

PIONEER FLIER, TWO WOMEN DIE IN CRASH

Dowager Queen Candidate No. 2



EVA LANE WAITE

Mrs. Eva Lane Waite Only Living Grandchild Of First Oregon Territory Governor

A life-long resident of Douglas County and the granddaughter of General Joseph Lane, Oregon's first Territorial governor, is the second candidate for dowager queen of the Douglas County Centennial.

She is 78-year-old Eva Lane (Mrs. Douglas) Waite, of Roseburg, sponsored by Umpqua Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mrs. Waite is the only surviving grandchild of General Lane. On her mother's side, she is the granddaughter of Charles Drain Sr., once president of the Territorial Legislature and founder of the town of Drain.

She is the daughter of Simon R. Lane and his wife, Catherine Ann Drain. A teacher for many years in schools throughout the county, she was married in 1898 to Douglas Waite, then county school superintendent.

Mrs. Waite once taught at Umpqua Academy at Wilbur for a \$33 monthly salary. When she retired from teaching, she was principal at Reedsport Grade School.

Mrs. Waite pioneered 4-H Club work in the county and helped organize PTA and Junior Red Cross groups. Her daughter, Mrs. Walter M. Bain, of Illinois, was once president of the League of Women Voters.

Monsoon In Philippines Deals Death, Damage

MANILA (AP) — Twelve persons were listed as dead or missing in Central Luzon Friday as the result of three days of heavy monsoon rains and high tides.

Communications were disrupted. The toll of dead and missing may go higher when they are restored. Damage in Manila and at least 12 other flooded towns neared \$1,000,000. Losses of vitally needed rice crops was reported to be considerable.

In the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS
Today's word from Washington: "President Truman said this morning he is considering calling an extra session of congress to ask for a stronger price control law."

It appears that Price Stabilizer Arnall has told the President that prices may get out of control and skyrocket. It appears also that between now and September 1 OPS (Office of Price Stabilization) must release more than half of its 12,000 employees in Washington and in about 100 field offices.

Could it be that Mr. Arnall (like all good bureaucrats) looks upon REDUCTION OF HIS STAFF as the worst calamity that could happen and wants to head it off?

I wonder about this price business. I suppose everybody wonders about it. There are so many confusing angles to it. And so many conflicting stories.

For example: While all the politicians are yelling bloody murder about the awful rise in prices (which, they contend,

The Weather

Cloudy in morning today, becoming partly cloudy and sunny in the afternoon.
Highest temp. for any Aug. 106
Lowest temp. for any August 39
Highest temp. last 24 hours 88
Lowest temp. last 24 hours 57
Precip. last 24 hours .57
Precip. from August 1 Tr.
Precip. from Sept. 1 38.28
Excess 5.54
Sunset today, 8:26 p.m. DST
Sunrise tomorrow, 6:11 a.m. DST

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Tax Levy Of Roseburg Increased To 71 Mills

Schools Will Get 79.6 Pct. Of Total Fund

City's Valuation Down, Due To State Reduction On Utility Properties

The assessed valuation of property in the City of Roseburg is lower this year than last year — with a higher property levy the result.

County Assessor Ned Dixon announced today that Roseburg's levy for the 1952-53 year will be 71 mills, an increase of more than three percent over last year's 67.4 mills.

The city's assessed valuation has decreased from last year's \$9,965,465 to \$9,776,121.

The decrease is due to a lowered rate of valuation of public utilities from 55 to 51 percent of value, Dixon said. Rates of valuation of utilities are figured by the State Tax Commission and Dixon gave no reason for the change. Utilities' valuation decreased from \$2,349,485 to \$1,995,461, in Roseburg. County-wide, the assessed valuation subject to taxes has increased from \$68,197,995 last year to \$75,672,112.

The 3.6-mill increase in Roseburg's levy is comprised of a 2.4-mill increase in city taxes, a 1.5-mill increase in school taxes, and a decrease of .3 mill in the county levy.

Myrtle Creek Rate Highest

Property owners in Myrtle Creek will pay the highest rate in the county — 97 mills. The lowest rate in the county is in Booth School District, with a levy of 23 mills.

