

Social Authority To Address Meeting

PORTLAND, Jan. 31 (AP)—Agnes Van Driel, Washington, D. C., nationally known social authority, will address the Oregon conference of social workers, Portland district, February 5.

Steps to Mark Trail Underway in West

PORTLAND, Jan. 31 (AP)—Steps to mark the Lewis and Clark trail from St. Louis, Mo., to Seaside, Ore., already are underway in several western states.

Shipment of Rogue River Pears Resumed

MEDFORD, Jan. 31 (AP)—Shipment of Rogue River valley pears, halted briefly by traffic congestion and heavy weather in the east, has been resumed at the rate of 10 to 25 cars daily.

CANADA MAY HAVE EDGE IN LUMBER MILLS

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 31 (AP) Possibility that Canadian lumber mills may hold a 10 per cent monetary advantage over Oregon and Washington mills in postwar competition was voiced here by H. V. Simpson, Washington D. C. representative of the West Coast Lumbermen's association.

Simpson said the Bretton Woods plan would permit any nation to start its fixed currency value in terms of gold or the U. S. dollar, and that he believed the Canadian dollar would be fixed at the present 10 per cent discount.

"This would end up with British Columbia mills having a 10 per cent preference in every market in the world, including our own domestic markets," he said.

Dean Johnson, association president, told a regional meeting that lumber, faced with greater costs, must sell at a higher price than in prewar days to remain a major industry in the northwest.

The War At a Glance

By The Associated Press

The Western front: Americans stomped across German border at two new places as artillery poured shells into main concrete works of Siegfried line; full-scale assault French in south encircled Cernay, seven miles northwest of Mulhouse.

The Russian front: Landsberg, 68 miles from Berlin, captured; Germans said red army spearheads were from 58 to 62 miles from capital, Konigsberg encircled and shellied; Marienwerder, 34 miles southwest of Elbing, captured; Russians reported across Silesian Oder in strength.

The Italian front: Activity limited to patrols.

The Pacific front: Strong U. S. 8th army forces landed unopposed from 150 ships 60 miles northwest of Manila, threatened to cut off Japanese withdrawal route to Bataan by driving toward juncture with sixth army across peninsula. Sixth army within 30 miles of Manila.

ADDITION OF JUDGE ASKED BY COUNTY

SALEM, Jan. 31 (AP)—The Lane county legislative delegation introduced a bill today in the house to add a fourth circuit judge in the second judicial district, which includes Douglas, Lane, Coos, Curry and Lincoln counties.

The fourth judge, who would have to be a resident of Lane county, would be given jurisdiction over probate matters in a companion bill.

Rep. Earl Hill, Cushman, said he has abandoned plans to remove congestion in the Lane county court by adding another county judge, asserting he had run into legal snags. The new bills, he said, would relieve the congestion just as well.

Washington Man Named Director

SALT LAKE CITY, Jan. 31 (AP)—L. C. Meschke of Brownstown, Wash., representing the Eastern Washington Beet Growers' association, was named to the board of directors of the newly-organized National Federation of Beet Growers yesterday.

H. E. Hogsett of Greeley, Colo., was elected president of the association, made up of nine western cooperatives. The organization today was studying labor problems.

'No Vacancy' Sign Applies to Beaver

ALBANY, Jan. 31 (AP)—A homeless beaver found wistfully climbing the steps to an apartment house here, regardless of a "no vacancy" sign, was in a crate at the city hall today.

Charities, Family Beneficiaries of Will

SALEM, Jan. 31 (AP)—The will of the late Mrs. Fannie Kay Bishop, admitted to probate here yesterday, names as beneficiaries the Women's Christian Temperance union, children's farm home at Corvallis, the First Presbyterian church of Salem, and members of the family.

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HOMEMAKERS SLATE FESTIVAL FOR MAY

The first homemakers' festival to be held in Klamath county was outlined by members of the homemakers committee at a meeting held Saturday, January 27.

It has been planned to have discussions of time and energy saving methods by Mrs. Gillen, a skit, a luncheon and a special address by Dr. James Millar of Portland, who will return again to Klamath county for this event.

Committee members and others who gathered to make the initial plans for the affair were Mrs. Twyla Ferguson, manager of the Soroptimist House, Mrs. Rex High of Poe Valley, chairman of the committee, Mrs. W. S. Metler of Altamont, Mrs. Earl Mack of Henley, Mrs. Lee Holliday of Fairhaven, Mrs. W. B. Bickers of Mosier Point, Mrs. William Williams of Henley, Mrs. S. A. Barnum of Bonanza and Betty Jones, secretary to the home demonstration agent.

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Marine Fleet Air Officer Promoted

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Jan. 31 (AP)—Col. L. H. Sanderson, commanding officer of marine fleet air, west coast, regarded as the father of dive bombing, has been promoted to the rank of brigadier general, his headquarters announced today.

A native of Shelton, Wash., Sanderson made the first successful dive bombing attack against the insurgents at Hail in 1919. The officer used a makeshift bomb release consisting of a flour sack into which a bomb had been placed and which was fastened to the under carriage of the plane. A simple device opened the sack and released the bomb. Sanderson described the operation as akin to shaking a cat out of a bag.

OSC Men to Attend Farm Labor Meeting

CORVALLIS, Jan. 31 (AP)—Dean William A. Schoenfeld and J. R. Beck, state farm labor supervisor, will represent Oregon State college agricultural extension service at meeting in Berkeley, Calif., February 1-3 on farm labor requirements.

Information on imported labor will be given county farm labor assistants after the meeting, enabling them to plan recruiting of local workers.

NONE RETURN OREGON CITY, Jan. 31 (AP)—None of the 104 Japanese-Americans evacuated from Clackamas county has returned to reclaim personal property held by the sheriff's office, Sheriff Fred Reakseeker said today.

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BROWNOUT SLATED IN MOST OF NATION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (AP)—A brownout designed to save 2,000,000 tons of coal annually goes into effect in most parts of the country at 12:01 a. m. tomorrow.

Areas exempted from the order are served by electricity generated entirely from hydro power or surplus gas.

Jumping the February 1 deadline for compliance, some cities put the brownout into effect on a voluntary basis as early as mid-January. The states of Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana and Utah, where hydro electric energy is plentiful, have been granted an exemption. Other major exemptions include most of Texas, southern Louisiana, and most of Arizona, Nevada and California except for San Diego and Catalina island.

Western Lawmakers Introduce Bills

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (AP)—Western legislators tossed bills into the congressional hopper yesterday.

Sen. Gordon (R-Ore.) introduced one which would subject to assessment by local drainage districts lands in Oregon acquired by the federal government for military purposes.

Rep. Coffee (D-Wash.) offered a house bill to authorize the broadcasting of senate and house proceedings.

Engineer Added to Bonneville Staff

PORTLAND, Jan. 31 (AP)—Addition of Roy Wilkins to the staff of engineering consultants of the Bonneville power administration was announced here by Administrator Paul J. Raver.

Spring Vacations in Colleges May Be Out

EUGENE, Jan. 31 (AP)—The state board of higher education has not yet received a request from the office of defense transportation to cancel spring vacations as a means of eliminating unessential travel, Chancellor Frederick M. Hunter said today.

Dr. Hunter said if a request is received there will be ample time to consider it at the board's March meeting after determining the amount of travel involved.

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