

Security Week To Be Observed Here During May 15-20

Plans for the observance of National Security week, May 15 to 20, were made at a meeting Tuesday attended by representatives of the various branches of the armed forces. Capt. William E. O'Brien, marine corps reserve, is project officer for the affair, and presided at the meeting.

Plans for the week include an essay contest, open-air movies nightly, displays of military equipment, parades and demonstrations. Civilian coordinating chairman is Harry B. Wales. Officers Participate

Participating in the planning session last night were Lt. Col. E. Briggs, national guard instructor; Maj. Walter C. Fingerhut, ORC instructor; Capt. E. McKenzie, air force instructor; and Capt. Ted Christenson, George Bennett, C. H. Lewis and First Lt. Donald Gray, of the national guard; Lt. John Richard, naval reserve; the two Medford recruiters, Sergeants Davis and Garver, and Cpl. George Ketcham, marine corps reserve.

Most of Medford's veteran and civic organizations have promised to cooperate in the Armed Forces day celebration, May 20, to make it "one of the most successful in the northwest."

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Holy Week Observances Set By Churches

Holy Week services at St. Peter's Lutheran church, 1020 East Main street, will start with a candlelight communion service today at 8:00 p.m. Music will be furnished by the senior choir.

Memorial services will be held Good Friday at 8:00 p.m. The local pastor, Harry H. Young, will speak on "The Death of Christ." Music will be by the junior choir.

The Easter festival will begin with a sunrise Sunday service at 6 a.m. in the church. Theme of the sermon will be "The Risen Lord is Still the Same Savior." The ladies trio will sing the Easter anthem.

Sunday school and Bible classes will be held at the usual time followed by an Easter egg hunt for the kiddies at 10:45 a.m.

Principal service will be held at 11 a.m. with the observance of holy communion. Special Easter numbers will be given by both the senior and the junior choirs. The pastor will speak on "The Message of the Open Tomb." The

public is cordially invited to all these services

A candle light service of holy communion will be observed at the First Christian church Thursday at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Ernest Conrad will be at the organ, and Mrs. Eleanor Hamilton will sing two Negro spirituals. Members and friends of the church are welcome to attend this sacred service.

A Good Friday communion service will be held at the First Methodist church, West Main and Laurel streets, at 7:30 p.m. Special music will be given by the choir, by a trio including Pauline Bush, Gladys Adamson, and Verna Walker, and organ numbers.

Central Point, Apr. 6 — The youth choir of the Central Point Presbyterian church will present two selections at the Easter services of the church at 10 a.m. Sunday. The adult choir will also be featured.

The Misses Mary and Harriett Johnson will give a flute and violin solo accompanied by Miss Laurel Jewett.

The Rev. Joseph K. Swank will offer the Easter message.

Jacksonville, Apr. 6—Special Easter music will be featured at the Easter services of the Jacksonville Presbyterian church Sunday at 11:30 a.m. The choir will sing under the direction of Mrs. Glenn Gordon, with Mrs. Melvin H. Hall as soloist.

The Rev. Joseph K. Swank will give the Easter message.



(Acme Telephoto. 'POTENTIAL' DUST BOWL—J. A. Lane, 82, gazes out at shifting sand dunes and once fertile acres near Andarko, Okla., where a soaking rain hasn't fallen in six months. His 160 acres is in the heart of a "potential" dust bowl in Southwestern Oklahoma. "Dust and drought came before and we licked it. We can lick it again," says Lane.

Surplus Potatoes Dumped Under U.S. Support Program

Washington, Apr. 6—(U.P.)—About 4,000,000 bushels of surplus potatoes have been dumped to rot so far under the government's program to support prices of the 1949 crop, agriculture officials estimated today.

Farm law requires the government to support prices to growers by buying up any over-production.

The surplus on the 1949 crop is estimated at 85 million bushels. So far, the government has bought up and disposed of an estimated 45,000,000 bushels at a cost of about \$50 million, officials said.

