

### Sen. Neuberger Asks 'Honest Young Men Go Into Politics'

(Story also on page 1.) "Honest young men must go into politics," declared State Senator Richard L. Neuberger, if the liberty of this country is to survive. The Portland writer and Democratic leader spoke at the Junior First Citizen banquet Tuesday night when Sidney A. Boise of the Higgins Insurance Agency, was named Salem's junior first citizen for 1953.

Senator Neuberger listed three reasons why many competent persons shy away from political careers. "Most voters regard 'political ambition' as a sinister phase," he explained, "and consequently 68 per cent of all parents in the country don't want their children to enter politics."

The lack of a mature attitude toward politics is evident also, he said, and many employers will not allow workers to file for office. This opens the way for undesirable persons to attain high government positions because talented honest men won't go after them, he continued.

### Fanfani New Italy Premier

ROME (AP) — Amatore Fanfani, the youngest man ever called to Italy's premiership, Tuesday began seeking a government to end the third Italian political crisis since last June's elections.

Whether the 45-year-old Christian Democrat will succeed where older, more experienced men have failed was still problematical.

But Fanfani clearly was the Christian Democrat's choice to try to mend their party ranks, dismissed since Aug. 15, when Alcide de Gasperi's eighth consecutive government fell after two weeks of life.

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### Thompson to Keep School Budget Post

By JAMES BURR MILLER Staff Writer, The Statesman

Elton Thompson, Salem banker, was reelected to serve as a member of the budget committee for Salem School District 24CJ at the regular school board meeting Tuesday night.

Thompson was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Donald A. Young who was killed in a fishing accident in 1952 and the three year term ends this year.

March 23 was set for the board to present the 1954-55 budget to this committee. Other dates established Tuesday were March 30 and April 12 as dates for publication of the budget; April 23 the date for voting and April 27 the date for final hearing.

Other members of this committee include William L. Phillips, Coburn Grabenhorst, J. H. Willett and William Entwistle.

A resolution from the school board to the City Council, establishing the district's feeling toward existing recreation facilities, was approved at the meeting. The resolution reviews the district's stand that capital outlay, for the most part, has been handled by them and seeks a more equitable adjustment of costs.

### Survey Presented

Harry B. Johnson, assistant superintendent, presented to the board the results of a survey of present school populations and the anticipated increases with subsequent needs for additional teachers. In many instances it was obvious that entire rooms will have to be moved from one school to another in order that a balance of teachers and pupils might be maintained.

### Cost, Time Factors

The board quoted disapproval at the existing proposals for installation of a driver-instruction course into the regular high school curriculum. Board members agreed that the cost was an impeding factor as well as the lack of time. The proposed training was recommended recently by a group of Salem insurance dealers.

### Bids Called

Bids to be called for by the board include improvements for the auditorium at Leslie Junior High School (which will also serve the new South Salem High School) and installation of storage space at the school warehouse on Ferry Street.

The board elected to accept the invitation of the Hoover School P-TA to hold the regular board meeting of Feb. 9 at their school. Meetings are regularly held in the Public Administration Building.

In personnel action before the board the resignations of Mrs. Virginia Gandy and Mrs. Olga M. Roberts were accepted and the election of Mrs. Margaret Pierce was approved. Confirmation of employment in the Adult Education program was given by the board to Ralph DaMetz, Loraine Meusey, James Dimit, Harlan Morman, W. J. Grant, W. Harvey Moore, W. K. Johnson and Ray Baker.

The Centigrade thermometer has the freezing point of water as zero and the boiling point of water at 100 degrees.

### New Packard Cars to Go on View Friday

DETROIT—Packard Motor Car Company has added a new series of cars to its 1954 models, introduced in dealer showrooms Friday January 1st and launching the second phase of the company's new expansion program, James J. Nance, president, announced this week.

The new series of cars is in the Clipper line, and expand the company's coverage of the medium price field. There is a new, more powerful engine in the over 200 horsepower class for Packard cars in the luxury field, and all models have advanced styling, comfort and performance features, Nance said.

Packard's two lines of cars, Clippers and Packards, now bracket the price range from the lower medium price class to the most luxurious custom-built models. Both family sedans and sports-type cars are included in the various price classes.

Following a year marked by the re-establishment of Packard in the luxury car field, the company will move toward the pattern of auto making which once gave it dominance in the top price group, Nance declared. Buyers will be offered a wide choice of engines; power arrangements especially designed for open road, mountain, rough terrain or city traffic driving; more than 40 selections of interior trim; and 23 exterior color combinations. The luxury line of Packards will include seven models, ranging from a new deluxe hardtop, the "Pacific," a convertible coupe, two family sedans, and an eight passenger executive sedan, to the top of the line custom built Caribbean sports car and a chauffeur-driven model.

