

National Committeewoman, Candidates For Election, Speak At GOP Meeting

Mrs. Olive Cornett, republican national committeewoman from Oregon, told members of the Jackson County Republican Central committee last night to "worry about 1950 and let 1952 take care of itself."

The GOP leader was discussing the coming congressional elections, and her reference was to discussion in party ranks about possible republican candidates for president two years from now.

In a brief discussion of republican policies and principles, Mrs. Cornett said that the most important work being done by republicans today is at the "grass roots" level, and she stated that the republican party has a set of stated principles to be used as a guide during this election year.

Candidates Speak

Candidates for state and local office were introduced at the meeting, including Austin Dunn, attorney and state senator from Baker county, who is a candidate for the state supreme court, a non-partisan position.

Republican candidates who spoke briefly included Ben Day, candidate for the state senate; Robert Root and Ed H. Mann,

who are seeking seats in the house of representatives; Lew Graves and Robert Lytle, contesting for the republican nomination for county commissioner; the two candidates for the sheriff's nomination, Howard Gault and Ray Marks; Paul Rynning, unopposed candidate for county engineer and surveyor, and W. P. Tucker, republican candidate for justice of the peace of the Medford district.

Reapportionment Discussed

William McAllister, state senator who is not seeking reelection this year, discussed the two proposed plans of legislative reapportionment which, he said, stand the best chance to be on the general election ballot next November.

These include the so-called "population plan," and the "balanced" plan.

The first of these provide that representation in both houses of the legislature should be based on population alone, with the provision that no one county may have more than one-third of the members of either house.

Patterned on Congress

The "balanced" plan is patterned somewhat after the system of federal congressional rep-

resentation, with weight being given both to population and to geographical areas. This would be more apt to insure, McAllister said, that lightly populated areas would receive representation they need to look after their own interests.

He cited the development of the west which could not have been accomplished, he said, unless each of the western states, with their small populations, had had equal representation in the senate.

Tells Reasons

The senator also discussed the reasons why the legislature has not followed the constitutional mandate to reapportion the system of representation every 10 years. These reasons include the fact that the population has grown more or less evenly in most areas of the state, and that the system of representation has worked "pretty fairly" in the past.

At the conclusion of the meeting it was announced that the newly formed precinct No. 25, in Shady Cove, will have a republican rally at The Shack at 7 p. m. April 21. Candidates for election will be welcome to attend, she said.

Destitute Family Of Migrant Worker Seeks Welfare Aid

New York, Mar. 28—(U.P.)—William O'Brien, 55, and his family of six, who backtracked on the trail of migrant workers by quitting California for New York, sought aid today from city welfare authorities.

O'Brien, his wife and their five children were found yesterday sleeping in the 16-year-old jalousy in which they made a 10-day cross-country journey from Los Angeles in search of work.

Eating From Cans

Tired and hungry, the family had been living in the car for more than a week eating out of cans.

The O'Briens reached New York on St. Patrick's day, but not even the luck of the Irish on that festive occasion held out for the destitute little group.

Police sent them to the welfare department's women's shelter where they stayed the week-end. But they had to leave because ownership of their broken down car disqualified them from further aid.

O'Brien tried to sell the car but \$7 was the top offer, so the family parked out on city streets while he looked in vain for work.

A tent and awning maker, O'Brien said he had not worked for more than a year. He decided to head for New York when their savings ran out and they could no longer pay the \$15 a week rent for their Los Angeles apartment.

Children Fed

Mrs. Mae Meyer, a gas station owner, befriended the penniless family yesterday. She fed the children, who range in age from one to 10, bread, milk and soup, but was unable to provide a place to sleep.

The city finally allowed Mrs. O'Brien, 33, and her children to return to the women's shelter. O'Brien drove his car onto a parking lot and stretched out on the back seat for another night.

Average Life Span Of Women 71 Years

Washington, Mar. 28—(U.P.)—The average life span for a white woman in the United States is 71 years, the federal security agency revealed today.

The average for white men is 65.5 years.

The average span was compiled from public health service data based on 1948 death rates.

The average longevity for non-whites is lower—58.1 years for men and 62.5 years for women.

