

LOOKOUT TO TAKE PLACE ATOP BUTTE

TULELAKE — Stanley Glick, faculty member of the Henley high school, will travel up Schonchin butte June 1 to serve until June 10 as temporary fire lookout until arrival of the permanent appointee whose identity is as yet unknown to Don Fisher, chief ranger of the Lava Beds monument. Following June 10 Glick will serve during the summer as temporary ranger.

Schonchin butte is being occupied for the first time this season by a lookout, the hill towering more than 5000 feet above the floor of the area, having been topped recently with a modern lookout station.

The monument's first fire of the season, a small lightning blaze, was reported on May 23 when a heavy electrical storm swept over the area.

Lawson Brainard, assistant to Fisher, and Mrs. Brainard and daughter Naida are on leave in southern California, taking a vacation before the heavy tourist influx that is expected, according to Fisher, to be equally as heavy as last year's.

Roads into the monument are in excellent shape and with recent heavy rains there is no dust, making it an ideal time to explore the area.

Nearly 1800 to Get Degrees in Oregon Schools

EUGENE, Ore., May 30 (UP)—Almost 1800 bachelor's and advanced degrees, diplomas and certificates will be awarded by Oregon's six schools of higher education, it was announced Thursday.

Commencement exercises will be held early next month, with a total of 1270 candidates for bachelor degrees, 704 for masters, 64 for doctor of medicine and 253 diplomas and certificates.

Leading in graduates will be Oregon State college with 779 candidates for degrees. University of Oregon will grant 667; University of Oregon medical school 148; Oregon College of Education 70; Eastern College of Education 58 and Southern Oregon College of Education 61.

Abandoned Auto Sold for \$1 Fine

SEATTLE, May 30 (AP)—The automobile Joseph A. Wagner, of Juneau, Alaska, abandoned in front of police headquarters four months ago rather than pay a \$1 parking fine, was sold Thursday for \$1.

A garage, where the 1923 model had been held in storage, paid the dollar in cash at sheriff's sale. It was given a credit of \$12.50 as storage fee.

The vehicle was tagged for overtime parking January 30. Wagner left it at the police station, seeking to give police title in lieu of a parking fine, and wrote them "My fine probably would be higher than the value of my car."

Italians Demur To Indictment

PORTLAND, Ore., May 30 (AP)—A demurrer to the indictment charging 21 officers and men of the Italian motorship Leme with sabotage and conspiracy was filed in federal court here yesterday.

The Italians' attorney argued that the World War statute under which the indictment was returned was not sufficiently specific.

Federal Judge James A. Fee will hear arguments on the demurrer June 5.



Don't like to disillusion you, folks, but here's how many of those glamorous still pictures from Hollywood are made. For this one, Rita Hayworth simply draped something fetching around her shoulders and head. Then photographer framed picture as indicated above, so those unglamorous slacks wouldn't show.

Big Glider Fleet Towed to Crete By Germans, Report

By DANIEL DE LUCE

ANKARA, Turkey, May 30 (AP)—The German luftwaffe towed a huge fleet of gliders across northern Greece a fortnight before opening the aerial invasion of Crete, it was reported today by a neutral merchant stranded in Salonika by the German occupation.

"If remnants of the British secret service still operate in Greece they should have been able to notify GHQ well in advance of the attack," this source said.

"I looked up from my front porch one morning and was dumfounded to see a big transport towing apparently broken-down planes at an altitude of 12,000 feet. Then I got my field glasses and discovered it was a glider convoy."

"Each transport trailed a cable to which five gliders were attached. The gliders had long, slender fuselages with tremendous wings and possibly were able to carry from 10 to 20 men apiece."

"The astonishing sight continued for hours, the convoys flying in three sections. Altogether I counted 200 motorless craft and couldn't help but think what soft pickings they'd be if the RAF contacted them."

"It remained a mystery to me how the Germans got the gliders into the air, nor did anyone else in Salonika seem to know the take-off method."

