

Myrtle Creek Native Dies At The Dalles

Lawrence Cleland Dicks, Myrtle Creek native, died March 11 at The Dalles following a lengthy illness.

Dicks was born at Myrtle Creek Aug. 30, 1889, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Dicks. When he was 18, he moved to Lakeview to become a cattle rancher. He moved to Sumner in 1926 where he lived until the fall of 1952 when he returned to Myrtle Creek. He was a member of the Eagles Lodge at Coos Bay and a charter member of the Sumner Grange.

Survivors include five sisters, Mrs. W. L. Littlepage of Myrtle Creek; Mrs. Leslie L. Martin and Mrs. Glen Burton, both of Portland; Mrs. W. G. Russell, Brookings; Mrs. Harry West of Burns and a brother, W. P. of Winlock Wash.

Graveside funeral services are scheduled at the IOOF Cemetery at Myrtle Creek Tuesday at 2 p.m. The Rev. J. Elbert Nash of the Tri-City Presbyterian Church will officiate. Gans Mortuary of Myrtle Creek will officiate.

Ritualistic services will be conducted by the Myrtle Creek Eagles Lodge.

U. S. Lending Agencies Targets Of Criticism

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transfer to private enterprise were the Federal Housing Administration and the Rural Electrification Administration. The FHA insures loans for home buyers. The REA lends money to cooperatives for construction of facilities to provide electric and telephone service to rural areas.

Farm Price Prop Opposed

One recommendation almost certain to arouse controversy called for an end of government price support loans to farmers. The commission suggested instead that the government enter into crop purchase contracts at support levels. The farmer then could choose whether to sell his crop to the government or to private parties. The commission asserted that the proposed changeover would free the government of the job of handling thousands of small loans, but would not alter the farmer's price support protection. It said the farmer could use a government crop purchase contract as backing for a private bank loan.

One member of the commission, Rep. Hollifield (D-Calif.), entered a strong dissent, contending the recommendations—if put into force—"would make it harder for American citizens to buy homes or to get loans for their farms or businesses."

Theft Of Automobile Confessed By Youth, 14

A 14-year-old high school boy was to appear in juvenile court today after he admitted to city police he stole a car belonging to Melvin Griffin, 604 Commercial St. Saturday night.

The car was stolen from the parking lot at Douglas Community Hospital, and the boy was found at the car in the high school parking lot an hour later.

In the hour that the car was missing, the boy admitted getting a push from a towing truck when the battery went dead and trading the spare tire to a service station in exchange for a battery charge.

Damage In Ohio's Flood Estimated \$13 Million

CAIRO, Ill. (AP)—The Ohio River is expected to dump its floodwaters into the Mississippi River here today or tomorrow with little fanfare.

The Ohio caused an estimated 13 million dollars damage and forced thousands from their homes in Kentucky, Ohio, West Virginia and Indiana.

Foreign Aid Props Military Security Of U. S., Ike States

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower reported Monday a "significant acceleration" of foreign aid operations last year in Asia, "where communism is stepping up its efforts of expansion."

A report covering the July-December period of 1954 was prepared for Congress by the Foreign Operations Administration, headed by Harold Stassen.

It told how the agency is spending the \$2,800,000,000 in new appropriations for the fiscal year ending next June 30 and \$2,500,000,000 in carryover funds from previous appropriations unused but earmarked for military equipment.

The report did not say specifically how much had been spent during the six-month period, but it said that Far Eastern military aid from its start through December 1954 had reached a total of \$1,900,000,000.

One-fourth of the new appropriations were earmarked for Southeast Asia and the Western Pacific. FOA said that through March 1 this year it had approved 555 millions in that area for various military security programs other than military assistance.

"Security Increased," J. Ike Eisenhower, in a letter transmitting the report, noted the stepped up activities in Asia and, speaking of the overall program, added:

"These worldwide programs of military aid, economic development and technical cooperation are increasing the military security and economic progress of the United States and our cooperating partners in the free world. The report emphasized strongly the shift from Europe to the underdeveloped areas of Asia, Africa, and Latin America."

