



ROCKETS TO NEW HEIGHTS—Here is the navy's rocket-powered, needle-nosed, Douglas Skyrocket research ship that shattered all altitude records by climbing to what aviation experts believe to be more than 14 1/2 miles. Flight was made, with Douglas test pilot Bill Bridgeman at the controls. Height reached was unofficially 77,674 feet where plane leveled off at 1,300 miles per hour according to experts. (AP Wirephoto)



STRANGER THAN FICTION—Seven years ago, three American soldiers parachuted behind enemy lines in Italy on a "cloak-and-dagger" mission with \$100,000 in gold and currency to aid anti-Fascist Partisan forces. The mission ended when the major leading the daring venture was murdered by his two comrades, according to the Defense Department. The stranger than fiction case might have been closed as "mission accomplished, one killed," if two Italian accomplices hadn't confessed and led U. S. Army investigators to a lake where the major's body was found on the bottom in a weighted sleeping bag. Named in the case were Lt. Aldo Icardi (left), accused as ringleader in plot which cost life of Maj. William Holohan (center), and Sgt. Carl C. Lodolce (right), who is said to have been the actual murderer. (NEA Telephoto)

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Douglas County 4-Hers Win Awards At State Fair

Four 4-H club members from Douglas county placed in the judging at the Oregon State Fair on Labor day.

Those placing or receiving ribbons were: sponge cake baking contest—Bonnie Roark, Roseburg, awarded a blue ribbon; cake baking contest—Donna Sunberg, Roseburg, placed fifth; bread baking division—Carol Ann Burgen, Days Creek, awarded a red ribbon; baking powder biscuits—Bobby Shaffer, Gardiner, awarded a red ribbon.

Municipal Court Cases Are Reported By Judge

Two cases were disposed of in Municipal court Wednesday, reports Judge Ira B. Riddle.

Eddie Arthur Adams, 69, California, was sentenced to ten days in the city jail in lieu of a \$20 fine on a charge of vagrancy. Wilber Howland, Washington, paid a \$20 fine on a charge of being drunk in a public place.

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C. H. Gaylor and H. Klem have purchased five lots in the Mack E. Brown subdivision which gives them a corner and 525 ft. frontage on the new North Umpqua highway, located about one half mile east of Glide bridge. The new owners plan to build a service station and auto repair shop on the rear of the property. Lumber is being hauled now to start construction.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hurlbut and three children, Harry, Walter and Nancy, have moved from Diamond Lake to a cottage on the Arthur Selby place, so the boys can attend Glide high school. Mr. Hurlbut is an engineer with Copco at the Tokotee Falls project.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. E. T. Schosso and son, Ernest Aaron, of Wichita Falls, Tex., arrived for a visit with Mrs. Schosso's sister, Mrs. James Evans. Sgt. Schosso was stationed four and a half years at Shepherd Air Force base, Wichita Falls. He is on furlough pending transfer to a base at Pleasanton, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Schermerhorn and four children have moved from Mt. Home, Ida., to Glide and have leased the R. P. Blakely property on the old North Umpqua highway. Mr. Schermerhorn is the new principal of Glide grade schools.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Elliott for the past week were Mrs. C. W. Rose (mother of Mrs. Elliott); Mrs. Julia Elliott, mother of Mr. Elliott; Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Rose and Mrs. Josie Layne, all from Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Evans and son, Craig, have moved from Glide to the large house on the old Rock Creek hatchery property, which was recently purchased by Ed Nolte and Dr. A. E. Dalros of Roseburg. Mr. Evans is co-owner of the Glide Lumber Co.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Evans were Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Evans, parents of Mr. Evans, and his brother, Phil, from Booneville, Ind., who spent 10 days; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards and son of Sisters, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Evans of Creswell. Byron Evans is the new superintendent of Glide schools.

Mrs. Frank Hayes of Dallas, accompanied by her mother-in-law, Mrs. W. Hayes, and sister, Linda Moore, returning from a vacation at her home, spent the holiday weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Moore.

Larry and Marlin Holm are building three two-bedroom houses on the Lone Rock road. Each brother and his family will occupy their own home and the other house is built for rental. The Holm brothers are owners of the Holm Brothers Lumber Co.

