### G. E. Strikers Clash With Police In Philadelphia Over Picket Ban



PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 27.—Mounted police and pickets wrestling for flag in front of Philadelphia's General Electric Co. plant today. A melee broke out as police on horseback charged massed pickets in an effort to enforce a court injunction limiting picket demonstrations in front of the plant. Seven men were arrested and one injured in the picket line scuffle. (AP Wirephoto to The Oregon

By Douglas B. Cornell

"desperate need for mutual un-

Permanent peace and the fu-

ture of the United Nations are at

stake, the Michigan republican

Vandenberg addressed the sen-

He said he had a deep convic-

"I have the feeling," Vanden-

Market to Go

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27 -(AP)-

Thus, he said, the government

A special staff of internal rev-

enue bureau agents has been as-

signed to work exclusively on sus-

pended tax violations in the textile

day he had filed his declaration

black market, Vinson said.

ELLSWORTH TO RUN

election, he said.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27-(AP)-

## Firm Foreign SHAMS Policy Urged TO ME By Vandenberg

### By Charles A. Sprague

The late war has been referred foreign policy must be as frank o as the best reported war in and firm as Russia's to meet a istory. It was to be sure the most oluminously reported war; but derstanding." as it best in the quality of its eporting?

H. L. Mencken says it was poor y reported; that we do not know et the true story of some major ate, not as a member, but as an events. Who was in command American delegate to the justwhen the Germans made their concluded London conference at breakthrough in the Ardennes for which, he said, the United Naest in December, 1944? What is tions in 37 days "turned a blue the real story of the loss of three print into a going concern...; an American and one Australian ideal into a reality." ruiser in the battle of Savo sea n 1942? These are instances of our time," the senator listed this inadequately reported news. Mili- question: tary security at the time may have required suppression; but no one afterwards went back and did the answer. But he did have positive

Ernie Pyle seems to have set particularly its approach to Rusa pattern: get the homely facts sia. bout GI Joe, and put that down. Ernie made it great reading; but tion that the only way to perit didn't tell much about the move- manent peace and accord bements of armies and fleets and tween the two great world powers lay in re-establishing a habit the issues of battle.

The Associated Press did a good of "saying only what we mean job of personal reporting. "Get and meaning every word we say." the names and home town addresses" seems to have been rule berg added, "it is the best way to ing, with a "local angle," but the and both are indispensable to bigger stories were not so well peace."

Fletcher Pratt, whose reporting Textile Black on the great naval battles (Continued on editorial page)

#### Woman Named Supreme Court Deputy Clerk

Dorothy L. Cornelius, Salem, the justice department and the Wednesday was appointed deputy OPA in a three-cornered drive to clerk of the state supreme court smash a black market in textiles. to succeed H. L. Kloeping, who died recently. Miss Cornelius has will crack down on racketeering in held a secretarial position in the scarce fabrics with the full force supreme court offices for several of its powers to prosecute for tax years. She is the first woman ap- evasion as well as violation of pointed deputy clerk of the court, price ceilings.

#### Weather

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FORECAST (fre	um U.S.	weather	bu

reau, McNary field. Salem): Mostly cloudy today, occasional light rain. Highest temperature 54 degrees.

#### Animal Crackers By WARREN GOODRICH



"Don't look now but it looks like we've got some more of your relatives for the week-

## Industrial Output At Low Ebb

#### 7 Jailed After Battle with **Mounted Police**

By the Associated Press A police clash with pickets in Philadelphia and a civilian production administration report that industrial output had slid to the lowest levels in nearly five years held the spotlight on the labor front yesterday.

Club-swinging mounted policemen drove some 800 pickets away from the gates of the strikebound General Electric company's Philadelphia plant, in the first move to enforce an injunction banning mass picketing.

