

HIGHWAY CHANGE REQUESTS TO BE STUDIED

2 Days' Rodeo All Ready For Saturday Start

Everything is in readiness for Douglas county's big, two-day rodeo show to get underway. The seventh annual Sheriff's posse world's championship rodeo starts Saturday with the grand entry into the fairgrounds at 1:30.

But the initial kick-off of wild west festivities will be provided by the annual rodeo parade, starting at 11 a.m. Saturday. This colorful spectacle promises to be the best ever, according to parade Chairman John Hardiman, with 50 parade entries listed. Entries will be vying for 10 cash prizes totaling nearly \$500.

Top cowpokes from all over the west, including eight or more world champions or former champs, are descending on Roseburg to make the rodeo entry deadline, which is 6 o'clock tonight. They will compete for approximately \$5,000 in prize money which will be distributed among the first three place winners in the six main rodeo events.

Such luminaries of the rodeo world as Bud Linderman, Red Lodge, Mont., winner of the Douglas rodeo last year and two-time winner of the prestigious rodeo championship of the world; and

Rodeo Eve dance tonight at Kennedy's.
SATURDAY
Parade—11 a.m.
Rodeo Grand Entry 1:30 p.m. (Coronation of queen at fairgrounds and rodeo grand opening.)
Saturday night rodeo dance.
SUNDAY
Cowboy breakfast—7 to 11 a.m. at fairgrounds.
Registered horse show—1 p.m.
Rodeo—1:30 p.m.

In the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

From Tehran: "Premier Mohammed Mossadegh ordered his government to take full authority over Anglo-Iranian oil operations, and Britain called home its peace mission."
"British Foreign Secretary Herbert Morrison CONFERRED WITH MILITARY LEADERS and said Britain will protect its nationals in Iran if the Iran government fails to do so."

Looks like a showdown, doesn't it? But you never can tell about these international showdowns—any more than you can tell whether two dogs will fight until they actually start fighting.

From Portland: "By a margin of less than 2 percent, Portland voters turned down a 1-mill levy to raise \$600,000 for civil defense."
"Also turned down (by a narrow margin) was a proposal to increase city commissioners' salaries from (Continued on Page 4)"

MURDER CHARGED

ONTARIO, Ore. — (AP) — Rafael Morillo Vasquez, 30, a transient laborer, is held on a first degree murder charge in the Wednesday night pool hall slaying at Nyssa of Emeterio Rodriguez, 34.
The two were quarreling earlier in the day, District Attorney Charles W. Swan said.

War On Mosquitoes

County-Wide Spraying In Control Program Will Be Launched Next Week

A county-wide mosquito control program will start Monday under the direction of County Sanitarian Laverne Miller.

Spraying will begin in Roseburg with concentrated use of DDT and diesel oil. Miller said the area to be sprayed extends from Curtin and Drain south to Glendale.

This year the county has provided the sanitation department with a jeep with an orchard-type sprayer, making some of the areas to be sprayed considerably more accessible, Miller said. Last year the department covered the county with a pickup and trailer.
Creek sloughs, ponds and ditches throughout the county will be sprayed. Numerous sawmill ponds will be handled and many of the mills are installing drip cans — a 35 gallon drum which injects mosquito repellent into the pond.
Miller reported most of the insects were concentrated in the area around Roseburg, Oakland, Sutherland and Wilbur. Last summer they were particularly thick in Wilbur. The area to the south of Roseburg, including Canyonville and Myrtle Creek, is not so heavily affected, Miller said.
Roseburg and other incorporated cities in the county are being sprayed through contractual arrangement with the county sanitation department.
The present spraying job will last

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Airliner, 40 Aboard, Missing On African Flight

Pan-American Craft Overdue On Schedule

Crashes Of Superfort, Navy Privateer Plane Fatal For Eight Airmen
DAKAR, French West Africa — (AP) — A Pan-American World air force Constellation with 40 persons aboard has vanished along the west African coast on a flight from Johannesburg to New York City.
The plane was more than 10 hours overdue at Roberts field near Monrovia, the capita of Liberia, after leaving Accra on the Gold Coast.
Pan American said in New York that the plane, carrying 31 passengers and a crew of nine, had been due at Roberts field at 9:45 p. m. (EST) Thursday, but that it reported 45 minutes after it was unable to sight the field. This was the last word from the missing sky giant.
(The plane was piloted by Capt. Frank J. Crawford of Huntington Station, New York. Most of the crew members were from the New York metropolitan area.)
A dozen French planes and other craft scoured land and sea areas for trace of the plane.
The nearest U. S. army rescue bases which could be useful in the search are at Port Lyautey in French Morocco and Tripoli on the Mediterranean.

