

North, South Work Together For Gettysburg Preservation

Gettysburg, Pa. — Civic leaders from both North and South are working together to preserve the hallowed ground where Union and Confederate forces fought the decisive battle of the Civil War nearly 100 years ago.

They are attempting to raise \$2 million to buy land, now privately owned, which they fear will be exploited commercially and detract from the famed battlefield.

2 Children Killed By Portland Autos

Portland — Two children were struck and killed by cars in separate accidents in the Portland area late Tuesday.

Diane Saloum, 6, was struck by a car in southeast Portland and was dead on arrival at a hospital.

Police booked James Edward Lane, 24, Troutdale, on a charge of negligent homicide and failure to yield the right of way to a pedestrian with ball set at \$1,100.

It was Portland's 16th traffic death of the year.

Gary Wilcox, an 11-year-old newspaper boy, was killed when his bicycle was struck by a panel truck on Southeast Johnson Creek Blvd. Clackamas County Deputy Sheriff Larry Kezer said the truck driver, Kenneth C. Klawitter, 26, Oswego, told him the bicycle veered into his path.

Oregon Campaign Expenses Reported

Salem — Five committees supporting Sen. Wayne Morse in Oregon's May 20 presidential primary spent \$12,618, according to the State Elections Division.

Expenses of \$13,253 were listed by the Oregon Democrats for Humphrey Committee. Of this, \$9,550 came from headquarters of Sen. Hubert Humphrey (D-Minn.) in Washington.

State Rep. Shirley Field (R-Portland) spent \$4,461 in her unsuccessful campaign for the Republican nomination for state treasurer while backers of State Treasurer Howard C. Belton spent \$5,142 for his campaign.

Supporters of State Sen. Monroe Sweetland (D-Milwaukie), who won the Democratic nomination for secretary of state, listed expenses of \$1,188.

Princess Grace To Visit Ill Father

Philadelphia — Princess Grace of Monaco will visit her millionaire sportsman father John B. Kelly, Sr. at Woman's Medical Hospital today where he is recovering from an abdominal operation.

The former movie queen flew in from the little principality of Monaco last night. Upon landing in New York's International Airport Princess Grace told reporters "I'm going to see my father and my family."

Kelly, who made a fortune in a contracting firm, entered the hospital Saturday. He had undergone an emergency appendectomy last June.

Brooking Man Dies As Result of Wreck

Salem — Everett Howard Jagers, 51, Brookings, died Tuesday of injuries suffered in a traffic accident near Cave Junction in Josephine county, the state traffic safety division reported.

Traffic officials said the accident occurred at 4:13 p.m. Friday so Jagers' death cannot be counted as a Memorial Day week end traffic fatality.

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LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Losses	\$ 11,700,000.00
Unearned premiums	1,000,000.00
Other liabilities	30,500,000.00
Total liabilities	\$ 43,200,000.00
Total admitted assets minus total liabilities	\$ 10,800,000.00
Capital paid up	\$ 5,000,000.00
Reserve	5,800,000.00
Funds	500,000.00
Other	300,000.00
Total	\$ 11,600,000.00
Surplus as regards policyholders	\$ 10,300,000.00
Total	\$ 10,300,000.00
STATEMENT OF INCOME	
Premiums earned	\$ 25,000,000.00
Losses incurred	\$ 21,000,000.00
Other expenses	\$ 2,000,000.00
Other underwriting expenses	\$ 2,000,000.00
Net income	\$ 2,000,000.00
Net underwriting gain or loss	\$ 2,000,000.00
Investment income	\$ 1,000,000.00
Other income	\$ 1,000,000.00
Total income	\$ 4,000,000.00
Dividends to policyholders	\$ 2,000,000.00
Other	\$ 2,000,000.00
Total	\$ 4,000,000.00
Other items affecting surplus	\$ 0.00
Total	\$ 0.00
Surplus as regards policyholders	\$ 10,300,000.00
Total	\$ 10,300,000.00
EQUILIBRIUM IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Business premiums received	\$ 25,000,000.00
Dividend income	\$ 2,000,000.00
Total	\$ 27,000,000.00

Then they will give the land to the Federal government.

But they are running into opposition from Adams county commissioners and some land-owners who contend that too much battlefield property already has been removed from local tax rolls.

Nationwide Fund Drive

The Gettysburg Battlefield preservation association says it is conducting a nationwide fund drive to block use of battle sites by beer parlors, shopping centers, neon-lit motels and real estate developments.

