

MacARTHUR BLASTS DEMOCRATS' REGIME

Taft Backers Rule Court Of Appeals

Eisenhower Camp Also Scores In Voting Ban On Contested Delegates

CHICAGO (AP) — The bitter dispute over rival Taft-Eisenhower delegates, a tough bone of contention at the Republican convention, comes before the Credentials Committee Tuesday.

That court of appeals was firmly controlled by backers of Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio.

They won an initial skirmish Monday night over Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's committee—putting a Taft man in as committee chairman and adopting a time allotment for arguments sought by Taft forces.

While the Eisenhower people lost those fights, they succeeded in keeping the Credentials Committee hearing open to radio microphones and television, newsreel and still cameras.

At the convention itself, Eisenhower won a major victory. The convention decided that 68 of the 93 contested delegates—most of them Taft men—can not vote on seating contests until their own contests are decided.

The contests will be argued before the Credentials Committee in alphabetical order: Florida (18 delegates in dispute); Georgia (17); Kansas (1); Louisiana (13); Mississippi (5); Missouri (11); and Texas (38).

The committee, composed of one member from each delegation, hopes to file its report Tuesday, although a long hearing session was forecast.

Committee chairman is Ross Ritzley of Guyton, Okla., who wears a Taft button in his lapel.

He beat, by a 25-to-20 vote, a Stassen delegate backed by Eisenhower partisans, Warren Burger of St. Paul, Minn.

Taft gains another round. The time-limit vote, 27 to 24, to restrict arguments to two-thirds of the time set by the GOP National Committee last week, was the other victory for Taft backers.

They generally were for the curb, opposed by Eisenhower men.

The convention voted 658 to 548 to bar the 68 delegates from voting on seating contests until their own contests are decided.

Eisenhower and Taft leaders were revising their strategy as a result of this vote which changed the rules.

Sen. William Knowland of California said the vote doesn't eliminate the possibility of a darkhorse nomination. He is supporting Gov. Earl Warren of California.

The latest Associated Press tabulation of delegates gives Taft 534, Eisenhower 429, other candidates 131 and leaves 112 uncommitted.

Sutherland Will Erect New, \$45,000 City Hall

A Portland architect has been hired to draw plans for the contemplated Sutherland City Hall. City Manager W. D. Bollman reports.

He is Mr. Harrington, who will lay out plans for the structure to be built on a pay-as-you-go basis. Bollman said the city has some \$22,000 available for the first part of the building, which is expected to cost \$45,000.

In the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

Significant news from Chicago: The forces of Senator Robert A. Taft of Ohio take control of the pre-convention maneuvers and the Republican National Committee seats the contested Taft slate of delegates from Georgia.

Georgia is a DEEP SOUTH state. Under no circumstances can it be expected to vote for ANY Republican.

In three other DEEP SOUTH states—Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas—there were contests between Taft and Eisenhower delegates. There is no possibility that any of them will vote Republican this fall.

In Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Kentucky, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia, Taft has either all or a heavy majority of all the delegates. None of these states can be expected to give its electoral vote to a Republican candidate for President.

It is the old story of GOP organization-owned delegates in the South. These delegates have no responsibilities, because their home states can not be expected



PLUGGED — Some trigger-happy individual used lead instead of copper to fill this meter. It was discovered with a bullet in it after the July 4 holidays. The Police Department failed to see the joke, however, when it was discovered that the line of fire could be followed to the front windows of a house across the street. The marksman was good. He snipped off the violation flag with the bullet. (Staff picture).

Parking Meter Target Of Bullet

Someone took a pot shot at a parking meter on West Lane Street over the holidays and investigation is continuing today, Police Chief Ted Mazac said.

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"I'm not worried about the \$65 cost on the ruined meter," Chief Mazac said, "as I am about the danger of a stunt like that."

He pointed out that had the bullet missed the meter it could have entered a nearby house.

A check with residents of the 400 block of West Lane Street failed to disclose anyone hearing a shot, Mazac said. The gun may have been fired during the time youngsters were firing cap pistols and therefore not noticed, he added.

