

First Class Mail By Air Program To Be Expanded

WASHINGTON, D. C. — The Civil Aeronautics Board Tuesday approved adding several West Coast cities to its experimental program of moving first class mail by air.

The board offered American, Northwest, TWA, United and Western airlines a temporary rate of 18.98 cents a ton mile for carrying 3-cent-letter mail. West Coast Airlines previously was authorized to carry such mail, on a space available basis, between several Northwest cities.

Cities proposed for the expanded program are Seattle, Portland, Salem, Bend, Redmond, Eugene, Medford and Klamath Falls, Ore.; San Francisco, Oakland, Sacramento, Stockton, Modesto, Merced, Salinas, Fresno, Visalia, Bakersfield, Los Angeles, San Diego and Long Beach, Calif.

If no objections are filed, the CAB proposal will become effective within 15 days. The Post Office Department has asked permission to get the new service going well ahead of the Christmas mail rush.

LOCAL NEWS

Correction — Winston - Dillard Toastmasters Club will not meet tonight as stated, and Tuesday's News-Review, but will meet next Wednesday.

River Property Use Brings Court Suits

Russell J. and Eva K. Hubbard have filed suit in Douglas County Circuit Court against Umpqua River Navigation Co., and the man, by himself, has filed another suit for \$18,200.

According to the complaints, the actions grew out of use of some land along the Umpqua River near Reedsport.

The couple alleges their property has been used by the company the last six years to maintain piles of sand and gravel and operate large trucks and loaders. They figure the use should be worth \$300 per month.

The man alleges some property leased to the defendant, now being purchased from the City of Reedsport by the plaintiff, has been used without payment of rent. The property includes a river dock, spur railroad track, oil tank and derrick. He claims the company owes \$200 per month for use of the property.

CANDY SALE BEGINS

The annual Camp Fire candy sale begins today, with Camp Fire and Bluebird girls selling the chocolate covered mints. In Glendale, the sales chairman is Mrs. L. N. Roberts, who will distribute candy to each leader for her group. Anyone wishing additional information concerning the sales in the Glendale area may contact any of the leaders or Mrs. M. R. Weaver, chairman of the Glendale Leader Assn.

Quicksilver Mining Interest Heightening

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Brown states. The county locations are in the southern part. Brown envisions a 100-ton operation at the old Red Cloud mine near the county line. He thinks the old mine can sustain a furnace which will handle 100 tons of ore each 24 hours. (The ore heated and the mercury is "distilled" out of it.)

Besides several likely large mines, Brown believes there are several spots in Douglas County which would pay off with the use of small hillside retorts.

He doesn't know just when quicksilver production might start at any of the mines he has under option, but it will be "a big operation when we do start."

Up to now, there is only one commercial mercury mine operating in the county. That is the Bonanza mine east of Sutherlin.

Lack Of Escort For Big Plane Puzzles Pentagon

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Pentagon officials professed puzzlement today over why a jet fighter escort did not go along with a photo bomber shot down by Soviet MiGs off northern Japan last weekend.

Spokesmen said the Far East Command long has had authority to provide "cover" for mapping and weather planes on missions where trouble could arise. Such escorts are used frequently, they added.

But military sources said they were unable to explain why jet fighters did not accompany the RB29 assigned to an aerial mapping job over northern Japan, close to Russian-held Sakhalin Island and the Kuriles. Fighter protection subsequently was provided for a second photo bomber which completed the mission.

Eleven men parachuted from the stricken ship. Ten lived, but one man became entangled in his chute and drowned. The United States has demanded reparations from the Russians, but the Soviet Union has fired back a counter-charge that the Red planes were fired upon first. The U.S. fliers have denied they fired at any time.

NO OBJECTIONS

No objections were entered at a hearing this week over establishment of a Newton Creek Road District by the Douglas County Court. Plans will now proceed in setting up the taxing unit for the purpose of maintaining roads in the area where many new homes have been built recently.

