

Festival to Be Held on April 5

The southern Oregon annual competition festival sponsored by the Southern Oregon League at Ashland will be held on April 5, activities running through the day from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. A tentative program for the event was prepared by members of the executive committee which met recently with Dr. Elmo N. Stevenson of the Southern Oregon college; I. A. Mirick, director of instrumental music in the Medford schools; Jack W. Francis, director of instrumental music in the Ashland schools; and Wallace Sapp, in charge of music at the Southern Oregon college. The committee tabulated applications for the participating schools and announced the following towns will be represented by one or more musical activities, including band, orchestra, glee club, vocal and instrumental solos, and ensembles: Klamath Falls, Medford, Marshfield, Coos River, Grants Pass, Roseburg, Rogue River, Roseburg, and Coquille.

The meet was originally planned for two days, Friday and Saturday, but because of the existing situation the committee stated that they had spent a good deal of time devising a schedule that could be run off one day so that few participants would be obliged to stay overnight. The festival, which was discontinued because of wartime restrictions on travel, promises to reassume its old-time color and interest, according to the committee in charge.

Church Council Continues Confab
PORTLAND, March 28 (AP)—The national council of the Episcopal church continued its first postwar convention today with 71 national and diocesan leaders attending the first post-meeting.

CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"I want to apologize for the appearance of the rumpus room—Elmo and I were busy down here the other night thrashing out a few household problems!"

Settlement Sought On Berthing Site

PORTLAND, March 28 (AP)—Capt. E. E. Thorne, supervisor of the maritime commission's reserve fleet moorage here, was conferring today with Rear Adm. F. A. Zeussler, Seattle, in an effort to reach a settlement in coast guard objections to a Columbia river site for berthing the surplus craft.

The officer told the Port of Portland authorities yesterday the maritime commission program, which means a \$5,000,000 annual ship repair and maintenance industry to the city, could be restored if the coast guard and army engineers withdrew objections.

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General Clamps Lid On Yanks Fraternizing With Jap Girls

By TOM LAMBERT

TOKYO, March 28 (AP)—In Japan this spring the young American's fancy won't turn so lightly to thoughts of fraternization. The general said "no." The provost marshal is assessing a \$10 fine for each public display of fancy turning.

Since Lt. Gen. Robert L. Eichelberger's ban on arm-in-arm strolling of U. S. soldiers and Japanese girls three days ago, the provost marshal's office has made 40 arrests. The army quite stiffly declines to discuss its scales of fines, but they average \$10.

The ban already is "effective, and will become more so," announced Gen. C. S. Ferrin, Tokyo provost marshal. "It definitely is beneficial."

"We don't want to hit our men too hard. If we find a soldier holding hands in public with a Japanese girl, we warn him and notify his company commander."

"But any unseemly public display, such as having an arm around a girl..."

The general shook his head.

The brass of rank is no protection, either. Ferrin himself, his moustache bristling, bounced from his office to accost an army captain whose arm encircled the waist of a Japanese nurse.

And there was the case of the navy lieutenant commander... Two military policemen were on their way to the movies when out of the gloom lurched what one described as "a king of second Hunchback of Notre Dame." "Putting duty ahead of cinema," they investigated. It was the lieutenant-commander, carrying a Japanese woman piggy-back.

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The MP's explained with equal simplicity that, rank or no rank, he was going to the stockade for such conduct. He doubted it.

Salem Voters Okay Special Tax Levy

SALEM, March 28 (AP)—Salem voters approved by a 324 to 24 margin a \$135,649 special levy to meet increased school costs for the next year.

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