

Council Refuses
Placing Request
Junction City Skips
'No Protest' Letter
JUNCTION CITY—City council Monday night took no action on a Greyhound Racing, Inc., request for a letter containing a "no protest" clause.
Since the proposed racing track would be located about halfway between Eugene and Junction City, the council felt its opinion on the matter was not necessary, the story page one.)
Carl Thies, Junction City racing dog breeder, appeared on behalf of the racing group, along with Dr. Jay C. Hicks, Leon Faur and Jean Barreau.
PROVE TRANSFER
An order consenting to the transfer of Mt. States Power Co. franchise to the Pacific Light and Power Co. (recently merged) was given a first reading.
Poster and Kleiser was granted permission to erect a sign between 4th and 5th Sts. on Ivy St., and the firm clears up the cherry tree on city property on the alley between 10th and 11th Sts. was ordered removed.
A petition for rezoning a section of the city near the north limits from residential to industrial was recommended to the planning commission.
The commission approved the rezoning except for two lots of Block 110, which it thought a block better suited for business classification.
BUSINESS ZONE
A petition was presented regarding all of Block 110 be zoned business. Signed by all the residents in the block and those having property within 100 feet, the petition will go to the planning commission.
The council decided a hearing to be held June 10.
A report was given on a recent meeting with property owners on 10th St., relative to a petition for paving the street.
The council voted to postpone the paving for the present and a request to be made to the state highway department for help in the paving.
Driver Unhurt
in Car Wreck
A 1952 auto was a total loss after a one-car crash Monday evening in south Eugene, but the driver was unhurt.
Eugene police reported that L. Gaddys, 30, of 4493 Madison Blvd. was the driver of the car that skidded 142 feet, jumped a ditch and overturned on Amazon Blvd. near 33rd Ave.
An officer quoted Gaddys as saying he was trying to catch up with an auto in front but that he couldn't stop when it slowed.
Gaddys was cited for violating basic rule.



FREE TIME—Communist Vietminh soldiers held prisoner by French Union forces in POW camp at De Phu Lam, Indochina, sing while playing guitars and mandolins during their free time. The bus in the background is used to transport prisoners from collecting points near the front lines to the camp.

Wet Weather Hits Midwest

By ASSOCIATED PRESS
Windy and wet weather hit the mid-continent again Tuesday. The vigorous storm center that moved northward through parts of Minnesota and the Dakotas Tuesday but it continued to give strong westerly winds to North Dakota. Gusts to near 50 m.p.h. hit Minot, N. D., accompanied by some rain. However, rain had ended in most of the northern plains.
It was mild and skies were clear in the southeast quarter of the country. There were scattered showers along the East Coast, mainly in sections of New England. Other wet spots were in extreme Northern California and Western Oregon, extending into the Northern and Central Rockies.
Some early morning reports: Minneapolis 61 and clear; New York 68 and partly cloudy; Miami 77 and clear; Seattle 51 and clear; Denver 63 and partly cloudy; San Francisco 53 and partly cloudy; Indianapolis 73 and cloudy; Des Moines 61 and clear; Chicago 70 and cloudy.

Elected to Honorary

Four University of Oregon students have been elected to membership in the local chapter of Alpha Kappa Delta, national sociology honorary. Newly elected members are Joan Sheldahl, Portland; Nancy Moore, Langlois; Joan Havland, Seattle, Wash.; and Dolores Eachus, Homedale, Idaho. Miss Havland was also elected president of the group for the coming year. Miss Moore will serve as secretary-treasurer.

June Jurors Hear Judge Outline Duties

Circuit Judge William G. East Tuesday morning greeted 30 members of the new jury panel for the June term and outlined some of the responsibilities jurors must meet.
"Under the laws and constitution of the State of Oregon," East said, "anyone charged with the commission of a crime is entitled to stand trial before a jury of 12 citizens selected according to provisions of law."
"This is a land of law, not of men. Therefore, it is incumbent upon the circuit judges to order you good citizens to stand jury duty."
East said the policy has been adopted in Lane County, because of a heavy case load, that jurors only have to serve on the panel four weeks instead of a full jury term.
"We want responsible jurors," East said, "but we realize that some sacrifice is required on your part to serve. Only in cases of personal hardship can we excuse you from serving."
The judge then asked jurors who wanted to be excused to explain their reasons. Six mothers with small children were permitted to refrain from jury duty. Three men who were self-employed were excused after they told the judge service would work a hardship.
About a dozen members of the panel failed to show up for roll call Tuesday morning. Their names were referred to the Sheriff's Office for notification.

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Soviets Lose Chess Champ

NEW YORK (AP)—A Russian chess team, expected here for a tournament with an American team starting June 18, will be without its No. 1 player, World Champion Mikhail Botvinnik.
Harold M. Phillips, who arranged the match, reported Monday that Botvinnik had been dropped from the team but all efforts to find out why had been fruitless.
Phillips, president of the United States Chess Federation, said Botvinnik is a frail man and shows great tension when he plays. "My own belief is that Botvinnik's health would not permit him to come," he said.
The champion's absence, he said, increases American prospects for victory.

COUNTY JUDGE DIES

MEDFORD (AP)—County Judge James B. Coleman, 77, who has held some Jackson County office ever since 1917 when he was elected assessor, died here Monday.

Outstanding U O Journalists Receive Awards at Banquet

Scholarships and awards were presented to outstanding student journalists of the University of Oregon at the annual Oregon Daily Emerald awards banquet recently.
The Turnbull-Hall plaque for the outstanding senior member of the Emerald staff went to Kathleen Fraser, Coos Bay. Joseph Gardner, Portland, received the first annual William Gurney memorial award of \$100. The award was given by Sigma Delta Chi men's national journalistic fraternity, and Alpha Tau Omega, national social fraternity, in honor of Gurney, a former member of the Emerald staff, who was killed last summer.
Valera Vierra, Eureka, Calif., received the Winship-Pegg award for the most outstanding contribution to the Emerald's advertising staff. Elsie Schiller, Aberdeen, Wash., received the Sigma Delta Chi scholarship award, and David Averill, Eugene received the SDX achievement award. All three are seniors.
Gordon Rice, Lakeview, was named the outstanding sophomore man in journalism by SDX, and Travis Cavens, Beaverton, was honored as the outstanding freshman man. Dorothy Iler, Pendleton, was chosen as the outstanding sophomore woman in journalism by Theta Sigma Phi, women's national journalistic fraternity, and Kathleen Morrison of Hubbard was named the outstanding freshman woman.
Four newspaper scholarships were also announced at the banquet. The Pendleton East Oregonian scholarship was awarded to Miss Iler; The Baker Democrat-Herald scholarship to Marcella Dutcher, Baker; the Hillsboro Argus scholarship to Gardner, and the Myrtle Creek Mail scholarship to Mary Salazar, Emmett, Idaho. A special unnamed scholarship was also awarded to Rice.
The T. Neil Taylor awards for the best senior thesis went to Albert Karr, Eugene, first place; Miss Schiller, second place, and Averill, third.

Queen Contest Blanks Ready

Applications now are being taken for the Emerald Empire Roundup queen contest.
Applicants must be between 16 and 30. They will be judged on beauty, poise, personality and horsemanship.
Judging will follow a parade in Eugene June 26.
The queen and her court will rule over the roundup Aug. 13-15. Application blanks are available at the Eugene Police Dept. in the city hall or at the Eugene Outdoor Store. They must be turned in by June 15.
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