Seven marchers were arrested, including one injured in the clash, and were charged with inciting to riot. Union attorneys protested, demanding they be charged with violation of the injunction to provide a test case. Electric Workers

The plant has been closed since Jan. 15, when CIO electrical workers called a nationwide strike in support of demands for a \$2 daily wage boost.

In reporting that large scale work stoppages had driven the nation's industrial production to the lowest levels since the spring of 1941, John D. Small, CAP administrator, predicted a further decline in February.

He asserted, however, the country's business situation was "sound financially" and that Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg prompt solution of wage-price declared today that America's problems could result in "steady and rather rapid gain" from now

Long Beach Dispute

A strike which the union said would tie up transportation facilities serving 112,000 persons daily was called for 5 a.m. (PST) today by the AFL Street Railway union at Long Beach, Calif.

Arbitration hearings in a wage ship officers on the Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific coasts were set for March 11 in New York.

#### **Mediators Talk** As the "supreme conundrum of To Employers, "What is Russia up to now?" He did not profess to have the reporting job that was needed. ... ldeas on America's foreign policy, Harry Bridges

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27-(AP)-Federal conciliators, moving to forestall a Pacific coast dock strike, called Harry Bridges' CIO longshoremen union and the Waterfront Employers' association into separate conferences today.

The groups, deadlocked in 1946 contract negotiations, met with Omar Hoskins and Frank Wenig number one. We had gobs of that win soviet respect and soviet of the conciliation service in what diplomats said they understood 1945 legislature. He will oppose which also made interesting readwhich atory session."

> R. C. Walf, president of the CIO ence of his regime. Cargo Checkers union workers; 2. A statement that three govderway between coast waterfront in Spain if Franco were ousted. employers and longshoremen at San Francisco would settle issues countries would not meddle in supreme court, position No. 7. Secretary Vinson announced to- involved in the dispute here.

#### night the treasury had joined with **Packers Ordered** To Increase Pay

CHICAGO, Feb. 27-(AP)-The five major meat packing companies now operated by the government today were ordered by the government to put into effect immediately a 16 cent hourly pay increase ordered by the national wage stabilization board.

The wage boost under the government's new wage price policy was announced yesterday. The OPA said it would raise family WASHINGTON, Feb. 27 -(AP) meat bills about one and one-Rep. Elisworth (R-Ore) said to- half per cent.

of candidacy for re-election to TRAFFIC DEATHS HIGH

congress from Oregon's fourth CHICAGO, Feb. 27.-(AP)-Trafdistrict. He will remain here fic accidents caused 3000 deaths while congress is in session and in January, making the month the not campaign in the primary third most deadly January in his-

### More Hearings in Prospect Over Proposed Zone Change

tion area of Salem, it was indi- fore its March 18 session. cated by action of the Salem planning and zoning commission Wednesday night.

called a public hearing for the the naming of an alley.

At least one and probably two evening of March 14 at city hall. more public hearings will be held After the hearing it is expected to discuss the proposed zone the petition will be forwarded to change which would permit Cas- the city council in time for the cades Plywood corporation to calling of a second public hearing, erect a plant in the Condit's addi- to be conducted by the council be-

In other action, the commission Wednesday night referred the original Keith Brown zone change pe-After checking signatures and tition to Commission President form of Keith Brown's new pro- Hedda Swart and City Engineer posal offering two possible ex. J. H. Davis for a re-check of sig. for any runaway increase in the tinuation of both OPA and gov- operational monies of any of the 200 and 1500 students. tensions of the industrial zone natures, and recommended to city cost of living if we get real co- ernment authority to use subsi- present higher educational insti-(IV) in the area, the commission council the denial of a petition operation of industry and labor dies to keep down living costs tutions," Governor Snell declared. gave preliminary approval and by F. O. Young and others for with the government agencies until supplies come into balance "On the contrary the present in- on the part of veterans in higher