However, police are continuing to check residences and are also attempting to trace the gun through the ballistics report.

Two Stands Of Timber In Umpqua Forest Sold

Umpqua National Forest timber amounting to 25,200,000 board feet was sold for \$351,714 by the U.S. Forest Service at two sales Monday.

Bohemia Lumber Co. was high bidder at \$27 per thousand for Douglas fir and \$1.15 for hemlock and other species in the South Umpqua District offering.

Low price on the last lot of timber was due to its inaccessibility and poor grade, Forest Service officials said. Much road work will have to be completed to get it to market.

Allies, Chinese Repulse Both Score Reduses

SEOUL, Korea (AP) — Fourteen Communist tanks — the heaviest concentration of Red armor in a month—supported a probing attack Monday night by a Chinese company against United Nations positions on the Korean Central front.

About 200 Chinese were thrown back in the one-hour fight which closed to hand-to-hand combat.

U.N. troops hitting a Communist-held hill on the Central front were repulsed by 200 Chinese using automatic weapons, artillery, mortars and a flame thrower.

The U.S. Fifth Air Force said nine Communist troop bunkers were destroyed or damaged by warplanes in close support attacks. Other fighter bombers destroyed 10 supply buildings, nine vehicles and two supply revetments.

TRUMAN AIDE RESIGNS

WASHINGTON (AP) — Philip B. Perlman, who argued President Truman's case in the steel seizure issue, resigned as solicitor general Tuesday.

Phone Call Service From Moving Vehicles Launched

Telephone calls to and from moving vehicles in the Roseburg area were made possible today with the activation of Pacific Telephone Company's station on Roberts Mountain.

Introduction of highway mobile service here got a favorable reception, according to company Manager Jack McGuire. He said the full 50-telephone capacity of the channel was subscribed in advance and that some 19 other applications are on the waiting list.

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82nd Congress Session Ends

Conferees Agree On 2 Snagged Bills

Almost Billion Dollars Added To Appropriation For Atomic Expansion

WASHINGTON (AP) — The 82nd Congress added almost a billion dollars to an expanded atomic weapons program Monday and then voted to quit for good.

Unless President Truman calls a special session, the law-making days of this Congress are over. The next — or 83rd — Congress with a lot of new faces convenes Jan. 5, 1953.

Day-long negotiations on two money bills which had blocked adjournment plans Saturday paid off when a compromise was reached and the Senate and then the House approved the measures just before sundown.

The bills would provide: 1—\$11,793,776,339 to finance atomic expansion, foreign aid and military construction throughout the world.

2—More than half a billion dollars for river, harbor and flood control projects.

Previous Approvals

Sent to the White House last Saturday was a defense appropriation of \$46 billion.

This measure—the largest of all the appropriation bills for the 1953 fiscal year—carried the full amount asked by President Truman to expand the Air Force to 143 wings by mid-1955.

Other bills passed and sent to the White House Saturday included:

1—A \$1,015,000,000 measure to finance the State, Commerce and Justice Departments.

2—A bill to increase social security and public assistance payments by about \$40 million dollars a year.

3—A measure guaranteeing the government will support prices of cotton, corn, wheat, rice, tobacco and peanuts at 90 per cent of parity through 1954.

It also provides that parity for the six crops will be determined, through 1955, by one of two formulas, whichever is higher.

4—A bill hiking pensions for an estimated 166,000 retired federal employees.

School Site Buy Voted At Dillard

Dillard School District 118 voted to buy the 21-acre Nichols property for \$21,000 in a district election Monday night. The land will serve as a future school site.

A 27-vote okayed the purchase, for which funds have already been appropriated from this year's budget, reports Paul Hult, member of the school board.

No definite plans have been made for new school buildings. The new site is located between Winston and Broadway, about one and one-half miles from the present school.

At a school board meeting Monday night, bids were opened for the addition of four classrooms to the present school buildings. Contracts will be awarded at an 8 p.m. meeting in the Dillard School next Monday.

With these additions, the school will boast 21 classrooms when it opens this fall.

Also new rooms are going on both the upper and lower grade buildings, Hult said.

