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Grief for France in Algeria

Twelve French construction workers got their throats cut by Algerian rebels Saturday. Previously a patrol of French recruits "freshly put in uniform" was imbushed and 18 were killed. Before that nearly a score of French farmers in Algeria were killed by the rebels who started their guerrilla tactics a year and a half ago, aping the methods of nationalists in Morocco.

Meanwhile in France ex-Premier Mendes-France, who has been minister without portfolio in the cabinet of Premier Guy Mollett, announced his resignation, basing it on dissatisfaction with Mollett's handling of the Algerian crisis. This may precipitate the down-fall of the Mollett government. The Premier has scheduled a debate in the national assembly for next Thursday when he will call for a vote of confidence on his policy in Algeria

Mollett has been trying to suppress the rebellion and has marshalled nearly 400,000 French troops in Algeria. While the organized bands of rebels are pretty well knocked out, small bands use hit-run tactics and leave a trail of bloodshed in the wake of their raids. Mendes-France would up the costly war in Indochina which France was losing. He made concessions to Tunisia and Morocco which gave those countries their local independence. He offers now a program for ending the trouble in Algeria by making liberal concessions to Algerian natives and instituting political and economic reforms. The situation there is complicated by the presence of a large French population, resident there for many generations, who fear oppression der Arab rule. The French have felt a peculiar attachment to Algeria, counting it part of metropolitan France, giving it representation in the national assembly. It held only protectorates over Tunisia and Morocco; but surrender of those agreements with the Bey of Tunisia and Sultan of Morocco has fired fellow Moslems in Algeria to demand their independence. Mendes-France, who alone among French leaders has been perceptive of the decay of colonialism, may be right again.

Last Monday Senator Neuberger made the nomination of Sen. Wayne Morse for reelection by the Democrats an occasion for eulogy of his colleague which was followed by similar praise from other Democrats: Douglas of Illinois, Humphrey of Minnesota, Anderson of Nave Mexico, Johnston of South Carolina and Lehman of New York. The latter declared: "I am very glad indeed that Wayne Morse will be here for the next six years, as I have no doubt of his reelection to the United States Senate." Well, the voters of Oregon will have the say on that in November. For that matter Lehman himself may not be back to welcome Morse's successor.

Remember Genevieve, the nurse who min-

Park Maintenance Levy -

Friday morning The Statesman made a brief comment expressing approval of a budg-et committee recommendation to hold the extra levy voted by the people for park maintenance and improvement to \$20,000 instead of the maximum \$35,000 authorized. This was on the assumption that a considerable portion of the total was to have been devoted to new park areas the purchase of which was denied. Park Superintendent Walter Wirth says that the full sum is needed now for catching up on deferred maintenance, purchase of needed equipment and provision for more assistance in operating the parks. He calls attention to the explanation in the brochure on finance measures. Two of the three points made emphasized need for added funds for the present park system: the old park levy of two mills would not cover proper maintenance and operation: also more supervision is needed at playgrounds. As for use of funds on new acquisitions, that would not have come for a year or two.

Certain needs are urgent, for instance, trimming of deadwood out of park trees which has become a hazard, especially to children playing in the parks. Also some \$15,000 of park funds is to be used to acquire additional land for the riverside Wallace-Albert Park which is corsing into greater use, which cuts down the sum for maintenance.

On this showing last week's decision may be reversed by the city budget committee to authorize the levy of the full \$35,000. and Supt. Wirth has convinced us of its present need. There is an increase in park use, as in the riverfront park, which calls for more maintenance, more supervision, more improvements with the equipment to do the job. If we are not to get new park areas, more use will be made of present sites and they should be properly maintained.

Sturdy old Syngman Rhee, 81, won reelection as President of Korea. His opponent died of a heart attack shortly before the election but Rhee probably would have won anyway. However, Koreans showed unrest under the stern rule of Rhee. They elected a candidate of the opposing party, Dr. John M. Chang, former ambassador in the U.S., for vice president. Chang is regarded very hopefully both in and out of Korea as one of Korea's most capable leaders. It seems fortunate for the country that a man of his caliber is on hand as vice president, in view of the age of venerable though durable Rhee.

