Names of County Precinct Plan Reduces Committeemen Disclosed Power Costs

cinct committeemen and commit-teewomen who were elected in Brooks Route 1, and Marie Zielinski, the recent primary election were released this week by the county clerk's office. The list, with precinct numbers and party affiliations, includes:

Precinct 1-(R) George F. Todd, 1220 N. 14th St., and Alice M. Socolofsky, 1310 Market St.; 2-(R) Con-rad P. Paulson, 1694 Court St., and Nettie M. Spaulding, 1726 Court St., (D) Guy W. Jonas Jr., 1486 State St., and Ruth Edith Skinner, 1488 State St.; 3—(R) Walter M. Wood, 565 N. 22nd St., and Anna Seegar, 2130 Chemeketa St.; (D) Dorothy Res. 2115 Chemeketa St.

Precinct 4—(R) Myron C. Wood, 264 S. 14th St., and Regina Moody, 285 S. 18th St., (D) Agnes L. Wood, 260 S. 14th St.; 5—(R) Robert M. Gatke, 280 Richmond St., and Violet V. Rogers, 130 S. 24th St.: 6—(R) Wilda M. Siegmund, 1396 Lee St.: 7— R) Charles T. Kelley, 1160 Columbia t., and Leone Osterman, 1220 Conbia St., (D) Arthur Tazife, 1085

Columbia St Precinct 8—(R) Chester G. Zumwalt, 845 Hood St., and Lorena E. Chadwick, 1390 N. Winter St., (D) Annetta Johnson, 860 Shipping St.; 9—(R) Carl G. Collins, 940 Market St., and Helen McLeod, 1015 Winter St.; 10—(R) William S. Van Meter, St.; 10—(R) William S. Van Meter, St.; 10—(R) William S. Van Meter, St.; 204 Antoinette M. St.: 10—(R) William S. Vall select.

885 N. Winter St.: and Antoinette M.

Kuzmanich. 585 N. Winter St.: 11—
(R) Leroy M. McDuffee, 1133 Chemeketa St.. and Alma B. Schroeder,

515 Court St.. (D) Morris S. Ullman. 1165 Chemeketa St., and Edna M., Bishop, 1196 Chemeketa St.

Bishop, 1196 Chemeketa St.

Precinct 12 — (R) Sidney Schlesinger, 595 Leslie St., and Hallie M.
Nelson, 545 Leslië St.; 13—(R) Gerhard H. Pagenstecher, 540 E. Lafelle
St., and Marjorie T. Sherman, 1757
S. Church St., (D) Ray V. Loter, 1739
S. Winter St.; 14—(R) John R. Lang.
rell. 2390 N. 5th St.; 15—(R) Roy S.
Duitman, 830 N. Commercial St., and Mildred B. Morris, 225 Union St., (D) Roy R. Hewitt, 630 N. Commercial St., and Lena M. Hewitt, 630 N. Com-

mercial St.

Precinct 16—(R) E. A. Miller, 153

S. High St.; 17—(R) Seward P. Reese, 537 S. High St., and Edith Patton, 440 Leslie St.; 18—(R) Carlisle B. Roberts, 1443 S. Commercial St., and Roberts, 1443 S. Commercial St., and Thelma W. Astrup, 1590 S. Liberty St.; 19—(R) Edna M. Leary, 1410 D St. (D) Herbert W. Carter, 755 N. 17th St.; 20—(R) O. B. Long, 281 N. 24th St., and Maude E. Williams, 441 N. 24th St., (D) Preston W. Hale, 2495 Walker St., and Wilma B. Clark,

2495 Walker St., and Wilma B. Clark, 305 N. 24th St.
Precinct 21—(R) Edward Kruger, 1415 N. 4th St., and Mailene C. Elgin, 1475 N. Liberty St.: 22—(R) Arthur S. Benson, 815 D St., and Veva B. Poorman, 989 N. Summer St.: 23—(R) Ainsley Abbott Whitman, 935 Mill St., and Hattie J. Bratzel, 173 S. Cottage St. (D) M. Agnes Schuneman, 745 Ferry St.: 24—(R) Ervin W. Potter, 1750 Saginaw St., and Jewell C. Potter, 1750 Saginaw St., and Jewell C. Potter, 1750 Saginaw St.
Precinct 25—(R) Elton T. Lafky, 1325 N. 21st St., and Maxine R. Needham, 1299 N. 21st St. (D) Robest Q.

