

Initial Phase of \$3.7 Million Water Bond Study Completed

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Staff Writer, The Statesman

The first phase of the Salem Citizens' Water Supply Committee study of a proposed \$3,750,000 bond-financed water supply line from Stayton Island to Salem has been completed, Chairman Carroll Meeks announced Wednesday in a meeting of committee and City Council members.

Prepared by a subcommittee headed by Chandler Brown, the report to be submitted to the council at its regular meeting Monday will call for a 25-year bond issue with a call date in 1967 in case interest rates decrease between now and then.

Payments would start in 1961 with \$50,000 maturing then. The amount would increase annually to a top of \$250,000 yearly after the city's present water revenue bonds are paid off.

The meeting was requested by Meeks to determine city policy on supplying water to suburban communities. Mayor Robert F. White said the policy at present would be favorable to such supply when profitable to the city. He said the council will study the question in an attempt to clarify the policy further.

Meeks explained that determination of the council policy was necessary in the committee's study of need for the proposed new line.

No Rate Reduction

Another phase of the study indicates that there can be no reduction in the foreseeable future in gross revenue produced by the new water rate schedule adopted last year, Meeks said. A subcommittee is still studying comparisons between residential and commercial industrial rates for possible inequities, he said.

The city is advertising for construction bids on the proposed line to be opened Feb. 21. If the cost can be covered by the \$3,750,000 bond issue authorized by voters last year, bond bids are to be called for opening in May.

The 20-mile line added to the present supply line from Stayton would give the city a water supply of about 75 million gallons a day.

Composer Hears Work Played By Salem's Junior Symphony

By STANLEY BUTLER
Assoc. Prof. of Music, Willamette U.

A performance of the "Symphonic Miniature," written by George F. McKay, music professor at the University of Washington, and a performance of the first movement from Beethoven's violin concerto, with Rodney Schmidt as soloist, were highlights of the program last evening by the Salem Junior Symphony Orchestra. Dr. William Sweetman, director of music for the Salem Public Schools, was the conductor.

Mr. McKay was present to hear his work performed.

The concert was witness to several significant matters for the community. Eighty of our young people joined their musical skills, gained by hard work at some inevitable sacrifice to other pleasures. Attractive music by a living composer joined us to the better aspirations of our own day; at the same time we informed ourselves of musical tradition at its best when we took part in the performance of a concerto written a century and a half ago. The rewards for such activities are in the doing, for we are setting high goals and are growing toward them.

Financial Assistance

Our community is partially aware of such benefits. The program noted 74 sources of financial assistance to the Salem Junior Symphony Association, which presented the concert. Leslie Junior High School auditorium was about half filled, and I observed many of the town's leading musicians in the audience.

Rodney Schmidt played the difficult Beethoven concerto movement with excellent security. He brought a good bit of dignity to the noble music. His rhythm was sure, and his technique absorbing. And coming to at one point, I thought the audience also unusually absorbed. I wish we had asked for more than one curtain call.

I thought McKay's work was thoroughly accessible. The first movement had melodies which were now broad and now jaunty. There was striking contrast between the upper and lower strings. As with most contemporary music, melodies were passed around amongst all sections of the orchestra. The last movement had much rhythmic interest, with the main "rhythmic theme" neatly accented and syncopated, and motor rhythms in the background.

'Orchestra at Best'

I thought the orchestra was at its best in Mr. McKay's work. It is not surprising that too often the long tones of the slow movement melodies were simply dutifully held out. Too often, and in other works also, melodies lacked proportions. There was uncertainty about where we had come from and where we were going. Phrase climaxes were lacking.

The program opened brightly with Auber's "The Bronze Horse Overture." Other numbers on the program were arrangements of music by Handel and Smetana, and an arrangement of MacDowell's "To the Moon" by Dr. Sweetman.

J. H. Olinger, Early Salem Fireman, Dies

J. H. (Jim) Olinger, who lived in the same house at 1109 Mill St. for 62 years, died Wednesday night in a Salem hospital at the age of 88. He had been hospitalized since suffering a cerebral hemorrhage last Thursday.

Olinger was a charter member of Carpenter's Local Union 1063 and a member of the first volunteer fire department in Salem.

"He recalled that he came to the Salem area with his parents, A. A. and Alice Olinger, the year the foundation was laid for the old State Capitol. That was about 1873. The family lived near Turner for a time and then moved to Mill Street, a block west of Jim Olinger's later home. They owned a sizable tract that was later subdivided.