MASONS ENTERTAIN

The Glendale Masonic Lodge will entertain members of the Eastern Star Thursday night. Ruden Smith of Grants Pass will show pictures of bull fights which he took on a recent trip to Mexico.



ATTEND COUNTY 4-H MEET—Douglas County 4-H leaders met Tuesday in Roseburg. Special speakers included Mrs. Winnifred Gillen, state leader from OSC (left) and Miss Hattie Mae Rhonemus, Lane County 4-H agent (right). Others pictured are Miss Jane Gates, Douglas County 4-H agent (standing) and Mrs. B. H. Campbell, Roseburg camp cookery leader and her daughter Susan, Douglas County 4-H agent Frank von Borstel stands in background. (Paul Jenkins Photo)

Dora M. Hudson Funeral Friday

Funeral services for Dora Maye Hudson, who lived in Drain since 1949, will be held in the First Baptist Church, Drain, Friday at 10 a.m. Mrs. Hudson died Monday in a Cottage Grove hospital at the age of 61.

She was born Dora Maye Dunlap Jan. 17, 1883, near Camden, Ark., moving to Long Beach, Calif., in 1929. She came to Drain in 1949, living there and in Cherry Grove, Ore., since.

Mrs. Hudson was a member of the First Baptist Church of Cherry Grove. She was married at Delark, Ark., to Hugh E. Hudson on May 5, 1911. Besides her husband, she is survived by two sons and three daughters: Carroll D. Hudson and Marianne Weaver, both of Drain; Hugh E. Hudson Jr., Cherry Grove; Mary Howard Ammerman, Graceville, Minn.; and Ella Vee Wallace, Santa Ana, Calif. Also surviving are 12 grandchildren; three brothers, Claude and Doyle Dunlap of Arkansas and Lon Dunlap of Long Beach; and three sisters, Mrs. H. C. Ogden and Mrs. D. J. Daniels of Norwalk, Calif., and Mrs. Beulah McFadden of Iowa City, Iowa.

The Rev. Roy Bedwell of Glendale will officiate at the funeral services. Vault entombment will be at 4 p.m. Friday in the Northwest Memorial Gardens in Portland. Mills Funeral Service of Drain is in charge of arrangements.

Kiwanians See Movies Of FFA '54 Convention

Roseburg Kiwanians Tuesday noon were shown movies of the 1954 convention of the Future Farmers of America convention, held last month in Kansas City, Mo. Homer Grow, agriculture instructor in Roseburg High School and local FFA advisor, showed the movie in the Civic Room of the Umpqua Hotel.

KRXL's Gordon Howard entertained club members with four vocal selections.

Services Slated For Riddle Man

Louis (Matt) McKinley Johnston, 54, of Riddle, died Monday in Forest Glen Hospital in Canyonville. Johnston was born at Grass Valley, Jan. 25, 1900. He lived in Lakeview for one and one-half years before moving to Riddle 11 years ago.

He is survived by his wife, Bessie, of Riddle; two sons: George B. and James R., both of Lakeview; a daughter, Mrs. Alvera Parker of Roseburg; two brothers: William H. of Hoquiam, Wash., and Albert of Boring; and five sisters: Mrs. Della Dugger of Centralia, Wash.; Mrs. Tressa Derks, Portland; Mrs. Mae Shelton, Albany; Mrs. Katy Brown, Chico, Calif.; Mrs. Eva Collins, San Francisco, Calif.; and 11 grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 10 a.m. in the Chapel of Ganz Mortuary in Myrtle Creek.

The Rev. Harry Russel of the Myrtle Creek Nazarene Church will officiate. Interment will follow at the Masonic Cemetery in Canyonville.

DANCE, PIE SOCIAL
The Douglas High School Dad's Club Friday evening will sponsor a square dance and pie social to further projects it is working on in support of the school.

The affair will be held at the high school starting at 7:30. Important among the projects is purchase of scenery curtains for the stage.

