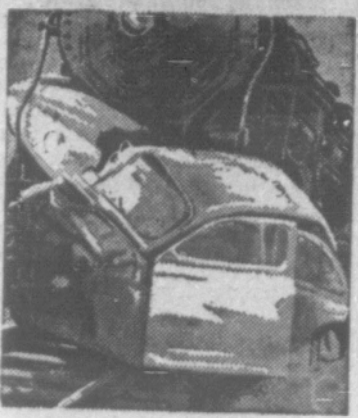




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By Murray Wade

FIRE CONTROL DEPARTMENT

A state emergency fire department was advocated last week by Robert Taylor, state fire marshal, who called for a meeting of county fire control representatives to meet in Salem August 15. Eight fire districts have been designated in the state. Counties in these areas will choose representatives to sit as members of the state council. The council will be augmented with an advisory board from the state forestry service, communication experts and other technicians.

Taylor, who was recently appointed chief of civilian fire defense in Oregon by Major General Rilea, describes the new set-up as the first of its kind to his knowledge.

DEVOIRS TO JAP-BOMB VICTIMS

Governor Douglas McKay and high army officers will participate in a ceremony in a Lake county pine grove on August 20 when a monument will be unveiled and dedicated to the only six persons to die as a result of enemy action in the continental United States. The site is a mile east of the Klamath-Lake county line, on a Weyerhaeuser tree farm. A bronze plaque will list the names of five children and a woman killed in the explosion of a Japanese bomb on the spot near Bly, Oregon, August 20, 1945.

FOURTH TERM ACCOLADE

The state board of higher education this week informed the state department that Edgar W. Smith, Portland, had been named president of the board at the group's monthly meeting Tuesday. This is Smith's fourth term as president. The board also re-elected Dr. R. E. Kleinsgore, Silverton, as vice president. These two, with L. S. Finseth, Dallas, make up the executive committee.

BIDS REQUESTED

Bids for a proposed \$650,000 tuberculosis hospital ward will be opened by the state department on August 18. The building will be two stories high, fire-proof construction and contain 144 beds. It will be located adjacent to the Oregon state hospital in Salem. Furnishings were estimated to cost in excess of \$100,000.

MORE NATURAL GAS

A copy of an application filed with the federal power commission to construct a 2,175-mile pipeline to bring natural gas from Texas to Oregon was received Friday by Governor Douglas McKay, who turned it over to George H. Flagg, Oregon's public utilities commissioner.

"This would be one of the outstanding developments in the Pacific northwest in many years," Flagg said.

The estimated cost of the pipeline would be \$172,374,000. "Once in operation," said Flagg, "it would reduce gas rates in Oregon approximately 50 per cent."

A proposed line to bring natural gas from Canada to Oregon got as far as the blueprint stage early in the year. This activity has been shelved until East-West war priorities are cleared.

CONSCIENCE MONEY

The first net profit the state fair made this year arrived Friday.

A letter from a man, who said he wanted to pay for sneaking over the fence to watch horse races at the fair when he was a boy, had 35 cents in stamps enclosed.

The letter carried no identification except the postmark Redondo Beach, California.

Initial livestock entries for the 1950 Oregon State Fair, which starts Labor Day, were received Friday from the Double M ranch of Adams. The owner, Pat Mann Hopper, is bringing 39 top Here-

fords in all classifications to the fair.

CAPITOL ANNOTATIONS

Editor Dean Holmes, of the Sheridan Sun, last week-end sent the state elections department his withdrawal as the democratic candidate for the legislature from Yamhill. Verified figures show Salem, Oregon, for the first time with a greater population than its namesake, Salem, Mass. At a state nominating convention last week in Portland the Oregon progressive party named Harlin Talbert, 63, Albany, as the party's candidate for U. S. senate. There has been a re-apportionment of sheep in Oregon—sixty-five per cent are now west of the Cascades. Oregon's traffic death rate during the first six months of 1950 held the same level as in 1949—five deaths for each 100,000,000 miles of travel.

Timber Sale Slated In August

There will be offered for sale 67,745,000 board feet of saw timber on O&C lands by oral and sealed bids during August, according to Daniel L. Goldy, regional administrator of the Bureau of Land Management.