Total taxes to be collected this year in the county amount to \$4,103,275, an increase of 11 percent over last year's \$3,686,945.

The major portion of the total is in school taxes. The breakdown is

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Sentences Given Convicted Reds

LOS ANGELES (AP) — California's 14 leading Communists—including a self-styled founding member of the party in Russia—are under maximum sentence of five years in prison and \$10,000 fine each for conspiracy against the United States.

The heaviest judgment possible under the Smith Act of 1940 was levied Thursday by Federal Judge William C. Mathes after he upheld the jury's guilty verdict.

The defendants, including Russian-born Frank Spector, took their sentences without flinching. All made strong, some defiant, statements maintaining innocence.

All 14 filed immediate notice of intention to appeal the case to the U.S. Circuit Court.

Found guilty after six months trial of conspiring to teach and advocate overthrow of the government by force—all professed pride in the Communist Party.

"I am a founding member of the Communist Party," Spector, 57, said. He dated his party entry September, 1919.

He has been in the U.S. about 25 years and was Los Angeles county industrial organizer for the party when indicted last December. Spector faces alien deportation proceedings.

WRIST DISLOCATED

Lloyd Ferman, 33, was treated Thursday at Community Hospital for a dislocated wrist, suffered when he fell off a load of joists while working at Myrtle Creek training school at Woodburn.

Long's years in prison embittered him to the point of desperation. He and Murderers John Omar Pinson and Dupree Poe have been the center of numerous escape plots at the prison. During the last two years, they have sought to buy their way out of prison, walk out with groups of visitors. They have saved their way through their cell doors with back saw blades.

Long was felled by a police bullet in his arm.

Inveterate Law Breaker

Long had completed an eight-year sentence for assault with intent to rob. Before that he had accumulated a juvenile crime record which included a term at the boys

training school at Woodburn.

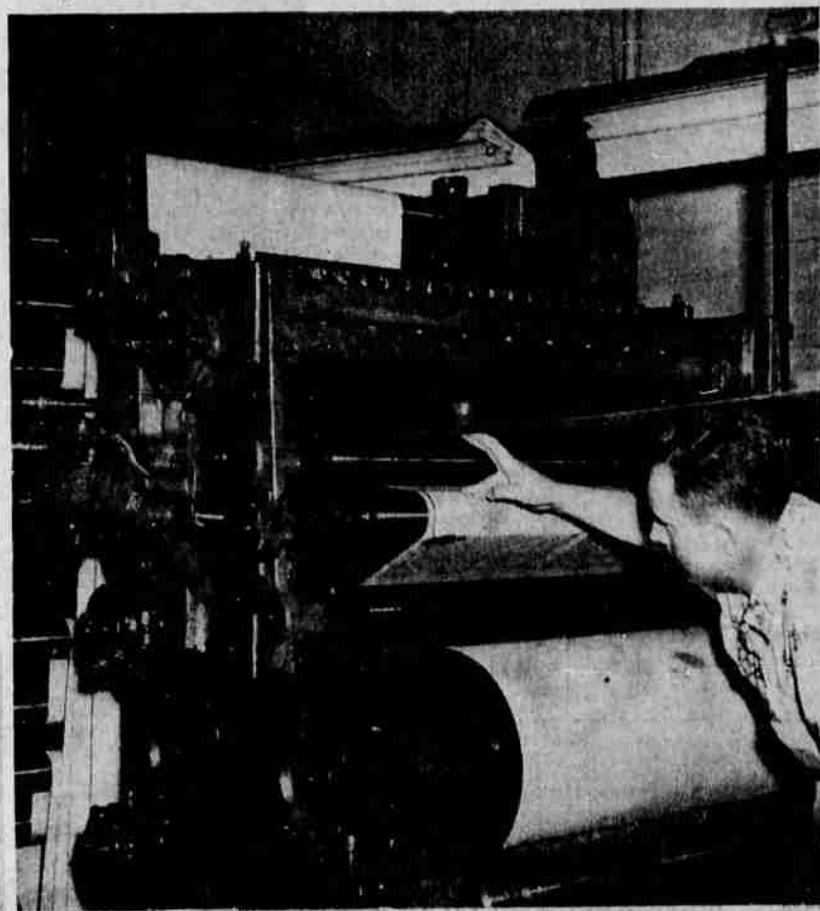
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News-Review Color Press Addition Expands Its Service To Advertisers



COLOR UNIT ADDED TO PRESS — Lloyd Stutsman, display advertising manager for The News-Review, is pictured above examining new color unit added to The News-Review press. The newly-installed unit increases press capacity when extra color is used. — Picture by Paul Jenkins.

