

Senate Votes 8 Per Cent Pay Raise



RUTH WEBSTER, 17, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Webster, who live on the North Umpqua Road, and is being sponsored by North Umpqua Auto Wrecking in the 1955 Douglas County Rodeo queen contest. She stands 5-4 1/2 and weighs 145. She has brown hair and hazel eyes. A native of Orofino, Idaho, she rates herself as a "fair" horsewoman, especially likes swimming and painting. (Master Studio photo.)

Health Officer Announces Dates For Administering Salk Vaccine To Children

Douglas County children will have an opportunity to receive first inoculations of Salk anti-polio vaccine on three dates this month, Dr. E. J. Wainwright, public health physician, said Tuesday afternoon.

The County Health Dept. has set aside June 14, 21 and 28 for administration of the vaccine to children who will be in the second and third grades next year, the doctor said.

Six New Oregon Cases Of Polio Makes Total 48

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Six new cases of polio were reported in Oregon for the week ending last Saturday, bringing the state's total so far this year to 48, the State Board of Health reported Tuesday.

The board also reported that the inoculation of first and second graders with Salk anti-polio vaccine was proceeding well. Incomplete reports indicate 29,976 children have received their first shots, the board said.

In Multnomah County outside Portland, 3,911—60 per cent of those eligible—received the first shot.

In Portland the total was 9,206 of the 12,500 whose parents originally had approved use of the vaccine—74 per cent.

Lane County reported at least 8,834 receiving shots. That was about 65 per cent of those eligible. Jackson County reported 1,311. Umatilla 845, Polk 605, Klamath 1,315, and Linn 608. Returns from other counties were incomplete.

In Douglas County, where schools are to be dismissed this week, clinics to administer shots have been scheduled at Roseburg for

In The Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

On this Memorial Day (when these words were written) I'd like to quote again two stanzas from Walt Mason's poem "The Little Green Tent":

"The little green tents, where the soldiers sleep
And the sunbeams play and the women weep,
Are covered with flowers today;
And between the tents walk the weary few
Who were young and stalwart in sixty-two,
When they went to the war away."

The little green tent is a thing divine;
The little green tent is a country's shrine,
Where the patriots kneel and pray;
And the brave men left, so old, so few,
Were young and stalwart in sixty-two,
When they went to the war away."

Walt Mason isn't one of literature's greats. William Rose Benet, in his Encyclopedia of World

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The Weather

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday. Warmer in the afternoon.

Highest temp. last 24 hours 59
Lowest temp. last 24 hours 41
Highest temp. any June 106
Lowest temp. any June 34
Precip. last 24 hours 0
Precip. from June 1 0
Precip. from Sept. 1 21.99
Deficiency from Sept. 1 6.90
Sunset tonight, 7:16 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow, 4:35 a.m.

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Ford Motor Strike Averted By Extending Negotiations

Additional Time Given To Study Of New Offers

DETROIT (AP) — A strike set for midnight, Wednesday against the Ford Motor Co. was averted at midday when the CIO United Auto Workers extended the Ford contract four days to provide more time for negotiations.

Walter P. Reuther, UAW president, issued a statement saying that Ford had made a new proposal to the union Tuesday, but negotiators "are still far apart on many important issues, in addition to the question of the guaranteed annual wage."

Reuther said the four-day contract extension to early Monday was to give the union and company

One Bid Each Made On Four Homes Of Cloverdale Tract

One bid each was entered on the four homes of the Roseburg Homes' Cloverdale Addition up for auction today in Roseburg.

The bids came from Portland attorney Dewey Palmer and totaled \$29,301.21. Palmer is attorney for the Federal National Mortgage Assn. The association is plaintiff against Roseburg Homes.

Auction of the four homes took place at 10 a.m. Auctioneer was U.S. Marshall Harold T. Sexton, Portland.

The individual home bids by the FNMA representative were \$7,083.08, \$7,430.80, \$7,151.79 and \$7,635.54. The bids represented the mortgage amount due the federal agency, Palmer said.

Marshall Sexton and the attorney were the only two to participate in the bidding session. The final story on the homes will not be written for another year. Right now they are subject to one year redemption which means Roseburg Homes could redeem the homes. Final disposition of the matter will come from the Los Angeles FNMA office when the year redemption period expires, Palmer said Wednesday.

He said approximately 20 more homes will be up for sale in the near future. Exact date of the sale has not been announced.

Two North Douglas Co. Corporations Formed

Two north Douglas County corporations have been filed in Salem.

One filed Tuesday was the Miller Racing Assn. of Yoncalla and Drain. Incorporators are Douglas Lewis, William McKern and A. Z. Thompson. The association proposes to stage micromidget racing at the Yoncalla rodeo grounds through the summer. This type of racing started in Roseburg within the last year.

The second incorporation is for Eklon Post No. 151, the American Legion. Incorporators are James Adams, Grant Madison and Roger Boosen.

Angles Of Producing Huge Rodeo Discussed At Lengthy Session Of Assn. Members

The many facets of producing a successful rodeo brought long discussion at a Douglas County Rodeo Assn. meeting Tuesday night.

