

Betrothal Is Told

WOODBURN (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Roggenback of Woodburn are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marion Roggenback, to Don Michael Silvernail of Long Beach, Calif. Miss Roggenback is a nurse at the Seaside Memorial hospital in Long Beach and is a graduate of Sacred Heart General hospital at Eugene and a graduate of Mt. Angel High school. She has served in the Long Beach hospital for the past year. A spring wedding is planned.

New Officers To Head OES

DALLAS (Special)—Election of officers for the ensuing fifteen months was conducted last week by Naomi chapter, Order of Eastern Star, at the Masonic hall, preceded by a 6:30 p.m. potluck dinner.

Mrs. R. S. Kreason, worthy matron, and Arthur Woods, worthy patron, conducted the meeting. Becoming members by affiliation and honored with a degree were Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Ruitter and Mrs. Harry Davis, who transferred from Rhododendron chapter, Falls City.

Officers elected were Mrs. Fritz Klaus, worthy matron; Lynn McCulley, worthy patron; Mrs. C. E. Trent, associate matron; C. E. Trent, associate patron; Mrs. Earle Richardson, conductress; and Mrs. Leo Buysie, associate conductress; Mrs. A. J. Cleveland, secretary; and Mrs. Orren Oltaway, treasurer.

Mrs. Kreason reported on the reception held the past week honoring Mrs. J. Paul Bollman, grand chaplain of the grand chapter of Oregon. Mrs. Bollman responded and thanked the chapter for the evening.

In charge of the dinner was Mrs. J. F. Spooner, chairman; assisted by Mrs. E. B. Hamilton, Mrs. Josie Johnson, Mrs. Aaron Mercer and Mr. Spooner. Daffodils, iris and acacia decorated the dining tables and in the chapter room where decorations in a St. Patrick's theme with shamrocks, pipes, daffodils and forsythia.

It was announced that installation would be April 6.

Preceding the reception for Mrs. Bollman last week, Mr. and Mrs. Bollman entertained 50 guests in honor of members of the grand family at a buffet dinner in the Masonic hall dining room. Guests from Dallas were top officers of Naomi chapter, Mr. and Mrs. Kreason, Mr. and Mrs. Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Klaus, and Mr. and Mrs. McCulley.

Camellias Topic

LYONS (Special) — Members and guests of the Garden club met in the fireplace room of the Methodist Church last week with Mrs. Mildred Prichard and Mrs. Carolyn Hiatt as hostesses. Mrs. Martha Cruson presided over the meeting.

A discussion was held on the care of camellias, also a short discussion on soil testing. Plans were made to test soil at the next meeting with Mrs. Laura Neal and Mrs. Bea Hiatt to do the testing. The next meeting will be April 10 with Mrs. Donna Amussen and Mrs. Eva Bressler as hostesses and the discussion for the day to be "Flowers for the North Side and Spring Bulbs."

Games of scrambled flowers were played following the business meeting with Mrs. Jaunita Brown and Mrs. Martha Cruson winning prizes. Mrs. Eva Bressler won the prize for having the most guests present. "Secret Pal" names were drawn after which refreshments were served.

MIDDLE GROVE (Special)—For the March meeting of the Amitee Woman's Club a family dinner was served at the Grace Lutheran Church. Hostesses for serving were Mrs. William Scharf, Mrs. Cleo Keppinger, Mrs. John Cage and Mrs. Vera Bassett. Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wagner of Ocean Lake and Mrs. Lowell Wright.

DAYTON (Special) — Mr. and Mrs. Roy Will and Mrs. Clea Tindall returned home last week from a two weeks' trip to Honolulu, where they visited their children. Chaplain and Mrs. Robert Tindall and family. Mrs. Tindall left the

Look Out Below



NAVASOTA, Texas—The 54-year-old Navasota City Hall came tumbling down to make room for a new one to be built on the same site, when demolition crews pulled out one corner of the tower which formerly housed the clock. (AP Wirephoto)

Reception Honors Stanley Russell

SUBLIMITY (Special) — Honored recently at a reception in Sublimity at the St. Boniface Parish Hall were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Russell who were married February 9, in Montreal, Canada. Friends and relatives called between the hours of two and four o'clock.

Pouring were Mrs. Clara Neal, Sublimity, and Mrs. John Sussbauer, Salem, aunts of Mr. Russell. Mrs. Lawrence Doerfler cut the cake. Assisting were Mrs. Stephen Zielinski, Salem; Mrs. Gene Russell, Sublimity; and Mrs. Eldon Russell, the latter two sisters-in-law of Mr. Russell. Mrs. Wilburn Russell, Salem, another sister-in-law, passed the guest book.

Mrs. Russell, the former Rose-line Saunal of Paris, France, is the daughter of Mrs. Pierre Saunal, now of Montreal, Canada, and the late Mr. Saunal. Mrs. Russell has been in the states and Canada approximately two years. She visited with a sister at Tillamook, Mrs. Laury McInerney, and twin sisters in Montreal, where before her marriage she was employed with the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Russell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Russell of Marion. He is a graduate of Pacific University and is now sales manager for the Pacific Power and Light Company at Tillamook.

