

STUDENTS MAROONED ON MT. HOOD SLOPE

MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR

By Paul Jenkins



BOB FORD of Lookingglass is fast on his feet - he ran down a coyote. It's true the coyote wasn't a very big one - about two months old, perhaps - but then, you try running one down some time. If you can find one.

Bob found his while logging on the Dyser ranch west of Lookingglass. He almost fell over two pups and managed to corner one in a jam of logs. The mother, he said, came close and, with a simulated limp, attempted to attract his attention to her, but Bob didn't feel equal to trying to run her down.

Now that he has the pup he's sorry for it and doesn't wish to kill it; but feels it would be a dirty trick on his sheep-owning neighbors if he didn't.

Sec. Stevens States Time Is Rough, But He Hasn't Considered Turning Back

WEST POINT, N.Y. (AP) — Secretary of the Army Robert T. Stevens said today he has a "rough" time but has never considered turning back from his job.

Without mentioning directly his dispute with Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.), he made unmistakable allusions to it in an address prepared for commencement exercises at the U. S. Military Academy.

He said he has served the Army three times, twice as an officer in the two world wars, now as secretary of the Army. Then he commented:

"This task to which the President called me has not been an easy one."

"The going has been pretty rough some times, so rough that it taxes one's endurance, but I have not for a moment regretted that I undertook it, nor once considered turning back."

Still without backgrounding his comments, Stevens told the cadets he would do everything in his power to make certain that "every one of you is respected and honored during his service," then added:

"Your rights as individuals are previous to me, and you shall bear no scars from unwarranted attack or abuse suffered during my tenure of office."

The trigger for the bitter public quarrel between McCarthy and Gerretsen officials was an Army accusation that Brig. Gen. Ralph W. Zwicker had been abused during an appearance as a witness in McCarthy's investigation of alleged subversion in the service.

Bill Gerretsen, delegate to the National Council of Boy Scouts of America held in Washington, D. C., recently, is on his way home.

Walt Smith, chief executive for the Douglas Fir District, said he has received a card from Gerretsen at the close of the convention. Gerretsen reported it a "very inspirational event," adding that there was a wonderful panel of speakers.

Gerretsen said he was planning to visit New York City before returning home. Alton Baker Sr., Eugene, and Chet Farr, Coos Bay, were the other two delegates from the Oregon Trail Council.

Syngman Rhee Criticizes Korean Aid Funds Waste

SEOUL (AP) — President Syngman Rhee today accused the United States of wasting Korean aid funds on "unnecessary administrative expenses" and proposed that he take over the U.S. financed rebuilding program.

Rhee said the ruins of Korean factories "stand gauntly for any one to see, with few signs of reconstruction or rehabilitation despite the millions of dollars that supposedly were earmarked for that purpose."

"China received billions of dollars worth of goods and materials, but most of it was wasted," Rhee declared in an interview. "Who we do not want Korea criticized as China was."

The ROK President criticized

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Ike's Flexible Support Plan Rejected

Ag. Committee Holds To Rigid 90 Per Cent

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rejecting administration proposals for flexible support, the House Agriculture Committee voted Tuesday to recommend continued farm price supports at the present rigid 90 per cent of parity through 1955.

The 90 per cent level would apply to basic farm crops.

In a rebuttal to Secretary of Agriculture Benson, who has campaigned for the flexible supports, the committee voted 21-8 to write the one-year extension into the omnibus farm bill it will present to the House.

Parity is a price declared by law to be fair in relation to the prices farmers must pay for products they buy.

Under existing law, the flexible system of price supports, ranging from 75 to 90 per cent of parity, goes into effect at the end of the 1954 crop year. For an extension of the present 90 per cent of parity system, new legislation is required.

Benson has said he would recommend a presidential veto of the high fixed price level.

The committee's final vote came after several earlier tests on other price support proposals. First, the committee voted 15-14 to accept a proposal by Rep. Cooley (D-NC) for a three-year extension of the 90 per cent high support program.

Then it submitted for this an amendment by Rep. Belcher (R-Okl.) which called for 90 per cent supports next year and then a gradual reduction by not more than five per cent a year until it got down to 75 per cent of parity in 1958.

