



MAKING TRADITIONAL VISIT to White House, Supreme Court Justices and President Eisenhower greet photographers. Front row, from left: Associate Justices Douglas, Frankfurter, Black, Mr. Eisenhower, Chief Justice Warren and Reed. Second row (six people): T. P. Lippitt, court marshal; William J. Brennan Jr., who will succeed Justice Minton; Associate Justices Clark, Harlan, Minton and Burton. Third row, (five people): G. D. Morgan, special counsel to President; J. L. Rankin, U. S. solicitor general; Attorney General Herbert Brownell; Walter Wyatt (partially hidden), reporter of decisions of court, and John T. Fey, clerk of Supreme Court. (International)

'Great Decisions' Program Being Organized for 1957; Third Year

Corvallis — "Great Decisions" program in 1957, Oregon's community education program in world affairs now being organized for the third year, will be made available throughout the state, sponsoring organizations have announced.

The program is directed at building informed public opinion on foreign policy and was pioneered in Oregon in 1955. It has now spread nation wide.

Oregon State college extension service, cooperating with the Foreign Policy association and interested state groups, will assist in carrying the program to all communities, particularly those in rural areas. The general extension division of the state system of higher education, the state department of education, the state library, and various organizations and agencies are cooperating.

Develop Program

During 1955 and 1956, the Foreign Policy association in cooperation with state organizations and local committees developed the program in five urban centers — Portland, Corvallis, Eugene, Springfield and Medford.

Although past discussion programs were organized primarily in the urban areas, many rural families participated through discussions on radio and television, and in local newspapers.

As a result of the interest by rural people, the Oregon Home Economics Extension Council at its annual meeting last June voted to help sponsor the Great Decisions program in order to make it available to all rural communities. Action was initiated by the council's citizenship committee of Mrs. Fred McCall, Salem, chairman; Mrs. Ray Barney, Hood River; and Mrs. Gladys England, Cave Junction. **Commends Program**

Governor Elmo Smith has commended the program to the people of Oregon as "an outstanding movement toward making our foreign policies better known to every citizen and actually giving every citizen a chance to express his views and be heard."

Mrs. Maude Walker, OSC extension specialist in group development, will assist in organizing and developing county and community programs. Emphasis will be on cooperation of community

organizations and agencies in development of the program.

Persons interested in forming community study groups may obtain additional details and study materials from local county extension agents.

Great Decisions study materials will again be made available through the Foreign Policy association, according to Warren Rovetch, Portland, regional director. The FPA is a non-partisan, non-profit organization founded in 1918 to further foreign policy education and opinion polls among individual citizens.

Designed for the non-experts in world affairs, the program will be carried on largely through small, informal discussion groups. It will focus on key issues of foreign policy during the eight-weeks' program starting Jan. 20.

Foreign policy issues selected this year will be discussed in newspaper columns, radio and television forums, and school programs as a stimulus for community participation. The exact titles and descriptions of the eight topics will be announced later Rovetch and Mrs. Walker reported.

A Nichol's Worth of . . . Comment On This and That

By HARMAN W. NICHOLS
United Press Feature Writer

Washington—(UPI)—The Army is stocking up on rolling pins.

And if Granny, Mom and Aunt Tobiatha knew what our uncle was up to they would form a union, hire a lawyer and take the issue to court.

Just what the charge would be is only a guess. It might well be defamation of the kitchen. But anyway, according to the Pentagon, at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., the rolling pin, so dear to a woman's heart for rolling out cookie dough and battling wayward husbands over the skull, has gone far afield.

The brass of the Army has put soldier technicians to work with this handy little piece of kitchenware to prepare dirt for tests made of soil that is used in airfield and road construction.

Glory be!

The boys of the 18th Engineer Brigade soils laboratory take rolling pins in hand and run them over the dirt hard enough to break it up into small loose particles. Then it can be tested easily for "compressibility." After that, the experts said, it is easy to learn how much the soil compresses under pressure.

Modern aircraft weigh a heap and one little dip in the runways could cause a wing-over with possible loss of life.

Serious Business

It's deadly serious business so far as the services are concerned. "Proper soil is just as important in road and airfield construction as correct concrete or asphalt," a high man in the Army said. "Soil—the part underneath, actually carries a good part of the load of traffic."

An asphalt or concrete top, the expert added, "only distributes the load and takes the wear."

At Fort Leonard Wood, out there in Missouri, the importance of soil testing was brought into sharp relief when Army engineers were rigging up a 12,000 foot airstrip.

There were two possibilities for the site. The technicians dug down and gathered various types of soil at both places. The sod went to the lab, and the best of class was picked for the construction.

Then the exact location of the airfield was decided upon. The technical men dug trenches and test holes in high ground where dirt could be cut away to fill lower areas.

Next came testing to see how the soil would work as a "fill in" and the amount of compression it would take to provide a real solid fill.

The soil likewise was tested to see how much weight it could

Chairman of Area's '57 Program Named

People of Jackson county will have an opportunity to participate in "Great Decisions . . . 1957," it was reported this week.

The program for 1956 was conducted with considerable success in the county early this year, and plans have been made for the 1957 program to have even wider coverage.

Don Hansen, chairman of the temporary committee which headed the effort this year, announced that Mrs. John Ousterhout, Eagle Point, has accepted the chairmanship this year. She and her committee will work closely with the extension service, the Foreign Policy association, and the radio and TV stations in presenting the foreign policy discussion project early in 1957.

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