

Weather			
Salem	75	48	30
Portland	72	48	30
San Francisco	72	51	30
Chicago	81	52	30
New York	81	50	30
Willamette river -1.8 feet.			
FORECAST (from U. S. weather bureau, McNary field, Salem): Fair today and tonight. High today near 82; low tonight near 43.			
SALEM PRECIPITATION			
Since start of Weather Year Sept. 1	48.77	Normal	43.42
This Year	48.77	Last Year	43.42

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200 Girls, Legion Leaders Arrive in Salem for Girls' State



More luggage is added to the growing pile at Lausanne hall as some 200 delegates arrived Monday for the annual Girls' State program, sponsored by American Legion auxiliary. Two mothers were with this group. From left are Betty Shideier, Mrs. Fred M. Shideier, Mrs. C. W. Lohbart, Nina Low Lohbart, all of Corvallis, Margaret Huson and Maureen Rice, both of Medford. (Story on page 5).

Solons Tentatively Vote to Cancel OPS Cattle Price Rollback Orders

French Coalition in Control

By Carl Hartman
PARIS, June 18 (AP)—The middle-of-the-road parties in France claimed victory in the general election tonight as returns indicated the new national assembly would lean farther to the right than the old one.
Premier Henri Queuille, leader of the center coalition which has governed France for the past five years, said "the government had hopes. They have not been disappointed."
The middle-of-the-road parties definitely are emerging with a majority in the new assembly. But this combination covers such a wide spread of economic and social views that it probably will have to lean to the right to stay in power.
These other facts emerged from the Sunday voting:
Gen. Charles De Gaulle's rally of the French people (RPF) lifted from the communists the title of "first party in parliament." But the communists can still claim the title of "largest party in France" on the basis of their popular vote.
It looked as though the communists would be down to about 110 seats from the 183 which they and their fellow travelers had in the old assembly. De Gaulle probably has improved his standing from about a dozen seats to 116 or more in his first general election.
But the communists still polled 22.2 per cent of the popular vote, down from 28.6 per cent they tallied in 1946.

Voting Light on County School District Ballots

Voting was light Monday in annual school district director elections held throughout the valley.
In Salem, where Harry W. Scott was unopposed for election to a five-year term, only 121 voters turned out to cast ballots in the ten city precincts. All were for Scott. Precinct 3 at Grant school reported the heaviest voting with 23 cast; Highland (precinct 1) reported only three—the three members of the election board. Other results were precinct 2, Washington school, 11; precinct 4, Englewood, 16; precinct 5, old high school, 14; precinct 6, Richmond, 12; precinct 7, Leslie, 13; precinct 8, Salem Heights, 13; precinct 9, Lincoln, 7; precinct 10, West Salem, 9.

Morse Blasts MacArthur as 'Untruthful'

SPOKANE, June 18 (AP)— Senator Wayne Morse (r-Ore) bitterly assailed General MacArthur in a public address here tonight.
"I do not approve of the way he was removed," the senator said, "but I certainly approve of his removal. MacArthur refused to cooperate with the administration and his removal was mandatory. All members of the joint chiefs of staff knew that and testified to it under oath."
Morse accused General MacArthur of being intentionally untruthful in his initial talk before congress.
The senator was critical of his party for what he termed a "smear" against Secretary of State Dean Acheson.
"Acheson hates communism as much and probably more than those who smear him," he said. "I think his judgement sometimes is bad and feel that he did us tremendous damage in Asia. He should resign, but not because of any pro-communist ideas."

Refuse to Bolster Controls

WASHINGTON, June 18 (AP)—The house banking committee voted tentatively tonight to knock out two future price rollbacks on live cattle planned by the Office of Price Stabilization.
Chairman Spence (d-Ky) said the committee vote was 12 to 11.
The vote came on an amendment to the defense production act. The present act, which gives the government power to control prices, wages, and rents, expires June 30.
Congress is considering an administration proposal to extend the law and give President Truman broad new powers to control the nation's economy during the defense build-up.
The amendment adopted tentatively by the house committee would limit future price rollbacks on all agriculture commodities to 90 per cent of prices on May 19, 1951.
Spence said the OPS beef order is the only commodity directly affected. OPS already has rolled back live cattle prices 10 per cent and planned two more roll backs of about four per cent each before next October.
The OPS order provided for a drop in beef prices to consumers next October. Spence said this provision would be killed under the amendment as approved tonight.
Earlier the senate banking committee voted down a proposal which would have reduced the live cattle roll-backs from a planned 19 per cent to about 12 per cent.
The action by both committees is tentative as they take up the defense production bill section by section. A final vote on the entire measure will be needed to send it to the house and senate floors.
The senate committee indicated it would turn down proposals by the administration to put more teeth into the new law.
"We haven't adopted any of the proposed amendments to strengthen the bill," Senator Robertson (d-Va), acting chairman of the committee, commented at the end of a closed session.