1325 N. 21st St., and Maxine R. Needham, 1299 N. 21st St., (D) Robert Q. McKesson, 1285 N. 21st St.; 26—(R) Nancy M. Mills, 2180 N. 4th St., (D) S. W. Horn, 2250 N. Liberty St., and Johnnie N. Horn, 2210 N. Liberty St.; 27—(R) Harry V. Collins, 590 N. 14th St., and Wills J. Ohmart, 530 (D) Mary Gladys Teeter,

Precinct 28—(R) Wilbert J. Collette, 1385 Baker St., (D) Ed Schunke Jr., 1519 N. 19th St., and Lillie G. Sexton, 1340 Sexton St.: 29—(R) James C. Hatfield, 1221 Chemeketa St., and Maxine E. Backstrandd, 333 Wyatt St., (D) Roy Lockenour, 1478 Center St.; 30—(R) Robert Ashby, 230 S. 19th St., and Florence Binger, 495 S. 20th St., and Florence Binger, 495 S. 20th St., and Mary E. Eyre, 2003 Mill St. Precinct 31—(R) Leonard A. Bowan, 121 Fir St., and Lois C. Urojohn., 964 S. Liberty St.; 32—(R) James M. Hartley, 1940 Beach Ave., and Pearl W. Talmadge, 3290 Duncan Ave., (D) Ralph J. Hughes, 3440 Duncan Ave., and Anna Kirkpatrick, 122 Abrams Ave.: 33—(R) Lewis Judson, 1000 Judson St., and Julia M. Judson, 995 McGilchrist St.; 34—(R) George A. Rhoten, 1845 S. Church St., and Marjorie Z. Hamilton, 2060 S. Cottage St.: 35—(R) George O. Raugust, 373 Bliler St., and Minnie Jenks, 2765

Bliler St., and Minnie Jenks. 2765 River R., (D) Ivan Bogart, 2315 N. River R.. (D) Ivan Bogart, 2315 N.
Liberty St
Precinct 38—(R) E. E. Owens, 680
Tryon Ave., and Louise N. Knight,
2420 Laurel Ave., (D) Frank M. Kolsky, 3010 Brooks Ave., and Euphrosina English, 2680 Cherry Ave.
Precinct 37—(R) W. G. Krueger,
1441 N. 5th St., and Inez Geer, 1395
N. Cottage St.

N. Cottage St. Precinct 38—(R) G. E. Schmitz, 765 N. Cottage St., (D) Nicholson Caspar, 640 N. Summer St., and Marguerite Berg, 750 N. Summer St., and Marguerite Berg, 750 N. Summer St.
Precinct 39—(R) Chris J. Kowitz, 1975 N. 23rd St., and Edna M. Stacey, 1839 N. 19th St.
Precinct 41—(R) Ward R. Davis, 330 Washington St., and Marion Lowry Fischer, 1780 Fairmount Ave.

Precinct 45—(R) Andrew Larsen, 2825 Hulsev St., and Cecile F. Ricketts. 2645 Pioneer Dr. Precinct 46—(R) Richard F. Cham-

bers, Acorn Lane, and Margaret L. Doerfier, 3094 Liberty Rd., (D) Cecil L. McNeil, 226 E. Salem Heights Ave., and Barbara Lovcik. 3275 Liberty Rd. Precinct 47—(R) Charles R. Shaw. 515 E. Vista Ave., and Maple Cole Beals, 2195 Berry St., (D) J. Al Head, Precinct 48—(R) Howard W. Gard-ner. 4085 Dakots Rd., and Florence A. Young Salem Route 3. (D) Thomas

Wright, 3035 Holsey St. Precinct 51-(R) Patricia A. Friess, 1120 Albert Dr. (D) Joe A. Gray. Salem Route 4, and Lillian Gray. Solem Route 4.

Precinct 52—(R) Ernest G. Clark,
Salem Poste 4. and Clarice Batteran 2880 S 12th St Precinct 54—(R) Edward I. Clark

3845 State St Precinct 55-(R) Don F. Doerfler. 264 N. Lancaster Dr., (D) Albert Brant, 4050 State St. Brant. 4050 State St.
Precinct 57—(R) B. E. Braucht.
3820 Carden Rd., and Annette I.
Lang. 3220 Carden Rd., (D) Charles
F. Brown, 2790 Market St., and May
A. Brown, 2790 Market St.

Decement 58—(R) Walter H. Mosher,
3820 Conter St., and Vacc. C. Market,

3890 Center St. and Vera C. Mosher, Precinct 80—(R) Wendell C. Bambo.
1016 Everareen Ave. (D) Goldie
Hatley 1918 Lancaster Dr.
Descinet 81—(R) Katherine Cra.
1918 President W. (D) Charles W.

Stringer mes Ficher Rd. April Athern Princes Palmateer.

April Athern Princes (R) Clark C. McCall.

Alos Machat St., and Mabel Grass

McCall, 4194 Market St.

Precinct RE—(R) Roy S. Scofield.
Salam Route 6, and Lillian M. Fromm.
4412 Silverton Rd. Precinct 70-(R) LeRoy B. Johnson.

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4105 Silve-ton Pd., and Fithel Carothers. 3975 Hoveville Dr., (D) Kenneth W. Ravne, Salem Route 2, and Della M. Bavne, Salem Poute 2.

Dracinct 70—(R) Ed. O. Stadter Jr.,

405 Chayter Pd., and Voleria Grace Wiebher 4175 Portland Rd., (D) Hotte

M Stonley assa Derk Lage Presinct 75-(R) John E. Wartin, 774 Marine Dr., and Helen Martin, 724 Maring Dr.