# NINETY-FIFTH YEAR



BIKINI, Feb. 27.-Lt. Comdr. Harold H. Grieve (right) of Los Angeles, Calif., explains to King Juda of Bikini (left) the work to be done in transferring natives from the atomic bomb test site to their new home on the island of Rongerik. Grieve is chief of staff to Commodore Ben Wyatt who is handling preliminary arrangements. (AP Wirephoto to The Oregon Statesman)

### Revolt in Spain Sought; Franco Closes Border

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27 .- (AP)-Reliable diplomatic officials said tonight the British and French governments have "approved in principle" a U. S. proposal for a joint declaration designed to dispute affecting 30,000 cargo encourage the Spanish people to overthrow Generalissimo Franco. The officials, who may not be identified, said they expect the highway, and perhaps more would be a candidate for the tor Tobey (R-NH), objected to

the text of the U.S. proposal to be issued simultaneously in Washington, London and Paris later this week after some move has been made.

Hours after the news had "leaked" from London, the state de-

PARIS, Feb. 27.-(A)-Frontier dispatches tonight said Generalissimo Francisco Franco had closed the French-Spanish border and moved up troop reinforcements along the 300-mile

partment today acknowledged that the United States had made new

The department refused to dis-

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 27-(AP)- co, deploring the continued sist a republican.

idle here since Monday, said to ernments would recognize a broad-republican, for state representanight that negotiations now un- ly-representative interim regime tive, 12th district, Marion county, Spain's domestic affairs, and that any change would have to come from the Spanish people.

SOVIET, MONGOLIA SIGN

LONDON, Feb. 27-(AP)-The Mospublic (outer Mongolia).

## Files for State **Senate Position**

Asserting his candidacy for state senator from Yambill county, Euhis name for the republican pri- Wednesday. mary ticket with the secretary of state Wednesday.

proposals on Spain to Britain and would succeed Senator W. E. Burke, who has announced he will not seek re-election. Marsh was Funds Slashed close the proposals. However, speaker of the house during the who filed Tuesday. Gulley also is

Also filing Wednesday were John F. Steelhammer of Salem, and George Rossman, Salem, non-3. A reiteration that the three partisan, for justice of the state (Additional filings on page 2.)

TRAINS TO SPEED UP

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 27.-(AP) Union Pacific trains may resume their faster pre-war speeds within cow radio said a treaty of friend- 60 days, James C. Cumming, the ship and mutual aid was signed road's general passenger agent today between the Soviet union here, said today. Decreasing mili- Ford to Resume and the Mongolian peoples re- tary travel was given as the reason for expected faster service.

## **Bowles Denies Cost** Of Living to Rise 10%

By Francis M. LeMay

President Truman's economic high command challenged today a federal reserve chairman, that living costs might jump 10 per cent under the president's new wage-price policy.

Chester Bowles, economic stabilizer, and John W. Snyder, reconversion director, testified before house committees that they did not expect such an increase in the costs of food, clothing and

Rather High

committee: "I think the estimate of Mr.

Eccles is rather high. Certainly I hope it will be no more than half are now. that-about 5 per cent." Snyder declared before the

banking committee: that administer the new wage- with demand.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27 -(P) any material increase in costs." At the same time Bowles issued a statement saying that "under statement by Marriner S. Eccles, no circumstances" will the government make a price adjustment commitment in advance of a wage agreement. He added that "we cannot handle wage and price basis" and that "the government cannot be a party to economic

> Urging continuation of price controls for another year beyond the June 30 expiration date, Eccles told the banking committee state would have to divert mon- state building program will go

Ask Continuation

horse trading."

Snyder gave his views on Ec-"I don't know what figures Mr. Spence (D-Ky) asked him to money would be diverted from ried veterans, with an estimated spokesman for a group of legis-Eccles used. There is no reason comment. He appealed for con- the state building fund or from enrollment there of between 1,-

# **Airlines President** Implicates Pauley

## Accident, Slides Hit At Travel

The Oregon Statesman

Salem, Oregon, Thursday Morning, February 28, 1946

Two new landslides and a wrecked truck slowed highway and railroad traffic in main traveled sections of Oregon and Washington Wednesday, State Highway Engineer R. H. Baldock reported. Both slide areas - the Columbia river gorge just east of Multnomah falls and the Pacific coast highway near Manzanita - also were blocked earlier this month by slitles.

