Scout Circus Saturday To Feature 2,000 Boys

The Boy Scouth Circus, with approximately 2,000 boys from three counties participating, will be held next Saturday in Waters Ball Park starting at 7:30 p.m.

Sponsored by the Salem Lions Club, the annual Boy Scout Circus is said to be "the greatest show" in the Cascade Area Boy Scout Council.

New to the circus this year will be an appearance of girls in the show. The girls will take their parts as partners in a square dance with boys from Explorer Post 57 of Hazel Green.

Chariot races, familiar to the circus, are said by officials of the circus to be "better than ever" this year. Entries include teams from Foster troop 62, Silverton troop 52, Independence troop 27, and Monmouth troop 38. Many other troops and packs are expected to participate.

Another "new feature" of this year's circus is a demonstration of emergency service during an A-Bomb attack. A further means of keeping the fast pace of the show is to be provided when some 1,100 Cubs, the youngest Scouts, will be turned loose in the field. Each Cub will have a balloon tied to each leg and the object of the contest being, of course, to see which Cub can remain the longest with both his balloons intact.

Cubs also will present "Jungle Tales," with each pack costumed for a jungle act. Albany Pack 125 will be snake eaters, Grand Ronde Pack 44 is to be pygmies, dancers from Dallas pack 24, and an unknown "Thing" from Mill City pack 84.

Some of the outstanding constructions" at the circus will be a huge pioneer bridge erected by Aumsville Scouts, a lean-to by Woodburn troop 59, a tepee and Indian fire by Sweet Home troop 63, a big tower put up by Lacomb troop 70, rope chairs and tables by Scio troop 126, and flying model planes by Tangent troop 99.

To start the festivities for Saturday, participants in the circus will have a parade in downtown Salem at 2 p.m.

POLICY QUESTIONED

WASHINGTON, (AP)—The office of Sen. Kefauver (D-Tenn.) said Sunday he has called the attention of the Senate Armed Services Committee to complaints the Armed Forces have stopped buying fowl since market prices dropped.

Britain now produces about 40 per cent of all the food she consumes.

Salem Obituaries

McKEE

Mrs. Lillian McKee, at a local hospital May 1. Survived by daughter, Mrs. M. N. Sigovich of Pittsburgh, Pa. Announcement of services later by the Clough-Barrick Co.

FERGUSON

Archie Elwood Ferguson, at 412 W. Rural Ave., May 2. Late resident of Pequot Lakes, Minn. Survived by widow, Mrs. Genevieve Ferguson of Pequot Lakes, Minn.; four daughters, Mrs. Nanya Stirling of Salem; Mrs. Vivian Geertsen of St. Paul, Minn.; Mrs. Alice Reitzel of Burlington, Wash.; Mrs. Melvin Nelson of Pequot Lakes, Minn.; son, Kenneth H. Ferguson of Albuquerque, N.M.; sister, Miss Mattie Ferguson of Chatfield, Minn.; brother, Arnold Ferguson of Austin, Minn. Also survived by nine grand children and nine great-grandchildren. Services will be held Monday, May 5, 3 p. m. at the Virgil T. Golden Chapel with Dr. Brooks Moore officiating.

LARWOOD

Clara M. Larwood, at the residence, 1625 Center St., May 2, at the age of 85. Survived by three nieces, Florence Buckles and Mrs. Helen Matheson, both of Portland, and Mrs. Helen McKenzie of Eugene; six nephews, Homer Reynolds of Agency, Idaho; John Larwood of Salem; Donald Larwood of Fresno, Calif.; Mark Larwood of Redwood City, Calif.; Walter Larwood of Eugene, and Leonard Larwood of Oakridge. Services will be held in the W. T. Rigdon Chapel at 1:30 p. m. Monday, May 5, with Dr. Seth R. Huntington officiating. Ph. 3-3173.

WEBB

Thomas A. Webb, at a local hospital May 2. Late resident of Independence Route 1. Survived by a son, Don Webb, of Independence, two sister, Mrs. Florence Pullen of Zion, Ill.; and Mrs. Berdella Schwery of Trevor, Wis.; brother, James Webb of Winter Park, Fla.; five grandchildren, three great grandchildren. Shipment has been made to Antioch, Ill., by the Virgil T. Golden Company for services and interment.

GEIGER

Mrs. Frieda Geiger, at a local hospital May 4. Late resident of 1205 N. 17th St. Survived by four daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Giese and Mrs. Caroline Lucas, both of Salem; Mrs. Emma Strohmaier of Portland; and Mrs. Lydia Bowman of Corvallis; one son, Martin Geiger of Portland; 10 grandchildren, seven great grandchildren. Services will be held in the Virgil T. Golden Chapel at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 6, with the Rev. Rudolph Woyke officiating. Interment in Belcrest Memorial Park. Member of Bethel Baptist Church.