Keeping pace with progress in the publishing industry, The News-Review has just completed installation of a color unit on its high-speed Goss tubular press. Heretofore, when extra color was used, capacity of the

16-page press was reduced to 12 pages, as it was necessary to convert one four-page unit to color purposes. The new unit makes it possible to print a 16-page edition at one operation with extra color on two

pages. Newspaper advertising trends are toward much greater use of color. The expensive equipment added by The News-Review to its press will permit improved service to advertisers.

Boys Find \$1140 In Bills On S. E. Portland Dump

PORTLAND (AP) — Police Thursday had custody of \$1140 in \$10 and \$20 bills found by two boys on a southeast Portland dump.

The money was gathered up by Don Schmunk, 15, and Wesley W. Fetherston, 12, who spotted it while bow and arrow shooting Wednesday.

They didn't believe at first the money was real, but police assured them it was. Police speculated that the money had been buried in some part of the city and the dirt — and the cash — carted to the dump in a truck.

Mrs. H. G. Robben, wife of the dump owner, later found five silver dollars and a half dollar.

Minimum Milk Price Boosted In 3 Counties

PORTLAND (AP) — Minimum milk prices were boosted and maximum butterfat content of standard milk was lowered in three Central Oregon counties by the State Milk Marketing Administration Thursday.

Starting Aug. 16, the minimum milk price in Crook, Deschutes and Jefferson Counties will be 23 cents a quart, a cent more than it now sells for in Bend. But the price in Prineville, Redmond and Madras already is 23½ cents. The previous minimum was 21½ cents.

Maximum butterfat content was lowered from 3.8 per cent to 3.5. The administration turned down a request by the Timber Valley Dairy of Lebanon to distribute milk in Shedd, Halsey, Brownsville and other nearby towns.

Pastor Gives Clothes To Man He Rescues

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. (AP) — The Rev. Robert Rutland saved a man from drowning Thursday night and then gave him the shirt off his back—and more.

Police said Henry Jones, 30, address unknown, took off his clothes and jumped into the Indianapolis Water Co. canal.

The 33-year-old minister stripped to his shorts and dived in after him.

Rutland and another man pulled Jones out, and police revived him. But they couldn't find his clothes. The minister gave up his own and went home in his shorts.

Petitions To Save Wilson Bros. Out

PORTLAND (AP) — A committee seeking commutation of the death sentence of two brothers convicted of murder now has more than 3,000 petitions in circulation in Oregon and Washington.

That was the report Thursday night at a meeting of the Committee for Commutation of the Wilson Brothers Sentence.

The Rev. Allen Hoyt, committee chairman and pastor of the Hoyt Street Methodist Church, said 73 petitions containing 789 signatures had been returned to him. He said others were in the hands of Donald Benedict, Vancouver, Wash., committee secretary.

The petitions were to be turned over to Gov. Langlie of Washington with a request for commutation of the death sentences of the brothers, Utah and Turman Wilson, to life in prison.

Woman Who Lost Arm Said In Fair Condition

Mrs. Carol Amundsen, 17, who lost her left arm in an accident at midnight Wednesday at Lone Rock, was reported in fair condition today at Mercy Hospital.

Mrs. Amundsen, who resides at Winston with her sister, Mrs. Alice Carnley, was injured in the accident which took the life of Harold Clyde Tomlinson, 25, Dillard.

Vandalism At School Laid To Two Juveniles

Two juveniles, ages 10 and 11, are slated to be brought before juvenile authorities next week, charged with breaking into the Fullerton School.

Sheriff O. T. Carter said the two youngsters set stage curtains and damaged other property, leaving with two five-pound chunks of cheese they had found in a deep freeze.

