

**SIRENS ARE SCREAMING** as President Eisenhower (left) and aide leave White House for hide-away in nearby state to test Civil Defense preparations. Key government personnel accompanied President as Capital was theoretically razed by hydrogen bomb after evacuation. (International)



**GOING FISHER**—Now that school is out Bobby Mico of San Diego, Calif., and his dog, Rin-Tin-Tin Jr., head for the ol' fishing hole. They're not alone as other barefoot "Tom Sawyers" the land over look forward to a nice long summer of fishing.

**Dissenters Needed, Warren Declares in LaFollette Tribute**

Madison, Wis. — (U.P.) — Chief Justice Earl Warren has called for more "dissenters" and men who aren't afraid to be called radical.

Mr. Warren made the plea for independent minds yesterday as he spoke at the centennial celebration of the birthday of the late Robert M. LaFollette Sr., fiery founder of the Progressive movement.

The Chief Justice called LaFollette "preeminently a dissenter—a dissenter in the finest sense of the word," and said America still has need of such dissent.

**Must Test Actions**  
"It is as important now as it was then; we must test all of our public actions by dissent," he said. "The majority does not always discover the right answer until it is so tested."

Mr. Warren led the tribute to "Fighting Bob" LaFollette, the controversial senator from Wisconsin who won nearly five million votes when he ran for the presidency on a third party ticket in 1924.

About 50 of LaFollette's old followers in the Progressive movement, together with his son, former Wisconsin Gov. Phil LaFollette, joined Mr. Warren in a pilgrimage to "Old Bob's" birthplace at nearby Primrose, Wis.

LaFollette, Mr. Warren said later, "did not dissent through mere obstinacy. He dissented in righteous indignation when he thought the objectives of our government were being subverted."

**Was Called Radical**  
The Wisconsin statesman was called a "dangerous radical," the Chief Justice said, for advocating direct election of U. S. senators, tariff revision, control of monopolies and trusts, primaries, and laws to protect labor and civil liberties.

The program has long since been accepted, Mr. Warren said, but "there are those who still believe it is radical and long for the so-called 'good old days.'"

"There are still those who would still call it socialism, those who refuse to make a distinction between socialism and social progress; those who Lincoln described as unable to distinguish a horse chestnut from a chestnut horse," Mr. Warren said.

**Family Offering \$25,000 Reward for Prominent Couple**

West Palm Beach, Fla. — (U.P.) —The family of Judge and Mrs. C. E. Chillingworth offered a \$25,000 reward today for the safe return of the prominent couple, feared kidnaped and possibly slain.

The offer announced last night brought to \$43,000 the total reward posted in the disappearance of the judge and his wife.

**Blood Found**  
The wealthy, respected couple vanished from their ocean front cottage in Manalapan, Fla., last Tuesday night. Splashes of blood, a smashed outdoor floodlight, two rolls of partly used surgical tape and footprints were the only clues.

Sheriff John Kirk expressed pessimism over chances of finding the couple or the persons responsible for their disappearance after a "hot" lead which developed over the week end "didn't pan out."

**Contact Man Chosen**  
The Rev. Harry A. Waller of the First Methodist church was chosen by the family to act as contact man in the event possible kidnapers wish to deliver ransom notes.

During his regular service yesterday, Rev. Waller interrupted his sermon to appeal for any information about the case. He asked that informants call or write.

vivors Insurance trust fund, which is built up from social security tax contributions of workers, their employers, and self-employed people.

**Midway To Lead Fleet Visiting Seafair Event**

Seattle — (U.P.) — A 16 - ship fleet, headed by the gigantic aircraft carrier USS Midway, will be in Seattle for the Seafair celebration Rear Admiral Albert M. Bledsoe and R. C. Torrance announced jointly during the week end.

The Midway will steam into Elliott Bay on Friday, June 29, and will remain in Seattle 10 days.

The remainder of the Seafair Fleet will be made up of six de-

**Commander Selected For Burns Radar Post**

Burns — (U.P.) — Capt. Thomas B. Barnes, New Bedford, Mass., has been named commander of the recently activated radar station here.

By the end of the month, some 110 men will be working at the station.

stroyer escorts, a division of ocean-going minesweepers, a large-class submarine and three radar picket escort vessels.

Monday, June 20, 1955

MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—SEVEN

**Grange**

Phoenix Grange

At the June 14 meeting of the Phoenix Grange interesting reports of the State Grange were given by Master Lottie on various bills; Edith Poe on HEC and the Dinsmores on juvenile work.

Dee Hendrickson reported that a new roof had been put on the

kitchen and it was voted to serve the SOS dinner.

