

Routledge Argues Against Merger Of Turkey Shows

The Northwestern Turkey Show is a Douglas County institution and should not be allowed to merge with a state show at Salem, the county court was told this morning by George L. Routledge, vice president of the Northwestern Turkey Breeders' Association.

A meeting will be held Tuesday night at the Roseburg Chamber of Commerce, by the association, to decide whether the show shall be continued in Douglas County, he told the court.

"It's easy to let the show go," he said, "but the farmers and poultrymen will take a licking."

Routledge said he recently completed a trip to visit hatcheries in Colorado and east as far as Missouri, where eggs purchased from Oregon turkey growers show only a 25 to 30 per cent fertility. Midwestern hatcheries are now turning to California for their eggs, he said, and Californians in turn have gotten their flocks from Oregon.

"There's no reason why Oregon turkey growers should not retain their hold on the egg market," he said.

"People in the Middle West know Oakland (where the turkey show was held before the war) as the turkey center of the world, and they ask, 'Where is Roseburg? Is that in competition with Oakland?'"

"There is no reason in the world why the show can't be held in Douglas County; it originated here and should remain here."

"It isn't just a county turkey show, it is a Northwestern turkey show, and out of it has developed the broad-breasted turkey which has made the Northwestern Turkey Show famous."

A turkey show, Routledge believes would aid in the correction of the low fertility of the broad breasted bird. Local turkey growers, however, need community co-operation to make the show a success.

Belligerent Rat Forces Family to Call Police

PHILADELPHIA, July 8.—(AP)—A huge rat, obviously angry at being caught in a mousetrap, was waiting for Louis Somershoe and his family today when they returned from a weekend out of town.

The rat, with the trap clinging to one leg, chased Somershoe, his wife, and their two small sons, onto tables and chairs.

Somershoe finally managed to elude the rat long enough to telephone police. Officer Joe Kelly arrived in a riot car and dispatched the rat with his riotstick.

Quick Revival of OPA Is Urged on Senate

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that President Truman would sign the bill in its present form. He added, however, there may be difficulty keeping the measure free of amendments, particularly a proposal to eliminate meat and poultry controls.

Truman "Hopeful"

Barkley took up the cudgels for OPA on the Senate floor after a morning conference with President Truman at the White House. He talked to reporters there afterwards.

"I told the President that I hoped the Senate will get out a bill he could approve," Barkley said.

Asked whether Mr. Truman mentioned any specific objections to the compromise measure before the Senate, Barkley replied that the President thought price

control advocates had done "the best they could."

The legislation has been prepared as a substitute for the OPA extension bill which Mr. Truman vetoed as inflationary.

On Capitol Hill, there were predictions that Mr. Truman would approve the compromise bill in its present form.

House Speaker Rayburn told a news conference after the White House meeting, "We are going to do the best we can" on OPA.

"I don't know," he added, "whether the new bill will be better or worse than the old one."

Barkley Tilts With Taft

Barkley told the Senate during a wrangle with Senator Taft that he had "disregarded" some of President Truman's veto message complaints in drafting a price control revival bill.

Chided by Taft for changing only the Taft-Wherry profits provisions in the vetoed OPA extension bill, Barkley conceded he had made no attempt to meet Mr. Truman's objections to two other sections in framing the substitute measure now before the Senate. These dealt with a system for gradual removal of controls and with a reduction in food subsidies.

With nacked galleries listening to the opening of what may be a week of more of debate, Taft asked Barkley whether he thought President Truman would "eat his words" and sign the new measure if Congress passes it.

"There is a fair prospect that he will sign it—I think he will," Barkley replied.

Own Amendment Target

Taft retorted that the logical conclusion was that Barkley was "willing to go against the President" on some provisions of the bill, but had picked out Taft's amendment as the principal target for change.

"Well," Barkley replied warmly, "if it will do the senator any good so far as I have rewritten the bill, I have disregarded some of the president's complaints."

Taft said he noted that no change had been made in the language of what Chester Bowles, former stabilization director, described as "booby trap" amendments to the vetoed bill.

He proposed that Congress send back to Mr. Truman the same measure he had vetoed, arguing that the president was attempting to make the lawmakers "eat their words" by the veto.

Civil Rights Restored To Pardoned Woman

WASHINGTON, July 8.—(AP)—The White House said today President Truman acted as a matter of routine in restoring civil rights to Mrs. Frances Ryan, one-time Kansas City Democratic ward boss, who was convicted of election frauds.

