

Nine-Man Southern Oregon Delegation Attends Mock UN

Ashland — Southern Oregon college was one of 174 West Coast colleges represented at the model United Nations assembly held last week at the University of Southern California. The nine-man SOC delegation returned to the Ashland campus Monday after spending a week in Los Angeles.

Pete Soderlund, Medford, acted as chairman of the "Belgian delegation" represented by Southern Oregon. During the general assembly session, he sided with the college taking the part of the United States in support of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. He also upheld the Belgian point of view in opposing obstructionist policies by the Communist countries and pro-fascist South American nations.

UN Official Aids
Benjamin Cohen, assistant secretary general of the UN, served as president of the mock general assembly sessions. Southern Oregon was one of 62 participants, the two in excess of regular UN membership being Oregon State college as the People's Republic of China and Montana State as Viet Nam.

Southern Oregon delegates who acted as spokesmen for Belgium in various committees were Soderlund and Ivy Coffee, New Delhi, India, on the trustee committee; Jack Young, Honolulu, economic and social committee; Lee Stothers, Medford, political and security committee; and Ralph Wood, Ashland, continuation committee.

Stothers represented Belgium in the NATO nations caucus and was appointed chairman for a session of that bloc. The trustee committee members also included SOC delegates Gloria Robinette, San Jose, and J. B. Putman, Ashland.

Other SOC Delegates
Other Southern Oregon delegates attending were Mike Blagich, Medford, and Andy Costello, Hawaii. The nine-man committee was elected by the student council to represent Southern Oregon at the convention.

A total of 1,248 official delegates attended the educational session. In addition to the 62 participating institutions, an additional 112 colleges sent observers to watch proceedings.

Faculty advisors for the Southern Oregon delegation were Dr. John A. Schulz, associate professor of psychology and Arwin V. Miller, assistant professor of secretarial science. A third model UN convention will be held next spring at the University of California.

Population of Rats in Sacramento Under Par
Sacramento, Calif. — (U.P.) — The Pied Piper of Hamelin wouldn't be hired here.

The city health department's annual rat population census showed there is only one rat for every five persons. Nationwide, there is one rat for every man, woman, and child.

William Conwell, vermin control specialist, said the rat population in Sacramento is only 27,920 compared to the 400,000 estimate it was in 1945.

Conwell said the extermination program has gone about as far as it can by chemical means.

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U.S. Press Scolded For Way of Playing Sensational Crimes

Washington — (U.P.) — For the second time in a year the American press has been scolded by a Supreme Court Justice for its handling of sensational crime news.

Justice Felix Frankfurter administered the latest rebuke Monday in the case of Fred Strohle, elderly Los Angeles resident whose murder conviction the court upheld 6 to 3. Frankfurter and Justices William O. Douglas and Hugo L. Black dissented.

Faces Execution
Strohle was convicted of the sex killing of Linda Joyce Gluckoff, 6, a neighbor's child, on Nov. 14, 1949. He now faces execution. The circumstances of the crime created widespread public excitement at the time.

Frankfurter took issue with the California Supreme Court's ruling that press coverage is "an inevitable ingredient of American criminal justice."

Further Military Cuts Difficult

Washington — (U.P.) — House economy forces ran into trouble finding places to cut next year's military spending.

They said they were satisfied that a \$46,680,000,000 defense bill up for amendment in the House Tuesday contained plenty of "water"—possibly as much as \$1,500,000,000 worth. But they said finding it all was proving difficult.

The bill, which carries funds for the Army, Navy and Air Force for the 12 months starting July 1, already had been trimmed by the Appropriations committee \$4,240,000,000 below President Truman's "rock bottom" request, and administration leaders were battling to head off further reductions.

While the total represents a decrease of 15.7 per cent as compared with last spring's figures, Mrs. Winston noted that the loss is 12.3 per cent less than the fall term slump last September. She added that college authorities anticipate a steady increase in attendance in succeeding terms as students move up from the crowded secondary schools.

Teacher education students at Southern Oregon number 369 this spring as compared with 396 last year at this time. There are 187 enrolled in lower division courses.

Classes Tabulated
Breakdown by classes shows 147 in the freshman class, 161 sophomores, 94 juniors and 86 seniors. The number of special students taking advantage of individual courses totals 68, a 120 per cent increase.

Of the total enrollment, 529 are old students and 27 are attending Southern Oregon for the first time. The number of veterans has decreased markedly with 102 enrolled now compared with 172 last year.

Jacksonville Lions Plan Square Dance
Jacksonville — Allen Howard, Keno, Ore., claimed to be one of the northwest's best square dance callers, has been secured to call for a Jacksonville Lions club benefit square dance session April 16. The proceeds will be used to purchase baseball uniforms for a Lions club sponsored pee-wee ball team, officers said today.

Guest callers during the square dance will be John Niedermeyer, Gordon Kershaw and Gary Conrad. All square dancers of the valley are invited to the benefit event.

Jacksonville Lions club members have taken an active interest in youth of the vicinity and have sponsored the past two years teenage dances in the community hall.

They recently purchased football uniforms for the Jacksonville high school team.

Portland Transit Employees Accept Increase in Wages

Portland — (U.P.) — Portland Traction company buses continued to run Tuesday after the AFL Streetcarmen's union accepted a 6½-cent hourly wage increase for drivers and 11½ cents for mechanics shortly before a midnight strike deadline.