This was carried 15-14, but lost 19-9 when a proposal was made to write it into the committee bill.

Umpqua Timber Tracts Are Sold

Two North Umpqua tracts of timber were sold by the U.S. Forest Service in Roseburg Monday for a total of \$424,616.50.

Winning bidders were Roseburg Lumber Co. and North Umpqua Timber Co.

The sale to Roseburg Lumber involved 28,400,000 board feet of timber in the Little River drainage area about 50 miles east of Roseburg. The timber went at the appraised price of \$121,421.50, with the value by species set at \$4.10 per thousand for Douglas fir, \$24.55 for pine and \$1.40 for hemlock and other species.

The other tract is in the Steamboat area about 45 miles east of Roseburg. The 18,700,000 board feet of timber was appraised at \$122,070, with species appraised at \$3.70 for Douglas fir, \$27.40 for pine and \$1 for hemlock and others.

North Umpqua Timber Co. paid \$303,195 for the timber, at a price of \$16.05 for Douglas fir and appraised prices on other species. Other bidders were Steiginger Lumber Co., Camas Valley; Trico Lumber Co., Roseburg; Guerrier Lumber Co., Springfield; Sun Studs Inc., Roseburg, and Martin Bros. Box Co., Oakland.

Camas Valley VFW Will Initiate Next Monday

Several new members will be initiated into the Camas Valley Veterans of Foreign Wars post next Monday at the regular monthly business meeting. Neal King, Myrtle Creek, district commander, is to be present.

The meeting is to be held at 8 p.m. in the Camas Valley School. Members are asked to attend. Cake and coffee will be served.

Hearing Takes Milder Tone In Questioning

WASHINGTON (AP) — Roy M. Cohn testified Tuesday he never heard Secretary of the Army Stevens say anything to indicate "he liked Communists any better than I do."

And Cohn agreed — in response to a suggestion from Army Counsel Joseph N. Welch — that the "government is really in the hands of patriotic individuals" and is "not really in the hands of traitors."

His testimony came at a session of the McCarthy-Army hearings where the predominant mood seemed to be a chastened sense to hold off from the pounding blows of the past weeks of angry exchanges.

In the background were reports of strong sentiment to try to wind up the hearings as quickly as possible.

Recognizing this, Welch told the "Mundt" said he has asked the "Welch" said he wants ample time to cross-examine Sen. McCarthy and Francis P. Carr, staff director for the McCarthy subcommittee.

Chairman Mundt (R-SD) told Welch he wanted to reassure him that "you will be given all the time you want to interrogate witnesses."

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During the luncheon recess, Mundt told reporters he will try to get a showdown Thursday on the question of whether the hearings can be wound up next week.

Mundt said he has asked the principals in the dispute to submit to him by Thursday lists of additional witnesses they want called. He added that he then will call the subcommittee into closed session and ask for an agreement on the number to be called to the stand and on a target date for ending the hearings.

CIO Committee Considers Action

PORTLAND (AP) — A meeting of the CIO Woodworker policy committee Monday called to consider lumber operators' continued refusal to grant a wage increase.

Another meeting is planned, he said, but no date was announced. The union is asking a 12 1/2-cent hourly pay increase. Operators, contending they cannot afford additional costs, have offered to extend present contracts.

AFU unions, in the same situation, last week set June 20 as a strike deadline for negotiations. The CIO has strike authorization but has not recently talked of deadlines.

An employer group, the Lumbermen's Industrial Relations Committee, reported Monday that 13 CIO locals have signed agreements with employers extending present contracts. Some of these agreements provide that any benefits won by future union action will be granted to workers covered by the new agreements.

Umpqua Basin Assn. To Talk Flood Control

Future flood control and zoning plans for Douglas County will be discussed Thursday night at a meeting of the Umpqua Basin Improvement Assn., according to President Ralph Church.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. at Riversdale Grange, and Church said anyone may attend. Scheduled to speak at the meeting are County Judge Carl C. Hill, County Surveyor Ben Irving and J. Haslett Bell of Portland, planning consultant hired by the County Planning Commission.

