

## Forestry Leader Inspects Radio Phone



William Sanders, (left) Oregon State forestry radio engineer, was elected western regional chairman Tuesday during opening sessions of national Forestry Conservation Communications Association Conference here. He inspects radio telephone with delegates A. J. Lannon, Jr., Rhode Island, (center) and H. J. McGinnis, Wisconsin (Statesman Photo).

## Salem Man Takes Helm Of Foresters

William Sanders of Salem, chief radio engineer for the State Forestry Department, was elected chairman of the western region of Forestry Conservation Communications Association Tuesday.

The action came during preliminary sessions of the association's eighth national convention at Mason Hotel.

Elected as vice-chairman of the western region, which comprises 18 states, was George Zapatin, Clatsop City, Nev.

During a meeting of the special problems committee, delegates passed a recommendation to ask the Federal Communications Commission for allocation of four additional frequencies to Oregon's seven forestry communications channels.

Committeemen also tabled a request by Tennessee for additional frequencies and agreed to forward a petition by the petroleum industry to share forestry frequencies.

Approximately 45 delegates from 18 states registered for the three-day convention which ends Friday with a field trip to the Oregon coast.

## Golda Stephens, 50, Succumbs

**Statesman News Service**  
INDEPENDENCE, July 23—Golda B. Stephens, 50, late resident of 421 Monmouth St., Independence, died Monday at a Monmouth nursing home after a short illness.

She was born at Norwalk, Kan. Dec. 14, 1906, and had resided in this area since 1946.

Survivors include the widow Harry D. Stephens, Independence; five sons, Harry D. Stephens Jr., Harold L. Stephens, both of Hood River; Carl M. Stephens, U.S. Army in Germany; Gale Stephens, Silverton; and Roy F. Stephens, Independence; and three daughters, Bill, Jack and Clyde Brower, and six grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at Smith-Krueger Mortuary. Interment will follow at Hill Top Cemetery near Independence.

## Permits Let For Building

**Statesman News Service**  
Building permits totaling \$2,000 were issued Tuesday by the city engineer's office. The largest permit was to E. Burr Miller for the erection of an airport at 430 N. 19th St., at estimated cost of \$2,000.

Others were granted to Jenks White for construction of a truck shed at 230 Mulraker Ave., \$2,500; Sam T. Barry, alteration of dwelling at 1640 D St., \$1,100; Oliver Motor Sales alteration of balcony at 408 N. High St., \$1,100; George B. Mitchell, construction of patio roof at 1575 Roosevelt St.; and John Meschke, repairs to home at 87 N. Liberty St.

## Teeth Roots Lead to Suit

Alleged failure to remove the roots of teeth extracted for dentures two years ago was basis of a \$20,000 damage suit filed Tuesday in Marion County Circuit Court against C. A. Eldredge, doing business as Painless Parker dentist.

Filing was Bessie Parker, who charged in her complaint that she has been unable to wear any type of denture since February, 1954, when she paid \$200 to have the teeth removed. She later paid an additional \$250 to have the roots removed. The complaint states she asks \$10,000 general damages and \$10,000 punitive with an additional \$250 in special damages.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Ekman Memorial Chapel, with interment at Miller Cemetery. The Rev. J. M. Nelson of First Christian Church will officiate.

## Deed, Mortgage Fees to Jump

If you're thinking of mortgaging the old homestead to survive higher costs of living, even the mortgage will come higher after Aug. 20.

Or the deed, when you finally burn the current mortgage, will cost you a little more too.

No, price controls aren't going back on housing come Aug. 20 but higher recording fees on deeds and mortgages approved by the 1957 legislature do go into effect at the Marion County courthouse.

Minimum recording fees for such documents as deeds, mortgages, leases, inheritance tax receipts and transcripts of states will go from \$1 for the first page to \$1.50. And each additional page will cost \$1 instead of the current 75 cents.

Filing fees also will be increased on chattel mortgages, conditional sales contracts and limited partnerships.

However, filing fees on divorce and damage complaints will remain the same, County Clerk Henry Mattson said.

