

Variety of July 4th Activities Planned

A variety of Fourth of July weekend activities, including rodeos, fireworks displays, pageants and carnivals, are on tap in Oregon over the coming weekend.

Group Favors New Agency Replace BPA

PORTLAND — Public power advocates Tuesday proposed a new agency to take over the Bonneville Power Administration and some added duties besides.

The Northwest Public Power Assn., representing 100 publicly owned electric systems in the Pacific Northwest, made the proposal in a hearing of the Hoover Commission water and power task force.

The new agency would succeed the Bonneville administration, and would take on the scheduling of power projects, their construction and then the distribution of the power.

Gus Norwood, executive secretary of the public power association, said in a written statement submitted to the task force that he agency was envisioned as a public corporation, financing its operations through bond issues. It would be headed by a policy making board of five men, appointed by the President with Senate consent.

Norwood said this would not be a valley authority or an interstate compact. He described it as "not unlike the relationship of a city government with the government of its state."

He said the corporation would not attempt to resolve the issue of public vs. private power. That would be left up to residents of each affected area, he said.

Norwood said tentative plans would have Congress authorize specific projects recommended by the corporation, with the corporation then going ahead with construction at will. The financing bonds would be guaranteed by the federal government, similar to bonds of the Federal Housing Administration, Norwood said.

The task force also received other proposals in the closing day of the hearing here, most of them urging federal participation in the development of the region's resources. This contrasted with Monday's hearing, when a number of witnesses opposed federal participation.

John T. Charrett, research coordinator for the Pacific Marine Fisheries Commission, urged that fisheries be kept in mind in planning of projects on the Northwest's rivers.

W. R. Armstrong, president of the Idaho Rural Electric Co-operative, Inc., urged publicly owned power. O. H. Johnson, Seattle Chamber of Commerce, argued for the partnership program of resources development. J. Kennard Cheadle, Spokane Chamber of Commerce, advocated "federal participation without federal domination."

E. R. Buehler, president of the Idaho Assn. of Soil Conservation Districts, advocated a strong federal agency to co-ordinate conservation practices, but with local directors for all agricultural affairs.

J. Frank Ward, managing director of the Washington State Power Commission, proposed that local agencies be permitted to undertake projects authorized for federal construction, if financed properly.

Stuart Moir, Western Forestry and Conservation Assn., opposed federal land ownership, contending private ownership is the "keystone to economic well-being." He advocated a change to make state water laws supreme.

Herbert G. West, executive vice president of the Inland Empire Waterways Assn., Walla Walla, praised the work of the Corps of Engineers in water resources development and placed the blame for any "lack of co-operation on lack of a unified national policy, inconsistencies in existing laws and lack of funds available to the co-operating agencies."

Final Services for M. F. Van Dusen at Stayton Thursday

Statesman News Service
STAYTON — Funeral services for Melvin F. Van Dusen, late resident of Turner, Route 1, will be held at 9:30 a.m. Thursday at the St. Boniface Catholic Church in Sublimity. He died at the family home Monday.

Van Dusen was born in Renville County, Minn., July 17, 1906. He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Frances Van Dusen, Turner; seven children, Melvin, Michael, Irene, Barbara, Jacqueline and Geraldine, all of Turner, and Thomas Van Dusen of Salem; and Mother, Mrs. Elsie Van Dusen, Salem.

The Rosary will be recited at 8 p.m. Wednesday at the Weddle Funeral Chapel. Interment will be at the Sublimity Catholic Cemetery.

UNITED FUND DROPPED
BAKER — A plan to start a United Fund here has been dropped. Only two organizations, the Community Chest and the Red Cross, said they were willing to join it.

SPEAKERS TO MEET
Members of the Capitol Toastmasters Club will meet at 6:15 Thursday at the Hollywood Lions Den. Five speakers have been scheduled.

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Salem Boy Wins in Model Car Contest

DETROIT, Mich.—Larry Ebert of (2400 Chemawa Road) Salem, Ore., has been declared the Oregon winner in the junior division of the Fisher Body Craftsmen's Guild model car competition. He received \$150.



Larry Ebert, Greene, Medina, were state and regional winners in the senior and junior divisions, respectively, for the area comprising Oregon and Washington. Each boy received \$150 and a trip to the national convention of the Craftsman's Guild in Detroit.

