



INCLUDE HIM OUT . . . If Secretary of State George Marshall can be believed, there is at least one prominent public figure who will not be running either for president or vice president next November, and that is Secretary of State Marshall. Quizzed as to whether he would consider being running-mate for Mr. Truman this year, he shoved his hands deep into his pockets and answered: "I don't think any reply to that question is required in the light of what has been said. I will never be involved in politics. I cannot be a candidate for any office." Marshall's greatest desire is to retire from public life to his Virginia home.

Rev. C. Swander To Give Annual Sermon At Kent

By Mrs. Lester Wilson
 Rev. C. F. Swander of Portland, retiring secretary of the Oregon Home Missions for the Christian church will preach the Mother's day sermon at Kent, according to the Kent pastor, Rev. Earl Hastings.
 Rev. Swander, who has held his post as secretary for the past 40 years has conducted the Mother's day service at Kent for the last 20 years. He and his wife and son, Courtney have endeared themselves to the hearts of all who know them.
 A potluck dinner in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Swander and as a Kent homecoming will be held at the Legion hall following church. It is hoped that all former residents will make an effort to join the Kent community at this gathering. Miss Gertrude Hogue has been instructed to send cards as reminders to all church members.
 John Decker, accompanied by Amanda von Borstel flew his Stinson Voyager to Lexington Monday to attend the dispersion sale of registered Herefords at the O. W. Cutsforth ranch.
 J. C. Wilson of Portland arrived Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schadewitz where he will stay while he com-

pletes his spring work.
 Mr. and Mrs. Allan Bekkedahl and children were guests at a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of Donnie Decker at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Decker.
 Earl Lyons who is driver of the Shell delivery truck at Kent is now selling Case machinery and oil tanks on a commission basis for J. E. Norton. Earl is a veteran, who served with Patton's Fifth Army in France and was awarded the purple heart for wounds received in that theatre.
 Mr. and Mrs. Donald Clodfelter and son, Wendell, were dinner guests Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank von Borstel.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Palmer and son of Antelope were guests Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jefferies.
 Sherman county Pomona grange will meet at Kent at 10 A. M. May 8, and all grangers are urged to attend. Master of Kent grange, Durward Helyer appointed Mrs. John Woods, Mrs. Hazel Helyer and Helen Bothwell on the food committee, and appointed Harry Jusetsen as chairman of the table committee.
 Miss Joyce Smith and her fiancé, Donald Armstrong arrived Friday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Smith following a visit at the home of Mr. Armstrong's parents in Redmond.
 Mrs. E. C. Smith, the Misses Joyce and Virginia Smith, Donald Armstrong, Clarence Bolling and Billy Smith were visitors in The Dalles Saturday.

Eugene Knott, superintendent of Kent grade school was elected president of the Sherman County Grade Teacher's association for the following year at a meeting held in Wasco at the Methodist church last Wednesday evening. Fred Crowley of Grass Valley was elected vice-president and Miss Marion Buchanan of Kent was elected secretary.
 Joe Docker of Vancouver, B. C. arrived Thursday to visit at the home of his son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Justesen.
 Mr. and Mrs. James Earl, Mrs. Alfred Lyons, Miss Sammie Lyons and Don Earl were business visitors in The Dalles Saturday.

Mrs. John MacInnis and Mrs. Donald MacInnis and children were dinner guests last Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chet Mars of Wamlie.
 Mrs. Carl Schadewitz and son, John, were dinner guests Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson of The Dalles.
 Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. Roger Justesen of Wamlie are the parents of a daughter, Jana Lou, born April 16, at The Dalles hospital.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brown and family were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Lantis of Hood River. They also visited during the evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lantis of The Dalles.
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barnett and son Lee of The Dalles and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schadewitz and son John were guests last Friday at a birthday dinner in honor of Pat Jefferies at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jefferies.
 Dennis McGuire of Portland, research director for the Oregon Education association spoke on the OEA's program for the coming year. Miss Helen Whitcomb of The Dalles, OEA director was also present.

