



Labor Bill Battle Looms—Representative John S. Wood (D., Ga.) holds a copy of his bill which a coalition of republicans and southern democrats hope to pass in Washington, D. C., in place of the administration's labor bill.

Traffic Death Record Low; Long Cold Spell Big Aid

Oregon marked up its best highway traffic death rate on record in the first three months of this year, Secretary of State Earl T. Newby reported today.

But he added with a frustrated sigh that the record didn't necessarily reflect more conscientious, cautious driving on the part of an aroused motoring public.

PT&T Cancels Union Contracts

Seattle, May 2 (AP)—The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company gave notice today it intends to cancel all contracts with the Independent Communications Workers of America union in Washington and Idaho.

In a statement issued to all employees, the company declared the contract with plant workers will be cancelled in 30 days and that with commercial and traffic employees in 60 days.

At the same time, the company offered to re-employ, effective tomorrow, the 28 employees dismissed as a result of work stoppages in Tacoma, Olympia, Shelton and Seattle.

The telephone company declared the contracts with the CWA were being cancelled because of "the unwillingness of the unions to be realistic toward the company's wage offer."

Negotiations between the company and union have been under way for nearly a year. The statement said, however, that contract proposals made to the CWA during March are not being withdrawn.

The letter added these proposals were comparable to those now held by all telephone company employees, except those in Washington and Idaho.

Accounting employees in the two states are not covered by a contract at the present time.

Young Publishers Also Have Trouble

Silverton — The six-page "Silver Splash", junior high publication March issue is just off the press late "due to production difficulties beyond our control."

The editorial staff under direction of Miss Helvie Silver as adviser, included Miss Jackie Fonken, editor in chief; Merna Gehrman, assistant editor; Johanna Hanson, Pansy Fincher and Maxine Bergman, art; Dean Libner and Leon McCammon, sports; and Bill Schneider and

Western HORSE SHOW. Sponsored by The Willamette Valley Horseman's Association. FAIRGROUNDS STADIUM. May 7-8 P. M.—May 8, 2 P. M.

Pulp Workers Scale Extended

Employees of 33 Oregon, Washington and California pulp and paper mills are going to continue working on their present wage scales for another five months.

The Pacific Coast Association of Pulp and Paper Manufacturers and two AFL unions closed their annual wage conference Saturday with a decision to extend the present agreement until September.

They recessed negotiations until Sept. 10, and agreed that any contract changes settled at that time would become retroactive to June 1.

Attending the week-long conference were 140 delegates from 40 local unions of the AFL Pulp, Sulphite and Paper Mill workers and the AFL papermakers, as well as 100 management representatives from 33 plants.

John Sherman, Tacoma, vice-president of the Pulp, Sulphite and Paper Mill Workers, was chairman of the union bargaining committee, and A. B. Heron, San Francisco, chairman of the management committee.

School Bands Win Honors

Bands and orchestras of Leslie and Parrish junior high schools made such good appearances in the district music tournament held at Eugene last Saturday that they were asked to appear in concert during the evening.

Because of time limitations only one group from each school was presented. The two schools were the only ones so honored.

Leslie and Parrish each received the highest ratings in the junior high class. Central of Albany was rate III.

Of the class C bands (schools with less than 250 enrollment), Independence and Scio were given II ratings, Aumsville III and Independence IV.

Dallas and Scio Girls Glee clubs were rated II in the junior high division. West Salem junior high's orchestra, participating for the first time for rating purposes, was graded II.

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Chief to Wed — The only active member of the New England fire chief's association, Patricia Koltanski, 21, (above) of Rutland, Vt., chief of the school fire department at Emerson college, has found a flame that wouldn't go out, but she knows what to do about it. The fire chief's wedding invitations will read "Patricia Anne Koltanski and U. S. Navy Lieutenant (jg) Harvey Lyon" of Denver, Colo., and they will be married in September. Her father is fire chief at Rutland.

GET BETTER TASTE. PEPSI-COLA. -AND MORE OF IT! Why Take Less—When Pepsi's Best!



Comforted by Son—Mrs. Agnes Garnier, indicted by a grand jury in Riverside, Calif., for the slaying of John E. Owen, millionaire real estate official, is comforted in her jail cell by her son, Franklyn Stephens.

Referendum on D L Time Bill

A referendum attack against the legislature's daylight saving time bill was launched today by six residents of the Portland area.

They filed with the state department today a preliminary copy of their referendum petition against the bill which would allow daylight saving time in Oregon only when the governor proclaims it for the whole state.

If the sponsors of the referendum get 15,926 signatures by July 16, then the bill would go on the November, 1950, general election ballot. If they fail, the bill would become law July 16, and thus make illegal the present daylight time adopted by Portland and nearby communities.

Sponsors of the referendum are Lee Stiff, Jr., route 1, Oswego; and the following Portland residents: Eva Heffner, 2537 NE 50th avenue; Robert Greene, 2722 NE 22nd avenue; Ida M. Griffin, 2434 NE 60th avenue; Opal Eisenhauer, 3453 NW Thurman street, and Leslie Lange, 2434 NE 57th avenue.

