



### Civil Defense Plans Discussed

An organized program of civil defense and disaster preparedness got underway with a meeting of several officials in Salem Tuesday. Officials expect the project to gain momentum steadily, and in a matter of weeks the program should be set up and ready to cope with any type of disaster, whether it be war, weather or accident. Government agencies now operating in Oregon will assist in the establishment of the program, which is called for under action by the 1949 state legislature. Governor Douglas McKay and Louis E. Starr of Portland, director of the civil defense agency, and Jack A. Hayes, deputy fire marshal, were among those who met in Salem Tuesday.

### Jefferson School Enrollment Is High

Jefferson—School began with a full corps of teachers. The enrollment is the largest since the new school house was built. The grade school has 227 pupils enrolled. The past year's enrollment was 164. The total high school enrollment is 115. John Haneck of Milton, takes over the Smith-Hughes agricultural program. He is a graduate of agriculture from Oregon State last June. Thirty-one boys have registered for the course, which includes class work, shop and project work, and Future Farmers of America program. They will meet in the Gleason building north of the school house. Twenty-three boys were out for football practice. Of the 23 boys out 15 have had experience in the game. Earl Crenshaw, end; Jim Prokup, guard; Robert Winn and Don Miller, tackles are out for their fourth year; Jim Grimes, back, has had two years. Don Reed is coach. Loris Schamp is manager and Kenneth Gorman assistant manager.

Portland, Sept. 21 (AP)—Two Oregon republicans are friends of labor but Washington's Sen. Harry Cain is a target for defeat, the AFL Northwestern Council of Lumber and Sawmill Workers was told at its closing meeting last night. Ed Weston, president of the Washington Federation of Labor, assailed Cain and said labor would "cut his political throat," when he came up for re-election. But Sen. Wayne Morse and Rep. Homer Angell drew approving support from Joseph D. Keenan, Washington, D. C., national director of the AFL's Political Education league. "Leave

no stone unturned to see that they are returned to the 82nd congress," he said.

Salem Heights—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Zwicker honored their daughter Susan when she celebrated her eighth birthday at her home on Madrona Ave. Refreshments were served to Karen Harris, Nancy Baker, Susan Breacher, Susan Zwicker, Charlotte Ponsford, Mary Wilbur, Linda Rich, Judy McClellan, Susan Swearingen, Bonnie Jean Kurth, Claudia Weaver, Judy Barry and Sherri Shipley.

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Rescues Girl from Death—Mrs. Richard T. Mason of Alexandria, Va., talks to Cheryl Sumption, 4 (left), and Margaret Gorman, 5, after she led to their rescue from an abandoned icebox. The children, who shut themselves in the box in play, were found nearly unconscious from suffocation. When Mrs. Mason heard that the girls were missing, she remembered a newspaper story of a boy who died in an icebox at Fresno, Calif., and led their mothers to the discarded refrigerators at the housing development. (AP Wirephoto.)

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### 2,236 Marion Cows Tested

Two thousand, two hundred and seventy-six cows were on DHIA test in Marion county in August, reports Ben A. Newell, county extension agent (live-stock). One thousand, seven hundred and ninety-seven of these were on the standard plan with Don and Leonard Chinn and Peter Mitchell doing the supervising. New on the testing staff this month is Neil Andrews, Jefferson, who replaces Don Chinn, who is returning to high school. Andrews, prominent in Salem high school FFA work, will test herds in the south part of Marion county and a group in Polk county. Many fine records were established during the month, says Newell, with 18 herds averaging 40 pounds of butterfat per cow or more.

At the top of the list is Marcus Wampack, Mt. Angel, with a 49.2 pound average for 7 cows. C. J. Berning, Mt. Angel, was right there, too, with 25 Holstein cows making 49.1 pounds, excellent production for these two operators. The Neil Miller and Fred Davis Jersey herd at Woodburn was not far behind making 47.2 pounds of fat. Twenty-five cows in Dr. A. W. Simmons' Guernsey herd at Silverton made 47.1 pounds of fat for a close fourth place. S. R. Berry at Aumsville finished with 46.3 pounds for a herd average and the Roy Springer farm at Gervais with 44.9 pounds.