The Senate has passed a bill to make permanent the temporary legislation which allows Army and Air Force officers to retire with the rank and pay of the temporary higher grades they may be holding. The Navy officers already have this privilege. While it looks like a gimmick to boost the retirement pay (and the rank) of the officers. the measure has merits. Officer compensation is not generous especially in the lower grades. Attractive retirement pay helps to keep men in the service and the boost helps to compensate them for their early years of low pay.

Editorial Comment

HITCHCOCK GAINED WHILE LOSING

Phil Hitchcock -- the man who lost out by a smaller margin than expected to Doug McKayhas played a heads-he-wins, tails-he-wins political game

He didn't plan it that way, we're convinced. He entered the race for senatorial nomination before there was a hint McKay would come back from his Interior job to run. Hitchcock stayed in then because he's a stubborn, independent fellow -- not because he thought he could win. But in losing, he may have won. He lost because he was unknown. But now, it's apparent from the tation. vote, at least 40 per cent of the Republican voters know him. He has established that old name recognition that is so valuable in politics. And he did without getting any blemishes on his record. We'd say that he's a red-hot possibility now for any openings. He's young and he'll still be young senatorially in 1960 or 1962. He also appears to be an odds-on favorite for appointment to any vacancy that may exist in the interim.



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ernment, however, the United States receives these only as 'recommendations' to be dealt with as its constitution provides. It will be seen from this slight sketch that the attacks made on the ILO by reactionaries in the United States, as disguised international communism, are completely unjustified."

Through its history the ILO has been influential in lifting the standards of labor in foreign countries such as to get foreign countries to reduce child labor and to improve the working conditions for seamen, measures which not only help the people affected but reduce the differential in labor costs which American industries complain of.

Just now the ILO is plagued by antagonism within the United States on two grounds. One is, the amendment presented by Sen. Bricker to hold down the contribution of this country to its support because the USSR has recentjoined ILO. This has given occasion for considerable discussion because the usual representation in ILO is divided equally



He's also a people-watcher. And anyone who watches birds and people, especially a police officer. can't help compare the two species. The Masons started bird-

studying about eight years ago when they moved into their present home. They found a community of swallows were renting part of the attic space and had also set up housekeeping over the front porch . . .

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That winter the swallows were joined by a pack of noisy sparrows. The Masons set out feeder trees and built bird baths. They soon noticed that the sparrows, too lazy to dunk themselves, would stand by

while a fat robbin flopped around in the water, providing a free spray. Sparrows, apparently are not worried about being only half-safe. As the Masons got deeper into their bird watching, they built more baths and bird houses and even bored a fine bird-type entrance into the gable of the toolhouse . . .

. . As he looks out into his backyard teeming with birds Mason often compares the sparrows with characters he meets in line of police duty. The vag who goes wherever whim or convenience takes him; the stumbler who subtly approaches the door to freedom, knowing he'll be back in the cage soon: the two characters in a fight on the street over something or someone forgotten and ignored . . .

Then there is the swallow with his neat white coat, sleek top, trim carriage and cocky manner. He's like the well-dressed young man who walks into the police with a traffic ticket in his hand. He's in to post bail in a hurry, because he has no time for court. He makes so much money he can't afford to appear. Besides, he says, he wouldn't have a chance with the judge, anyway . . .

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Their Names Remain 1,110 to Get County Title Honors Degrees From Scourge of British Oregon State

(Editor's Note: This is the first in a weekly series of articles written by Statesman staff member Thomas G, Wright Jr. recounting the history behind place names in the Mid-Willamette Valley.)

Early Oregon pioneers kept an anxious eye on England, ever fearful that they might make some move to head off the Americanization of the Oregon country.

So it was only natural that a Weems-Hory biography "Life of General Francis Marion" should place high on the best-reader list among Willamette Valley folk back around 1849 when territorial government was young. Hadn't old General Marion, the Swamp Fox, whipped the Redcoats to tatters in the Revolutionary War? That's why the territorial legislature decided on Sept. 3, 1849 to change the name of Champoeg County to Marion County. So the name of Gen. Marion who never was closer to the banks of the Willamette than the lowlands of the Carolinas was added to the map of Oregon Marion Coun-ty ... the city of Marion ... Marion Square Marion Lake

GEN. FRANCIS MARION Idol of Pioneers ... Marion Creek -T. W STREET, STREET, ST

Sea Lion New Time Flies Hero of Japan FROM STATESMAN FILES **Town Residents**

10 Years Ago May 27, 1946

John Lambert, Klamath Falls, and his sister, Mrs. Antoinette Bose, Salern, escaped with minor aquarium in Osaka, swimming 90 three-weeks visit to Red China at injuries when their plane struck miles across the bay into the in- the invitation of Peiping's Mayor a 90-foot power pole and crashed land sea, being captured in a Peng Cheng. Sudiro reported he into Willamette River a mile west of West Salem.