French See Value in Red Truce Plan

GENEVA — Foreign Minister Pham Van Dong of the Communist-led Vietnam rebel regime Tuesday gave the Geneva conference what French sources described as a "useful" spark in discussing control machinery for an Indochina armistice.

Jean Chauvel, acting head of the French delegation, said Dong's lengthy statement was worthy of study.

The conference then recessed to Friday to allow delegations to examine the Vietnam position. Vietnamese sources claimed the recess was to allow direct talks between Chauvel and Dong in a new effort to write a settlement.

Vietnamese officials who represent the pro-French Saigon regime of Bao Dai and Premier Ngo Dinh Diem appeared disheartened.

One Viet Nam official said the French are "going to split Viet Nam."

He meant he thought an accord was brewing between France and the Vietnam to give the northern part of the country to Ho Chi-Minh's rebel government.

Other Western sources said there was no evidence of a change in the Communist position on armistice supervision in Dong's speech.

They said his plan for three stages of supervision would preserve the Communist veto at every level, and they termed this an unsatisfactory duplication of control machinery which had failed in Korea.

Population in West to Soar, Adman Says

CORONADO, Calif. — A prediction that population growth in the Far Western States will be twice the national average during the next 15 years was made at the annual summer convention of the Newspapers Advertising Executives Assn. with delegates from the United States and Canada, here Tuesday.

H. C. Bernstein, Pacific manager of the American Newspaper Publishers Assn., said this estimate was based on projection of present population trends.

He reported that although the number of newspapers in the area has dropped 11 per cent in the last 15 years, advertising and circulation have continued to keep pace with population.

Senator Signs Yearbook for 4-H Youths



WASHINGTON—Meeting with Oregon's top-rated 4-H Club members, in Washington for the annual encampment of the Organization, Senator Guy Cordon presented the youngsters with copies of "Crops in Peace and War." A photographer caught the senator signing the Agriculture Department yearbook. Watching him are, left to right, Frank Maynard of McMinnville, Betty Stellmacher of Albany, Jean Eymann of Canby and John Gardner of John Day.

Church Meet Bans Oregon Rebel Faction

NEW HAVEN — A rebel Oregon group failed to win a seat at the national convention of the Congregational Christian churches Tuesday.

Paul W. Harvey Jr. of Salem, Ore., led the fight against the seating of the delegate, Mrs. Ernest Billingham of St. Helens, Ore., who was sent to the convention by the North Willamette Assn.

Harvey said that if she were seated it "would pave the way for chaos and disorder among our associations all over the country."

The convention supported him, voting 911-87 against seating Mrs. Billingham.

The North Willamette Assn. broke away from the regular Congregational group in Oregon six years ago because the regular group favored merger with the Evangelical and Reformed Church. In the North Willamette Assn. are five churches—two in Portland, and one each in Oregon City, Jennings Lodge and St. Helens.

The Rev. Harry Butmen of Los Angeles argued that any group of churches has a right to be represented under "our" uniquely congregational grounds of fellowship.

Speaking for the Oregon State Congregational Conference, Harvey said, "We are opposed to any principle by which associations could be formed on ideological grounds."

He said it was a "fundamental issue for the whole denomination—a question of whether new associations can be formed on capricious basis."

To accept that theory would mean that anti-merger "associations could be formed without any logical basis whatever," he said.

County Court Meets Today With 2 Boards

Marion County Court will meet at 10 a.m. today with the county budget committee and at 1:30 p.m. with the courthouse building commission.

The budget committee will give final consideration to a \$2,618,913 county budget which was given preliminary approval May 26. The meeting will be open to the public. The new budget will go into effect Thursday with the beginning of the new fiscal year.

At the courthouse building commission meeting, plans for landscaping the grounds around the new courthouse will be discussed. Several groups have offered assistance to the commission in developing a landscape project. The group is expected to consult with a landscape architect before deciding on final plans.

OTI Scholastic Honors Won by Valley Students

Eleven students from Salem and three from other Marion County points gained scholastic honors in the spring term, according to figures released from Oregon Technical Institute at Klamath Falls.

Delbert D. Miller, Stanley L. Sayles, Edwin K. Culbertson, Charles Ray Carrow, Deral Jones Jr., Gerald Raymond Kubin and Dennis B. Parks, all of Salem, attained 4.0 grade point averages. Others from Salem making the honor roll included: Lloyd E. Olson 3.78, Roger C. Lang, 3.75, Gerald W. Sayles 3.79, Warren Walter Osborne 3.59.

