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Excess Over
6 Pct. Limit
\$494,303

Levy Less Than One Mill
Above 1951 Estimated;
Election Slated June 16



IN PERFECT TUNE — Johnnie Ray, the 25-year-old crooner of "Crying" fame, leaves no air between himself and his fiancée Marilyn Morrison of Beverly Hills, Calif., as the couple make the rounds of New York City nightclubs. Ray, who wears a hearing aid, said they will marry (May 25). The wedding, he said will be a private affair. The bride-to-be is 22. (AP Wirephoto)

WORLD WAR 3 KICKOFF?

Russia, In Strength Boost, Suspected Of Getting Set For Smashing Into Korea

TOKYO — (AP) — United Nations officers are eyeing suspiciously a buildup of Soviet strength in Asia because of the danger that Russia might leap into the Korean war. There is nothing to indicate right now that the Soviets are planning any more than to keep Chinese and North Korean soldiers well supplied with arms, ammunition and vehicles.

4-H Achievement Day Is Saturday

The central Douglas County 4-H achievement day will be held in Roseburg Friday and Saturday in the Junior High School gymnasium.

Exhibits will be received and judged Friday. Latest exhibit received in the 4-H club office was nearly 160 exhibits in cooking, clothing, knitting, forestry, electricity, camp cookery and health poster projects.

Thief Feeds Baby After Stealing Mother's Ring

NEW YORK — A knife-wielding robber bound a young mother with picture wire Wednesday and stole her \$5,000 ring — but before he left he fed the baby.

Third Execution Date Set For Wilson Brothers

VANCOUVER, Wash. — Judge Eugene G. Cushing Thursday set June 23 as the execution date for Utah and Turman Wilson, brothers convicted of the abduction-slaying of 18-year-old Jo Ann Dewey here two years ago.

The Weather

Generally fair today, tonight and Friday.
Highest temp. for any May — 102
Lowest temp. for any May — 36
Highest temp. last 24 hours — 66
Lowest temp. last 24 hours — 43
Precip. last 24 hours — 0
Precip. from May 1 — .68
Precip. from Sept. 1 — 34.89
Excess — 4.00
Sunset today, 8:37 p.m. DST
Sunrise tomorrow, 5:42 a.m. DST

Three-Year Rail Labor Dispute Ends

Three Unions, Roads Reach Agreement

Wage Increase, Better Working Rules Granted On Govt.-Drawn Plan

WASHINGTON — Union-management peace, the first in more than three years, came to the nation's railroads Thursday and the government was ready to give up its 21-month operation of the roads.

Three rail unions, with a combined membership of 150,000, signed a "memorandum of agreement" with the carriers late Wednesday night in the White House.

Sutherland Boy Injured By Auto; Driver Cited

A six-year-old boy received serious head injuries when he dashed into the street at 5 p.m. Wednesday and was struck by a sedan in the 200 block of W. Central Ave. in Sutherland.

The victim, Samuel Laird Phillips, son of Mrs. Elleen Marie Phillips, suffered a skull fracture and facial lacerations. Attendants at Mercy Hospital said today his condition was improving.

Oregon State Police said the driver of the car was Clyde Wilson DeLong of the Grand Hotel, Roseburg. He received a citation for driving without an Oregon operator's license.

Baccalaureate Services Set For RHS Seniors

Baccalaureate services for the 206 seniors of the class of 1952 at Roseburg High School will be held at 8 p.m. Sunday in the auditorium of Junior High School.

Services will start with the procession with Mrs. Hallie Wood as organist. The Rev. Walter MacArthur will present the invocation and the Rev. Rea V. Kleinfeld will read from scripture.

Death Decried For GI Who Slew Two Germans

NEURNBERG, Germany — Pvt. John F. Vigneault, a 19-year-old American soldier, was sentenced to death Thursday for murdering two Germans and stealing their car.

The little, sharp-faced soldier from Goffs Falls, N.H., stood quietly and showed no visible signs of emotion as he heard the sentence pronounced by the U. S. Fourth Division court martial of 10 officers.

Attempt Of Truckers, Via Referendum, To Prevent Tax Increase Involves Oregon's Future Highway Program

SALEM — Should trucks be forced to pay more taxes or less? Is Oregon's weight-mile system of taxing trucks fair?

The question, which has a lot of bearing on Oregon's program of modernizing its highways, will be answered by the voters in November.

Farm Workers Offered Aid In Collecting Wages

SALEM — W. E. Kimsey, Oregon Labor Commissioner, said Wednesday he would help any farm worker collect money due him from an employer.

Couple's Life Savings Of \$45,300 Go Into Fire

DAYTON, O. — When Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. White were wed 25 years ago, they decided to go along with just the bare necessities in life. Both worked. Neither smoked nor drank. They had no car. Movies were a luxury.

When they counted up their savings last weekend, they had \$45,300, which Mrs. White kept pinned to her slip.

They intended to bank the money Monday. But Mrs. White worked late and the banking was postponed.