Bill Schoonover with 21 head averaged 43.6 as did the Woodburn Boy's school and William Frith's Guernsey herd at St. Paul. George Kruse, Mt. Angel, averaged 43.5 pounds. The H. Mikkelsen and Son herd at Woodburn averaged 43.2 pounds for 42 cows. Mikkelsens have just gotten started with an irrigation set-up and plan for bigger records next year.

William Vogt, Salem, was also above the 40 pounds mark with a 42.7 average. George Fick, Woodburn, had 82 head this month and averaged 42 pounds, a good return for such a large herd.

Others in the 40 pounds group were: H. C. Stuwe, Woodburn, 40.7 pounds; Harry Stewart, West Stayton, 40.6 pounds; Jim Daugherty, Woodburn, 40.4; Herb Coleman, Woodburn, 40.3 and Torvend and Phillips, Silverton, 40 pounds.

High 305 day record for the month went to H. Mikkelsen's seven year old registered Jersey, Helen, with 10,853 pounds of milk and 600.4 pounds of butterfat. Second was Cora in Bob Clark's herd, a Jersey with 10,775 pounds of milk and 599.2 pounds of fat.

Dairy men wishing further information on DHIA testing may contact the county agent's office in Salem.

### Rose Family Returns From Vacation Trip

Silverton—Completing the second week of a three weeks' vacation from his work as manager of the local PGE office, S. Parzy Rose, Mrs. Rose and their son Neil, have returned from a visit through the California Redwoods, a stop at Gold Beach, where they were overnight guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Parzy Rose II, and their son, S. Parzy Rose III. They stopped at Myrtle Point to be with the Floyd Halls, formerly editors of the Canby Herald, and now with the Myrtle Point Herald.

The first week of Rose's vacation was with his son, Neil, on a rabbit hunt in eastern Washington and eastern Oregon. In a farewell gesture to Neil Rose, the Wayne Roses of Salem were Sunday dinner guests at the family home in James avenue. Neil left Monday to register at Oregon State college for the year's school work as a junior.

### Forkner's Acres Plat Wins Approval of Planning Board

Approval of a plat for Forkner's Acres north of Salem, including a 30-foot-wide road known as Park Lane, was made by the Salem planning and zoning commission Tuesday night.

The move was taken despite County Surveyor A. D. Graham's earlier suggestion that the commission reject the 30-foot road because of a law prohibiting the county to take over or maintain a road less than 50 feet in width. The approval of the plat by the city commission has no direct legal effect on the matter, but since the plat is situated within a six-mile radius of the city, the city commission was required to consider the matter before passing it on to the county court.

Graham had written to the zoning commission in regard to the suggested width of Park Lane in the plat. He pointed out that the road now serves 11 houses and through development of the plat would serve several more homes. It has been the custom of the city zoning commission to reject approval of roadways less than 60 feet in width. Speculators fear that the approval of the Forkner plat will set a precedent which will prove embarrassing to themselves as well as the county court, the county surveyor and the county engineer, who must all eventually approve or reject the plat.

R. H. Forkner, owner of the plat, who is a member of the planning commission, did not participate in either the discussion or the voting at the meeting last night. Forkner explained that the first he had known about the proposed widening was when he read the article in Monday's Capital Journal.

Other business passed on by the city commission Tuesday included the tentative approval of the changing of the lot at the southeast corner of Capitol and Center streets from a residential zone to a restricted business zone. This was in request that a service station be built there. A public hearing on the matter has been slated for October 18.

The commission voted to recommend to the city council the rezoning of property at Rural and University streets. It is understood that an apartment house is planned for that location.

They also recommended a zone restricted to office buildings near Court and Cottage streets, where a local attorney has applied for the erection of a law office on property between the YMCA building and Court apartments.

### Mill City Minister Licensed to Marry

Albany, Sept. 21—Dr. David James Ferguson of Mill City and Mrs. June Marie Dawes of Lyons have procured a marriage license from the county clerk here. Dr. Ferguson is pastor of the Presbyterian church at Mill City, and was at one time pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Albany, coming here from Astoria.

