

Cordon and Ellsworth Talk Before Oregon Republicans

By SAM WILDERMAN

PORTLAND, Sept. 14.—(Special to the Roseburg News-Review)—Two of Roseburg's most famous sons—United States Senator Guy Cordon and Congressman Harris Ellsworth—thrilled a large gathering of Republican committeemen, committeewomen and state officials, as they challenged the Democrats to prove the charges President Truman had made "that the 80th Congress was the second worst in the history of the United States."

Principal speakers at the annual dinner of the Republican State Central committee at the Multnomah hotel Saturday night, Cordon and Ellsworth said that the congress will go down in history as one of the most constructive of all time. They said that except for the President's vetoes and his uncertainty in suggesting legislation, that more bills, important to the welfare of the nation, would have been passed.

Cordon said that the strength of and prosperity in the United States are due principally to the initiative of its people and to the American system of two-party government. "You can only have democracy where you have two strong parties," Cordon said. "In some countries, where they have five or six parties, you are always compromising with principle and you have rule by the minority instead of the majority."

"I have traveled all over the world," Cordon continued, "and this country, in its deepest depression, has been more prosperous than any other country at its peak prosperity. This speaks for itself and is a tribute to our initiative and ability to work together."

Cordon said it is up to the United States to help "those countries that are making an earnest effort to help themselves. If we fail, then they fail, and the whole civilization will crash, taking us along in the catastrophe."

"We have a problem, trying to feed ourselves and give ourselves the high standard of living to which we are accustomed, and at the same time try to feed and clothe and help rehabilitate half of the world. But we must not fail. It is worth the price, this so-called inconvenience, if we wish to preserve our democracy."

Cordon said he was "positive Dewey would sweep into office, because the Republicans have a sound, constructive program."

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Ellsworth was particularly critical at the Democrat charges that the Republicans are hindering "the President's so-called progressive program. The Democrats were in complete command for 14 years. Why didn't they put across their program? As a matter of fact, they don't have an organized program."

Ellsworth declared that he as a congressman resented the "aspirations about the congress made by the president. We tried to play ball, but the Republicans and Democrats, but most of the bills he passed, he vetoed. It is with the aid of the Democrats we were able to over-ride the many vetoes."

The Roseburg congressman was at a loss to explain why the "president is making such a fuss over the Taft-Hartley bill. Except for a few minor changes, it is the bill he introduced himself. He has forgotten that he sponsored a bill that would draft labor."

Ellsworth cited the tax-reduction program sponsored by the Republicans. "Not only did we reduce taxes," he said, but have an \$8 billion surplus this year."

He blamed Mr. Truman for the death of the CPA. "All we asked was a gradual tapering-off," he continued. "Instead, the president with one sweep of the pen junked the whole program, and he's trying to blame the Republicans ever since."

Congressman Carl Hinshaw, senior congressman of California, who was to have been the third speaker, had his plane grounded because of motor failure and postponed his Portland appearance.

James Rodman, state chairman, president, and Ralph Calk, national committeeman, introduced the speakers.

Mrs. Roy Young of Roseburg attended the all-day session of the

executive committee of the state central committee, here Sunday. Besides lauding the work of Cordon and Ellsworth the committee also praised a third Roseburg citizen—Attorney General George Neuner—"for the splendid manner in which he is conducting the legal business of the state." It unanimously urged his re-election in November.

Forest Service Conducts Fight On Insect Pests

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—(AP)—The most extensive campaign against timber-destroying insects ever carried out on national forests and neighboring park, state and private lands was conducted during the year ended June 30, the Forest Service reports.

Operating under the new forest pest control act, and with an appropriation of \$843,000, more than 800 foresters, technicians and workers were employed at the task.

In all, about 160,000 trees were individually sprayed with insecticide from the ground, while hundreds of thousands more on some 15,000 acres were sprayed from helicopters or airplanes, the service said.

Projects were carried out in the states of Oregon, Idaho, Wyoming, South Dakota, Montana, Michigan and Wisconsin.

Regarded as perhaps the "most significant" phase of the work was the experimental control project against the spruce budworm on a 4,200 acre tract south of Heppner in Eastern Oregon. This insect has for years been making inroads on spruce and fir forests from New England to the Pacific Northwest and in Canada.

In this operation, trees were sprayed with DDT in fuel oil from airplanes and helicopters from mid-June until July. Results showed that where the trees were sprayed with one pound of DDT in one gallon of fuel oil per acre the worm kill was 95 per cent or more.

On the basis of the experiments, the Forest Service said that economically feasible control measures have been found to check the budworm infestation in the Northwest and much learned will be of value against the pest in other parts of the country.

Eskimo Women To Visit Texas; Oil Man Wins Wager

DALLAS, Tex., Sept. 14.—(AP)—The Dallas oilman who bet \$20,000 that he could bring three Eskimo women back to Texas says "we've already got 'em and they're coming down with a chaperone."

