

UNIFICATION OF PAROLES SOUGHT AT CONFERENCE

Several Salem men are participating today in the western states parole and probation conference which is in session at the Portland hotel.

J. S. Murray, secretary of the state parole board and identification officer at the state penitentiary in charge of registration, W. L. Gosselin, private secretary to Governor Martin, and member of the parole board, is chairman of the committee on program and arrangements, and called the session to order. Rev. P. W. Erickson, state prison chaplain, gave the invocation. Francis T. Wade of Salem, assistant attorney general, spoke on "Basic Legislation as to Parole and Probation in Oregon." Dr. Floyd L. Utter, member of the parole board, was listed to speak on "Administration, Principles and Practice of the Oregon State Parole System."

Miss Dorothy Fredden, parole officer at Oregon Industrial School for Girls, is to speak on "The Parole System at the Girls' Industrial School," and Sam Laughlin, superintendent of Oregon State Training school, on the parole system at that place. Edward M. Duffy, parole officer at the penitentiary, will speak on "The Duties of a State Parole Officer." J. S. Murray, representing Warden J. W. Lewis, will talk on "The Functions of the Modern Prison." W. L. Gosselin will talk on "Suggested Reforms in the Oregon Parole System."

STARR REUNION MEETS AT PARK

The ninth annual reunion of the descendants of the family of Elijah Washington Starr was held in the Silverton city park Sunday with Virgil Starr, of Salem, elected president of the clan; Harold Starr, Fresno, Calif., vice president; and Catherine Starr, Salem, secretary-treasurer. The oldest member present was George Starr, 77, of Salem and the youngest, Patricia Rae Starr, 17 months, of Silverton.

The Starr family moved to Oregon in 1876, locating at Stayton and a few months later moved to a farm a mile west of Mehama where the family lived until moving to Salem in 1882. In 1889 they went to Medford, living there until 1905 when residence was established in Portland, remaining there until Elijah Starr died in 1921.

Attending from Salem were Virgil Starr, Mrs. E. H. Lang, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Starr, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Moss, Miss Altha R. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Starr, Donna Starr, and Mrs. Verne Starr. Nade and Wayne Starr, Norma Engle, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Plant and Shirley, Phyllis, Audrey and Harry, Jr., and Mrs. E. N. Starr and Jessie, Mrs. Hollis Caplinger and Bernice, Phoenix, Ariz., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burcott, Dorothy and Maxine, of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Starr and Patricia Rae, of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Starr, Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. LaVoy Thompson, Newburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer O. Brown, Cheshire, Ore. During the afternoon Phyllis and Audrey Plant offered vocal numbers and Donna Starr an accordion solo.

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Mayhew Carson, of Oregon City, assisted in recovering the body. Parents of the three boys accompanied them to Monitor for the week-end. They were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Carpenter, of Parkdale, and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dilley, of Portland. Coroner L. E. Barrick, of Salem, investigated and ordered the body taken to the Ringo funeral chapel in Woodburn. It was forwarded to Hood River Monday for final services.

Mr. and Mrs. Glee Hickey, route 2 box 180, and Willard O. Mitchell, 1665 North Front, were injured at Fourth and Columbia about 8:30 o'clock Sunday night when their automobiles collided at the intersection, a telephone pole being broken in the accident. Mr. and Mrs. Hickey were cut and bruised and spent the night at the hospital while Mitchell was released after minor injuries had been treated. Hickey was driving north on Fourth and Mitchell east on Columbia.

T. L. Hicks, route 6 box 331, received an injured hip and spine. Hicks, 12, minor cuts, when machines driven by Hicks and W. P. Hardy, 1875 Berry, collided at Rural and South Church Sunday morning. Other mishaps reported to the police over the week-end were by P. E. Graber and Mrs. A. Rango, 1235 Broadway, on Broadway, P. V. Clements, Willamina, and an unidentified driver in the 600 block on North High; Miss Juanita Bates, Ben Lomond drive, whose parked machine was struck by another; E. J. Smith, 945 South 12th, and an unidentified driver on Perry and Church; Roland Rhodes, route 1 box 80, Aumsville, and John H. Mensch, 1001 Second street, at Commercial and Center and by P. T. Dick, 2180 Maple, six miles south of Salem.

MILL CITY LIKED

Mill City—Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Chance of Bishop, Calif., are visiting relatives in Mill City. They are trying to locate a place to make their future home here.

Gates—Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Schier (Gwen Johnson) have returned to their home at White Salmon after a week's visit at the home of Mrs. Schier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Johnson.