It takes 30 men about four years to paint the George Washington bridge, the suspension span over the Hudson river at New York City.

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Principals in Slaying—Palm Springs, Calif., police say they have a signed statement from Mrs. Sophie Petrillo (shown right, with her husband, Peter) that she killed him because she was jealous over his meeting with Mrs. Alma Ross Prima (left), 28, divorced wife of band leader Louis Prima. Mrs. Prima denies the affair with Petrillo. (AP Wirephoto.)

### Mobster Cohen Linked With Shake-Down Sex Orgy Ring

Los Angeles, Sept. 21 (UPI)—Mobster Mickey Cohen headed a shake-down ring which staged sex orgies featuring Hollywood starlets, then blackmailed the wealthy participants, according to grand jury testimony disclosed today.

Well-known girls-about-town were named in testimony by Paul Behrman, former actors' agent, filed in superior court by District Attorney William Simpson. Behrman said he understood Cohen received 80 percent of the blackmail money, while the girls took 40 percent.

Cohen, at present on trial for disturbing the peace by swearing at police officers, said the charges were without foundation and "too silly to even talk about."

One wealthy playboy paid \$75,000 for a recording the ring made of a sex orgy and is still paying \$500 a week to avoid public disclosure, Behrman told the grand jury.

He said another blackmailed man was a Beverly Hills dress shop owner who was ruined and forced to flee to New York to avoid payment. Another victim, he said, was a prominent radio school operator.

The former actors' agent, who said some of his information came from the Hollywood vice squad, said the girls lured their victims to hotels and tourist cabins for the blackmail parties.

Behrman, currently out of jail on appeal from a grand larceny conviction, said he was an undercover man for the governor's crime commission and the U.S. attorney. He said he formerly sold ads for Hollywood Night Life Magazine, published by Sportsman Jimmy Tarantino.

The girls were given immunity from arrest by police and the district attorney's office Behrman charged.

### Alfred Family Holds Long Delayed Reunion

Silverton—For the first time in 25 years the members of the family of the Alfreds had an opportunity to meet together, with the host family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hayes of McClaine street, not having seen one brother of Mrs. Hayes, Robert Alfred of Two Dot, Mont., for more than 20 years.

Some 25 members of the one family spent from Thursday of the past week until Tuesday, at the Ray Hayes home, and at the South Water street home of an uncle, the I. B. Alfreds.

Arriving for the reunion were the family of Ray Hayes, sister of the Alfreds of White Swan, Wash.; Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Hayes and Carrie and Gilbert of Goldendale, Wash.; Miss Lois Hayes and Mrs. Ruth Adams and daughter, Carrie, also of White Swan, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Alfred of Two Dot, Mont.; Ira A. Alfred of Seattle, brother of Mrs. Ray and Mrs. Roy Hayes; Mr. and Mrs.

### Rev. Turner to Head Ministers

The Salem Ministerial association, holding its first meeting of the fall Tuesday, elected Rev. G. Wesley Turner, pastor of Leslie Methodist church, president. He succeeds Rev. Lloyd T. Anderson of the First Baptist church.

Other officers elected were: Rev. O. W. Clements, pastor of the First Church of God, vice president; Rev. Walter Naff, associated pastor of the First Christian church, secretary-treasurer.

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In accepting the responsibility

of the presidency of the association, Rev. Turner urged a united front on the part of the churches on matters outside of their theological differences.

### Mrs. Hain Presents Memos of Vacation

Bethel—Mrs. John Hain entertained following her return from a trip to Honolulu and San Francisco. Her guests were a group of neighbors who had given a party for her before she started on the trip six weeks ago.

A feature of the evening was the presenting of a gift to Mrs. Donald Sandau who is leaving shortly to make a new home in St. Louis, Mo. Among those present were Mrs. Sandau, Mrs. Arno Spranger, Mrs. Warren Creech, Mrs. George Hain, Mrs. Nile Hilborn, Mrs. Ralph Wilson, Mrs. Roy Marchand, Mrs. Edward Walker, Mrs. Carl Ratz, Mrs. Donald Mader, Miss Jean Hain and the hosts, Mrs. Hain.

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