

Violence Continues In Gaza Strip



EX-CONVICT ROBERT K. MIERS and his wife Betty were arraigned today on charges of murdering building inspector Donald E. Graham, 60. Graham was found last Friday, brutally beaten to death in his home in Palm Springs, Calif. Miers, 31, a bakery truck driver, and his wife, 26, were arrested Sunday in Kingman, Ariz. Officers said they were attempting to flee East with their four small children. Relatives are caring for the youngsters. (AP Wirephoto)

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Two Security Officers Fail To Appear

Senator Says He Will Issue Subpoenas

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two Agriculture Department officials who played key roles in the Wolf Ladejinsky security case failed to appear at a Senate probe Tuesday and Sen. Olin D. Johnston (D-SC) announced they would be subpoenaed.

"We want these people so we can find out why we have such jilly-dallying and jumping the rope with people's character and reputations," Johnston declared. He heads a Senate civil service subcommittee investigating the Eisenhower administration's personnel security program.

Rita Confirms She's Walked Out On Singer Haymes

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Rita Hayworth has walked out on crooner Dick Haymes "in the best interests of my children, Dick and myself," she explains.

Apprised by reporters of his wife's statement — made at her attorney's office — Haymes replied: "I don't believe it!"

The titan-haired film star issued this terse statement Monday. "I have separated from Dick because I believe that in the best interests of my children, Dick and myself, it is necessary that both of us have time to think things out. I don't know at this time whether the separation will be final."

The actress, long married to a dancer, her attorney Maury L. Spangler refused the request of photographers that she remove her dark glasses. Nor did he permit her to state a reason for the separation.

She didn't indicate whether she would file suit for divorce from her fourth husband. They were married in Las Vegas, Nev., in September, 1953, and she has stood steadfastly by him during his successful deportation fight and complicated income tax troubles.

The government had sought to deport him to his native Argentina on grounds he was an alien illegally in this country.

Reached by telephone, Haymes told a newsmen, "As far as I'm concerned, Rita is my whole life; I'm in love with her. That's the only way I can look at it. The marriage is intact. I'm just waiting for her to come home."

Roseburg School Enrollment Up; Problem Faced

Confronted with the biggest anticipated enrollment in District 4 history, Roseburg school board members this week approved a revised school attendance area.

Supt. M. C. Deller said Monday the pupil number could reach the 5,208 mark. Highest enrollment previously came the second week of November, 1954, when 4,964 students attended district institutions.

The revised attendance areas affect the grade school pupils. Board members, however, are aware that considerable shifting may be necessary within a short time, the superintendent added. He said the administration is unadvised as to trends in population shifts during the summer. (A listing of areas will appear in Wednesday's News-Review.)

Registration of first graders in the Green, Rose, Fullerton, Riverside and Benson areas will be made Thursday, Supt. Deller said. Other schools will register first graders Sept. 6, when the remainder of the classes will be enrolled.

Central and Joseph Lane Junior High Schools have scheduled registration Thursday and Friday. Students whose last names fall in the A through L categories of the alphabet enroll Thursday. Those in the M through Z listings register Friday. Registration hours are from 9 a.m. until the last student is enrolled each day.

High school students in District 4 started registration Tuesday when freshmen signed up for classes. Sophomores enroll Wednesday, Juniors on Thursday and seniors on Friday. Persons whose last names are in the A through K categories register in the morning. All others register in the afternoon.

Education wheels in District 4 started rolling Monday in preparation to the opening of school Sept. 6.

The 223 teachers and administrators in the district held a pre-induction and get acquainted meeting at Joseph Lane Junior High School. Featured speaker was Supt. M. C. (Mike) Deller whose topic was "The State of the Union."

Following introduction of administrative and supervisory staff, and the faculty members started a series of training meetings.

Negligent Homicide Charges Are Filed Against J. Quant

A Roseburg man, involved in a traffic accident which took the life of a friend, has been indicted by a Linn County grand jury on a charge of negligent homicide.