IT SEEMS TO ME
By Charles A. Squire

Army Plans to Free Voluntary Reserves

WASHINGTON, June 18 (AP)—The army plans to start releasing the volunteer and inactive enlisted reserves in July and hopes to complete the program by December, Army Secretary Pace announced today.
About 100,000 men who were called to active service after the start of hostilities in Korea are involved in the program, which was originally scheduled to get underway in September.
Pace emphasized that the release schedule does not apply to members of the organized reserve, the national guard, or to regular army volunteers.
The program calls for the release of a small group in July and greater numbers each month until the end of the year.
No iron-clad point system will be used to determine the order of release. The army said, however, that first consideration will be given to men in the following order of precedence:
1. World War Two veterans;
2. Men with other prior military service;
3. Those with no previous military service.
Further preference will be given to individuals with longer service on the current tour of duty. The number of dependents and the age of individuals also will be considered.
Today's announcement brings the army's program for the release of reserves into line with schedules previously announced by the other services.

Salem Phone Rate Increase Unopposed

A plan to increase Salem telephone rates drew no opposition Monday in a public hearing before Public Utilities Commissioner George Flagg.
Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co. is petitioning the PUC for permission to put 13 telephone exchange rates, including Salem's, under new rate schedules. The others affected are Albany, Medford, Prineville, Grants Pass, Echo, Madras, Cascade Locks, Gilchrist, Lowell, Ione, Mapleton and Stanfield.
Based on population increases, these exchanges would be in higher rate categories. Salem, for example, would be in the same group as Eugene-Springfield exchange, with a resulting increase in phone billings of about 25 cents a month in Salem, said Commissioner Flagg of the telephone company's plan.
This rate grouping is separate from a general rate increase sought by the telephone company and now in the courts.

Florida Sheriff Quits in Face of Crime Probe

MIAMI, Fla., June 18 (AP)—Jimmy Sullivan, the once-smiling sheriff of Dade (Miami) county, resigned his \$13,000-a-year job today in the face of a new senate crime committee inquiry.
He sent his resignation to Gov. Fuller Warren at Tallahassee, to take effect upon appointment of a successor.
Circuit Judge George E. Holt made the resignation effective immediately. The governor is empowered to appoint a new sheriff.
"Smiling Jimmy," who gained his nickname as a Miami traffic policeman before becoming sheriff, wasn't smiling when he came to his office for the last time and confronted reporters.
He broke into a tirade against the Miami newspapers which have criticized him almost constantly for alleged failure to enforce gambling laws.
A grand jury indicted him in October, 1950, for neglect of duty and Gov. Warren suspended him. The state supreme court nullified the indictment, and Warren reinstated him. The reinstatement created a furore ending with an unsuccessful move to impeach the governor.
The sheriff was a star witness at the Kefauver committee hearing here a year ago. The committee alleged that he became wealthy in office, but Sullivan declared the wealth came from real estate deals.
The senate committee is to begin another two-day public hearing here Thursday. A subpoena has been served on Sullivan's wife, now ill in a hospital. Gov. Warren is under pressure to appear as a witness, but countered with an invitation to the committee to visit him at Tallahassee.

Adm. Carney Deputy to Ike

PARIS, June 18 (AP)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower announced today—the day after the French election — appointment of U. S. Adm. Robert B. Carney as commander-in-chief of Atlantic pact forces in southern Europe.
The Carney appointment left open whether an American or a Briton will command naval forces in the Mediterranean. Adm. Carney is chief of the U. S. naval forces in the eastern Atlantic and the Mediterranean.
Two of his chief subordinates, Eisenhower announced, will be Maj. Gen. David M. Schlatter, U. S. airforce atomic expert, who will lead southern air forces, and Italian Gen. Maurizio Lazzari de Castiglioni, who will head up the southern army forces.

127 Enroll for WU Summer Term

Summer school at Willamette university drew 127 enrollees when registration opened Monday. Classes will begin today, and registration will continue for a week. The session will be eight weeks in length.