Race For 7th Term Lost By McKellar

Tennessee Demos' Nod For Senator Given Gore; Gov. Browning Beaten

By The Associated Press
Eighty-three-year old Sen. Kenneth D. McKellar of Tennessee has lost his bitter battle for an unprecedented seventh term.

Rep. Albert Gore, 44, had a lead of more than 63,000 votes over dean of the U.S. Senate as returns poured in from Thursday's red-hot Tennessee Democratic primary.

Frank Clement, former FBI agent, ousted incumbent Gordon Browning in the governor's race. Browning sought a third two-year term.

Victory in the primary is tantamount to election in strongly Democratic Tennessee.

The outcome was 50-50 for Memphis political leader E. H. Crump, making his first bid for a statewide comeback after his organization was beaten four years ago by Browning and Sen. Estes Kefauver.

Crump had supported McKellar and Clement.

McKellar, chairman of the powerful Appropriations Committee, began his Senatorial career in 1916 after serving three terms in the House.

Gore, whose Congressional District was eliminated when the state was redistricted last year, contented.

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City Offices Up For Nov. 4 Vote

While interest has centered in the national political picture, Roseburg will have an election of its own, on the same date as the general election, Nov. 4.

To be elected will be a mayor and councilmen from Wards 3 and 4.

City Manager W. A. Gilchrist announced that Saturday, Aug. 30, is the deadline for the filing of candidates for city position. This date is 65 days prior to the election.

The positions open will be that of Mayor Albert G. Miel, and Councilmen Jack Hart and William Adair, from Ward 3, and Harrison Winston and Dr. Byron Woodruff, Ward 4.

All except Woodruff are completing terms to which they were elected. Woodruff was appointed recently to fill a vacancy on the council. None has signified his intention to run for reelection.

The mayor is elected every two years. The councilmen every four years. Their terms are staggered, so that four of the eight councilmen take office every two years. Holdover councilmen include Bernard Saar and Frank Ashley, Ward 1, and Cecil Hugh and Gordon Harness, Ward 2. Harness is a recent appointee to fill a vacancy.

WOMAN DRIVER HURT

Mrs. David Fink, Umpqua Ave., suffered a deep cut on her forehead Thursday when a tow rope broke and the truck she was driving ran off the road. Her husband, driving the truck in front, was uninjured.

Mrs. Fink was treated at Community Hospital.

Cascade Area Near Seattle Tragedy Spot

E. W. Cleveland, Noted Executive, One Victim; Fire Burns 2 Bodies

SEATTLE (AP) — A plane crash in a rugged Cascade Mountain area late Thursday killed two women and a pilot who was identified almost positively as one of the nation's pioneer aviators.

The victims were believed to be E. W. Cleveland, 62, of Cleveland, O., his wife, Lucille, and his secretary, Mrs. Annabelle Elmslie, 43.

The light plane crashed when fog trapped it on a flight from Spokane to Renton, outside Seattle. It crashed and burned near Mount Baldy, about 30 miles southeast of Seattle, in a wilderness area close to twice that distance by highway and back roads.

A sheriff's party radioed from the isolated scene late Thursday night that the pilot and one woman were burned almost beyond recognition. The other woman was thrown clear.

The dead pilot had a cigarette lighter with the initials "E.W.C." on it. The burned plane was a Beechcraft, the type Cleveland was flying.

Charles S. Chester, state director of aeronautics, attributed the tragedy to "flying in adverse weather." Another small plane crashed in the same area but the pilot walked away safely.

Cleveland was a vice president of the Cleveland Pneumatic Tool Co., vice president and a director of the Electronic Research Corp., and founder and part owner of the Aero Engineering Co.

Cleveland made his first flight at the age of 21 at Hammondport, N. Y.

The flight, in a single-seater pusher type plane, was unauthorized and Cleveland recalled, "I was fired when I landed."

The three were on a vacation.

Price Ceilings Fixed For Refuse Mill Wood

WASHINGTON (AP) — Dollars and cents ceilings for refuse mill wood produced in the Columbia River district of Washington and Oregon were announced by the Office of Price Stabilization Thursday.