Let's Vote At Budget Election

By CHARLES V. STANTON

The City of Roseburg will submit its revised 1952-53 budget at a special election tomorrow.

The budget, which since has been reduced by the sum of \$9,000, was presented at an election last June 20. Only 341 persons were sufficiently interested in municipal affairs to go to the polls. The budget was rejected.

It is not our purpose to say that the budget in its present form either should or should not be accepted. That is a decision for the voters.

But the decision should be made by more than 10 percent of the city's qualified electors.

We should have enough pride and interest in our city's affairs to turn out more than a 10 percent vote.

Let's go to the polls tomorrow in sufficient numbers to make the decision, whatever it may be, representative of the majority.

The time is from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., DST, or 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., standard time. Polling places are: Courthouse, Ward 1; Junior High, Ward 2; Roseburg Hotel, Ward 3; City Hall, Ward 4.

Jurist Of West Berlin Kidnaped, Spirited Away To Russian Sector

BERLIN (AP) — Dr. Walter Linse, a top official of the West Berlin free jurists, was kidnaped Tuesday morning and driven off to the Soviet zone amid a flurry of gunshots.

The head of the Economics Department of the Free Jurists, Dr. Linse was attacked by three men shortly after he left his home in the American sector.

He was dragged into a car which drove at high speed into the Soviet zone.

Several people who noticed the kidnaping and pursued the car were shot at.

The kidnapers threw hundreds of nails out of their car. One of the pursuing cars had to give up the chase when a tire was punctured.

When the car containing the kidnaped official reached the border, the Communist Peoples' Police raised the barrier and let the car pass.

Logging Accident Kills Sutherland Man

Claude B. Dickens, 42, of Sutherland was killed Monday when a log he was bucking on a side hill rolled over him.

The victim, a bucker for the Roseburg Lumber Co. logging operation near Mt. Scott area, had been a resident of Sutherland for seven years.

Douglas County Coroner Holt Grimes said the log Dickens was bucking had been lodged against a root on the hill. When he saved off part of it, the other end swung around, knocked him down and rolled over him.

Dickens had been an employee of the lumber firm for two and a half years.

He was born Oct. 14, 1909, at Ponaka, Canada, and had lived in Oregon 39 years. He came to Sutherland from Creswell.

Dickens served as a master sergeant in an anti-aircraft unit in Europe during World War II.

Surviving are his widow, Euphemia; a son, Douglas; two daughters, Alice and Claudia; and two brothers and two sisters.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m., PST, Wednesday at the Christian Church of Sutherland with the Rev. Lloyd Whitford officiating. Interment will be at Laurel Hill Cemetery, Springfield. Stearns Mortuary of Oakland is in charge of arrangements.

End Quarrels, Sen. Bridges Warns GOP

Alternative Is Defeat In November, Party's Leader Tells Convention

CHICAGO (AP) — Senate Republican Leader Styles Bridges told the GOP convention Tuesday it must patch up party quarrels or "almost certainly go down to defeat in November."

The veteran New Hampshire legislator appeared on the convention's second-day morning program along with other party leaders—Sen. James Kem of Missouri, Rep. Marguerite Church of Illinois and Chicago Councilman Archibald Carey Jr.

In a prepared address, Bridges delivered a scathing attack on the Democratic party. He called for a united front of Republicans, now unsettled by the close race between Gen. Dwight Eisenhower and Ohio Sen. Robert A. Taft for presidential nomination.

"The Republican party is beset," Bridges said, "by stormy, bitter wrangling forces. . . . This party cannot succeed if this bitterness remains after the convention."

"Let us heed this warning—unless the Republican party stands in a solid phalanx behind the choice of this convention for the presidency of the United States, we will almost certainly go down to defeat in November."

2-Party System At Stake

A Republican defeat in the presidential election then, Bridges said, would spell "the end of the two party system as we know it." But he said he does not expect the GOP to lose in the fall.

Recalling the "iron clad pledge" adopted by the Republicans' 1880 convention to support the nominee—James A. Garfield who was

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City Opens War On Mosquitoes

Mosquitoes biting you? If so, you have plenty of company.

