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STATE MOVES TO CUT GAS PRICES



WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—The two weeks' riot staged in the senate on the tax bill was really only a harmless little game of "whacking the taxpayer with barrel staves."

CONTROL BOARD WILL PURCHASE OUTSIDE STATE

Reduced Prices at Seattle and in Eastern Oregon Influence Action—McNary Helping On New Angle

SALEM, April 16.—(AP)—A definite move by the state of Oregon to reduce gasoline prices to its departments which it was declared, would likewise reflect in commercial prices, was taken by the board of control today when it authorized William Elting, state purchasing agent, to buy gasoline outside Oregon at lower guaranteed prices than under the present contract basis.

Senate Witness



Earl Long (above), New Orleans attorney, is shown at a senate hearing where he was summoned as a character witness for D. D. Moore, a Roosevelt appointee, who was opposed by his brother, Senator Huey P. Long. (Associated Press Photo)

HUGE RELIEF FUND AMONG THINGS F. R. ASKS OF CONGRESS

Billion and Half Needed to Cover Housing Program, P. W. A.—Adjournment by Mid-May An Objective

WASHINGTON, April 16.—(AP)—President Roosevelt has let congress know in a series of week-end conferences just what he wants it to do, what not to do, and when to go home.

Rum and Pipe Are Longevity Recipe For Centenarian

PORT OF SPAIN, Trinidad, Apr. 16.—(AP)—Peter Pollen, of Conception, celebrated his 100th birthday by diving into the rushing Wyma stream near his home and swimming 35 yards under water.

MANNING'S TRIAL GETS UNDER WAY KLAMATH COURT

Attorney Accused of Murdering Ralph Horan, Former Partner, Pale After Two Months' Confinement

KLAMATH FALLS, April 1.—(AP)—Horace M. Manning, pale after two months' confinement in the Klamath county jail, went on trial for his life here today. The veteran attorney, charged with the murder of his former partner, State Representative Ralph W. Horan, slouched silently beside his counsel as the tedious work of selecting a jury commenced.

Last Of Party?



Mrs. Isabelle Breen McMahon, 88, believes she is the sole living survivor of the Hifated-Dogler party which was stranded for a winter on the shores of Donner Lake years ago. She is a daughter of Patrick Breen who was one of the two fathers of the pioneer party to bring his family to California intact. (Associated Press Photo)

SPICK AND SPAN CITY IS PLAN FOR JUBILEE VISITORS

Chamber Commerce Names Fred Fick As Chairman for City Beautiful Drive—Will Create Jobs

One of the most comprehensive clean-up and paint-up campaigns ever conducted in Medford will be held during the entire month of May, under leadership of Fred Fick, it was announced today by Chamber of Commerce officials.

CRESCENT-G. PASS RAIL AND HARBOR PLANS ENDORSED

SANTA ROSA, Calif., April 16.—(AP)—Proposed construction of a railroad connecting Crescent City, Calif., with Grants Pass, Ore., was endorsed at a meeting of business and civic leaders of northern California and southern Oregon here Saturday night.

ARMY TO STATION PLANE MECHANICS AT MEDFORD PORT

Additional recognition for Medford's airport was received from the war department today by Chamber of Commerce officials.

ONE MORE DAY TO REGISTER VOTERS COMING PRIMARY

SALEM, April 16.—(AP)—Registration books close tomorrow night at the offices of all county clerks, Dave O'Hara, election clerk of the secretary of state's office declared, books are closed 30 days before the election, and primary listings will then be forwarded to the secretary of state.

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Bulwinkle Apologizes to Accuser of Brain Trust

WASHINGTON, April 16.—(AP)—In a speech to the house, Representative Bulwinkle (D., N. C.) today retracted and apologized for his previous statement that Dr. William A. Wirt, author of the "brain trust" resolution, had been confined to jail during the war because of pro-German activities.

YOUNG BOURBONS ELECT OFFICERS

PORTLAND, April 16.—(AP)—R. Wayne Stevens of Portland was elected president of the Young Democrats of Oregon at the annual convention here Saturday.

ROSEBURG WOMAN DIES IN SMASHUP

EUGENE, Ore., April 16.—(AP)—When the car in which they were riding skidded in loose gravel and crashed into a telephone pole on the Pacific highway six miles north of here Sunday, Mrs. D. C. Wilson, 22, of Roseburg, was instantly killed, and Mrs. L. S. Kershner, also of Roseburg, was seriously injured. The car was driven by Mr. Kershner. Police reported the accident occurred when Kershner ran into loose gravel in attempting to pass a bus.

EMMENS FUNERAL 2 P. M. TUESDAY AT PERL PARLORS

Funeral services for Dr. Jocelyn Joseph Emmens, prominent Medford physician, who died in the Scripps Memorial hospital in La Jolla, Cal., Friday, following a stroke of paralysis, will be held here tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Perl Funeral home with Rev. Father Francis W. Black officiating.

HIGHER EDUCATION BUDGET APPROVED

PORTLAND, April 16.—(AP)—A balanced budget of slightly more than two million dollars in which to run Oregon's higher educational institutions for the coming year was adopted by the state board of higher education at a regular meeting here today. This is within two thousand dollars of the budget adopted a year ago.

Trotzky Flees for Life When Hideout Found

By Fred Abbott Associated Press Foreign Staff BARBIZON, France, April 16.—(AP)—Leon Trotzky, fearing an attack on his life by white Russians, fled today from his newly uncovered hiding place in Barbizon.

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WESTERN AUTO SAFES LOOTED SUNDAY NIGHT

Two safes at the Western Auto Supply store at 101 South Riverside avenue were broken into some time Sunday night, a report made to city police this morning, said, \$138.33 in currency and checks was taken from one, and \$7.30 in cash from the other. Entrance was gained by breaking a window in the back of the store, and the smaller of the safes was taken from the building, and the knob broken off.

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