

### Morty Meekle



### Fraternity Wins Cup

Phi Kappa Phi fraternity men on the University of Oregon campus won the All-Campus Sing and appeared during junior weekend to capture the revolving cup that passes among men in all living quarters on the campus who win the outstanding honor. The sing was held Saturday night, May 16.

The Phi Phis were among the final ten groups after stiff competitive decisions. Several Klamath Falls students at the U of O were among the 22 who sang "High Noon."

Wayne Pounds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Pounds, 2420 Applegate Avenue, tenor, sang the falsetto solo to voice accompaniment of 21 choristers.

Klamath Falls men included Pounds, Donn Taucher, Ted Yuen, John Weber and Gary Van Orman. Others in the chorus were Don Wilson, leader, Doug Woolsey, Bryan Downes, Bob Brasch, Steve Milliken, John Holmes, Gary Bolton, Dick Baxter, Joel Buckner, Gordon Sanner, Buck Winston, Dave Diercoff, Jon Gordon, Bob Embrey, John Phillips, Dave Lyons and Gary Miller.

A number of Klamath Falls parents were present for the weekend festivities.

### Power Hike Session Ends

OLYMPIA, Wash. (AP) — The first phase of a Washington Public Service Commission hearing on Pacific Power and Light Co.'s request for increasing rates to its Washington customers was completed Monday with testimony of company witnesses.

The company has proposed to boost its rates an average of 10 per cent, increasing its annual revenue by an estimated \$935,000 annually.

The Commission was urged by Dr. John K. Langum, Chicago, a company consultant, to weigh post-war inflation pressures on utility property values in setting rates.

"A fair value rate base, which gives substantial weight to the reproduction cost at current prices, is necessary in the regulation of public utilities," the Indiana University economist said.

Langum said PP&L should have at least a 6.6 per cent rate return on the realistic value of its properties if it is to be able to attract capital for expansion programs and if it is to provide proper earnings for stockholders.

**COMPLAINT REGISTERED**

WASHINGTON (AP) — Pacific Northern Airlines has complained about reduced fares that Northwest Airlines plans to put into effect May 31 between Portland, Seattle and Kodiak, Alaska.

The complaint was lodged with the Civil Aeronautics Board.



"I certainly hope the world's leaders can handle things for awhile. My brother being with us leaves me with my hands full!"

### Weather Table

| United Press International | High | Low | Rain |
|----------------------------|------|-----|------|
| Albuquerque                | 85   | 57  |      |
| Atlanta                    | 87   | 65  |      |
| Bakersfield                | 74   | 51  |      |
| Boise                      | 56   | 35  |      |
| Boston                     | 72   | 53  |      |
| Brownsville                | 90   | 75  |      |
| Chicago                    | 73   | 61  | .41  |
| Denver                     | 72   | 45  | .08  |
| Detroit                    | 73   | 61  | .46  |
| Fairbanks                  | 63   | 45  | .02  |
| Fort Worth                 | 87   | 72  |      |
| Fresno                     | 74   | 52  |      |
| Helena                     | 49   | 37  | .02  |
| Kansas City                | 82   | 73  |      |
| Los Angeles                | 72   | 55  |      |
| Miami                      | 84   | 79  |      |
| Minneapolis                | 77   | 56  |      |
| New Orleans                | 84   | 71  | .05  |
| New York                   | 63   | 58  |      |
| Oakland                    | 64   | 54  |      |
| Oklahoma City              | 88   | 69  |      |
| Pittsburgh                 | 74   | 60  | .12  |
| Red Bluff                  | 74   | 59  |      |
| Sacramento                 | 75   | 52  |      |
| Salt Lake City             | 66   | 44  |      |
| San Diego                  | 69   | 60  |      |
| San Francisco              | 61   | 52  |      |
| Reno                       | 67   | 39  |      |
| Seattle                    | 60   | 46  |      |
| Spokane                    | 54   | 41  | .04  |
| Stockton                   | 49   | 49  |      |
| Thermal                    | 90   | 65  |      |
| Washington                 | 64   | 63  | .09  |

**LABOR TALK SET**

PORTLAND (AP) — The Cascade Employers Assn. says it will meet tonight in Salem to discuss a labor dispute that has tied up sand and gravel firms in Salem, Corvallis and Independence.

The association also reported that talks with the Teamsters Union still have not solved the dispute.

## 23 Years Ago

**Monday, May 17, 1936**—Vera and Joan Thompson, daughters of Mrs. Frank Frankford of Walnut Street, were in Klamath Falls over the weekend. They were both formerly associated with the Poole theatres and are now employed in San Francisco.

**Tuesday, May 18, 1936**—A building permit for a new house to be built by Hugh Campbell on Pacific Terrace was granted by the city council Monday evening. Gus Johnson is contractor for the new residence. Cost given in the building permit was \$7,000. The Klamath Ice and Cold Storage Company will repair a garage at 661 Spring Street costing \$1,000.

**Wednesday, May 19, 1936**—A virtual epidemic of freakish and beautiful growths seem to have hit tulip beds in Klamath Falls this spring. Mrs. Leslie Rogers of 851 Pacific Terrace reports that she has had five single stalks bearing four perfect tulip blossoms in her garden this spring and many double blossoms, as well as three on a single stalk. Mrs. Rogers states that this is the first time such growths have occurred.