Drecinct 76—(R) Herman Rehfuss,
4340 Cherry Ave., and Ruth Bullson,
3490 N. Diver Rd. (D) Fort J. Rovnolds, 1205 Alder Dr.

Precinct. 77—(R) Kenneth L. Wil-

Marie 4005 Fliocheth St. (D) David McRoe 4005 Fliocheth St. and Ar-lene Swenhy, 705 Churchdole Ave. Precinct 78—(R) James C Mount, Solem Route 2, and tincy B Minturn. 139 Minturn Dr. (D) John Henry Beldwin, 615 W Bowden Lane. Precinct 79-(R) Arthur G. Trin-Gildow, 1198 Deerborn Ave.
Precinct 80—(R) Frank A. Petzel.
Salem Route 2, and Sophie H. Garner,

Names of Marion County pre- Salem Route 2, (D) Floyd R. Her- Sublimity, (D) Wilfred Ditter, Sub- rold, Salem Route 2. Brooks Route 1, (D) William H. Egan,

> Precinct 84—(R) B. J. Miller, Gervais Route 1, and Laura Ditmars, Gervais Route 1, (D) Donald Coleman, Gervais Route 1. Precinct 86—(R) Charles S. Mullen, Newberg Star Route, and Tressie Mullen, St. Paul, (D) Laurence J.

Koch, St. Paul.
Precinct 88 — (R) Henry Zorn,
Aurora Route 1, and Tarolta P.
Smith, Aurora Route 1, (D) Curtis Coleman, Aurora Route 1. Precinct 90—(R) Fred Dentel, Aurora Route 2, and Evangeline Dentel, Aurora Route 2, (D) Walter O. Lindquist, Aurora Route 2, and Irma C. Lindquist, Aurora Boute 2.
Precinct 92—(R) Ralph Yergen,

Aurora Route 1, and Dorothy B. Les. Yergen, Aurora Route 1, (D) Norman Yergen, Aurora Route 1. Precinct 94—(R) B. F. Giesy, Au-rora, and Harriet M. Ehlen, Aurora, (D) Ed Diller, Aurora Route 3, and Roberta Matthieu, Aurora.

Precinct 96—(R) George Leffler,
Hubbard Route 1, and Amanda R.
Dimick, Hubbard Route 1, (D) Columbia C. Hepler, Hubbard Route 1,

Precinct 98-(R) Forrest L. Loop, Hubbard, and Cobie DeLespinasse, Precinct 100-(R) Robert B. Miller, Woodburn Route 1, and Aletha B. Miller, Woodburn Route 1. Precinct 162—(R) C. W. Cutsforth,

and Elizabeth M. Fobert, Hubbard

Gervais, and Mame Cutsforth, Gervais, (D) Martin Seifer, Gervais, and Viola Seifer, Gervais, Precinct 104—(R) Ward Manning, Gervais, and Vera Harper, Gervais Route 1, (D) Francis Leonhart Jr., Gervais, and Izorah M. Colby, Ger-

Precinct 106—(R) Peter J. Gilles, Woodburn, and Laura Erickson, Woodburn, (D) Marlin E. Hammond, Woodburn Route 1, and Arlene E Hammond, Woodburn Route 1.
Precinct 108—(R) E. Walter Lawson, Woodburn, and Anita Lawson, Woodburn, (D) Jess Fikan, 256 E. Lincoln, Woodburn, and Emma Otjen,

575 Hardcastle, Woodburn, and Emma Otjen, 575 Hardcastle, Woodburn. Precinct 110—(R) Philip F. Bran-son, 755 Harrison, Woodburn, and Ida M. Scheidgger, 592 W. Lincoln. Woodburn, (D) Frank Covey, 488 W. Lincoln, Woodburn, and Lena Nehl, Lincoln, Woodburn, and Lens Nehl, 516 Harrison, Woodburn. Precinct 112—(R) Winton Hunt, 185 Second St., Woodburn, and Edith B. McCord, 182 S. Settlemier, Woodburn, (D) Selina Becker, Woodburn, Precinct 114—(R) Cedric Scharff, 179 Stark St., Woodburn, (D) Elmer Eugene Royse, 880 Young St., Wood-burn

Precinct 116-(R) John W. Ramage Precinct 115—(R) John W. Ramage,
Rt. 2, Woodburn, and Josephine Annen, Mt. Angel, (D) Elizabeth Norton,
RFD No. 2, Woodburn.
Precinct 148—(R) Leonard N.
Fischer, P.P. Box 133, Mt. Angel, and
Adelaide M. Keber, Mt. Angel, and Alphoneine F. Leonard Mt. Angel, and Alphoneine F. Leonard Mt. Angel, and Al-

Precinct 120—(R) Joseph A. Bernt, Rt. 1, Mt. Angel, and Mary LeDoux, Mt. Angel, (D) A. M. Vistica, Rt. 2, Woodburn, and Mary Ann Harrahill, Precinct 124-(R) Conrad Gunder.

son, Rt. 2, Silverton, and Jessie Coom-ler, Rt. 1, Brooks, (D) Wayne Stra-

30 Blossom Dr., Salem, and Dorothy N. Noren, 2630 Biossom Dr., Salem, (D) R. B. Jul Farr, 4785 Hazel Green (D) R. B. Jul Farr, 4785 Hazel Green
Rd., Salem. and Anna Brines, 4685
Hazel Green Rd., Salem.
Precinct 130—(R) Earl DeSart, Rt.,
3; Box 140, Silverton, and Lena DeSart, Rt. 3, Box 140, Silverton.
Precinct 132—(R) Robert Riches, Rt.
2; Silverton, and Alice K. Jensen, Rt.