New price lists on recording and filing fees are now being sent out to local attorneys, title companies and other interested parties. Recorder Herman Lanke said Tuesday. Copies also are available at the recorder's office in the courthouse.

## Masses Abound At Church Rite

**Statesman News Service**  
MT. ANGEL, July 23—What is believed to be the largest number of masses ever said in a single day at St. Mary's Church occurred recently while the community was host to several priests from far-off places.

Among visitors was the Rev. Cletus Hodapp, making his first visit to Oregon after 16 years on the Gold Coast of Africa. He was accompanied by his brother, the Rev. Paul Hodapp, Fulda, Minn.

Also a visitor was the Rev. J. Duffy, native of Ireland, and a missionary in China until expelled by the Chinese Reds. Father Cyril Lebold of the Rectory here listed other guests as the Rev. Theodore Wolfe, the Rev. John Iig and the Rev. Placidus Zach, all of whom have relatives in Mt. Angel.

## Mill City Area Sought for State Work on Highway

The North Santiam Highway project for which the State Highway Commission started a condemnation suit this week is the site two miles northeast of Mill City for a highway widening that will accommodate a new truck weighing station.

Property the state seeks is a 10-foot strip along 240 feet of the highway owned by Ray S. Peterson, Marie Peterson Rising, Herbert C. and Josephine Hampson.

## Balloon Parade Due on Nov. 23

The Giant Balloon Parade sponsored by merchants throughout Salem will make its second Salem appearance on Saturday, Nov. 23, Salem Chamber of Commerce announced Tuesday.

In other commercial Division business, that chamber group executive committee has tabled a proposal to put all merchandising promotions on a citywide basis. Some like the balloon parade are now citywide while other events are sponsored by various business districts.

Planning this year's Balloon Parade will be a committee headed by Earl Moody, chairman, and Fred Lund.

## Suit Lost by Harland in Road Dispute

**Statesman News Service**  
DALLAS, July 23—Joseph Harland, Rickreall farmer, Tuesday lost his \$5,500 suit against a construction company in a case involving the building of a highway over property of Harland.

Climax of the two-day trial in Polk County Circuit Court came when a jury ruled 10-2 for Babler Bros. Construction Co., Portland, after starting deliberations Tuesday afternoon.

Harland, whose dispute with the defendants occurred in June, 1956, charged in his complaint that piles of dirt from the construction cut off his private road. Highway in question was the Dolph Turner Rickreall cutoff route.

The Rickreall farmer, who at time of the dispute defiantly stood his ground in front of bulldozers, asked \$5,000 punitive damages and \$500 general damages when he filed the suit last September.

## Man Injured In Car Crash

**Statesman News Service**  
UNION HILL, July 23—C. R. Pierce, 78, of 1007 S. 13th St., Salem, was injured today when a car he was driving overturned on Highway 214, about six miles south of Silver Creek Falls, state police said.

Pierce regained consciousness at Santiam Memorial hospital in Stayton. A nurse here said the extent of his injuries are not yet known but that he appears in satisfactory condition.

State police reported that Pierce's car went off the highway onto a dirt bank at 5:30 p.m. The vehicle was said to be badly damaged.

# All-White Jury Convicts 7 Segregationists at Clinton

(Story also on Page one.)

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., July 23 (AP)—An all-white jury today convicted John Kasper and six Tennessee defendants in the Clinton segregation trial.

The judge told defense lawyers he would give them 30 days to file appeal.

He withheld sentencing pending argument on the defense's new trial motion.

Grimes of condemnation swept the faces of Kasper and the six Tennessee defendants when their names were read out with the word "guilty."

To Law "There is a White"

Kasper told newsmen "I'm mighty sorry for the other people. They've been put through so much and persecuted. For myself, you can't expect to be a winner if you don't lose one once in a while."

Specifically, Kasper and the others were charged with criminal contempt of court. The government accused them of knowingly violating a court order forbidding interference with orderly integration of Clinton High.

Knoxville is the hub of heavily Republican east Tennessee, which in many ways resembles the industrial North more than the Deep South.

## Planners to Attend Capitol Conference

Salem Planning Commission members are to attend a State Capitol Planning Commission meeting at the Capitol next Monday to keep abreast of the long-range planning studies being made for the Capitol Mall area.

