

# Senator Blasts Bad Literature

WASHINGTON (AP) — Chairman Hendrickson (R-N.J.) of a Senate subcommittee on juvenile delinquency said Monday traffic in "insidious filth" has become big business which could net its operators from 100 to 300 million dollars a year.

He said in a speech prepared for Senate delivery he was not speaking of the paper-covered editions "and the truly salacious literature which frequently adorn our drugstore newsstands."

"What I wish to call to your attention," Hendrickson continued, "is the growing illicit trade across our nation of filthy and perverted films, books, cartoons, pamphlets, recordings and objects of sex depravity so utterly indecent as to shock every civilized American, were he aware of them."

Hendrickson said the "subcommittee staff has learned that virtually every major city across America is being hit with constantly increasing complaints concerning such traffic."

Hendrickson said his subcommittee learned of one operator who started with \$300 and had amassed \$250,000 two years later. The senator said this man dealt in erotic films, priced from \$15 to \$100 for a few feet of sadistic color film with sound.

One city, Hendrickson continued, destroyed 400,000 feet of such film during the course of a single year.

The New Jersey senator prepared his remarks to accompany introduction of legislation designed for Washington, D.C., "where the situation cries for immediate action."

In essence, the proposed law would do two things:

1. Make mandatory a jail sentence of not less than one year for anyone found guilty of a second time of dealing with lewd, immoral or licentious material.
2. Authorize the court to permit the public prosecutor to confiscate and have sold at public auction all cameras, presses, trucks, automobiles and the like which a convicted person may have employed to carry on his traffic in lewd material.

# Floyd A. Boyd

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Sponmer, 1931 and Ivan Rose, 1932. Floyd A. Boyd, native of Alturas, came to Tulelake, March 3, 1933, as manager of the J. T. Negley Implement Company. He served in that capacity until 1940 when he became associated with Ival Wolfe and Ivan Rose as the business in 1944 to the other two owners. Boyd is also interested in extensive farming operations in the Tulelake Basin.

He assisted with the organization of the 20-30 Club; with the organization of the Tulelake Volunteer fire department, and was the first chief serving in that capacity; he helped with organization of the Tulelake Rotary Club, is a charter member and was second president. He is one of three members who have 16 years of untarnished attendance. Other 100 per cent members are H. T. Street and Earl Ager.

Boyd was active in preliminary proceedings for the incorporation of the city; has been active in YMCA work; is vice president of the Modoc Area Council, Boy Scouts; was master of ceremonies for the 1947 homecoming drawing here, broadcast over a national hookup; assisted on bond drives during World War II; is a member of the Tulelake-Butte Valley fair board; past master of Canby Cross Masonic Lodge, Tulelake; past patron of the Tulelake Chapter OES. During 1953 he assisted with the "contact work" on the recently organized Tulelake Water District. He was general chairman of the huge celebration last year, that marked the successful deepening of the city's water well, that brought good water to the town for the first time.

Two members each, from eight organizations were included on the committee decided on the "Mr. Tulelake" candidates.

Mrs. Boyd was presented with a bouquet of red roses by Mrs. Pat Waltz, wife of the 20-30 president.

The invocation was given by the Rev. C. F. O'Connor, pastor of Holy Cross Church.

Appearing on the program were John Boswell, pianist, Fairbanks, Alaska; Velma Thompson, Tulelake, dance interpreter, and Mrs. Dave Bridge, Klamath Falls, vocalist.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd have three children, Carolyn, Donald and Jimmie.

# Clare Luce Denies Red Accusations

ROME (AP) — U. S. Ambassador Clare Boothe Luce has fired back a flat denial to a magazine report that she criticized Italy's government in a speech to Washington newsmen. After publication of the report, 35 far leftist senators demanded that she be ousted from the country.

Her statement, terming the account of the purported speech a "fabrication pure and simple," was issued coincidentally with a report from Washington that Mrs. Luce had urgently requested President Eisenhower to send Vice President Nixon on a brief good-will tour of Italy to combat Communist propaganda.

Mrs. Luce, in Paris to confer with U. S. and Nato officials, declined to comment on this report. It said Mrs. Luce had recognized the Nixon trip when she visited Washington in January but that Eisenhower had not decided whether he could spare Nixon from his duties in Washington.

U. S. Embassy officers here said they knew nothing about any plans for the vice president to visit Italy, where Communist gains in the election last summer and since have aroused increasing American concern.