Olinger was born Nov. 30, 1868, at Peru, Ind. The family moved when he was a child to Grand Island, Neb., and later to San Francisco and then Portland.

Olinger Pool was named after a brother, Dr. Harry Olinger, who was a chairman of the school board.

Olinger's wife, Mrs. Bertha Olinger, died about two years ago. He leaves two nephews and three nieces.

Arrangements are pending at W. T. Rigdon's Mortuary.

New Oregon Liquor Board Takes Office

PORTLAND, Jan. 23 (AP) — The state's new Liquor Control Commission was sworn into office today, and at once accepted the resignation of Administrator William H. Baillie.

The commission, however, asked Baillie to remain on duty until a successor can take over. Gov. Robert D. Holmes, who earlier said Baillie would not be retained, is expected to name the successor soon.

The new commissioners taking office were Hugh Kirkpatrick, Lebanon, Martin Buchanan, Milwaukie, and Barney Lucas of Gearhart.

Device to Land Planes During Zero Visibility

BUFFALO, N.Y., Jan. 23 (AP) — The president of the Bell Aircraft Corp. tonight announced that the company had developed an automatic airplane landing device that can bring an airplane to a complete landing with zero-zero visibility without any aid from the pilot.

Leslie Faneuf made the disclosure in a speech prepared for delivery at the annual dinner meeting of the Buffalo Chamber of Commerce.

CAR HITS TRUCK

A car driven by Peggy Bailey, 496 Water St., collided with a parked Southern Pacific freight truck about 6 p.m. Wednesday in the 200 block of Trade St., city police said. No injuries were reported.

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	Max.	Min.	Prev.
Astoria	34	28	39
Baker	28	14	04
Redmond	30	23	11
Eugene	41	33	07
Klamath Falls	27	1	trace
Medford	40	27	trace
Newport	43	32	08
North Bend	47	38	07
Portland	30	24	01
Salem	40	28	trace

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	Max.	Min.	Prev.
Anchorage	16	1	5
Atlanta	37	41	46
Boston	32	16	00
Chicago	28	12	03
Cleveland	20	16	12
Denver	15	11	24
Detroit	15	11	24
Fargo	12	17	02
Fort Worth	33	28	7
Helena	82	67	21
Honolulu	21	97	—
Kansas City	30	44	10
Las Vegas	78	70	—
Los Angeles	60	5	—
Miami	20	8	—
Minneapolis-St. Paul	54	47	17
New Orleans	22	6	—
New York	60	34	—
Omaha	22	5	—
Portland	34	14	—
Sacramento	52	38	—
Salt Lake City	36	17	—
San Diego	58	44	—
San Francisco	51	42	—
Seattle	64	34	—
Washington	44	34	—

Today's forecast from U.S. Weather Bureau, McNary Field, Salem: Mostly cloudy today, tonight and Friday with a few snow flurries. Cooler with a high today near 34 and a low tonight near 22. Willamette River: 1.8 feet. Temp. 12:41 a.m. today 28.

Salem Precipitation

	Since start of weather year	Sept. 1 to date	Last year	Normal
Total	13.73	40.92	22.63	22.63

Polk Highway Contract Let For Lighting

A contract for illumination of the junction of the new Salem-Willamette Highway with the Salem-Willamette Highway near Rickreall was awarded Wednesday to James Walton, Salem, for \$6,250, at a meeting of the State Highway Commission in Portland.

Robert Randolph, Salem, was awarded a \$33,198 contract for expansion of cam facilities at Ft. Stevens Park in Clatsop County. Central Paving Co., Independence, received a \$491,339 contract for paving of 6.5 miles of Salmon River Highway, east and west of Sheridan.

The Oregon Roadside Council made an appeal at the meeting for the commission to seek legislation to keep Oregon highways free from billboards.

The commission decided to acquire 113 acres of land from the Bureau of Land Management on the Gold Beach-Brookings section of the Oregon Coast Highway for \$27,933.

It was also decided on a by-pass route in the McNeil area for a new U.S. 99 route in Southern Oregon. The project is expected to cost nearly 19 million dollars.

The commission turned down an offer of a half-million dollars from Wasco County Court. The court thought it could be used as matching money for federal funds to improve U.S. 197 at Tygh Valley and Maupin. The commission said federal funds were not available for that work and that the project would cost \$1,836,000.

2 State Solons From 'Warrants' In Polio Drive

"Warrants" charging three Roseburg solons with "failing to make any contribution to the Douglas County March of Dimes campaign" will be served today by Marion County Sheriff Denver Young as a promotion for the Polio drive.

