

AFL LEADERS SPARK DRIVE INTO PLANT

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for a settlement "within a few days." This afternoon, Ed Weston, member of the Boiler Makers' union and sound truck speaker for the Metal Trades council, was attacked and beaten by a group of men in front of the Seattle Labor temple, police reported. Six patrolmen who responded to a call said his assailants fled in a car with Montana license plates before their arrival.

The attack was broken up when AFL members rushed out of the building. Fred Kruse, Metal Trades council secretary, who has offices across the street, said the attack was by "welders' goons."

In Seattle, shipyard workers went to jobs without clashes with pickets and the Metal Trades Council said an even larger proportion was returning to work than yesterday. Few striking welders, however, went back to the yards. At Houghton yesterday, "flying wedge" tactics were used to get men into the plant and fist fights ensued.

Meantime, a welders' spokesman, replying to an office of production management demand that the striking welders return to work in shipyards and other defense industries here and at Tacoma, said any such notification should come directly from the White House.

Army Fears for Silk Parachutes

COFFEYVILLE, Kas., Oct. 29 (AP)—The army would like to have them back, but chances are pretty slim for the return of eight parachutes used to drop flares in Coffeyville's blackout air raid this week.

Each chute contained enough silk to make an average sized lady a Sunday-go-to-meetin' dress.

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important job, the consequences will not be pleasant.

CONGRESS is beginning debate on amendment of the neutrality act to permit American ships to enter the war zones. It is already debating arming of them.

It is a foregone conclusion that amendment will be approved. The neutrality act was a gesture in the first place, designed to say that this war was not concern of ours and that we proposed to stay away from it.

If we are to arm the enemies of Hitler and GET THE ARMAMENT TO THEM, we can't stay away from it.

AVIATION METAL WORKERS CALLED

A call for all aviation sheet metal work students with over 90 hours training has been received from the Boeing Aircraft company at Seattle, Clem Clarke, defense coordinator, reported Wednesday.

About 22 members of the Klamath defense training program will report for work in response to the call, Clarke said, boosting the total placements to about 100 since the local program started.

About 30 men with less than 90 hours experience will remain in the classes and there will now be room for at least 20 more students, Clarke stated, pointing out that any man 18 years of age or over may enroll in the program by calling at the Oregon state employment office at Third and Main streets.

Wednesday's call was the first received here in over a month and Clarke remarked that some of the students had dropped out in the belief that job placement was doubtful.

Well Known Local Youth Dies After Operation in Salem

Leon Henry Crapo Jr., 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Crapo of this city, died late Tuesday night in Salem, several hours following an operation. The youth had been ill for the past four years. He was a student at Klamath Union high school and a member of a well known Klamath county family.

Mrs. Crapo was at her son's bedside at the time of his passing, the father having left Salem for his home here after the operation was thought to have been successful.

Funeral services will be arranged by Ward's Klamath Funeral home with announcements following by the elevation of Francis Biddle to be attorney general. Fahy has been acting solicitor general.

NOMINATED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29 (AP)—President Roosevelt today nominated Charles Fahy to be solicitor general in the justice department, filling the place left vacant by the elevation of Francis Biddle to be attorney general. Fahy has been acting solicitor general.

HEAVY SOVIET LINE BROKEN ON BLACK SEA

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northward toward Tula, munitions making center, 110 miles from Moscow in the Orel sector.

LONDON, Oct. 28 (AP)—The Moscow radio said today that the Germans had been reduced to the defensive in the Kalinin sector, about 95 miles northwest of Moscow.

The Russian announcer said the Germans had lost 5000 men, 40 guns and 32 mortars in new fighting on the approaches to Kalinin, an important station on the Moscow-Leningrad railway. One mechanized division had lost so much of its equipment that it was reduced to infantry status, the broadcast added.

Other advices received in London said the Germans had lost 60 per cent of their effectiveness sent into action the last few days against the Moscow lines, and told of soviet counterattacks in the directions of Moshaisk, 57 miles west of the city, and Maloyaroslavets, 85 miles to the southwest.

KUIBYSHEV, Russia, Oct. 28 (AP)—General Gregory K. Zukov's defenders of Moscow were reported attacking today in nearly all sectors of the curving Moscow front and Russian dispatches declared it had become apparent that the Germans would be able to take the capital.

It was admitted that a German advance to Volokolamsk, 65 miles northwest of the city, had complicated the position of the defenders but on the southwest, around Maloyaroslavets, the red army's counterattacks were said to be growing in intensity and scope.

