

DULLES SAYS U. S. COULD VETO RED CHINA



MANY-TIME DONORS — Two Roseburg couples who are high on the list of blood donors in this area are Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ott, left, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schmeer. The Schmeers each are on their third gallon, the Otts have completed one gallon each in their support of the vital program. One local donor, Gene Powell, was turned down when he went to give his 16th pint because he had been giving too often. Other gallon-pin winners are Mrs. Ruth Bolton and Ruth Ricks. On second gallon are Mrs. Rena Lewis, Mrs. Belle Crenshaw, Mrs. Nettie Hallcraft, Mrs. Florence Kenworthy, Albert McDonald and Mrs. Ethel Roseland. The Red Cross bloodmobile will be at the Roseburg Elks Lodge again Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs. Walter Britell, county recruitment chairman, asks that people donate whether they have an appointment or not. (Picture By Paul Jenkins).

Appeals Court Upholds Dismissal Of Charges Against Lattimore

By KARL R. BAUMAN
WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. Court of Appeals Thursday upheld, 8-1, dismissal of the main count of the perjury indictment against Owen Lattimore—that he lied in denying he was a Communist sympathizer or a promoter of Red causes.



The court reinstated by a 5-4 vote two more counts which a district court judge had thrown out when the controversial Far East specialist was called to trial. But these two were accusations which attorneys had treated as side issues.

U. S. Military Attache En Route From Moscow

MOSCOW (AP) — Lt. Col. Howard L. Felchlin, assistant U.S. military attache expelled by the Soviet government, left for Berlin today with U.S. Ambassador Charles E. Bohlen in the latter's personal plane.

In The Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS
The long Fourth of July holiday turned out to be less grim and bloody than was officially expected. At the moment of writing this, only 348 people lost their lives, 1 forget what the official forecast was, but it was considerably larger than 348.

Let's put it this way: You can't accurately predict a state of mind, and the bulk of our traffic fatalities result from a state of mind. If all drivers paid strict attention to their business—which, while they are at the wheel, is DRIVING—there would be very few fatal accidents.

Sir Winston Churchill arrived in Southampton, where the Queen Elizabeth docks. Even before the big Queen got into port he had used the ship-to-shore phone to (Continued on page Four)

The Weather

Sunny and warmer this afternoon. Fair tonight and Friday.
Highest temp. last 24 hours 75
Lowest temp. last 24 hours 54
Highest temp. any July 109
Lowest temp. any July 40
Precip. last 24 hours 0
Precip. from July 1 36.46
Excess from Sept. 1 8.40
Sunset tonight, 7:55 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow, 4:41 a.m.

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Police Rounding Up Kidnap Suspects

30 Questioned In Murder Of 7-Year-Old Girl

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—Moving swiftly to crack the brutal kidnap-murder of 7-year-old Judith Ann Roberts, homicide detectives grilled more than 30 men during the night and early today and reported "very good leads."

Still to be questioned were about 40 more known sex perverts and child molesters rounded up since the body of the blue-eyed child was found yesterday, within sight of Miami's City Hall.

"We will work around the clock until this vicious slayer is in jail," said Detective Lt. Chester Eldredge, head of the homicide bureau, who is directing the investigation.

Judith Ann, daughter of a Baltimore lawyer and labor leader, was raped and murdered and her body left in a palm-tree thicket off fashionable South Bayshore Drive, a few miles south of downtown Miami.

Five hours earlier she had been taken in her sleep from the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rosenberg, about 2 1/2 miles away, strangled by a man in the head and criminally assaulted. A night gown had been ripped from her body.

One piece of the garment and a handkerchief were tied tightly around her throat. What appeared to be a venetian blind cord held her hands behind her back. Her eyes were swollen shut.

The victim's 3-year-old sister Betty told police in the presence of a reporter that a "colored man" had talked to her and Judith on the street Tuesday. A neighbor said she saw two Negro gardeners who worked at the Rosenbergs talking to the children on several occasions.

Stiff Penalties Meted To Four Puerto Ricans

WASHINGTON (AP)—Four Puerto Rican terrorists who shot up the House of Representatives March 1 and wounded five of its members were given maximum prison sentences Thursday ranging up to 75 years.

A fiery brunette, Lolita Lebron, 34, self-styled leader of the group, received a sentence of from 16 years, 8 months, to 50 years.

Her three male companions received sentences of from 25 to 75 years each.

District Judge Alexander Holtzoff said he felt maximum sentences were justified because the crime was "so heinous, so atrocious as to shock the conscience of the nation."

The longer sentences for the three men resulted from the fact that a jury convicted them last month on five charges each of assault with intent to kill and five charges each of assault with a dangerous weapon.