Twenty seven tracts with an estimated value of \$929,931.00 will be placed on the block as follows: Oral auctions at the Bureau's District Forestry offices, August 14, Salem, 5 tracts with 20,685,000 board feet; August 15, Coos Bay, 1 tract with 4,015,000; August 16, Roseburg, 3 tracts with 9,250,000; August 17, Eugene, 6 tracts with 11,825,000 and on August 15, sealed bids will be opened for 12 tracts with 21,970,000 boardfeet at the Regional Office of the Bureau at Swan Island.

The sealed bids will cover timber offered in the Medford, Coos Bay, Salem, Roseburg, and Eugene Districts.

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UNEMPLOYMENT FIGURE LOWEST IN HISTORY

Renewed harvest demands and a general business and industrial expansion during the past month cut the number of active job-seekers to 21,000—lowest August 1 figure in five years—the Oregon State Employment Service announced today.

A year ago 40,000 persons were out of work and on August 1, 1948, the count was 23,400. Only a month ago local offices reported 29,400

unemployed, while the peak last February was 94,000.

Construction, lumber and logging, trade, and food processing accounted for most of the recent pick-up, but employment in fruit and vegetable canneries continues to lag behind recent seasons.

COQUILLE MAN COMPLETES NAVY TRAINING

Robert David Wilkinson, seaman recruit, USN, of Coquille, has completed recruit training at



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the U. S. Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif. Wilkinson, who entered the Naval service May 1, 1950, formerly attended Coquille high school.

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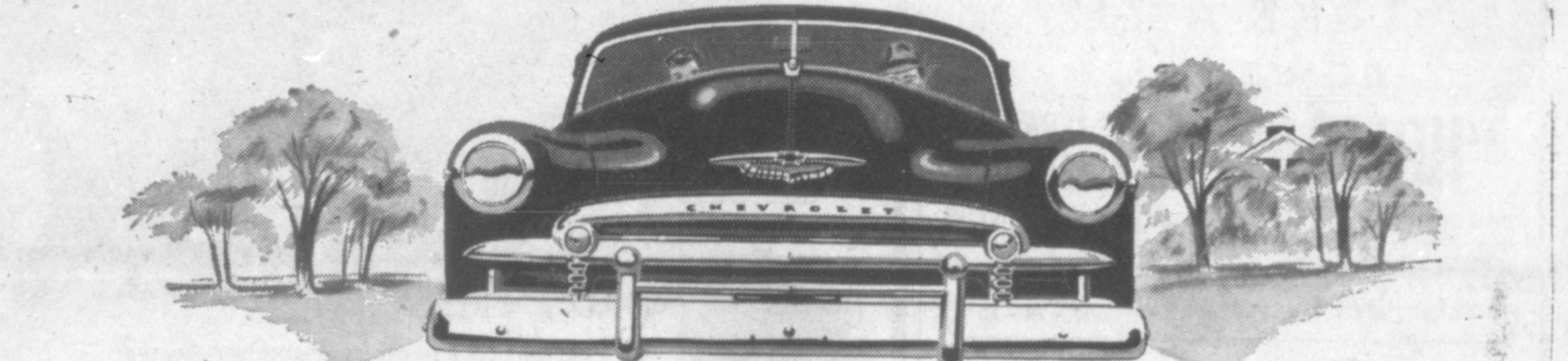
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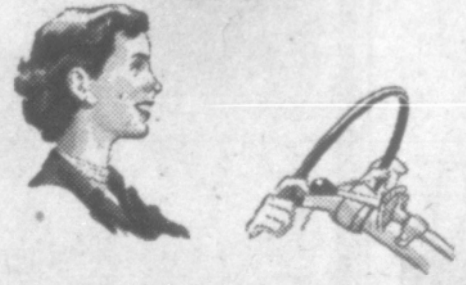


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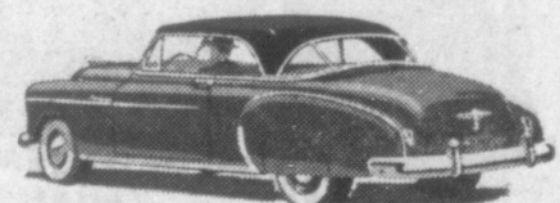
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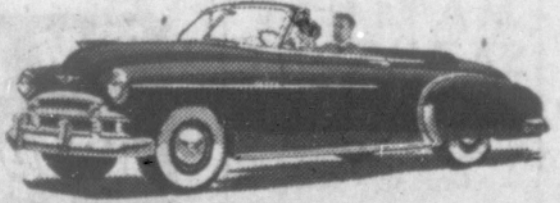
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