Monday night the money was gone. The couple figure their life savings dropped into the trash Mrs. White gathered and burned.

Daylight Saving Defeated On Tie At Grants Pass

By The Associated Press
The Grants Pass City Council turned up with a 4-4 tie vote Wednesday night, the first tie recalled in some 18 years, and it was on the issue of Oregon's great debate—daylight saving time.

The tie meant that the ordinance proposing fast time was defeated and Grants Pass is to stay on standard time.

Unless, that is, it changes its mind. Other Oregon city councils have done that, some going one way and some another. Others, like the one at Grants Pass, could not decide which way to go.

At Lebanon the council had three meetings before everybody concluded that confusion would be official. There the downtown stores moved their clocks, neighborhood stores did not nor did the city hall or schools. Some rallies seemed confused with one having some shifts daylight and others standard.

Other cities seersaw. At McMinnville the council voted for standard time, then changed its mind and voted for daylight.

The Sweet Home council which voted for daylight is being pressed by petition-circulators to go back to standard.

Medford approved DST, then upheld the mayor's veto of it. As of Thursday this appeared to be the list of larger Oregon cities and towns on daylight time:

Portland, Forest Grove, Oregon City, Gresham, Hillsboro, Beaverton, Milwaukie, Tigard, Scappoose, Astoria, Newberg, West Linn, Sandy.

Eugene, Springfield, Cottage Grove, Roseburg, Junction City, Albany, Corvallis, McMinnville, (June 1).

Hood River (June 1). Bend, Prineville, Redmond, Klamath Falls, Lakeview.

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Parley To End IWA Strike Again Flops

Financing Of Program For Health, Welfare Still Barrier To Accord

By The Associated Press
Negotiations for further settlements of the CIO Woodworkers strike in Oregon and Washington came a cropper Wednesday.

Talks were broken off with the Oregon Coast Operators at Coos Bay and with the Timber Operators Association at Aberdeen after employers and the union failed to come to terms.

But other negotiations were scheduled Thursday. One session was arranged by Federal Mediator Robert McClelland with the Coos Bay Lumber Co. at Coos Bay where more than 1,500 members of the International Woodworkers of America are on strike.

Agreements were expected to be reached on an individual basis with some other operators.

The Oregon Coast Operators, meeting with McClelland and the union at Coos Bay, offered a 12 1/2-cent hourly pay increase in lieu of all other proposals.

But the union countered with a demand for a company-financed health and welfare program—a proposal which has been a major stumbling block in all negotiations so far.

A few operators, including the Simpson Logging Co., Shelton, Wash., have agreed to it. But most have insisted that contributions continue to come out of workers' paychecks and many have settled on that basis, although some have agreed to improved deductions.

The health and welfare issue also was responsible for the deadlock with the Timber Operators at Aberdeen. Federal Mediator William G. Hosie reported.

Meantime, boommen along the Columbia River were voting on a proposal to return to work. It already had been accepted by Astoria boommen.

Terms included a 7 1/2-cent hourly pay increase, three more paid holidays and an increased night differential. No change was offered in the health and welfare program.

That, with added overtime deductions for welfare, has been the basis for most lumber settlements since the strike started three weeks ago, idling 40,000 workers. Many of these have since returned to work.

AFL, Plywood, Lumber and Sawmill Workers, meantime, have agreed to accept a 12 1/2-cent an hour increase offered by half a dozen mills in the Coos Bay area.

This was the same offer from Oregon Coast Operators rejected by CIO negotiators Wednesday.

METER HOURS FIXED

Police Chief Ted Marx reminded motorists today that coins must be placed in Roseburg parking meters between the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. Daylight Saving Time.

An ordinance was adopted by the City Council at its Monday meeting setting parking meter hours from 9 to 6 DST and from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. PST.

The trucks have been trying to get larger weight limits. The 22,400-pound axle loads now are legal in 12 states, mostly in the Northeast. But the Maryland test probably will prevent the weight limits from being increased in Oregon.

This test was the first ever made, and proved that trucks cause more road damage than the engineers had suspected.

Further tests, sponsored by the Western states, will be made south of Pocatello, Idaho, starting about September 1. The chairman of the committee of highway officials to conduct the tests is W. C. Williams, assistant Oregon state highway engineer.



NEW student body president of Roseburg High School will be Elmer Stritzke, above. He will serve for the next school year, succeeding Tom Burke. The school election was held Tuesday.

Favorable Trend In Rural School Budget Kept Up

Nearly complete results of the Rural School District election showed voters favoring the elementary school proposal 420 to 342 and 457 to 366 for the high school tax levy plan, County Supt. of Schools Kenneth F. Barneburg announced today.

Unofficial tabulations have been received from all but five of the 33 districts which voted Monday on proposals to exceed the six per cent tax levy for elementary and high school budgets.

Results had still not been received this morning from Curtin, Anchor, Pleasant Valley, Galesville and Ada school districts but their figures were unlikely to affect the outcome, Barneburg said.

