## Citizens' Committees Sought to Enforce Controls Army, Guard, Reserves Fight over 18-Year-Olds Slightly



100th YEAR

need to trench on her territory, ices on the other. even if she admits she left the eggs out of an omelet recipe. But Monday is her day off, so, while the chef's away . . . I'll turn my hand at . . . baking pies. "Can you bake a cherry pie, Billy boy, Billy boy?" Well, no. I can tell you where to learn how, and that is in the Pie Manual of Good Housekeeping for February. (You see my cooking is like my gardening, which I do by looking at the seed

In that manual you have it all, one-crust, two-crust pies; and deep dish (I feel cheated with deep-dish pie,it has no bottom). It tells all about meringues and Can Join Guard Units edgings, and how to pretty up the and basket-weave and trellis tops. something here. Observe that recipes are quite neutral: "34 cup shortening (except butter, mar-

to bake a pie by proxy, I can of- guards. fer personal testimony as a consumer. Most all kinds of pie are good. Apple pie is reputed to be knocked out in the new UMST the national favorite, perhaps because there was less risk in ordering it than other varieties. But one can get a poor apple pie too, threat from some leaders of the if the fruit is tasteless and dry. Over at the Marion coffee shop publicly oppose UMST unless this where they adroitly have placed the pie cupboard in sight of the was restored, at least in part, in diners at the counters one notes the new bill. the popularity of coconut cream Makes Suggestion

spite of its calories. The pies like mothers used to make are still being made-by their daughters. And the bakers do a much better job than formerly. You don't have much risk in ordering a piece of pie at a restaurant any more, not like the time when a guy eating at a railroad lunch counter (remember that institution?) ordered a piece of berry pie, and the waiter said, Shoo, that's custard." The chief trouble is that pie adds to the protuberance on the waist line, so one's indulgence is curtailed. From appearances, these Good Housekeeping pies are deadly in that regard, especially that butterscotch and down-south pecan. I as good as that in he regular services. Eisenhower replied:

"You could never equal to the Maxine will be back tomorrow.

### **Pravda Claims** U.S. to Bolster Afghan Defense

MOSCOW, Feb. 4 -(AP)- Pravda, crediting reports from Tehran newspaper circles, said today the Afghanistan government-has agreed to turn over to the United States Hauduong, a strong point protect- senate committee he heads has all of its northern border posts along the Russian boundary. (Denying that and all other por-

tions of the account, state department press officer Michael McDermott told a reporter in Washington: "There is no truth in the rumors or in the Pravda story.")

The Russian communist party paper said the reported agreement also provides that he United States will reorganize the Afghan army.

Further reports, described as current among Afghans, said Afghanistan had granted the U.S. the right to build military airfields in Kabul and at seven other points in Afghanistan, the paper added.

#### **Animal Crackers** By WARREN COODRICH



### Eisenhower Seeks Trained Men for Guard

By Edwin B. Haakinson WASHINGTON, Feb. 4-(AP)-Informed congress members disclosed today an under-cover tug-of-With as good a food editor as war over 18 year olds between the The Statesman has in Maxine national guard and reserves on one Buren this department doesn't side and the regular armed serv-

Senators said this is one of many heated controversies they must decide or compromise in consider-

training program. Others include the defense department request to lower induction age from 19 to 18 years and extend required active duty from 21 to 27 months.

General Dwight D. Eisenhower backed the regular army, navy, air force and marines in the contest over 18 year olds at a public session of the senate preparedness subcommittee Friday.

Under the present selective sertop crust, and how to make lattice vice act, which expires July 9. young men who are 18 years and Even grandmother could learn 6 months old or younger can be deferred from the draft when they reach draft age if they join a national guard unit in a state where a governor has proclaimed such Though I have to tell you how enlistments necessary to fill the

The defense department asked that this automatic deferment be program, along wthe the state's right to take 18 year olds.

Senators said this brought a national guards and reserves to right to share in the 18 year olds

Senator .. Chapman .. (D-Ky.), without referring to the sub-rosa dispute, told Eisenhower:

"It has been suggested by some that 18 year old boys be permitted to enlist in the national guard and in that way be exempted from induction under the provisions of

Eisenhower replied: "I would oppose it with all the strength I had for this reasonthe national guard needs trained men. The source for national guardsmen should be after the man has had his training and not before he goes into it."

