



DIFFERING FROM conventional portraits of George and Martha Washington are these miniatures, painted in 1792 and purchased from descendants of Archibald Robertson, young Scottish artist, by John F. Fleming, New York. (International)

ASC Committeemen Elected In Seven County Districts

Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Community committeemen were chosen in seven community districts in elections ending Monday.

The committeemen, who were elected by mail ballot, will assist the county ASC committee in carrying out government conservation projects.

Chairmen of the seven community districts will meet Tuesday, Dec. 13, to elect five county ASC committee members.

Elected Committeemen

Those elected in the various community districts were:

Applegate community—Chairman, Clarence Buck, route 2, box 48, Jacksonville; vice-chairman, L. C. Offenbacher, route 1, box 71, Jacksonville; regular member, Fred West, route 1, box 51, Jacksonville; and alternates, Melvin Rowden, box 80, Jacksonville, and W. H. R. Nostrand, route 2, box 61A, Jacksonville.

Ashland community—Chairman, Joe Dugan, route 1, box 92, Ashland; vice-chairman, R. A. Wagner, route 1, box 97-A, Ashland; regular member, R. R. Lytle, route 1, box 122, Ashland; and alternates, Don Nichols and A. L. Lemley, both of Ashland.

Central Point Area

Central Point community—Chairman, Robert Wolff, route 1, box 540, Central Point; vice-chairman, Ray Vogel, route 1, box 289, Central Point; regular member, Cleo Young, route 1, Central Point; and alternates, Roy Colpitts and Wilton White, both of Central Point.

Eagle Point community—Chairman, John Osterhout, route 1, box 93, Eagle Point; vice-chairman, Darrell Stanley, route 1, box 54, Eagle Point; regular member, Merton Bradshaw, Star route, Eagle Point; and alternates, R. R. Bitterling, Eagle Point, and Bruce R. Grieve, Trail.

Jacksonville - Medford community—Chairman, Otto Niedermeyer, route 2; vice-chairman, Roy LeVander, route 3, box 226; regular member, Ralph Swingle, route 3, box 233-A; and alternates, Charles Hockersmith and Melvin J. Lattie, both of Medford.

Rogue River community—

Chairman, Charles E. White, box 107, Rogue River; vice-chairman, Frank E. Hall, box 132, Rogue River; regular member, Glen Chase, route 1, box 383, Gold Hill; and alternates, Raymond C. Frantz and William Krauss, both of Gold Hill.

Sams Valley community—Chairman, Earl F. Peffley, route 2, box 415, Gold Hill; vice-chairman, Albert L. Strauss, route 2, box 400, Gold Hill; regular member, Burle Burreson, route 2, box 275, Central Point; and alternate, R. E. Nealon, Central Point, and C. W. McDonough, Gold Hill.

Kidnaper Releases Parkland Bank Head

Parkland, Wash. — (U.P.) — A man armed with a sawed-off shotgun kidnaped, then released, the manager of the First National Bank of Washington yesterday after he failed to carry out his threat to rob the bank.

The gunman, described as a relatively young, shaven-headed man, was shot against the back of R. Howell Snowden, bank manager, as Snowden prepared to enter his car and drive to work.

Snowden said the man ordered him to drive to work in a normal fashion. When they reached the bank some other employees drove up and the man, who had remained in the back seat said "we had better get out of here." Two miles from the bank Snowden was let out of the car.

The bank was robbed of \$67,000 in a daylight holdup last January.

SIX DIE IN FIRE
Detroit — (U.P.) — Six persons, including three children, burned to death yesterday when they were trapped in a flaming frame bungalow in Detroit's Downriver area.

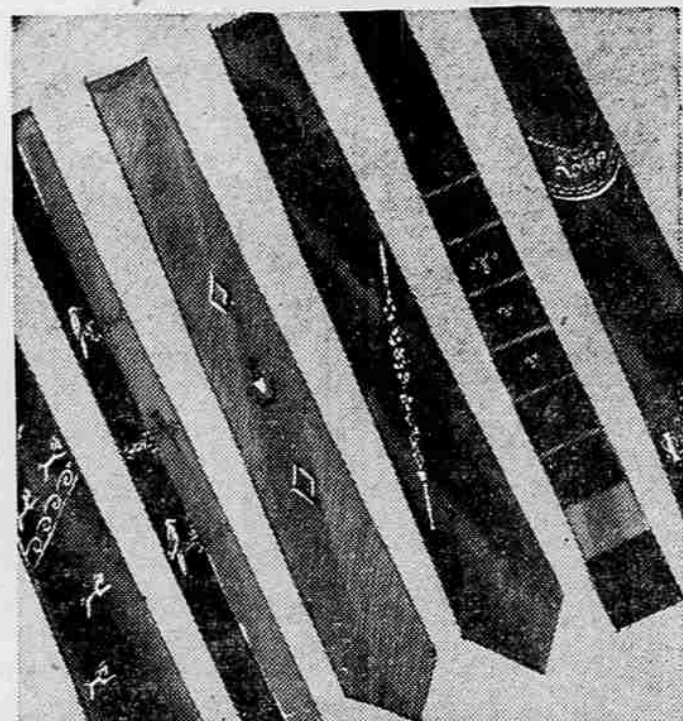
Salem—(U.P.)—A public hearing to consider adoption of a safety code for electrical transmission and distribution systems and facilities will be held in Portland Dec. 15.

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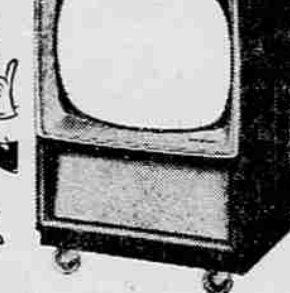
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