

### Neuberger Election Urged By Former Interior Chief

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
 Oscar Chapman, secretary of the Interior in the previous Democratic administration, Tuesday urged election of Richard L. Neuberger to the U. S. Senate and criticized Republican power and mine grant policies.

As secretary he opposed the mining claim of the Al Serena Co. for a patent to land in the Rogue River National Forest, Chapman said in an interview at Medford.

Records in Interior Department files will show that there are not enough minerals on the land to justify a mining claim, he added. Chapman said the company actually wanted the land for its valuable timber.

Turning to the sale of the Bonneville power line to Southern Oregon, Chapman said that both he and former Bonneville administrator Paul Raver opposed construction of the line in the first place. It was never completed but was sold unfinished to the California-Oregon Power Co. Sale of the line to a private utility was not the best way to dispose of it, Chapman said.

Neuberger, also speaking in Medford, renewed his challenge to Sen. Guy Cordon, his Republican opponent, to debate publicly the issues of the campaign in the Lincoln-Douglas tradition.

Neuberger said Cordon had called him a liar, and asked, "Why doesn't Cordon prove his charges on a platform... Why does Cordon hit and run, instead of accepting requests to share public forums with me?"

Criticizing Cordon's voting record, Neuberger said his opponent led the fight against the so-called Hill "oil for education" bill; opposes the public power preference clause in John Day, Priest Rapids and atomic energy bills; voted against personal income tax exemptions; voted for the Bricker amendment, voted against ratifying the North Atlantic Treaty alliance, and voted 11 times to curtail soil conservation.

Joseph K. Carson, Democratic nominee for governor, said in a Portland television talk that an "invisible web of unofficial power" constitutes the real government of the state. He said that financial, utility and other large corporate interests were running Oregon.

He declared that if he is elected he will fire the present public utility commissioner.

Sen. Wayne Morse, campaigning for Democrats, commended their power policies. He said they advocated government aid to the private enterprise system where it requires help.

He told a Clackamas County Democratic dinner that Secretary of the Interior McKay misrepresented the facts when he asserted that without Sen. Cordon The Dalles Dam would not have been started.

### Park Board Meeting Held

City park board voted Tuesday to authorize expenditure of approximately \$350 to repair the foundation on the Maple Park building, occupied for the last five months by Alcoholics Anonymous.

Vern Schertgen, building inspector, reported that, at the request of the council, he inspected the foundation and recommended repairs. Money will come from a fund of more than \$1000 designated by the Moore estate, donor of the park, for use only in maintenance of the building.

The park board favorably received a report from A.A. showing a total of 14 meetings held in the center since August 20 which were attended by 504 people and featured four guest speakers.

The board voted to complete the excavation of the area project near Moore Park which has been excavated for enlargement.

Disposal of 15 excess deer at Moore Park was discussed. The board voted to send one to the county nursing home to test edibility, providing there is no objection from the game commission. If meat proves good, the remaining deer will be given the home.

In recreation business, the group heard a report from Bob Bonney on establishment of a picnic area at Alameda Park, located on the bank of the URS canal. Trash cans, picnic tables, water service and signs indicating a picnic area ahead have been supplied.

### UF Directors Plan Meeting

Mostly routine business is on the agenda for the local United Fund Board of Directors meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m. in the YMCA building. Following the board meeting will be an organizational meeting at 8 p.m. for division heads.

All division heads are urged to attend to discuss organization of their units, securing of team members and the mechanics of carrying on a successful drive in their areas.

Thursday evening the payroll deduction committee will meet with representatives of firms now on the payroll deduction plan. Meeting time is 7:30 p.m. in the YMCA building.

The meeting has been called by the chairman, Elton Smith, UF board president. Committeemen include Stuart Bowie, Wilbur Kesterson, Roy Premo, Ted Durment, Jay Thomson, Jack Roper and Paul Campbell.

According to the plan, workers sign up voluntarily to give one hour's pay per month. One hundred and eight firms in the county have already gone on this plan.

### Merrill Church Holds Rally

MERRILL — Rally Day services were held recently at the Presbyterian Church in Merrill. Perfect attendance awards were made as follows:

One year: Larry Conner, Marcia Milne, Duane Mattson, Kathryn Cole, David Frisvold, Bruce Wilson, Linda Bell, and Donna Conner. Two year: Maxine Morse, John Chase, Paul Street, Sandra Frisvold, Carol Poe, Dale Hill, David Hill, George Milne, Billy Poe, Glenda Story, Diane Matthews and Robert Wilson. Three year: Darlene Frisvold, Ray Story, Alice Ann Mark and Dwight Wither.

Special music for the services was presented by the junior choir, under the direction of Mrs. Lester Moore, with Kathy Moore accompanist.

### Jumpin' Jehosaphat!

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BABIES OF TRANSIENT parents, in Tulelake for the potato harvest get good care during the day while mothers and fathers work. Church women of the Klamath Basin have volunteered help in the program sponsored by the Oregon Council of Churches to carry on a migrant ministry during the harvest season here. Left—Marjorie Mann, in charge of the work at the Newell camp, holds 5-month-old Georgie. Mrs. Ray Knox, wife of the chief ranger at the Lava Beds National Monument, cares for wide-eyed Ruthie Lee Smith.

### Migrant Workers' Children Aided By Church Council

TULELAKE — A community venture, migrant ministry, sponsored by the Oregon Council of Churches is proving a success in the migrant camp at Newell this fall if comfort of boys and girls is proof.

A play center for children of potato harvesters is operating in the old community church building used during the period of the Japanese relocation.

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The program will be continued through this week and longer if needed.

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### Police Hunt Jailbreakers

PORTLAND 13 — Police continued their search in the north-west hills of Portland Wednesday from two men who escaped from the Columbia County jail at St. Helens.

The pair, reported by police to be armed and dangerous, are Richard Ollie Copenhaver, 25, and Roy Warren Osborn, 26, who broke out of the unattended jail Monday night by digging a hole through the jail wall.

They took a tear gas bomb, a hunting knife, a box of shells and a revolver.

The search was concentrated in the west hills Tuesday when a man fitting Copenhaver's description was seen there.

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