

Shortages of Steel Feared in Construction of New Schools

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Growing concern over rising steel prices and possible shortages of construction steel for two new Salem junior high schools was voiced Thursday night by Salem

Named



New director of Salem's 13 suburban schools is Marion Miller, named Thursday to succeed Arthur V. Myers who was elevated to assistant superintendent.

Train Hits Truck; Driver Escapes

FALLS CITY—A truck and a train collided near Fern Corner on the Dallas-Falls City highway about 3 p.m. Thursday.

Observers said the truck was carried about 30 feet by the train but that the driver was not injured. His name was not learned immediately.

Falls City firemen went to the scene of the accident to wash spilled gasoline from the road area, it was reported.

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Cinemascope

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Edmund Gwenn
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Woodburn Drive-In

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Tyronne Power
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Dana Andrews
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School Board members. The two situations, resulting from a strike of the nation's major steel producers, may cause financing woes for the board which plans to open bids on the two steel-framed buildings about Sept. 15.

Official approval of architect's plans for the two \$1,200,000 projects was given by the board Thursday night. The board had tentatively oked plans earlier calling for construction of the identical structures on sites in northeast Salem and south of the city, Judson School will be located on Jones Road in the Salem Heights-Liberty area, while Waldo School will be located on a Lansing avenue site near Washington elementary school.

Grocers of Oregon Boost State Products

Some 1,500 independent grocers throughout the state are boosting Oregon products through July as a part of the Oregon Independent Retail Grocers Association's "Oregon Products Month."

Gov. Elmo Smith officially endorsed "Oregon Products Month" after getting an outline of the campaign from Claude Hall, president of the Independent Grocers Association.

Gov. Smith issued the following statement relative to Oregon products:

"A special Oregon Products month will build increased sales of our Oregon manufactured and processed merchandise and in turn will help to increase Oregon payrolls."

Grocers participating in the campaign are boosting products of the state through advertising and merchandising support.

Stroke Kills Amity Visitor

AMITY—Marcus Westwang, 65, died Thursday at a McMinnville hospital. He had suffered a stroke the night before.

Westwang was born at Oslo, Norway, and came to this county as a young man. Westwang operated a farm at Amity and owned several saw mills in Southern Oregon. He also formerly owned a planing mill at Amity and was a resident of this community for several years. In recent years he had lived at Gold Beach.

At time he was stricken, Westwang was visiting relatives in the Amity area.

Survivors included the widow Mrs. Frances Westwang, Gold Beach; and eight children.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday at Macy & Sons Chapel in McMinnville. Interment will follow at Evergreen Cemetery in McMinnville.

Youth Injured While Diving

A 17-year-old Salem youth was treated for a head laceration early Thursday morning after he hit bottom while diving in Clear Lake about 2:15 a.m. city first aidmen reported.

Dailton Hestsey, 3110 Broadway St. was taken to Salem Memorial Hospital where his condition was described as satisfactory Thursday evening.

Also injured in the early morning swim was Larry Matthews, 20, also of 3110 Broadway St., aidmen said. Matthews received a two-inch laceration of the right knee they said.

Clear Lake is located north-west of Salem.

U.S. Agency Offers To Buy Portland Site

WASHINGTON — The General Services Administration announced Thursday it has sent to Congress a proposal to purchase the Interior Building at Portland, Ore., at an estimated cost of \$5,095,500.

The eight-story structure, located on the Lloyd tract in Portland's East Side, was completed in 1954 at a reported cost of \$4,200,000. Rental paid by the government was reported at \$400,000 annually.

Farm Suffers Loss in Blaze

Fire caused a \$4,000 loss at the Ernest Roth farm in the Central Howell district Thursday afternoon.

Destroyed in the blaze were a machine shed, a combine and tools. A hay baler was saved but was damaged by the flames. Part of the loss was reported to be covered by insurance.

Four Corners volunteer firemen answered the call about 3 a.m. The fire started in the combine while men were attempting to start the machine, reports indicated.

Three Named to United Fund Posts



SAM A. PAHL



FRANK ALBRICH



BEN LITTLE

Three additional Salem United Fund campaign leaders named by officials of the September fund raising effort are (left to right) Sam A. Pahl, Reclamation Service engineer, as solicitation chairman for non-postal federal workers; Frank Albrich, postal employee, as head of postal solicitation; Ben Little, state official, as United Fund cabinet member supervising solicitation work among all units of public employees.