Press Secretary Ross told reporters Mr. Truman acted on the recommendation of the attorney general, the district attorney at Kansas City, and Federal Judge Thomas of Kansas City at Omaha.

Whiskered Baseball Team Scheduled in Roseburg For Tilt Against Umpqua Chiefs



BEARDED ACES COMING—The famous "Pepper" trio, George Anderson, Lou Humiel and J. L. "Doc" Tally, of the Israelite House of David baseball team, who will go through their usual fifth inning antics here in Roseburg July 28 against the Umpqua Chiefs.

Final arrangements have been made for the Israelite House of David baseball team to meet the Umpqua Chiefs nine at the Roseburg ball park on July 28, the Roseburg Recreation office announced today.

Sponsored by Mary Purnell, leader of the cult at the Benton Harbor, Mich., colony, the internationally-travelled famous athletes are just beginning their first road tour since Pearl Harbor, having finished spring practice in Texas.

Of interest to local baseball fans is the fact that Mel Ingram, Roseburg High School athletic mentor, is a former member of 'his baseball club and toured the United States with the team in 1935 and 1936.

Having appeared throughout the United States, Mexico, Canada, and one tour through the Hawaiian Islands, the bearded nine visits the west coast this year with 13 players, featuring "Doc" Tally and George Anderson, the two original "Pepper Game" artists, who always make their debut during the fifth inning of each game.

Advance tickets for this contest will go on sale at a later date, H. W. Gray, local recreational director, said.

It was Reeves who sentenced Mrs. Ryan to three years in prison for her part in the 1936 Kansas City vote frauds perpetrated by the Pendergast machine.

The Douglas County Sheriff's posse will travel to Myrtle Point next Sunday, to participate in the rodeo being held there. About 30 possesmen will go, Sheriff O. T. Carter said today.

MARRIAGE LICENSE COX-LANE — James Calvert Cox and Thelda Darlene Lane, both of Yoncalla.

A lamp enclosed in a cage coated with DDT has been developed as a new device to kill insect pests at night.

Whales may have a lifespan of 500 years; eagles, 200; alligators, 500; elephants from 100 upwards.

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considerably lower in price.

An Explanation.

It has been suggested by one of our readers that we took in too much territory last week in saying, "Don't put any confidence in press reports until they have been completely investigated." We hasten to explain we were not condemning the press associations, but only the reports which had been fed to them from the Federal propaganda bureaus.

Today a week after the veto of the OPA extension bill, the big news stories in newspapers and over the radio are those which report the most flagrant price increases. No reports of the thousands of retailers and landlords who have held the line and will continue doing so. Or if these reports do get in, they are played down. No reasons given for any price rises. Press reports indicate that handlers of live necessities in America are greedy, rapacious, heartless, cruel villains of the very worst sort AS A CLASS, but the press services are not making these reports; they are only publishing what the Government propaganda bureaus say.

We hear no reports of the more than 500 price increases allowed by OPA between March 1st and June 30. We hear no explanations that butter went up 12c a pound in one jump because creameries raised the butter-fat price to dairymen 15c to offset the subsidy, which went out with OPA, and which had been set months ago by Chester Bowles' Office of Price Stabilization. Chester Bowles set that subsidy, but his propaganda organization now keeps strangely quiet about it, letting the public believe that the price was raised by greedy farmers and butter manufacturers.

No reports that Feed manufacturers as a group will not take the opportunity to raise feed prices. Feed men have consistently stated they would carry on as during the entire war. Some stuff now coming in from war back east, will carry high freight rates. The Public may blame some feed price increase on discontinuation of OPA, but in reality these increases, when and if they come, have already been authorized by OPA.

We think, propaganda to the contrary notwithstanding, that 99% of the American public is so dog-gone tired of OPA they

wouldn't give it the chance of saying, "I told you so," by raising any price even to what it should legitimately be. To do so would too surely bring us all back under their dirty heel again. As to the 1% who might be tempted to profiteer, we think Good American common sense, fairplay and competition will take care of any tendency along that line.

Local Notes.

Harvest in Douglas County has started. We saw oats in shock the other day, barley and winter wheat is getting beautifully yellow. To a feed mixer anything that will make feed after such a long dry spell looks like Heaven. So if you want to sell, see us, or if you prefer, bring it in, and we will use it to make you some good feed. We have the "mixings."

In these days of meat shortages it is hard to get enough bones for the dog. The solution of that problem is to buy ready mix dog food. We have a couple different kinds of it. It is reasonably priced, and satisfies the dog.