A smoresasbord dinner served by the ladies of the Methodist church at 8:30 was enjoyed by the assembled teachers. Those attending from Kent were Miss Helen Lausted, Mrs. Etta Buchanan, Miss Marion Buchanan and Eugene Knott.
 Kent grade school defeated the Grass Valley baseball team at Kent Friday with a score of 20 to 17. The game stayed progressively in favor of Kent until the last inning when the score stood 20 to 8. Grass Valley scored 9 runs in the last inning which kept excitement at fever pitch to the last moment. There was a large turnout of baseball fans to watch the game.
 Last Tuesday two educational films, "The Far Western State," and "Alaskan Resources," were shown at the Kent grade school for all pupils. These two visual educational films were the 26th shown since the first in January. Kenneth Young, superintendent of Moro schools handles the scheduling of the films within the county. The program has been planned so the films will coincide with the classroom subject matter as closely as possible. The actual cost of films to the district is a rental charge of 35 cents per film.
 Sixth-grade pupils, accompanied by their teacher, Miss Marion Buchanan hiked from the George Wilson home to the John Day river Sunday where they held a

marshmallow and Weiner roast followed by a game of ball. Those who made the hike were Georgia and Frances Woods, James Griggs, Paul Wilson, and Miss Buchanan. The group was joined by Kelly Wilson and Harold Brown who rode their horses to the river, but all the young people took turns riding the two horses out of the canyon.
 Mrs. Thora Justesen, Mrs. Kate Hansen of Moro, and Mrs. Theo Justesen of Maupin celebrated their birthdays together with a dinner at the Justesen home in Kent. Others present at the dinner were Mrs. John MacInnis, Joe Docker of Vancouver B. C., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Justesen and son, Eddie and Arthur Justesen.
 Mrs. Hansen and her sister Mrs. Justesen who celebrated their 84th and 82nd birthdays respectively were born near Copenhagen, Denmark. Mrs. Hansen came to Omaha, Nebraska from Denmark when she was 22 and was followed two years later by her sister. In 1901 Mrs. Hansen and her husband, the late Soren Hansen and Mrs. Justesen and her husband, the late Fred Justesen moved to Eugene where they remained until 1904. At that time they came to Sherman county where they have since resided.
 Directors and committee chairmen of the Oregon Flying Farmers traveled by personal plane to a business meeting held last Thursday at Roberts Field, Redmond.
 Site for the 1948 convention was narrowed to a choice between Redmond, Prineville and Bend. A committee headed by Claud Williams will make the final selection. Final choice of the OFF was turned over to John Decker, chairman of associates committee for printing. The choice will be made public at a later date. Tentative plans will be made for the year's program but no definite event was decided upon.
 Those present at the meeting were Harold Steen, president of Milton; John Decker, Kent; Garland Swanson, Ione; Palmer Torvend, Hillsboro; Worth Wiley, Dayton; Claude Williams, Prineville; Ridell Lage, Hood River; and James Rothrock.

While 2, 4-D is not the ultimate available through local county agricultural agents' offices or by epoch making discovery that has caused a revolution in agriculture, write Virgil H. Fred, OSC, 16 page bulletin is written in an experiment station agronomist, easy-to-read style readily understood by experienced farmers vice crops specialist, in their and city, part-time gardeners new bulletin number 687, "2, 4-D A Weed Killer."
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HEAR U. S. SENATOR GUY CORDON SPEAKING FROM WASHINGTON, D. C.

KODL 9:30 p.m. Friday, April 30

KEEP SENATOR CORDON ON THE JOB Oregon Primary Elections May 21, 1948

Ed. Adv. Guy Cordon for U. S. Senator
 Comm. George F. Jameson, Exec. Sec'y
 Portland, Ore.

In the bulletin the authors point out that 2, 4-D acts more like a disease in its effect on plants than as a poison. They say it may take several weeks after treatment with 2, 4-D before a plant will die. First visible symptoms are stem and leaf twisting and bending. Unlike a disease, however, 2, 4-D affects plants most when they are young and growing vigorously. Among the plants in the bulletin termed susceptible to 2, 4-D are ornamental shrubs, orchard trees, vetch, sweet clover, alfalfa, dandelion, mustard, plantain and young Russian thistle. Plants difficult to control with 2, 4-D include blackberry, crabgrass, quackgrass, brackenfern, Russian knapweed and wild barley.

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NOTICE OF BUDGET MEETING FOR PREPARATION OF COUNTY BUDGET

Notice is hereby given that the County Budget Committee will be in session at the Courthouse in Moro, Oregon, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday May 12, 1948 for the purpose of making the original estimates of county expenditures for all county purposes for the period from July 1, 1948 to June 30, 1949 inclusive. Any tax payer or group of tax payers wishing to have changes made in the proposed budget, appropriations for new items, the elimination of any item, or an increase or reduction in any item are requested to attend this meeting and make such wishes known. No increase can be made to exceed ten percent of the proposed budget at the final hearing and adoption.

Ross Ornduff
 County Clerk.

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