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Precinct 134—(R) Frank E. Hubbs.
Rt. 2. Silverton.
Precinct 136—(R) Nels G. Langsev.
Rt. 1. Box 139. Silverton, and Lois
Vaughan, Rt. 1. Box 151. Silverton.
Precinct 136—(R) L. Clay Allen.
1006 Pine St., Silverton, and Leona
Dickerson, 808 Pine St., Silverton.
Precinct 140—(R) Olaf Q. Paulson.
Jr., S. Center St., Silverton, and Edna
Duncan, 310 Apple, Silverton.
(D)
Thursday and may end soon after

Precinct 142—(R) Quintin Estell, 121 Cherry, Silverton, and Donna Brown, 504 W. Main, Silverton, (D) Joseph Kemph, 212 Alder St., Silver-

Duncan, 310 Apple, Silverton, (D) Carl Rutherford, 134 Fiske St., Sil-

Precinct 144-(R) J. D. Drake, S. Water St. Silverton. Precinct 146-R) John T. Plas, Rt. Scotts Mills, and Mary J. Groshong. Scotts Mills. (D) Oliver Brougher, Rt. 1, Box 177, Scotts Mills, and Sylinda M. Schmidt. Rt. 1. Scotts Mills. Precinct 148-(R) James C. Bonner, Rt. 1. Box 282, Silverton and Edith Beugli, Start Route, Box 9, Silverton, (D) Ira P. Loron, Star Rt., Silverton,

and Norma Gordon, Rt. 1, Box 283,

Precinct 150—(R) Robert Humph-reys, Rt. 1. Box 35, Sublimity, and Leona King Krenz. Rt. 3, Box 77, Silverton. (D) Elbert G. Neal, Rt. 1, Sublimity, and Daphna B. Hunt, Rt.

Precinct 152-(R) Wilbur Miller, Rt. 5. Box 436. Salem, and Hazel Miller, Rt. 5. Box 436. Salem. (D) er president; Bernard Williams, Fred Magar, Rt. 5. Box 263. Salem. vice president of Morrison-Knudand Mildred Bateson, Rt. 5, Box 382, Precinct 154-(R) William Bliven,

Rt. 3, Box 814, Salem, and Nan Lou Thompson, Rt. 3, Box 877, Salem. (D) J. J. Johns. 2485 Crestview Drive, Salem. and Myrtle Johns, 2485 Crestview Drive, Salem.

Precinct 156—(R) Floyd E. Bates.
Rt. 4, Box 324, Salem. and Lesta C.
Bates, Rt. 4, Box 324, Salem. (D)
David C. Bloom. Rt. 4, Box 344, SaWing and other FPC engineers who

Precinct 158—(R) James W. Anderson, Rt. 1. Box 69 Jefferson, and Esther J. Hartley, Rt. 1. Jefferson. (D) Jacob W Gilmour, Jefferson, and Would produce almost as much Winifred Zehner. Rt. 1. Jefferson. Precinct 160—(R) R. Irvine Wright, Jefferson, and Gladys A. Shields, Jefferson, (D) Ivan B. Sutton, Jefferson, and Nettie Hawk, Jefferson. ferson, and Nettie Hawk, Jefferson.
Precinct 161—(R) Charles V. Johnson, Rt. 1. Box 5A. Jefferson, and
Doris R. Hampton. Jefferson, (D)
Albert S. Gurgurich, Jefferson, and
Keithel Smith. Route 1. Jefferson.
Precinct 162—(R) Harley Libby,
Rt. 2. Jefferson, and Harriet De
Langh, Rt. 1. Box 111. Marion, (D) Dewey Peterson, Rt. 1, Box 109, Mar-ion, and Laura Thomas, Rt. 1, Box

125. Marion.
Precinct 164—(R) Carl V. Booth, Precinct 164—(R) Carl V. Booth, Rt. 2, Box 80, Turner, and Mary A. Ball, Box 178. Turner. Precinct 166—(R) Henry Ahrens, Turner, and Elizabeth T. Ball, Tur-per. (D) Perry Baker. Box 263, Tur-

Precinct 168-(R) Victor E. Gibson, 260 Cunningham Lane, Salem, and Jov B. Doval, Rt. 4, Box 765, Salem, (D) John M. Turner, Rt. 3. Box 622, Salem. and Adeline C. Free, 4757 Skyline Rd., Salem.

Rt 1 Aumsville Precinct 172-(R) Elbert L. Porter, Aurosville and Cleo H. Lee, Rt. 5, committee later in the day or Fri-Aumsville and Cleo H. Lee, Rt. a. Box 147. Salem.