Other senators suggested that

national guard training might be "You could never equal in the national guard the kind of training

### you get here (in the regular forces). It cannot be done

SAIGON, Indochina, Feb. 4-(AP)-A French army communique tonight reported a new flareup of mate of damage was made imfighting in the northern part of mediately. Vietnam territory.

ces launched 'a violent attack on a French reconnaissance patrol near ator Hoey (D-NC) said today a ing the road between Hanoi and discovered indications of "influ-Haiphong. The attack, it added, ence peddling" in award of dewas repelled with 110 Vietminh fense contracts, and so will reopen fighters killed and 91 captured. its five percenter inquiry.

### Rescued from Fishing Mishap



SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 4—Capt. Donald R. DeFoe, (wearing head bandage) from Hamilton Field Air Force Base, Calif, is lifted ashore at a San Francisco Coast Guard station after his rescue from an overturned Army tug. The Army vessel was on a fishing trip when it capsized in rough waters off the Golden Gate, plunging crew of three and 17 passengers into the sea. Fourteen were saved, six are unaccounted for. (AP Wirephoto to The Statesman).

### Yanks, Turks Repulse **Heavy Counterattacks**

TOKYO, Monday, Feb. 5-(AP)-U. S. and Turkish troops repulsed today the heaviest counterattacks mounted by the Communists since the allied offensive in Korea began 12 days ago.

The Reds threw their strongest blows at the extreme western end of the frozen United Nations front. The U.S. Eighth army said Communist resistance had stiffened all along the 40-mile western

against the slowly advancing U.

As the allies ground northward

TOKYO, Feb. 5 -(AP)- Two

over the tortuous hills toward the

Han river communist casualties

powerful United Nations tank-

supported columns today drove

extreme western flank of the

allied line in Korea. One allied

column pushed into Anyang-

and a short distance beyond-

on the main highway nine miles

south of red-held Seoul. Another

column powered its way for-

ward against fierce resistance on

mounted toward 23,000 for the first

11 days of the drive by ground ac-

The Eighth army estimated 5,790

reds killed wounded or captured

Friday; 6,601 Saturday, and 1,475

Sunday. That was more than 13,-

800 for three days and the reports

On the central front, North Ko-

rean reds early today attacked

American - held Hoengsong but were repulsed in hand-to-hand

fighting. Allied patrols thrusting

out from the town ran into enemy

units up to company size. Air and

artillery were called in to blast

also was reported around commu-

nist-held Saemal, six miles south-

estimated a regiment was in the

Despite the stiffer communist

resistance, U. S. Fifth air force

said fewer vehicles were spotted

behind the red lines Sunday night.

More than 700 were reported on

the roads but the total had more

than 1,000 on Friday and Saturday

WEATHER

Considerable enemy activity

for Sunday were not complete.

parallel road about six miles

northward toward Scoul on the

western flank.

to the west.

the reds.

nights.

Portland \_\_\_\_\_ San Francisco \_\_\_

# **Four Corners**

Statesman News Service

FOUR CORNERS, Feb. 4 - A severe chimney fire which threat-Fighting Revives in store at Lancaster drive and Centened to spread through Krueger's er street was extinguished early North Indochina er street was extinguished early this afternoon by Four Corners Fire department.

The blaze caused slight damage to the grocery stock, but no esti-

It said communist Vietminh for- 5 PERCENTERS FOUND

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4-(AP)-Sen-

### Taft Demands Truman Submit **Troops Decision to Congress**

By Jack Bell mit to congress any agreement he might make to dispatch American troops to North Atlantic pact countries.

Taft, who heads the republican policy committee, said in an interview he thinks Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower "made a good impression" on congress but wasn't quite definite enough in his reports last week on the state of western Europe's defenses.

"The general has said he didn't talk." make any agreements on the num-American troops to be furnished," Taft said. "But such agreements are certainly being discussed and obviously the presi- armed services committee memdent will be the one to make it. ber, said there must be some "high "Any agreement that the presi-dent makes should be submitted to congress and then we can determine whether the ratio of

satisfactory. "We have nothing to work on now. General Eisenhows wasn't very definite in what he told con-

It was Taft's first direct comment on Eisenhower's four con- in Korea are ours and that m gressional appearances and his not happen again."

radio-television speech to the na-WASHINGTON, Feb. 4-(R)- tion last week in which the five-Senator Taft (R-Ohio) demanded star general said American setoday that President Truman sub- curity demands support with men and guns of western Europe's defenses against possible communist attack.