Polk Club Leaders Talk Development

Dallas—The Polk county local leaders association discussed development of good demonstrations at their regular meeting at the Rickreall school. S. B. Holt, president, conducted a short business meeting during which several important phases of the 4-H program were discussed.

Following the close of the business meeting Mrs. Winifred Gillen, state agent (4-H club work), discussed in detail the new score sheet developed recently for scoring 4-H demonstrations.

Two clothing club girls under the leadership of Mrs. E. T. Cone, Sr., presented a demonstration on the making of a "jiffy apron." At the conclusion of the demonstration Mrs. Gillen led a discussion in which the strong and weak points of the demonstration as shown by the score sheet.

The next meeting of the association will be May 17, at which time general discussions on home economics and agricultural projects will be held.

Lyons Women Plan Annual Church Dinner

Lyons — Mrs. William Prichard was hostess for the meeting of the WSCS at her home, was called to order by the president, Mrs. Alex Bodeker. Devotions were led by Mrs. Daisy Johnston.

Plans were made for the mothers and daughters banquet which will be held at the Rebeccah hall Monday evening, May 2. Mrs. C. Coble Lespinasse of Hubbard will be the speaker for the evening.

Endeavors End Meet

Astoria, May 2 (AP)—The Oregon Christian Endeavor Union elected John Geiger, Reedsville, president, at final sessions of the state convention which closed yesterday.

EL SINORE. Wallace Beery Marjorie Main. BIG JACK. and—Parole, Inc.

CAPITOL. ENDS TONIGHT! YOU GOTTA STAY HAPPY "The Sun Comes Up"

NEW TOMORROW! M-G-M's Big, Bold Technicolor Musical! Frank Sinatra Kathryn Grayson "The Kissing Bandit"

2ND HIT! Jean Rogers, Paul Langton in "FIGHTING BACK"

New PIX Theatre Oregon. O-SO-EASY SEATS. Ends Mon. THE LAWTON STORY Tues. & Wed.

Broadway's BIGGEST HIT! UP IN CENTRAL PARK. Also Laff Co-Hit Judy Canova in "SCATTERBRAIN"

McGarity Talks Value of Ports

The importance of shipment by water to the economic life of the northwest was stressed during Monday's chamber of commerce luncheon by D. J. McGarity, general manager of the Portland commission of public docks.

McGarity said the growth of Portland from the maritime standpoint, depends upon the upstate. He described the port of Portland as being the "gateway to and from the hinterland." In this connection he urged full cooperation between Portland and the rest of the northwest.

Development of the Willamette river to the point where it can carry year round traffic, is of great importance to the state, McGarity declared.

A group of sixth graders from Garfield school provided choral numbers during the luncheon. The Salem Senators were guests of the chamber.

Picnic Plans Started

Lyons—The PTA is making plans for the last day of school picnic which will be held on the grounds at the Lyons school house. There will be contests, games, races with prizes given. There will be a basket lunch served at the noon hour with coffee, lemonade and punch to be furnished by the PTA. It is also planned to have loudspeakers so that everyone can hear what is going on.

Get the habit—read the ads. Journal Classified.

HOLLYWOOD. Now Showing—Open 6:45. THE ENCHANTED VALLEY. Second Big Feature "ON OUR MERRY WAY"

THE SALEM DRIVE-IN Theatre. ENDS TONITE! Open 7 p. m. Starts at Dusk

GRAND. Mat Daily from 1 p. m. New! Lots of Fun! FRED MACMURRAY MADEIRA CARROLL. Don't Trust Your Husband CHARLES "Buddy" ROGERS. Co-Feature! JAMES MASON "MAN OF EVIL"

STATE. OPEN 6:45 p. m. Now! China Expose! THE INSIDE STORY OF THE SILENT SERVICE. STATE DEPARTMENT WITH INDIAN FILE 619. Cinetone Co-Hit! Martha Vickers "Daughter of the West"

LIBERTY. Now! Opens 6:45 p. m. Ginger Rogers Cary Grant "Once Upon a Honeymoon" "Thunder Mtn."



Langlie Fires WNG Adjutant

Olympia, May 2 (AP)—Governor Langlie today suspended Brig. Gen. Ensley M. Llewellyn, state adjutant general, and ordered a board of inquiry to meet to investigate "certain irregularities" in the conduct of Llewellyn's office.

Langlie took the action in an executive order which he signed as "governor and commander-in-chief" after Llewellyn refused Langlie's request that he resign from his post.

Llewellyn, who was appointed by former Governor Wallgren, a democrat, charged Langlie, a republican, wanted his resignation for "political reasons."

Langlie said there was no political motive back of his request for Llewellyn's resignation. Instead, Langlie said, "I just have no confidence in his ability."

Wallace to Speak. Portland, May 2 (AP)—Former Vice President Henry A. Wallace will speak here next Monday.

Have You Tried Them? Foot Long Hot Dogs 20c. Deluxe Hamburger, French Fries 25c. Milk Shakes 25c. Large Sundae Topped with Nuts 20c. King Cole Drive In. South Commercial at Liberty

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