25 Years Ago May 27, 1931

Lifted bodily from the track by a tornado, the Great Northern crack train, Empire Builder east bound, was wrecked near Fargo, N. D., killing one person and injuring several. M. E. Sullivan of Salem was one of the passengers.

40 Years Ago May 27, 1916

A group of Salem girls are at tending the Teen Girls Conference in Eugene Among those present from Salem are Elizabeth Bayne, Edna Ackerman, Theresa Fowle, Gretchen Brown Alice McClelland and Amelia Babcock.

BOATS HOLD EXERCISES STRASBOURG, France I -River patrol hoats from the United States, Britain, Belgium and Holland are conducting a four-day exercise this weekend as part of their NATO training

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CORVALLIS - Approximately ,100 degrees will be conferred by Oregon State College at its 87th annual commencement program,

Monday, June 4. The total includes a record 68 doctor's degrees, 170 master's degrees and about 875 bachelor's legrees. One professional engineering degree also will be conferred. The commencement program will start at 10 a. m. Following OSC custom, there will be no commencement speaker but President A L. Strand will deliver his annual class message after conferring the degreet

Baccalaureate will be held Sunday June 3 at 11 a. m Dr. Henry H. Crane pastor of the Central Methodist church in Detroit Mich. will be speaker

Both programs will be held in the OSC coliseum to assure maxi-mum seating for relatives and visitors. The traditional march across campus of graduates in their caps and gowns will take place both days.

Graduates who have completed advanced ROTC training in the army air force navy and marine corps units will be commissioned as part of the commencement exercise.

Reunions are planned June 2 by the classes of 1906 and 1916, "Golden Jubilee association" graduates -those who graduated more than 50 years ago-will also hold their annual reunion that day.

matsu has a new hero -an 80pound sea lion. He arrived here INDONESIA MAYOR VISITS

JAKARTA, Indonesia In-Mayor Breaking out of his cage at an Sudiro and his wife are off on a

river here after a three-hour fight. expects to take up a similar invita-Thousands of townspeople have tion to visit Russia in the fall. Inflocked to the city zoo to see what donesia's President Sukarno is viscaused the excitement. The sea iting the United States and plans tion will be shipped back soon. to visit China and Russia this year.



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istered to besieged French soldiers and was known as the angel of Dienbienphu? She's getting married next month to a French paratrooper who served in Indochina. The lone woman at the beleaguered fort in Vietnam, she was captured when the fort surrendered but was released after 17 days.

The Grants Pass Courier makes an error when it identifies the runner-up in the Republican contest for the senatorial nomination as Alfred Hitchcock. Maybe Phil would have done better if his name had been Alfred. Then he would have cashed in on moviedom's publicity.

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-Albany Democrat-Herald

ed up" on him. He is used to that.

not have happened if they had

known that Stevenson, as Gover-

vetoed a 10 per cent increase in

assistance for the aged and in-

the campaign ends is a classical

maneuver, of course. But in this

case the maneuver seems a little

too blatant. For Kefauver ne-

was no time to bring it

television," Kefauver blandly ex-

The trick may be effective, since

there are many old people in Flor-

ida, and Kefauver's voice vibrates

with compassion when he talks of

Stevenson's heartlessness. But in

the end, a politician almost al-

ways pays a heavy penalty for

breaking the rules of the game.

There is an old rule of American

politics, moreover, that a man

up on

firm.

among labor, employer and gov ernment for each country, and the question is under debate in 1LO over how a Socialist country like Russia could divide its represen

However our labor representatives have been glad to get Russia in the forum where they could expose labor conditions, in the USSR particularly its slave labor camps. Uniformly the voting has been preponderantly for the free world as against the Communists. But some of our big employer groups like the NAM and U. S. Chamber of Commerce, are afraid of ILO-hence the Senate vote to

approve the amendment by Bricker, over the opposition of the The shortsightedness of our at-Mrs. Grant Photo administration

titude is revealed again in this

And, often, while he's watching a bouncy, tipped-back robin approaching a helpless worm. Mason's vision blurs and he seems to see a matron neatly groomed and with regal bearing stalking the desk sergeant on duty. She has a parking ticket. She didn't deserve it and its a crying shame. She pays, but only after telling the officer off and beating him down to size with her relentless beak. Finally, she grabs her receipt and flies out the door-leaving the poor, wriggling worm behind . . .