Eisenhower told lawmakers that American troop participation east of Hoengsong. Air observers ought to be left flexible and not estimated a regiment was in the fixed on any mathematical ratio. Senator Wherry of Nebraska, the GOP floor leader, told a reporter he regards Eisenhower's

the defense force as largely "sales "All we have been getting is a sales talk without any specific Senator Cain (R-Wash.), an level" agreement on the percentage of American to European troops. He opposed writing such a

arguments for supplying troops to

American to European troops is ever. "Because of our experiences in troops," Cain said. "Everybody knows that 90 per cent of the men

limitation into legislation, how-

### DiSalle Asks **1,253 Mayors** Form Groups

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 - (AP) Federal authorities called in the public today to help in the fight to control prices.

Price Administrator Michael V. DiSalle asked the mayors of 1,253 U.S. cities to set up citizens' committees as the latest step in the anti-inflation campaign.

DiSalle said in telegrams to the

"The purpose of this committee (in each city) would be to provide means of assisting the regional and district office of price stabilization in encouraging general public knowledge and observance of regulations adopted in the interest of a sound national

DiSalle announced the step during a television appearance with Cyrus S. Ching, wage stabilization director, on the NBC program "Battle Report."

Mayors of all cities with a population of more than 10,000 were asked to appoint Volunteer Emergency Stabilization Cooperation Committees to be made up of community leaders in business, labor, veterans' organizations and

"It is essential in this national defense mobilization emergency that every citizen be acquainted say a shortage of small arms amwith all measures being taken for the common good, and be informed of the steps each individual may take to carry out his tinues, other types of ammunition part," DiSalle said. Price officials said the volun-

teer committees would work closely with government stabilization officials, helping to bring price control information before their fellow citizens. These committees also will be

called on for advice and assistance in planning future programs of community education and cooperation. DiSalle said price controls may

become necessary on fresh fruits, vegetables, fish and seafood. But he indicated that they will continue to be exempt for the time being.

#### Mine Sweeper Sinks off Korea In battalion strength and greater the reds hurled their attacks N. positions about eight miles south of Seoul. Air observers indicated the reds had built up a force of 10,000 to 15,000 troops along the

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 - (AP) The American mine sweeper Partridge hit a mine off Korea Friday and sank with four dead, four missing and seven wounded, the navy announced today.

One of the wounded is from Washington state. The Partridge was a

wooden hulled vessel. The explosion occurred at 11:54 a.m. Korean time, the navy said,

and she went down at 12:06 p.m. The sinking occurred off Kangnung on the east coast of Korea. Four officers and 31 men were aboard the Partridge. There was no information here

as to the type of mine the vessel struck, nor as to whether it was Portland by airplane tonight for adrift. This is the fourth mine his first congressional sessions this sweeper sunk in Korean waters, year. Angell, re-elected last No-In addition two destroyers have vember, had remained in Portland been damaged but not sunk. All during a critical illness of his wife, six vessels were mine victims.

### Romance Blooms Amid Korea War

By The Associated Press

Freight and mail movement

was reported back to normal in

a number of cities as switchmen

showed up for work after vary-

talks were going.

Discontent by Trainmen

and some rule chances.

content by the trainmen over re-

jection of their demands for a 40-

The "sick call" has tied up ship-

hour work week for 48 hours pay

ments of war material in various

cities. In Chicago, army spokesmen

munition for United Nations forces

in Korea may result. These spokes-

men also say that if the strike con-

dications that at least some

switchmen had heard the pleas of

leaders of the Brotherhood of

Despite these encouraging re-

A doctor at Children's hospital

PORTLAND, Feb. 4 -(AP)- Rep.

Homer D. Angell (R-Ore.) left

said the one pound, two ounce infant died as a result of "gross

workers go back to their jobs.

turned up for work.

dication of doing so.

died late tonight.

prematurity.'

Tiniest of Boston's

Quadruplets Dies

REP. ANGELL LEAVES

who died last week.

for Korea will be held up.

walked off.

one said.

ing absences because of reported

YONGCHON, Korea, Feb. 4

-(P)-A brown-eyed army nurse and an army dentist were married today in a squad tent in the middle of a dry rice paddy.

The bride was Lt. Anne Donio, 35, of Egg Harbor Rd., Hammonton, N.J. The groom was Capt. Edward J. Prejean, 32, of Gretna, La.

