

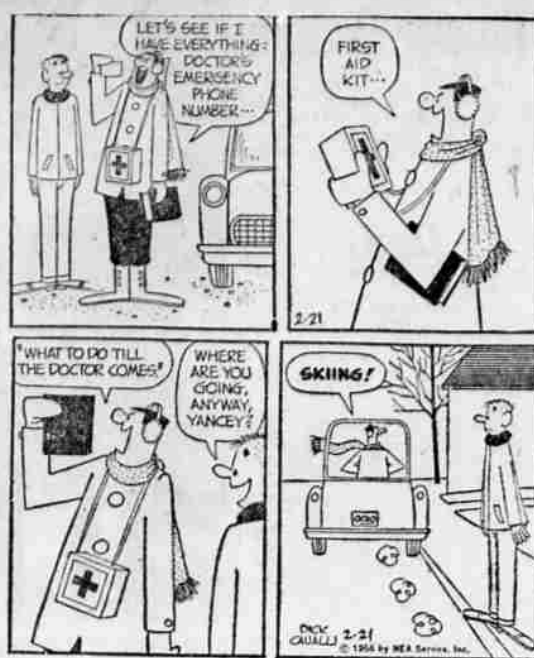


KLAMATH-LAKE National Farm Loan Association members, meeting February 17 at the Winema Hotel, heard reports of the cooperative credit organization which is affiliated with the Federal Land Bank, Spokane. Speakers, left to right, Fred A. Knudsen, president of the Federal Land Bank, Spokane; L. J. Horton, Poe Valley, reelected president of the Klamath-Lake Association, H. E. Hamaker, reelected secretary-treasurer of the local group and A. D. Putz, regional manager of the Spokane bank.

### Adenauer Warns Free Demo Party

BONN, Germany (AP)—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer threatened the rebellious Free Democratic party last night with disaster from his government coalition in retaliation for the humiliating vote they handed him in West Germany's richest state. The rightist Free Democrats teamed up with the opposition Socialists in the rich Ruhr industrial state of North Rhine-Westphalia to unseat Premier Karl Arnold, one of Adenauer's chief lieutenants. The vote on a non-confidence motion yesterday was 102-90. Socialist Fritz Steinhoff replaced Arnold, a founder of the Christian Democratic party. The tight-tipped old Chancellor told the German Press Club last night it appeared impossible that his Christian Democrats could continue to cooperate on a national level with a party opposing him on a state level. He said his party's national committee would examine the "impossible situation" Friday. Leaders of the Socialist-Free Democrat alliance in the Ruhr said they would expand their campaign to end what they termed Adenauer's one-party domination of West Germany. Steinhoff said similar alliances might be formed to topple Christian Democrats in other states. The defeat cost Adenauer his absolute two-thirds majority in the Bundestag, upper house of Parliament. It reduced from 25 to 21 his iron-clad voting strength in the 38-member house, elected by parliaments of the nine states of West Germany. But he retains a bare two-thirds majority on foreign policy and defense matters. The five representatives from Bavaria, controlled by an opposition coalition, are pledged to support him in those two key policy fields. The rising challenge to Adenauer's control comes as his government is preparing to push through new legislation to fulfill West Germany's pledge to raise a 500,000-man force for the North Atlantic Alliance. The North Rhine-Westphalia upset did not affect Adenauer's two-thirds control of lower-house Bundestag, but some of the rearmament bills must pass the upper house by the same majority to be constitutional.

### Morty Meekle



### Negroes Continue Bus Boycott In Montgomery

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP)—In the face of possible grand jury indictments, Montgomery Negroes continued their bus boycott with new determination today after overwhelmingly rejecting a compromise settlement. The Montgomery County grand jury was expected to make its final report sometime today climaxed an eight-day investigation of the mass segregation protest now in its 12th week. Indictments could be returned under an old Alabama law which makes unlawful boycotting punishable by a fine of \$1,000 and six months in jail. With a solemn vow to "walk on," an offer to end the south's first mass use of economic force in the battle over racial segregation was rejected at a Negro rally last night. Only two dissenting votes were cast, said the Rev. Ralph D. Abernathy, chairman of the negotiating committee and pastor of the Negro First Baptist Church. The Rev. Mr. Abernathy said about 4,000 persons attended the rally. Representatives of the Montgomery city lines and the city commission previously had agreed to the proposals submitted by a newly formed civic organization, the Men of Montgomery. Conforming to "existing (segregation) laws," the compromise plan proposed that the first 10 seats in the front of each bus be reserved for white passengers and the first 10 seats in the rear for Negroes. Remaining seats in the center would be filled by Negroes from the rear toward the front and white customers from the front to the rear. Negroes would be promised courteous treatment, and extra buses would be used during peak hours of travel. The compromise sought to assure the Negroes that there would be "no retaliation whatsoever resulting from the bus boycott." The Rev. Mr. Abernathy said after the meeting, from which newsmen were barred, that Negroes would gain virtually no concessions and would have to "return to the buses with increased fares besides the single fare rate has gone up from 10 to 15 cents during the boycott." "We have walked for 11 weeks in the cold and rain. Now the weather is warming up. Therefore, we will walk on until some better proposals are forthcoming from our city fathers." At the outset, the Negroes asked for "courtesy" from bus drivers; a "first come, first served" arrangement with Negroes seated from the rear toward the front, and employment of Negro drivers on routes serving predominantly Negro areas. The protest against segregated bus transportation began Dec. 5 after a Negro woman, Mrs. Rosa Parks, was arrested and fined \$14 for refusing to move to the colored section of a bus. City and state laws require separate facilities on all public transportation.