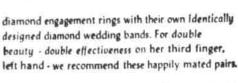
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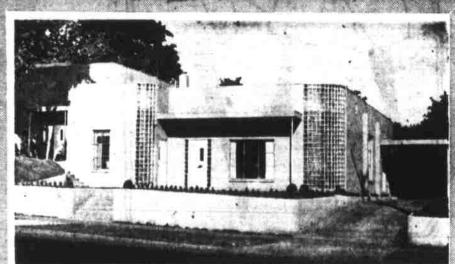
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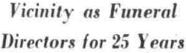
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Kefauver's Time-Worn Speeches Add Up to Appeals to All Groups of Voters

Estes Kefauver through the towns and hamlets of Florida on his

quest for this state's delegate votes, you quickly begin to under -stand his proven appeal to the vot-ers. You also be-gin to understand gin to understand why his Presiden-tial candidacy has

not a single sup-porter among his Stewart Alwood nate, and why the Democratic Party leaders are almost unanimously bitterly opposed to him.

His campaign technique is visibly effective. The famous Kefauver hand-shaking routine, for exis a remarkable performce. It is not at all the grinning, ance. It is not at all the grinning, glad-handing business you might expect. Instead, it is solemn, almost somnambulistic, and oddly hypnotic. Slowly, relentlessly, almost never smiling. Kefauver moves down the street, like some nical toy, offering his but strangely intimate handshake, and repeating his favorite phrase, "I'm Estes Kefauver. I

pe you'll help me." Kefauver, who is a great deal shrewder than he seems, is of course wholly aware that only a minuscule proportion of the elec-torate experiences the Kefauver nd - shake. His theory is, obviously, that a thousand or so hand-shakes a day are like so ny pebbles thrown into a pool, ng, in every - expanding ples, a general impression of ndliness and folksiness. Kefauver's successes at the polls atvalidity of the theory.

The same theory applies to his smpaign speech - making. The swds are rarely large. In this own, for example, as in most the crowd around Kefau-ring his speech was made

By STEWART ALSOP up largely of the bedraggled covey All this is according to the rules KISSIMEE, Fla.—If you follow of reporters, plus a straggle of thes Kefauver through the towns casual passersby. But this never moreover, who has shown courage seems to bother Kefauver a bit. and intelligence in the past, usually plays the game better than Undaunted, he launches into his most. But, as he has shown in the last few days here. Kelauver

speech, which the reporters have heard, with minor variations, is also capable of breaking the uncounted times before. Here the rules of the game, which is the contrast with the campaign techmain reason why his colleagues nique of Adlai Stevenson is parand the party leaders will have ticularly striking. none of him.

Partly, one suspects, because the notion of repeating the same thing over and over again emharrasses him, Stevenson always tries to make a new speech, or least to find a new approach. at every stopping place. Stevenson, moreover, hates to bore an audience, to the point where he sometimes seems a little like a nervous hostess trying to pep up

dull party. Kefauver doesn't in the least mind being boring. The pattern is always the same First there is some folksy local reference, often to some relative in the region-one gets the im-

pression that Kefauver has cous-ins strategically located all over his television "debate" with Ste venson, when Stevenson could the United States. Then, in his have easily answered him by slow, earnest voice, Kefauver pointing out that the Illinois Legplunges ruthlessly into a series of slature, playing a hoary political trick, had failed to provide rev cliches: "There is an important

part to be played by every segment of our economy." 'I want our working people to have good wages and good working condi-tions," and so on. When he says plained.) such things, he sounds deeply in earnest, and the small crowds listen with obvious respect.