The agency said the difference in average longevity between whites and non-whites has decreased from about 15 years in 1900 to about eight years in 1948.

American Soldiers Die In Japan Crash

Yokohama, Japan, Mar. 28—(U.P.)—Four American soldiers were killed Sunday night when their automobile crashed through the gates on a rail crossing and rammed an electric passenger train, the U. S. army announced today.

Names of the dead have been withheld pending notification of kin. The army said the soldiers were attached to the 8034th signal service company in Yokohama.

Torso Discovered In Sacramento River

Sacramento, Mar. 28—(U.P.)—The coroner's office scheduled an autopsy today on a decomposed torso found in the Sacramento river minus both arms, one leg and the head.

Sheriff's Deputy Ray Lagomarsino said the body was too decomposed to determine its sex immediately. He believed it had been in the water at least six months.

The body was found yesterday about 30 miles south of Sacramento.

Policeman Arrested For Picture Posing

Philadelphia, Mar. 28—(U.P.)—It couldn't happen in Boston. Patrolman Walter Saybolt, known to thousands as the "whistling cop," was charged with "conduct unbecoming an officer" yesterday for permitting photographers to snap his picture wearing a green derby on March 17.

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Trailways Drivers Walk Out On Strike

Los Angeles, Mar. 28—(U.P.)—Continental Santa Fe Trailways bus drivers walked off their jobs early today, tying up traffic in four western states.

Strike of 250 drivers crippled service to Salt Lake City; Trinidad, Colo.; Phoenix, Ariz.; San Diego and San Francisco.

It came after three weeks of unsuccessful negotiations. Drivers had asked "for better working conditions" but not for any pay boosts.

Santa Fe officials arranged to handle passengers en route here from San Francisco by a train-bus shuttle service via Barstow.

Circus In Agreement With Variety Artists

Sarasota, Fla., Mar. 28—(U.P.)—Ringling Bros., Barnum and Bailey circus has reached an agreement with the American Guild of Variety Artists and will "commence" it in New York next month. Circus Manager Arthur Concello reported here. The circus opens its spring season in Madison Square Garden on April 5.

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Raids Ordered On Payoff Slot Machines

Vancouver, Wash., Mar. 28—(U.P.)—Orders for Clark county's payoff pinball machines to shut down May 1 were issued today by city and county officials.

In Seattle, enforcement of a pin-ball ban will begin Saturday. City commissioners will take formal action on the ban tomorrow and county commissioners, Friday. Representatives of both reached an agreement at a joint meeting Monday.

Mayor Verne Anderson said the city and county must crack down on the machines since the state supreme court ruled all gambling devices illegal. The ban will eventually include even "for amusement only" machines, the mayor predicted.

Officials estimated the 1949 city revenue from taxes on payoff machines at \$73,000. They discussed ways of replacing this revenue in the city budget.