Illness Fatal



DR. PARKES CADMAN

HOLD FUNERAL ON WEDNESDAY

Brooklyn, N. Y., July 13 (AP)—The body of Dr. S. Parkes Cadman, who left the coal mines of his native Shropshire to become internationally famous as "the radio preacher," was brought to Brooklyn today.

The 71-year-old clergyman and world peace advocate died of peritonitis yesterday at the Champlain Valley hospital in Plattsburg, N. Y., just a week after he entered the institution with a ruptured appendix. Bishop Francis J. McConnell of the Methodist church will conduct the funeral Wednesday at the Brooklyn Central Congregational church where Dr. Cadman became an outstanding religious leader. Burial will be in Kenosha cemetery in Westchester county, N. Y.

Dr. Cadman was stricken with appendicitis last Sunday night while delivering a peace lecture at the Methodist church in Plattsburg. Although suffering severe pain he finished his lecture before going to the hospital. An emergency operation disclosed the appendix had ruptured and peritonitis set in.

VARIED PROGRAM BY SALEM GRANGE

At a recent all day meeting of Salem Grange No. 17 reports from agriculture and special committees were given.

A club luncheon was served at noon which was well attended. During the lecture hour Mrs. S. H. Van Trump presented the following program:

Song by grange, "Church in the Woodland." Remarks, current events, R. R. Hewitt.

Piano solos "Fifth Nocturne by Bach," and "In the Sweet Bye and Bye," with variations by Mrs. R. R. Hewitt.

Monroe Sweetland read poems "A Conservative," "Minding Wall," "R. O. T. C." and "Fun to be a Soldier."

H. C. Leavenworth, "Times I Was Embarrassed," and read an article on current events in a Missouri paper.

Mrs. J. J. McDonald told events and places visited on her trip to Pennsylvania and New York. Mrs. Maurice Townsend gave plans for a social evening.

Closing song, "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

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story of an agreement that has excited Europe, and has brought nervous talk of new political combinations among the powers.

"Col. Franz von Pappen (the German minister to Austria) came to me with a plan of his own for an understanding between our countries. We replied with a counter plan. But matters went no further until last May. Then, believing that I saw signs of friendly disposition on Germany's part, I asked Col. Pappen if he could resume negotiations with the full authority of his government. We have had two or three meetings since mid-June.

"Our agreement leaves the Hapsburg question exactly where it is. It is an internal Austrian question of a kind which Germany has promised to leave alone.

"It is not a matter for immediate settlement. I hold that if restoration were to come about it could not be by a coup, but only by a plebiscite. I further say that such a plebiscite could be held only in the certainty that it would not endanger the peace of central Europe.

"It is a fact that one or more of the states of the Little Entente (Rumania, Czechoslovakia and Yugoslavia) oppose restoration of the Hapsburgs even more strongly than has Germany. So the present time is not suitable for consulting the people on the matter. It is a subject about which people in foreign countries talk far too much."

Silverton—Miss Phyllis Waldner and her mother, Mrs. Henry Waldner, spent last week in Portland attending the NEA and visiting relatives. Mrs. Waldner has returned home and Miss Waldner remained for a longer stay.

DEATH PENALTY PAID BY 15 AT TOKIO SUNDAY

Tokio, July 13 (AP)—Fourteen army officers and a civilian convicted of leadership of the extremist army revolt of last February, were executed yesterday.

Two men sentenced to death were relieved at the last hour—Captain Koji Muraoka and Paymaster Asachi Ito, both retired.

The official announcement of the executions gave no details, but it was assumed the men were lined against a wall, according to custom, and shot by a firing squad.

It was announced last week that Muraoka and Ito played a leading part in fomenting the revolt but did not actually take part in its physical execution. They were accused of stirring up feelings against politicians and the financial clique.

The executions were carried out with the customary secrecy and the general public was unaware of them. The drastic punishment meted out to the offenders was taken by foreign observers as an indication of Emperor Hirohito's determination to abolish divided control of the country by the army clique and statesmen, and to reinforce the authority of parliamentary government.

Those executed were: Captains Kiyosada Kada and Teruo Ondo; Genichi Minakami, civilian attorney; Lieutenant Motoaki Nakahashi; Yasuhiko Kurihara, Seicho Mibu; Tadaaki Sakai; Masaru Tanaki; Hachiro, Toshiniko Ikeda; Taro Takahashi; Kiyosumi Miyagi; Minoru Tokiwa; Yasuhei Kikuyohara, and Kinjiro Suzuki.