Joseph Leon Quant, 56, 2038 Vine St., was arrested here by state police Monday on a warrant from Linn County. Quant, however, posted \$1,000 bail and was freed.

Courtney R. Johns, Linn County district attorney, said the State official would attempt to establish that Quant was driving the 1955 Oldsmobile which struck the rear of a flat-bed truck near Halsey July 23, killing Lemuel Everett Bitner, 57, of 1203 N. Jackson St.

Quant has denied driving the car, which hit the pickup at an estimated 100 miles per hour, according to witnesses.

However, Quant had been arrested by state police about two hours earlier south of Eugene on a reckless driving charge. The arresting officer said he clocked the car at 105 miles per hour.

Quant said he had relinquished the wheel to Bitner before the fatal accident about 25 miles north of Eugene. The men were on their way to Albany, where the Roseburg Junior Legion baseball team was meeting Albany in the semi-finals of the state championship playoff.

Three persons riding in the one-ton truck which the late-bound passenger car struck were uninjured. They were Charles Edgar Sisk, his son, Ivan, 21, and Francis Lowe, 16, all of Halsey.

A secret indictment charging negligent homicide was returned by the Linn jury on Aug. 3, but the warrant for Quant's arrest was not issued until late last week.

The reckless driving charge against Quant has been continued until Oct. 1 in Linn County District Court, Johns said.

Roseburg Man Takes Life After Wife Is Killed

GOLDFIELD, Nev. (AP) — Henry Hytti, shaken and distraught by an automobile accident that claimed the life of his wife, lay down beside her body and put a bullet through his forehead Monday, Sheriff Ed Kitchen reported.

Hytti, 35, an employee of the Pacific Gas and Electric Co., at Roseburg, Ore., died almost immediately.

Kitchen reported that a pickup truck the Hyttis were riding in was going "too fast" and that it went out of control, rolled over four times and landed in a drainage ditch.

The woman, Alice Hytti, 50, was thrown out of the truck in the mishap on U. S. Highway 95 some 20 miles north of Tonopah, and killed outright.

Witnesses, not named by the sheriff, said Hytti wandered about the wrecked and burning vehicle in a dazed condition for a few moments and then pulled a .22 automatic pistol out of his luggage. He lay down beside his wife and shot himself.

Mr. and Mrs. Hytti lived at 247 S. Pine St.

Names of survivors of the couple weren't available this morning. However, Mrs. Hytti's mother, Mrs. A. H. Hollingsworth, lived with the couple here.

Funeral arrangements at Long & Orr Mortuary are to be made when relatives from California arrive here.

Israel Says Egyptians Killed 4 Jews

Egypt Countercharges With Claims Soldier Killed, Four Wounded

JERUSALEM (AP) — Violence continued without letup Monday night and Tuesday in the area of the Gaza strip, Israel charged the Egyptians with killing four Jewish civilians and wounding 10 other Israelis. Egypt accused the Israelis of killing four Arab civilians.

(In Cairo, an Egyptian military spokesman said fighting broke out near Gaza at 6 a.m. and was still going on Tuesday afternoon.)

An Israeli military spokesman said Egyptian infiltrators killed the four civilians and wounded six others in attacks Monday night, 12 to 15 miles inside Israeli territory north of the Gaza strip frontier. He said those killed were waylaid as they returned from work in an orchard near Beth Vered.

Four Israeli soldiers were injured—two seriously—when an army vehicle struck a mine near the Tel Tayin settlement Tuesday morning, the spokesman said.

He also charged that the Egyptians directed machine-gun and mortar fire on the Erez settlement Tuesday morning. The spokesman said there were no casualties on the Israeli side in a 15-minute exchange.

The Gaza frontier has been the scene of repeated Israeli-Egyptian clashes in recent months. Eighteen Israelis and eight Egyptians have died in incidents there during the past week.