Before hearing their sentences, the four Puerto Ricans protested anew that they merely staged a demonstration in behalf of Puerto Rican independence, and did not intend to kill anyone.

Eleanor Carpenter won the \$300 fifth prize and a 21-inch table model television set.

Other winners from the county were: Mrs. E. P. Johnson, Winston, \$25; Violet Johnston, Reedsport, \$10; Lavola Bakken, Ideley Park, \$5; Patricia Dye, Days Creek, \$5; Mrs. R. H. Williams, Milo, \$5; George Beecroft, Sutherlin, \$5; Mrs. Sarah R. Parker, Roseburg, \$5; Robert L. Gordon, Myrtle Creek, \$5; John W. McDonald, Myrtle Creek, \$5; Mrs. J. D. Myers, Roseburg, \$5; Mrs. A. V. Mohr, Glendale, \$5; Mrs. B. A. Serfling, Gardiner, \$5.

Rural Letter Carriers Meet To Start Friday

The annual convention of the Oregon Rural Letter Carriers Assn. will get under way at the Hotel Umpqua in Roseburg Friday, with registration of delegates from throughout the state scheduled at 2:30 p.m.

A joint session of the association and auxiliary is scheduled at 7 p.m., with Mayor Percy Croft giving a welcoming speech. Lloyd Johnson of Ashland is state president, and Mrs. Ruth Rhodes of Eugene is auxiliary president. Her husband, Frank Rhodes, is convention chairman.

Committee meetings will be held later in the evening Friday, with a dinner scheduled at 5 p.m.

Saturday's activities will start with a 7:15 a.m. breakfast at the hotel. At 9 a.m., joint business sessions are slated. Several short talks and other activities will fill out the morning.

Separate association and auxiliary sessions will start at 1:30 p.m., after a noon luncheon.

Wayne Crook will be toastmaster for a 6:30 banquet that evening. The convention will end Sunday after an 8 a.m. breakfast and farewell.

Among those due to make short talks during the two-day affair is Roseburg Postmaster Clyde Carstens.

E.K. Wood Co. To Close Down Roseburg Plant

After nearly 10 years of production, the Roseburg plant of E. K. Wood Lumber Co. is discontinuing operations effective immediately, according to Don Baxter, general manager of the mill.

Baxter emphasized that the decision was not made because of current labor difficulties. He said a change in California operations and discontinuance of so many small mills in this area prompted the decision.

The local plant was entirely a remanufacturing operation. The company also has a mill at Scottsburg and eight yards in California. They are not affected.

About 35 men are affected by the decision to close the mill, Baxter said, although the plant employed 100 men at its peak of production.

It will take about three to six months to liquidate local holdings, the manager said, and the office will be open during that time. There has been no decision yet as to whether the plant will be dismantled.

The mill was constructed in 1944, being opened in 1945. It is about four miles south of Roseburg on Highway 99.

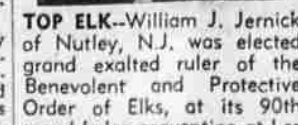
The general office of the company is in San Francisco.

Stokely-Van Camp Buys Pictsweet Interests

MOUNT VERNON, Wash. (AP)—Pictsweet Foods, Inc., and Stokely-Van Camp, Inc., of Indianapolis, have merged through purchase of a controlling interest in Pictsweet by the eastern firm, it was announced here Wednesday.

Pictsweet has plants in Washington, Oregon, California and Florida. Its brand name will continue and Pictsweet will continue to head the frozen foods division of the larger firm, officials said.

The consideration involved in the transaction was not disclosed.



TOP ELK—William J. Jernick of Nutley, N.J., was elected grand exalted ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, at its 90th grand lodge convention at Los Angeles. The 53-year-old corporation executive was installed at the closing session of the convention Thursday morning. He succeeds Earl E. James of Oklahoma City.

Murder Count Now Charged Against Arbenz

GUATEMALA (AP)—Charges of murder and mismanagement mounted today against ousted President Jacobo Arben Guzman. The latest accusation sought to tag him with the 1949 slaying of his arch political rival—armed forces chief Col. Francisco Javier Arana.

In a move paving the way for Arbenz' arrest should he leave the country, a tribunal of the ousted president's political enemies charged him with the assassination.

Arbenz and leaders of his regime already face assorted charges of murder, torture and looting. In addition, the junta is trying to find out what happened to a million dollars which Arbenz' treasurer, Roberto Garcia Ortiz, said he turned over to the short-lived military regime which succeeded the leftist President.

Palacios blamed the Arana slaying on Arbenz and his agrarian department chief, Maj. Alfonso Martinez, who pushed through the Communist-backed regime's disputed land reforms.

Both Arbenz, who was then defense minister, and Arana had been considered strong possibilities to succeed President Juan Jose Arevalo, who was not permitted by the Constitution to run again. Arana was considered the more popular of the two.