Red Air Force In Korea Handed Another Defeat

TOKYO — (AP) — The Red air force was beaten for the fifth day this week in two roaring jet battles over North Korea today.
American Sabre jets shot down two Russian made jets and damaged three, the U. S. Fifth air force announced.
That raised Red losses this week to 11 planes shot down, one probably destroyed and 17 damaged — a total of 29.
Eighty-nine jets were involved in the two battles, which were fought within 12 hours of the first fire bomb attack on United Nations troops.
As Reds stepped up their air war to new heights, their troops pushed Allied forces back in the two biggest ground actions reported.
Thirty MIG-15s roared out of Manchuria and across the Yalu river Friday morning to renew the jet war after a one-day lull.
Twenty-eight Sabre jets swooped down on them 30 miles from the Manchurian border.
Two MIGs were shot down and two damaged in the engagement.
Another MIG was damaged in a second battle in the same area about noon. Six Sabre jets took on an estimated 25 MIGs in that fight.
The Fifth air force did not say whether any American jets were lost.
The Far East air forces announced 245 American planes have been lost in the war, which will be a year old Monday, and 391 Communist planes destroyed or damaged.

Archbishop Groesz Pleads Guilty To Plot

Full Confession Voiced Of Intent To Overthrow Communist Government
BUDAPEST, Hungary — (AP) — Archbishop Josef Groesz, cardinal Mindszenty's successor as head of the Roman Catholic church in Hungary, pleaded guilty today to plotting the overthrow of his nation's Communist government. For an hour he poured a full confession into courtroom microphones.
The archbishop and eight other defendants went on trial before Judge Vilmos Otti, who sent Cardinal Mindszenty to prison on similar charges in the same courtroom. He also sentenced American businessman Robert A. Vogeler to 14 years imprisonment on spy charges.
(Thus, the west faces the puzzle of another in the long series of "confessions" by defendants in Communist courts. Some believe these confessions are extracted by physical torture or through the use of drugs. Others think they are obtained simply by constant and skillful questioning over long hours without food and sleep. Vogeler, released recently, branded his confession "rubbish." He said he was worn down physically and mentally.)
Defendants in Communist trials disappear from public view from the time of their arrest until they appear before their judges. Reporters and friends are barred from talking with them. They are not allowed lawyers of their own choice and those assigned customarily reinforce their clients' confessions by adding to them.)
Groesz' confession was delivered in cool, collected tones, and included full admissions that he had plotted the overthrow of the Communist government. He linked American diplomats to his statements and a letter was introduced in which Pope Pius XII was pictured as urging the archbishop to resist the regime.
Eight other defendants are still to plead. Five are charged with having led the plot to overthrow the state; two others with participating in the plot. One defendant is accused of murder.
The charges also include spying on behalf of an "imperialist power," obviously meaning the United States, and black market currency dealings.

Medical Insurance Stressed

Truman Offers To Join Opponents If They Offer Better Plan Than His Own

BETHESDA, Md. — (AP) — President Truman offers to "go along with them" if opponents of compulsory medical insurance "come up with a better proposal — or even one that is almost as good."
He said it must be a plan, however, "that will enable all Americans to pay for the medical care they need" at a time when "skyrocketing medical costs are pushing millions of Americans into the medically indigent class."
The President spoke of the laying of the cornerstone of the \$40,000,000 National Institutes of Health clinical center in this suburb of Washington.
Declaring that the "noble purpose" of the center was to save lives and prevent suffering, Mr. Truman attacked "intolerant dictatorships" under which, he said: "People are herded into slave labor camps by the millions, and allowed to die like flies from starvation, or disease, or hardship."
The President reviewed his unsuccessful efforts since 1945 to persuade Congress to pass a national health insurance plan which would provide payroll taxes — similar to the present social security withholdings — for payment of medical bills.
"The American Medical association has led a long, bitter fight against the proposal, declaring that it would be a first step toward 'socialized medicine.' Proponents of the plan deny this."
The dedicated building will be a combination laboratory and 500-bed public health service hospital specializing in research and treatment of cancer, heart disease, mental illness, diabetes and other chronic diseases. Under construction since 1948, it will be completed next year.
Private Insurance Not Enough
Mr. Truman applauded the Senate for passing legislation to expand and strengthen city and county public health units and expressed hope of quick House approval.
And he urged early passage by both houses of a pending bill providing federal aid to enable medical schools to turn out an increasing supply of doctors and nurses to relieve a critical shortage accentuated by the government of medical people to Korea.
He said he was "very glad" to see the rapid growth of private health insurance plans "but the plain fact is that they do not meet the problem," he added.
"They are not reaching the overwhelming majority of low and middle income families."
"Less than four million Americans have reasonably complete medical care insurance, and 75 million have no health insurance at all."