Married Salesman Typical Alcoholic

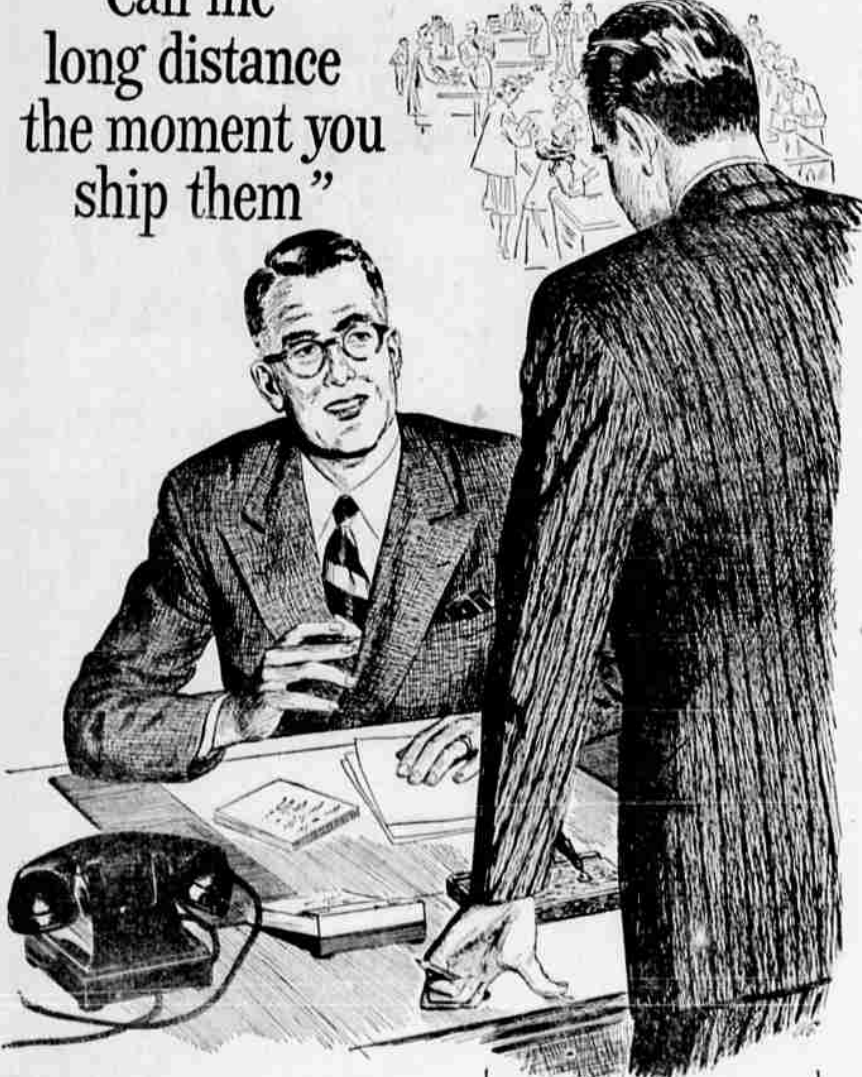
Boston, Mass., Mar. 28—(U.P.)—The "typical" alcoholic is a married man about 40 years old who works as a salesman, a two-year study at a local psychiatric clinic showed today.

Dr. Robert Fleming, who participated in the study, said these characteristics were found in the most common among 204 alcoholic patients treated at Peter Bent Brigham hospital.

Fleming told the 27th annual New England Hospital assembly yesterday that a high percentage of married alcoholics were either separated or divorced from their wives.

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Briefcase Contents Enter Bergman Case

Hollywood, Mar. 28—(U.P.)—The contents of an impounded briefcase today entered the negotiations between Ingrid Bergman and Dr. Peter Lindstrom.

Greg Bautzer, the actress' attorney, said he got a court order to force Superintendent James G. Donnelly of the Fort Miley hospital in San Francisco to produce the briefcase John Vernon carried when he entered the hospital.

Vernon, Lindstrom's personal representative, was suffering from amnesia when taken to the hospital.

Bautzer said Donnelly impounded the briefcase. The court order directs that it be produced April 5 at a hearing.

"We don't know what is in that briefcase," the attorney said. "But we sure want to find out."

Bautzer is negotiating with Lindstrom's lawyer, Isaac Pacit, for an out-of-court settlement of the couple's marital tangle.

Japanese Criminals Spared By MacArthur

Tokyo, Mar. 28—(U.P.)—Death sentences meted out to six Japanese war criminals for their part in the slaying of three American fliers have been commuted to life imprisonment, Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters announced today.

The announcement said it was found after final review that their participation in the crimes did not warrant the supreme penalty.

The men were sentenced with 35 other men March 19, 1948, after a four-month trial by the eighth army commission in Yokohama.

American Magazines Blamed For Crime Wave

London, Mar. 28—(U.P.)—Scotland Yard officers charged today that American crime magazines had contributed to a wave of violent crimes in Britain by teen-age hoodlums.

The officers said officials were reading the magazines themselves to determine whether they should be banned from public sale.

They said a 16-year-old youth charged with assaulting and robbing a woman told police he learned how to make knuckle-dusters and a bicycle-chain whip by reading "cheap American literature."

The Spaniards named San Francisco's Point Lobos, "Point of the Sea Wolves," for its proximity to the Seal Rocks sea lions.

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