The agency said effective Aug. 13 the ceilings f.o.b. mill will be \$4.35 per cord for fir and \$5.215 for hemlock.

Included are sawmill slabs, edgings, trimmings and blocks suitable for making pulpwood chips. The ceilings apply in five Washington counties and 12 Oregon counties, all in the Columbia River district.

SALEM (AP) — A 30-day quarantine on importation into Oregon of hogs from areas in which vesicular exanthema is known to exist was decreed Thursday by Director of Agriculture E. L. Peterson and approved by Gov. Douglas McKay.

Outbreak of the disease in importations of swine from the mid-west have resulted in federal quarantines against two Oregon counties, Multnomah and Marion. The state has placed the temporary ban on shipments into Oregon to prevent further introduction of the disease, Peterson said.

Buses Seized Because Owner Evades Taxes

PORTLAND (AP) — Buses operated by the North Parkrose line were seized Wednesday by the federal Bureau of Internal Revenue for failure to pay social security and withholding taxes.

A spokesman for Hugh H. Earle, internal revenue collector, said the company had failed to pay \$2,700 to \$3,000 in taxes since 1949.

Five buses and a passenger car were seized, leaving many residents without transportation to suburban Parkrose. The spokesman said Frank A. Cienaghan, line owner, had been warned many times to pay the taxes. Cienaghan said he was opposed to them.

Drain To Vote On Bonds For Grade School Job

A proposed \$50,000 bond issue will go before Drain School District 22 voters Aug. 18 to secure additional funds which with to complete rooms being added to the Drain Grade School building.

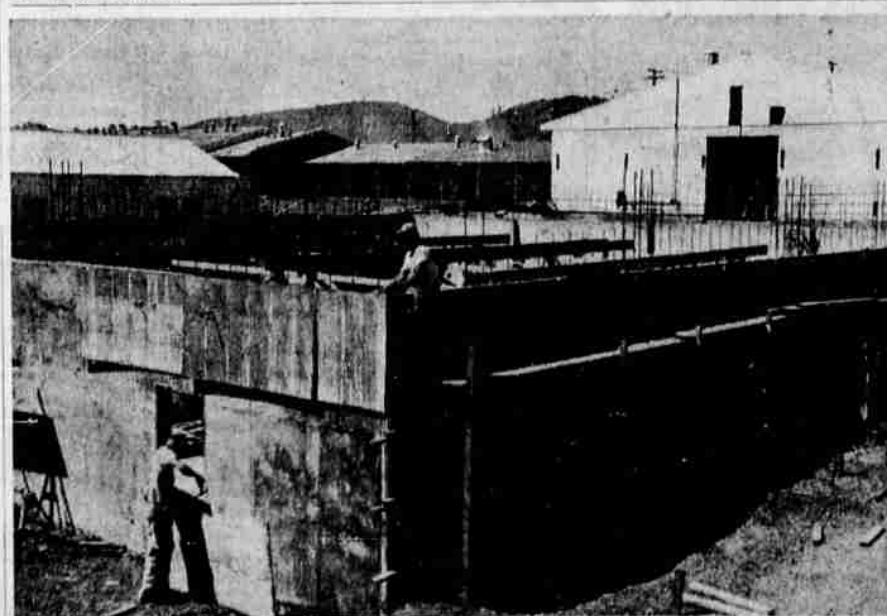
Funds for the additional classrooms were to be secured through a special levy, but this money was not sufficient.

The measure states the funds will be used to acquire, construct, repair, equip and furnish school buildings or additions and to acquire real property.

Levy Fact Rant

By L. F. Reizenstein

Asteria has delayed the opening of its schools to allow the kids to take part in the annual salmon derby. Better to let them play with hooks than play hooky.



RIVERSIDE'S NEW GYMNASIUM building is rapidly taking shape. A multi-purpose structure, the school addition will house a combination gym-auditorium on the top floor, with a cafeteria in the basement. The addition, expected to be completed before school starts, is attached to the southeast end of the regular classroom building. Cost of the new work is \$133,502. S. Ferche of St. Helens is the contractor. (Picture by Paul Jenkins)