90% Crop Support Bill Signed; Seen As Demos' Plank

WASHINGTON (A)-Government support of cotton, wheat, corn rice, tobacco and peanut prices at 90 per cent of parity through 1954 was guaranteed Friday when President Truman signed a controversial agricultural bill.

McCloy Quits As Germany Commissioner

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Truman Friday accepted with "sincere regret" the resignation of aside the sliding scale of price John J. McClov and named career supports for the 1953 and 1954 diplomat Walter J. Donnelly to crop years. Under this system, succeed him as United States high and excepting tobacco, the govcommissioner to Germany.

was named to take Donnelly's action. place as Ambassador and high commissioner for Austria.

McCloy, former president of the International Bank, is retiring to private life after three years serwhich wind up the occupation and expected about Aug. 1.

Truman used the agreement for Delays Method Change a plea to Bonn to ratify the peace the other nations of free Europe in is most needed." safeguarding the peace and pro-

Qualifying Marks Count, Olympics

HELSINKI (AP) - For the first gives the higher price. time in Olympic Games history, events will count as Olympic recstandards.

"In other words, an athlete can break an Olympic record and still not win a gold medal," head U. S. track coach Brutus Hamilton point-

BATHS AT BARBER SHOP

oi, you go to a barber shop to get There's no hot water in hotels and only a few private residences Red China such as a blockade of have it. The minimum charge in the Chinese coast would provoke a booth at the barber shop is 75 another world war.

Daylight Time

The following cities in Oregon are on Daylight Time (with their clocks one hour ahead of Standard

McMinnville Aloha Milwaukie Molalla Newberg Beaverton Burns Oakridge Ocean Lake Carlton Oregon City Clatskanie Cascade Locks Prineville Rainier Redmond Cottage Grove Culver Riddle Estacada Seaside Sheridan Gearhart Gladstone Gresham Sherwood Springfield Hood River Sweet Home Taft Tigard Klamath Falls Lafavette Lakeview Willamina

Washington cities on Daylight Time include Seattle, Vancouver, Aberdeen, Camas, Kelso. Longview and Olympia (also most of Ta-



The new law may well repre-sent one of the Truman administration's strongest bids for farm support in the November elections. The President called it a "valuable addition to the agricultural legislation which has been so important in maintaining a strong and stable farm economy and which has contributed so marked-

For one thing, the new law sets

Llewellyn E. Thompson, likewise els down to 75 per cent of parity a career foreign service officer, if it felt the supply justified such Parity is a price for farm pro-

ducts determined by a legal formula to be fair to farmers in relation to prices of things they buy. "The principle of the sliding scale," Truman said in a statevice climaxed by the new peace ment issued when he signed the contract and other agreements bill, "is that the volume of farm production can and should be adput West Germany in the Western justed downward by dropping defense camp. The changeover is the level of support provided farmers.

"As I have stated repeatedly contract, which congress already this is neither a workable method has approved. He said that "The of adjustment nor a fair one. It Federal Republic of Germany now would provide farmers with the Fire Protection has the great opportunity to join latest protection when protection

The new law also delays for two more years the shift from the old method of computing parity to a new method insofar as corn, wheat, cotton and peanuts are concerned. It provides parity for all six of the basic crops may be determined through 1955 by whichever of the two methods

Only four crops are affected at ords if they exceed the present gives a higher price for rice and

As in the past, however, marks made in the final competition will determine the order of Chiang Doubts Start Fighting

HANOI, Indo-China (A) — If TAIPEH, Formosa (A) - President Chiang Kai-Shek of Nationalist China said Friday he does not think a positive step against

> foreig China from the Reds. Chiang said. But he added his forces need and sary assistance

> points in answers to questions submitted him by the Associated Press. He said last June 20 he wanted to give considerable thought to the questions which previously had been submitted in

> What steps could in your opinion be taken by the free world to halt Communist expansion in the Far East?

"The free world should relinquish whatever illusions they might have regarding the Com-munist regime," Chiang replied. Effective and prompt steps should be taken so that the free questing two sets of that newsworld may achieve unity of purpose and action in the Far East." Do you think positive steps such as United Nations or American, British and French blockade of Communist China would provoke war? Do you think a blockade would cause Russia to aid Red China under the terms of the Moscow-Peiping treaty?

"My answers to both these questions are in the negative,"

Chiang said. "In my view of all actions of the Kremlin will be based on the calculation that they will strengthen the position of Soviet Russia as the 'motherland of international Communism'."

Sunset Highway Crash Claims Second Victim

PORTLAND (AP) - Percy L Thayer, 51, Hillsboro, died Friday in a hospital here of injuries suffered in an automobile collision on the Sunset Highway Thursday. The collision also killed Mrs. Barbara Moody, 30, Portland, outright. She was riding in the other car involved.

Helium is widely used now to fill balloons because it will not burn and is, therefore, much safer.

In Britain the corresponding automotive term for defroster is

Polar bears living on Arctic ice floes prey on seals, fish and birds.

Be sure and watch for the judging program for the Lions Club Dog Show. Will be published in this paper.

Saturday-July 19th Sunday-July 20th Show is Sunday, July 20

Barkley on Convention Scene



CHICAGO-Waving his hat, Vice President Alben Barkley heads a delegation of Barkley-for-President sign bearers as he arrives in Chicago Friday to set up campaign headquarters for the Democratic presidential nomination. Walking with him are Mrs. Barkley (second from left, front row) and Jacob Arvey (left), local Democratic leader. To Barkley's left are Mrs. Wetherby and Gov. Lawrence Wethertims of a fire last Monday which
by. (AP Whrephote to The Statesman.)