Roseburg Area's Blood Donation Quota Exceeded

For the first time in three local blood drives, the Roseburg area topped its blood donation quota Thursday with 154 pints — four times the quota.
By coincidence, the amount was exactly the same as donated in Medford this week, according to nurses traveling with the Red Cross bloodmobile.
Ruby Wright, of Rt. 4, Lookingglass, Thursday gave a pint of blood and brought her total amount of donated blood to six gallons. Much of this was donated while she was a member of the Canadian Women's army corps during World War II.
Harold E. Schmeer, manager of the U. S. National bank, donated the last pint on his second gallon of blood Thursday.
Mrs. Albert Micelli, chairman of the blood donation campaign, said, "we very deeply appreciate all the help everyone has given us." She sent special thanks to Bob McCarl, of station KRNR, for radio publicity on the campaign.
The quota, at one time thought to be 200 pints, was later reduced to 150 pints. Most of the blood given here will be flown directly to Korea from Portland, particularly type "O" blood which is the most common type. Some of the blood will be stored in the Portland blood bank for use in the state including use in Douglas county hospitals, Mrs. Micelli said.
The bloodmobile will be in Yoncalla next month and is expected to return to Roseburg sometime in August.

Crashes Of Military Planes Take 8 Lives

SEATTLE — (AP) — A four-engine navy privateer airplane crashed in the mudflats near the Whidbey island naval air station Thursday noon, killing five of its crew of eight.
Of the remaining five who were injured, one was in critical condition, crashed, is about 50 miles north of here.
The navy called it a routine patrol flight as part of a training program for naval reservists stationed at Sand Point naval air station here after they had been recalled to active duty.
The navy announced the following list of dead and injured:
THE DEAD:
Lt. (JG) Daniel Tucker, Kirkland, W.
Lt. (JG) Hilbert W. Hedquist, co-pilot, Argyle, Minn.
Lt. (JG) Franklin P. Gaultburn
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Sewage Disposal Plant Discussed At Winston

The possibility of forming a legal district for the authorization of a sewage disposal plant was discussed in the Winston-Dillard water offices Thursday night, County Sanitarian Laverne Miller reported.
Therodore M. Gerow, assistant sanitary engineer from the state board of health, explained the problems confronted in establishing a disposal plant.
A temporary committee may be appointed to study the problem and an engineer hired to establish the assessed value of the district. If the cost is not considered too great, a petition will be signed and sent to the county court for approval. Bonds will be issued to finance the project if conditions are found satisfactory.

Douglas County Convict Walks Away From Prison

SALEM — (AP) — Two escaped state prison trustees were recaptured near Independence Thursday night, but another one walked away from the prison. He is Glenn Lee Gibson, 21, admitted from Douglas county last August to serve three years for larceny.

Five More School Units Report Special Tax Levy

The county school superintendent's office Thursday announced that Camas Valley, Riddle, Riversdale, Galesville and Gardiner school districts had passed the special levy to exceed the six percent limitation in the school elections Monday.
Board members elected include Wilmer W. White, Camas Valley, and Earl I. Smith, Riddle.

Float Entries Accepted Until 10:30 A.M., Saturday

It is still not too late to enter a float in Saturday's rodeo parade. John Hardiman, junior chamber of commerce parade chairman, said that late entries will be accepted up to 10:30 a.m. Saturday. There will be Jaycee members at the Jackson street triangle to place these floats in their proper positions.
The parade is shaping up well, said Hardiman. Already about 50 floats have registered, together with posses, bands, horsemen and other entries.

Firemen Forsee July Arrival Of New Engine

Roseburg's new fire engine, originally expected to arrive April 15, will reach the city sometime during the week of July 8 Fire Chief W. E. Mills says.
The delay was caused by a 60-day labor strike at Seattle, Mills said.
Purchase of the new truck was authorized last fall by the Roseburg city council to replace the aging Stutz fire engine which broke down at a warehouse fire last year.

Plywood Mill At Elkton Starts Production

ELKTON — (AP) — Production started this week at a newly completed peeler plywood plant of the Central Oregon Plywood Co. Secretary-treasurer Maynard Wilson said the \$200,000 all-steel plant is operating with one shift of about 25 men initially. Another crew will be added within a month.
Construction was done by the Titan Metal Products Co., of Portland.