Various plans for activities at rodeo time (June 17-19) were talked and reports were made at the session in the News-Review's circulation department, presided over by President G. W. (Bill) Tipton.

In one move, officers had their eyes on insuring financial success of the first rodeo sponsored by the association. It was decided there will be no complimentary tickets to the two rodeo performances.

The way was left open for the three organizations making up the association (Douglas County Mounted, Lions Club and Junior Chamber of Commerce) to reimburse their own workers at the rodeo, if they wish. The only "guests" of the association at the rodeo will be disabled veterans from the VA hospital who will see the Saturday afternoon performance.

It was announced that there is

Big Unemployment Problem Threat To British Isles

By HAL COOPER

LONDON (AP) — Widespread unemployment within 48 hours threatened Britain today as the nationwide railroad strike went into its fourth day.

Armed with "state of emergency" powers proclaimed last night, Prime Minister Eden's newly re-elected Conservative government hoped to marshal a great fleet of trucks, buses and private cars to move goods and workers for essential services.

But this promised little or no help to the nation's huge industrial plant, confronted by dwindling supplies of raw materials for lack of trains to replenish them and mounting piles of finished products that could not be hauled away. Some plants already were sending workers home.

The nation's vital export drive, already hit by a stubborn 10-day-old dock strike, faced a crippling slowdown whose effects might last for months.

The 70,000 members of the striking Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen stood pat on their demand for a \$1.12 raise in their present base weekly pay of \$27.30.

Strike Threatens Portland's City Milk Supply

PORTLAND (AP) — AFL drivers struck the Mayflower Milk Distributing Co. here Wednesday and dairy operators promptly announced a shutdown of all plants in the city if the dispute continues through the day.

"It would not appear that milk will be available from any source—home delivery or stores—within 24 hours," a dairy industry spokesman said.

The unexpected strike and plans for a lockout overshadowed a strike of some 1,000 carpenters in the Portland district, which started Tuesday morning.

Federal conciliators called a meeting of the dairy industry representatives and the union in an attempt to bring a quick end to the strike which was based, both sides said, on working schedules.

W. F. Luberky, industry spokesman, said the question was whether union or management should set the policy of delivering milk on Sundays. The union he said, insists on veto power over any schedule change and he added that the change sought by the industry is elimination of Sunday deliveries.

Roseburg Boosters Assn. Meeting Called Thursday

An important meeting of the Roseburg Boosters Assn. has been called for Thursday morning, June 2, at 8 o'clock in the Hotel Umpqua, according to Vernon M. Murdoch, executive secretary.

Conventions coming up in June will be discussed, as will kickoff plans for the Douglas County Rodeo, June 18-19. June 8 has been set as kickoff day for the rodeo, the time when townspeople will join western clothing. Arrangements have been completed for installation of street decorations, Murdoch said.

Open Defiance Voiced Against Ruling Of Court

By HAL COOPER

ATLANTA (AP) — Atty. Gen. Eugene Cook Wednesday accused the U.S. Supreme Court of tossing a "hot potato" to federal district judges as he and Gov. Marvin Griffin voiced open defiance of the court's final ruling on school segregation.

Griffin in an earlier statement declared that the high court is trying to "sugarcoat its bitter pill of tyranny" and "the people of Georgia and the South will not swallow it."

Cook's blast at the court was made in a statement prepared after he had studied the text of Tuesday's decision passing the public school segregation problem back to local school boards and federal district courts.

The attorney general said "the court has placed every district judge in the South in the untenable position of having to uphold and enforce a judicial mandate which is contrary not only to the law and federal and state constitutions but also to the expressed will of the people."

Cook charged that the court "neither gave a formula for integration nor established machinery for enforcement."

"All of this means that the supreme court has opened the door for a generation, perhaps a century, of litigation."

"Georgia is not affected by decree and I, as attorney general, pledge that so long as there is any legal recourse remaining to us, we will not be."

Singer Dick Haymes Not Deportable, Judge Rules

WASHINGTON (AP) — Singer Dick Haymes, husband of Rita Haymes, won a ruling Tuesday in U.S. District Court that he is not deportable.

Judge Burnita S. Matthews ruled that Haymes in effect never left the United States when he went to Hawaii in 1952.

The government had sought to deport Haymes, a native of Argentina, on grounds he entered the United States illegally when he returned from a visit to Hawaii.

Haymes had gone to Hawaii to see Miss Hayworth and to fill a singing engagement.

Judge Matthews held that Haymes is a geographical part of the United States.

Red Cross Board Meet Called For Friday Night

A Red Cross board meeting has been called Friday, June 3, at 7 p.m. in the chapter rooms of the Army, according to Mrs. R. E. Herman, executive secretary.

All members and committee members are urged to attend, Mrs. Herman said. Plans for the chapter's annual meeting will be discussed.

JUDGE REID PRESIDES

Circuit Judge Frank B. Reid, Eugene, is on the Douglas Circuit Court bench this week for Judge Carl E. Wimberly, who has been confined to his home the past few days with illness.