Restricted To Maine Spuds

Except for a few thousand bushels in Minnesota and Wyoming, officials said the dumping so far has been restricted to potatoes grown in Maine. They predicted there will be more dumpings in Maine before the 1949 surplus is cleaned up.

It is certain, however, that fewer spuds will be dumped than Secretary of Agriculture Charles F. Brannan had estimated last January. Brannan said then that about 25 million bushels might have to be dumped. Officials now place the figure at less than 10 million bushels.

Corvallis, Ore., Apr. 6—(U.P.)—James Loter of Salem is the new president of the Oregon Wildlife federation, succeeding Bruce L. Yeager of Roseburg.

Astoria, Ore., Apr. 6—(U.P.)—Astorians will vote in the city's 19 primary election on whether the city should accept the federal government's offer to build 115 low-rent housing units in Astoria.

Salem, Ore., Apr. 6—(U.P.)—Articles of incorporation were filed in Salem today for the Spangler Lumber company of Klamath Falls. Signing the articles were Paul Farrens, W. A. Spangler and R. B. Maxwell.

Garden City, N. Y., Apr. 6—(U.P.)—Publication of the Guildon, student newspaper at Adelphi college, was suspended temporarily today because President Dawson Eddy thought the April Fool's Day issue bearing the headline "Mating Season Open" contained too much sex.

STAMP SALES UP
Receipts, representing stamp sales only, at the Medford post office the first three months of this year show a 10.2 per cent increase over the same period last year. Postmaster Moore Hamilton said receipts for the first quarter of last year were \$64,619.07 and this year they amounted to \$71,302.07.

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Michigan Youngsters Reach End of Trail

Grants Pass, Apr. 6—(U.P.)—Three Ferndale, Mich., school-boys came to the end of the trail last week-end.

The juvenile trio was arrested at the California-Oregon border on the Redwood highway Sunday by a federal bureau of investigation agent and a local state policeman. A stolen automobile, which the youths admitted taking in Ferndale, was impounded and the boys held in custody here while authorities determine who will arrange for their return to the Michigan city.

Transportation and living expenses were paid for out of money which the youngsters stole from gas station cash registers on their way west. Sergeant C. R. Borgman of the local state police detachment, quoted the boys as saying two of them would distract the attention of the station attendant while the third rifled to till.

Names of the youths—their ages range from 14 to 16 years of age—were withheld by the authorities.

Woodford To Represent Chamber of Commerce

The board of directors of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce announced this week that it has approved the recommendation of the budget and finance committee that William Woodford be employed as membership representative of the chamber.

Woodford was formerly commercial manager for radio station KYJC and during the past 18 months has been associated with the L. C. Whaley Lumber company as its Medford representative.

Mill Hand Arraigned For Oakridge Shooting

Eugene, Ore., Apr. 6—(U.P.)—Twenty-four-year-old James Lloyd Thompson was arraigned yesterday before Circuit Judge G. F. Skipworth for the second degree murder of Oakridge, Ore., Police Chief Clyde Dubell.

A special Lane county grand jury last night returned a true bill against the Oakridge mill hand for the March 19 shooting. The grand jury also returned a true bill against Muri L. Stevens, who is charged with being Thompson's accessory after a felony was committed. Stevens is charged with giving Thompson food, clothing, and refuge as the mill hand sought to escape police.

Stevens told police he had not seen Thompson. Thompson was captured the same day the shooting occurred when state police and deputy sheriffs found him five miles east of Oakridge.

Club Women Would Study Car Driving

Spokane, Wash. (U.P.)—The Federated Women's clubs of Spokane have started a project which is being hailed by the male populace.

The ladies have started a woman drivers clinic. The federation points out that it's not being formed because women are necessarily poor drivers.

They just think women should know more about the mechanics of a car, first aid and other phases of motoring.

Products of a score of manufacturers in the city of Keene, N. H., amount to \$14 million annually. They range from woolen goods to golf tees.

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