"None landed in Salonika. Supposedly they went to the Peloponnese without stopping." The merchant, an old friend of mine, had just left Salonika but requested anonymity.

"I saw 1,500 British soldiers grouped miserably in a dirty prison camp outside Salonika subsisting mostly on bread and water," he related.

"Before Greek prisoners were released on the day of Hitler's latest speech some were kept in an adjoining camp and shared with the British food that civilian friends brought."

"The German guards kept the British busy moving a pile of rocks from one end of a field to the other, then back again."

"Proceeding the axis victory march through Athens, Greek newspapers printed a German military notice ordering the population to shutter the windows and stay off streets where the axis troops were parading."

"Greeks believed the order

EXPENDITURES EYED IN PUD CAMPAIGN

WASHINGTON, May 30 (UP)—The federal power commission said Thursday the Washington Water Power company had reported expenditures of \$107,585.59 during the campaign preceding the Spokane, Wash., municipal election of March 11.

At the election, voters defeated a proposal to permit Spokane to purchase distribution facilities of the Washington Water Power company within the city, or construct new facilities to utilize Grand Coulee power.

The total, the commission said, did not include expenditures by the "Voters' league against ordinance C-7264" which led the opposition, with the "assistance, cooperation and support" of the company.

This report of expenditures filed by request of the commission contrasts sharply, the agency said, with the \$43,000 estimated by the company in a report prior to the election.

SPOKANE, Wash., May 30 (AP)—Kinzey M. Robinson, president of the Washington Water Power company, in a statement Thursday said the federal power commission had misinterpreted the utility company's figures in relation to the Spokane campaign last spring to defeat a municipal power distribution ordinance.

The federal power commission listed the WWP expenses as \$107,585.59 and noted an estimate of \$43,000 was made by the company before the election. Robinson said that "According to our interpretation that amount is approximately correct."

"Since the Spokane election," the statement continued, "we were requested to supply complete details of certain of our expenditures prior to the campaign and in some cases for the entire first three months of 1941 in the Spokane area. These expenditures were in connection with the cost of our sales department, home service department, newspaper and radio advertising, printing and publicity, the cost of changing meters and other work on customers' premises, made necessary by the \$750,000 rate reduction made the first of February, and such items as the covering of water pipes in connection with hot water heater installations, the cost of foods used in the training of four home service girls, even including the cost of any red-dye kilowatt pins which might have been given to youngsters in Spokane."

"It will be noted that the commission mentions our expenditures of \$107,585.59 during the

campaign preceding the Spokane municipal election of March 11. However, in this release they do not state that this was the sum spent in opposition to ordinance C-7264."

Britain May Allow Western Nations to Use Foreign Ships

WASHINGTON, May 30 (UP)—Great Britain may provisionally waive self-proclaimed rights to seize enemy ships transferred to neutral flags, it was learned authoritatively today, opening the way for western hemisphere republics to operate freely the 200-odd foreign-merchantmen lying idle in their ports.

President Roosevelt's reaffirmation of the doctrine of freedom of the seas, although primarily directed against any axis plans to dominate the oceans, was expected in informed quarters here to exert great influence on Britain's final decision.

As a belligerent, Britain has claimed the right to capture or sink all vessels flying the flags of Germany, Italy and axis-conquered or dominated countries, including any such vessels which may have been sold or transferred to neutral nations.

The 21 American republics have taken the contrary position that foreign flag ships immobilized in American ports may be taken over and operated to promote the trade, peace and security of the western hemisphere.

Trailer Dives Into Silverton House

SILVERTON, May 30 (UP)—No one was more surprised than Mr. and Mrs. Olum Larson at receiving a trailer, complete with boat.

The trouble was, it came through the side of their house while they were sleeping soundly. Now they would like to find the owner—preferably a kindly person prepared to repair that hole in the wall.