It said Europe's amazing economic recovery was a key factor in permitting this change.

"Together the underdeveloped countries hold the bulk of the world's population, occupy the largest part of its land area, constitute the major source of its key minerals and raw materials, and contain many of its most valuable military bases," the report said, adding:

"If these resources should fall under Soviet influence, the road to the Communist end goal of world domination would be made relatively smooth."

Former Oklahoma Man Dies In Local Hospital

John Katen Henthorn, 66, former resident of Oklahoma City, died Sunday, March 13, in a Roseburg Hospital. He was born Oct. 22, 1888 in Kansas and had lived in this community for the past 19 years. He was a veteran of World War I.

Surviving are four sons, Elmerick Jesse and William Henthorn, all of Oklahoma City, and George Henthorn, Dallas, Tex.; two daughters, Mrs. Jesse (Dorothy) Carpenter, Macon, Ga., and Mrs. Leslie (Myrtle) Moore, Los Angeles; six brothers, M. J. Henthorn, Mangum, Okla., and Sam Robert, Charlie, Dewey, and T. H. Henthorn, all of Oklahoma City; a sister, Mrs. Dan (Laura) Tubbs, Oklahoma City; and six grandchildren.

The body has been removed to Roseburg Funeral Home and will be shipped to Bethany, Okla., for funeral services and interment.

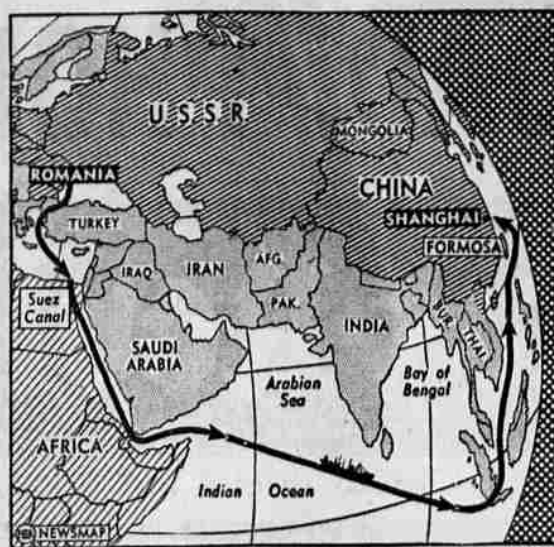
Graveside Services For Canyonville Baby

Graveside funeral services for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry L. Hardin, Canyonville, were held at 2 p.m. today at the IOOF Cemetery, Canyonville.

M. F. Howe of Jehovah's Witnesses officiated.

The child was born March 8 and died March 12. In addition to his parents, he is survived by a sister, Cinda Kay, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Pepperling, all of Canyonville, and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hardin of Colorado.

Gans Mortuary, Myrtle Creek, was in charge of arrangements.



"HOT" SHIP—Communist China has warned the United States it will "have to bear the full responsibility for such piracy" if it "dares" to help Nationalist China intercept a Finnish tanker reported headed for China with a cargo of jet fuel. Map shows course of the 10,382-ton tanker Aruba with kerosene from the oil fields of Communist Romania.

Hospital News

Mercy Hospital Admitted

Surgery: Mrs. Joseph Dunchok, Mrs. C. L. Lacey, Mrs. Lawson King, Mrs. Franklyn Ashby, Jimmie Beckley, Roseburg; Mrs. Ed Eason, Sutherlin.

Medical: Bobby Shoenhard, Fred Miller, Mrs. Robert Thomas, Gertrude Linson, Thomas Swingen, Mrs. Thomas Rineheart, Roseburg; Mrs. Stephen Currie, Dillard; Mrs. Elbert Fuller, Oakland; Mrs. Howard Moore, Sutherlin; Mrs. Alfred Brister, Winston.

Discharged: Barbara Hatfield, Mrs. John Jamison and baby, Michael Brian Roseburg; Margaret Waggon, Winston; Mrs. Carl Messing, Glendale; Mrs. Alfred Brister, Winston.