Ronald L. Hein of Turner had a 3.50 and two Gervais students, Frank G. Block and Donald Joseph Crosby, also made the list. Block had a 3.50 and Crosby a 3.75.

Haymes Case Ends, Verdict Due in Month

LOS ANGELES — Dick Haymes' deportation hearing wound up Tuesday after the crooner's counsel tried hard but unsuccessfully to establish that Rita Hayworth's movie boss figured in the government's proceedings against her husband.

It will be at least a month before any decision is reached in the case. David Marcus, Haymes' attorney, asked Herman R. Landon, Los Angeles director of immigration, if he ever discussed the Haymes case with Harry Cohn, head of Columbia Studios.

"I am positive that I never had any conversation with Harry Cohn on the Haymes case at any time," Landon replied. Marcus then asked if Landon had discussed the case with any Columbia executives. Landon denied that he had.

Haymes' counsel earlier had tried unsuccessfully to subpoena U. S. Attorney General Herbert Brownell as a witness in the case. The request came after Landon denied that Brownell ordered Haymes' arrest.

Haymes has been ordered deported to his native Argentina. He was granted a new hearing when a former immigration official stated Landon had instructed him not to warn Haymes that it might be illegal for him to re-enter this country after a trip to Hawaii. He went there to see Miss Hayworth.

Landon, called as a government witness said he would have warned Haymes had he known of the singer's intended trip.

Haymes was ordered deported after his return because he had claimed draft exemption in World War II as a citizen of a neutral nation. This waived his rights to U. S. citizenship.

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

- Sphere
- Head cook
- American Indians
- Pincerlike claw
- Fragment
- Noblemen
- Plural of "this"
- Destroy
- Boredom
- One-spot card
- Note of the scale
- Point of land
- Caverns
- Conical tent (vgr.)
- Three at cards
- Musical note
- A shade of brown
- Paradise (poss.)
- Pillar of stone (Rom. Antiq.)
- Apparition
- Goddesses of seasons
- Kind of thread
- Accumulate
- Follow
- Net fabric
- Droops DOWN

1. Finest
2. Bow
3. Coins (pl.)
4. To let
5. A drinking cup

6. Queen of heaven (Gk. Relig.)
7. Old measures of length
8. Quick
9. Exhausts the
10. Island (Phil.)
11. Negative reply
12. Performer
13. Elevator cage
14. Evening (poet.)
15. Likely

16. size of coal
17. Even (poet.)
18. A hair from the eyelid
19. Article (Fr.)
20. English river (poss.)
21. Front parts of legs
22. False

23. A
24. A
25. A
26. A
27. A
28. A
29. A
30. A
31. A
32. A
33. A
34. A
35. A

Yesterday's Answer

- Large volume
- Epochs
- Mountain
- Thessaly
- Larva of the moth
- Golf pegs

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Swim Classes At Pools to Start July 6

One of the features of the city's annual Summer Playground Program, the "Learn to Swim Campaign", will open on July 6th at the Olinger and Leslie pools and continue through July 19th. Registrations can be made by interested boys and girls on opening day—Tuesday the 6th—and the campaign is open to those from six years on upward.

The annual swim program is sponsored by the Marion County chapter of the American Red Cross and the Salem City and School Playgrounds.

In conjunction with the "Learn to Swim" program are classes to be held in junior and senior life saving. Three life saving divisions are slated—adult, beginners and intermediates.

GRASS FIRE REPORTED

A small grass fire Tuesday evening in back of the Milan C. Boniface home at 1785 Reservoir St., burned an area about 20 by 30 feet but otherwise caused no damage, city firemen reported. Cause of the blaze was not determined Tuesday night.

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Man, 68, Charged With Exhibiting Indecent Pictures

Perry Reigleman, 68, of 944 Mill St., was arrested by city police Tuesday evening on a municipal court warrant charging exhibiting indecent pictures. He was released on \$250 bail.

The complaint was signed by Keith Buck, 1392 Park Ave., who reported Reigleman had shown films to two girls ages 12 and 15, police said. Police said that in a signed statement Reigleman admitted exhibiting pictures to the two youths at his home.

Klamath Falls Area Crash Kills Pilot

KLAMATH FALLS — A pilot spreading poison bait to kill grasshoppers crashed to his death near Klamath Marsh, 40 miles north of here Tuesday.

He was Roy Stoddard, Boise, who was killed instantly in the crash in a field at 7:30 a.m.

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