

Junior Highs Approved by Wide Margin

The Weather

FORECAST (from U. S. weather bureau, McNary field, Salem): Partly cloudy today, tonight and Wednesday with considerable night and morning fog, little change in temperature, with the high tonight near 46 and the low tonight near 30. Temperature at 12:30 a. m. today was 32.

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Senate Votes to Ease Natural Gas Controls; Bill Sent to Ike

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Senate rammed the controversial natural gas bill to passage in an overtime session Monday night and sent it to President Eisenhower.

The vote was 53 to 38. And, after hours of skirmishing and maneuvering the stage was being set for a formal investigation of an issue which has been setting off sparks since last Friday.

This inquiry would seek to determine whether a Nebraska attorney tried to pressure Sen. Case (R-SD) into supporting the bill by offering \$2,500 for his reelection campaign fund.

Jason Lee To File for Congress

Seeks Demo Nod By 1st District as Representative

Jason Lee, Salem attorney, announced Monday night he will seek the Democratic party's nomination for representative from Oregon's First Congressional District.

Lee indicated he will campaign "to see that the family-sized farms of my district, and the country, share justly in the prosperity of this bountiful nation."

Alabama U. Bans Negro Girl as 'Safety Measure'

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. (AP)—The University of Alabama Board of Regents Monday night ordered its first Negro student barred from classes until further notice as a safety measure.

The order was announced as hundreds of students and others began a new demonstration against admission of a Negro co-ed.

Driver Put on Probation, Gets Funeral Bill

Lawrence Dean Pace, 29, Dayton, recently convicted on a charge of negligent homicide, was given a suspended 18-month sentence and placed on probation Monday by Marion County Circuit Judge George Duncan.

IT SEEMS TO ME

Paper-backs have given book publishing a shot in the arm and readers a fresh stock of reading matter at low cost.

This magazine underwent a complete transformation some eight years ago. For years it dealt largely with new inventions.

The initial list of this joint product includes the titles: Automatic Control, First Book of Animals, The Physics and Chemistry of Life, The New Astronomy, Atomic Power.

Strike Probe Turns Solons Into Jurists

ANNAPOLIS, Md. (AP)—The Maryland House of Delegates made history Monday night by being the first to convene itself as an extraordinary grand jury to investigate the Baltimore Transit Co. strike.

All 123 delegates will sit as a super grand jury probing the strike which started a week ago.

The 1956 House became the first according to records scanned by the attorney general's office to invoke a section of the 1867 constitution known as the "grand inquest."

Los Angeles Train Wreck Accidental

LOS ANGELES (AP)—The deaths of 30 persons in the Santa Fe train wreck Jan. 22 were accidental and no person was criminally responsible, a coroner's jury of businessmen ruled Monday.

Painter Admits Washington Duo's Slaying

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—FBI agents said Tuesday a 22-year-old North Dakota painter admitted he had killed a Washington couple found beaten and run over by a car Sunday in California.

Coroner Stanley Newman said at Bakersfield, Calif., that the couple had been hit with the blunt end of a hatchet—several times, their throats slashed and their bodies run over by their own car.

Silverton Vote Planned on Filtration Unit

SILVERTON—A proposed \$200,000 bond issue for a filtration plant will be put to a public vote in the November general election.

Judy Garland Divorce Off

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Sid Luft said Monday that he and Judy Garland are back together again.

Russ Fishermen Poachers Agree To Pay Norway

ALESUND, Norway (AP)—The captains of 16 Russian trawlers seized on charges of fishing in Norwegian waters agreed Monday night to pay 629,500 kroner (about \$88,000) in fines and confiscation claims.

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(Editor's Note: A list of 25 words is being published each school day to make up the 300-word basic list for semi-finals and finals of The Oregon Spelling Contest in which nearly 4,000 12- and 13-grade students are participating.)

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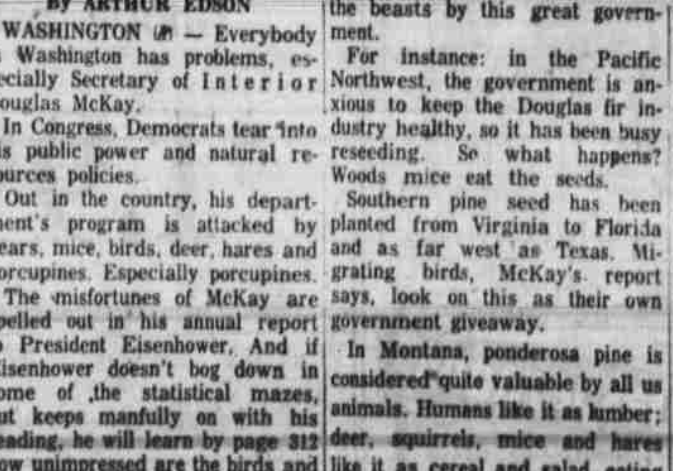
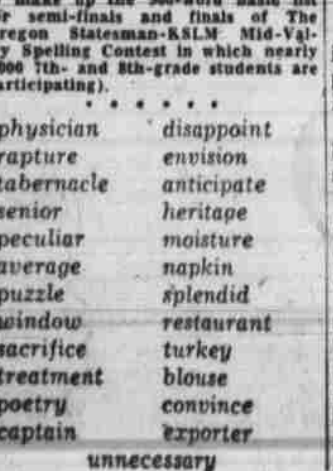
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WASHINGTON (AP)—Everybody in Washington has problems, especially Secretary of Interior Douglas McKay.