Commissioner Lloyd G. Hammett said his streets and parking committee is specially interested in the meeting because of the parking problem near state buildings.

The discussion came up at a brief meeting of the city group Tuesday night at City Hall.

Commissioner Walter Foster said the zoning change committee would need more time before making its recommendation on a proposed commercial one extension to include the northwest corner lot at Broadway and Columbia streets.

Owners Robert Schwartz and Abe Sternback are seeking a zoning change with an eye to the possibility of locating a medical clinic or office building there.

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## Rogers Lane Work Offer Accepted

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DALLAS, July 23—Polk County Court this morning accepted low bid of \$9,351 by Warren Northwest to pave 1,800 feet of Rogers Lane in West Salem Madrona Hill Development district. Cost will be met by property owners under the Bancroft program.

Two other bids came from Central Paving of Dallas, \$9,536, and Pantovich Construction Company of Salem, \$10,387.

to enforce his own order to the Clinton school to integrate in compliance with the U. S. Supreme Court decision against public school segregation. The injunction forbade any hindrance "by word or deed" with the integration.

In his 33-minute charge to the jury, Taylor delicately balanced points favoring both sides and admonished the jurors again and again they must acquit the defendants if they had "reasonable doubt" that the government had proved them guilty.

On the other hand, he said: "It is almost impossible to make out a case of absolute certainty. The government doesn't have to prove a case of absolute certainty."

Countering defense contentions that integration was a major issue in the trial, the judge wrinkled his puckish face as he declared with emphasis: "Whether school integration is right or wrong is a matter to be debated in public and through the legislative channels and the press. It is not on trial here."

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lawyers insisted that Turner "asked for trouble and got it." Members of a jerrying mob pounced him after he led a small group of Negro children down from their hilltop homes, in the Negro section behind Clinton, to the school.

New Strength Claimed  
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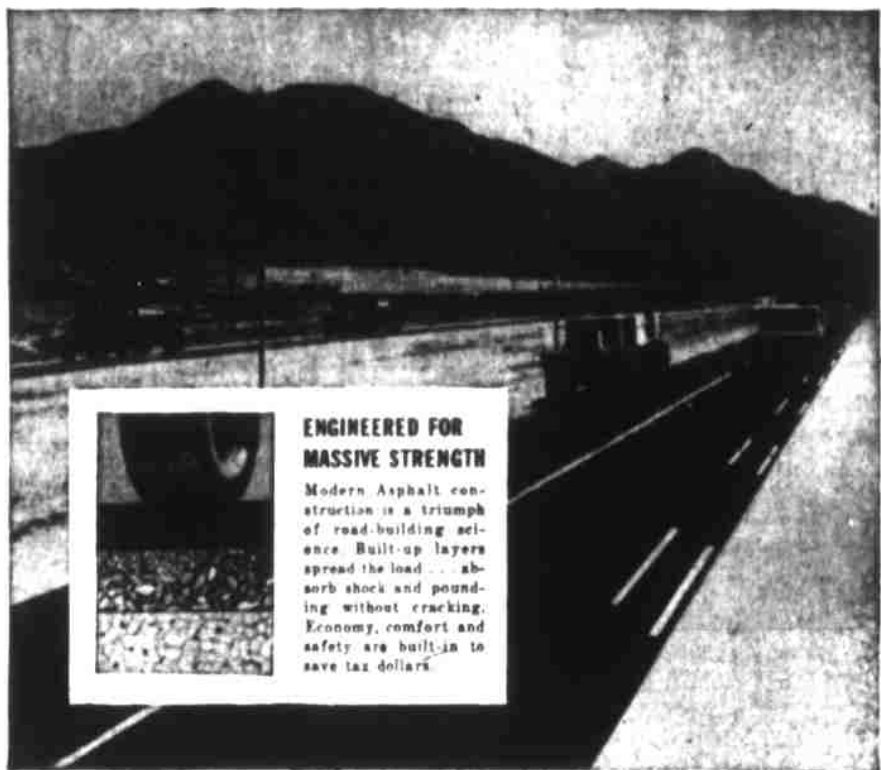
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