The Weather

Fair today, tonight and Saturday.
Highest temp. for any June — 104
Lowest temp. for any June — 36
Highest temp. yesterday — 86
Lowest temp. last 24 hours — 51
Precip. last 24 hours — 0
Precip. from June 1 — 0
Precip. from Sept. 1 — 40.68
Excess from Sept. 1 — 8.67
Sunset today, 8:57 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow, 5:32 a.m.

NEW DA NAMED

SALEM — (AP) — Paul W. Haviland, who has served as deputy district attorney for four years, was appointed by Governor McKay as district attorney for Jackson county.
He succeeds the late George W. Neilson.

State Board Gives Promise At Meet Here

Chamber Of Commerce Okays Rerouting Plan But Asks Alterations

State Highway Commission Chairman Ben R. Chandler gave Roseburg residents assurance that a north and south highway route through West Roseburg past the Douglas Community hospital will not be constructed until all phases of the project have been given thorough study and consideration.
Chandler commented briefly at a dinner meeting Thursday at Carl's Haven, arranged by Mayor Albert C. Fiegel and attended by about 30 persons. The commission heard arguments for and against the proposed route for a super, limited access highway through West Roseburg, passing immediately to the east of the new hospital.

George Neuner Jr. read a resolution prepared by a Roseburg chamber of commerce endorsing the highway route, but with reservations. The resolution, concurred in by representatives of the Douglas Community hospital, asks the following reservations:
1. The alignment should be moved easterly from its present proposed location as far as practicable.
2. Any interchange of traffic at Harvard avenue should be eliminated.
3. The traffic interchange should be installed to the south of Military avenue.
4. Measures for sound isolation and air condition of the hospital should be devised.
5. The traffic interchange for the proposed clover leaf, as moved to the south, should be so designed to accommodate the future construction of a new bridge across the South Umpqua river and to facilitate traffic into the heart of the present business section of Roseburg.
6. The commission should study the overall problem occasioned by the proximity of the highway to the hospital and make such suggestions and changes and propose (Continued on Page 2)

Jailed Commies Battle In Court For Bail Slash

NEW YORK — (AP) — Counsel for a group of jailed Communists pressed their fight here for cuts in bail which ranges up to \$20,000 each.
Fourteen of the 16 persons arrested here Wednesday have spent two nights in jail. Two, who are in poor health, have been freed in low bail. A 17th was arrested in Pittsburgh.
Judge Jerome N. Frank of the U. S. circuit court of appeals directed government and defense counsel to present written arguments on bail to him today. He reserved decision Thursday.
In Washington, Supreme Court Justice Robert H. Jackson took under advisement a request for a stay of prison sentences for the eleven top American Communist leaders.
Jackson also reserved decision on a plea for a stay of jail sentences imposed on five lawyers for the convicted eleven, for contempt of court during their nine-month trial in New York City.
The convicted Red leaders, scheduled to go to prison about July 1 for terms of three to five years, seek stay of sentence and continuance of bail until next fall, when they want to renew their fight against conviction. The supreme court upheld the convictions on June 4.
In addition to the 17 seized here and in Pittsburgh, four more are sought.
A defense move to force the government to accept \$25,000 worth of treasury bonds for four of the defendants also is before Judge Frank for decision.
The bonds were offered by Frederick Vanderbilt Field, left-wing millionaire and secretary of the bail fund of the Civil Rights Congress. The congress is listed as subversive by the attorney general's office.
Field personally posted \$5,000 cash bail for Jacob Mindel, 63, one of the four for whom the treasury bonds were offered. The defendant on parole is Israel Amter, 70.

Timber In Roseburg Area Set For July 2 Sale

PORTLAND — (AP) — Nearly 30,000,000 board feet of timber will be offered for sale by the bureau of land management next month.
The bulk of it will be offered in sales early in the month. There will be sealed bids for one tract in the Medford district July 3; oral bids for three tracts in the Roseburg district July 2; oral bids for two tracts in the Salem district, July 2; and oral bids for one tract in the Eugene district, July 2.
In addition, timber in the Medford and Bend districts will be offered for sale by sealed bids July 10.



GIFT OF PATRIOTISM—Blood is taken from donors at the blood bank center maintained Thursday at the Elks club, by nurses from the Red Cross travel unit which visited Roseburg at that time. Donors preponderantly were women, mostly cheerful, very many of whom had donated blood to the bank before. —(Paul Jenkins)

Levity Fact Rant

L. F. Reizenstein

Give your spare blood to the soldiers who need it; don't wait for the mosquitoes to carry it away.