

Increases In Deposits, Loans Douglas County Banks Show

Banks in the county showed healthy increases with reports of statements of conditions June 30. Here in central Douglas County the three-branch Douglas County State Bank showed deposit increases of \$6,052,639.49 since June 30 a year ago. At the same time, the United States National Bank in Roseburg reported a 15-per cent increase over the state.

The Douglas County State Bank reported deposits of \$23,202,532.25. The Roseburg branch of the United States National reported deposits of \$20,074,129.02.

Other banks in the county reported deposits as follows: Drain

branch of U. S. National, \$4,627,819.08; Reedsport branch of U. S. National, \$5,158,411.72; and South Umpqua State Bank, \$1,566,394.81.

The banks also showed increases in loans and discounts during the year, most of them reported. The Roseburg branch of the U. S. National, according to Manager H. E. Schmeier, showed an "appreciable gain." He said total loans and discounts for the branch aggregated \$6,300,236.62. Coming out with a bright green and white statement of condition folder, the Douglas County State Bank reported loans and discounts aggregating \$14,248,949.03.

Poultry Expert To Speak In Roseburg Thursday

A poultry expert and west coast representative of a nationally-known feed company will be in Roseburg Thursday.

He is Bruce Johnson, San Francisco, representative of the Ralston-Purina Co. Johnson will speak at a special meeting for poultrymen scheduled for 8 p.m. in the old Grange supply building on Spruce Street.

Douglas County poultrymen and others interested have been invited to attend by Bert Young, manager of the Umpqua Valley Feed Store.

Circuit Court

Complaints Filed
Ben Buzzard, administrator of estate of Clifford E. Wolbert, vs. Harry Johnson. Plaintiff seeks judgment of \$1,360.44 claimed due for merchandise and labor.

Lee Roy Kelley vs. State Industrial Accident Commission. Plaintiff seeks to reopen claim, establish compensation for permanent partial disability equivalent to 100 per cent of loss of function of arm for injuries to back suffered in Glendale sawmill accident Feb. 24, 1953.

Hop Growers Plan New Marketing Agreement

PORTLAND (AP) — The Hop Growers Assn. has announced plans for a new hop marketing agreement.

The proposed agreement will be discussed Aug. 8 at the organization's annual meeting in Portland. Also to be discussed then are plans for acreage controls without federal subsidies.

This was decided recently at a meeting of the organization's executive committee. Delegates from California, Idaho, Washington and Oregon attended.

The committee decided to urge formation of a strong national organization to protect the industry's interests.

George H. Gannon of Malbon, Wash., chairman of the committee, said the 1953 hop crop would be about 180,000 bales, compared with last year's 219,000. He said the decrease was due to acreage reductions.

Ike Only Chuckles When Asked That He Seek 2nd Term

WASHINGTON (AP) — Fifty-four House Republicans this week praised President Eisenhower's record and urged him to run for re-election. In response, they got a hearty "thank you" and a wide noncommittal smile.

On this third anniversary of his nomination for the presidency, Eisenhower received a petition from the GOP group which said in part:

"In the atomic age, when one faulty decision could prove disastrous, it is vital that our nation be led by a man of great experience in the international field and one who possesses patience, firmness, understanding and courage."

"Under President Eisenhower's great leadership America's defenses have been strengthened and the cause of world peace has been advanced."

"At home, the Republican Party under President Eisenhower has advanced a program which has brought America unprecedented economic stability and prosperity. American workers have more jobs, better pay than at any time in our history."

The statement added that "because of this exceptional progress, and the promise which continuation of his leadership holds for

our people and the free world, we most earnestly hope that President Eisenhower seek re-election."

Refringhuysen and Curtis said they agreed.

The signers of the statement concluded with an expression of confidence that "upon the consideration of all the factors he will not refuse his country's call."

The 54 signers are House GOP members who were elected when Eisenhower was in 1952 or since that time. They chose Reps. Fringhuysen Jr. of New Jersey, Curtis of Massachusetts and Avery of Kansas to present the second-term petition to Eisenhower.

The President chuckled heartily as he read the statement, but the three House members confirmed later that he made no commitment regarding a second term.

Avery said he and his colleagues had not expected any commitment from Eisenhower this far in advance of next year's nominating convention.

Avery added, however, that he believes the President will run again.

"Mr. Eisenhower has never left any job uncompleted," he said. "I feel that because he doesn't be-

Wearing Apparel

ACROSS	DOWN
1 Baby wears it	1 Excludes
4 A Roman	2 Notion
8 Sleeveless garment	3 Overdressed
12 Fruit drink	4 Forbidden
13 Wine cups	5 Persian poet
14 Fruit drinks	7 Donkey
15 Little ridinghood	8 Some well-dressed men carry them
16 Infants' wear	9 Arabian gulf
18 They bear middies	10 Favorites
20 Thick	11 Essential being
21 Menagerie	17 Fancy
22 Nights before events	19 Defeated one
24 Once (dial.)	23 Coats, — and trousers
26 Bewildered	24 State openly
27 Health resort	
30 Surface layer	
32 Old Greek coin	
34 Enaggerate	
35 Holding	
36 Marry	
37 Small demons	
39 Roman date	
40 Remain	
41 Aged	
42 Bird of prey	
45 Accept	
49 Most avaricious	
51 Boy's nickname	
52 Cloth	
53 Poker stake	
54 Silence forcibly	
55 America's Uncle and Penrod's friend	
56 Encounter	
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Answer to previous puzzle

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EMANATE	SLID
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TRENTE	MENDER
GENDER	STEBERS

MODEST MAIDENS



ATTMPT SUICIDE

TOKYO (AP) — Two Formosan Slowways, who faced deportation and arrest on conscription evasion charges, tried to kill themselves here by slashing their abdomens with a cracked saucer and eating broken light bulbs. Kyodo News Service said the men, identified as Lin Chi Lin, 20, and Chen Tung Sheng, 29, were in critical condition.

FUNNY BUSINESS



Rival CIO, AFL Unions Map Joint Strategy

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Rival CIO and AFL unions have teamed up in precedent-setting joint bargaining strategy aimed at winning a pay boost for some 25,000 employees of the Aluminum Co. of America.

The CIO United Steelworkers scheduled its first bargaining session today.

The AFL aluminum workers will start wage talks Thursday.

The USW and the aluminum workers have been working out joint strategy for some time, spokesmen revealed yesterday.



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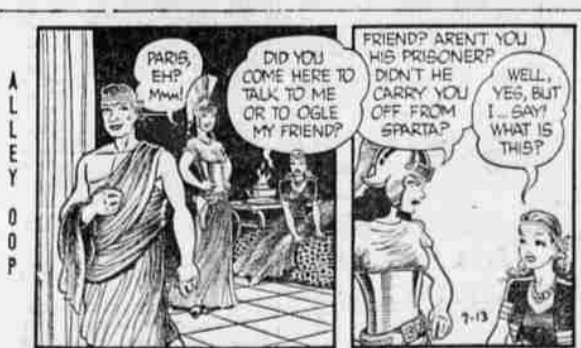
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