Morse Sees Hells Canyon Bill Defeat As 'Tragic Blow,' McKay Praises Vote Result

Story also on page one.)
PORTLAND — Opposing candidates for Oregon senator expressed divergent views over defeat of a bill Thursday to authorize a federal high dam at Hells Canyon.

Sen. Morse (D-Ore.) called the action "a tragic blow to the nation." Doug McKay, Republican candidate who will oppose Morse in November, said it was "a great boon to the power hungry Pacific Northwest."

Salem Boat Excursion Runs Planned

Richard L. C. Panek, 1006 Norman Ave., announced Thursday he would soon start an expanded excursion boat service on the Willamette River at Salem.

He recently operated pleasure boat rides here with a boat owned by other people. Now he plans to buy an outboard cruiser that will accommodate eight or ten passengers on half-hour rides, and will be stationed at or near Wallace Marine Park, Panek said. His service also would extend to water skiers and others.

Youthful Seattle Slayer Committed To State Hospital

SEATTLE — A 12-year-old boy who molested and strangled the small daughter of a state legislator was committed to a state mental hospital.

Superior Judge Frank D. James ordered the stony-faced boy, Ray John Barker, sent to Western State Hospital at Steilacoom. The judge issued the order after a county sanity commission reported it had found young Barker to be mentally ill and dangerous.

The boy strangled Kathryn Ruoff, 4, in an abandoned garage June 16 after abusing her sexually. He was arrested the next day and confessed the slaying, but could give no motive. Thursday he said he was "sorry."

The slain girl was the daughter of State Rep. and Mrs. Richard Ruoff, Seattle.

Georgia-Pacific To Construct Two Dams Near Coast

State engineer Lewis A. Stanley gave Georgia Pacific Paper Co. permission Thursday to build two dams on the Oregon coast.

One will be a 57-foot high dam on West Olallie Creek, and the other will be 19 feet high on Olallie Creek just above its confluence with the Yaquina River.

Stanley said the Game and Fish Commissions agreed to issuance of the permits.

The permits, Stanley said, will enable the company to get water for a paper mill which it plans to build at Toledo.

EX-SHERIFF SURRENDERS

SEATTLE — Former King County Sheriff Harlan S. Callahan, 54, surrendered himself Thursday to begin a three-year prison sentence for income tax evasion.

McKay said "It was an authorization bill and authorization is merely a hunting license for appropriations. Past history in the Northwest has indicated that it takes from 7 to 10 years after authorization to get appropriations. We can't wait that long."

Gov. Elmo Smith said defeat of the bill indicated the majority of Congress "believes this is an unsound utilization of this natural resource." He added: "With this major obstacle out of the way people of Oregon should be able to expect that we will proceed with the present program of the Federal Power Commission and that power will be available from the Brownlee Dam (now under construction by the Idaho Power Co.) within two years."

State Sen. Monroe Sweetland, former Democratic National Committeeman, said the vote "is a temporary victory" for Gov. Smith, McKay and the others in the conspiracy to give away our great Hells Canyon resource to the Idaho Power Co."

Sen. Neuberger (D-Ore.), a sponsor of the bill with Morse, said "future generations in our region, and in our nation, have lost forever a priceless natural resource."

Fire Damages 12 Buildings In Astoria

ASTORIA, Ore. — Twelve buildings were damaged as high winds whipped sparks over a wide area of the coastal town Thursday. The fire started in three old, unoccupied buildings on West Street in West Astoria. Two of these buildings were destroyed and the other was badly damaged.

Sparks from this fire were carried as far away as a block and a half and fire broke out on the roofs of nine homes. Damage from the roof fires was not extensive and furniture was carried from only one of the houses.

Cause of the blaze was not determined immediately.

Equipment from Seaside, Warrenton, Hammond, Knappa, the Coast Guard, Tongue Point Naval Station, and the Jeffers Garden and Lewis and Clark Rural fire districts helped fight the blaze.