C. H. Boniols, city building inspector, says the late rains combined with the hot weather, are bringing them out in larger numbers than last year.

And he doesn't expect much relief if the weather stays warm. The worst areas are along Deer Creek, Booth Creek, West Roseburg and along Umpqua Avenue, due to the nearness of water.

Combat started Monday when the city commenced a three-day spraying campaign. Boniols says if you see a noisy, foggy piece of machinery, that's the spray apparatus. The fog is a non-harmful mixture of DDT and stove oil.

Work is done by city employees using spray machinery—an equipped jeep, rented from Douglas County.

This is the year's fourth anti-mosquito spraying. The first was about May 20, with the second and third in June. There'll probably be another later this month. Each spray costs about \$350.

Boniols says everyone can help rid the city of the insects by clearing their yards of old trash that may provide breeding places.

3 Die In Oregon Traffic Crashes

BEND, Ore. (AP) — Richard J. Montgomery, 40, Vancouver, Wash., was found dead at the wheel of a crashed truck east of Bend Monday. Police said he apparently died of a heart attack.

The truck, carrying 25,000 pounds of meat and produce, knocked down a telephone pole and broke through a fence before stopping. An automobile collision near Tumalo last week has claimed a second victim.

William J. Malone, 69, Tumalo, died from injuries Sunday. Robert M. Kitchen, 33, also in the accident, died earlier.

NEWPORT, Ore. (AP) — Two trucks collided near here Monday fatally injuring the driver of one. He was Harold Victor Emil Johansen, 47, of Siletz.

Robert Luttrell, also of Siletz, the driver of the other truck, was not hurt. The widow and five children survive.

Keynote Of Convention Sounds G.O.P. Rallying Cry To Rout 'Blunderers'

By WARREN ROGERS JR.

CHICAGO (AP) — Old soldier Douglas MacArthur, amid a cannonade of applause, blistered the Democrats as a blundering "war party" and rallied yelling Republicans Monday night to a "crusade" to rout them from office.

The five-star general's keynote address knifed through the strife stirred by the Taft-Eisenhower battle for presidential nomination.

It united the packed convention hall in a standing ovation as it bit sharply at the Truman administration's policies.

The 57-minute speech, punctuated 73 times by handclapping and roars, formally plotted a non-partisan course in the nomination battle between Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower and Sen. Robert A. Taft.

MacArthur, who backs Taft and who has been mentioned as a possible vice-presidential running mate for the Ohioan, said:

"The Democratic party has a noble heritage but has been captured by schemers leading the country toward the socialistic regimentation of a totalitarian state."

2. The Republicans must enlist all kinds of Americans, who are "desperate for a plan which will revive hope," to win the November election.

MacArthur named neither Taft nor Eisenhower. But he hit at the administration's policy of Communism containment, which Eisenhower supports, and called for more air power, a Taft objective.

Praise From Senators

Comments on the speech ran to adjectives like "wonderful" and "dramatic" and "thoughtful."

Sen. Taft—"Gen. Douglas MacArthur has dramatically stated the danger of the philosophy of big government, of its constantly increasing expenditures and taxation, its abuses of power, its dangerous threats to all liberty in the United States. . . . He formulated the affirmative program on which the Republican party can go forward to victory and resume progress under liberty and peace."

Senator Leverett Saltonstall of Massachusetts, an Eisenhower backer—"A thoughtful statement of the problems the Democrats have built up. He knew what he was talking about as to Asia."

One dissent was registered by Rep. James Fulton of Pennsylvania, who is for Eisenhower.

Fulton said the speech should have mentioned the United Nations. He said it "cast grave doubts on the usefulness of collective security as an international policy."

Truman Chief Target

MacArthur, wearing civilian clothing, spoke slowly and deliberately.

He leaned well forward into a thicket of microphones and, closely following his prepared text, leveled his heaviest blasts at the administration of President Truman, who fired him last year as United Nations commander in the Far East.

MacArthur said Truman's claim of inherent powers—which the Supreme Court held was unfounded in the steel industry seizure—was fictitious.