Practing 174—(R) Howard Gilbert Covering almost every phase of the government farm program, the government. Rt. 1. Aumsville. (D) Paul the government farm program, the committee version is based on continued. Rt. 1. Box 142. Aumsville to the government farm program, the committee version is based on continued high support prices for an applied for purping Precinct 176—(R) H. J. Rowe, Stayton, and Ruth Wood, Box 36, Stayton, (D). Flord Booze, Stayton, and Rhoda

Precinct 182-(R) Luther Stout, R Stayton, and Hattie R. Golliet, Mehama, (D) Walter A. Bevier, Mehama, and Blanche Wagner, Mehama.

Precinct 184—(R) David M. Reid,
Mill City, and Bette A. Reid, Mill

Precinct 186—(R) A. T. Barnhardt, Gates, and Elsie E. Volkel, Gates, (D) Walter M. Brisbin, Gates, and Luella Mulligan, Box 542, Gates. Precinct 188—(R) Earl Parker, Box 8, Detroit, and Rilla M. Schaffer, Box 111 Idanha (D) Frank New Idanha

411 Idanha. (D) Frank New, Idanha, and Georgia New, Idanha. and Georgia New, Idanha.

Precinct 201—(R) L. C. Taylor, 450
S. 18th St., Salem, and Charlotte J.
Taylor, 450 S. 18th St., Salem, (D)
Sheila Laue, 251 S. 17th St., Salem.
Precinct 202—(R) George E. Towe,
2420 Adams St., Salem, (D) Gloria
Vittone, 2427 Claude St., Salem.
Precinct 203—(R) Lohn H. Carbin Precinct 203—(R). John H. Carkin, 495 N. Summer St., Salem, and Mar-garet Waters, 430 N. Summer St., Salem.

Precinct 204-(R) Wm. P. Merriam Jr. 2095 N. Church St., Salem. (D) Carl E. Pyeatt, 1710 N. Fifth St. Salem, and Antoinette White, 1940 N. 5th St., Salem. Precinct 205—(R) Orville F. Ward,

3145 Widdows Lane, Salem, and Mar. jorie M. Thomas, 639 Jason St., Sa-D. St., Salem.
Precinct 206—(R) Clark C. Brown, 1240 N. 24th St., Salem. and Nancy L. Dewey. 1245 N. 24th St., Salem, L. Dewey, 1245 N. 24th St., Salem, (D) Eldon Griffin, 2795 D St., Salem, and Elva J. Morrison, 1200 N. 24th

Precinct 207-(R) George P. Haley, 1565 Roosevelt St., Salem, and Helen L. Haley, 1555 Roosevelt St., Salem, (D) Zelda C. Boring, 1860 Madison,

Steel Strike Threat Looms

PITTSBURGH (#) - A strike threat lay over the nation's steel industry Wednesday as U. S. Steel Corp. and the CIO United Steelworkers prepared for another try at working out 1954 contract terms.

The big union which represents Breakdown 600,000 employes in basic steel took the nation by surprise Tuesday when its wage policy committee In Military publicly denounced the corporation's settlement offer.

The policy makers termed the package offer-reported to be a little less than 5 cents an hourcompletely inadequate. They au-thorized union officials to "take state Veterans of Foreign Wars any action deemed necessary to convention Wednesday that a secure better terms."

chan, Rt. 2, Silverton, and Amy Beer, by as the union and company apprecinct 126—(R) Carl Aspinwall, parently mapped strategy. There Magnusson said that only 36 per were indications the bargaining cent of the men who originally teams would meet again Thursday.

Hells Canyon

WASHINGTON W - The Hells Canyon hearing, in progress since Thursday and may end soon after its first birthday.

Idaho Power Co. will begin presenting rebuttal witnesses Thurs- on military careers. day at the Federal Power Commission hearings on its applications to build three dams in the Hells Canyon reach of the Snake River a federal project also has been

R. A. Hogg, Idaho Power engilawyers complete their questioning and hospital care. of Lesher Wing, FPC regional engineer from San Francisco.

Idaho Power plans to present VFW encampmen. these four rebuttal witnesses to supplement testimony given for the company early in the hearing: Hogg: Thomas Roach, Idaho Powvice president of Morrison-Knud-sen Construction Co., and an Young' for unidentified consulting engineer.

groups advocating the federal Hells Canyon Dam, completed her five-

lem, and Letty Bloom, Rt. 4, Box 344. Sa-Wing and other FPC engineers who more economically feasible than the federal proposal because it power at half the construction cost.

Bill Rejecting Flexible Farm

WASHINGTON UB - A catch-all farm bill rejecting the administra- to grow hardier varieties. tion's call for flexible price supports was all but completed by the Wednesday.

drafting session that a completed group in 1954. measure would be introduced when Precipet 170—(R) Clarence Goffin, measure would be introduced when the Land Mary Gilbert, the House convenes Thursday, and

Atom Keactor

AP Science Reporter

ANN ARBOR, Mich. A - Iwo Atomic Energy Commission scientists announced Wednesday they had made a "preliminary design" of a new type of atomic power reactor which they believe would offer cheaper power than any other proposed reactor - and also as cheap as power from conventional methods like coal-fired systems.