**Thursday, May 20, 1936**—L. Orth Sismore, safety chairman of the junior chamber of commerce, announced Tuesday that the Johns-Manville safety school will come to Klamath Falls next Sunday and remain over Monday. Tentative plans call for a demonstration both on the street downtown and at Modoc Field.

**Friday, May 21, 1936**—Howard Uhlig of Uhlig's Electric Company was to leave late Tuesday for New York, on the first leg of a trip to Cuba presented him for outstanding sales of Philco radios in Oregon. Uhlig will take the train to New York. He will visit the Philco factory, and then will go by boat to Cuba. He did the largest volume of business for the company in Oregon outside of Portland.

**Saturday, May 22, 1936**—Plans for a membership drive to end in June have been shaped by the Klamath County Junior chamber of commerce. At this week's meeting, Mitchell Tillotson spoke on the relation of the customer to a bank, and J. Truman Runyan discussed the oil industry.

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### Pair's Death Under Probe

TACOMA, Wash. (AP) — The deaths of a Tacoma Army major and his wife were not caused by botulism and investigators now are studying a keg of tequila, Pierce County Coroner Frank H. James said Monday.

The liquor Maj. Robert Baker, 42, and his wife, Betty Jean, 38, drank shortly before their deaths April 25 showed presence of lead when tested by University of Washington experts, James said. The lead apparently came from the lining of the keg which held the tequila.

The Bakers were first believed to have died of acute food poisoning but an analysis of food they had eaten—including olives bought in Mexico—revealed no botulism. Officials said some of the tequila was given to animals, who became drunk but did not die.

The coroner said the next step in the investigation will depend on an analysis of the major's stomach and other tissues being made by the Army in California.

Foul play, James said, has not been ruled out but no action will be taken until answer is received from the Army authorities in California.

"If we do not find evidence of lead poisoning, we will be forced to consider foul play," the coroner added.

### Annual Meet Said 'Busy'

VICTORIA, B. C. (AP) — Delegates from the United States, Canada, Mexico and Greece had a busy schedule Tuesday for the second session of the 37th annual conference of the Assn. of Junior Leagues of America.

A symposium on "Our Pursuit of Learning" was to be the highlight of the second session of the week-long meeting. Speakers include Dr. Shane McCarthy, executive director of President Eisenhower's Council on Youth Fitness; Dr. James R. Kidd, director of the Canadian Assn. for Adult Education; Jacob Avshalomov, conductor of the Portland Junior Symphony, and Stuart Keate, publisher of the Victoria Daily Times.

The association president, Mrs. George Vaughan of Los Angeles, greeted the 400 delegates Monday.

### Picker's Council Nixes Pay Boost

McMINNVILLE (AP) — The Oregon Strawberry Council Monday night said pickers this year should receive the same wages they got in 1958.

The council said it will recommend to its member producers that they pay 25 cents a carrier and 3½ cents a pound—plus the same bonuses as in 1958.

At its meeting here, the council also heard a forecast that the Oregon crop this year probably will be five per cent below last year.

**LOGGING VICTIM**

GRANTS PASS (AP) — A logging accident claimed the life of Joseph Milton Pennington, about 57, Merlin, Monday night.

Pennington died in a hospital here of injuries suffered when a freshly bucked log fell onto him.

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### CITY BRIEFS

Shasta PTA—will hold its last meeting of this school year on Wednesday, May 20, at 2:30 p.m. in the school auditorium. Installation of officers. Nursery will be provided.

Dance—OTI Alumni will sponsor a dinner-dance at the Klamath County Fairgrounds Saturday, May 23, starting at 8 p.m. Call TU 2-0639 for reservations.

Christian Women's — Fellowship of First Christian Church will have state officers from out of town here on May 20 and 21. All members are urged to come. Potluck at 6:30 Wednesday; workshop from 9:30 to 3:30 on Thursday.

AAUW—Recent graduates in the Klamath Falls AAUW chapter will meet Wednesday, May 20, at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Glenn Miller, 8010 Shasta Way. Mrs. Fred Ehlers will speak of old cook books.

Women's Auxiliary — of Letter Carriers will meet in the county library on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Please bring scissors.

Women of the Moose—Chapter 467, will have a business meeting tonight at 8 p.m. in the Moose Hall.

Junior Red Cross—tea, Thursday, May 21, 3 to 5 p.m. in the lecture room of the Klamath County Library. Mrs. Orson Stearns, chairman, has invited all teachers and Red Cross volunteers and others interested to remember the date.

OTI Student Wives—will meet Wednesday, May 20, 7:30 p.m. in the YMCA for a baby shower. For information or transportation call TU 4-5867.

Visitors—Mrs. Paul Holmer of the National Board of the League of

Women Voters will be present for a League tea at the Congregational Church Social Hall, Tuesday, May 21 from 2 to 4 p.m.

Friendship Court—No. 11, Order of the Amaranth will hold a regular meeting Wednesday, May 20, 8 p.m. at the Scottish Rite Hall.

Red Cross—bloodmobile meeting tonight. All representatives of churches assisting with the next visit of the bloodmobile are asked to be at Red Cross headquarters tonight at 7:30. The first operation of the two day visit will be June 2 at the First Presbyterian Church.

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