Dispatches from the capital said the Germans had lost 60 per cent of their fighting strength in battering at Moscow's defenses the past few days.

TRIPLE EVENT SET FOR ELKS SESSION

A triple event of major importance to the Klamath Falls Elks lodge is scheduled for Thursday evening, according to Exalted Ruler Lawrence Slater. The program will combine "bring a book night," "roll call night" and the annual venison feed.

The venison dinner starts at 6:30 p. m., followed by a short session of the lodge. Outside professional entertainment has been obtained for this event. Books brought on Thursday evening will be added to the Elks club library.

VITAL STATISTICS

FITZSIMMONS — Born at Hillside hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., October 25, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fitzsimmons, Route 3 Box 330, city, a boy. Weight: 8 pounds 4 ounces.

JONES — Born at Hillside hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., October 29, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jones, 2024 Modoc street, a girl. Weight: 4 pounds 11 1/2 ounces.

In Hospital — Father John O'Connor of Merrill, Catholic priest, is in Klamath Valley hospital suffering from pneumonia. He was admitted Tuesday.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

OIL TO BURN—For Union heating oils, phone 8404. Klamath Oil Co., 615 Klamath. 10-31mtf

FOR SALE — 100 head mixed cattle. Carter M. Small ranch, Lake Creek, Ore. 11-4

FOR RENT — 3-room modern house, partly furnished. Inquire 1510 Oregon. 10-30

FOR RENT—Cabins. Highley's Market, Summers lane. 11-4

THE INTERSTATE BUSINESS COLLEGE maintains a free employment service for its students. Enroll now. 432 Main. 10-29

FOR RENT — Furnished five-room house. Inquire Mrs. Lamb, Long-Bell cookhouse. 10-30

YOUNG LADY DESIRES PERMANENT OFFICE OR SALES WORK—Reliable, ambitious, good personality, neat penman, no shorthand nor business machine training. Consider any position, anywhere. News-Herald Box 3005. 10-31

ROOM — Furnace heat, inner-spring mattress. 126 N. 3rd. 10-29

FURNISHED 4-room house. 126 N. 3rd. Phone 8452. 10-29

Highway Victim Still Unconscious

Marie Russell, 17-year-old student, was still unconscious at Klamath Valley hospital Wednesday as local authorities sought clues to the strange accident in which she was injured near Wocus last Saturday afternoon.

The girl lay in a coma and officers could get no information from her. They followed several new reports but announced no developments.

Miss Russell was found lying beside The Dalles-California highway near Wocus. She had evidently fallen from or been thrown from a moving car.

PRESIDENT CONFERS WITH COAL CHIEFS

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go to the White House immediately to see President Roosevelt. Mr. Roosevelt had suggested today's meeting between Lewis and Taylor.

While Taylor and Lewis were meeting, Senator Ellender (D-La.) urged in a senate speech that labor organizations act to oust Lewis as a leader "before it is too late."

Describing Lewis as "a traitor to our American ideals and a menace to the peace and prosperity of our nation," Ellender said public patience had reached the breaking point because of the interruption threatened to defense production by the strike in mines supplying steel mills.

"Do not force congress," Ellender said in a plea addressed to the laboring man, "into a position where it may be compelled to pass legislation that will take away from you some of your most cherished rights."

Science Revision Helps Education, Says Groesbeck

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all that the University of Oregon stood alone as the only school of letters and arts in the United States not offering science majors and the request for the same having been long pending, action to settle the issue was urged. The curriculum committee of the board, after careful study, made a report at the Ashland meeting recommending the granting of the request of the university, which recommendation was unanimously approved by the board.

"All parties concerned have long known the issue and had filed voluminous briefs. The chancellor, not having acted in the matter for four years and then having made a proposal which favored merely a "trade" and which in no acceptable manner solved the issue, the curriculum committee, with justification, acted without further fruitless and time-consuming conferences with the chancellor's office.

"Nothing whatever of disadvantage results to the college; nothing is taken away; nothing is changed. As to the resulting duplication, the comment may be made that already there is much duplication in major courses granted at the request of both schools. Such duplications were deemed necessary to the welfare of the system.

"The board is directed by law to avoid unnecessary and wasteful duplication. The taxpayers have no further burden cast upon them by reason of the granted request. The cost, which is minor, will be taken care of in the university budget. No appropriation was asked. The courses will be added in the fall of 1942.

"No one should get excited by reason of the board's action; no one is hurt. But the scholastic standing of higher education in Oregon is decidedly improved."

Attorney Groesbeck stated

'VOTE ON WAR' SEEN BY FOES OF SHIP ARMS

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the floor where at one time during Nye's speech there were only six senators in his audience.

