Joint Bus Operation by City, Schools Proposed in Eugene

EUGENE, Feb. 7 (AP) — Mayor John J. McGinty tonight proposed that the city of Eugene and the local school district join forces to operate a municipal bus system.

The bus system now is operated by City Transit Lines, which has warned it may have to go out of business in Eugene and at Salem, where it also operates buses. The company said it was losing money.

McGinty presented his plan to the Eugene Chamber of Commerce board of directors. That group agreed it was worth looking into. Three men were appointed to consult with City Council committees and the school board on the plan.

The school district operates its own buses. Speakers said there were many problems involved in the mayor's suggestion, but urged that conferences begin on these.

The joint Salem-Eugene committee on the local bus service crisis in the two cities will meet at 11:30 a.m. today in Salem City Hall.

Both cities were given notice last week by City Tarnsit Lines that local bus service will be discontinued unless the cities can assure some sort of financial aid by March 1.

Salem City Council in a special meeting Wednesday decided to seek a successor to the City Transit company for their local bus charter.

Salem City Mgr. Kent Mathewson said no potential operator showed up Thursday but he did not expect any so soon after the council's decision.

Hardship Cases Cited In 'Relative Aid' Law

(Story also on Page 1.)

Payments accumulated to $2,000 or $3,000 have burdened many Oregon citizens in the enforcement of the state's relative responsibility law, a State Legislature committee was told Thursday night in a Capitol hearing.

In a protest group of 100 persons who mostly favored repeal of the act, several appeared before the Senate public welfare committee to tell of hardship cases where an accumulation of three or four years of monthly payments were assessed in one lump against relatives by the Welfare Commission.

Individual cases were mentioned by several spokesmen for welfare organization in their arguments against any plan to require relatives to contribute to the support of persons seeking public welfare.

Case Cited

Ben Blaisdell, Portland, of Friends of the Aged, said a man was compelled to support the mother-in-law who had given up her daughter as a child 20 years before.

Paul B. Tapp, Eugene, said he was making less than the minimum income on which the support payments are computed; then when he ran into heavy personal medical expense and got a Saturday job to help pay doctor bills it put his income enough higher that he had to pay out the relative support money.

Several criticized the act for being based on a scale of gross income without regard to medical expense or taxes.

Revision Asked

The present law requires, for example, a family of four earning $5,000 to pay $20 a month to a needy relative. Under a revision proposed by an interim committee on welfare, a family of four wouldn't pay before earning $7,500.

Rep. Don Willner (D), Portland, opposed the law with a statement outlining six aspects of the act he considered violating a citizen's right to fair hearings and due process of law.

Carol A. Saling, representing a Citizens Committee Against the Relative Responsibility Law, said the act holds a person "responsible for the mistakes and misfortunes of someone over whom he has no control."

Shipment of Nude Body Brings Suit

NEW YORK, Feb. 7 (AP)—A widower, in a $250,000 damage suit, today charged that an airline shipped his wife's body to him nude after she died in a plane crash.

Charles H. Winsor, a restaurant owner of St. John's, Newfoundland, called this a desecration, in violation of religious and common decency. He also accused United Air Lines of negligence in operation of the plane.

Winsor's wife, Alma, mother of six crildren, was one of 44 persons killed Nov. 1, 1955, when a United airliner exploded over Longmont, Colo. John Gilbert Graham, 24, was executed last month for putting a bomb aboard the plane to kill his mother in an insurance plot.

Mrs. Winsor began her flight from Gander, Newfoundland, and was en route to Seattle to visit a daughter.

Winsor, in a suit filed in Brooklyn federal court, asked $210,000 for negligence and wilful misconduct occasioned by United's failure to carefully search the plane and discovet the bomb. He asked an added $40,000 for the alleged desecration of his wife's body.

Access Road Fund Urged

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 (AP) — Twelve Pacific Northwest Democrats today asked Congress to authorize a 560 million dollar 13-year program of timber access road construction.

Joining Sen. Morse (D—Ore) in sponsoring the bill in the Senate were Democratic Sens. Neuberger (Ore), Magnuson and Jackson (Wash) and Mansfield and Murray (Mont).