Many Pickers Needed to Unburden Heavily-Laden Valley Cherry Trees

Cherry picking was off to a start in the Salem area Monday, with growers calling for hundreds of pickers.
Meanwhile, cleanup of the strawberry harvest continued, with employment office reports indicating 300 additional boys and girls are needed in the fields this week.
Cherries have ripened in many orchards of Marion, Yamhill and Polk counties where growers are calling attention to the heavy crop which promises to make a remunerative harvest for pickers.
The supply of cherry pickers was limited Monday, but calls from growers for labor were fairly heavy. The harvest is expected to be in full swing this week and to continue three weeks. Information to prospective pickers is available at farm labor section of the Salem office of the state employment service on Ferry street.

Price Fixing Ban Due on Steel Products

WASHINGTON, June 18 (AP)—The government and the great bulk of the steel industry agreed today on a government order banning any price fixing agreements on thousands of steel products.
The federal trade commission found 90 steel producers about 85 per cent of the industry, have followed pricing practices which it said have been "oppressive to the public interest" and have tended to throttle competition. Complaints against nine other producers were dropped.

Forest Fire Spreads Near Sweet Home

SWEET HOME, June 18—Fire, started by the backfire of a donkey engine, spread through slashings and into green timber north-east of here tonight.
The fire started about 2:30 p. m. today in the Santiam Lumber company's operations in the Green mountain area and had spread over an estimated 100 acres of slashings cut and standing green timber late tonight.
Some 90 men were fighting the blaze and hoped to bring it under control by morning. The Linn County Fire Patrol association had 15 men on the fire line, the lumber company sent in the other 75.
Elsewhere in the state, low humidity readings heightened fire danger. Lowest reading was reported at Redmond—13 per cent. Other readings were: Salem 25, Eugene 28, Medford 18, Klamath Falls 15.

Call for 200 Berry, Bean Workers Issued

WOODBURN, June 18—A call for at least 200 more workers in berry and bean fields was issued here today by Larry C. Austin of the farm labor office.
Austin said 175 workers are needed urgently to help harvest raspberries, strawberries and cherries in the Woodburn area. Additional workers are needed as bean and strawberry hoers.

Wheat to Sail Soon

WASHINGTON, June 18 (AP)—The first American merchant ship carrying wheat purchased with American funds will sail for India from Philadelphia Wednesday. The John Chester Kendall will start the voyage carrying 336,000 bushels of wheat after a brief ceremony at dockside.

CLERK PLEADS GUILTY

CORVALLIS, June 18 (AP)—A plea of guilty was entered today by Russel Powers, 51, former clerk of the nearby Lincoln school district, charged with larceny of \$239 in school funds. He had pleaded innocent earlier. Sentencing was postponed.

Auctioneer to Sell Hedy's Lingerie, Wedding Rings

HOLLYWOOD, June 18 (AP)—Jewelry, household furnishings, paintings and clothing of actress Hedy Lamarr are to be offered at auction next Monday.
Auctioneer Arthur B. Goode said the items are worth about \$1,000,000, including \$200,000 in jewelry, 480 dresses, 75 pairs of shoes, several mink coats and stoles, lingerie and nightgowns.
Miss Lamarr was married last week to Ernest (Ted) Stauffer, wealthy Acapulco, Mexico, night club operator. It was her fourth marriage.
Also listed among the items for auction are four wedding rings.

BASEBALL
Western International
At Victoria 1, Salem 2.
At Tacoma 1, Tri-City 3.
At Vancouver 10, Spokane 5.
Only games scheduled.

Coast League
No games scheduled Monday.

National League
At Chicago 3, Boston 4.
At St. Louis 4, New York 3 (12 ins.)
Only games scheduled.

American League
At Boston 7, Cleveland 5.
Only game scheduled.

SAYS TRUMAN TO RUN

WASHINGTON, June 18 (AP)—Jonathan Daniels, old friend and biographer of President Truman, said after a White House visit today he believes Mr. Truman will run for re-election in 1952.



Heavily-laden cherry trees, bowed down as this one is by the weight of a good crop, will provide good picking for many a cherry-picker in the Willamette valley. The harvest started Monday and will continue about three weeks. This tree was photographed Monday in a Polk county orchard near Salem.

Animal Crackers
By WARREN GODDRICH

"Would you mind making this simple test? Just take one of these chlorophyll deodorant tablets and..."