ROBERTS

Mrs. Leona Maud Roberts, at a local nursing home May 4. Late resident of Toledo. Survived by husband, George Roberts of Toledo; daughters, Mrs. Gladys Holt and Mrs. Nancy Arthur, both of Salem, and Mrs. Mary Nelson of Toledo; sons, George Roberts Jr., Glen, Bert and Pete, all of Toledo, Kenneth of Sweet Home, and William of Raymond, Wash.; three sisters, Mrs. Helen Beeler of Amity, Mrs. Aver Kuhn of Salem and Mrs. Ora Fisher of Newberg; two brothers, Elmer Parrish of Salem and Ellis Parrish of Dayton; 23 grandchildren, four great-grandchildren. Services will be held in the Virgil T. Golden Chapel at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 7, with the Rev. J. L. Wilson officiating. Interment Dundee Cemetery.

COBURN

In this city May 4. Vera Coburn, late resident of Salem Route 4. Announcement of services later by the W. T. Rigdon Co., Ph. 3-3173.

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Father Kills Mentally Ill Son in Maine

BELFAST, Me. (AP) – A young farm worker awaiting recommittal to a mental hospital was slain Sunday. County authorities called it a mercy killing by the victim's distraught father.

County Atty. Hillard D. Buzzell said Charles M. Collins, 67, told him he fired a point-blank shotgun blast from behind into the head of his son, 30.

Buzzell said the elder Collins added he meant to fire the other barrel into Robert's heart if the fallen man had shown signs of life. Then he telephoned the sheriff's office, saying "I've shot my son."

"The boy has never been right," Buzzell quoted Collins as saying. "When he went bad he was violent. He thought it would kill his mother and me to have him go back to the Bangor State hospital."

Buzzell, who termed it "a mercy killing," said "we will definitely get a murder warrant Monday and Collins probably will be arraigned then."

The shooting at the Collins poultry farm occurred as the victim's brother, Charles Jr., was making out forms at Belfast police station to recommit Robert to Bangor State Hospital, where he had been treated in 1942.

Sheriff Byron Heath said the slaying victim was mentally deficient.

"I feel I've done the right thing," Sheriff Heath quoted the elder Collins as saying. "He'll be better off now. I'll be able to sleep at night without thinking about him all the time."

Heath quoted the father as saying Robert "had been worried for months about the atomic bomb and was afraid we all would be killed by it. He told me 'you'll die soon.'"

"The boy probably was right," Heath said Collins added.

French Charge For Entry of U.S. Soldiers

PARIS (AP)-French port fees are costing the United States $6 for every American officer and more than $2 for every enlisted man landed in France, its partner in Western defense.

The United States had opened negotiations with France, it was learned Saturday, in an effort to cut these and other port levies that sometimes run as high as $5,000 per ship unloading soldiers and arms.

The discussions supplement talks initiated by Americans in an effort to prevent a system of French indirect taxes from taking $1 from every $5 that the U. S. taxpayer shells out for military construction work in France.

The port fees include pilot charges, whether or not a pilot is used, tug charges, wharf rental and a port maintenance toll on persons and cargoes.

The French government regards all these charges as fees for services rendered. The U. S. government maintains freighters carrying military cargoes and used by the U. S. Military Sea Transportation Service should be considered part of the U. S. Navy and exempted from at least the maintenance fee.

It is this charge which obliges the U. S. to pay France $6 a head for officers and more than $2 for GIs entering France.

The charge is also levied on every ship's cargo—whether the cargo is 155 millimeter guns or whiskey.

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Leaves School Over Negro Girl

RICHMOND, Ind.—Robert McAllester, 23, (right) of Ithaca, N. Y., has left Earlham College, Richmond, Ind., by request because the school frowned on his pending marriage to Negro co-ed Miss Grace Cunningham, 22 (left) of Berkeley, Calif. He is continuing his studies by mail and announced the wedding for June 6 in Ithaca. (AP Wirephoto to The Statesman).

Training Wing to Discuss Annual Active Duty Tour

Plans for the annual two-week tour of active duty will be discussed at the monthly meeting of the 922nd Reserve Training Wing at Portland International Airport May 10 and 11.

The summer training tour is to be held June 8 through 22, according to Lt. Col. Robert W. Sheets, commanding officer of the Wing. The May meeting will also mark the first meeting at which wing members wear the khaki summer uniform.