Separate but identical bills were introduced in the House by Reps. Green, Porter and Ullman, Oregon Democrats; Magnuson (D, Wash), Pfost (D—Idaho) and Metcalf (D—Mont).

The bill would increase authorized access road expenditures from its present level of 27 million dollars to 32 million dollars in the year beginning July 1.

Authorized expenditures would increase to 36 million the following year, to 42 million for the year beginning July 1, 1959, and maintain a 50 million dollar a year level for each of the following nine years.

NOTICE ON FINAL ACCOUNT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of BERTHA FARRIN, deceased, has filed in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Marion County, Probate Department, his Final Account and that said Court has, by an Order thereof, fixed and appointed March 4, 1957 at the hour of 9:15 a.m. at the Circuit Courtroom in the Court House at Salem, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing objections to said Final Account and the settlement of said estate, at which said time and place all persons so objecting are hereby required to appear and show cause, if any there be, or if any exists, why said Account should not in all things be allowed and approved, said estate settled and closed and the administrator discharged.

HAROLD F. SMITHER
Administrator of the Estate of Bertha Farrin, deceased.
ASA L. LEWELLING
Attorney for Estate.
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Sealed proposals for the improvement of Jack Street between Stark Street and Wilshire Drive will be received by the Marion County Court, Room 110, Courthouse, Salem, Oregon, until 10:00 a.m. on the 18th day of February, 1957, and then will be publicly opened and read. The improvement consists of excavating, grading, paving, curb and storm sewer installation.

Contract Documents can be obtained from the County Engineer, Courthouse, Salem, Oregon. Bidders must be pre-qualified in accordance with the laws of the State of Oregon. Bids must be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check or bid bond in an amount not less than 10% of the amount of bid.

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Beck Leaves For Europe

NASSAU, Bahamas, Feb. 7 (AP) —Dave Beck, president of the international teamsters union, left Nassau tonight on an airliner bound for London via Bermuda.

Beck protested to British Overseas Airways officials the presence of television cameramen at the airport and boarded the plane with his hat held in front of his face.

Beck recently returned to the United States from Europe and went into a cross-country quarrel with Sen. McClellan (D-Ark) about going to Washington for questioning by Senate labor rackets investigators.

In Washington, Sen. McClellan said Beck had informed him of his plans for the trip.

"He assured me he will return and be available for the committee to interrogate," McClellan said.

Vehicles Collide, Sign Damaged

City police investigated a two-car accident about 7:40 p.m. Thursday at North Liberty and Columbia streets. Officers said the drivers were Clinton A. Blakley, 127 Union St., and Charles Waldo Neal, 1031 Seventh St.

A "No Parking at Anytime," city sign was damaged when one of the cars was pushed into it, police said. No injuries were reported.

Family Car

By Wally Falk

"Dudley gave up at Poughkeepsie and is coming the rest of the way by train."

Montana Banker Named to Head Power Combine

John J. Burke, Butte, Mont., civic leader and banker, has been elected president of the Pacific Northwest Power Company which seeks to build two large power dams on the middle Snake River.

PNP is sponsored by Portland General Electric Company and three other power firms of the region. Burke succeeds Kinsey M. Robinson, president of Washington Water Power Company, who was elected chairman of the PNP board.

Helser Firm Officials To Attend Conclave

Two Salem men are included in a group of eight Oregon office managers of J. Henry Helser & Co., investment managers, who will meet Monday at Newport for a two-day conference. They are Jack S. Bush, Salem office manager, and Wendell C. Jensen, assistant manager.