### New Meeting Desire Hinted

LONDON (UPI)—Russian leaders hope to enlist Prime Minister Anthony Eden's support for a new "Summit" conference with the United States when they visit here in April, it was reported today. Diplomatic dispatches from Moscow said Communist boss N. S. Khrushchev and Premier N. A. Bulganin also will make a firm bid for a "treaty of friendship and trade" with Britain. Official sources said the Soviet rulers will find Eden fully prepared to meet their new diplomatic offensive. The Prime Minister and President Eisenhower agreed at their meeting in Washington earlier this month on means of meeting any new "divide and conquer" approach from the Russians. They made it clear that Britain will make no deals during the Khrushchev-Bulganin visit that might weaken Anglo-American unity. Observers here said Foreign Minister V.M. Molotov's cryptic week-end reference to "new opportunities for better understanding" probably foretold a new attempt to soften up the Western anti-Communist alignment. They said the "friendship and trade" proposal is a substitute for the non-aggression pacts Russia offered the United States, Britain and France earlier this month, which were firmly rejected by the West.

### Angel Plans Concerto

Wayne Angel, Klamath Falls violinist, is one of two young artists chosen from the West Coast to play a violin concerto and musical program at the Music Teachers National Convention at Phoenix, Arizona, March 3. Wayne was selected to represent the Northwestern states and Demo Giannopoulos, pianist from San Francisco, to represent the Southwestern states. Other artists on the convention program include the world renowned Kroll String Quartet, Henri Arcand, concert pianist, Frederic Blazas, conductor of the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra and Power Biggs, organist from Boston.

Wayne, a former student of Harry Borel of this city, is a student of Rex Underwood of Portland and a sophomore at Portland State College. He has played 16 concerts and recitals this season and has played in recitals throughout Washington, Oregon, California and Idaho in the past two years. He is now a member of the first violin section of the Portland Symphony Orchestra. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Angel.

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JOE LANGAN, an electronics student at Oregon Technical Institute, has enlisted as a corporal in an Army Reserve unit in Klamath Falls. A veteran of almost three years of active service, he spent 14 months in Germany and six months in Alaska as a member of an anti-aircraft unit. He joined Company C, 311th Military Police Battalion, where he has been assigned to radio communications duty. He and his wife live in student housing at OTI. Company C and the other Klamath Falls Reserve units, the 733rd Engineer Aviation Depot Company and the 6402nd Logistical Command all have vacancies for recruits as well as veteran enlisted men and officers. Further information may be obtained from Sfc. H. C. Collier, unit adviser, 432 Main Street.

SCANTIES STOLEN  
LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP)—Police said they had only "scanty" clues to work on in their investigation of some thefts. Seven women in the same area reported thieves entered their unlocked basements and stole an assortment of rayon and nylon—well, scanties. Losses ranged up to \$19.

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### Defense Shows New Missiles

WASHINGTON (UPI)—The public got a look today at the world's first known intercontinental guided missile—a pilotless U.S. bomber that can pack an atomic warhead. The public also got a look at U.S. 60-foot rocket from which a 1,500-mile intermediate ballistic missile is being developed. The guided missile—the Air Force's Snark—can travel 5,000 miles at about 600 miles an hour. It automatically navigates by the stars. The rocket—the Army's Redstone—is a ballistic missile designed to strike targets at 200 miles range. It travels at supersonic speed. The Defense Department Monday released pictures of the Snark and the Redstone at controversy over how the U.S. missile program compares with Russia's continued unabated. The Redstone, a derivative of the German World War II V2 and developed at Redstone Arsenal, Ala., by German scientists, is considered the prototype for the forthcoming Army-Navy mid-range, or 1,500-mile, missile. The Air Force also is working on a mid-range ballistic missile. The pictures revealed that the Redstone is filled with its liquid-propellant and given service checks in a unique structure more than 100 feet tall. The rocket is placed upright in the serving structure, which is located at the Missile Test Center at Patrick Air Force Base, Fla., during the delicate fueling operation. The structure can be rolled away from the missile if anything goes wrong.

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