Persons interested in the Wing are invited to visit the base during these two days.

Order Limiting Use of Aviation Gasoline Signed

WASHINGTON (AP)- Limitations on the use of aviation gasoline by airlines and private fliers will become effective Tuesday under an order signed Sunday by Secretary of the Interior Chapman.

Cuts are being applied because strikes in the oil industry have slashed the nation's output of aviation gas by an estimated 35 per cent.

A cut of approximately 30 per cent is being made in fuel for airlines, including both domestic carriers and fordeign airlines flying from the United States.

Use of aviation gasoline for pleasure or sport by private fliers will be forbidden.

Export of aviation gasoline also will be forbidden except with permission of the Petroleum Administration for Defense (PAD).

4 MIGS DOWNED

SEOUL, (AP) - Thirty American Sabre jets shot down four Communist MIG-15s and sent seven others fleeing into Manchuria in a neardusk battle over MIG alley Sunday, the Fifth Air force said Monday.

LIFE SAVING TRY

BALTIMORE, (AP) — Ten-year-old Donnie Jeffries, who couldn't swim, jumped bravely into a 10-foot lagoon Sunday afternoon to try to save his six-year-old brother's life.

Both Donnie and little Oscar drowned.

The Gulf Stream's warming effect keeps the harbor of Oslo fjord in Norway open all winter.

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Newspaper Strike Possible In Portland

PORTLAND (AP)—The Portland Newspaper Guild Sunday authorized its executive committee to call a strike if settlement is not reached on demands for changes in editorial department contracts with the Oregonian and Oregon Journal.

The union and management have been negotiating since Feb. 15 on a new contract.

Larry Howes, president of the Portland local, said the union's original demand was for a weekly wage of $125 for experienced reporters. The union has indicated, however, that it will modify its demands to come within the framework of the present Wage Stabilization Board formula.

The union also is asking for union and job security clauses in the new contract.

The present basic wage is $98.96 a week for reporters with five years' experience.

The union represents some 200 employes on both papers, including circulation department workers at the Oregon Journal.

2000-Year-Old Painting Found

MEXICO CITY (AP)-The National Museum reported Sunday the discovery of bright fresco painting 2,000 years old near the San Jaun Teotihuacan pyramids.

It said they were found on walls buried some six feet below a barnyard within a few hundred feet of the huge Pyramid of the Sun. The colors were so fresh that even photographs of the paintings came out clearly.

Ten paintings may throw some light on the builders of the pyramids 25 miles northeast of the civilization which flourished around them is still a puzzle to archeologists.

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"THE GOOD HUMOR MAN"

Ike Opposed To Matching Russian Arms

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Gen. Eisenhower does not believe it is economically feasible to match Russia division for division, hitherto secret Senate testimony showed Sunday.

The testimony was given March 24 by Gen. Alfred M. Gruenther, Eisenhower's chief of staff at North Atlantic defense headquarters, before the Senate foreign relations committee.

Gruenther appeared in support of the foreign aid bill. His testimony and that of other witnesses heard in closed session was made public with security material deleted. The measure comes up in the Senate Monday.

"General Eisenhower's philosophy," his principal aid told the Senators, "in meeting this Russian threat is that if we try to meet the Soviets division for division and plane for plane, we are going to lose the battle from an economic viewpoint.

"He wants to have a relatively small active force and a very effective reserve force."

Field Marshal Archibald Montgomery, another of Eisenhower's aids, spends most of his time travelling over Europe working on this problem of "satisfactory land reserves," Gruenther said.

Consolidation Of Methodist Areas Urged

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—A proposal to merge the Idaho and Oregon conferences of the Methodist Church is expected to be advanced again when the conferences hold meetings in June, Methodist general conference officials said Sunday night.

The merger proposal, under discussion for years, would bring together the Idaho conference, consisting of Southern Idaho and five counties of Eastern Oregon, and the Oregon conference, made up of the other 31 counties of Oregon. Bishop Gerald Kennedy of Portland was reported to favor the plan.

Officials emphasized that no merger could be effected without an enabling act by the Western Jurisdictional Conference, meeting in Santa Barbara July 10-13.

PORTLAND, (AP)—The Lutheran Laymen's League Sunday elected Henry Dodge, Eugene, as its president. Edwin Kiekhaefer, Tillamook, was re-elected vice president, Edward Sahno, Salem, secretary and Martin Baumann, Portland, treasurer. Walter Nehring, Roseburg, was named to the executive board.