No administration speakers sought to reply but earlier Senator Connally (D-Tex.) told reporters that the best answer to charges the administration sought was the fact the United States still was at peace. If President Roosevelt really wanted to get the country into war, Connally said, "he could easily have done so a year ago."

"There comes a clever word from the west," Nye declared, "that the betting there is 10 to one that if we approve this repeal, the United States will be in the war before Great Britain is in the war."

"The nasty looking claws of war, with all their meanings, were overlooked as the ears were charmed with the gentle purrs that repealing the arms embargo and adopting a lease-lend program of aid to Britain and her allies were by no means acts of war but were really designed to preserve America's neutrality while at the same time helping a gallant people."

"The idea x x x had sufficient charm to make it possible for many who are definitely against actual involvement in war to believe that we could really go for a stroll with the leper of war and come back without having caught the leprosy."

But Senator Johnson (R-Calif.) expressed the opinion that the president's bluntly worded Navy day speech had aroused new opposition to the bill, and Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.) said a poll indicated at least 40 senators would vote against broadening the house-approved ship arming measure to end present neutrality on ship movements.

OBITUARY

LEON HENRY CRAPO JR.

Leon Henry Crapo Jr., a resident of this city for the past 14 years, passed away in Salem, Ore., on Tuesday, October 28. The deceased was a native of Walla Walla, Wash., and was aged 18 years 4 months and 9 days when called. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon H. Crapo of this city; a sister, Mrs. Laura Taylor of this city; six brothers, Clarence, Fred and Paul of this city, James L. of Vancouver, Wash., Harold of Los Angeles, Calif., and Anthony of Fort Stevens, Ore. The remains will arrive from Salem Thursday, October 30, and will rest in Ward's Klamath Funeral Home, 925 High street. Notice of the funeral arrangements will be announced later.

FUNERAL

AGNES RACHEL PARKER Funeral services for the late Agnes Rachel Parker, who passed away at her home on the Ashland highway Tuesday, October 28, 1941, following an illness of four months, will be held in the chapel of the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home, Pine street at Sixth, on Thursday, October 30, 1941, at 3 p. m., with the Rev. Arthur Charles Bates of this city officiating. Commitment services and interment Linkville cemetery. Friends are invited.

further that if any citizen desires additional information, he will be glad to produce the complete record. He said he had been invited to make at least one local talk on the subject to which he understands the public will be invited by the sponsoring organization.

Tickets Received For Bend Football Game November 11

A block of 320 tickets for sections one and two in the grandstand at the Bend high school football field has been received here. Superintendent Arnold Gralapp of KUHS stated Wednesday.

The tickets will be placed on sale at the chamber of commerce office, where tickets for the Grants Pass game this Friday may also be purchased, Gralapp said.

U. S. MAY DISPATCH MISSION TO IRAQ

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Kaiser Wilhelm II. His ambition to complete it has been regarded as a contributing factor in the chain of events leading to the first World war. Britain was reported to have asked lend-lease assistance for the project, along with requests for aid to improve the trans-Iranian railroad, farther east, and for delivery of 200 locomotives, 4500 freight cars, many tons of rails and other equipment to build up rail transport in the middle east.

It was understood that United States officials looked with particular favor upon the Iraq railroad proposal, and that the military mission would depart shortly for Basra, Iraq, for an investigation which might determine whether this government would tackle the job.

The 100-mile construction, it was reported, would take place in a stretch between Basra and Baghdad in central Iraq, from where a standard gauge line runs northward through Mosul to a connection with the Turkish railroad system. Additional work of a nature which military sources would not reveal, is planned on a spur line extending from Baghdad to Kirkuk, in northeastern Iraq. Kirkuk lies in an oil field area.

Man Admits Plan To Wreck Planes At Martin Plant

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the identity of the individual responsible for a cardboard bearing blue and red pencilled lettering and located in one of the B-29 bombers, signed 'Hell Hitler.'

The FBI agent added "the investigation leading to his arrest was the report of a series of wire cuttings starting early in July, 1941, of vital electrical circuits and more recently the cutting of battery drain-off tubes, in the latter instance the tubes subsequently being placed in the gas tanks through the aperture where the liquidometer is ultimately attached.

"Fortunately, each of these malicious acts was detected by rigid inspection system and constant investigative activity. Each of these acts was carefully concealed to avoid immediate detection, and their sporadic occurrence entailed continuous and unrelenting coverage.

"The acts were carefully timed to cast suspicion on hundreds of employes, adding to the investigative difficulties."

