

# Area Youth Plan to Attend Conference On Youth in Salem

Salem—Delegates from high schools throughout Oregon will consider "Why Don't 65 Per Cent Participate?" when the Third Annual Oregon Youth conference sponsored by the Oregon Youth Council of the Governor's State Committee on Children and Youth convenes in the state capitol building here Saturday.

Three delegates from southern Oregon are among those who plan to attend the sessions. They are Billee Kay Mearns, 384 Holly st., Ashland; Florian Shasky, 1023 Queen Anne ave., Medford; and John Snider Jr., 2500 Argonne place, Medford.

The young delegates will try to determine the reasons and remedies for the fact that 65 per cent of high school students in the state do not take part in any school, church or community-sponsored youth organization.

Sessions will be from 9 a. m. to noon and 1 to 4 p. m. in the House of Representatives chambers of the capitol, with part of the time spent in smaller discussion groups.

# Parachutist Had Breathing Trouble

Dayton, Ohio—UPI—Air Force Capt. Joseph Kittinger, who set a parachute jump record of 19 miles, said Thursday the reason the Air Force has cancelled the jump program is because he had mysterious trouble breathing for 50 seconds during his descent.

Kittinger told a press conference he had a choking sensation between 80,000 and 50,000 feet despite the pressure suit he was wearing.

The purpose of the high altitude parachute jump program was to determine man's reaction to stratospheric conditions when forced to bail out from high altitudes.

# Plane Crashes on Takeoff; All Safe

Port Louis, Australia—UPI—A quick thinking crew rescued Thursday all 50 persons aboard a Quantas super constellation which crashed and burned on takeoff.

Six of the 38 passengers suffered second degree burns, fractures or bruises.

The airliner, en route from Johannesburg, South Africa to Sydney, had just taken off after a refueling stop here when one of the engines failed.



**NATIONALIST PROTEST** — With its leader holding a protest sign, Nationalist China's Olympic contingent parades around the Olympic Stadium in Rome Thursday. (UPI Radiotelephoto)

# Religious Issue Reported Still Plaguing Demos

Washington—UPI—The religious issue which Sen. John F. Kennedy "buried in the hills of West Virginia" still plagues the Democrats in their campaign to elect him to the White House.

While leaders of both parties deplore recognition of Kennedy's Catholic faith as a campaign issue, most of them agree with President Eisenhower's news conference comment Wednesday that it will be an issue anyway in some areas.

The issue is a source of worry to Democrats, particularly in heavily Protestant Southern and border states and in some of the rural areas of the Midwest.

Yet it was only three months ago that Kennedy said the issue had been buried in West Virginia, where he crushed Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey of Minnesota in a presidential primary.

Kennedy's campaign organization announced Wednesday that it was setting up a special section in its headquarters "to deal broadly with the religious problem."

Pierre Salinger, Kennedy's press secretary, said the office would clear up questions asked by voters with written answers on how Kennedy feels about government aid to parochial schools and a U. S. ambassador to the Vatican. Kennedy is opposed to both proposals.

Salinger denied that the new move reflected increased worry over the religious issue.

Kennedy reportedly tried to meet the religious issue directly last spring in a series of speeches. He said the oath of office would forbid letting his religion influence his conduct as president and that he would be subject to impeachment if he allowed it to do so.

Eisenhower, answering a news conference question Wednesday, said he did not think religion could ever be a legitimate campaign issue. But he added he was not so naive that he did not recognize that it would be an issue "in some areas."

"It is just almost certain," he said, "because as long as you have got strong emotional convictions and reactions in these areas, there is going to be some of it. You can't help it."

# Quotes From the News

**BY UNITED PRESS INTERNATIONAL**

Washington—AFL-CIO President George Meany denying that the giant labor organization's endorsement of a presidential candidate controls anyone's vote:

"I can't even control the vote of my own daughter. And we shouldn't have that power."

London—Jacqueline Forster, 18, on learning she and another curvesome brunette would not be permitted to appear in bikinis before male inmates at Dartmoor prison:

"It was a great opportunity to help these unfortunate chaps see something of the gay life."

Washington—Mrs. Richard Nixon replying to Jack Parr's question about how the Nixons get their laundry done during campaign tours:

"We take enough along or else we come home for a new supply."

Bern, Switzerland—Evangelist Billy Graham on signs which he said foretell the end of the world:

"The gaping split between West and East incites the confusion of the world."

# Student Week Stated At SOC

Ashland—New student week activities for entering freshmen and transfer students will be held on the Southern Oregon college campus Sept. 18 to 24, according to Dr. Al Fellers, director of student affairs.

During that time, an orientation program will be carried on to introduce students to the campus, the faculty, and the administration.

A testing program will be held Sept. 19 and 20 to determine the students level of achievement in such fields as English and mathematics. If the new student has already taken college placement tests during the summer, he should check the schedule to be issued to see which tests he has not taken and what time they will be given. Transfer students will not take these tests until later in the term.

Students new to SOC are expected to arrive on campus Sept. 18 to sign into the residence halls if they plan to live in a dormitory, or register in Britt Student Union if they are commuters driving to and from the campus or living in the Ashland area.

That evening all freshmen will meet in a general session at 8 p. m. in the Britt Student Union when an outline of the week's activities will be announced and a play, "The Twelve-Pound Look" by James Barrie, will be presented.

Visits with faculty advisors, a football game with Chico State Saturday evening, and registration Sept. 23 and 24 will round out the week's events. Sept. 24 is also the last day to register without penalty before classes start Monday, Sept. 26.