They said that if the AEC should give the go - ahead signal on constructing an experimenal reactor to prove out the present conceptions, it might be possible for industry to begin building full scale reactors of the new type in "four estimate.

The proposed new power plant, said Drs. Clarke Williams and Francis T. Miles of AEC's Brookhaven, N. Y. National Laboratory, would be designed to generate electric power, "breed" new fuel for itself, and deliver by-product to lem. (D) Robert F. Shutler, 665 Cat. itself, and deliver by-product to terlin, Salem, and Ruth Lamb, 3198 waste tanks — all in continuous

It would employ uranium fuel mixed with a liquid metal - as distinguished from using a solid.

They reported their work to an international congress on nuclear engineering at the University of Precinct 208—(R) Harold D. Robertson, 2680 Skopil Ave., Salem, and Florence C. Taylor, 300 Culver Lane, ical Engineers and they gave fur-Michigan sponsored by a division ical Engineers and they gave further information in an interview.

They said preliminary experiments, including actual testing of some of the proposed components under reactor conditions, made them confident that a full - scale reactor of their design would furnish electric power at beween four and six mills per kilowat hours, compared with an average of about five mills for the United States under conventional power methods such as coal.

Morale Cited

SPOKANE (#) - Congressman breakdown in military morale was Negotiators for both sides stood making it hard for the services to

volunteered decided to reenlist dur Neither side would confirm this, ing a six month period ending Dec. 31 last year. The congressmanat-large said 1,100,000 servicemen would come up for reenlistment next year and "only about 200,000" would sign up again if the present trend continues.

The rapid turnover of military personnel not only endangers the nation's military effectiveness, but also is costly to the government, Magnusson said. He said training costs ran from \$3,200 for an infantryman to \$200,000 for a Bru

jet bomber pilot. Magnusson said the removal of "fringe benefits" for servicemen and their dependents was most irritating to men who had planned

Victor Lindberg, Aberdeen, past commander of the VFW, told the encampment the veterans adminibetween Idaho and Oregon, where billion dollars o former servicestration had paid out a toal of 83 men since World War 1. Lindberg said the total included pensions, compensations, educational and neer, will take the stand when employment benefits, insurance Some 1,500 delegates are expect-

ed to attend the 34th annual state

Evelyn Cooper, attorney for Fossil Studies

PULLMAN, Wash. (#) - A Harvard university professor told fellow scientists Wednesday that the Pacific Northwest is "all too said the three-dam plan would be young' for serious fossil studies. Dr. Alfred R. Romer said,"About the best you can hope to find is something that happened as recently as 20 million years ago." He said this can't compare with recent discoveries made in Texas of the bones of reptiles that roamed the earth some 200 million

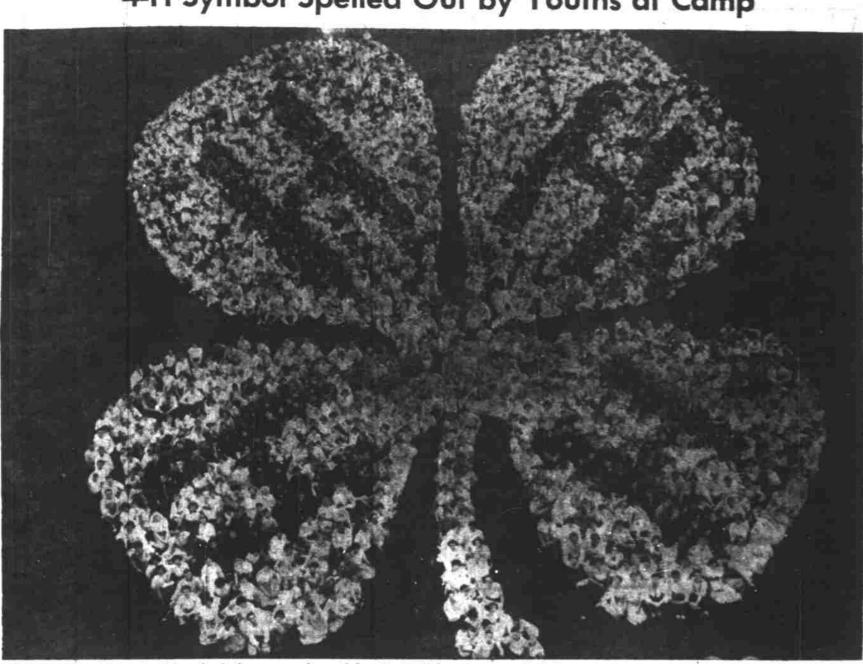
In other talks, the Pacific division of the American Association for the Advancement of Science Supports Gains heard of the use of Artay in ricultural research. D. Fred Elliot of Washington State college said the rays were used to cause mutations in plants in an effort

The 500 scientists attending the week-long conference named Rob-House Agriculture Committee ert Brode of the University of California president-elect. Edwin Chairman Hope (R-Kan) said R. Guthrie, University of Washat the conclusion of the day's bill- ington professor, will head the

The University of Washington as the site of the 1957 meeting. probably would be voted out by as the sie of he 1957 meeing.