The Egyptians accused the Israelis of wounding four Arab civilians, including a 10-year-old boy, in attacks late Monday on Egyptian outposts near Beit Hanoun, south of Gaza.

A U. S. spokesman in Jerusalem said Israel has filed complaints with the Israeli-Egyptian Mixed Armistice Commission regarding the latest incidents. A commission meeting postponed Monday until Tuesday was delayed further for investigation of the latest incidents.

Carrier Forrestal Meets Expectations Under Tests

ABOARD CARRIER FORRESTAL (AP) — This new 200 million dollar flattop knifed the Atlantic at 26 knots Tuesday under sunny skies, and the builder said she handles beautifully.

H. T. Bent, vice president and work manager for the Forrestal's builders, said of the testing that will determine if the 60,000-ton super aircraft carrier is ready to join the U. S. fleet:

"The ship handles beautifully and all the trials thus far have been executed on a schedule to everyone's satisfaction."

In her second day of trials, the Forrestal covered a huge triangular course from 100 to 150 miles off Virginia, North Carolina and Maryland. Dozens of tests were underway.

The 2,000 persons aboard eagerly awaited Wednesday's four-hour full power speed and endurance trial.

Secretary of the Navy Thomas had said the Forrestal would be capable of a speed of 40 m.p.h. Newsmen aboard ship were told they would not be permitted to report the top speed attained by the carrier as this is classified information.

New Felony Count Lodged Against Sutherland Man

A 30-year-old Sutherland man, John Stamper, was arraigned in district court Tuesday on a charge never before filed here.

The charge of "assault with intent to do great bodily harm" is a new felony count instituted by the last Legislature, according to Sheriff Ira C. Byrd, who filed the complaint.

Stamper is accused of beating Leonard McCoy, 29, Sutherland. McCoy, found in a Sutherland alley early Sunday morning, is in Mercy Hospital at Roseburg.

McCoy has a double fracture of the jaw and severe cuts and bruises, officers say. His condition is satisfactory. He is a highlander for Weyerhaeuser Timber Co., Byrd said.

Bail of \$1,500 was continued against Stamper by Judge Warren A. Woodruff. Stamper, remanded to jail, has asked to see an attorney. The case was continued until Wednesday.

Sutherland Police Chief Richard Crumal said he is still looking for witnesses to the fight. He said he does not know what caused the assault.

Review Course Slated For Aliens

A review course for aliens who completed a citizenship course leading to naturalization last fall has been scheduled starting tonight, according to Dick Boss, vocational and adult education director for School District 4.

The course will extend over the next six weeks, convening on Tuesday nights at the high school. Classes will start at 7 p.m.

Boss said the class won't be restricted to the dozen persons who completed last year's course on the Constitution, but those who may have been studying at home or feel they can pass naturalization examinations without only the review course behind them are welcome to attend.

Government texts and films will be available for the next naturalization examinations, scheduled possibly in October. The date will be announced in circuit court.

Roseburg Man Sentenced To Jail In Portland

PORTLAND (AP) — A 30-day jail sentence was meted out Monday to Clyde M. Cantrell, 27, Roseburg, on a charge of resisting arrest. In district court he also faces a larceny charge.

Cantrell was arrested Saturday on a charge of taking \$10 from a taven on N. Lombard street. He was accused of resisting arrest by Dewey H. Long, reserve police officer, who said Cantrell tried to escape while being held.

Inservice Training Program Slated

A two-day inservice training program for District 4 teachers built around the theme of "Improving School - Community Relations" starts Wednesday at the Douglas High School cafeteria.

Open to the public, it will feature outstanding district civic leaders, housewives, business men and education experts. It will start at 9 a.m. Featured speaker Wednesday is Calvin Fanus, Roseburg Lumber Co., who will be heard at 9:30 a.m. Most of the day will be devoted to field trips.