Looking for Bargains? Turn to the Classified page

FUNERAL RITES SET FOR HARRY PRATHER

Funeral services for Harry A. Prather will be held Thursday at 2 p. m. in the Malin Presbyterian church, followed by Masonic burial service under the auspices of the Malin lodge.

Mr. Prather, who passed away Tuesday in Portland after a long illness, was a graduate of Klamath county high school in 1915 and was employed at Currier's drug store for eight years after receiving his degree at Oregon State college.

He was a member of the Klamath Falls Elks and was long active in Masonic work in Klamath Falls and later in Malin, where he moved 11 years ago. He was also a member of the American Legion.

FIREMEN TO START ANNUAL TOY WORK

A quick look at the calendar this week assured city firemen they had not many days left to get in their work for Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus.

To long time residents of Klamath Falls, the work of the firemen is not unfamiliar. The boys on both day and night shifts put in a great deal of time repairing broken toys, putting wheels on tricycles and wagons, doll buggies and carts, so that on the Christmas trees of many children there will be gifts from St. Nick.

As a rule, the firemen start their work November 1. Those having toys to donate are asked to do so early and if possible to bring them to the fire station. Those unable to call the firemen are asked to call the firemen and they will be called for.

Three Slightly Hurt in Collision

Three persons were reported slightly injured early Tuesday morning when two cars collided at the intersection of Eldorado and Portland streets. Injured were Ralph Watters, 35; Ray Sparks, 26, and Dave Grathouse, 29.

Drivers of the cars were D. L. Brown, 939 Lincoln street, and E. E. Puckett, 225 Princeton, according to city police.

CONFISCATED

BERLIN, Oct. 29 (AP)—The German secret police today announced they had confiscated the property of Eduard Benes, president of Czechoslovakia before its dismemberment. (Benes is president of the Czech government in exile in London).

Fire Call—The city fire department was called to the shoe shine parlor at 120 South Sixth street in the Louis Jacobs building, where defective wiring caused a small amount of damage. The call was received shortly after noon.

Pledged—Mildred Teare, 1940 Klamath basin potato festival queen and a graduate of Bonanza high school, has been pledged to the Alpha Gamma Delta sorority at the University of Oregon.

Seven Fliers Killed in Two Plane Crashes

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been made, reported these men as missing on a routine instrument flight.

John F. Pinette, (care of the Officers' club.) Fort Lewis, Jack H. Saunders, (2316 Capitol avenue), Sacramento. The pair was scheduled to graduate Friday.

C. R. Cole, conductor for the Southern Pacific company, and R. B. Ball, pumphouse tender were eye-witnesses to the crash. They said the ship apparently failed to come out of a side-slip. The tip of the right wing went hurtling into space at about 400 feet altitude, Ball reported.

Wreckage of wings, tail assembly and motor were strewn for a distance of 500 to 700 feet. The bodies, mangled, were thrown clear.

Luke field officials are conducting an investigation.

Kiwanis Club to Have "Navy Day"

It will be Navy Day at the Klamath Kiwanis club Thursday.

Speaker of the day is Ray Brown, who will give an address on the United States navy as representative of the American Legion. Elmer Hosking, a member of the Legion, will preside.

The Kiwanis election of officers will be held on November 6.

Week Rough on High School

SEDAN, Kas., Oct. 29 (AP)—Last week was pretty rough on Sedan high school.

Tuba Tooter de Arlene Thornhill blew a face ligament.

Somebody rammed Kenneth Smith's baritone horn down his throat and knocked out an upper tooth.

The football team got beat, 12 to 0, but escaped injury.

FAREWELL PARTY

TAMPA, Fla., Oct. 29 (AP)—Private Sam Scurba, Tampa barber and saxophonist in the 118th field artillery band, was released from the army. Just before he was discharged, Scurba called the band in and gave each member a free haircut.

EXECUTED

ROME, Oct. 29 (AP)—Milos Knezevich, a Yugoslav, was executed today by a firing squad on the outskirts of Rome for the bomb explosion which sank an Italian merchant ship last February.

SHIPS SUNK

BERLIN, Oct. 29 (AP)—Fourteen ships totalling 47,000 tons were sunk by German submarines in a six-day pursuit of a heavily-loaded convoy traveling from Gibraltar to England, the German high command said today.

New examinations for stenographers, clerks and tabulating machine operators are to be given for Unemployment Compensation Commission jobs. Starting pay from \$960 to \$1440 a year with promotion prospects. Merit system rules apply. Applications before November 10 with Board of Examiners, Portland. Complete information from any state employment office.

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