Forest Grove Youth Named Star Farmer

LA GRANDE, Ore, & — Oregon Future Farmers of America elected Adin Hester, Canby, president at their convention here Wednesday and named Forest Grove High School student Donald H. Scott Oregon star farmer of 1957.

A \$200 prize went to Scott, a resident of Gaston, in addition to his rating as the FFA member with the highest achievement in the state.

Scott, now a partner with his father in a 76-head dairy operation, started his FFA program with five head of dairy cattle and a heef heifer.

Hester, along with being elected state president, won the public speaking competition and took an award for soil and water management.

agement.
Dennis Haney, Eugene, won the foundation award in farm elec-

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Other awards: Farm Mechanics foundation, Mike Rinkes, West Linn; dairy farming, Ralph Smith Jr., Canby: farm safety. North Marion Chapter of the FFA.
The state parliamentary pro-cedure contest was won by the Newberg chapter.

Forest Roads Hustle Urged By Magnuson

WASHINGTON (P)—Sen. Magnuson (D-Wash) said Thursday construction of timber access roads should be speeded to help overcome what he called "an alarming deficit in the nation's timber harvest."

The total allowable timber cut in all national forests is 9 billion board feet, Magnuson said, but only 6.9 billion board feet were cut last year. In Washington State, he added, the "annual deficit" in the timber cut is 'a of a billion feet, and much timber "is already dead and rotting" after an insect attack.

Magnuson said he had ques-tioned the Forest Service and "the reply I get to this under-cutting and to the terrible loss, is that timber access roads have not been constructed to much of this timber."

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As a solution, Magnuson suggested a reshuffling of the Forest Service budget. He proposed appropriating 27 million dellars for forest roads and putting engineering and trail maintenance funds in the forest land management budget.

Magnuson made the suggestions in a letter to chairman Hayden (D-Ariz) of the Senate Appropriations Committee.

Meany Prays For Racketeer **Probe Success**

NEW YORK in — George Meany, AFL-ClO president, says he is praying for the success of the current investigation in Wash-ington headed by Sen. John L. McClellan (D-Ark). Meany, in a succept to the Phi

McClellan (D-Ark).

Meany, in a speech to the Phi
Beta Kappa alumni in New York
Wednesday night, referred to the
committee's probe of the West
Coast activities of the Teamsters
Union with the comment:
"Belleve me, every night I say
prayers for the McClellan committee: I hope they make my job
easier."

Meany said racketeering is no a "special labor viel" but "a so

"For various reasons," he said "you will hear much more about this viel when it afflicts the trade union movement." Saying labor does not seek to

Saying labor does not seek to sweep "such evils under the rug." Meany added:
"We will yield to none who will seek to exploit our own and other efforts to wipe out racketeering as an opportunity for pushing legislation hostile to organized labor."

Youth Admits Killing Negro

CHICAGO IS — A 17-year-old white youth was held by police Thursday after, they said, he orally admitted fatally benting a Negro high school student for "he

reason."
Chief of Detectives Patrick J. Deeley said Joseph Schwartz a railroad freight caller, admitted attacking Alvin Palmer, also 17, as he waited for a bus Monday

night!
Police said when they asked Schwartz why he struck the Palmer buy he replied. 'No reason' Palmer died about 10 hours after the attack. The two boys were

the attack. The two boys were not acquainted. Polker rounded up 14 other teenagers for questioning in connection with the hammer slaving.
Schwartz and 11 others were held without charge for further interrogation. Three 16-year-old juveniles were released.
Frank Ferlic, assistant state's attorney, said all the youths picked up are members of a gang known as the "Rebels."

Trinidad, an island off the coast of Venezuela, was first named lere, "Land of the Hummingbird." It was discovered by Columbus in

British Plan

The British sources said the planes, probably Valiant jet homb-

Mid-Air Test
Of H-Bombs
HONOLULU (UP) — Reliable sources said to spray elm trees to prevent from a huge triangular device already installed at the coral island. The main purpose of the tests, hydrogen bombs will be exploded 20,000 feet in the air four to six

miles off tiny Malden Island, some ability through instruments rather than by blowing up an island.

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