Societa Corelli Program Varied

A varied program featuring the works of the masters, but stressing the compositions of Arcangelo Corelli, famed Italian composer, will be presented by the Societa Corelli ensemble Thursday at 8:15 p.m. in the Junior High School auditorium.

This first in the series of Roseburg Community Concert Assn. presentation will feature artists Fulvio Montanaro, Anna Scala Maronna, Andrio Casagrande, Alberto Pescetelli, Tito Riccardi, Anselmi Lorenzo, Annita Rizzo and Lina Fagioli. Pettinelli, violin; Frederick Stephany and Renata Bertelli, violas; Nicolò Oliva and Silvano Zuccarini, violoncelli; Antonello Cristofari, piano; and Guido Podesta, contrabass.

The concert includes three adagios from Concerto Grosso in D Minor, Opus 3, No. 3 by Germiniani; four movements from Concerto in E Minor, Opus 14, No. 5 for cello and strings, by Vivaldi; four movements from Corelli's Concerto Grosso in D Major, Opus 8, No. 1.

The second portion of the program includes Introduction, Aria di Presto, Marcello; Sarabanda, Giga Badinerie, Corelli, and three movements from Vivaldi's Concerto in A Minor, Opus 3, No. 8 for violins, strings and piano.

Funeral Services Set For Doris Jean Lane

Funeral services for Doris Jean Lane, 22, who died at San Diego on Nov. 5, will be held in the Chapel of the Roses, Roseburg Funeral Home, Friday, Nov. 12, at 2 p.m.

The Rev. Ellsworth Tilton of the Roseburg First Methodist Church will officiate. Vault interment will follow in Roseburg Memorial Gardens.

COUNTY HEADS CONFER
Josephine County Judge Raymond LaFolop of Grants Pass was in Roseburg one day this week to confer with members of the Douglas County Court on mutual problems.

Sutherlin Woman Dies Monday

Myrtle Edith Duke, 34, died in her home in Sutherlin Monday, following a three-year illness. Mrs. Duke was born Sept. 19, 1920, in Dustin, Okla.

She and her family moved to the state of Washington in 1947. They lived there until 1950 when they moved to Winston. They moved to Sutherlin in June, 1954.

Mrs. Duke was a member of the Baptist Church. She married Harvey Duke April 19, 1939. The couple had two children, Willard and Louise.

Mrs. Duke is survived by her husband and two children; her mother, Mrs. Della White of Dillard; seven brothers: Losson and Jack White, Dillard; Seaborn of White Salmon, Wash.; Wesley of Central Point; Lindsey of Winston; Sidney of The Dalles; and Floyd of Dustin, Okla.; six sisters: Mrs. Carl Mutschler and Mrs. J. T. Mincher, both of Winston; Mrs. Clifford Jones, White Salmon, Wash.; Mrs. Chester East, Dillard; Mrs. Arminia Farley, Salinas, Calif.; and Mrs. Elsie Beyen, Coffeyville, Kans.

Funeral services will be held at the Conservative Baptist Church in Roseburg Thursday at 2 p.m. The Rev. Rice Arnold, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Sutherlin, will officiate.

Parakeets Being Sent For Laboratory Tests

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has issued an order that the parakeets aren't to be removed from the state, Reiersen said. The order may be a death notice for the remainder of the impounded birds.

An anonymous attempt to purchase release of the birds has been responsible for moving location of the impounded parakeets, Reiersen said.

The birds had been placed in the custody of Robert Hallcraft, pet shop owner, and he reported to Roseburg police Monday that someone had offered him \$500 for release of the birds.

Hallcraft had been caring for the birds because of his knowledge of them. Reiersen pointed out that Hallcraft's Bernice's Pet Shop hasn't been involved in the sale of the parakeets, and added that Hallcraft volunteered to care for the birds during their impoundment.

The 20 dead birds were shipped to the virus and rickettsial laboratories of the Communicable Disease Center, U. S. Public Health Service, an agency of the U. S. Dept. of Health.

