

Mayor Greets Torchbearers at Council Fire



Shown with the Salem-area Camp Fire Girls Torchbearers at Saturday's Grand Council Fire at South Salem High School gymnasium is Mayor Robert White of Salem, back row, center. From the left, the girls in that row are Nancy Cornwell, Bonnie Jean Kurth, Betty Lou Burt, Jean Haworth, Zola Peterson; middle row, Shirley Marks, Susan Caspell, Kathy Doner, Betty Self, Jean Mintz, Lavon Heider, Judy Baker; front row, Ann Haworth, Jacqueline Graber, Janie Roberts, Lynne Johnson.

Silage Day Planned On Jefferson Farm

By LILLIE L. MADSEN
Farm Editor, The Statesman
While grass growth has been retarded by chilly weather in the Willamette Valley this spring, this past week has given it considerable impetus and cutting for grass silage will soon be at hand.

As a forerunner to the grass silage making, a Silage Day has

Illinois Youth Charged With Fatal Shooting

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — Richard Kluckhohn, 21, Evanston, Ill., textbook salesman charged with murder in the bizarre shooting of an Arlington, Va., government worker here, will face a preliminary hearing in city court Monday.

Miss Bernice Seawell, 43, a placement officer with the Veterans Administration, was wounded fatally Friday as she stood in the rain with her sister in a parking lot waiting for an attendant to bring her car.

Officers said she was shot with a slug from a German Luger pistol, fired from a hotel room occupied by Kluckhohn. Kluckhohn was arrested 2 1/2 hours later in Chapel Hill, 30 miles from here.

Kluckhohn has made no statement but his attorney, Howard Manning said Saturday "It was a case of an 'unloaded gun' . . . as accidental as an automobile accident." He said Kluckhohn was not aware of the shooting until his arrest. Manning said he will ask that the charges be dismissed at the hearing.

The boy's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Clyde Kay Maben Kluckhohn, both members of the Harvard faculty, arrived here Sunday and visited their son in jail. Kluckhohn's fiancée, Ellen Waldron, 21, of Chicago, also flew here Sunday and visited him in jail.

Kluckhohn is employed as a textbook salesman for an Evanston book firm.

Dr. Kluckhohn said "We are convinced that it was an accident, more than ever now that we have come here we are convinced that it was an accident."

Klamath Falls Persons Cited For Gambling

KLAMATH FALLS (AP) — Klamath County's two top law enforcement officers led a raid early Sunday at a cafe on the outskirts of Klamath Falls. Two persons were arrested and a quantity of card playing equipment was seized.

The raiding party was led by Dist. Atty. Frank Alderson, Sheriff Murray Britton and State Police Sgt. Earle Tichenor. Other police surrounded the cafe while these three entered and ordered coffee. Then they walked into a back room and found six men playing poker, they said.

Armed with a search warrant issued by Dist. Judge D. E. Van Vactor, they seized two card tables, several decks of cards and a quantity of poker chips.

Mrs. Billie Lee Langford, 31, cafe operator, and Dave Ardie Alexander, 36-year-old card dealer, were arrested on charges of "playing a gambling game." Each posted \$250 bail. They were ordered to appear in court Monday morning to answer the charges. The other five were released after making statements to police about the game.

The sheriff said \$79.50 in cash taken from Alexander will be held as evidence.

OPERATION PET DOG
BATTLE CREEK, Mich. (AP) — To give peace of mind to Johnny Green, 11, the Army exhumed the body of a mongrel dog, Johnny feared one of several dogs destroyed by the Army was his missing pet. It wasn't.

Man Starts Solo Cruise Across Ocean

HONOLULU (AP) — Florentino Das, father of eight, started alone Saturday in a 24-foot homemade sailboat on a 5,000-mile cruise to the Philippines despite U.S. Coast Guard warnings.

As a measure of confidence, Das took along a motorcycle "to tour the Philippines."

Five hundred friends saw him off. "There's nothing to worry about," Das said. "Out there I'll feel like a king."

The Lady Timarau carries 120 square feet of sail on her 16 foot mast. She also has two 25 horse power outboard motors, water, fuel and three months' food supply.

Das, 37, hopes to make the trip in 45 days by sailing south to the equator and then west.

The last man to attempt a solo trip to the Philippine from Hawaii was Ira Sparks of Peru, Ind. Sparks, a carpenter, sailed Jan. 11, 1924, and arrived May 25 but later disappeared on a trip to Singapore.

TV Appearance Nets Jail Contract

ROSEBURG (UP) — Tom J. Umphras of Roseburg, Ore., has been awarded a one-year "contract" as a result of his recent appearance on a Los Angeles television program.

Umphras appeared on a Los Angeles television program with an invention he claimed would alleviate smog. During the show he mentioned money troubles at Roseburg, and Los Angeles police were waiting for him by the end of the commercial.

Umphras was sentenced to a year in the state prison Friday by Douglas County Circuit Judge Carl Wimberly, after he pleaded guilty to passing spurious checks.

Judge Rejects Freedom Plea of Hunger-Striking Finn Twins

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Bluntly refusing to "fall prey to the idiocy of the moment," a federal judge Saturday denied freedom to the Los Angeles "Finn twins," who are on a hunger strike at the federal prison in Springfield, Mo.

Anti-Colonial Expected in Saigon Sector

SAIGON, Indochina (UP) — French troops sealed off Saigon's European sector Saturday and warned all white residents to stay indoors because of expected anti-colonial demonstrations.

French Expeditionary Corps Commander Gen. Paul Ely ordered his 40,000 battle tested troops, backed by 400 tanks and armored cars, to smash any attempt at anti-European violence.

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Two-Tone Fire Hydrants Result of Official Compromise

SUDBURY, Ont. (AP) — A two-tone paint job is in store for this city's 370 fire hydrants. The board of control wanted traditional all-red models. The fire chief wants city council compromised on red all-yellow, saying that color would be easier to spot at night. The board all-yellow, saying that color would be easier to spot at night. The fire chief wants city council compromised on red all-yellow, saying that color would be easier to spot at night.

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In change there is opportunity

"Do-it-yourself" has always been an American custom

but it's changed a lot in recent years!

There are a number of reasons behind the current trend to "do-it-yourself." Among them—

- there's been a big movement to the suburbs in recent years
- more than half of America's families now own their homes
- more of us have more free time these days
- many jobs have been made easier for the amateur

Here are a few of the results: over half our families have taken up "do-it-yourself." 11 million homes now have workshops. Sales of portable power tools have soared twentyfold in eight years. 35 million women make their own clothes.

"Do-it-yourself" gives the opportunity to improve one's living—and to feel the solid satisfaction of creating something useful or beautiful with one's own hands.

Here is another significant example of the extent to which we are doing things for ourselves. 93 million Americans are using life insurance today to provide for their own or their own. They are doing this, of course, with the help and advice of their life insurance agents.

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