Contract Signed

President Donald C. Roberts of Vista-Morningside Rural Fire Protection District announced Friday

Stop Pollution that a contract has been signed for fire protection with the Liberty-Salem Heights district.

Fire Chief Norval Hirons of the Liberty-Salem Heights district said the fire protection equipment this time because the new formula can be inspected at the station behind Dickson's Market at the South 12th Street Highway 99W July. junction. Telephone number of the fire district is 4-2464.

The new contract sets a rate of 3.2 mills a year. Formerly, fire protection was based on a per fire

Heavy-Footed Snookie Hard

COLUMBUS, O. (AP)-"Snookie" has lost her third baby. The one-ton hippopotamus accidentally stepped on and killed

The Nationalists do not need her 75-pound offspring. The young manpower to recover male hippo was born Sunday. "Snookie's" first baby was born dead. The second lived only 24 are entitled to claim "other neces- hours. It was believed drowned. The mother hippo came here from Chiang made these and other the Brookfield Zoo at Chicago in

> CAT GETS BIRD'S NEST -BREMNER, Canada (AP) -Nell Hodgins decided to investigate when he heard strange sounds coming from an old bird's nest. He found that a cat had taken the nest over for her three tiny

The Library of Congress has acquired a printer's copy of the Lincoln-Douglas Debates and also a letter from Abraham Lincoln to the Chicago Press and Tribune repaper's reports on the debates.



PORTLAND (AP)-The State Sanisewage treatment plants and to en naked from the waist up. have them in operation by next

Three more cities, Gresham, En-

terprise and Ontario, were told they would be added to the list Oct. 17 unless they can give compelling reasons for a delay. The eight cities told to stop pol-

lution of streams by next July were Coquille, Lebanon, Mt. Angel, Myrtle Point, Newport, Nyssa, Toledo and Vale.

penses in the next two years. That sword. is an increase of \$30,000 over the present budget.





Dan Dailey "PRIDE OF ST. LOUIS" Van Johnson WHEN IN ROME"





Eight Oregon Bare Chested Driver Shock To Policeman

SYRACUSE, N. Y. (AP) - A tary Authority ordered eight Ore- deputy sheriff stopped a car for gon cities Friday to start building speding early this warm summer Wednesday and found four womspeding early this warm summer

driver said to the embarrassed coming through on the Oklahoma A ninth city, Nehalem, was given deputy, Arthur Willis: "Well, men City channel due to freakish atuntil July, 1955, to clean up its drive bare chested, don't they?" On a report to the sheriff, Willis added this note:

"By the way, I forgot to ticket them for speeding.

DUELLING EQUIPM'T STOLEN

VANCOUVER, Canada (A)-The city museum had a visitor who may have a grudge to settle. The caretaker reported a case had been forced open and missing were a The authority voted to ask the pair of English flint-lock dueiling legislature for \$102,000 for ex- pistols, along with a Japanese



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- Technicolor Co-Feature-"FLAMING FEATHER"



"WHEN IN ROME" Van Johnson, Paul Douglas

Western Bloc Attempted at **Demo Session**

CHICAGO (AP)—Monroe Sweet-land, a member of the Oregon delegation to the Democratic convention, told reporters Friday that the Democrats from 12 Western States and two territories were atempting to organize a bloc.

This bloc might wield powerful influence in deciding the party's platform and presidential candidate at next week's convention, observers reported. Sweetland and L. L. Steward Jr.,

of Phoenix, Ariz., said the group which met Friday has scheduled another meeting Sunday which will try for an "informal coali-

"Although we are not organiz-ing to back any one candidate, that well could be an off-shoot of the meeting," Sweetland said. States and territories invited to

the conferences include: Arizona, with 12 delegates, California 68, California 68, Colorado 16, Idaho 12, Montana 12, Nevada 10, New Mexico 12, Oregon 12, Washington 22, Wyoming 10, Utah 12, Alaska 6, Hawaii 6.

Oregon's 12 delegates are pled-ged to Sen. Estes Kefauver of Tennessee. Delegates from several other states are expected to back him on the first ballot, at least.

House Fire Victims Helped by Friends

A young Salem Heights couple. Mr. and Mrs. Duane Kotteck, vicdestroyed most of their possessions. were the surprised recipients of a bounty of household gifts from friends and neighbors Friday.

More than 100 persons, includ-ing Kottek's fellow members of the Liberty-Salem Heights fire department attended the no-host dinner. Kottek is a Statesman em-

TV 'NOISE' IS SPANISH

ground noise" which Mrs. Homer Hildebrand couldn't tune out of her television set turned out to be Spanish. Her repairman informed As they donned brassieres, the her a Mexico City station was mospheric conditions.

Speedster



Bridgeman, smiled happily at his home in Los Angeles after he was informed that he had officially broke the speed and altitude record in the Navy D-558-2. He is credited with flying the rocket ship to an altitude record of 79,494 feet on Aug. 7, 1951, and a new speed record of 1,238 miles an hour on Aug. 15, 1951. (AP Wirephoto to The States-

'HIGHBALL' ENDS JAIL TERM

HONG KONG (AP) - The independent newspaper Wah Kiu Daily News reports that former Communist magistrate in Tsengshing, sentenced to three years for graft, found a way out. He drank a flea-powder-and-water highball and died in jail.

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ITU Session At Eugene Bids Salem Group

State President Dale Salminen, formerly of Astoria, will lead a contingent of five from Salem to attend the seventh annual Oregon Typograhphical Conference this week end in Eugene.

William Kimsey, state labor commissioner, will make the principal Saturday night address to the group, which is the Oregon affiliation of the International Typographical Union. Jack Whiting of the national ITU will also attend the meeting.

Salem delegates include Herbert Lange and James Sullivan, official delegates from Capital Local 210, and Joseph Boudreau and William

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