COMPENSATION RULED OK FOR PORTLAND

PORTLAND — The chief appeals referee of the State Unemployment Compensation Commission ruled Thursday that striking employees of the Fir Tex Insulating Co. and Western Board Co., St. Helens, are entitled to unemployment compensation.

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"A DAY OF FURY": 2:47, 5:55, 9:03
NORTH SALEM DRIVE IN
(Gates Open 6:45 Show at Dusk)
"TO HELL AND BACK": Audie Murphy
"TARANTULA": John Agar
HOLLYWOOD
"ANYTHING GOES": 7:00, 10:20
"SKABENGA": 9:15

Four Injured In Accident

Four members of a Salem family were taken to Salem General Hospital about 4 p.m. Thursday following a two-car collision at 16th and Waller Streets, city police reported.

Officers said Mrs. Earl Irwin Jr., 755 Vista Ave., received head and face lacerations plus bruises on her right arm and right leg. She remained at the hospital overnight.

Jimmie Irwin, 3, received contusions and abrasions, Christina Irwin, 1, abrasions, cuts and bruises and Joyce Irwin, 15, abrasions and bruises, police reports showed. The three were released soon after arrival at the hospital.

Drivers of the two vehicles were listed by police as Joseph L. Irwin, 755 Vista Ave., and George E. Branton, 2217 Lee St. Both vehicles received extensive damage, reports indicated.

Former Salem Child, 7, Dies

Kathy Marie Alt, seven-year-old daughter of Raymond and Elsie Alt, former Salem residents, died Thursday at a hospital in Anacortes, Wash.

The Alt family moved to Anacortes about a year ago from Salem.

Kathy was born Nov. 21, 1948, in Portland.

Announcement of services will be made later by the Howell-Edwards funeral home.

BOARD TO MEET

PORTLAND — The State Board of Higher Education is scheduled to meet here Tuesday. Meetings of the building and finance committees are to be held Monday.

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Rain Reported In Region as Heat Relaxes

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Temperatures began to drop and humidity started to rise throughout Marion and Polk counties late Wednesday afternoon as the current heat wave appeared to break.

Rain started to fall at Detroit Dam about 8:15 p.m. following a short shower about 4 p.m. Some lightning was reported during the evening. Humidity at 8 p.m. was reported to be 70 per cent.

At Valsec an unofficial high of 92 degrees was recorded Thursday and the humidity, which stayed below 30 per cent in dry areas throughout Wednesday night, began to climb above that danger mark about 2 p.m. Thursday.

A small thunder storm passed over McNary Field weather station early Thursday evening but no rainfall was reported.

At Dallas, where the temperature rose to 106 around noon, the Polk-Benton office of the state forestry department said the mercury was down to 92 degrees about 4 p.m. Grand Ronde reported a reading of 84 at 4 p.m.

Humidity rose above 30 per cent in the Polk-Benton area in the late afternoon, the forestry department said, and loggers hope to get in a full day's operation today.

South Burns forest station, near Silver Creek Falls, said humidity had jumped above 30 per cent following a maximum temperature Thursday afternoon of about 97.

Fire Danger Down
Fire danger is expected to decrease today, forestry officials have indicated, due to clouds and a flow of cooler air from the coast.

Governor Elmo Smith Thursday warned that all persons using the Oregon forests should exercise the utmost caution to prevent forest fires. He particularly urged vacationists to be careful in the forests.

Four Corners volunteer firemen answered two calls Thursday. Fire destroyed a combine, a machine shed and tools at the Ernest Roth farm in the Central Howell area about 3 p.m. A grass fire on South 45th Street was put out about 11 a.m. with no property damage reported.

Salem's water situation remained good Thursday and no shortage is expected.

Use of Water Restricted At Silverton

SILVERTON—Residents of eight Silverton streets were requested Thursday to use water on a restricted basis during the current hot weather.

Water Superintendent Lewis Yates said the houses on the eight streets receive their water from a high elevation pump near the Abiqua River and that the pump cannot supply enough water during a prolonged dry spell.

Streets affected are Steelhammer Road, South Church, Fifth, Kent, Ames, Broadway, Rock and Reserve. Residents were asked to alternate outside watering according to odd and even number houses.

Remainder of the city still has sufficient water for irrigation, Yates indicated, although the deep well, which is used only in emergencies, was turned on this week.

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