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Dead Whale Poses Problem To Frisco Area

SAN FRANCISCO, (AP)—A 20-foot-2,000-pound whale floundered ashore Sunday, died, and immediately became a problem to area residents and civic officials.

Two highway patrolmen, called to the scene, notified the Coast Guard.

"That's the local health department's problem," the Coast Guard said.

The health department said disposal of the body, lying in the bright sunshine, was up to the city engineer. But the city engineer was not available for action.

Meanwhile, the Navy had been contacted.

"Heavens, no, we don't want it," the Navy said.

The only person happy about the whale was Dr. Robert C. Miller, director of the California Academy of Sciences. It seems the mammal is a rare species—it's a Genus Mesoplodon.

Residents of the area were not impressed.

Opposition to Treaty Heard In West Reich

BONN, Germany, (AP) - Western and German leaders pushed vigorously ahead Sunday to complete the peace contract for West Germany despite a growing revolt by powerful political forces which appears to have put the agreement in serious trouble.

But despite the manifold storm signals, Western officials said experts of the Bonn government and the three occupation powers are working 16 hours a day to settle the remaining points of disagreement in the contract.

The contract when completed, will be about 5½ inches thick, with the section dealing with the security rights of Allied troops alone covering 100 full-size pages, officials said.

Chancellor Konrad Adenauer and the Western high commissioners met again Tuesday on the contract with Allied officials still publicly hopeful they can complete their work by May 20.

But many German leaders, including some members of Adenauer's own Christian Democratic Party, are saying the May 20 deadline is out and long negotiations lie ahead.

Two parties in Adenauer's three party coalition government— the Free Democrats and the German Party—have announced that they will not ratify the peace contract in its present form. They say it does not give West Germany enough sovereignty.

HIT-RUN DRIVER KILLS

PORTLAND (AP)-John Cencl, 70, a welfare pensioner, was killed when struck by a car in downtown Portland late Saturday night. Police said the driver of the car sped away after the accident.

Negro-White Congregation Merger Starts

SAN FRANCISCO, —(AP)—The first joint church service for two congregations—one previously all-Negro, the other all white—was held Sunday at the Westminster Presbyterian Church.

A Negro Minister, Dr. Hampton Hawes, delivered the sermon. Looking down at the congregation of Negroes and whites, who merged their churches last week, the doctor said:

"This is a beautiful sight. I am deeply moved."

Dr. Hawes, whose son, the Rev. Wesley Hawes, was chosen pastor of the newly-formed church, said the merger is "the launching of a moral crusade which, we hope, will eventuate in the realization of world wide brotherhood.

"You've got to make this merger stick," he said. "And with God's help you will."

For 85 years the Westminster church has served an all-white congregation. It made the offer to merge with the nearby Hope Church, which was cramped for space to serve its all-Negro membership.

Pittsburgh Boat Tragedy Kills 5

PITTSBURGH (AP) – Five persons drowned Sunday in a motor boating tragedy in the Allegheny River near the Brilliant Boat Club.

The victims included three men and two women. A third woman was rescued. She is in a Pittsburgh hospital suffering from shock.

First reports said the craft's operator lost control of the boat shortly after putting out from the club's dock. The boat righted itself and spun in circles empty. Finally it ran aground on the river bank.

Dead are Robert Jonnet, of nearby Swissvale, the boat's owner-operator; James Columbo, Thomas Sweeney, Mary Ann Brose, and Mary M. O'Malley, all of Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Sylvaia Long, 25, Pittsburgh, was the only survivor.

SEVEN PERISH IN FIRE

NEWAYGO, Mich. (AP)-All seven members of the Harry Haywood Jr., family perished early Sunday in a fire which destroyed their three-room, tar paper-covered shanty home on the edge of the Manistee National Forest.

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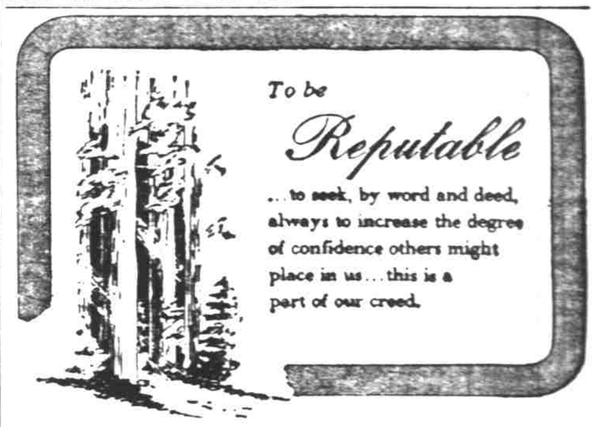
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