Meanwhile, three accused still are awaiting arraignment. They are Dorris J. Wymer, 33, Soquel, Calif.; Gerald A. Alexander, 27, Santa Cruz, Calif.; and William R. Visalli, 26, Boise.

Their attorneys are attempting to get similar charges against them in other Oregon cities transferred to Roseburg for district court hearing.

Busy Session's Held By Myrtle Creek Council

Myrtle Creek's city council members spent a busy evening Tuesday adding acreage to the city and considering the purchase of property to add to the present sewage disposal plant.

In addition to accepting the bid of J. H. Beck for the final unit of Myrtle Manor, the council acted to approve the annexation of the W. A. Wirth property on Lillian Street, north of town, to the city. The property constitutes 3.84 acres.

Action was also taken to accept the price of \$7500 for the property of Robert Savage, 4.89 acres, which adjoins the present sewage disposal plant. The property was not purchased, but will be under future consideration for purchase, pending the raising of funds to annex the property for the enlargement of the disposal plant.

Other business included the renewal of all liquor and beverage licenses in the city. A total of nine grocery stores and taverns carry licenses.

Long Time Douglas County Resident Dies

Harriet Angerona Peters, 87, died at a Roseburg hospital Monday.

Miss Peters was born in Tennessee. She came to the Kellogg area as a small child.

She is survived by no immediate relatives, but has numerous nieces and nephews. Graveside services will be held at Kellogg Cemetery Saturday at 2 p.m.

Dr. James Mullar of the First Presbyterian Church of Roseburg will officiate. Stearns and Little Mortuary of Oakland is in charge of arrangements.

FLUE FIRE BURNS OUT

No damage was reported at the Ed Deal's home, 113 N. Flint St., Tuesday morning after a flue fire had burned itself out, Roseburg firemen reported.

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OAKLAND, OREGON

Poultry Adds Importance To Economy Of County

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burg, and packed for shipment to all points in the United States. The most extensive poultry raisers for these famous Oregon turkeys is in the eastern sections.

The hens found on the farms in Douglas County, today, are the direct descendants of a jungle fowl. If one could visit the jungles of India they would still find this hen, living as mother nature intended in her native haunts, just as she did thousands of years ago. She laid 15 to 20 eggs a year, raised her small brood, and figured she was doing right well. But, she had not met man, ruler of plants and animals.

Brought Into The Orient

About 4,000 B. C., wandering nomads captured these jungle fowls. The males were first used for fighting cocks, as a sport. Later, wandering tribes settled in the villages, and raised 'these birds for eggs and meat. After many centuries, traveling caravans brought these hens to the Orient and later to western Europe.

Finally, after centuries of domestication, the hen sailed to America with the colonists, to make for herself an important place in the new world. She was, by this time, the handiwork of man. She was larger and she laid more eggs. She had the dream, however, that the twentieth century would transform her into a veritable egg-machine. She did not realize that man would pick-up a hammer and nails to make for her a trap-nest; that her trap-nest would decide her fate; that man would mark her eggs with a pencil, put them in little wire baskets and wing-band her chicks when they were hatched. There was no way, of course, that this colonist hen could foresee mammoth incubators, scientists studying nutrition, anatomy, physiology and genetics. The hustle and bustle of the twentieth century came, and whisked away the hardy hen, and dropped in her place a rapid-fire egg machine.

Never Has Asked For Help

The passage by the United States House of Representatives of the Jones bill, some years ago, making cattle a basic agricultural commodity to the end that \$200 million dollars of federal funds was made available to the dairy and beef branch of livestock growing, brought measurably nearer, the day when the unassuming hen could stand in the magnificent isolated position as the sole revenue-producing occupant of the farm, in whose behalf it has never been necessary to hoist the signal of financial distress.

The hen belied her setting proclivities, during the depression of the early 30s, by rising to the occasion, and America has been the witness to the spectacle of the humble hen carrying not only her share of the farm burden, but in many instances carrying the farm itself. It is the steady trickle of revenue from her important contribution to the great American breakfast that has provided essential sums to keep many of the agricultural plants in operation.