The independent weekly "L'Europeo" had claimed last week that Mrs. Luce in a speech to a group of correspondents in Washington Jan. 5 told them she had urged Italian leaders to crack down harder on communism. The article also quoted her as saying she had warned ex-Premier Alcide de Gasperi that further Italian delays in ratifying the European army treaty would result in a "big cut" in the figures of American aid.

The day after the article's publication, the group of senators asked the government to declare Mrs. Luce persona non grata (no longer acceptable), an action which would have automatically forced her recall.

# Indictment Dismissed

Dismissal of another criminal indictment was asked Monday by the district attorney's office.

Circuit Judge David R. Vandenberg granted the request but refused to allow the case to be re-submitted to the county grand jury. The defendant was released.

The case involved Glen Haskins, 19, accused of participation in a burglary at the Chief Theater in Chiloquin.

Deputy District Attorney Robert Kerr told the court that in drawing the indictment the wrong name of an alleged accomplice was included.

"The name of 'Teddy Eggsman' was inadvertently and erroneously substituted for the name 'John Mack Jackson,'" Kerr stated.

Judge Vandenberg said there was nothing he could do under the law but accede to the district attorney's request and dismiss the indictment.

The court then upheld the objection of Defense Attorney George Proctor to re-submitting the case to the grand jury.

"My client already has been in jail nearly three months awaiting trial," Proctor declared. "He is entitled under the law to a speedy trial. In my opinion the court would not have the right under the circumstances to re-submit this case to the grand jury."

Judge Vandenberg then made his ruling against re-submission and ordered Haskins released from custody.

# Car Accident On Highway 66

An accident a short distance past the Weed-Ashland junction on Highway 66, caused no injuries, but did considerable damage to the two cars involved, according to Oregon State Police.

The mishap occurred shortly before 4 p.m. Sunday when a car operated by Onedra Swearingin, 510 N. 7th, pulled onto the highway from the driveway of the Klamath Forest Protective Association, directly into the path of a car driven by Walter Conrady, city policeman, who was traveling west.

Mrs. Swearingin told officers she did not see the other car approaching.

# Funeral

MEMORIAL SERVICES FOR TWILA FERGUSON, who died in Ashland, will be held from O'Hair's Memorial Chapel Tuesday, March 30, at 11 a.m.

# Easier Credit; Tax Cuts Spurs to Better Business

NEW YORK (AP) — Hopes for a business upturn were geared this week to two potent economic spurs: tax relief and easier installment credit.

The call for a more liberal policy on consumer lending was sounded at a bankers' convention in Chicago. The consensus: "private bankers had better start making more credit available to consumers now, before the government does it for them."

Meanwhile the Senate voted to slash federal excise taxes on such consumer items as luggage, jewelry, furs, cameras, sporting goods, electric light bulbs and cosmetics.

The two moves had a common aim: to pep up retail sales, increase the flow of goods through distributive pipelines and boost factory production and employment.

Production in the nation's basic industry, steel, showed little evidence of a spring pickup. The week's scheduled operating rate, 66.5 per cent of capacity—called for an output of 1,585,000 tons of

# French Hit Vietminh In New Attack

HANOI, Indochina (AP) — French Union forces broke out of their besieged fortress of Dien Bien Phu late yesterday and the high command said they killed 1,000 men of the Communist-led Vietminh in a counterattack outside the fortress fringes.

French army headquarters announced French tanks, artillery and infantry, under the fortress commander, Col. Christian de Castries, killed all Vietminh entrenched in two villages about two miles from the western line of the dusty plain's defenses.

It was the first major French counterattack since the Vietminh launched their great mass assault on the key northwest Indochina outpost March 13.

During three days of wave-on-wave infantry charges, the withdrawing French killed an estimated 3,000 and wounded another 8,000. The Vietminh pulled back to regroup, presumably for more mass assaults. Since then they have kept up artillery bombardments from the hills surrounding the plain, while French artillery and aircraft harassed the rebels in reply.

The French command said in the attack yesterday their own forces had only "light losses" of about 20 killed, and had killed "every Vietminh soldier" found in the villages of Ban Ong Fet and Ban Ban.

# Defeat Of Huk Forces Told

PORTLAND (AP) — Gen. Carlos P. Romulo told Saturday how Communism is being defeated in the Philippines.

He said the island government built up a strong army and then met the Huk's demands for land reform by offering tracts of public lands and seed. Hundreds of the Communist-led Huks surrendered, Romulo said.

# U.S. VIT

TOKYO (AP) — Eighty-three Japanese farm youths left on the liner President Wilson Monday for eight months study of U.S. agriculture.

# Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO (AP) — Two way market developed in hogs on the livestock market Monday, buyers again showing a preference for heavy weight offerings. Butchers of this type have attracted demand because of the very small sow arrivals. Salable receipts totaled 8,000.

Butchers weighing under 230 pounds sold steady to 15 cents lower while those weighing more than 230 pounds were steady to 15 cents higher. Most choice 190 to 200 pound butchers sold at \$26.75 to \$27.10 with the top 27.15. Butchers weighing 270 to 300 pounds sold for \$26.25 to \$26.75.

Steers and heifers sold steady to 50 cents higher. A few loads of prime steers moved at \$29.75 to \$31.50. Good to low choice steers went at \$19.50 to \$22.50 with comparable heifers \$18.50 to \$23.00. Utility and commercial cows brought \$11.50 to \$14.00 and canners and cutters \$9.00 to \$11.50. Salable receipts totaled 17,000.

Trading in lambs got off to a slow start but the market was steady. Salable receipts totaled 1,500. A few sales of good to prime wooled lambs were at \$24.00 to \$26.00. Commission houses held some loads for higher prices. Cull to low good grades brought \$16.00 to \$23.50.

# Potatoes

CHICAGO (AP) — Potatoes: Arrivals 265; on track 421; total U. S. shipments for Friday 870; Saturday 753; Sunday 8; old stock market firm; Idaho Russets \$3.46; bakers \$3.90 - 4.00; Minneapolis North Dakota Pontiacs \$2.00; new stock market steady; Florida round reds \$1.90-2.00.

# Idaho Falls

IDAHO FALLS (AP) — (USDA) — Potatoes: Market unsettled; Russets No. 1A, 15-20 per cent 10 oz and larger, 75-1.95, 25-30 per cent 10 oz and larger, 1.85-2.10, 30-35 per cent 10 oz and larger, 2.00-2.25.

Sixteen cities; Arrivals 1,064; on track 1,620.

# Whitman College Dumps Idaho Wash

WALLA WALLA, Wash. (AP) — Whitman College spurned for seven runs in the second inning Saturday to drop the University of Idaho, 7-2, in the opener of a scheduled college baseball twin bill here. The second game was cancelled because of a hail storm.

# Patent

TOKYO (AP) — Retired Brig. Gen. James S. Simmons, dean of Harvard's school of public health, Monday was reported in good condition at Tokyo Army hospital. He suffered a heart attack five days ago.

# Knife Thrower To Be Sentenced

Anita Meier, 35, described by arresting officers as a skilled knife thrower, was given time to "rest up" in the county jail when she appeared Monday before District Judge D. E. Van Vactor on a vagrancy charge.

The complaint against her stated she conducted herself in a "violent, riotous and disorderly manner." The complaining witness, Thelma Lovelace, said the Meier woman threatened her with a butcher knife.

Mrs. Lovelace also said she believed her life was in danger because she was in knife-throwing distance of the defendant.

Judge Van Vactor said he would impose sentence on Mrs. Meier Wednesday.

"That will give time for a nice rest," he told her. "You can read magazines and rest until Wednesday."

# Tomato Juice Thief On Trial

Claude Lee Thomas, who is accused of breaking into a railroad refrigerator car loaded with tomato juice to satisfy a craving for the beverage, went on trial before a jury in Circuit Judge David R. Vandenberg's court Monday.

Railroad police say Thomas stole a case of tomato juice from the refrigerator car which was part of a freight train standing on a siding at Crescent Lake. According to their report, Thomas had consumed a half gallon of the juice at the time of his arrest.

The defendant is represented by Attorneys P.K. Puckett and George Proctor, District Attorney Frank Alderson is directing the prosecution.

# Obituary

**DUNGAN** — Joseph Hiram Dungan, 68, native of Concordia, Kansas, resident of Klamath Falls for two years, died here March 28. Survivors include the widow, Mary Amelia of this city; daughters, Hazel Harlocker of Moorcroft, Wyoming; Alberta Albers of Sacramento; Geneva, Butlerland of Malin; Belle Rausch of this city and Grace Parson of Samuels, Idaho; a son, Ben E. of Colburn, Idaho; brothers, Oren and Henry of Concordia, Kansas; Frank of Missoula; sisters, Valma Turner, Josephine Shaffer and Melvina Wallace of Concordia, Kansas; also 23 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Ward's Klamath Funeral Home.

