-

son of Albany, former Kiwanis

Kiwanis anniversary address to

Williamson cited the changes in

the Salem club Tuesday.



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