GALVESTON, Tex. (INS) -Train travelers through the Indian country of New Mexico no longer other year. It calls for upping have to guess at the lore of the dairy price supports above levels earliest Americans. Indian guides set by Secretary of Agriculture picked for their personality and Precinct 178—(R) Harry Humphreys, 379 Washington St., Stayton, and Eva Humphreys, 379 Washington St., Stayton, (D) Christopher E. Neitling, 2nd St., Stayton, and Mary E. Neitling, Stayton, Precinct 180—(R) Wm. A. Lulay, RFD, Stayton, and Angeline Hassler,

4-H Symbol Spelled Out by Youths at Camp



CORVALLIS - This giant four-leaf clover was formed by the 1,800 to the annual 10-day school is year's highlight for Oregon members 4-H club members attending annual summer school at Oregon State Instruction covers more than 200 farm home topics along with spe College. The H's stand for "head, heart, hands and health." Trip cial recreation and entertainment. School ends June 25.

Babson Predicts Spring Building Boom To Continue, Steel, Auto Output to Fall

BABSON PARK, Mass.-While most of the columnists and business counselors last December forecast a depression for 1954, I constantly insisted that 1954 would be a "fair business year." This you will find in my forecast which then appeared in this

General Business

(1) Despite my general optimism with regard to prospects for business during the last half-year, there will be many crosscurrents. The improvement over the first six months will be no one-way street. Some industries will lag, or fall behind. Others are slated for betterment. Building has held up well, and was the backbone of business in the first half of 1954. The momentum generated should carry through the balance of the year.

(2) Also deserving of attention as in line for continued high activity, or for improvement, are the following industries: Electric power output, aircraft production, rubber manufacturing, usehold equipment electrical equipment petroleum natura gas, shoes and textiles. Even the sick coal industry will enjoy some pickup from the very depressed levels experienced during

the first six months of 1954. (3) Due to slip further down, or slated to show the least improvement, are the following industries: Machinery, machine tools, railroad equipment, metal fabricating, steel and iron, and auto parts. In particular, auto output will not match the first half, with competition keener in the last half than at any time

Sales and Inventories

(4) As in the case of general business discussed above, sales prospects will rule selective. With purchasing power holding well, demand for food products and soft goods will remain at a brisk pace. The public, however, have learned something about watching their pennies. They have become more priceconscious. For this reason, I predict that the mass distributors, such as the grocery and variety chains, will run ahead of the others saleswise, during the last half-year. (5) Retail sales in general, although about 4 per cent lower

dollarwise, have held up during the first half in terms of physical volume as discounts and other concessions reduced the actual receipts. This is encouraging since it shows that consumers are still willing to spend if the price is reasonable. In terms of units, retail sales will hold up through 1954. Inventories will constantly be reduced during 1954. The retailers who do best in 1954 will be those with the best parking facilities for their cus-

Political Outlook

(6) I forecast that the more liberal attitude on the part of the Eisenhower Administration will surely continue through November and perhaps until the 1956 elections. During the past six months rumors have been spreading to the effect that President Eisenhower will not run again; but there is no agreement at this writing by either party as to who the next candidates

(7) The President has won his conflict with Senator Bricker; the House approved his tax bill; the Taft-Hartley Labor Bill has been shelved, to the relief of all; and he has so far kept out of the McCarthy-Army row. I forecast that for the balance of the year he will leave domestic affairs to his associates and devote most of his time to helping Mr. Dulles ward off trouble with Russia and China, and avoid another "Korea."

(8) During the first six months of the year a "New Look" has developed in connection with defense expenditures. Appropriations for foot soldiers and certain classes of airplanes have been cut in favor of items for atomic warfare and guided missiles. Best authorities agree that we will get more protection and fighting strength from this change with less cost. As a promise "to get our boys out of Korea" was a great factor in electing Dwight Eisenhower as President, he naturally will hesitate to send U.S. foot soldiers into Indo-China, at least before the coming November elections.

War and Peace

(9) There will be no World War in 1954 started by Russia or the USA In the last half of 1954, however, the United States will move closer and closer to the position occupied by Great Britain during the 19th Century. The United States will prepare to engage in small wars anywhere in order to prevent outbreak

of a world conflagration. (10) I predict that the United States in the last six months of 1954 may by-pass the United Nations and try to form a "defensive" league of nations interested in Southeast Asia. The purpose: To keep the rice, tin and rubber of that area from falling into Communist hands. Most of the arms and military knowhow needed by such an alliance of anti-Communist nations in the Far East will be furnished by Uncle Sam. This means that cuts in arms expenditures, already scheduled for the last half of 1954 by the Administration, may not be put into effect. The Korean situation will remain about as is - "much talkie, no shootie"; but Indo-China will constantly become a greater

(11) Do not forget Europe and the Middle East. France is torn up internal dissension and a blow-off could come there any time. West Germany is growing more impatient with French bickering over the Saar and over the formation of a Western European army including German participation. Russia will strive mightily to widen the split between East and West Ger-

(12) Friction between the Jews and the Arabs in the Middle East is being encouraged by Communist agents. The smouldering fires there could break into flame at any time, requiring a hurry-up call for Uncle Sam's fire department.