Young said the warrants will be served in the lobby of the State Capitol.

The three are Senator Daniel R. Dinkins, and Representatives W. O. Kelley and Albert G. Flagg.

According to Sheriff Young, "bail" has been set as a \$10 contribution to the campaign.

Meteorologist Wins Award

A meteorologist at Salem McNary Field, Miss Jacques Wonseler, 1009 Fall Dr., received a \$200 check Wednesday and a superior accomplishment rating from F. W. Reichelderfer, chief of the weather bureau in Washington, D. C.

The rating was for performing assigned duties in a manner reflecting credit on the weather bureau, particularly evident in the field of public relations with aviation interests. It is the highest rating a meteorologist can receive.

Miss Wonseler has been with the weather bureau in Salem about one year. She is a graduate of the University of California at Los Angeles.

Banquet Tonight To Name Junior First Citizen

Salem Junior First Citizen of 1956 will be named at the annual Distinguished Service Award banquet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the Marion Hotel.

Sponsored by the Salem Junior Chamber of Commerce the affair is open to the public. Banquet speaker will be Dr. John Richards, chancellor of the State System of Higher Education.

The First Citizen award is made annually to a Salem man, age 21 to 35, based on his "contributions to community welfare and progress during the past year." The secret choice has been made by a panel of judges.

Crystal Cave in Bermuda has a natural lake which covers two acres and is 80 feet underground.

Dog's Barking Ruled Legal



ALEXANDRIA, Va., Jan. 23 (AP) — Evelyn Seay, 7, hugs her pet, Sam, after judge ruled a dog has right to a few barks without its owner being guilty of a breach of the peace. Alexandria Police Judge James Colasanto dismissed charges against Evelyn's brother, Curtis Seay, 22. (AP Wirephoto)

Clues Lacking in Assault Report

No additional evidence was uncovered Wednesday concerning a statement made by a 14-year-old Salem girl that she was criminally assaulted, city police said.

The girl told police she was attacked Monday night when she was walking home.

First Citizen Named

PORTLAND, Jan. 23 (AP) — Dan Gramshaw, 31, secretary-treasurer of a tire distributing firm here, tonight was named by the Portland Junior Chamber of Commerce as the Junior First Citizen of Portland.

Fathers, Sons Hold Banquet

Eighty-five fathers and sons attended the annual North Salem High School Fathers and Sons Hi-Y banquet Wednesday evening in the YMCA.

They were given a tour of the new facilities at the "Y" and shown motion pictures taken at the 1954 Hi-Y Congress in Ohio. As the Congress is held every three years, another is due this year, also in Ohio.

The Junior Hi-Ys of both North and South Salem high schools will have their Fathers and Sons Banquet at 6:30 p.m. today in the "Y."

U.S. A-Bases Stir Wrath of Soviet Paper

(Story also on page one.)

MOSCOW, Jan. 23 (AP) — Pravda today warned Turkey, Iran and Japan against permitting the United States to base atomic weapons and long-range missiles on their territories.

The Communist party newspaper said these countries would be attacked by the same kind of weapons if such bases were used by the United States against Russia in any future war.

This warning came against a background of rising bitterness against the West in the statements of Soviet leaders. Former Premier Georgi M. Malenkov reflected this today in a speech to farmers at Chkalov, in which he said the Soviet use of force or threat of force frightened the Western countries during the Egyptian and Hungarian crises.

He said when the Soviet Union finds it necessary it can "force the imperialists to respect our might." Statements by other Soviet leaders, making similar tours of the provinces, stress "unity of the Communist camp" and the growing threat of "imperialism."

Pravda's warning to Turkey, Iran and Japan said the three should remember that the United States "does not have a monopoly in the field of atomic weapons and especially in the field of long-range guided missiles."

Burglars Raid Home in Salem

Four sheets, six pillow cases, a pen, pound of coffee, several items of food, a pleated skirt and six towels, all valued at \$62.90, were recently stolen from the home of Harold Krueger, 363 N. 20th St., city police said Wednesday night.

Officers stated that on Monday Mr. and Mrs. Krueger found the items missing and that on Saturday when they returned home they found the front door of their home open.

Salem Firm Wins \$1.3 Million Bid

SEATTLE, Jan. 23 (AP) — The J. G. Watts Construction Co., Salem, Ore., has been awarded a contract for construction of four 3-story dormitories at the Fairchild Air Force Base, Spokane, the district Army engineers office announced today.

