

Navy Mothball Methods Eyed

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Tolleson (R-Wash.) suggested to the Navy Wednesday it could save \$11,400,000 by adopting Maritime Administration's methods in the scheduled laying up of 57 tankers.

Tolleson, acting chairman of the House Merchant Marine Committee, made public a letter to Secretary of Navy Anderson in which

he referred to recent announcements that the Navy will "mothball" 57 vessels.

Tolleson said he understands all of these are T2 type tankers on loan from the Maritime Administration and that bids for laying up two such vessels had run from \$238,754 to \$263,000.

He said the same type vessel is placed in the Maritime Administration's lay up fleet at a much lower cost.

"At my inquiry," he declared, "the Maritime Administration tells me that it can lay up such a vessel at a cost not exceeding \$60,000 plus the cost of towing to the fleet site."

"If the 57 vessels were returned to the Maritime Administration for lay up, or if the Navy used the same process employed by the Maritime Administration, there could conceivably be an initial saving of \$200,000 per ship or a total of \$11,400,000. There might be additional savings in the annual cost of maintenance."

Tolleson conceded the Navy's methods might be more complete and longer lasting or that it might permit ships to be put into active service quicker.

Labor Survey Shows Trend

WASHINGTON (AP) — A Labor Department survey, it was learned Wednesday, shows that 63 major labor unions representing slightly over eight million workers are required by their constitutions to hold pre-strike votes.

The results of the survey were relayed to the Senate Labor Committee in a letter from Stuart Rothman, Labor Department solicitor. Contents of the letter were made available to a reporter.

Rothman said 112 of 215 major national and international unions were studied and that of these, 63 are bound by constitutional provisions which "require pre-strike votes by local union members."

The remainder, he added, require for the most part that national officers must approve before a local can call a strike.

However, the Labor Department legal officer said the study "does not demonstrate the extent to which a great many additional workers may be covered by a strike vote requirement in their local constitutions where the international does not so provide."

Rothman estimated that the 112 unions surveyed account for 80 percent of all organized workers, whose number he put at around 17 million.

Third Man Enters Race For Congress

PORTLAND (AP) — The race for Republican nomination for representative from the Third Oregon Congressional District became a three-way affair Tuesday when A. W. Lafferty announced his candidacy.

Lafferty, now 78, served as a representative in Congress from Oregon in 1910 and 1912. In recent years he has led a campaign to return O & C revested lands to the state.

Others seeking the post are the incumbent, Rep. Homer Angell, and Lawson McCall, Portland radio commentator.

Mitchell Confers In Portland

PORTLAND (AP) — Stephen A. Mitchell, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, was due in Portland Wednesday for conferences with party leaders.

He was to be principal speaker Wednesday evening at a \$5-a-plate fund-raising dinner.

On Wednesday Mitchell is to confer with Eastern Oregon Democrats at Baker.

Visiting Governor To Speak Friday

PORTLAND (AP) — Gov. Goodwin J. Knight of California will be met at the airport by Oregon Gov. Paul Patterson when Knight arrives here Feb. 12 to make a Lincoln Day address for the Republican Party.

The talk will be at the Benson High School auditorium.

Altamont School News Notes

By FRED HEARD

Friday, January 29, Altamont played Fremont. The score was 31-21. This is the first game we have lost this season in basketball.

January 29, the Fremont Student Council visited our Student Council. Everyone enjoyed the visit very much.

February 1, the school enjoyed a very good National Assembly entitled "The Marionettes."

The Student Council room representatives are selling plastic coated book covers. The room selling 125 book covers, or more, received a special prize. This prize went to the 8D's.

The Student Council is also giving special mention to the room having the most people on the citizenship honor roll. From now on the highest room will get a special banner. This six weeks the 8A's and the 7C's are the winners.

Wanda English is back in school after a long illness.

New Use Proposed For Army Guns

OLYMPIA, Wash. (AP) — Plans were revealed here Wednesday for using lethal Army artillery to prevent possible death.

The plan involves avalanche control with the use of 105 howitzers. Under the proposal the 105's will be taken from Ft. Lewis to be looked upon with favor at the Stevens Pass ski area when conditions are right. There they will blast away at highly hazardous avalanche areas.

Ray Hyatt, secretary of the Washington State Safety Council, said the avalanches released by the gunfire can be cleaned off the highways, railroads and ski areas under controlled conditions, thus precluding sudden snowslides that have, in the past, trapped motorists, and skiers.

The plan is being carried out through the cooperative effort of the United States Forest Service, the Army, Air Force, and various other agencies.

Dismissal Asked In Abortion Case

PORTLAND (AP) — Attorneys attempted Tuesday to have dismissed an indictment charging Mrs. Ruth Barnett with performing an illegal abortion.

Her attorneys contended the indictment was faulty. The district attorney's office argued that it was not. Circuit Judge James R. Bain took the case under advisement.

Mrs. Barnett, Portland, was among a number of persons arrested two years ago in raids aimed at illegal abortion clinics.

OFFICE SPACE City Center Main Street Entrance Quiet Draws Manstore

Manstore is a new office building located at the intersection of Main Street and Commercial Street in downtown Portland. It features a quiet, professional atmosphere and is well-suited for various business needs.

Manstore offers a range of office spaces, from small cubicles to large executive offices. The building is modern and well-maintained, with excellent natural light and ventilation.

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Wiretap Bill Faces Changes

WASHINGTON (AP) — A compromise was in prospect Wednesday on Republican differences which have stymied House consideration of a bill to legalize wiretapping in national security cases.

One possibility, reported to be looked upon with favor at the White House, would hand authority for permitting wiretapping over to the President instead of the attorney general as now proposed in the administration-backed version.

It is this matter of authority which has held up wiretap legislation in the House. GOP leaders

had tentatively planned to call it up for action last month.

Attorney General Brownell contends that control over wiretap interceptions should be vested in the attorney general alone. He argues it would be less cumbersome, and would largely prevent the possibility of security "leaks."

On the other hand, a House judiciary subcommittee already has approved a bill by Rep. Keating (R-NY) which not only would require approval by the attorney general, but also an advance federal court order in each specific

case of wiretapping. The Keating bill was approved unanimously by the subcommittee but has since been held up in the full committee at Brownell's request.

The subcommittee has agreed to

hear Brownell argue his case he would be "receptive" to some again, and Keating told newsmen changes.

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