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FUNDS FOR 56,000 WARPLANES ASKED

WASHINGTON, May 30 (AP)—A combined army-navy air force of 56,000 warplanes, informed legislators disclosed Thursday, will be provided by the funds which President Roosevelt has asked of congress. The full strength is expected to be reached by the fall of 1943.

Members of the house military appropriations sub committee said Robert P. Patterson, under-secretary of war, had told them that with the funds in the \$9,452,890,000 war department supply bill which the subcommittee approved late yesterday, the army air corps would be able to acquire a total of 46,000 planes.

The huge appropriation—largest single supply bill since world war days—was increased at the last minute to include the \$29,089,985 requested Tuesday by President Roosevelt to give the army 13,000 additional planes. The chief executive also asked \$539,046,600 for the navy which committee members said would complete the fleet's 10,000-plane program.

Legislators said Patterson testified the army expected to have its 46,000 planes on hand by September or October of 1943.

In recent years the United States has produced about 80 per cent of the world's molybdenum and used about 30 per cent of the world's output.

Portland May Get Increase in Milk Price After Inquiry

PORTLAND, May 30 (UP)—Producers said an increase in milk prices might be ordered as a result of the Oregon milk control board's hearing on production and distribution, which ended here Wednesday.

C. E. Grelle, board chairman, said there would be no price order, which would affect only the Portland market area, before June 1.

Spokesmen for producers said that if testimony favoring a reduction in cream prices was accepted, it would partly offset the probable milk increase, which was rumored around one cent per quart.

A chain-store request for a differential in the price of milk bought on a cash-and-carry basis might leave store prices at their present level despite a raise, the spokesmen added.

Oldest Twins Mark 86th Birthdays

TILLAMOOK, May 30 (UP)—James A. and John A. Biggs, Sr., Tillamook county's oldest twins, residents here for 66 years, celebrated their 86th birthdays yesterday.

Forty of their descendants attended a dinner at which they were feted. They came here as youths of 20 from Texas and engaged in logging and farming until their retirement.

STEEL ECONOMY ORDERED BY OPM

WASHINGTON, May 30 (UP)—The office of production management issued an order Thursday designed to give defense requirements and all "essential" civilian needs first call on all forms of steel.

E. R. Stettinius Jr., defense priorities director, said he issued the order because the general demand, including defense and civilian orders, "is greater than the apparent capacity to make deliveries of certain types of steel and steel products promptly."

Under the order, any customer who has been unable to obtain delivery of his orders for steel can make a sworn statement to the OPM if the need is deemed essential, the priorities division then will take whatever priority action is necessary to fill the order promptly.

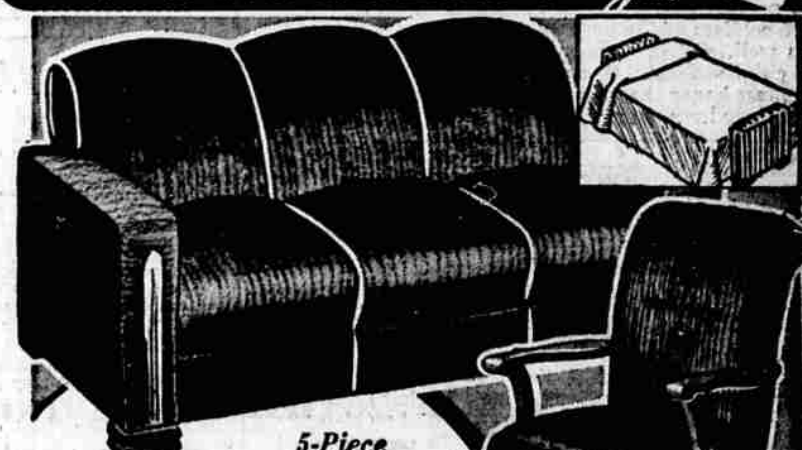
NIGHT ACCIDENTS

Two-thirds of the motor accidents in the United States occur between sunset and sunrise, when only one-third of the driving takes place.

WORLD'S LANGUAGES

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