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### Springfield Cops Have 244 February Cases

SPRINGFIELD — Figures from the February police report reveal the department investigated 244 cases during the month. A partial break-down of the report disclosed the following violations: Failure to yield right-of-way to a pedestrian—23; jaywalkers—24; basic rule—23; larceny other than a dwelling—7; located persons—6; stop signs—13; cars stolen—1.

### March of Dimes Quota Filled

The March of Dimes quota for Lane County has been exceeded, and two of the larger communities have not yet turned in their money. Mrs. C. A. Horton, general chairman, announced Monday. Total collected so far is \$20,922.33, Mrs. Horton said, and Springfield and Cottage Grove have yet to bring in their returns. Quota for the appeal was \$20,000 for the county. Mrs. Horton said as soon as these two communities turn in their money, a breakdown of returns will be published. March of Dimes is the annual

### Will the Senate Ignore John L?

PITTSBURG — Coal miners and operators kept an eye on Washington Monday—along with John L. Lewis. Would the Senate ignore the bushy-browed chief of the United Mine Workers? That was the big question as the coal mine stoppage ordered by Lewis went into its second week. He called the shutdown a memorial to miners killed and injured last year. But he emphasized it also would serve as a protest against appointment of Dr. James Boyd as director of the U. S. Bureau of Mines. The Senate Interior Committee approved Boyd's nomination by a 10-1 vote almost as the miners put their lunch boxes on the shelves. But the Senate, as a whole, hasn't yet acted. If it confirms Boyd, the operators wonder what Lewis will do. Will he order the miners to continue their stay at home or will he allow them to resume work as scheduled next Monday?

Some operators frankly admit they won't conjecture Lewis' next move. These are the same men who said Lewis caught them "flat-footed" when he ordered all miners east of the Mississippi to lay down their tools.

As the second week of the stoppage began the nation's coal stock was about 60,000,000 tons—10,000,000 less than a week ago. But that's still enough for 30 to 35 days. The nation's economy has suffered greatly from the stoppage. The only people whose pocket-books have been hit heavily are the 453,000 idle miners and the 70,000 workers furloughed by coal-hauling railroads. They're facing a dim Easter.

Headquarters of the national Women's Christian Temperance Union are in Evanston, Ill.



MEET AT THE FAIR — Bobby Weaver, 4, makes the acquaintance of Robbie the rabbit and Phoebe the fish, Dewey and Almy rubber toys exhibited at the American Toy Fair in N. Y.

### Accidents Kept Police Busy

Eight auto accidents kept Eugene police busy over the weekend. Three persons were injured and damage ran high in several of the collisions.

Roy A. Bednoschek, 690 19th Ave. W., was taken to Sacred Heart hospital and later released with a bruised right shoulder received in an accident at 10th Ave. W. and Lawrence St. Bednoschek was a passenger in a taxicab operated by Kenneth McGrath, 211 High St., who collided with Edward Fretwell, 650 19th Ave. W. at 6:30 a. m. Sunday.

Charles F. Krey, 1660 Washington St., and Donna M. Smith, 548 N. Fifth St., Springfield, were injured at 8 p. m. Sunday. Krey was released after first aid treatment and Miss Smith's condition was reported "good" by Sacred Heart hospital Monday morning.

The two were injured when they attempted to get in Krey's auto from the traffic side of Charnelton St. and were hit by William Richardson, 1985 Roosevelt Blvd. Manluf McBee, Springfield, was cited for failure to yield right of way at 10:20 a. m. Sunday after his car was involved in a collision with Arthur R. Quakenbush, 1995 Patterson St., at the corner of 10th Ave. E. and Pearl St.

Arrested Saturday at 10 a. m. was Lloyd Ingram, Monroe, for failure to yield the right of way. Ingram was involved in an accident with Ethel M. Price, Cottage Grove, at 8th Ave. W. and Jefferson St. Damage was estimated at \$130 to both cars.

Damage amounted to \$550 when Viron A. Moore, 3210 S. Williamette, collided with Joris O. Johnson, 2409 Nixon St., at the corner of Sixth Ave. E. and Pearl St. at 12:40 p. m. Saturday.

Other collisions of lesser consequence were at Patterson and 14th Ave. E., where cars piloted by Henry Ferguson, Coos Bay, and Elda Ketner, 659 Broadway Ave. E., came together, at 13th Ave. E. and Pearl, where cars driven by Melvin Daemwood, 325 Harlow Road, and George H. Reece, Route 2, Box 542 collided; 11th Ave. E. and High, where Edith Vandehey, 520 Harlow Rd., collided with Robert Hendrickson, 793 11th Ave. E.; at Oak St. and 10th Ave. E., where Thomas R. Atkinson, 1757 Lawrence St., and James Hennessey, Coos Bay, came together; and also at 10th Ave. E. and Oak St., where Harvey Schanze, 961 Jefferson St., col-

### Russ-Korea Pact Told

MOSCOW — (AP)—The government made public early Monday a 10-year agreement signed with Korean People's Democratic Republic (Russian-sponsored North Korea). This is the only Korean government recognized by Russia.

No mention was made of any military assistance. The agreement, which was signed March 17, will go into effect as soon as it is ratified by both sides. It was indicated this will take but a short time. Russia and the Koreans agreed on a mutual exchange of goods that will "significantly" increase in 1949 and 1950 and credit terms and technical aid for the Koreans.

### Flames Damage Home

SPRINGFIELD — Grease heating on an electric stove burst into flames Sunday morning and scorched a kitchen wall and cupboard at the home of H. E. Gerber, 448 C St.

Firemen said grease that had spilled under the stove's burner the previous day ignited and set fire to the can of heating grease. Blowtorch-like flames shot up toward the ceiling and charred a built-in and one wall. Paint was marred and some smoke damage resulted. No estimate of damage was given.



Among the many new toys on display at the annual Toy Fair in New York is this plastic milk glass, a unique take-off on the old penny-in-the-bottom-of-the-porridge-bowl routine. When Janie Fraser, 5, draws on the straw, it not only brings the milk to her mouth, but also starts the merry-go-round on top spinning.

### More Residents Sign Ouster Petitions

SPRINGFIELD — The list of petition signers demanding the reinstatement of Fire Chief Harry Melson and the ousting of City Manager Fred Cheatham pushed over the 1400 mark Sunday.

Russell Goddard, main petition circulator, said 300 new petitioners had been acquired in the past week and that efforts were underway to obtain 500 signatures by Friday, bringing the petition list to approximately 1600 names. Some 1090 petition signatures were submitted to the city council last week. Goddard said the new petitions would be turned into the city hall Friday so they would be placed on the agenda of the adjourned council meeting scheduled Mar. 28.

Indians were the first to use the toboggan, whose name is a corruption of the Algonquin word odabagan.

Injured Collision  
Sunday afternoon resulted in minor injuries to Anderson, Rt. 2, and Reginald O. Cooley, Springfield. Drivers involved were Anderson, Rt. 2, and Reginald O. Cooley, Springfield. Drivers involved were Anderson, Rt. 2, and Reginald O. Cooley, Springfield.

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