Twin Lambs Bring Reminder of Spring



Ellis Johnson, Macley area farmer, is shown above proudly inspecting twin lambs born on his farm several hours before this photo was taken Monday afternoon.

Red Scientists Tell Of Antarctic Oasis

LONDON (AP)—Moscow Radio said Tuesday a Soviet scientific party has explored a strange Antarctic oasis where the midday temperature rises to 77 degrees and there is primitive plant life.

Reich to Halt Payments for West Troops

BONN, Germany (AP)—West Germany declared Monday it is going to halt its multi-million dollar cash support of Western troops in Germany next May.

Ex-Police Chief Held On Bad Check Charge

PORTLAND (AP)—Orval Q. Mitchell, 32, a former Bremerton, Wash., policeman and ex-police chief of Sweet Home, Ore., was arrested Monday on a charge of writing a \$600 check without having sufficient funds in the bank.

The Weather

	Max.	Min.	Precp.
Salem	43	37	trace
Portland	40	31	trace
Baker	38	28	0.00
Medford	30	25	0.00
North Bend	52	37	0.00
Roseburg	43	30	0.00
San Francisco	62	43	0.00
Los Angeles	65	49	0.00
Chicago	34	29	.12
New York	45	28	1.11
Willamette River	1.5		

School Bond Vote Sets Mark

By ROBERT E. GANGWARE City Editor, The Statesman

Construction of two new junior high schools for Salem School District was approved by the citizens Monday in a record high turnout of school voters.

They voted 3,961 to 2,428 in favor of a \$2,900,000 bond issue which will finance two new junior highs in Northeast Salem and South Salem, plus an estimated \$300,000 worth of improvements at North Salem High and the present two junior highs.

It was the biggest vote cast by school district voters in at least 15 years, and probably the biggest ever.

Thirteen of the 17 school voting precincts showed a favorable vote. The negative margin totaled 102 votes in the four precincts voting against the bond issue—Grant, Garfield, Highland and Roberts.

With the passage of the bond issue measure, the district's school board plans to have final plans for the building projects ready for approval by July 1 and ready for start of construction in September.

The Northeast Salem junior high will be located on the Washington School tract. The South Salem junior high will be built on Jones Road south of Browning Avenue.

The junior highs, following a common plan, are being planned by Architect William L. Williams. Cost is estimated at \$1,200,000 each. The work at the other schools will include a new music room at North High, enlargement of classrooms at Parrish and some remodeling at Leslie.

His statement follows: "We will be facing many problems within the next few weeks. I will need to become better acquainted with the detailed operations of the executive office."

Gov. Elmo Smith said Monday there would be a "minimum of change" in his administration.

Gov. Smith, who became governor last Tuesday night after the death of Gov. Paul Patterson, also asked heads of state departments to "function in the same efficient manner that it has in the past."

Members of the staff include Fred Shideler, administrative assistant, whom Gov. Patterson appointed about a month before he died; Edwin Armstrong, private secretary; and Miss Leolyn Barnett, office secretary.

Canteries Hike Minimum Wages To Women, Minors

PORTLAND (AP)—The State Wage and Hour Commission Monday ordered an increase in minimum wages for women and minors in two branches of the canning industry.

Pr. Voted At	Yes	No
1 Highland School	174	21
2 Washington	353	142
3 Grant	183	202
4 Englewood	307	211
5 Adm. Bldg.	190	174
6 Richmond	274	277
7 Leslie	479	278
8 Morningside	535	123
9 Four Corners	197	119
10 West Salem	202	97
11 Keizer	303	131
12 Hayesville	120	46
13 North High	176	141
14 Garfield	131	146
15 Roberts	44	55
16 Liberty	170	69
17 Brush College	103	28
TOTALS	3,961	2,428

Train Rams Landslide

WEST NEWTON, Pa. (AP)—A Cleveland to Baltimore passenger train of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad slammed into a landslide near here at 1:30 (EST) Tuesday. Railroad officials said their first reports indicated no one was hurt.

A B & O spokesman said the eight-car train rounded a curve and hit the landslide with six of the eight cars partially overturning.

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