PRESTON WILL LEAD VETERANS

Albany, Ore., July 13 (AP)—A program of preparedness, neutrality and development faced the Oregon department of the Veterans of Foreign Wars today as delegates to the 1936 convention returned to their homes after choosing Richard L. Preston of Roseburg as state commander.

Major resolutions passed at the annual parley called for a permanent national policy of non-interference in foreign affairs, a military defense second to none, and provided for the appointment of a committee of 15 to co-operate with civic organizations in encouraging travel and industrial gains in Oregon.

Other resolutions adopted in closing sessions Saturday assailed the proposed tax limitation amendment sponsored by the Oregon Taxpayers' association of Salem and the Portland realty board; opposed removal of the battleship Oregon or any part thereof from the Portland harbor, and, in effect, favored the allotment of more funds for schools in Multnomah county.

In addition to Preston, who succeeds Dwight Alderman of Portland as commander, delegates named the following officers:

John L. Snelstrom, Eugene, senior vice commander; Les Williams, Portland, junior vice commander; Carl Cochran, Portland, quartermaster; Louis Starr, Portland, judge advocate; Dr. W. G. Scott, Portland, surgeon; the Rev. Perry Smith, Roseburg, chaplain.

Mrs. Helen Hancock, Bridge, was chosen president of the auxiliary.

HEWLETTS ASK CARE OF GRANDDAUGHTER

Leroy and Catherine Hewlett Saturday filed in the circuit court a petition to be awarded the custody of their five year old granddaughter, Catherine Irene Sigmund, daughter of Floyd L. Sigmund and the late Mary E. Sigmund.

In a divorce granted January 21, 1936, custody of the two Sigmund children was awarded to Mrs. Sigmund. She died three months later, and her parents, the Hewletts, adopted the son, John Leroy Sigmund.

In support of their petition for custody of the granddaughter the Hewletts state they are financially able to care for and educate the children and have become attached to them. They allege that Floyd Sigmund is not properly qualified, because of instability and uncontrollable temper, to care for the children. It is the wish of the mother, they say, that the grandparents have the care of the children, and they ask a modification of the divorce decree accordingly, with provision that the father be allowed to visit the children occasionally.

CLAM SEASON CALLS Gates—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed and her sister, Miss Mary Mason are spending several weeks at the various coast resorts during clam season.

The average age of the members of the new Hirota cabinet in Japan is 39, four years younger than that of the Okada cabinet.

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FIGHTS SPANISH COUNT'S DIVORCE



The Countess of Covadonga announced she would resist the action at New York of her husband, Alfonso, to break their marriage. A Cuban commoner, the former Edelmira San Pedro, she was married to the former crown prince of Spain in 1933. (Associated Press Photo)

Socialists Hear How to Get Past Legal Inhibition

The state socialist convention solved the problem here yesterday of getting the word "socialist" on the November ballot in Oregon along with the names of candidates of the group.

Prevented by statute from using any identification other than "independent" unless the party is officially organized, the delegates were at a loss to know how to inform the electorate whom they supported until William Pottsmith of Portland took the floor.

"I suggest we all change our middle names to 'Socialist' and then there will be no doubt," Pottsmith said.

His suggestion was received with applause.

COPTIC BISHOP TALKS AT THREE CHURCHES

The Ethiopian former Coptic priest and now bishop of the Progressive Coptic Church of North America was the guest speaker yesterday at the American Lutheran, First Evangelical and First Christian churches, and had large audiences.

Dr. Checizli, who says his purpose is to create a spirit of love and harmony among the races of men and apprehension among the negroes for a future return to Africa, was eloquent in his appeal for national and international peace and for setting up more ethical standards in the life of men.

His belief is that "no development is solid unless such a development is based on ethical virtues, and no claim of Christianity is true until racial or color prejudice and greed, selfishness and national bigotry can become deformed from the mind of man—a national bigotry that is based on the mechanical forces of bomb planes, tanks and armored cars."

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did not fit the machine on which it was seen. There are only a limited number of cars of the model described with that series of plates in Oregon.

Police questioned Palmer again Sunday and are satisfied that his story is correct; with the exception that the driver may or may not have held a gun against the Chinaman. Anyhow, no corpse has yet materialized.

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DEATH RECORD TOTALS 10 OVER THIS WEEK-END

The largest week-end death record of the summer listed 10 victims today, exceeding the holiday toll of a week ago when eight died.

Automobile accidents, reported suicides, drownings and heart attacks suffered at work and at play made up the record-breaking fatality list. More than a score of other persons received hospital treatment for injuries, most of them incurred in automobile wrecks.