It recently made its first

purchase — a 55-acre tract close to a Confederate Sharpshooters' hideout in Devil's Den — for \$20,000.

Furthermore, the association has sold more than 20,000 "deeds" to one square foot of battlefield land to Americans eager to help.

While the nation honors veterans of all its wars on Memorial Day, the Gettysburg group is seeking to make the battlefield here a perpetual symbol of sacrifice.

The cause has enlisted descendants of Union Gen. U. S. Grant and Confederate General Robert E. Lee. Television

personality Charlie Weaver and public officials in both "Rebel" and "Yankee" states.

Appeals to Viewers

Weaver, who is Gettysburg resident Cliff Arquette, has appealed to TV viewers to help buy the needed land.

Marshall F. Allen, executive director of the association, says it is trying to raise funds to purchase six "islands" of private land inside the borders of the 2,781-acre National Park. These areas, containing about 650 acres, he said, could be used for commercial purposes.

Allen said the "islands" were no problem until recently when Gettysburg became cramped for space and souvenir shops, hot-dog stands and other eyesores, were erected on farm land.

Congress last year appropriated \$450,000 to expand battlefield parks at Gettysburg and Manassas, Va., site of the battles of Bull Run.

But Allen said there were too many strings on the legislation that have prevented even a penny of it from being used to enlarge the park here.

The law permitted purchase of land only where local zoning laws existed or where the

land was already commercially developed. It also barred use of the funds to buy any part of the Adams County Poor Farm, one of the "islands."

Allen said battle positions of the Confederates are especially endangered by the threatened switch from farming to commercial use of private property.

"Union strongpoints are pretty well secured because they are on government land," he said. "But land occupied by Confederate Gen. John B. Hood's Texans and units from Georgia, South

Carolina and Alabama is in jeopardy."

A Civil War buff, the 46-year-old Allen has rebel ties. Both of his grandfathers were in Confederate units and were injured in the three-day battle.

Three-Year Goal

He said the association hopes to raise the \$2 million in three years before the centennial of the event that helped end the bloody war.

Three women were busy sending "deeds" to contributors in an office overlooking historic Gettysburg Square as Allen was interviewed.

The national response has not changed the attitude of the Adams county commis-

sioners. They contend they need to get rid of the county poor farm, because it's costing too much money to run it, and will sell it to the highest bidder.

Furthermore, they contended, Gettysburg comprises only about one-fifth of the county and should not be subsidized at the expense of the rest of its residents.

President Eisenhower, who owns more than 300 acres of farm land on the edge of the battlefield, has not yet been asked for help by the association. But he has bought additional tracts around his farm to block commercial development of that land, towns-people say.

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Salem Man Killed in Dynamiting Operation

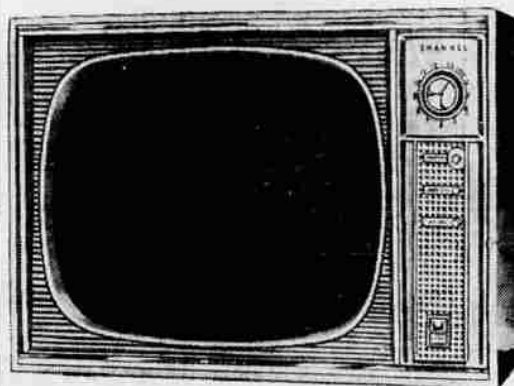
Salem — Lloyd C. Mason, 58, was killed late Tuesday during dynamiting operations at his farm home six miles southeast of here.

When he did not return from the blasting late in the evening, his wife and daughter set out and discovered a blood-spattered T-shirt and the body about 300 feet from the house.

Sheriff's deputies said Mason apparently exploded some dynamite prematurely by accident.



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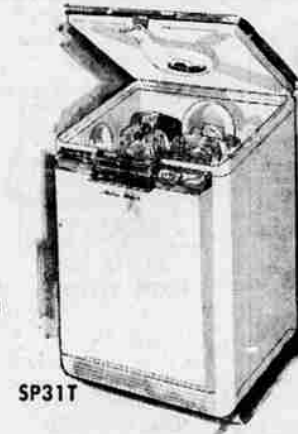
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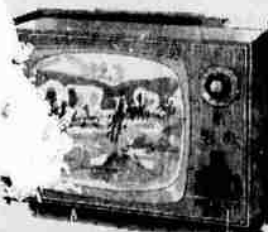
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