Weekend guests at the Arthur Selby home were Mrs. Glenn Fliesbach and her son, Roger. Mr. Fliesbach is the Northwest representative of the Croton Watch Co. and eastern jewelry firms. He has traveled this territory for 12 years.

Mr. and Mrs. James Welch Jr. are spending a week's vacation at Klamath Falls, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Potter, parents of Mrs. Welch Jr. Jim assists his father, J. H. Welch, in the operation of the Lone Rock market.

Don Sporb has recovered his car which was stolen two weeks ago from in front of the Red Barn. After being notified by the Portland police that they had found his car in a parking lot at Portland, Don took the bus for that city. He found his car, a 1951 model, badly dented on one side and 800 miles registered on the speedometer.

Arlington Grave Ends Trail For Indian Brave

WASHINGTON — (AP) — A grave in tree-shaded Arlington national cemetery marked the end of the trail today for an Indian warrior denied burial in a private cemetery in Iowa because he was not white.

He was Sgt. John R. Rice, who was killed a year ago tomorrow while serving with the First cavalry division in Korea.

A grave was prepared for him near the final resting place of a more widely known hero of Korea, Lt. Gen. Walton H. Walker, Eighth army commander during the bitter phases of the fighting. Walker was killed in a jeep accident last December.

Justice Douglas Expected To Visit LaGrande Tonight

LA GRANDE — (AP) — Justice William O. Douglas is expected here tonight or tomorrow from Seattle and he plans to go immediately to his Lostine cabin in the Willows for three weeks. His son Bill is expected to arrive with him.

It had been planned originally for the family to gather here for the September wedding of the daughter of Justice and Mrs. Douglas, but latest reports are that the wedding has been postponed until about Thanksgiving.



A JOB FOR THE PRESIDENT—President Truman wanted a plaque for presentation to the person making the most outstanding contribution to employment of the handicapped, so he gave the job to students at the Institute for the Crippled and Disabled in New York City. Two of the four seriously handicapped men who spent three months designing and making it are seen hard at work on the trophy. At left, James Nunn, 32, an ex-infantryman crippled by a land mine in Germany, hand-carved the 22-carat gold Presidential Seal and engraved the sterling silver plate on which it's mounted. At right, Art Smith, 32, of Bronx, N. Y., crippled in one arm at birth, designed and executed the piece, including a five-color drawing of it. The trophy was presented to George E. Barr of Chicago under auspices of the President's Committee for National Employment of the Physically Handicapped Week.

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Despite defense cut-backs, officials of the National Production Authority predict that the auto industry will enjoy its second greatest year during 1951. The Newchart above shows motor car production for the past five years and estimated production for 1951. The NPA forecast hinges on hopes that no international crisis explodes before the year is out.

Coroner Says Log Killed Rutkowski

Paul Victor Rutkowski, 41, of 419 Fowler St., who was killed in a logging accident Tuesday morning, died of injuries received when a log struck him, according to Deputy Coroner Robert W. Bellows.

Investigation revealed that Rutkowski, who was employed by the California-Oregon Power company near Tokotee falls, had put a choker on a log and was standing nearby as it was being pulled out. The log swung when it struck a boulder and he was crushed between it and a large rock. He died immediately.

Bellows said that more than \$10 million have been spent on the Copco project and this was the first on-the-job fatality. The national average for lives lost per \$1 million spent is one and a half.

Rutkowski was born Feb. 5, 1910, at Rutland, Vt. He was a veteran of World War II.

The body has been taken to the Roseburg funeral home and services will be announced later.

Second Division Captures Ridge

U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, Korea — (AP) — U. S. Second division infantrymen smashed their way to the top of a bloody ridge in East Korea today. They were locked in bitter battles for three other heights.

Second division troops drove through heavy Red resistance and captured the hill mass north of Yanggu. Then they pressed forward to assault another height just to the north. Reds, dug securely into crags and ridges, checked the American drive.

In the same sector other Second division soldiers were locked in a heavy day-long fight with Communists atop two towering crests. The Americans have been trying to knock the Reds off these crests for a week. The Communists have withstood daily infantry assaults and continuous artillery bombardment.