Previously announced district results which were reported today included:

Tennille, 13-0 for the elementary proposal, 11-2 for the high school proposal; Myrtle Creek, 72-20 elementary and 71-21 high school; Camas Valley, 17-19 for both; Drain, 37-3 elementary and 38-2 high school; Scotts Valley, 2-5 elementary and 7-0 high school; Roberts Creek, 4-3 for both; Umpqua, 8-0 for both; and Tillamook, 10-2 elementary and 9-3 high school.

Camas Valley is only district besides Glide reporting so far which turned down both proposals. Scotts Valley rejected the elementary school budget plan by three votes but approved the high school proposal.

Huge Red Supply Base Smashed By U.S. Airmen

SEOUL, Korea — U. S. Fifth Air force fighter-bombers, in an all-out, hour-by-hour attack, smashed a huge communist supply area Thursday between the North Korean capital, Pyongyang and its port, Chinnampo.

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Steel Seizure Right Argued By President

Truman Believes He'll Get Court OK But Will Obey Contrary Ruling

WASHINGTON — President Truman said Thursday (a) he is sure of his power to seize industries in an emergency, (b) he likes all the men who have come out for the democratic nomination for president, and (c) he believes the government clean-up will take care of itself under his new attorney general.

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Excess Over 6 Pct. Limit \$494,303

Levy Less Than One Mill Above 1951 Estimated; Election Slated June 16

In record-breaking time, the District 4 School Budget committee in joint session with the School Board, unanimously adopted a record-breaking budget Wednesday night at the Roseburg Junior High.

The whopping budget of \$1,568,891.65 will now go to the voters of the District for final approval.

June 16, the date of the regular school director election, is the time set for a vote by residents of the district upon an amount of \$494,303.89 outside the six per cent limitation.

A breakdown of the total budget figures shows estimated revenues from sources other than taxation to be \$820,988.09, leaving \$747,903.56 as the amount remaining to balance the budget. To this latter figure is added \$68,348.28, the amount of taxes estimated as not collectible for the fiscal year, leaving a total of \$816,348.28 as the amount to be raised by taxation. Of this total \$322,217.39 is inside the six per cent limitation, leaving \$494,303.89 outside limitation, which must be voted upon.

The millage levy on this budget base will be an estimated 42.1 mills, or 8 mills over that of last year, which was 41.3. The exact millage levy cannot be determined until the assessed valuation for next year is known.

It took the Budget Committee and School Board slightly less than four hours to cover the itemized list of expected expenses necessary for the District's schools. In the process, they whittled \$27,959.78 off the original office or department estimates which ran to \$1,596,851.41. A bulk of the paring was done on the proposed maintenance and repairs in the system.

In spite of the ponderous size of the budget, School Clerk Victor Micelli estimates a levy increase of not more than one mill, largely because of the recent consolidation action. This is lower than the previous three-mill increase estimated by the Board.

The lower estimate was made after the Committee and Board had struck some \$29,000 from the maintenance and repair category. This was the only category to take a major cut. Small additions to other categories brought the final total cut to slightly less than \$28,000 as aforementioned.

The members of the Budget Committee are Dale Busenbark, Earl Garrison, Henry Jacobson and Fred Lockwood.

Together with the Board, they took action on nine general categories to approve figures, as follows:

1. General control, \$47,570—Covers superintendent and assistant superintendent salaries, legal services, supplies and clerical help for these departments.
2. Instruction, \$793,187.92—Covers

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Oregon Accidents Take Four Lives

By The Associated Press
Four persons died Wednesday in Oregon as a result of accidents. Three of the victims were children.

Cathy Elizares, 2 1/2, was killed when her feet slipped off the rear of a car while her head was outside a partly open window. An autopsy was to be performed to determine whether she strangled or her neck was broken.

Her mother, Mrs. Davis Elizares, Milwaukie, had left the girl and three other children in the car in suburban Portland to watch her husband train some dogs.

Darrell Luke, 2, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard W. Luke, Salem, was killed when struck by a car while playing in a street. Salem police identified the driver as Daniel Luvy. He was not cited.

John Edward Sherman, 12, Oregon City, died in a Portland hospital of injuries suffered when he was hit by a truck while riding a bicycle. The accident occurred three miles southeast of Oregon City.

An Oregon Journal copy reader, Joseph P. Carlin, 41, was fatally injured in a fall from a second-story window of his apartment. He was washing the window.

Husband Asks Court To Up Wife's Alimony

BIGGLESWADE, Eng. — C.J. Jeeves, who's been paying his wife 2 pounds 15 shillings (\$7.70) a week since they separated, asked the court's permission Thursday to send along a little more.

The astounded judge, who said he never had heard of such a thing, granted Jeeves' request to increase the maintenance money to 3 pounds (\$8.40).

It's the increased cost of living, Jeeves explained.

Safe and simple way to reduce YOUR OWN taxes: Get elected to Congress and vote accordingly.