



NEGROES CURSED - Negro youths walk away from the water after going swimming area. The group was arrested by police and away from the water after going swimming jeered and cursed by the white persons at Savannah Beach, Ga., in a segregated on the beach. (UPI)

Santiam Billboard Decision Expected

Salem - (UPI) - A decision on whether billboards will be banned on the North Santiam Highway is expected in August.

The Oregon Scenic Area Commission held a hearing Tuesday on two proposals to keep billboards from the highway.

One petition filed by the Mill City Garden Club would prohibit billboards from the junction of U.S. 20 and Oregon Highway 22 east to Sisters.

A petition from the Mill City Women's Club would keep billboards from the highway between the junction and the Pacific Highway east of Salem.

If the Scenic Area Commission approves the petition the only billboards allowed would be those within city limits and on roadside business premises. About 40 billboards now standing would have to be removed within seven years.

NO PROOF OF DEATH

Santa Monica, Calif. - (UPI) - A 25-year-old ambulance driver today was free of a charge of stealing \$200 from a dead man when Superior Judge Hector Baida upheld the defense attorney's argument that no one had proved the victim was actually dead.

Oregonian Found Guilty in Arkansas

Fort Smith, Ark. - (UPI) - A jury found Spec. 4 Phillip C. Dimick Jr. of Jefferson, Ore., guilty of involuntary manslaughter Tuesday in the stabbing of another man May 31.

Dimick had faced first degree murder charges in the slaying of Denver Hubbard, 23, Van Buren, Ark. Another soldier, Pfc. John P. Meekma, testified Hubbard struck Dimick before the stabbing.

Circuit Judge Paul Wolfe set sentencing for Thursday. Dimick could receive up to three years in prison and a fine of \$1,000.

Dimick, 20, is stationed at nearby Fort Chaffee.

Three Appear in Circuit Court

Three persons appeared in Jackson county circuit court Monday for sentencing.

Clarence A. Tingleaf, 49, of 715 Almond st., Medford, who was charged with non support, was sentenced to six months in county jail. The sentence was suspended for two years, and Tingleaf placed on probation with the stipulation that he support his family.

Lillian Lavon Zander, 38, box 151, Gazelle, Calif., charged with forgery, was granted suspension of sentence for five years. She was ordered to pay the county costs of \$150.

James R. Underhill, 38, of 101 Crater Lake ave., Medford, was granted a suspension of sentence for two years on a non support charge and ordered to support his dependents to the best of his ability.

Highway Project Bids Awarded By Commission

Salem - (UPI) - Bids totaling \$1,930,097 were awarded by the State Highway Commission Tuesday.

A highway department spokesman said they were about 10 per cent less than estimates.

Roy L. Houck Sons Inc., Salem, was low bidder on three projects.

They included the west unit of the Arlington - Heppner Junction interchange section of the Columbia River highway, \$598,985; Nye - Junction-Webb Slough section of the Pendleton - John Day highway, \$283,579, and the Ferry st. interchange section of the Eugene - Springfield highway, \$24,458.

Other low bids included: Hereford rock production project on Baker - Unity and John Day highways, Arthur Simonsen and Co., Baker, \$33,300.

Bridge Job - Mary's River Bridge on Bellfountain county road southeast of Philomath, George E. Berry, Beaverton, \$31,794.

Starr Creek - Flecher Creek section of state 830 about nine miles south of Corvallis, Bay Evers, Inc., North Bend, \$18,587.

Building demolition on Astoria approach, Interstate bridge section of Columbia River highway, D. A. la Valle Construction Co., Portland, \$7,142.

Mt. Vernon rock production project on John Day and Beech Creek highways near Mt. Vernon, E. H. Itschner Co., Molalla, \$31,200.

Klamath Falls traffic signal revision on routes U. S. 97 and Oregon 66, Hahn Electric Co., Klamath Falls \$23,603.

Overcrossing Listed - Belt Line rd. railroad overcrossing northwest of Eugene, Hamilton and Thom Inc., Eugene, \$323,880.

Maxwell rd. overcrossing northwest of Eugene, Hamilton and Thom, Inc., Eugene, \$288,294.

Basque Station - McDermid section rock production south of Basque Station, N. A. Toole Construction Co., Ontario, \$44,175.

Marine dr. - N. E. Shaver section of 122nd ave. east of Portland, C. J. Montage and sons, Portland, \$130,695.

Little Luckiamute River - Old Highway section of Highway 751 west of Monmouth, Salem Road and Driveway Co., Inc., \$62,734.

Weston rock production project for highways in vicinity of Weston, E. H. Itschner Co., Molalla, \$30,900.

'MUMPS FOR SALE'

Oxford, England - (UPI) - Dr. George Watson told the British Medical Association Conference Tuesday that children should catch some childhood diseases at an early age and get them over and done with. Watson predicted that some day doctors may offer "mumps for sale" and parents will rush in to make their purchases.

General Dynamics Believed Favored For TFX Contract

Washington - (UPI) - Sen. Karl E. Mundt (R-S.D.) said in Senate testimony made public Tuesday that he got the impression that Navy Secretary Fred Korth had a "pre-disposition" toward General Dynamics Corp. before the TFX fighter plane contract was awarded.

Korth emphatically denied the inference. He said he resented Mundt's characterization of him as "Mr. General Dynamics" and "Mr. Ft. Worth."

The exchanges were part of transcripts of closed-door testimony taken by the Senate Permanent Investigations subcommittee Monday in the disputed multi-billion dollar TFX contract case.

Errors Or Favoritism - The panel is investigating whether errors or favoritism figured in the decision last November by Pentagon civilian chiefs to give the contract to General Dynamics, despite military recommendations favoring a rival Boeing Co. bid.

A fresh controversy also arose over a chart used by Korth to show that the General Dynamics plane was faster by more than 300 miles per hour and more maneuverable at high altitude than the Boeing design.

Chairman John L. McClellan (D-Ark.) introduced a letter from the Bureau of Naval Weapons dated July 9 saying the charts were "somewhat controversial and before they are used, the risks involved should be appreciated."

The letter also said that a progress report submitted by Boeing Oct. 19 of last year made corrections. By Boeing adding 351 pounds of weight, the speed advantage of Dynamics disappeared.

Appeal Filed After Man Found Guilty

An appeal from district court to the Jackson county circuit court has been filed by William Henry Roberts, 62, of 718 West Main st., Medford, who was found guilty of indecent exposure by a jury in district court.

Roberts, who was arrested June 3, was arraigned June 5. The case was continued until June 7 with bail placed at \$500. Roberts entered an innocent plea and was given a trial by jury. The case was continued to July 10 for sentencing.

Acting as his own attorney, Roberts asked time for making an appeal to the higher court.

END TO ABUSES ASKED

Washington - (UPI) - The council of the Organization of American States has asked the Haitian regime of President Francois Duvalier to end civil rights abuses and grant safe-conduct passes to political refugees in the republic.

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