The Manzanita slide is becoming one of the worst in Oregon history, Baldock said. Truck Accident

AP reported from Portland Union Pacific passenger trains from the east were four to six hours late today due to the Columbia river slide, and Spokane, Portland and Seattle trains were delayed when tracks near Wishram, Wash., were blocked by a truck which had skidded from the highway. That accident was fatal to truck driver Howard Bray of Portland, AP stated. In the Multnomah Falls area

In the Multnomah Falls area 200 feet of road and adjacent Back Lavey 90-foot temporary log bridge just built was threatened, Baldock The earlier slide there brought down 300,000 yards of dirt and rock.

the Evergreen route on the Wash- primary.

Manzanita Slide

Resumption of the sliding rock and dirt closed the Manzanita held public office. road section again. Traffic is detoured by way of the Sunset and Nacenicum highways.

Baldock also reported reopening of the Willamette highway to gene Marsh of McMinnville filed two-way traffic above Oakridge the party primaries. The former didn't want to ruin my personal

#### Administration Marsh, a McMinnville attorney,

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27 .- (AP)-The senate used its fiscal pruning national aide de camp of the Orof Pacific college at Newburg, knife today on two key adminis- der of the Purple Heart. tration control agencies - - the OPA and CPA.

First it slashed funds for operation of the civilian production Lew Wallace. Tony Yturri, Onadministration during the next tario lawyer, a veteran and forfour months. This vote was 44 to 30 and overrap an administration Democrats, has filed for the secplea it could "cripple" the nation- ond Oregon district. Rufus E. al, housing program. Then the lawmakers did the

same thing to the office of price Lyman Ross of Aloha announced keep a six-shooter in one hand, administration by a 45 to 25 roll call, rejecting a contention that tion. this would "sabotage" the price control battle against inflation.

## **Plant Operation**

DETROIT, Feb. 27.-(AP)-The 25 because of the steel shortage, will be resumed Monday.

the Ford Iron Mountain plant -- from passengers. where bodies for station wagons are built -- and all its Michigan testified concerning the wreck hydro plants will also resume which took 11 lives and was cli- influenced to purchase by a \$131 Monday, affecting a total of 38,-0000 workers. .

### Stands Pat



WASHINGTON, Feb. 27-Edwin W. Pauley, shown testifying before the senate naval affairs committee, who indicated today that he would reject a proposal that he withdraw his nomination for undersecretary of the

# Democrats to For Governor

Baldock estimated it would ty democratic committee chair- that he withdraw if the committake at least two days to reopen man, announced late today he tee would clear his name. Sensif the slide continues running, democratic nomination for gov- reading of the statement, declar-Meanwhile, traffic is detoured on ernor in the May gubernatorial ing witnesses who had traveled

> marine corps, Lavey is a Port- Asked \$35,000 land businessman. He has never

five hours after Richard L. Neu- quest from Pauley to contribute berger told Democratic State \$35,000 to the democratic cam-Chairman Henry Aiken he would paign because it involved viols-"not file for a major office" in tion of a law. Patterson said, "I state legislator explained he lack- reputation or that of the company ed assurances of financial back- by doing something that is iling and preferred to continue his legal."

work as a magazine writer. Floyd K. Dover of Grants Pass will be the party's candidate for Drive Opened secretary of state. He is a member of the state advisory comber of the state advisory committee on veterans' affairs and To Kill Draft

Democratic candidates for congressional nominations were anmer state chairman of the Young tional ban on conscription. Wood, Clackamas county assessor, house military committee that has filed for the first district, and he would seek the same nomina-

Gov. Snell and Henry Black, Portland, have declared their candidacies in the republican Witness Tells of gubernatorial primary.