When you add up all the cliches. they amount to a collection of carefully calculated appeals to each important voting group, from fruit farmers to postal employees. The appeals are shrewdly varied

who thirsts so fiercely for the according to time and place. There is much emphasis on Ke-fauver's Southernness, for expresidency that he will & any thing to get it, is always disappointed in the end. And Kefauample, but the central issue here ver is certainly a thirsty man. -school desegregation-is rarely (Copyright 1956, New York Herald Tribune Inc.)

case: 11.0 has been working for years to end forced labor such as exists in Russia. First it had to get the evidence, which it published in 1953 in a 620 - page report. Recently an ILO commit tee added Communist China as one requiring forced labor ILO prepared a draft convention hanning this for submission to various governments. While, as Dr. Shotwell said, our government has not acted on such conventions, because of fear of Bricker and his He has been repeating that the

partisans, the State department is leading Florida politicians, in unwilling to have its representsupporting Stevenson, have "gangative in ILO vote in favor of the convention calling on countries to he says mournfully. But it would abolish slave labor* LIFE magazine, which certainly is no organ the radicals, points out that nor of Illinois, had heartlessly although the Soviet Union has already voted for the convention the USA, on its present order at the June meeting of ILO in Geneva, will be "sulking in The quick knife-thrust just before silence, unable to discuss the most rudimentary of social advances instead of proudly leading a cause which was settled in this country nearly a hundred years glected to make his charge during ago. And all because the State

department is buffaloed by a andful of legalists and senators. LIFE asks this question: How far out of touch with American sentiments and Amerienue for the increase. "There can principles can you get"

> The New York Times has endorsed a resolution by Sen. Hum-phrey to have the United States support this convention. George Delancy, the labor representative at the ILO meeting, who has observed the battle of organized labor in this country to end Soviet exploitation of labor, declares he is at a loss to believe that the United States government would fail to give effective moral leadership to the establishment of a convention by the ILO to abolish this inhuman exploitation of work-In view of the many times ers U.S. representatives in international gatherings have denounced slave labor in Communist coun-

Has Capital Astir porter for all the dope of the new-By A. ROBERT SMITH elected committeewoman but Statesman Correspondent got little detailed aid. Undaunt-WASHINGTON - The Oregon ed, the reporter said, "Well, I'll election winner who seemed to

have to interview her myself get almost as much attention then, for we've got to have a from the press of the nation's capital as either President Eisenstory on her hower or Adlai Stevenson - and more than Sen. Wayne Morse or of the day lightning will strike Douglas McKay - was the state's at the right time to give him a new Democratic national commit jolt upward in his political cateewoman reer. But Rep. Sam Coon would That doesn't mean that Virjust as soon shuffle along by

ginia A. Grant has lots of sup-porters in Washington, D. C., for she was as much an unknown here as in many parts of the state. But the Portland waitress seemed to be a welcome change from the tiresome gallery of political faces that dot the local CETTE

Mrs. Grant, a 33-year-old brunette, was introduced to the nation's capital, where she will have to altend periodic meetings of the Democratic national committee, by means of newspaper photos wearing the prescribed costume for her job serving guests in the Aloha room of Portland's Heathman Hotel - a strapless gown and a flower in her hair

A newspaper reporter for the Washington Star called this re-

tries it certainly is a mystery why the State Department is now afraid to clinch a victory in ILO for the cause it has supported so strongly in the past. One can only hope that our government will get enough backbone to speak for and vote for this draft convention. Surely Mr. Bricker can support that, considering that slavery here was abolished by the Emancipa tion Proclamation of 1863 and by the 15th amendment. Or would he repeal both of these charters of human liberty?

Coon was flying back to Washington recently from a congressional junket to Florida arranged by the Pentagon Before their Air Force plane with a full load congressmen had reached the halfway point, black storm clouds loomed ahead. Deciding to plunge right into them, the pilot - a two star general - gave his passengers more excitement than they had bargained for. A bolt of lightning

slammed into the wing of the plane just a few feet beyond the window from which the Baker congressman was watching the storm

Most every politician dreams

his own steam, thank you, having

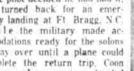
had just about all the lightning

he cares to tangle with for a-

while

ped so suddenly that the ashtrays in the arm rest shot up against the ceiling. A game of checkers was literally broken up. The passengers were saved from scalp wounds by their fastened seat belts.

The pilot decided he had had it. and turned back for an emergency landing at Ft Bragg, N.C. While the military made accomodations ready for the solons to stay over until a plane could complete the return trip, Coon and several companions decided to finish the junket by train.



The plane lurched, then drop-

Virgil T. Golden