Also on hand will be O. J. Fett Jr., chairman of the County Planning Commission; Curtis T. Beecher, member of the State Water Resources Committee, and members of the Umpqua Basin Improvement Assn. Zoning Commission.

Sealed Bids Are Asked For Street Improvement

Sealed bids on work to improve Cobb Street in Hult Addition and Hult Second Addition will be received by the Douglas County Court until 10 a.m. June 28.

County Engineer Wally M. Heeter said the work will involve approximately 838 feet of grading and rock, surfaces with two inches of asphalt concrete.

Plans and specifications and full information are available at the engineer's office in the courthouse, Roseburg.

BAND TO REHEARSE

The Roseburg City Band will rehearse at 8 o'clock tonight in the chorus room of Roseburg High School according to Director Wendell Johnson. All members are to attend.

Johnson said tentative plans call for the season's opening concert on June 18.

Dulles States Communists Dragging Feet On Peace While Intensifying War

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State Dulles said Tuesday the Communists were dragging their feet on peace negotiations at Geneva while intensifying their war effort in Indochina. He said this gives the lie to their talk of loving peace.

Dulles told a news conference he thought developments in the discussions at Geneva, on both Korea and Indochina, might come to a head in the near future.

For that reason, he said, he has arranged to spend a minimum amount of time away from Washington on a Western speaking trip beginning Wednesday and may have to further curtail his travel program.

Dulles told reporters the administration has no present plans for asking Congress for authority to intervene in Southeast Asia.

He said the reaction to the Eisenhower administration's call for a united front of Allied nations has not reached the point of general acceptance that would make an appeal to Congress a matter of practical politics.

The United States, he said emphatically, has no intention of dealing with this problem single-handedly — unless the Chinese Communists launch a new military aggression.

Dulles also said on other matters:

1. During the past six months there have been more high level defections from the Soviet Union than ever before in Soviet history. He declined to amplify this comment in any way.

2. Very considerable progress in Dulles' opinion, has been made on narrowing differences between the course of negotiations under way at London.

3. The United States favors a special meeting of the American Republics' foreign ministers to consider measures to deal with the Guatemala situation in which the red-tinged government received arms from Communist Europe. But Dulles said the government is delaying a final decision on what it will do until it hears from other American governments.

Neuberger Slates Two Talks Here

State Sen. Richard L. Neuberger, Democratic candidate for U.S. senator, will speak before the Roseburg Kiwanis Club next Tuesday noon, June 15.

Al Flegel, former Roseburg mayor and local Democratic party official, said the address will be on a non-political subject.

Flegel said Neuberger will also speak that night, but the time and place has not yet been set. The evening session will be a regular Democratic rally at which time a Neuberger-for-senator committee will be formed for Douglas County.

Mrs. Neuberger, a state representative from Multnomah County, will accompany her husband. Local women of the Democratic Party are planning a reception for her at the Roseburg Woman's Club.

Time and place of the evening meeting will be announced later.

LOGGED IN JAIL

An 18-year-old Coquille waitress, Betty Louise Jones, received a 30-day jail sentence when she pleaded guilty to being drunk on a public highway Monday, says District Judge Elmer Baldwin.

She was arrested by state police Saturday.

Non-Commercial Floats For Parade Pay No Fee

Non-commercial organizations will be able to enter the Sheriff's Posse Rodeo parade on the morning of June 16 without posting an entry fee, Charley Blanks, parade chairman, announced today.

He said the Roseburg Boosters Assn., a retail merchants group has picked up the tab for the parade.

Blanks asked that all entries be made by June 12. Entrants now are beginning to sign up, he said.

Paradeers are asked to be at the Jackson Street-East Second Avenue triangle at 9:30 a.m. June 19. The parade will start at 10 a.m.

Logger Fined On Two Counts Here Monday

Ray George Spaur, 40, Remote logger, was fined \$25 on each of two counts Monday when he appeared in municipal court, according to Judge Randolph Slocum.

City police charged him with being drunk on a public street and resisting arrest when they took him in tow Saturday night. Officers said that Spaur took a punch at one of the arresting policemen.