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"GREAT AMERICAN PASTIME": 8:55

CAPITOL
(Continuous from 1 p.m.)
"TEAHOUSE OF THE AUGUST MOON": 1:00, 3:40, 6:38, 9:30
"SOUTH OF HIMALAYAS": 3:29, 6:18, 9:07

HOLLYWOOD
"THREE BRAVE MEN": 7:00, 10:40
"BEST THINGS IN LIFE ARE FREE": 8:54

The Weather

	Max.	Min.	Prep.
Baker	32	—8	trace
Bend-Redmond	48	22	.01
Eugene	40	30	.12
Klamath Falls	43	18	trace
Medford	52	28	.02
Newport	52	40	.12
North Bend	47	40	.34
Portland	43	29	.17
Salem	45	28	.36

By The Associated Press

	Max.	Min.	Precip.
Anchorage	24	16	.08
Albuquerque	60	29	--
Atlanta	60	54	--
Boise	33	14	--
Boston	41	30	--
Chicago	34	32	--
Cleveland	34	30	T
Denver	53	22	--
Detroit	40	34	--
Fairbanks	31	23	.22
Fargo	20	4	--
Ft. Worth	66	54	.01
Galveston	73	64	--
Helena	30	5	--
Honolulu	74	67	--
Kan. City	45	39	T
Las Vegas	48	34	--
Los Angeles	63	47	T
Miami	78	67	.20
Minpls-St. Paul	29	15	--
New Orleans	80	62	--
New York	43	36	--
Omaha	32	30	--
Phoenix	73	48	--
Reno	--	--	--
Sacramento	50	41	.38
Salt Lake	41	27	--
San Diego	63	47	--
San Francisco	52	47	.23
Washington	44	37	T

Today's forecast (from U. S. Weather Bureau, McNary Field, Salem): Mostly cloudy with scattered showers today and Saturday. Highest temperature both days near 45. Partly cloudy and cooler tonight with the lowest temperature near 32.

Willamette River: 0.3 feet.

Temp. 12:01 a.m. today: 37.

SALEM PRECIPITATION

Since start of weather year, Sept. 1		
To date	Last Year	Normal
14.61	41.85	33.31

Blast Hurts 4 At Kennewick

KENNEWICK, Feb. 7 (AP) — An unexplained explosion in a giant ammonia tank at the Phillips Pacific Chemical Co. plant today injured four men, one of them seriously.

The blast buckled the top of the tank upon which the men were working but did no other damage to the 15 million dollar plant.

Serious injuries were received by Harold Hanks of Yakima. Others treated at Kennewick General Hospital were Idus Benson, Pasco, D. G. Scholes, Spokane, and Jack Broughton, Kirkland (King County).

Hospital officials said Hanks' injuries were serious; Benson needed only emergency treatment, and Scholes and Broughton are being kept at the hospital for observation.

Company officials said they did not know the cause of the blast. The area has been cleared of all but emergency crews.

The explosion at the plant, seven miles southeast of here, occurred shortly before 3:30 p. m. Other details could not be obtained.

Lewis and Clark Dormitory Due

PORTLAND, Feb. 7 (AP) — Work will start soon on a $260,000 women's dormitory and a $330,000 dining hall at Lewis and Clark College.

Officials said contracts for the construction recently were approved by the federal Housing and Home Finance Agency.

The dormitory will be the third unit in a five-unit plan.

Few Problems Plague Salem, Speaker Says

Salem is particularly fortunate in its lack of problems common to cities of its size, according to a man who has studied several dozen of them in the pats few months.

About 140 persons saw the showing of "Our Living Future" Thursday night in Leslie Junior High School and heard writer and lecturer David Keith Hardy interpret the movie on "city blight" in terms of a two-day observation of the area.

"I have seen few cities with problems so minimal as Salem's," he said.

"But it is perhaps in this sort of situation where the danger is greatest," he added, explaining that the necessary public action to combat decay is less likely in a community where problems are not great.

Some Problems

And Salem does have some problems. Septic tank seepage is the major suburban problem, the speaker said, noting also some outlying areas lacking in sufficient storm water drainage and some overcrowded houses and fire hazards.

Within the city, he said, there are traffic problems in some residential sections, and some old houses which have been converted to apartments with insufficient plumbing that threatens to become "blights."

On the credit side, he termed Salem a "city of beauty and excellence with convenient and attractive shopping centers away from the center of town and a good highway and freeway and system.

Hold the Line

Basically, the job in Salem is to "hold the line," he said.

"But the downtown has got to be made more beautiful if it is going to be up against those attractive suburban stores," he said.