Douglas Community Hospital Admitted

Surgery: Thomas McWilliams, Mrs. Leon Morehouse, Mrs. George Mason, Roseburg.

Medical: Vicki Coney, Mrs. Charles Lawson, Mrs. William Snider, Marvin Boyd, Mrs. William Baritz, Frank Miller, Cheryl Anderson, Mrs. James Hart, Mrs. Edward Boyle, Mrs. Noble White, Roseburg; James Welch, Glendale; Jesseale Mendenhall, Winston; Mrs. Dick Honey, Sutherlin.

Discharged

John Burkhardt, Mrs. Theodore Bernard, James Bristol, L. A. Rhoden, Mrs. Kenneth Garey, Mrs. Bob George, Mrs. Russell Johnston, Mrs. Theodore Dauber, Mrs. Ernest Black, Roseburg; Mrs. Donald Schneider, Mrs. William Stark, Glendale; Mrs. Walter Sprack, Sutherlin.

Four Drivers Cited, 2 Injured In Hospital

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"clipped" a barrier on the west side of the highway about seven miles north of Roseburg. After the car ploughed through several more barriers, police said it crossed the highway and came to a stop on the north shoulder of the road. Mrs. Reidel and her passenger, Joyce Hamilton, 17, Tillamook, were uninjured. No citations were issued.

Roger Winslow Wright Jr., Azalea, was cited by state police Sunday for failure to yield the right-of-way. Police said Wright's car hit another driven by Alva William Downs, Riddle, Sunday. They said the collision occurred at the Tri-City and Riddle junction on Highway 99 as Wright started to pass Downs. About the same time, Downs started to make a left hand turn. Police said both cars were heavily damaged. Neither driver was injured, but police said there were minor injuries to four passengers in the Wright car.

A Glendale man, James Edward Charon, 39, was cited for failure to yield the right-of-way Saturday night. Police said Charon pulled out on the North Umpqua Road and struck another vehicle driven by Lee Roy Slaven, 38, Roseburg. Slaven's car was wrecked and Charon's car received minor damage. Police reported no injuries to Charon and his five passengers or Slaven and the two men riding with him.

Competitive Exam Set For Ten Scholarships

A competitive examination for a new scholarship program at Willamette University is scheduled in Salem April 16, according to President G. Herbert Smith.

The program, providing 10 scholarships for entering students at the University, was made available by Truman Collins. The \$300 scholarships are for both the College of Liberal Arts and Music.

Meat Packers Support Compulsory Inspection

Southern Oregon meat packers have put their support behind a Oregon House bill to require compulsory state inspection of all meat meant for public consumption.

A member of the Southern Oregon Meat Packers Assn., Oren Ledgerwood, owner and manager of Van Dine Meat Co., Myrtle Creek, termed the state's inspection laws as "one of the most backward in the Union."

The new bill, he said, would require the slaughter of healthy animals under sanitary conditions. The compulsory inspection would be made to see that the law is complied with.

Now, abattoirs are inspected by the state only on a voluntary basis, and Ledgerwood said that he is one of the few southern Oregon plants with that service. The public, he said, is asked to write to legislators in support of the bill. A hearing on the bill is slated Wednesday in Salem.

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By GLEN WELLMAN

As we write this, it appears that we will have at least 50 teams in our city tournament which leads off tonight. This would indicate a first prize of about \$50 plus a nice trophy.

In the three classes of minor events, we have approximately 60 doubles teams entered. Most of these entries will also go in for all-events, and the prizes will be very respectable for all top spots. We have borrowed the boards used by the state tournament, so will keep the standings up in real style.

THE SCHEDULE is now posted at the alleys, as well as prize lists. But, just in case you haven't seen tonight's schedule, all teams in the Town League will roll at 6:55 p.m., and in the City League on the second night, Metro will roll first Wednesday night, and Merchants Thursday. The two Classics will roll at 6:55 and 9 Friday, with the juniors taking the runways first.