By Charles Ireland Reduced

Gretna, La.

Standing on a straw mat before an improvised altar with a Several rail centers throughout the country reported definite back-to-work movements by strikparachute-cloth background, they were married by a ing railroad switchment Sunday Catholic chaplain. night but there was no assurance the crippling walkout was ending.

Army doctors and nurses showered the couple with rice and oatmeal as they ducked out of the tent. A dance and reception were held in a larger, plankfloored tent hearby.

#### Negotiators for the nation's railroads and four operating Rogue River Brotherhoods met Sunday with mediators in Washington in an effort to talk a way out of the strike. Nothing substantial came On Rampage out of the meetings but government spokesmen indicated they After Deluge were satisfied with the way the "We feel some progress is being made on important issues,"

one said.

The session continued late into
Sunday night before it was recess
Heavy rains threatened closure for train crews and switchmen for the duration of the work stoppage, the duration of the work stoppage, the yardmaster's office reported. ed with an announcement talks Press reported.

would continue Monday morning. Grants Pass recorded nearly The government asked the unions three inches of rain in the 24 150 jobs, but many of the men into re-state in writing their views hours ending Sunday night, four volved already were "ill."
of how a settlement might be times as much as Salem soaked Two sawmills at Kings Valley, Sunday. At the root of the dispute is dis-

A foot of water was expected to be over the Pacific highway at Grants Pass by this morning, but little other damage was expected from the swollen Rogue river.

The Coast highway between Crescent City and Eureka, Calif., was closed by slides, but the Redwood highway was open.

Temperatures up to 50 degrees and off-and-on showers are predicted for the Salem area today.

#### and ordnance supplies destined France Allows The cracks in the strike front were too few to establish a backto-work trend. Most of those off duty stayed off. In several cities, returning switchmen were only a small percentage of those who had New Weapons Nonetheless, there were real in-

By Eddy Gilmers BAUMHOLDER, Germany, Feb.

Railroad Trainmen that the "sick" -(AP)- France let représentatives Late Sunday afternoon, all but of the western world have a quick one rail yard in Atlanta was free peek yesterday at her new war weapons - including mechanical of embargoes as switchmen there foxhole diggers. This was followed by an an-

What she showed was impresnouncement in Philadelphia by sive, but there was a strong imthe Pennsylvania-Reading Seapression she still has a lot on the shore line that "the epidemic of super-secret list. sickness on our line seems to be

"Just be sure," cautioned Defense Minister Joules Moch, "you take no photographs."

ports, the great mass of yard workers had not committed them-Those on hand for the show inselves to a return and gave no included military observers from the United States, Britain, Belgium, The Netherlands and Luxembourg and several hundred French officers from all over the

Most impressive of the stuff put BOSTON, Feb. 4-(AP)-The tinion view was: est of Boston's three-day-old Al-len quadruplets, Karen Elizabeth,

A one man rocket launcher, as easily set up as a home movie Portland area. screen and operated about as effortlessly as a garden hose. A recoilless 75-millimeter gun

weighing less than 150 pounds. A bazooka, lighter than a heavy rifle that hit moving tanks with startling accuracy at relatively long distances.

A 12-ton, eight-wheel armored out of Portland. reconnaissance tank, which can go backwards as fast as it can for-A 50-ton tank with a 100-mille

And - two mechanical foxhole

### and \$1.45 hourly for freight runs Godfrey's Jet Springs Leak

PENSACOLA. Fla., Feb. 4-(A)An Oxygen leak in his jet plane
changed Arthur Godfrey's plan to
fly to New York today.

The radio and television star,
who just finished two weeks active
navy duty here, headed directly
for New York but the oxygen ran
short in his jet and he had to return in about 45 minutes.

He then filed a new flight plane

He then filed a new flight pla flew the jet to Jacksonville and made connections with a commer-

Godfrey, a commander in

### Learn to Spell!

### Oregon's Knotty Financial Problem Unsolved As Legislature Enters Second Month Today the state financial system.

Oregon's 46th legislative session begins its second month of meetings at 11 a.m. today. Already, 506 bills have been introduced — 46 more than during the first month of the 1949 session and probably about half of the total number expectable. State finance and reorganization of the state's school system remain the toughest prob-

Here's what's being done about major legislation: Finances - So far, the house tax

committee has only two tax bills-2 per cent sales tax, and a proposal to levy the corporation in-come tax against utilities. But it will also consider a state property tax, property tax on automobiles, tax, property tax on automobiles, removal of the federal income tax

Education — The education committees will meet this week with Dr. T. C. Holy, Ohio educator, who recommended sweeping changes in the state school system. Public hearings must be held before these bills are ready for action.