### Rasmus New Keizer School Board Clerk

Statesman News Service KEIZER—Henry Rasmus was selected as school board clerk for the Keizer district Monday night to replace John VanOsdol, who resigned, due to the press of other business.

Rasmus, who lives at 534 Wayne Dr., is a Salem accountant.

The school board also heard a delegation from the northwest section of the district asking that either (1.) road conditions to the new school be improved; (2.) their children be transferred from the new school to Keizer school or (3.) bus transportation be provided to the new school. They presented a petition containing 82 signatures.

### A. F. Ziegenhagel Dies in California While Visiting

Arthur Fred Ziegenhagel, 63, of 2410 Laurel Ave., died Monday in Lodi, Calif., where he was visiting. A retired retail hardware man, Ziegenhagel was born Dec. 24, 1890 at Lehr, N. D.

Surviving are his widow, Gertrude Ziegenhagel, Salem; two daughters, Miss Betty Lou Carroll, Monroe City, Mo.; son, Alden Ziegenhagel, Salem; father, Fred Ziegenhagel, Lehr, N. D.; brothers, Jake Ziegenhagel, Nevada City, Calif., and David Ziegenhagel, Lehr, N. D.; sisters, Mrs. Alma Dawson, Los Angeles, Mrs. Jacob Fiechtner, Lehr, N. D.; and two grandchildren.

### 3 SABREJETS CRASH DARMSTADT, GERMANY (AP)

U. S. Air Force officers flew to Germany from Britain Tuesday to investigate the crashes of three British-based P86 Sabrejets near Darmstadt which claimed the life of one pilot. The two others parachuted safely.

### McClure in 3-1 Lead for Grange Post

PORTLAND (AP) — The Oregon State Grange reported Tuesday that Elmer McClure, incumbent, had a 3 to 1 margin over the other candidate in primary balloting for the post of state grange master.

McClure, who lives in Milwaukie, polled 4,386 votes to 2,647 for Ralph Rogers of Eugene. Under grange rules the two candidates for each office in the primary must run for final election in April.

Other nominations: Overseer—Vernon Lantz, Clackamas County; William G. Howes, Jackson County. Steward—Roscoe Roberts, Jackson; Don Morris, Coos. Assistant steward—Joe Guttridge, Clackamas; Arnold Tarbell, Columbia.

Gatekeeper—Lennie Halderson, Lane; C. C. Tucker, Douglas. Ceres—Hazel Lewis, Umatilla; Priscilla Mast, Coos.

Pomona—Ruby Pope, Clatsop; Emma Huffman, Lincoln. Flora—Helen Henrickson, Washington; Myrtle Carlton, Jackson.

Nominated without opposition were Florence Tarbell, St. Helens; chaplain; Glen Adams, Salem; treasurer; and Mildred Norman, Portland, secretary.

Nominated for the three positions on the state grange executive committee were: Luke Reif, Crook County; Ray W. Gill, Portland; Bertha Beck, Corvallis; Herbert Carlton, Jackson County; William Ross, Vale; and Clarence Jackson.

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### Woodburn to Hire Chief of Fire Bureau

Statesman News Service

WOODBURN—Hiring of a full time fire chief and a contract for a new northwest district sewer line were approved Tuesday night by Woodburn City Council.

The councilmen agreed to join with Woodburn rural fire protection district in hiring by March 1 a fire chief to serve both city and the district, each to pay half the \$4,000 salary.

Applicant for the fire chief job are called to meet Feb. 13 at the Fire Hall for interviews. The city now has a part-time chief and three driver-dispatchers.

The sewer line work, including excavation, pipe and manholes, was authorized for low unit bidder, Jeske Bros. Construction and Coast Construction and Excavating Companies of Junction City. Based on city engineering estimates the total cost would be \$30,353. Eleven higher bids ranged up to \$53,190.

### FIRE CAPTAIN DIES

PORTLAND (AP) — Capt. William R. Curtis, 61, of the Portland Fire Department, collapsed at the wheel of his automobile Tuesday. The car crashed into a utility pole. Curtis was dead on arrival at a hospital. Attendants blamed a heart attack.

### Discussion of Ike's Talk Held

A panel discussion of President Eisenhower's message to Congress Jan. 7 highlighted the program of the Marion County Republican Club's meeting at the Marion Hotel Tuesday night.

Members of the panel were Bernard Mainwaring, publisher of the Capital Journal, and Jess Gard of Portland, Oregon national committeeman, and Dean Sewart Reese of Willamette University, moderator.

Members of the Marion and Polk County Chapter of the Young Republicans Club were present for the meeting.

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