L. L. Horne, president of the Horne Oil Company, said the Eskimos willing to come to Texas to settle his bet had been found in Alaska.

"My pilot in Seattle, Lew Leach, is awaiting word from me to buy a new plane and bring those Eskimos down here," Horne said. "And they're gonna be down in the Blackstone Hotel at Fort Worth by Wednesday."

"I don't know how or where Leach got them, but they're all about 18 years old and they'll be here with their chaperone."

Horne explained that recently he had gone up to Alaska on vacation and "phoned some friends back home to ask them what they wanted me to bring them back."

The friends—more oilmen in Houston, San Antonio, Midland and Waco, Horne said—all got together and bet him \$20,000 he couldn't bring the Eskimos to Texas.

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Brush Eradicated On Forest Section To Control Pests

More than 12,000 ribes bushes were eradicated last summer in a blister rust control project in the 6,000-acre Coffee Pot unit on the Umpqua National Forest, it was reported by William Benecke, timber management officer.

The bushes were eradicated in order to safeguard the growth of sugar pine trees, one of the most valuable species growing on the forest, Benecke said.

The work was contracted to two individual contractors, Lawrence Young of Tillamook and Edward Nitzke, Medford, at a total cost of \$1,203 or an average of \$4.09 per acre.

Ribes are a form of currant bush which are a host plant to the blister rust disease. When these bushes are eradicated the disease cannot spread to trees which are susceptible.

Benecke said the Forest Service plans to manage the Coffee Pot unit, located in the South Umpqua Ranger District, for sugar pine, which is especially suited for that area.

The ribes eradication work, carried on between June 30 and Aug. 31, was inspected by the Bureau of Plant Entomology and Plant Quarantine, said Benecke.

Survey to be Made Of Toll Bridge Plan

PORTLAND, Sept. 14.—(AP)—A survey to determine whether a toll bridge should be built across the Columbia River at The Dalles has been authorized.

State highway officials of Washington and Oregon and the Wasco County Court have agreed to share the cost estimated at \$8,000 each. The survey is due to be completed next April.

The bridge would link the Evergreen Highway of Washington, along the northern shore of the river, with the Old Oregon Highway on the Southern shore and connect with the north-south route known as The Dalles-California Highway.

An engineering firm will determine the best site, survey the traffic and prepare a general design.

Four Die in Accidents In Washington State

By the Associated Press.
Four children were fatally burned and three persons were killed in auto accidents in Washington State this weekend.

Trapped in their home by flames were the four children of Mr. and Mrs. William Zenger; Larry, 7, Jimmy, 5, Sharon, 3, and Kenneth, 18 months. The parents were at the Snohomish County Fair. The home was six miles

northeast of Monroe. A neighbor, J. R. McCree, discovered the fire but was unable to enter the house because of the heat.

Mrs. Margaret Scott, 78, Seattle, was killed when the car in which she was riding overturned a mile east of Eatonville. Her daughter, Violet, who was driving, suffered an ankle injury.

An Ephrata store owner, L. K. Antonsen, 53, was killed when his car left the highway five miles east of Ephrata.

Ellensburg hospital said George H. Allen, 41, of Seattle, died after his tanker overturned on the Yakima Highway eight miles south of Ellensburg.

Ailing Father Dies After Daughter Weds

CLIFFSIDE PARK, N. J., Sept. 14.—(AP)—She was his only daughter and Arthur C. Spout didn't want to miss her wedding. The Hoboken banker, however, was too ill to attend the Saturday church ceremony. So, the Rev. John A. Clark went with Gladys Spout and her husband, Hemut E. Schrank, that night to the father's bedside.

There the wedding ceremony was repeated. Spout, ill of pleurisy and phlebitis, joked with the young couple, waved them off for a wedding trip.

Sunday, Spout died.

ADMINISTRATOR NAMED

Sophia Larson, Oakland, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Jacob Roth, who died Aug. 5, 1948, leaving an estate valued at \$4,000, according to an order issued by County Judge D. N. Busenbark. Named as appraisers were Arthur Baird, Orrin Gildersleeve and Donald Baird.

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State Department Rejects Demands In Teacher Case

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—(AP)—The United States again has turned down Soviet protests in the case of the runaway school teachers and now "considers the matter closed."

The State Department has disclosed that Secretary Marshall last Thursday sent the Soviet embassy a note in which he rejected:

(1) A Russian request for "free and unobstructed access" to the teachers, Mrs. Oksana Kasenkina and Michael Samarin.

(2) Soviet charges that the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Tolstoy Foundation, an anti-communist organization, had committed illegal acts in the case.

"It is a matter exclusively for the determination of Mrs. Kasenkina and Mr. Samarin whether they will see the representatives of the Soviet government," Marshall wrote.