Stock Market Outlook

(13) Of course, some day the market (especially the Dow-Jones Industrials) will get a bad wallop with very much lower prices. On the other hand, this may not come during the next few months. Up to this time the high yields of stocks have not appealed so much to investors, owing to the personal tax on both dividends and on income in general. Although stock yields compared with those of 20 years ago are higher if personal taxes are not considered, yet when these personal taxes are deducted,

today's yields have not been attractive. (14) The new tax bill and the increased buying for pension funds and investment trusts have, however, increased the demand for common stocks and could hold the market up for some months to come. I forecast that it will be very important to make careful selections of stocks. Don't buy stocks just because they have gone off heavily in price and appear cheap.

(15) Unfortunately, many small concerns will find it more and more difficult to compete with their big competitors. Not only can these big corporations make goods cheaper and have better means of distribution, but they can spend huge sums on advertising, which a smaller concern cannot do. This will be especially evident during the next six months. The companies which will prosper most are those which have inaugurated effective labor-saving programs. Manufacturers will win only as they purchase new labor-saving machinery, spend more money

on research and on well-directed advertising. (16) Automobiles will continue to be hard to sell and easier to buy during the last half of 1954. Both the automobile stocks and the cars will be in less demand. There will be more bargains in used cars, discounts on new cars, especially cars of the "independent" manufacturers.

(17) Canada will continue to boom during the second half of 1954, but this may be a good time to take profits on Canadian

Money, Inflattion, and Interest Rates

(18) When Mr. Eisenhower assumed the Presidency with his cabinet of "9 millionaires," they proclaimed a new monetary policy which would increase the value of the dollar and raise interest rates. Either fortunately or unfortunately, the economic situation caused a reversal of this policy. The value of the dollar shows no increase over January 1 and this has been hailed by Wall Street as a sign of further inflation. Wall Street has boomed certain common stocks accordingly. Interest rates during the second six months of 1954 should average about as at

(19) The fear of involvement of Indochina is strengthening the commodity markets. This takes some of the pressure off of Secretary Benson and those who have been resisting increased tariffs. I forecast an upward movement in many commodity prices-other than farm prices-during the balance of 1954.

(20) Money supplies are on the rise again now. They will continue to expand during the last half. Inflationary effects on the price level will be limited as our capacity to produce is now large. Remember, the surest way to squelch an inflationary fire is with a flood of goods. Inflationary effects of the expanded money supply could also be nullified by the change in the Government's method of collecting the corporate income tax. The new tax law may put the large corporations on a pay-as-you-go basis, squeezing their cash holdings.

(21) Any psychological inflationary flare-ups that may take place as a result of war scares, big or little, will not be longlived. They will definitely be dangerous to follow up. A word of warning: Don't get drawn into any speculative moves in commodities or stocks based on the outbreak of a small war. If the need arises, our Government will move with lightning swiftness to put controls into effect. They are already "triggered." The only real danger of any federal tax increases will come with the outbreak of another war.

Labor, Building, and Real Estate

(22) As to unemployment, I will say that this has increased some over last year, but if considered on a per-capita basis, it is even less than that of five years ago. Look for a moderate reduction in the ranks of the unemployed during the last six

(23) The improvement which I expect in employment should not, however, be sufficient to make union leaders careless. Jobs will still be very much in demand. This should mean that the last half will see no prolonged strikes.

(24) Most union-management settlements will be made with a moderate amount of give and take. Any wage advances will be limited to the neighborhood of a reasonable hourly figure, plus some additional fringe benefits. The administration and the labor leaders will not try to revamp the Taft-Hartley Bill during

the last six months of 1954. (25) My forecast as to the various classes of real estate is as (a) Large commercial farms will experience a further sag

in their land values during the last half-year as farmers' gross income dips lower. (b) Small farms on the fringes of big city suburbs should hold or rise in price as people get further away from city centers. This move could become an avalanche in the event of real-

ly serious war scares. (c) I look for vacant land in the suburbs to hold its value well. In the big cities it may be another story, unless the land is suitable for parking purposes.

(d) Business properties in the big cities may ease somewhat in price during the last six months of this year. Suburban busines properties can be expected to hold up. Demand for more shopping centers will be noticeable during the months to come. (e) Home property (especially the older houses, particularly in the cities) will continue sagging in price. In the suburbs,

the bigger houses, even of recent vintage, will be harder to sell.

CONCLUSION: I cannot end this forecast without reminding readers that we are living in a truly New Era, comparable only with the year I A.D., 1954 years ago, or the invention of printing 500 years ago. The H-Bomb, in the hands of any ambitious dictator, could bring about unparalleled conditions. These changes could make the things, about which I have written above, of little value or consequence. Only a great spiritual awakening can save us.