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Courtship is the period in which a girl decides whether or not she can do any better.

Handsome Junior Partner: "Are you doing anything Sunday evening, Miss Jones?"

Stenoographer. (all flutter): "Not a thing, Mr. Smith."

H. J. P.: "Then try to get to the office on time Monday morning for a chance."

(With some changes in names, we've heard that one before.)

But Not the OPA.

A big time gambler had just died. The funeral was well attended by his professional friends. In eulogy the speaker said: "He is not dead. He is sleeping."

Just then he was interrupted by a voice from the rear of the church. "Well, I've got a hundred dollars that says he's dead."

Compromise on Milk Price Hike Offered

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on milk. The new rates become effective today.

Dairymen said they had not consulted with producers regarding the compromise offer and did not know whether local deliveries would be made at the \$1.15 rate. They anticipate, however, retention of supplies from outside the county, where a large part of the fluid milk supply for the Roseburg district now originates, and do not anticipate any shortage in the area.

Baby's Funeral Set

Gravestone services for the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brooke J. Johnson will be held at the Masonic Cemetery at 4:30 this afternoon, Dr. C. A. Edwards conducting. The parents are residents of Myrtle Creek, having made their home in that town since the first of this year. They had the misfortune to lose their baby daughter at birth. Arrangements are in charge of the Douglas Funeral Home.

Howard Hughes Battles For Life Following Crash

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William Lloyd Durkin, Hughes' steward, was rushed to Beverly Hills Emergency hospital, and transferred to Good Samaritan for surgery and treatment in an oxygen tent.

He was conscious for half an hour after the crash. When he arrived at Emergency hospital, he calmly announced himself: "I'm Howard Hughes. Shortly afterward, he collapsed.

Engine Trouble Develops

Hughes' plane had been in the air an hour and one-half. He had radioed the control tower at Burbank airport that his landing gear was not functioning, and at dusk, Glen Odekirk, general manager of the Howard Hughes Corp., took off in an A-20 to search for him.

Twenty-five minutes before the crash, Hughes radioed that he was having engine trouble. He

said he was going to try to make an emergency landing on the Los Angeles Country Club course. That was the last message from him.

With a terrific "swooshing" noise, the FX-11, designed for reconnaissance photography, plunged onto a rooftop, bounded onto another roof, smashed a garage, and struck another house, setting all afire, before virtually burying itself in a vacant lot. Its fuel tanks exploded and flames licked the plane, which cost hundreds of thousands of dollars to build, to a blackened skeleton.

The last house into which the plane crashed was owned by Lt. Col. Charles Myers, chief interpreter at the Nuremberg war trials in Germany. It was destroyed.

Property damage in the crash was estimated by firemen at \$100,000. No one except Hughes was injured, however.

Truman Draws Arab Slap on Jewish Chaos

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tion of 100,000 European Jewish refugees to Palestine in accordance with recent recommendations of the British-American inquiry commission.

"The Arab committee said it 'would have liked to ignore this last statement and attach no importance to it—coming as it does at a time when President Truman is begging for Jewish votes in the forthcoming Presidential election.'"

"We wish to remind the President, however," the note added, "that if he is really genuine in sympathizing with the Jews and their plight in Christian Europe, we advise him to open his White House doors to them or the doors of his American continent, which can absorb not only 100,000 but millions of them."

Military Grip Holds

Police said that nearly 1,000 of the more than 2,000 Jews taken into custody in the widespread arrests June 29 by British authorities had now been released.

A high police officer said most of those released were children under 16 and adults over 70.

British authorities continue to occur— the building of the Jewish agency, which has taken up headquarters in the Eden hotel. No announcement has been made

of what the British will do with the Jewish agency members under arrest. All sources here said "only London can answer that."

Russia Ousts 54,000 Persons From Austria

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the collapse of the predominantly small holder government, which is largely anti-communist in its leanings.

They said Sviridov's note contained demands for disbanding of the Hungarian Boy Scout and Catholic Youth organizations on the grounds they are "Fascist." They expressed the belief that Nagy and his party would not agree to such demands and would probably resign.

Sviridov, writing as chief of the occupation forces, was reported to have demanded harsher treatment for certain "Fascists" and complained that the entire Catholic clergy was "anti democratic" and that Hungarians had been amassing a number of Russians.

The Russians have taken \$5.

000,000 worth of commodities but of the country as reparations since March, according to well-informed sources and are now in the process of removing 60,000 head of cattle and 20,000 horses.

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