Government reorganization — The "Little Hoover" commission has introduced a bill to reorganize the soldiers bonus. The bill to some instance of the soldiers bonus. The bill to some instance in the soldiers bonus. The bill to some instance in the soldiers bonus. The bill to some instance in the soldiers bonus. The bill to some instance in the soldiers bonus. The bill to some instance in the soldiers bonus. The bill to some instance in the soldiers bonus. The bill to some instance in the soldiers in the so

that the legislature, bowing to strong pressure from the house-

wives, might change the state milk control law. The bill to allow sale of colored margarine probably will be defeated Tuesday.

Highways — Sentiment is building up for a 2-cent gas tax increase to build highways to modern standards. A bill to let the high-way commission issue \$62,000,000 worth of road-building bonds still

civil defense — The \$74,000 appropriation bill to provide money for setting up an expanded state civil defense agency has been passed by the house. Speedy senate approval is expected.

Pensions — Nothing will be done

until after the February 15 public hearing on a bill to repeal the three-months-old law which gives the state the right to file claims against estates of deceased pen-

Dairy - There are strong signs officials who don't give veterans preference for jobs was passed last week by the senate and sent to the house.

are squaring off for ding-dong battles on several fronts, Labor asked last week for repeal of 1947 laws which ban hot cargo actions, secondary boycotts and secret elec-tions in labor disputes. But em-ployers demanded that those same laws be made tougher by allowing courts to issue injunctions to en-

ination of the one-week waiting period for benefits and that all

By Charles Ireland Staff Writer, The Statesman Independence's biggest sawmill will not operate today due to the will not operate today due to the rail tie-up that has now idled more than 1,000 workers in the mid-Willamette valley.

Shutdown of the Independence Lmbr. and Mfg. Co. plant threws more than 300 men out of work. And Dallar' Willamette Valley Lumber mill announced it will close by Wednesday if the switchmen's walkout doesn't end. That would fold up 400 more jobs.

Layoffs

would fold up 400 more jobs.

Passenger trains still operated through Salem and the Pacific northwest early today, but freight movement remained choked. The Southern Pacific's Rogue

River is the only passenger train not operating here. It has not made its night run between Portland and Ashland since Friday.

SP Sunday cancelled jobs here Cancels 150 Jobs The order temporarily wiped out

up during a steady downpour employing 125 men, reportedly are down due to the rail strike. Kings Valley is southwest of Indepen-

> Henry Dungan, who announced closure of the Independence mill, said the Kings Valley mills were closed by the recent cold snap and he understood they were staying closed until the strike ends. Small Mill Closes

Dunigan said his firm also had closed a small mill near Hoskins, idling about 35 men in the mill and

Closing of the big Independence mill also blocks employment for of the mill's log supply, he added.

Plans to close the Dallas mill sometime Wednesday were announced by Paul Morgan, plant manager. Some 150 men there already are working half shifts.

Elsewhere the Valsetz Lumber Co., the Cascades Plywood Corp. at Lebanon and Oregon Pulp and Paper at Salem, each employing upwards of 400, said operations would continue temporarily. Paulus Brothers Packing company's shutdown of ration packing remained this area's biggest clos-

ure due to the strike. It affected Down Due to Freeze The rail tie-up has not yet affected work on Detroit dam where operations were down last week due to the deep freeze. Some 300 men, including Salem residents,

will start back to work there to-All told the strike has laid off more than 2,000 industrial workers in Oregon

Members of the Portland trainmen's union met Sunday and heard a back-to-work message from W.
P. Kennedy, union president. They
took no action on it, they said. About 800 railroadmen are par-ticipating in the walkout in the They did issue a statement that

accused management and government of stalling for nearly two years. "Railroad workers can barely exist on the present wage scale," the statement said. Scales now vary between \$1.37

PENSACOLA. Fla., Feb. 4-(P)-

cial airliner for New York.

U. S. naval reserve, was to have particiapted for rowiew ceremonies in New York today honoring Comdr. Samuel Levy, USNR, who is retiring. Officials went ahead with the ceremony.

# Sawmill Closures Swell Valley Jobless Past 1,000 Due to Railroad Walkout