"Egg money" not only has fed and clothed families in Douglas County and the entire nation, but converted into gasoline, has provided necessary transportation. And, out of the same egg-crate has come the children's school books, garments and shoes. Many of the basic necessities that cannot be grown on the farm have been provided by the efforts of the little hen. Many a rural household has literally been "walking on eggs." In fact, the product of the helpful hen, at times, when the farm dollar was scarcer than the proverbial "hen's teeth" has come to be regarded, literally, as the "golden egg."

GREEN CHURCH MEETS

Green Community Church will hold its regular monthly polluck dinner Friday in the social rooms. The monthly business session and annual election of officers will follow the dinner. All members and friends are welcome to attend.

INDOOR ARCHERY

The new archery indoor shooting group will meet Friday at the Benson School gym, end of Commercial Avenue. Youngsters will shoot at 8:45 p.m. and the grown-ups will begin shooting at 8 p.m. Anyone interested in indoor archery is invited.

CHILI SUPPER

The Ball and Chain Club of Ten-mile will sponsor a chili supper at the Ladies Clubhouse in Ten-mile Friday evening. A free movie will be shown following the supper. The public is invited to both the supper and the movie, which will be "Tom Sawyer," and two cartoons. Serving will begin at 6 p.m.

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FHA Of Roseburg High To Observe Sixth Birthday

The 35 members of the Future Homemakers of America at Roseburg High School will help observe the sixth birthday of the group this month.

The girls have planned a fun night for their families near the end of November, according to their advisor Mrs. Georgene Clark. There are nearly 4,000 FHA members in Oregon, Mrs. Clark says. The organization is sponsored nationally by the American Home Economics Assn. for high school girls. Three towns in Douglas County have chapters: Myrtle Creek, Reedsport and Roseburg.

To become a member of the organization, a girl is required to have had one term of home economics or to be taking home economics. The organization is also open to boys who have taken or are taking a home economics course. It is a co-educational group in the eastern part of the United States, Mrs. Clark said. No boys belong to the local chapter.

Some areas in the country planned special programs honoring national FHA week Oct. 31 to Nov. 7.

The Roseburg group is led this year by Carol Bjerk, president; Karen Amundson, vice president; Janet Dunn, secretary; Sharon Haven, treasurer; Nancy Burr, parliamentarian; Wima Marshall, reporter; Dorothy Holbrook, historian; Sally Brown, dearest chairman; Bonnie Smith, project chairman; and Sharon Titus, song leader.

Hospital News

Douglas Community Hospital

Admitted
Surgery: Mrs. Earl Garrison, Mrs. William A. Guenzel, Roseburg; Thomas H. Sutton, Oakland.

Medical: Mildred W. Remer, Darlene Jane Telford, Mrs. Earl Dilling, Roseburg; Mrs. Ernest Leonard, Oakland; Olen Jones, Winston.

Discharged
Jerri Nelson, Ricky David Har-em, David Clayton Black, Rodney Bruce Purdy, Mrs. Boyd C. Bryant, Luis Medina, Roseburg.

Mersey Hospital
Admitted
Surgery: Mrs. Knute Kershner, Jerri Nelson, Roseburg; Mrs. Floyd Smith, Glide; Mrs. Clifford Sumnerlin, Sutherlin.

Medical: Golden C. Holt, Canyonville.

Discharged
Danny Stevens, Susan Stafford, Mrs. Victor Berning and baby, Janis Mary; Mrs. Jim Gertson and baby, Crystal Marie, Roseburg; Sylvester Green, Dillard; Mrs. George Fifield and baby, George Franklin, Winston.

TRAFFIC DELAYS

Construction delays still continue on two stretches of state highway in Douglas County, according to the latest Oregon Highway Commission road survey.

On the Pacific Highway, possible minor delays may be expected for four miles north of Myrtle Creek, and on the coast highway, gravel surface is slowing traffic between three and eight miles north of Gardiner.

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