Visitors included the William Polings, Anna Scott and Kate Ferns.

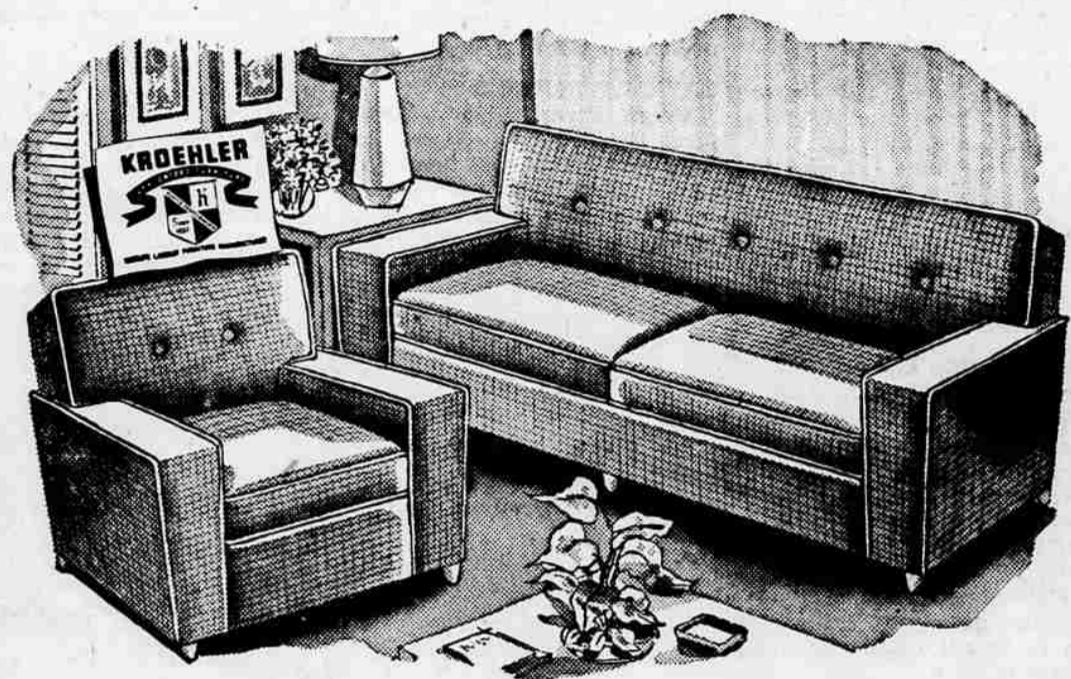
The lecture hour was devoted to the Grange Memorial Service in charge of Chaplain Mona Ferns and consisted of a reading by Flora Ethel Hockersmith, duets by Addie Simmons and Louise Norton, and a beautiful tableau by Myrtle Ferns and committee.

The next Grange meeting will have a covered dish dinner also

a Father's day program. HEC will meet June 22 at the home of Olive Floyd for desert luncheon with Luella Higdon and Peggy Glascock as co-hostesses.

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**Many Local People Receiving Benefits From Social Security**

In Jackson and Josephine counties at the end of 1954, 3,113 retired workers were receiving \$172,616 in monthly social security payments, according to figures released by W. V. Nusbbaum, Social Security Administration district manager in Medford.

In addition to the retired workers themselves, 2,027 people were receiving \$71,288 a month as dependants of aged workers or as survivors of those who had died.

Of those receiving old-age insurance benefits, 826 had wives or husbands who were entitled to payments as dependants. Benefits to wives and aged dependant husbands amounted to \$24,189 per month.

**Children Benefit**  
Children made up a large group of beneficiaries; 786 were receiving \$28,977 in benefits at the end of the year. Most of these were children of younger workers who had died, but some were children of retired workers.

If their father has died and children receiving benefits are in the care of their mother, the

mother also receives benefits. In the two counties 107 mothers received \$4,830 per month at the end of 1954.

A total of \$13,292 a month went to 308 aged widows and aged widowers and parents of deceased workers.

These local figures for old-age and survivors insurance payments reflect a national trend, Nusbbaum pointed out. In the country as a whole, there were 8,886,480 people receiving benefit payments at the end of 1954—nearly 1,000,000 more than in December, 1953.

**Stresses Importance**  
Nusbbaum stressed the importance of these benefits as the greatest of ten, the only source of income to many of the families who received them. "Two out of three people now reaching age 65 can qualify for old-age and survivors insurance benefits," he said, "and nine out of ten mothers and children in the country are assured of survivors benefits in case of the death of the family breadwinner."

Money to pay these benefits come from the Old-Age and Sur-



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