His talk, sponsored locally by Salem Junior Women's Club, Chamber of Commerce and the City Council, was illustrated by movies depicting the problems of other cities he has visited and how some of them were solved by community action.

The presentation was produced by Life magazine for the American Council to Improve Our Neighborhoods.

Dress Recovered By Police Work

A dress stolen at 6 p.m. Thursday from a downtown store was returned to its owners at 7:15 p.m., police said.

Officers said they received a report from a merchant that two girls entered the shop and that when they left a $49 dress was missing.

Description of the two girls was given police and one officer stated he knew someone who was acquainted with a girl who fit one of the descriptions.

Police talked with the individual. Sometime later, officers said, they received a call that the dress had been returned.

No charges were pressed, police said.

Meter Damaged

Geraldine Mable Woodroffe, 1565 N. 18th St., told city police Thursday night that her car damaged a city parking meter on North High Street when she was backing out of a service station at High and Chemeketa Streets.

Soviets Order Two More U.S. Officers to Get Out

By HAROLD K. MILKS

MOSCOW, Feb. 7 (AP)—The Soviet Union today expelled two more U.S. military attaches, accusing them of taking pictures of "a building of defense significance."

The action followed a Leningrad incident in which both men were attacked, the U.S. Embassy said.

Marine Corps Capt. Paul R. Uffelman, 31, of Fort Wayne, Ind., and Navy Lt. William S. Lewis of Guthrie, Okla., were ordered expelled from the Soviet Union at once.

But except for its propaganda value, the order had little material effect. Uffelman already has completed his duty tour here, and with Mrs. Uffelman already had reservations to leave for Berlin by train on Feb. 11, en route home. Lewis is in West Germany on leave and will not return to Moscow.

The Soviet action followed the expulsion on Jan. 30 of two U. S. military attaches, Maj. Hubert Tansey of Alexandria, Va., and Capt. Charles Stockell of Jacksonville, Fla., on charges of "engaging in activities incompatible with their diplomatic status."

Mrs. Mapes Succumbs

Mrs. Esther Adalina Mapes, 64, a member of First Baptist Church, died Thursday of cancer in a Salem hospital. She was a resident of 1495 N. Church St.

She was born Dec. 28, 1892 in Licking, Mo., as Esther Adalina Jackson. She moved to Salem with her family when she was 12-years-old.

In 1917 she married Rodney H. Mapes in Salem. He died in 1951. Mapes was assistant superintendent of state buildings and grounds in Salem and was employed by the state 27 years.

She is survived by daughters, Mrs. Esther L. Hamilton, Salem; Mrs. Bertha Lu Herbert, Salem, son, Rodney H. Mapes, Portland; sister, Mrs. Bertha Colbath, Salem, aunts, Mrs. Lonore Durham, Mrs. M. C. Brooks, Mrs. W. H. Mills, all of Salem, and seven grandchildren and one nephew.

Services will be announced later by the Virgil T. Golden mortuary.

Salem Dealers Attend Trailer Life Show

Two Salem trailer coach dealers attended the fourth annual Trailer Life show in Los Angeles, Calif., this week. The two were Earl L. Malm, of Malm Trailers Sales, 4030 Silverton Rd., and Ira O. Pilcher, of Lana Lane Trailer Plaza, 1840 Lana Ave.

YM Member Drive Near Goal of 1,000

Membership drive of Salem's YMCA produced 911 new members or renewals as against a goal of 1,000, it was announced Thursday night at a victory banquet. Officials immediately extended the campaign another week and were confident the goal would be topped.

Results of the drive have pushed total membership of the YM to approximately 4,000, according to General Secretary Gus Moore.

Moore said two divisions exceeded their quota in the drive. The business men's division recruited 118 new members or renewals as against its quota of 100 and the senior men's section, with a quota of 200, pulled 235 names into the organization.

James Wiles of the senior men's division had top individual record with 28 names to his credit. Six others also exceeded individual quotas. They were Paul Bales, Lee Shinn and Steve Brodie, all of the senior division, with 15 apiece and Larry Emerson, Darwin Biwar and Lance Edlund, all of the boys division.

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