#### Secret Investigation of Yukon Continues

SEATTLE, Feb. 27.-(AP)-A four-Ford Motor company announced man board of inquiry conducting tonight that manufacturing oper- a secret investigation of the wreck ations at its Rouge and Highland of the liner Yukon off Alaska three Salem men and a Portlandpark plants, suspended since Jan. Feb. 4 said today he would com- er charged with mail fraud in the plete questioning of crew members tomorrow and would devote were on the stand in federal court The Ford announcement said all next week to hearing testimony today.

Several passengers already have maxed by the dramatic rescue of 485 persons.

## cannot handle wage and price adjustments on a bargain counter Snell Denies Klamath College basis" and that "the government Money to Lower Building Fund

Monday there is "some possibil- ey from the state building fund forward as rapidly as possible." Bowles told the civil service ity" that living costs under the or operational assets of the board Under existing conditions, new economic policy would go to of higher education in order to Gov. Snell continued, thousands 40 per cent over prewar levels establish a college for veterans at of returning veterans probably Petitions urging the house ways or 10 per cent higher than they the Klamath Falls marine bar- will be unable to enroll until ad- and means committee to approve racks were denied Wednesday by ditional educational facilities are the Townsend old age pension Gov. Earl Snell.

provided. The governor said it plan, bearing more than 300,000 "The board of higher education was proposed to provide spart- signatures, were made public tocles' remarks when Chairman has indicated definitely that no ments at Klamath Falls for mar-

> "I am glad to note the interest stitutions ill be expanded to the education," Gov. Snell averred.

## Withdraw **Demand** Rejected

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27 P-William A. Patterson, United Airlines president, testified today that Edwin W. Pauley pressed him to take an action which Patterson deemed an "absolute viclation of a law."

It was to contribute \$35,000 to the 1944 democratic campaign, and in calling it illegal Patterson obviously had in mind the law prohibiting political contributions by corporations.

The senate naval committee considering Pauley's nomination for undersecretary of the navy heard that the original solicitaion was made to Russell F. Anrens, vice president of the airine, by George Killion, who succeeded Pauley as democratic

Republicans were blocked in fforts to examine Ahrens, however, when democrats objected that his testimony did not directly concern Pauley and made their objections stick. Two votes taken by Chairman Walsh (D-Mass) were settled on party lines, 6-4 and 6-2.

To Reject Plan

Meanwhile Pauley sought to read into the record a statement which he indicated would reject PORTLAND, Feb. 27 -(P) the proposal made yesterday by George Lavey, Multnomah coun- Senator Saltonstall (R-Mass) long distances had been waiting more than 24 hours.

Tobey's attempted questioning of Ahrens grew out of Patterson's Lavey announced his candidacy statement that he rejected a re-

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27 -(AP) Over President Truman's opposition, house republicans opened a nounced by State Committeeman drive today to sidetrack universal military training in favor of an effort to bring about an interna-

Their floor leader, Rep. Martin of Massachusetts, proposed to the "while we are now obliged to we extend the olive branch of peace with the other."

### 'Dividend Check' in **Mail Fraud Trial**

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 27-(P) First witnesses in the trial of sale of Coos Bay oyster beds

A. Z. Brown, Dallas machinist who bought 20 oyster beds of one-eighth acre each, said he was check which he said one of the defendants told him was a "dividend check." Brown said he was led to believe that one oyster bed paid dividends of \$280 in one year. Defendants are Edgar R. Errion, John Barton and Glenn R. Munkers, Salem, and P. E. Blackman, Portland.

#### Reports from Eugene that the greatest degree possible while the Angell Favors **Townsend Plan**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27-(AP)day by Rep. Angell (R-Ore), lators favoring the plan.

Angell expressed doubt that the pension proposal would be passed at this session of congress, but added, "eventually it will be