# Strid

Per (Peter) Strid, 67, native of Norra, Sweden, a former resident of Klamath Falls for 21 years, died in Harbor, Oregon, March 27. Survivors include the widow, Helen of Harbor; three sons, I. H. of Portland; Eric I. of The Dalles; and Martin of this city; daughter, Anna Marie Hama; a sister, Berta Dahlstrom of Harbor; and Karin Beckman of Harbort; a brother, Alfred Laurin and a sister, Ida Ericson of Sweden; also 14 grandchildren. Mr. Strid was a member of Klamath Lane No. 460 Order of Vasa. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Ward's Klamath Funeral Home.

# Dickens

Richard Luke Dickens, 22, native and lifelong resident of Beatty, died here March 27, 1954. Survivors include his father, Buster of Beatty; brother, Delmer of Sacramento; a sister, Evangelina Schonchin of Beatty; also five cousins. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Ward's Klamath Funeral Home.

# Ferguson

Twyla Ferguson, native of Caldwell, Missouri, and a resident of this city, died in Ashland, March 27. Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Elsie of Los Angeles; two nephews, James Capies of Salmon, Idaho, and Van Capies of Seattle; O'Hair's Memorial Chapel in charge of arrangements.

# Red Meeting

BERLIN (AP) — East Germany's ruling Communists convene here Tuesday to chart the "active armed defense" of the Russian-occupied nation and project Deputy Premier Walter Ulbricht into undisputed party leadership.

# Weather

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Freezing temperatures gripped most of Oregon Monday morning with the Portland airport recording the lowest mark for a March 29 in its history—a 23.

However, no crop damage was immediately reported. Fruit trees in the rich Hood River Valley have not started blooming and the minimum temperature in the fruit-growing Rogue River Valley of Southern Oregon was above freezing.

Low temperatures included Baker 16, Bend 18, Pendleton 19, The Dalles 21, Ontario 27, Salem 23, Newport and Eugene 29 and downtown Portland 30.

The Weather Bureau predicted it again will be below freezing at most of these points Tuesday morning. Cool daytime weather was in prospect, too, despite sunny skies, Grants Pass and vicinity—Partly cloudy and colder Monday night; fair Tuesday. Low Monday night 28; high Tuesday 50.

Northern California—Showers in extreme north Monday night, spreading over entire area Tuesday morning; clearing in the north Tuesday afternoon; snow in mountains. Winds along coast northerly, 12-25 m.p.h.

Baker and vicinity—Fair through Tuesday. Low Monday night 10; high Tuesday 38.

Western Oregon—Mostly clear in north and cloudy with occasional rain in south Monday night; Tuesday clear in north and partly cloudy in south; cooler in south Monday night; low 26-35; high Tuesday 46-56. Winds off coast becoming northerly to northwesterly, 10-20 m.p.h. Tuesday.

Eastern Oregon—Mostly clear in north and cloudy with occasional snow in south through Monday night; Tuesday clear except mostly cloudy with snow flurries in the southeast. High Tuesday 30-40; low Monday night 20-30 except 10-15 in higher valleys.

# Grains

24 hours to 4:30 a.m. Monday	
Max.	Min. Prep.
Baker	34 16
Bend	28 18
Eugene	45 29
Klamath Falls	47 25
Lakeview	43 29
Medford	51 40
Newport	49 29
North Bend	50 39
Ontario	47 27
Pendleton	39 19
Portland (Airport)	45 23
Roseburg	45 35
Salem	48 28
Boise	45 25
Chicago	58 29
Denver	63 22
Eureka	64 47
Los Angeles	66 54
New York	52 46
Red Bluff	58 47
San Francisco	59 48
Seattle	43 24
Spokane	32 16

# Chicago Grain

CHICAGO (AP) — Grains headed lower after a show of firmness during the first hour on the board of trade Monday. By the time the final bell rang losses mounted quite high.

Biggest break was in rye, which tumbled to new lows for the past several years. Wheat also took a fairly heavy pounding, particularly by the May delivery.

Wheat closed 10 to 2 1/4 lower, May 2.18 1/2, corn 3/4 to 1 cent lower, May 1.54 1/2-1.55, oats 1/4-1/2 lower, May 75 1/2, rye 5 1/2-6 1/2 lower, May 1.03 1/2-1.03, soybeans 2 to 3 1/2 higher, May 3.67 1/2-3.68, and lard 5 to 40 cents a hundred pounds higher, May 19.05-19.07.

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	2.21	2.21 1/4	2.17 1/2	2.18 1/2
July	2.14	2.14 1/4	2.12	2.12 1/4
Sept	2.16 1/2	2.16 3/4	2.14	2.15
Dec	2.20	2.21 1/4	2.18 1/2	2.19 1/2

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