Three victims drowned. Harvey Davis, 9, swimming near Clatskanie, was trapped under a log raft. Irene Robin, 19, lost her life swimming in the Lost river near Klamath Falls. Arriving to visit his grandmother near Monitor in Marion county, Howard Carpenter, 10, Parkdale, tried fishing for crayfish in an abandoned gravel pit filled with water, fell in and drowned.

Two died in automobile wrecks. Russel Iversen, Bismark, N. D., suffered fatal injuries when an automobile plunged from the John Day highway near Canyon City. William Hagen, 22, of Independence, died from injuries received when his automobile skidded off the highway west of Salem. Three others were hurt.

A falling log killed Jack Kingston, 48, Elton, at a camp on the Smith River near Redport.

William E. Noonan, 63, dancing at a Portland resort, dropped dead, presumably from a heart attack. His partner was carried to the floor and knocked unconscious.

Working in a hay field, Leonard Sidwell fell dead near Silverton, apparently victim of a heart attack. Irving Condit, returning to his Grants Pass home from a tavern died from a pistol wound in the head. Authorities were informed it was self-inflicted. A 20-year-old Indian woman, Mrs. Agnes H. Jackson, drowned in the Celilo canal near The Dalles. A friend told police she jumped in the water.

A skidding automobile near Albany cost J. E. Piepmann, Spokane, his arm and injured five other persons.

Unusual accidents injured two women. Mrs. William Bell fell on a Portland dance floor and broke her arm. Mrs. J. L. Wilson, Seattle, suffered head and leg injuries when a boulder crashed upon the Crater Wall trail near Medford.

BABY STOLEN WITH AUTO IS RETURNED

Apparently frightened by a cry from an eight-months old baby in a basket in the back seat of a sedan, the thief who attempted to make off with the automobile left it a few blocks from where it was stolen Saturday night. Officer Claude Litchfield, prowler car driver, found the car and baby three-fourths of an hour after the alarm had been given.

Mrs. Joe Rogers, of Independence, told the police that she had stopped her car at a Chemeketa street address for a few minutes, leaving the baby in the vehicle. When she

SOCIALISTS OF OREGON NAME BALLOT TICKET

Norman Thomas, socialist presidential candidate and his running mate, George A. Nelson of Wisconsin, today had a place on the Oregon ballot, and a slate of socialist-sponsored independent candidates was in the field for congressional and major state offices.

The nominations were made at an assembly here yesterday which started with less than the 250 electors required by law, but ended with 284 registered, after a telephone and personal solicitation of friends and neighbors.

Clarence Rudder, Milwaukie, president of the Workers' Alliance there and prominent in organized labor, was selected to oppose Senator Charles L. McNary, republican, and Willis Mahoney, democrat, for election to the United States senate.

As candidate for congress from the first district, the assembly chose Mrs. Mary Hilburn Jackson, Eugene, secretary of the consumers' cooperative in that city. Mrs. Minnie McFarland, Umatilla, granger and well known in other farmers' organizations was the second district candidate. Rodney D. Snyder, Portland, retired Methodist minister, will run for congress from the third district—Multnomah county.

J. E. Hoemer, Silverton attorney, was nominated for state attorney general after Roy R. Hewitt, Salem, had declined the nomination. Don Swetland, Portland printer and secretary of the Sawmill and Timber Workers' union, received the nomination for state treasurer.

The assembly approved a resolution endorsing an unnamed slate of candidates for four Marion county legislative positions, to be chosen later by the Marion county farm-labor association.

An executive committee chosen to manage the socialist-independent campaign included Monroe Swetland, Salem, chairman; Ross W. Anderson, Portland; Leitha Stripling, Salem; Rudder and Swetland. Mabel Snyder, Multnomah; Nathalie Panek, Marion; Blanche Meyers, Clackamas; Oscar Ingram, Linn, and J. E. Hoemer, Silverton, were nominated presidential electors.

Officials estimated that more than 50,000 Shriners and their families will participate in the session. India temple of Oklahoma, was the first uniformed patrol to arrive today accompanied by their 50 piece band. Following them was the Abu Bekr temple of Sioux City, Ia., with its famous white horse patrol.

The enormous San Francisco unit heralded its arrival with shrieks, firecrackers and a cannon blast followed by a parade two blocks long.

Today's program included automobile tours, cruises through the sound, radio programs by temple chanters, visits to the 24 United States navy warships at anchor in Elliott bay in observance of fleet week, and numerous banquets, committee sessions, band concerts and parties.

HOME IS REPAIRED Mill City—Mr. and Mrs. Charley Johnson of Salem recently completed repairing their house in Mill City. They accompanied Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Wukenson, to the coast for a week.

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