The firm's bid was \$1,397,155.

STAR GAZER
By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide
According to the Stars

To develop message for Thursday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

TAURUS	GEMINI	CANCER	LEO	VIRGO
1 You'll	1 You'll	1 You'll	1 You'll	1 You'll
2 If	2 If	2 If	2 If	2 If
3 Complete	3 Complete	3 Complete	3 Complete	3 Complete
4 Your	4 Your	4 Your	4 Your	4 Your
5 Stars	5 Stars	5 Stars	5 Stars	5 Stars
6 Specific	6 Specific	6 Specific	6 Specific	6 Specific
7 Complete	7 Complete	7 Complete	7 Complete	7 Complete
8 Vitality	8 Vitality	8 Vitality	8 Vitality	8 Vitality
9 And	9 And	9 And	9 And	9 And
10 Keep	10 Keep	10 Keep	10 Keep	10 Keep
11 Don't	11 Don't	11 Don't	11 Don't	11 Don't
12 Difficult	12 Difficult	12 Difficult	12 Difficult	12 Difficult
13 Tell	13 Tell	13 Tell	13 Tell	13 Tell
14 Benefits	14 Benefits	14 Benefits	14 Benefits	14 Benefits
15 Somewhat	15 Somewhat	15 Somewhat	15 Somewhat	15 Somewhat
16 Enjoy	16 Enjoy	16 Enjoy	16 Enjoy	16 Enjoy
17 Some	17 Some	17 Some	17 Some	17 Some
18 Risk	18 Risk	18 Risk	18 Risk	18 Risk
19 Talents	19 Talents	19 Talents	19 Talents	19 Talents
20 Aim	20 Aim	20 Aim	20 Aim	20 Aim
21 Straight	21 Straight	21 Straight	21 Straight	21 Straight
22 An	22 An	22 An	22 An	22 An
23 Negative	23 Negative	23 Negative	23 Negative	23 Negative
24 Or	24 Or	24 Or	24 Or	24 Or
25 Things	25 Things	25 Things	25 Things	25 Things
26 Will	26 Will	26 Will	26 Will	26 Will
27 May	27 May	27 May	27 May	27 May
28 Be	28 Be	28 Be	28 Be	28 Be
29 Fruits	29 Fruits	29 Fruits	29 Fruits	29 Fruits
30 Sept	30 Sept	30 Sept	30 Sept	30 Sept
31 8-9-52	31 8-9-52	31 8-9-52	31 8-9-52	31 8-9-52
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Mad Bomber Given Tests; Police Methods Questioned

By FRANCIS STILLEY
NEW YORK, Jan. 23 (AP) — Smiling George Metesky began psychiatric tests today, as high police officials delved into questions raised about officers' work before his arrest as the "Mad Bomber."

While Police Commissioner Stephen P. Kennedy defended the work of his men, he acknowledged that they lagged more than two days in picking up a utility company file pointing to Metesky.

However, Kennedy said a check-up on Metesky was set in motion early Saturday as a result of the file's discovery at the Consolidated Edison Co. late Friday. Police did not actually take possession of the file until Monday.

The commissioner said also that officers were working on "a number of other leads which appeared to be almost as good" at the time they learned of the Metesky material Friday night. Kennedy would comment no further on the matter, except to say further checks would be made.

He also left hanging in the air the question of who discovered the material—a Con Ed woman employee or a detective—and who will get the \$25,000 reward offered for information leading to the arrest.

As during most of the time since his arrest, the 34-year-old Metesky was still smiling and seemingly happy as he began his psychiatric examinations at Bellevue Hospital.

The tests will last two or three weeks. They could determine whether he will be committed to a mental institution or go on trial for the 16-year-long bombing spree.

Theater Time Table

ELGINORE
"BARRY DOLL": 8:40
"MIAMI EXPOSE": 7:00, 9:34
CAPITOL
(Continues from 1 p.m.)
"WESTWARD HO! THE WAGONS": 1:41, 4:31, 7:30, 10:21
"DISNEYLAND U.S.A.": 1:00, 3:55, 6:45, 9:39
HOLLYWOOD
"LUST FOR LIFE": 7:00, 9:34
"SIAM": 8:17

Farm Bureau Host to Solons

Legislators and state officials were entertained by the Oregon Farm Bureau at an informal dinner Wednesday at the Izaak Walton Hall. More than 200 guests attended.

The menu consisted entirely of Oregon products and featured chicken. Entertainment for the guests and their wives included a magician and music.



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