

New York to Nudge a Cloud And Hope for Rain Downpour

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New York, March 16 (AP)—On March 22, if the heavens are ripe, New York City will gently nudge a cloud. It may rain. Snow may fly.

U. S. Spending Held 'Cock-eyed'

The scheme of "spending ourselves rich" was termed "cock-eyed" by E. C. Sammons, president of the United States National bank of Portland as he closed an appeal for widespread purchase of government savings bonds during Wednesday's luncheon of the Salem Rotary club.

Sammons likened the government to a large corporation in which the people are the stockholders and congressmen and senators are the members of the board of directors. "It is up to you to see that they follow your ideas in the matter of what sort of a government you want," said Sammons.

Teacher Pay Bill Set for April 17

Washington, March 16 (AP)—The house labor committee pulled federal aid to education from a day-old pigeonhole today and set April 17 to consider a \$300,000,000 teachers' pay bill.

Evergreen Chapter Social Club Meets
Woodburn—A meeting of the social club of Evergreen chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, was held following the regular chapter meeting Monday night with Mrs. Evelyn Morris presiding.



Leaves for Derby—California's brilliant 3-year-old "Your Host" received a fond farewell at Del Mar, Calif., as he departed for the Kentucky Derby. The horse is wearing a bright red and green blanket presented by Del Mar track for his victory in the 1949 Del Mar Futurity. (L to R) Louis B. Mayer, breeder of the colt; Harry L. Daniels, trainer and William Goetz, owner. (AP Wirephoto)

Weed Control County-wide

An order which will lead to the setting up on a weed control district for Marion county was signed by members of the county court Wednesday afternoon.

A hearing for the purpose of hearing arguments for and against the proposed district was held before the county court Wednesday. No one appeared in opposition to the weed control district.

Once the orders are signed, official notices of the weed control project will be inserted in the newspapers. Two weeks from the initial publication of these notices, the district will legally go into operation.

Lutheran Affairs Scheduled Soon
Aurora—The March meeting of the Men's Brotherhood of Christ Lutheran church of Aurora was held at the church.

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The quarterly meeting of the Willamette Valley area Brotherhoods, of which organization Paul Gooding of the Aurora chapter, is president, will be Sunday, March 19, at Faith Lutheran church in Portland.

Increase in Defense Budget

Washington, March 16 (AP)—The defense department today requested a \$187,142,770 increase in its pending \$477,974,410 public works bill for construction of high priority military projects, some of them closely guarded secrets.

Salem Heights Troop Has Charter Review
Salem Heights—It was charter review Monday night at the scout office for Scout troop 19 of Salem Heights.

Veteran Portland Fire Official Dies at 82
Portland, March 16 (AP)—Charles A. Savariau, who set up Portland's fire alarm system, died here today at the age of 82.

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economy size jar . . . stays fresher longer
FRESHER at your GROCER'S!

BURNETT'S Vanilla gives your Puddings wonderful new flavor
Tender-smaller Tuna ONLY! Star-Kist Tuna

Hint That Days of Fabulous Salaries for Stars Is Past

Hollywood, March 16 (AP)—A hint of the bitter days which have fallen on this fabulous city was seen today in the new contract signed by a ranking movie star.

John S. Service Ordered Home
Washington, March 16 (AP)—The state department has ordered John S. Service back from India to testify personally in a departmental review of his loyalty record.

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Tydings Will Examine Files

Washington, March 16 (AP)—Senator Tydings (D-Md) said today senate investigators expect to get state department files on persons accused by Senator McCarthy (R-Wis) of communist leanings.

Tydings is chairman of a senate foreign relations subcommittee which is investigating McCarthy's contentions that communists have infiltrated the department.

In four days of committee hearings, McCarthy has named nine individuals he called subversive or bad security risks. He also has handed the committee a list of 25 other state department employees he said are apparently bad risks.

The state department has declared that all those named publicly by McCarthy—if they ever worked for the department—were thoroughly investigated and found to be loyal.

Some of those he named never were state department employees. Others no longer are.

Department files on the persons accused by McCarthy of communist leanings.