FREED BY CHINA—These four U.S. fighter pilots, shot down and captured during the Korean war, have been released by Red China. Left to right, top, Lt. Col. Edwin L. Heller of Wynnewood, Pa.; Lt. Lyle W. Cameron of Lincoln, Neb.; bottom, Lt. Roland W. Parks of Omaha, Neb., and Capt. Harold Ficher of Swea City, Ia. (AP Wirephoto)

U.S. Airmen Land In Honolulu Following Flight From Hong Kong

HONOLULU (AP) — Four U.S. airmen who fought in the Korean War flew to Hawaii Wednesday after more than two years behind prison bars in Communist China.

Only yesterday the Chinese Communists, who had held them for

US Renews Demand On China To Free Other Prisoners

WASHINGTON (AP) — The State Department disclosed Wednesday the United States has renewed its demand that Red China release 63 Americans still held by the Communists.

Henry Strydom, department press officer, told newsmen Franklin Gowen, U.S. consul general at Geneva, has renewed contact with Red China's consul general there.

He said Gowen was told at a meeting last Monday of the impending release of the four U.S. fliers who have been freed since then.

The U.S.-Red China contact at Geneva was established after the Far East peace conference there last year.

Strydom said Gowen handed the Red Chinese a "revised list" of Americans still held by Peking. Strydom said the Chinese representative promised to send this list and a report of his meeting to Peking, with a reply later at some unspecified date when Peking sends further word.

Strydom said the list includes 52 names—41 civilians and 11 fliers. He said Gowen inquired also into the cases of 11 Navy and Coast Guard personnel about whom the Red Chinese have been professing complete ignorance.

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Near Capacity Crowd Views Roseburg High Graduation; Phillip Hitchcock Speaker

By SALLY KRUSE
Staff Writer, News-Review

A near capacity crowd, approximately 3,000 parents and friends, attended commencement exercises at Roseburg High School last night.

Phillip S. Hitchcock, head of the public relations department of Lewis and Clark College, addressed the 221 members of the graduating class. His speech titled "The House of Leadership" compared the life of the graduate to the completion of a building. He was introduced by M. C. Deller, superintendent of schools.

The foundation is completed, Hitchcock said. He added that the rest of the structure has yet to be finished. Integrity, honesty and other attributes must be achieved before the protecting "roof" can be added. Hitchcock stated that it is as easy to become a leader as it is to be a follower.

Following the invocation by the Rev. Raymond Schaefer, Miss Sandra Lee Hummels and Miss Mary Margaret Schulze gave salutatory addresses. They stressed the role the graduate is to play after the completion of his high school career.

David France, accompanied by the Roseburg school orchestra, played a trumpet solo, "Andante" by Haydn.

Classification Features In New Measure

Unanimous Approval Voted; Bill Now Goes To House Committees

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate Wednesday passed a bill to raise salaries of the 500,000 postal workers an average of 8 per cent after being assured it was acceptable to President Eisenhower.

The roll call vote was unanimous, 78-0.

The Senate debated only half an hour, and sent the bill to the House where the Post Office and Civil Service Committee plans to meet on it Thursday.

It is a substitute for a postal pay hike measure vetoed by the President May 19. That measure carried pay raises averaging 6.6 per cent and fringe benefits which took the over-all total up to 8.8 per cent.

The bill passed Wednesday gives each postal employee a 6 per cent raise retroactive to March 1. The additional 2 per cent involves reclassification features demanded by the President. These will mean much larger increases than the average for some upper-bracket employees.

Before final passage, Sen. Butler (R-Md) attempted to add on an amendment to give 8 per cent pay raises to the one million classified civil service employees.

But Republican leader Knowland (Calif) raised a point of order against this, contending it was not pertinent to the postal measure. Sen. Barkley (D-Ky) the presiding officer at the time, sustained the point of order, killing the amendment.

The 8 per cent figure reportedly is higher than the administration will accept for the classified workers.

Both Knowland and Sen. Carlson (R-Kan), administration spokesmen on government employee pay matters, assured the Senate that Eisenhower will sign the new postal bill.

Knowland and other GOP congressional leaders discussed the new postal pay bill at the regular weekly meeting Wednesday with the President.

County Payrolls Show Increase Of \$2 Million

Douglas County payrolls increased during 1954, while 22 of the 36 counties in the state were having declines, reports the State Unemployment Compensation Commission.

Curry County's monthly employment in the county was just slightly up, but payrolls increased from \$69,374,227 to \$62,319,446. The payrolls increase is about 3.2 per cent. The county increased its lead for third position in the state. Only Lane with \$582,214,836 was higher.

The number of employed men also ranked third in the state. Douglas County had 14,108 average monthly employment. Multnomah had 141,613, and Lane had 26,806.

Curry County with increased construction and plywood mill operations led all divisions with a 37.2 per cent increase from 1953 to 1954. Sherman and Morrow had next best percentages with 21.3 and 10.1, but Jackson and Douglas did better in the dollars and cents columns.

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Levity Fact Rant

By L. F. Reizenstein

A lot of folks who started months ago saving up for a rainy day are now probably short of cash.