



Spot Remover—Herbert Rodgers, taxidermist, starts skinning Oklahoma City's now famous leopard preparatory to mounting it. The cat escaped from the Lincoln Park zoo and after three days of freedom was captured when he returned to his pit. He died from what the veterinarian said was too much excitement and weak lungs. (AP Wirephoto)

New Economic Policy for Nation Being Considered

Washington, March 2 (AP)—A plan designed to provide greater unity for the government's foreign and domestic economic policies was reported today to be under consideration at the White House.

The proposal, on which President Truman will have the final decision, was initiated in the state department. This was in line with a belief of Secretary Acheson that the United States must prepare to fight the cold war in a more complete manner than it has heretofore.

It is understood that the proposal provides for an interdepartmental committee, composed of representatives of such agencies as state, treasury, commerce, and agriculture, which would function under White House direction. Provision is also made for a White House coordinator to direct the work of the committee.

Acheson and some other high government officials have argued that a realignment of American domestic economic policies in some degree is necessary to make this nation's foreign economic policies fully effective.

For example, he favors tariff reductions and other measures which would open up American markets to greater sale of foreign goods. The idea is to promote prosperity and economic stability in other areas, especially western Europe.

Some state department officials also say that the United States should consider the effect of its domestic agricultural programs on the world generally. They particularly want a study of whether a foreign use may be found for this nation's agricultural surpluses that would help the anti-communist world.

Morse Offers Plan for Coal

Washington, March 2 (AP)—Senator Morse (R-Ore) said today congress will "play right into the hands of the communists" unless it moves to cure the "economic illness" of the coal industry.

Morse's prescription calls for creation of a bi-partisan coal commission to study the problem and recommend a long range solution.

He and Senators Humphrey (D-Minn) and Douglas (D-Ill) yesterday introduced a resolution providing for appointment of such a commission.

Humphrey told the senate the measure is not an attempt to deal in any way with the current coal strike. He said it was offered instead as a contribution toward prevention of future disputes.

The resolution was referred to the senate interior committee which probably will hold public hearings on it.

"The coal industry is a very sick industry economically," Morse told a reporter "Unless we do something quickly about that economic illness, we will be playing right into the hands of the communists and the leftists."

Morse and Humphrey both suggested that the industry be classified as a public utility, with government regulation.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Table with market quotations for Salem Livestock Market, including items like Wooded lambs, Feeder lambs, and various grades of cattle and hogs.

Table with market quotations for Portland Eastside Market, including items like Butterfat-Tentative, Portland Produce, and various grades of butter and eggs.

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Witness—Mervyn Rathbone (above) one-time communist, and for years a close union associate of Harry Bridges, occupied the witness chair for two days as a government rebuttal witness in the Bridges perjury and conspiracy trial being held in San Francisco. (AP Wirephoto)

President Still For Rent Controls

Washington, March 2 (AP)—President Truman said today he still thinks rent controls, now due to expire next June 30, ought to be continued for another year.

That was the only comment he would make at a news conference on a move in congress to let the controls die.

The senate appropriations committee voted \$2,600,000 for the housing expediter's office last week, but added a "rider" saying the office should wind up its rent control duties by June 30.

DEATHS

Cleo C. Montrose, late resident of Eugene, at a local hospital February 25, at the age of 28 years. Survived by his mother, Hazel May Williams of Gresham, Ark. Announcement of services later by the Howell-Edwards chapel.

Mrs. Lorene E. Thies, late resident of 184 North 14th Street, at a local hospital, March 1, at the age of 57 years. Announcement of services later by Trough-Barrick company.

OBITUARY

Minnie Hathaway Cooper, Mill City—Funeral services for Minnie Hathaway Cooper, 35, were held in the First Presbyterian church in Mill City Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock followed by interment in the Fox Valley cemetery.

Dr. David J. Ferguson officiated. Pall bearers included: Lindell Cooper, Max Cooper, William Swan, Vern Shaw, Bertie Cole and Sunny Nelson. Musical offerings were presented by Mrs. Donald Sheythe who sang, and a vocal trio, Mrs. Donald Sheythe, Mrs. Frank Merrill and Mrs. Delbert Hill. Minnie Cooper was born in Leasburg, Mo., Jan. 19, 1875, and married Walter J. Cooper Nov. 19, 1895 in Cassville, Mo., and came to

Oregon the following summer, where she has lived since. Following an illness of almost two years she passed away at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hathaway, of Mill City. Surviving are her husband, Walter J. Cooper, of Shelton; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hathaway, of Mill City; four sisters, Mrs. Nellie Swift, of Bethany, Okla., Mrs. Nellie Hathaway, of Salem, Mrs. Vera Nelson, of Shelton, Miss Leola Hathaway, of Klamath Falls, Ore.; three brothers, Norman L. of Redding, Calif., Glenn A. of Bethany, Okla., and Clyde L. of Mill City; nieces, Glenda Lue and Roberta Swift, Glenda Mae Hathaway and Sue Hathaway; nephews, Nathan Swift, Donald, David and Roger Hathaway; other relatives; five grandchildren and 17 brothers and sisters.