The administration's foreign policy, he said, "practically invited Soviet dominance over the free peoples of Eastern Europe."

This came about, he said, by withdrawal of troops, yielding of control over atomic materials deposits dismantling of German industrial plants and allowing ship-

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Monday's Heat Year's Highest

Roseburg sizzled in 93-degree heat Monday, the hottest day of the year, and the weatherman expected the mercury to soar to 96 today.

The humidity dipped to the fire danger point in most Douglas County timber areas Monday, forcing nearly all logging operations to cease.

Officials of the Douglas Forest Protective Association said the humidity was down as low as 20 per cent in some areas by 10 a.m. this morning and it was expected almost all logging would stop before noon.

State law requires logging operators to pull crews out of the woods when the humidity skids to 30 per cent.

Fire danger was increasing rapidly, forest officials said, under the current heat wave. Hot and dry weather was expected to continue through Wednesday.

Douglas County Ranch Bought For \$180,000

One of the largest, if not the largest, ranch sales in Douglas County was made today when Homer Otley of Burns purchased 1,800 acres for \$180,000 from Elmer Hosteller.

The land is the old Rush Clark Ranch, located three miles east of Oakland. Jack Realty Co. of Yoncalla made the sale, Macon S. Jack of the realty company reported the transaction.

Otley plans to take possession sometime after Aug. 1. He expects to continue ranching, raising Hereford cattle.

Sen's for display and added that transportation will be provided if necessary. Entrants wishing transportation for their racers may call Hansen's.

The racers will be protected against damage and a full insurance has been taken out by the Junior Chamber on the race itself.

Cash awards of \$100, \$50 and \$25 for first, second and third places in the race are being offered by Hansen's. In addition, the Junior Chamber of Commerce is offering a large gold trophy to the winner.

The racers are being built by the contestants themselves with nothing but advisory help.

A cost limit of \$10 has been placed on the vehicles. All contestants are 14 years or under. One of the youngest last year was Ralph Young, then six, who took second place.

Entries Roll In For Annual Applebox Classic Saturday

Applebox vehicles of all shapes are beginning to appear in the showroom of Hansen Motor Co. this week in preparation for the Applebox Derby Saturday.

This will be the second annual derby sponsored by the Roseburg Junior Chamber of Commerce. It will be held on Winchester Street over a 640-foot course starting at 10 a.m.

Applications are still being accepted at Hansen's for entrants in the derby and will continue to be accepted the remainder of the week, according to Vic Bakala, in charge of registering the vehicles.

Junior Chamber members have given up for the time being at least the idea of eventually entering the national Soapbox Derby competition. Grady Mankins, general chairman, reported.

Although it may be considered again in the future, Mankins said, JCC members felt it too expensive and more than the organization could handle at present.

Insurance To Be Provided

The Applebox racers, many of whom have already completed their racers, will be provided with driver's helmets and also with free refreshments—complete with ice cream and soda pop.

Bakala urged that all racers be brought into the showroom of Hansen's.

FINED FOR LARCENY

Robert Leo Conn, 21, Sutherland, was fined \$50 and committed to jail in lieu of payment after pleading guilty Monday in district court to petty larceny.

Conn was arrested by Sutherland police.

LONDON HEADLINES

LONDON (AP) — The Republican convention in Chicago drew these headlines in London's three afternoon newspapers today:

"The great Maca proves a flop"—Standard.

"He draws first blood,"—Evening News.

"The plans next move after win"—Star.

Robbery Of Bank Charged To Five

OAK HARBOR, Wash. (AP) — Three men and two women were charged with robbery and first degree burglary Monday a few hours after the Langley State Bank at Langley was robbed of \$5,421.

Prosecutor Alden Whelan filed an information in Superior Court against Vernon T. Jenkins, 32, James R. Allen, 28, Jane Powell, James Doe and John Doe, all of Seattle.

Whelan said Jenkins and Allen were arrested at Coupeville about two hours after the robbery. Mrs. Powell, wife of a former Oak Harbor dentist, was taken into custody later in the day.

Search continued for the other two.