Fair Attendance Rises As Salem Takes Day Off

SALEM — (AP) — Salem took the day off today to go to the Oregon State fair as an attendance of 30,000 was expected.

Feature of today's Salem day program is the governor's handicap on the nine-race horse racing card.

Judging in most events continued today.

Yesterday's attendance was 22,372, about the same as on the same day last year. Horse race betting yesterday totaled \$50,301, up \$8,000 from the same day last year.

The fair ends Saturday night.

Drunk Driving Charge Draws Fine Of \$200

Aaron Dysert, 63, route one, box 34, was fined \$200 and his drivers license was revoked for 90 days on a charge of operating a vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, reports Municipal Judge Ira B. Riddle. A 30-day jail sentence will be suspended upon payment of the fine.

John Robert Chittick, Riddle Resident, Dies

John Robert Chittick, 84, resident of Riddle, the last 20 years, died at his home Tuesday afternoon.

He was born Sept. 10, 1866, at Springfield, Ill. He was married to Effa A. Wescott at Ashland in 1904.

Besides his widow, he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Hoyal Alvera Van Doren of Riddle and Mrs. Clarice Mable Adair, Monmouth; one son, Lester Dair Chittick, Monmouth, and four grandchildren. A son and daughter preceded him in death.

Graveside funeral services will be held at the Riddle cemetery Friday at 11 a. m. Rev. Frank Wagoner will officiate. Ganx mortuary is in charge of arrangements.

Local News

Circles To Meet — The Victory circle of the First Baptist church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Myron Lehne in lower Garden valley. All members are requested to be present.

Bingham Appointed Head Of Liquor Commission

PORTLAND — (AP) — William A. Bingham today was named administrator for the Oregon Liquor Control commission.

He will take over shortly after Oct. 1, succeeding William Hammond who turned in his resignation some weeks ago.

Chairman Robert Elstrom announced that appointment of Bingham who has been a member of the commission. Bingham's acceptance makes a vacancy on the commission and Elstrom said he told Gov. Douglas McKay yesterday that a new appointee would be needed.

DRUNKS FINED

Two men arrested on drunk charges were fined in district court Tuesday, according to Judge A. J. Geddes.

William Lee Stafford, 48, route 3, Roseburg, was fined \$50 and sentenced to ten days in the county jail. Thomas Avon Smith, 48, Sutherlin, was fined \$50 on the charge, Geddes said.

Gambling Tax Proposed By Senate Finance Body

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The senate finance committee today took up a proposed tax on gambling to round out a tax bill which Chairman George D-Ga now says will not exceed \$6,000,000.

The House already has approved the gaming levy which would lay a ten percent tax on the gross professional take of bookmakers and operators of lotteries, such as the "numbers" racket.

George said he didn't think much of the principle of the tax, but wouldn't oppose it and believed it would be approved by his committee. He was skeptical it would bring in as much as the \$400,000,000 a year the house ways and means committee estimated it would.

COPPAGE PLEADS GUILTY

Dick Coppage of the Coppage and Sheppard Lumber mill, Tuesday pleaded guilty to a charge of operating a sawmill during closed period and was fined \$25 by District Judge A. J. Geddes. A complaint declared Coppage was operating power machinery while the forest was closed to operations.

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In The Armed SERVICES

Pvt. William L. Newton Serving In San Francisco

Private William L. Newton, U.S. army, son of W. C. Newton, 402 West Lane street, is assisting at the Pacific pact and Japanese Peace treaty now being discussed at San Francisco.

Stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash., Pvt. Newton has been on special duty at the Presidio in San Francisco since shortly before the conferences began. Assigned to the special motor pool set up for the meetings, he is serving as a driver for the diplomatic representatives attending the conferences. Upon completion of the pact and treaty signings he will return to Fort Lewis.

Tropical Storm Spares Ravaged British Island

MIAMI, Fla. — (AP) — The tropical storm in the Caribbean sea, with much of the steam gone from its punches, traveled westward over open waters today after bypassing fearful Jamaica.

It had threatened to smack the already hurricane-ravaged British island with 100-mile-an-hour winds but it veered southward just in time. Kingston, the Jamaican capital, felt only light rain squalls.

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