

Well Points Growth, Stability in Area

Industry Leaders Railroad's Chief

DONALD J. RUSSELL, Register-Guard City Editor (Special)—Donnell renewed an old acquaintance with the Pacific here Tuesday night—as the newly elected chief of the Southern Pacific

and 400 industry leaders, officials and parties intermingled in another in the Multnomah Hotel in the city.

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million since the end of World War II.

And, he pointed out, the shipper must consider the state's one-way economy. Less than one-third of the cars required to move Oregon products out of state are brought in with pay loads. The other two-thirds must be sent in empty, he claimed.

THE GENIAL railroader also stressed the difficulty a railroad has in getting rate adjustments. Hearings must be held, he explained, and often by the time the drawn-out process is completed, the rate is far out of date.

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Woman Reports Owen Cites Public Threat Repeated Duty in Campaign

'Offer to Buy' Said Refused by Owner

A threat to destroy a residence housing a Negro family at 2785 Friendly St. failed to materialize Tuesday night. State police patrolled the area following another in a series of anonymous phone calls to the property owner, Mrs. Effie Spencer, 1384 Lawrence St.

Mrs. Spencer said the call came shortly before 1 a.m. Wednesday when an unidentified male speaker told her she'd "better get out to the place" right away. She called state police, who patrolled the area and found no violence.

Earlier, an anonymous caller threatened that the house would be destroyed if the Negro family wasn't out of it by Tuesday night.

Mrs. Spencer said she began receiving complaints from neighbors shortly after she leased the residence to the Leon Gasper family Sunday. She said she understood that some neighbors in the area met Tuesday to discuss the issue. Later, she said, one neighbor told her he had a "cash buyer" for the property if she would move the Negro family out.

Mrs. Spencer said she refused the offer since the Gaspers hold a lease with option to buy after eight months. "After all," she said, "I've signed a contract."

Man Faces Check Charge

Thomas Eugene Adams, 21, of Ft. Hood, Tex., was arraigned on a charge of forgery in circuit court Wednesday morning.

He will enter his plea Thursday at 10 a. m. He is accused of forging a check payable to Marion L. Loefer, 18, of Eugene. Loefer was sentenced to six years for forgery two weeks ago. Last week Hestel J. R. Potter got six years for forgery also done with Loefer.

J. P. Leshner, 31, of Tacoma pleaded guilty to a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. He is to be sentenced Friday morning at 10.

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George E. Owen, local lumberman, told a Red Cross breakfast meeting of 70 persons at the Osburn Hotel Wednesday morning that reaching the organization's \$100,000 goal this year was the responsibility of every right-thinking citizen.

This figure represents an 8 per cent increase over the \$92,000 actually raised during last year's campaign. Last year's goal was \$110,000.

Owen, who has been appointed chairman of the lumber division this year, outlined some of the work of the local chapter in the county.

"WHEN THE PEOPLE of this community realize that 80 per cent of every dollar spent by our local chapter is used for services within the county, it will not be difficult for them to support this vital organization," Owen said.

Wide Turn Crash Cause

About \$300 damage was done to two automobiles early Wednesday morning near W. 6th Ave. and Monroe St., Eugene police reported.

A 1941 coupe going south on Monroe from W. 6th Ave. and driven by William Walter Larwood, 27, of 1344 Betty Lane, struck a 1938 sedan parked on Monroe St. The Larwood vehicle received damage to the right front fender and grille and the other car was damaged in the left rear and trunk. It was not occupied.

Police said no citation was issued. They reported the moving car made too wide a turn at the intersection.

Prison Doctor Quits, To Return to Eugene

SALEM—(AP)—Dr. Harvard C. Moore, state penitentiary physician resigned Tuesday after serving two years. He will return to his home in Eugene.

Warden Virgil O'Malley said he is trying to find a new doctor. Dr. Moore is the first doctor employed at the penitentiary.

Church Group Asks Permit

OAKLAND—A group from a non-denominational church appeared at the city council meeting Tuesday night to request an extension of a permit to use a tent for a church building completion of their church building. Councilmen decided to leave the matter to the discretion of the state fire marshal's office.

The council approved an ordinance allowing vacation of a street between the Martin Bros. mill office and the railroad tracks.

Francis Todd explained fire insurance rates on the new fire hall. The council voted to buy a five-year, \$10,000 policy.

The resignation of A. W. Carlisle as municipal judge was accepted, but no successor was named. By ordinance the judge must live in the city; Carlisle lived outside.

Harold M. Utiger

Harold M. Utiger of Cascadia, Ore., died in Eugene, Tuesday, Feb. 5, 1952 at the age of 52. He was born Oct. 6, 1889 in Clackamas County, Ore., and had spent most of his life in Molalla. He is survived by his wife Vera, three brothers: Ed and Fred of Toledo and Milo of Oregon City; two sisters: Mrs. Maizie Pfeiffer of Oregon City and Mrs. Hazel McDonald of Vernonia. Funeral services will be held in Oregon City, Friday, Feb. 6, 1952. Burial will be in the family plot near Molalla.



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