Next week, the lassies will toe foul line for their annual City tournament, with their minors scheduled Sunday, March 27. Mr. Coe will have some nice new wood up, and we hope to see some of the finest scores this year in the history of the two tournaments. Higher handicaps will help in that respect too.

Returns from the men's state tournament are in, and show that Roseburg brought home the bacon in real style. A total of a bit over \$2007 found its way back to our village, a figure not topped or equalled by any other association in the state, as far as we have been able to determine. Ladies' state wound up yesterday, but final returns won't show up for a few more days.

ALL MEN BOWLERS take note of this. The second annual bowlers' banquet will be put away Tuesday night, April 5, at 6 p.m. at the Elks Temple. Tickets will be one buck (with the association paying the balance from the kitty). BUT, you must buy your tickets in advance, since we have to guarantee the number of diners ahead of time.

So please remember there will be no sale of tickets at the door as there were last year. We suggest you buy your tickets during this week, as you play your team events. See President Bob Smith for the details.

Jack Siekman set up a second-half league record in the Town League, when he strung together seven X's in a row, and wound up with 259. He will eat a steak dinner at the Town Tavern, Sutherlin, with his wife and his score and a fifty set by Ted Buttner, Lem's Music came near the year's record for team games and series. It had a scratch game of 1,019, handicap 1,145, to compare with West Coast Building Supply's 1,038 and 1,150. Lem's already holds high series in the Town Tavern, Sutherlin.

ED WILLITS may join Jack in that steak dinner at the Town Tavern. He rolled the necessary string also, but fell short with only a 234 game. Wednesday night, Bob Smith was the hero, with a 184-243-214 effort for a hefty 621 series, rolling for Roseburg Book Store.

Chick Horvick, pinch hitting for Winston Drugs, hit a top heavy 247 game.

Torrid trundling, also on Friday nights, with 600 series at bargain rates. Ed Willis hit a 695 for Moose Lodge; Bill Roberts an even 690 for Roseburg Lumber Co.; Al Fish had his set for the whole week, with a lunking 629 for Pepsi Cola; and Johnny Donovan did himself proud as he helped Roseburg Alleys to a sweep with a 612. Both leagues had two 200's in their string, and Jerry Wittren also topped the magic figure twice, but slipped the last time.

Some consistent figures include Modern Furniture 959-959-951; Sun Stands 995-996-989 in team efforts. Among individuals, Ted Shirliff had two 134's; Jerry Coen 164's; followed by a 165; Gerry Hennebeck 145's Thursday night and 159's Friday. Mark Bait and Aubrey Piercol had "sandwiches." Mark's best 141-193-141, and Aubrey's 156-149-156. Peyton Oederick ran down a stepladder 20 at a time with 194-174-154. (Good thing he didn't have farther to go). Jerry Wittren had it figured close. Following two 188 lines, he needed a spare and strike in the 10th. Got the spare OK, but only 7 sticks in the fateful final set.

And say! Don't forget those banquet tickets.

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SALES TAX CHANCE DEAD, House Speaker Declares

KLAMATH FALLS (AP)—The Oregon Legislature never will be able to put over a sales tax, speaker of the House Ed Geary said Saturday.

Speaker at the Chamber of Commerce, Geary said that voters have five times defeated sales tax proposals and probably would undertake a referendum attack on any such measure in the future.

The only way a sales tax might be adopted would be for the voters themselves to initiate it, he said.

McCarthy Favors War To Liberate Americans

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EVERETT, Mass. (AP)—Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.) says that if necessary he would favor starting a war to win freedom of 520 American servicemen he claims are being held prisoner in Red China. He suggested the United States tell "our so-called allies" that they "won't get one red cent of American money" until the Americans are freed.

McCarthy urged the 1,000 in his audience to write their congressmen asking, "How in heaven's name can you vote to draft American young men and send them to foreign shores if we've abandoned the men we've already drafted and sent them to sudden death and torture in blood-stained Communist dungeons?"