Mrs. Pearl Coppel, Silverton—Funeral services for Mrs. Pearl Coppel, 59, who died at her home Wednesday, will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday from the memorial chapel of the Ekman funeral home, Rev. S. L. Alm officiating and burial in Valley View cemetery. She was born in Minnesota July 12, 1900 but had spent most of her life in this community. Surviving are her husband, Charles Coppel, children, Mrs. Lucille Jordan, Marlene, Darlene, Larry, Ronald, Laurene and Patricia Coppel, all of Silverton; Wilburn and Raymond Coppel, both of Salem, and Mrs. Mildred Tindrella, Portland; her mother, Mrs. Ivar Coppel, Silverton; five grandchildren and 17 brothers and sisters.

Harvey Thibau—Funeral services for Harvey Thibau, 32, who was killed near Oak Point Tuesday night, will be held from the St. Joseph's Catholic church in Salem Saturday at 10 o'clock. Recitation of the rosary at the Walter L. Smith funeral home here Friday night at 8 o'clock. He had lived here about four years, coming from Portland, and was

Advertisement for Lumberjack Syrup featuring a bottle of syrup and the text: "Just taste that 'OLD TIME MAPLE FLAVOR!' BEST YOU'VE EVER TASTED! Economical, too! LUMBERJACK SYRUP".

Advertisement for Randall's Fine Meats with phone number 3-6489 and address 1288 State St.

Advertisement for Eastern Ore. Hereford Beef, Hamburger, Roast, Sausage, Hens, Bacon, Choice Cuts, T-Bones, Hams, Plump-colored Fryers, Link Sausage, Choice Cuts Rib Steak, Salmon Steaks, Halibut Steaks, Oysters, Fresh Smelt, Shrimp, Crab Meat, Boneless Beef Cubes, Fresh Ground Round.

Advertisement for Locker Beef with price 39c/lb.

BASINGER'S

Large advertisement for Basinger's Food Market listing various food items and prices: Potatoes 1.09, Radishes 3 bun. 10c, Tomatoes 18c, Onions 10 lb. 29c, Sweet Juicy Grapefruit 59c, Lettuce 8c, Navel Oranges 5 lbs. 49c, Tang 45c, Libby's Peas 16c, Royal Gelatine 25c, Oleo 23c, Catsup 29c, Niblets 29c, Bread 19c, Cinch Cake Mix 39c, Coffee 75c, Eggs 2/23c.

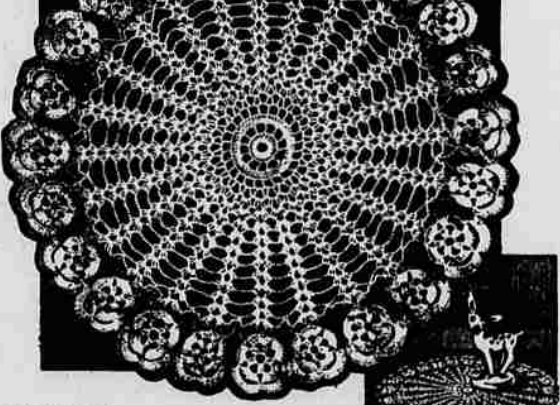
SALEM MARKETS

Completed from reports of Salem dealers for the guidance of Capital Journal readers. (Revised daily).

Chicago Grain—Chicago, March 2 (AP)—New crop wheat contracts dropped a cent or more today following reports of snow in parts of the winter wheat belt and a forecast for accelerated showers tomorrow.

Portland Grain—Portland, March 2 (AP)—Wheat: Cash wheat (bid): Soft white 2.22 1/2; soft white (excluding rest) 2.23 1/2; white club 2.23 1/2.

Advertisement for a shoe sale: "SHOE SALE! Friday & Saturday ALL WINTER STYLES ALSO EXPERT SHOE REPAIR HOLLYWOOD SHOE SHOP 2045 Fairgrounds Road Phone 2-0866 Open Even. 'til 8 P.M."



Pansy Pretty—Here is a dolly contains complete crocheting instructions, stitch illustrations, picture of actual size, material requirements and finishing directions.

To obtain this pattern, send 20c in COINS, giving pattern number, your name, address and some number to Peggy Roberts Capital Journal, 828 Mission Street San Francisco 3 Calif.

Advertisement for Gibson's 8 Diamond Whiskey: "8 is great! \$3.60 1/4 Quart. Dress up your rooms with warm-hearted wallpapers. EVERYTHING IT TAKES IS HERE! FULLER PAINT STORES 171 S. Liberty".