The couple are residing at Gari-baldi.

WOODBURN (Special) — Members of the Past Matrons club of Evergreen chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet for a 7 p.m. dinner Wednesday at the Masonic temple. Hostesses will be Mrs. Albert Reiling, Mrs. Lester Gilbert and Mrs. Eleanor Vickers. A business meeting will follow with Mrs. Elburn T. Sims presiding.

same day for Coos Bay, where she will visit a daughter, before returning to her home in Seattle, Wash.

Senator Sights Next Congress Edge a Tossup

WASHINGTON (UP) — Sen. Knowland (R-Calif.) said today it's a tossup whether Republicans or Democrats will control the next Congress.

Knowland, the Senate Republican leader, told newsmen he looks for a "close decision" in next year's congressional elections.

"It will be possible for either party to win control of either or both of the houses in 1958," he said. "A lot depends on developments between now and the elections."

The Senate now is composed of 49 Democrats and 47 Republicans. In the House, there are 233 Democrats and 200 Republicans, with a vacancy in each party.

Knowland said he thinks it is "too far ahead to tell" how the 1958 presidential race will come out and he would make no prediction on it.

This contrasted with weekend forecasts by Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas, the Democratic leader, and Sen. Gore (D-Tenn.) that the Democrats would strengthen their control of Congress next year and win the presidency in 1960.

Knowland disagreed with Gore's prediction in a Long Beach, Calif., speech that the Democrats will elect a governor and senator in California in 1958. Knowland has announced he won't seek re-election to the Senate, and Gore said that gave the Democrats an edge for the seat.

"California will elect a Republican senator in 1958 and I think we will increase our House delegation," Knowland said. The state now has 17 Republican House members and 13 Democrats.

Hitchcock Elected

CHICAGO (UP) — Philip Hitchcock of Portland, Ore., yesterday was elected as a senior vice president of the National Presbyterian Council at the group's annual meeting here yesterday.

Firemen Save Woman From Tunnel Ledge

PORTLAND (UP) — Portland firemen yesterday rescued a 44-year-old woman from a narrow ledge 35 feet above the ground where she had apparently fallen after slipping from a road above.

Mrs. Julia Barnes lay helplessly on the narrow projection above the Cornell road tunnel until a fire department hook and ladder crew could reach her.

Officers said she apparently had fallen through brush that grew along the road above. She was taken to a hospital for treatment of back injuries.

Britain Faces Paralysis as Strikes Loom

LONDON (UP) — Prime Minister Macmillan called Cabinet ministers to an urgent conference Monday on a 200,000-man shipyard strike paralyzing Britain's vast shipbuilding industry.

The threat of two more giant strikes — among railway and manufacturing workers — confronted the Conservative government only three days before Macmillan's Bermuda meetings with President Eisenhower.

The rail and factory walkouts, if they materialize, would boost the total number of British workers on strike to more than three million — about one-eighth of the working population. The walkouts would be the worst in 30 years and the shaky national economy would be in jeopardy.

Ship, rail and factory workers sought 10 per cent wage increases, citing a steady rise in the cost of living.

A CENTURY

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (UP) — Mrs. Mary Carney, 100, has outlived all but one of her nine children.

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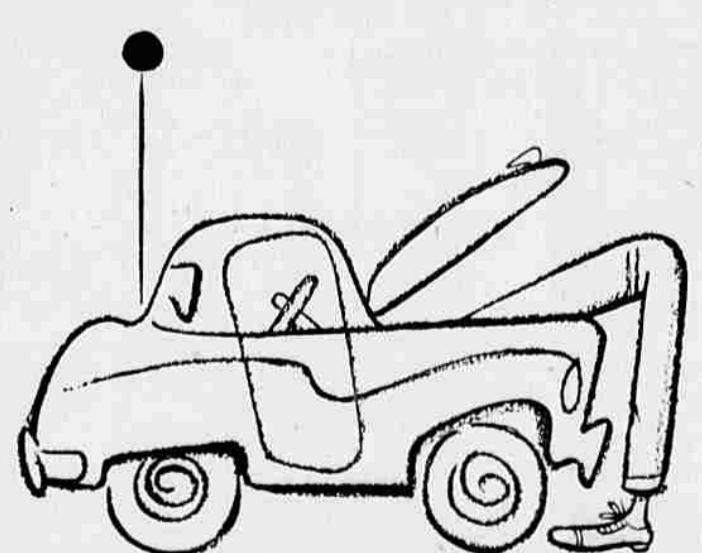
Cramer Trial Opens at K.F.

KLAMATH FALLS (UP) — Guy Earl Cramer, 76, went on trial here Monday, charged with first degree murder in the Jan. 4 slaying of Klamath County Welfare Board chairman Fred Peterson.

The little Bonanza, Ore., man has not denied that he shot Peterson during an argument in the county courthouse over his welfare checks. Cramer said he had been getting a "raw deal."

Two other persons were wounded during an outburst of shots following the hearing. They were County Commissioner Jerry Rajnus, 49, and Mrs. Altha Urquhart, the welfare administrator.

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