The teachers currently are under protection of the American government after refusing to return to the Soviet Union. Mrs. Kasenkina is in a New York hospital recovering from injuries suffered when she jumped from the third floor of the Russian consulate in what she said was an attempt to escape.

Marshall told Russian Ambassador Alexander S. Panyushkin that the department understands Mrs. Kasenkina "is rapidly regaining her health."

Once she recovers, Mrs. Kasenkina and Mr. Samarin, too, will enjoy "complete freedom of movement" and will be free to see whomever they wish.

No Candidate Filings For Drain City Offices

Although the terms of office of the mayor, two councilmen, the city recorder and the city treasurer at Drain are to expire this year, there are as yet no announced candidates for office.

Mrs. Ruby Holloway, the city recorder, said she is "not going to run" if some other qualified person is willing to assume her duties. Her two-year elective term ends this autumn.

Mrs. Holloway said the four-year term of Mayor Sherman Chapman also ends this year, as do the four-year terms of Councilmen Dorman Brookhart and Dennis Lovelace, and the two-year term of City Treasurer Wayne Olson.

Prospective candidates may file for office with the Drain city recorder 10 days prior to the general election, Tuesday, Nov. 2. Nomination to the offices is by petition of legal voters.

Parent-Teacher Groups Seek Larger Membership

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—(AP)—The National Congress of Parents and Teachers has set a membership goal of six million for the coming year, the organization's president announced today.

Mrs. L. W. Hughes of Arlington, Tenn., told the P.T.A. board of managers that October has been designated "membership month" to bring the membership up from last year's 5,127,896 to 6,000,000.

Body of Fisherman Taken from Reservoir

PENDELTON, Ore., Sept. 14.—(AP)—Body of Melvin Dunlap, 27,

was recovered Saturday from McKay reservoir near here. Dunlap and Newstrom A. Murphy drowned April 3 while fishing. Murphy's body was found Aug. 19. Both were Pendleton sawmill workers.

Protest Is Filed On Patterson Will

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—(AP)—Countess Felicia Glyzoka, has protested in court against probate of the will of her mother, Mrs. Eleanor Medill Patterson, late publisher of the Washington Times-Herald, who left an estate valued near \$16,500,000.

The daughter contended the will was procured from Mrs. Patterson by fraud and deceit exercised upon her by some person or persons unknown to the countess. She also asserted that Mrs. Patterson was not of "sound mind and memory" at the time the will was signed.

The countess further told the Federal District Court that documents offered to the probate court as Mrs. Patterson's last will are not her last will.

Mrs. Patterson died last July 24 at her suburban home near here. The countess, her only surviving child, was left most of Mrs. Patterson's personal effects, substantial real estate, and a life income of \$25,000 a year. Mrs. Patterson left the Times-Herald to seven executives of that paper.

Woman Dies from Injuries Suffered in Collision

PENDELTON, Ore., Sept. 14.—(AP)—Mrs. Ida Elizabeth Laird of Oakland, Calif., died in St. Anthony's Hospital here Monday of injuries sustained in a car-bus collision Sept. 5.

The bus driver, Glen Eichner, 24, of Pendleton, was charged with failing to stop and leave name at the scene of the accident. He posted \$1,000 bond pending grand jury action.

Mrs. Laird, 73, was here visiting a daughter, Mrs. Harry E. Bartolomeo. Her son-in-law was driving.

Princess Margaret Will Serve As Bridesmaid

LONDON, Sept. 14.—(AP)—Princess Margaret will be bridesmaid next month in a wedding climaxing a Buckingham Palace romance.

Lady Margaret Egerton, 30, lady in waiting to Princess Elizabeth, and John Colville, 35, private secretary to Princess Elizabeth, will marry Oct. 20, in St. Margaret's Westminster.

Lady Margaret is a sister of the Earl of Ellesmere.

Driving While License Is Revoked Draws Fine

Leslie Carvel Gates, Roseburg, arrested by city police on a charge of driving with his operator's license revoked, pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined \$100 by Justice of Peace Thomas C. Hartfield Monday, reported Police Chief Calvin Baird.

Reedspost

REEDSPORT—Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wiley and son, Roger, of Bremerton, Wash., were guests at the Borrevik home in Reedspost last week. They enjoyed salmon fishing at Winchester Bay. Roger Wiley, student at the University of Oregon, is center on

the university's basketball squad. Mr. and Mrs. John Unger left Wednesday for Portland, where Mrs. Unger will receive medical attention. They may continue to their former home in South Dakota.

Mrs. Melvin Jensen and son, David, are spending a few days in Portland with relatives.

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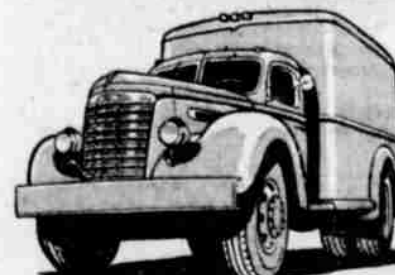
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