Arana was machine-gunned at a nearby resort in July 1949, touching off a bloody army revolt, in which Arbenz led the pro-Arevalo army faction.

Drunken Driving Cases Handled In Justice Court

Thereon Henry Martin, 48, of Rt. 1, Box 1925, Roseburg, was released from the Douglas County jail Wednesday after pleading guilty to a drunken driving charge and paying a \$250 fine, reports District Judge Elmer Baldwin.

He was arrested Wednesday by state police.

Another driver who admitted being drunk while piloting a car was John Clinton Liggett Jr., 21, Westlake, reports Reedsport Justice of Peace Robert Goodwin. Liggett is being held in the Douglas County jail in lieu of payment of a \$200 fine levied against him.

Liggett pleaded guilty to the charge Tuesday and was fined on failure of payment of the fine; he was sentenced to serve 100 days in jail. He was arrested last week by state police.

Two other men were in jail Wednesday after admitting other drunk charges.

Clarence George Kern, 38, Sutherlin, paid a \$25 fine and was released after pleading guilty to being drunk on a public highway, reports Justice of Peace Clarence Leonard, Drain. He was arrested by state police Tuesday.

Albert Arthur Hudson, 39, Rocky Point, started a seven day sentence, states Judge Baldwin. He pleaded guilty to being drunk on a public highway after his arrest by state police Wednesday.

United Fund Ponders Full-Time Employee

It is expected that a new full-time worker with the United Fund organization will be announced at the Friday night meeting of the board of directors at the Chamber of Commerce office in Roseburg.

The announcement was made today by Executive Secretary Mona Hult.

Also on the agenda for the 8 p.m. meeting will be the discussion of a new office for the U.F. To be present for the meeting will be James Shelton and R. D. Durham, representatives of the Oregon Chest.

Cominform Gives Backing To Unrest In Tunisia

VIENNA (AP)—The Cominform has given its full support to the current anti-French unrest in Tunisia and predicted that the struggle against French colonialism would be intensified.

In the last issue of its weekly publication, For a Lasting Peace, for a People's Democracy, a writer for the Communist international propaganda organization attacked "measures of a virtually military character taken against the Tunisian people by the French colonialists."

Optimistic Note Expressed At Oil Developers' Meeting

Optimism was still at a peak today after another progress meeting of the newly-incorporated Community Oil and Gas Inc. and the pioneering Oil Developers Inc. Wednesday night.

The meeting at the American Legion Hall in Roseburg drew about 30 people. They were told that the money-raising campaign would begin in Douglas County soon.

Oil Developers President H. V. Sullivan sounded the keynote of the meeting with the statement it was "time to stop talking and go to work."

The two local companies, which are working hand in glove in an effort to strike oil in the county, will sell shares in the venture at \$100 each. They hope to raise \$100,000 to finance drilling of a well across from the Melrose School west of Roseburg.

It was reported that almost all the groundwork has been laid for raising the money and contracting a driller. All the land necessary in the Lookingglass-Melrose area, "except a few

Oil Developers Inc. and Community Gas and Oil Inc. have set up temporary offices at the Rose Hotel, according to President H. V. Sullivan. The telephone number is 2-1252.

Windows," have been leased, according to Geologist Les Childs. (He said leases have been taken on a little over 20,000 acres in the area.) And all the geologic work has been done, Childs said.

The companies' attorney Jim Richmond said he has received the stock sale permit from the state corporation commissioner. The permit is based on the regular state office's policy of "de-

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Goodyear Rubber Plant Tied Up

CINCINNATI (AP)—The first nationwide strike in the history of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. began Thursday, after a breakdown of contract negotiations with the CIO United Rubber Workers Union.

Both union and management negotiators said 23,000 employees in plants in 10 cities are affected. Goodyear said it offered a five cent an hour pay increase, but the union called the offer "inadequate."

Paul Bower, who headed the 10 member union team in the contract talks, said strategy to be employed in the strike was considered Thursday morning.

"We were prepared to meet again with the company representatives, but they did not appear," he said, adding he understood they left by plane for Akron at mid-morning.

"We also plan to leave Cincinnati shortly," Bowers said.

Gen. Curtis Beecher Elected Republican Committee Head

Brig. Gen. Curtis T. Beecher (Ret.), Winston, was elected chairman of the Douglas County Republican Central Committee at an organizational dinner meeting in the Hotel Umpqua Wednesday night.

Eugene A. Springer, Roseburg, retiring chairman, was not a candidate for re-election.

Another notable retirement was that of Mrs. Roy O. Young of Roseburg. She retired as county vice chairman after 16 years of service. She has been succeeded by Thomas C. Hartfield, a Roseburg attorney.