The strike was called off after the union's membership voted 410 to 20 to accept management's offer. The offer was made after the city council raised single-ride fares to 15 cents and also increased student fares and the weekly pass.

Pension Increased
Other new benefits included an increase in the company's pension payment to a flat sum of \$55 monthly to all those retiring after 20 years service, three weeks vacation with pay after 10 years service, vacations sometime between April 1 and November 30 instead of year-round, and a payment of 60 per cent by the company on the Oregon Physician Service health plan.

Present base scale of drivers is \$1.72 an hour. Mechanics get \$1.87.

The company said the wage increases would cost \$156,000 in the next 12 months. Other concessions will run up to \$66,500, the company said.

Three Men Taken To Penitentiary To Begin Sentences

Three men were taken to Oregon State penitentiary today by Sheriff Howard Gault and two others were turned over to King county, Wash., authorities to be returned to Seattle for trial, according to sheriff's deputies.

Those taken to the state penitentiary in Salem by Gault included Richard Hewitt Baize, 36, of 45 Hawthorne street. Baize was given an indeterminate sentence not to exceed three years on charge of larceny by embezzlement. The charges involved theft of change from Medford parking meters.

Other Terms
Also taken to Salem to start three-year sentences were Max Marvin Mayo, 24, of route 1, box 387, Gold Hill, and Ronald Eugene Johnson, 29, of 722 North Riverside avenue. Both were convicted on charges of obtaining money on false pretenses.

Those returned to Seattle were William Joseph Hogan and George Wilkins Hatcher, both of Seattle. Hogan was arrested here on a vagrancy charge and held for parole violation, and Hatcher was arrested for attempting to pass worthless checks. He was given a three-year suspended sentence on the charge before being turned over to King county authorities.

Landscape Clinic Begins Tomorrow

The 1952 Jackson county landscape clinic will open tomorrow at 9 a.m. with an all-day advisory session at the Medford YMCA, according to C. B. Cordy, county agent for horticulture. The clinic, which is free to the public, is sponsored by the Jackson county extension office.

Individual questions on landscaping problems will be answered by Ben Solberg, associate professor of landscape architecture at Oregon State college, and by Mrs. Fred Lorish and Chester E. Cory, local landscape experts.

Sessions of the clinic Thursday and Friday will be devoted to demonstrations of landscaping at homes in Medford and Evans Valley.

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Body of Youngster Found in Sandy River

Portland — (U.P.) — The body of Lawrence James Miller Jr., 8, who fell into the Sandy river Saturday, was recovered a short distance from his Troutdale home Monday.

The boy was reported to have fallen off a log into the stream about half a mile from the lower Sandy bridge.

Costello Receives 18-Months Term in Jail; Fined \$5,000

New York — (U.P.) — Boss gambler Frank Costello was sentenced to 18 months in prison and fined \$5,000 Tuesday for contempt of the United States Senate.

It was the first prison term for the ex-gambler and notorious underworld boss since a 1915 sentence for illegal possession of a gun.

He was convicted by a Federal Court jury last Friday of 10 counts of contempt for his walk-out on the Senate Crime Investigating committee in hearings here more than a year ago.

Federal Judge Sylvester J. Ryan sentenced Costello to \$1,000 fines on each of three counts for which he passed no prison sentence.

Six months' imprisonment, to run concurrently, on each of three further counts, and a \$1,000 fine on one of those counts.

One year imprisonment, to run concurrently, on each of four counts, and a \$1,000 fine on one of those counts.

He specified that the six months' sentence be served first, to be followed by the one year term.

Oregon PTA Group To Select Officers

Pendleton — (U.P.) — Election of officers was scheduled Tuesday as the highlight of the 39th annual Oregon Congress of Parents and Teachers convention here.

Mrs. J. W. Staggs, Milton-Freewater, has been nominated to oppose Mrs. R. H. Walter, outgoing President from the Portland PTA Council.

Four regional vice-presidents were unopposed. They were Mrs. L. H. Lockridge, region II, Hood River; Mrs. Braine Isom, region III, Echo; Mrs. Elmer Osborn, region IV, Walla Walla, and Mrs. Bert Hanson, region V, John Day.

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MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—FIVE

Military School Probe Requested

Washington — (U.P.) — A wide investigation of military education, particularly of the recruiting of athletes at West Point and Annapolis, was urged Tuesday by Sen. Harley M. Kilgore, D., W. Va.

Kilgore disclosed last Saturday that West Point officials have been authorized to seek out high school athletes for enrollment at the Military Academy, provided they meet all other requirements.

Kilgore Tuesday called for a special commission to look into the military education system to see that present service academies are producing "the best possible officers." He said that the recruiting of athletes would be "only one point in the entire matter."

Kilgore said the commission he proposes would also investigate possible "overlapping" in the training courses.

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Police To Return Bad Check Suspect

City Policemen Lyle Perkins and Clifton Lacy left this morning for Roseburg to take into custody Wayne Myers, wanted here to face a bad check charge, officers said today. Myers gave his Medford address as 837 Howard avenue.

Donovan Foster, owner of the Hi-Way tavern, 12 North Riverside avenue, told police that Myers cashed a personal check for \$20 in his establishment. Foster added that Myers gave him for identification two blotters which had Myers' picture, name and telephone number printed on them. The check was later returned by the bank.

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