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- The Toy House
- Trowbridge & Flynn
- U. S. Nat'l Bank
- Van Lee's
- Waincott's Pharmacy
- Weeks & Orr Furniture
- Weeksfield's Inc.
- Western Auto Supply
- Western Thrift
- Woolworth's

# Wall Street Chatter

New York—UPI—L. O. Hooper of W. E. Hutton and Co. thinks that the recent rise of more than 40 points in the Dow-Jones industrial from the 600.28 low of Aug. 4 has been "rather easy" but that the next 20 points to around 660-665 will be "more difficult and slower."

Thus far, he says, the market has gone up on an oversold technical situation and on the thesis that easier and cheaper money would stimulate business. Up to now, therefore, the market has acted better than business and trade.

Goodbody and Co. still feels that the steel stocks are attractive for purchase. It recognizes that production may not rise as sharply as the industry had hoped, but bases its optimism on the fact that the more efficient companies are making money even at low-level operations. The firm particularly favors Inland and Jones and Laughlin.

# Court Records

**DISTRICT COURT**

Elvin C. Arnold, failure to yield right of way, \$15.

Bill Rogers, no operator's license, \$5.

Elmer V. Tompkins, disobeyed stop sign, \$15.

Richard S. Porter, excessive overhauling, \$15.

Paul G. Rumble, failure to obey operator's license restriction, \$56.

Richard J. Wilson, failure to stop, \$15.

Donna M. Robinson, no operator's license, \$5.

David E. Gregory, obstructed vision, \$5.

Larry D. Suther, failure to dim lights, \$7.50.

Aidon R. Cooper, no operator's license, \$5.

Belden R. Webber, improper muffler, \$5.

Larry D. Sutter, failure to dim lights, \$10.

Eugene E. Arnold, failure to stop, \$15.

Newton E. Peecher, no tail lights, \$10.

Charles D. Craig, permitting unlicensed person to operate, \$15.

Wielard H. Howell, no operator's license, \$5.

Vern D. Garman, failure to stop, \$15.

Percy Neufeld, failure to stop, \$15.

Norman Glascock, overload, \$15.

Duane W. Hodgson, improper passing, \$15.

Jerry B. Morton, truck speeding, \$10.

Romen M. Soderlund, failure to stop, \$15.

James Armstrong, failure to stop, \$15.

F. Tucker, no operator's license, \$5.

Raymond O. Watson, no operator's license, \$5.

**CIRCUIT COURT**

La Donna Wilson vs. Paul B. Wilson, divorce complaint.

**MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS**

Peter G. Kershaw, route 2 box 216, Medford, and Judith Lee Anderson, 2136 East Jackson st., Medford.

Don Ferris Shalhope, La Grange, Ill., and Betty Jon Hall, 946 Park st., Medford.

Robert Lee Gilmore, Prospect, and Carol Jean Horsley, 651 J st., Medford.

Charles Johnathan Hazen, 1167 1/2 North Main st., Ashland, and Linda Jean Clark, 1380 Madrone st., Ashland.

David Robert Hubbard, Camp Pendleton, Calif., and Ula Rae Winn, Eagle Point.

John Louis Hayden and Rose Marie Beitz, both of 1119 Niantic st., Medford.

Roger William Genaw, Gold Hill, and Nedra Ruth Sheppard, 2901 Beall lane, Central Point.

# 'Back-To-School' Move Endorsed

Portland—UPI—Mayor Terry D. Schrunck Thursday signed a proclamation endorsing a national "back-to-school" movement, and urged Oregon young people to complete a high school education.

Mayor Schrunck said a high school diploma today "has become as common-place in job requirements as a primary school education was in former years." He said that "modern technology requires a minimum of a high school education."

# Logger Crushed To Death In Accident

Florence—UPI—Kenneth Taylor, 24, Mapleton, was crushed to death by a log Thursday morning while working on a logging operation about 18 miles southeast of here.

Fellow workers said Taylor had bucked off a large four-foot log and that it fell on a smaller one with the large one toppling on him.

# Smith Says No Nation Has Right To Control Space

Eugene—UPI—Republican Senate candidate Elmo Smith Thursday warned that the Russian trial of American pilot Francis Powers "should not be permitted to establish the right of any nation to control space."

Smith said within "a short time" it was "highly possible" that the high altitudes flown by Powers' U-2 plane would be set up "under an international principle of freedom of space similar to freedom of the seas."

"It is imperative," Smith declared, "that the world should have open skies above the heights of conventional air travel."

Speaking before more than 30 campaign workers in Eugene, Smith called it "highly improbable" that Powers—under an international definition—would be considered a spy 10 years from now.

Smith said both Russia and the United States, by launching space satellites, have established outer space as open territory.

The former governor also renewed his request to the U. S. State Department for negotiations with Russia to swap Russian spy, Col. Rudolph Abel, for Powers.

Smith said the exchange was "imperative" so that the United States could "learn the entire story" of Powers' capture at such an opportune time for propaganda. He said the exchange would also emphasize the extensive Russian spy system.

# 18 Oregon Farms To Receive Honors

Salem—UPI—Eighteen farms in eight counties will receive century farm honors this year.

Clackamas county with four, leads other counties in the number of new century farms.

The program is sponsored by the Oregon Historical society and the state department of agriculture.

To qualify a farm must have been owned and operated continuously in the same family for 100 years or more.

# Judd To Be In Oregon Oct. 1

Salem—UPI—Republican national convention keynoter Walter Judd will make an Oregon appearance on Oct. 1, State GOP chairman Peter Gunnar said Thursday.

No place has yet been set for his talk which will be sponsored by the campaign committee of Sec. of State Howell Appling Jr.

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