Other officers elected at Wednesday night's session were: Gordon Carlson, Roseburg, alternate chairman; Mrs. Alice Corbett, Tiller, alternate vice chairman; Mrs. Arthur Marsh, Lookingglass, re-elected secretary; F. L. Thompson, Sutherlin, treasurer; Henry Goodmanson, Drain, re-elected congressional committeeman; and Frances Hedden, Elkton, congressional committeewoman.

Included in the executive committee are the members of the nominating committee. They are: Charles Hedden, Elkton; Robert Hansen, Sutherlin; V. Vivian Logsdon, Roseburg; Glenn Riddle, Tri-City; and Cliff Thornton, Roseburg. Gordon Smith, Roseburg, was re-affirmed as finance chairman.

Dist. Atty. Robert Studis and Dep. Dist. Atty. Warren Woodruff were in Salem today to attend the second annual Institute for District Attorneys.

The institute will last through today, Friday and Saturday.

Move Seen Alternate To Withdrawal

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of State Dulles said Thursday the United States would use its veto if necessary, to keep Red China out of the U.N. Security Council.

Dulles expressed complete confidence the Red China regime would be unable to gain admittance at the fall session to any of the principal U.N. organizations, including the assembly.

At a news conference, Dulles denounced the Peiping regime for flouting the United Nations in Korea, supporting the Communist in Indo-China and generally failing to fulfill international obligations.

Dulles said firmly, in answer to questions, he did not believe there would be any occasion for the United States to withdraw from the United Nations if Red China is admitted, as Sen. Knowland (R-Calif.) has proposed.

Talk of pulling out of the United Nations, he said, strikes a note of defeatism which is entirely unjustified because the United States and like-minded countries have a powerful case for blocking Red China's membership.

President Eisenhower said he is "completely and unalterably opposed under the present situation to admission of Red China to the United Nations."

His stand was believed to have warded off likelihood of any early Senate action to put Congress on record with formal notice of American withdrawal if Red China should be admitted, as suggested by Knowland.

Knowland himself has been cooling on the idea and Sen. George (D-Ga.) said in an interview he does not now expect such a proposal to be offered.

George, who is senior Democrat on the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, said he would oppose such a move because it "might deprive us of freedom of action at a critical time."

Judge Cancels Insurance Policy On Fraud Claim

Circuit Judge Pro Tem Barnett Goldstein has issued a decree from the Douglas County Circuit Court cancelling an insurance policy.

The suit requesting the cancellation of the policy was entered by Prudential Insurance Co. of America against Helen E. Staley and Floyd E. Bergholm.

In his facts and findings, Judge Goldstein called the policy "void for fraudulent misrepresentation by Philip Staley." The court demanded the policy be turned over to the court clerk for cancellation.

The plaintiff was ordered to pay \$216.15 as the amount paid on premiums. The defendants were enjoined from further action.

Goldstein related that the policy was applied for by Staley Oct. 30, 1951. He applied for a \$300,000 policy. He said it was misrepresented because Staley had been treated for "acute alcoholism" in 1950, had arthritis and had been treated for it. Goldstein said Staley had denied any of these in applying for the policy.

Continuing with his facts and findings, Goldstein said that when the plaintiff company learned of the misrepresentation, it rescinded the policy, but the defendant wouldn't take the premium payments back, contending the policy was valid. Staley died in Portland Feb. 22, 1952.

The beneficiary listed on the policy was Bergholm. Mrs. Staley had been named in the complaint because of a previous error in which she was named beneficiary.

Two Fires Reported In Winston Tuesday

Fire Chief Robert Nichols reports two fires in the Winston area Tuesday, one of which involved a car.

Nichols said a car belonging to Leonard Jester caught fire while Mrs. Jester and four children were in it. Mrs. Jester got the children out of the car, and fought the blaze with a wet blanket. The fire was almost extinguished when firemen arrived. Mrs. Jester suffered minor burns on her arm.

The other blaze was a grass fire near Melody Inn. Firemen report the fire was quickly brought under control and damage was minor.

Joan Mary Washington Jailed In Lieu Of Fine

Joan Mary Washington, 22, Siletz, is being held in the Douglas County jail today in lieu of \$250 fine payments, reports Reedsport Justice of Peace Robert Goodwin.

She was fined Tuesday after her arrest last week by Reedsport police. She pleaded guilty to drunken driving and was sentenced to serve 30 days in jail or pay a \$200 fine. She also pleaded guilty to being drunk in a public place and parole violation and was sentenced to serve 25 days or pay a \$50 fine, Goodwin said.

Levy Fact Rant

By L. F. Reizenstein
Ouster by the U. S. of three attaches of the Soviet embassy for spying furnishes powerful ammunition for Senator Joe McCarthy's anti-Red crusade.