McCarthy sent a letter to President Eisenhower Saturday saying he "would like to hear from you as to what, if anything, you are doing or propose to do to secure the freedom of those young men."

Gunman Enters Embassy, Wounds Russian Guard

MOSCOW (AP)—A husky gunman shot his way into the British Embassy Sunday night, seriously wounding a Russian police guard who tried to stop him.

The fur-hatted Russian intruder was overpowered and disarmed by two unnamed British Embassy attaches after he had forced his way upstairs to the living quarters of Ambassador Sir William and Lady Hayter.

Sir William and Lady Hayter were in the country skiing at the time. They returned just as the gunman was being handed over to Russian police.

No motivation for the armed invasion of the embassy could be learned.

The gunman was described as incoherent and pouring forth gibberish in Russian.

30,000 Teen-Agers Take Vow Of Service To God

CHICAGO (AP)—Thirty thousand Chicago teen-agers have pledged themselves "to serve God, be a credit to my country and to make my city a better place to live in."

They took the pledge Sunday at ceremonies in the International Amphitheatre marking the beginning of a campaign by Chicago's Youth to Combat Delinquency.

Speeches included those of a girl and boy who are inmates of state training schools.

The boy, who had stolen a car, said, "Living in an institution is tough. I don't have my freedom anymore."

The girl, a shoplifter, said, "I can tell you that to be a delinquent is no fun."

52 Weeks Pay Guarantee Goal Of Auto Workers

DETROIT (AP)—CIO United Auto Workers officials sit down today with General Motors Corp. to outline negotiations for what could be the UAW's toughest goal—a guaranteed 52 weeks pay each year.

The UAW has threatened to strike if necessary to gain a guaranteed annual wage for 600,000 workers in the industry's Big Three—GM, Ford and Chrysler.

Delegates to the UAW's annual convention starting March 27 in Cleveland are expected to overwhelmingly approve a 25-million-dollar strike fund.

Vote On Tax Slash Plan Expected To Be Close

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enough Democrats to beat the tax cut.

The Democratic proposal would cut \$20 from the income levy against the taxpayer plus \$10 for each dependent except a spouse, effective Jan. 1 next year. It would be limited largely to those making less than \$5,000 a year.

Offsets Proposed

To offset that loss of revenue, estimated at 908 million dollars a year, it would also repeal two features of the 1954 tax revision law: (1) reduced taxes on dividend income and (2) faster depreciation allowances for business firms.

The plan also proposes to extend for 20 months, until July 1, 1957, excise and corporation income tax rates now scheduled to drop April 1. The administration had asked that these be extended for one year. The tax cut plan would be added to the administration bill.

Sen. Humphrey said the depreciation allowance alone would cost the Treasury nearly a billion dollars in revenue in 1956 "and nearly 20 billions in 18 years from now."

"It is both morally and economically indefensible," he said, to argue on the one hand that it is good policy to give away billions of dollars of revenue to large corporations, and on the other hand that the Treasury cannot afford modest relief to low income families."

The secretary of the treasury contended, however, that the proposed tax cut would amount to "but a few cents a week for only part of the people," and added: "Confidence in the government's handling of its financial affairs in a sound and healthy way is far more important to the people, both to the 'little people,' they talk about so much and to the great middle class, than any political gimmick can possibly be."

Guest Speaker Slated At Nurses Assn. Meet

District No. 11, Oregon State Nurses Association, will meet at Mercy Hospital at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 15. Miss Kathleen Wolfe, president, has announced Miss Dorothy Curtis, registered nurse and a graduate of the University of Minnesota, will be the guest speaker. Miss Curtis, who is the nurse for Judy Bellows, has five years' experience as a therapist in the treatment of polio. All nurses of Douglas County, whether members of the association or not, are invited to attend the meeting.

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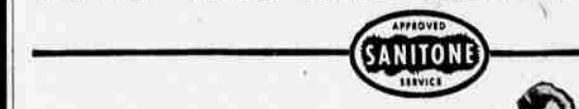
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