FIREMEN TO MEET

Budget committee and board members of the Winston-Dillard Rural Fire Protection District will meet Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. at the fire hall in Winston.

Plane Drops Supplies To Stranded Men

PORTLAND (AP) — Snow swirled around five college students and two Air Force paramedics Tuesday on the rugged, southeast side of Mt. Hood near the 5,000-foot level. The paramedics were dropped Medical supplies after being stranded on a fishing trip.

Col. Elmer E. McTaggart, operations officer at Portland Air Force Base, took charge of the task of getting the seven men out, with the Forest Service offering the help of experienced mountain men.

Although the two men who dropped Monday had portable radio equipment, it was not possible to get a plane into the air near them Tuesday because of severe icing. For that reason, no one was exactly sure what route out was planned.

On any route the men—and the lost fishermen were presumed to be exceedingly tired—have deep snow to buck. Much of it is old, but a heavy new blanket has fallen since the five headed into the Badger Lake area Saturday. It was thought they would need help of a weasel or similar snow tractor.

The five, all students at the University of Oregon Dental School, are Kenneth Berg, Eriel Hinds, James Pinardi and John Say of Portland, and Robert Patton of Salem. With them are T. Sgt. Francis Dawdy and T. Sgt. Charles Abbott of McChord Air Force Base.

The aircrews were dropped after a National Guard plane crew spotted the five who wrote "food" in the snow. Food, sleeping bags and stoves were dropped with the two paramedics, both of whom are trained in survival procedures.

Mrs. E. Pryor, Route Carrier, Hurt In Crash

A News-Review motor route carrier, Mrs. Esther Pryor of Camas Valley, was in Community Hospital today with multiple injuries received in an accident Monday evening.

The woman received a compound fracture of the knee, lacerations on her face and hands, a dislocated thumb, mangled finger and possible internal injuries. Hospital officials said her condition is very good.

The accident occurred in Upper Camas along the Coquille River when she lost control of her car on the slick highway. Mrs. William Cunningham, Camas Valley correspondent, said she was hurt in a two-car collision near the Tye Mill south of Sutherlin on Highway 99.

State police said Storm received bad cuts on his left ear and head in the accident. Stitches were required, and Storm spent the night in a hospital.

Officers said Storm's Mitchell Bros. truck jackknifed on a sharp turn on the wet highway. The vehicle slid across the highway and was struck by a Barrow & Son log truck driven by Bert Arndt, Sanders, CV Star Rt. Box 161.

Sanders was not hurt. Extensive damage was done to the trucks. Storm's truck was headed north.

Two Cleaning Businesses Are Broken Into Monday

Two Roseburg cleaning establishments were broken into sometime last night, but city police said a preliminary check showed only a few rolls of pennies taken from one.

Officers said they think break-ins at Umpqua Cleaners, 231 N. Main St., and New Method Cleaners, 217 E. Douglas St., occurred sometime after 11 p.m. Monday. The cash was stolen from a cash drawer at New Method Cleaners. Entry, in both cases, was made by breaking windows.

Christmas Tree Farming Demonstration Slated

A Christmas tree farming demonstration will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. on the George Thompson farm near Elkhead, according to Ed Gildea, county extension forster.

The farm is located on the Yonah-Elkhead Road.

Discussions and demonstrations will be held on methods for high production per acre, including pruning and shearing. The public is invited.

ATTENDS CONFERENCE

Dr. B. A. Smith, Roseburg, attended a tri-district meeting of the Oregon Assn. of Chiropractic Physicians, held in Grants Pass Saturday and Sunday.

Levy Fact Rant

By L. F. Reizenstein

Russia's answer to all accusations of instigating world turmoil and scuttling efforts for peace may be summarized in two words: "So what!"

The Weather

Mostly cloudy with scattered showers this afternoon and tonight. Wednesday, partly cloudy and a little warmer.

Highest temp. last 24 hours 66
Lowest temp. last 24 hours 46

Highest temp. any June 106
Lowest temp. any June 35

Precip. last 24 hours .28
Precip. from June 1 .45

Excess from Sept. 1 35.86
Excess from Sept. 1 6.75

Sunset tonight 7:51 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow 4:33 a.m.