

Should Assist Gov. Johnston Murray of Oklahoma said he thought the states ought to assist in helping the farmer.

"The trouble is in our state we don't have that kind of money," he said. Benson's announcement earlier in the day of his Agriculture Department reorganization, found Southern and Western governors, meeting in separate conferences at Hot Springs, Va., and Albuquerque, N. M., split sharply on the issue.

#### **Action Opposed**

Byrnes of South Carolina, who has ing system. been supporting the Eisenhower administration, said he believes former secretary of defense, told Benson's action was "unwise."

Byrnes told reporters he had mittee "very rich" savings could written Benson urging him not to be made by the armed forces if put the plan into effect. He said they improved their accounting the idea was originally proposed practices. by Henry A. Wallace, then secretary of agriculture, and Byrnes less he knows where he stands." nel coasts, cutting road and rail opposed it at the time.

regional offices to get technical information about soil conserva-tion. erstadt, New York investment banker, testified that if the Army, Pangborn Now

#### Shivers Approves

"On the whole, I think the pro- vilian comptrollers it would have Editor of Journal gram of reorganization will be a been easier to fix responsibility good one." Shivers said.

administration's stand on the soil Vice-Chairman of WPB conservation issue, but conceded its farm policy may cause political the War Production Board in storms.

Utah's Gov. J. Bracken Lee, one 1947 Armed Services Unification of the trio, had this to say about law and headed a Defense De-Benson's action:

is right and is prepared to fight, then there is real hope for us all." Also approving the plan were forms at the Pentagon. Gov. Edwin L. Mechem of New Directing Inquiry

Mexico and Gov. C. J. Rogers of Wyoming



chine does the rest. A quart of paint is delivered in 12 seconds.

Bookkeeping



vessel. hit western Europe Monday, hurricane gusts kicked up raging waves in the North Sea with at

WASHINGTON UP - Fiscal ex- least four ships in trouble. perts testified Monday that the The 350-ton Norwegian freighter At. Hot Springs, Gov. James F. Pentagon needs a better bookkeep- Rimfrost with 13 aboard was un-

Oregon Journal Monday.

tonio, Tex.

the

been general manager of a radio

Robert A. Lovett, banker and ium, to Oslo, Norway. a Senate armed services subcom-

trouble. "No secretary can operate un- ed the French and English chan-

Lovett said, adding that he was traffic. But Gov. Allan Shivers of Texas, handicapped when he was defense also at the Hot Springs meeting, chief by lack of adequate informa- southern Italy brought new damsaid he thinks the states will gain by not having to go through U. S. tories and the like. age to Calabrian villages already hard hit by recent floods. Another witness, Ferdinand Eb-

In Pentagon

'Substandard'

Navy and Air Force had had cifor the Korean ammunition short-At Albuquerque, three Western ages which were probed by angovernors saluted the Eisenhower other Senate group last spring.

Eberstadt was vice chairman of World War II, helped write the partment study made for When a man stands up for what Hoover Commission in 1949.

He conceded that the Korean trollers in the Army and Air War had slowed down fiscal re- Force, while an assistant secreother duties in the Navy.

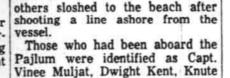
Sen. Flanders (R-Vt) is directing the current inquiry, which aims to find and correct any weaknesses in the military bookkeeping system.

In 1949 Eberstadt drafted an amendment to the Unification Act which Sen. Byrd (D-Va.) sponsored in an effort to modernize financial procedures of the millitary services.

Eberstadt said the amendment as originally written called for a civilian comptroller for the entire defense establishment and civilian



shore. They were taken to the navy dispensary, unhurt but suffering from exposure in the chill waters. Then just before Sunday noon the Deception, of Anacortes, went aground off Rocky Point. gunnery range after trying to rideout the storm. A Coast Guard helicopter took one man ashore. The seven



Grappe, Jerry Birdsay, Walt Mc-Mullin, Bill White, Jonas Thorstenson and Rudy Johnson. reported on a voyage from Belg-

Denmark reported three ships **Deed for Property** disabled - two aground and a third limping home with engine In Meier & Frank

High seas and heavy rain flood-**Block Recorded** 

Deed for the final piece of property in the proposed Meier & Frank "block" was filed Monday Twenty-four hours of rain in in the Marion County Recorder's office and revenue stamps indi-

cate a sale price of \$65,000. The sale involved the C. B. Shaw residence at 555 Center St. and made to the Portland Hotel, Inc., handling negotiations for Meier & Frank Co.

The total Meier & Frank pur-PORTLAND In - Arden X. chase is bordered by Center, Pangborn became editor of the High, Marion and Church Streets.

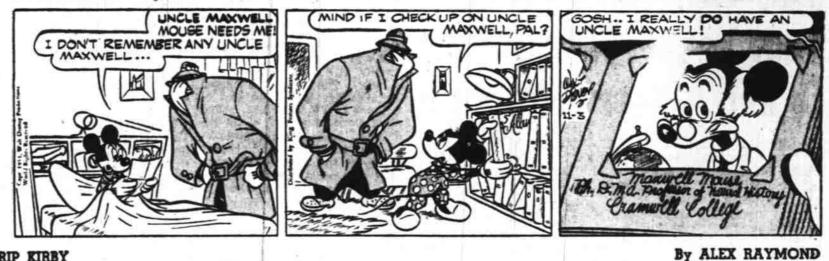
He formerly was business man-The 3rd Infantry Division ager and managing editor of The landed in Korea Nov. 12, 1950. Oregonian. In recent years he has

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