Dr. John McAnulty of Southern Oregon College will address the session Thursday at 10:45 a.m. Three group-panel discussions, concerning school - community problems, will be conducted in the afternoon.

Supt. William Bromley said purpose of the two-day program is to acquaint new teachers in the district with the community and to enable residents to meet the instructors.

In The Day's News

BY FRANK JENKINS

The other night, in one of our Southern Oregon counties, the United Fund and the Red Cross directors met in emergency session and voted unanimously to borrow \$1800 at the banks and rush the money to the national Red Cross to be used in the alleviation of human distress in the flood-stricken areas of the Northeast.

The money will be added to the total of the annual United Fund-Red Cross campaign that will get under way shortly, and the loan will be repaid out of the first monies coming in when the campaign starts.

How was the \$1800 amount determined?

That is an interesting story. No quota for the county had as yet been fixed. But back in the disastrous Middle West floods of 1951 it was asked by the national Red Cross to contribute \$1500.

It raised \$1800.

So it was decided that it should

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Pleas Changed To Guilty; Judge Assesses Penalties

Two persons due to go on trial in district court Monday went before the judge before trial time and changed their pleas.

Charles L. Wade, 21, a serviceman stationed at Twentynine Palms, Calif., pleaded guilty to reckless driving and was fined \$45 and 35 court costs by Judge Warren A. Woodruff.

Wade was arrested Aug. 26 after his car struck a barricade on Highway 99 near Rice Hill, rolled over and went 730 feet before stopping.

Harry E. Smith pleaded guilty to defrauding an innkeeper. Judge Woodruff postponed imposition of sentence for 30 days, during which time Smith is to pay his bill at the Hotel Umpqua.

Nixon's Life Threatened; Drunken Man Is Arrested

BOSTON (AP) — A man, who police said had been drinking, called Vice President Richard Nixon's hotel room yesterday and threatened to kill him.

The man was not identified. He was questioned and released.

Police said the man called Nixon's room from a booth in the hotel lobby and told a Nixon aide, whom he apparently believed to be the vice president, that:

"I'm coming up to get you. I've got a gun. I'm going to kill you."

The hotel switchboard operator, instructed to listen to the first words of a call to Nixon's room, quickly summoned security police.

The man was apprehended in the phone booth and searched. Police said he was not armed but had been drinking.

Nixon is in Boston attending the Convention of Foreign Wars campment.

Fifth Annual Shrine Circus Dates Announced

The Roseburg Shrine Club will sponsor the fifth annual Shrine Circus at the Douglas County Fairgrounds for two days, Sunday and Monday, Sept. 18 and 19.

The announcement was made today by W. L. (Les) Carr, president of the club. He said C. H. (Stub) Esselstrom has been appointed general chairman and L. C. Knudson, co-chairman for the circus.

Esselstrom said the circus will again be produced by Polack Bros. and will be the same show presented in Chicago, San Francisco, Los Angeles and Seattle. He said one of the leading national magazines has acclaimed the 1955 production the "best yet."

Installation Scheduled By Employees Association

Installation of officers is scheduled Thursday night at the Knights of Pythias Hall for the Roseburg Chapter 2 of the Oregon State Employees Assn. The meeting will start at 8.

Officers to be installed are William E. Pitney, president; Paul Gregory, vice president; Don Trout, treasurer; and Miss Helen Faibe, secretary.

Dulles Says Russia Offered Arms To Middle East Areas

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State Dulles said Tuesday there have been reliable reports that Russia has offered arms to some countries in the Middle East.

Such an action by Russia—the supplying of arms to nations in a troubled area—would not contribute to the relaxing of world tensions, Dulles said.

The secretary made clear to a news conference that he had no official information on the reported Russian offers of arms.

Reports of the offers have circulated for several weeks in diplomatic quarters here.

Dulles declined to name any country as the target of the Soviet offers.

But he responded to a question about whether he knew of offers to Egypt or other states in the Middle East, and said simply that there are indications that such offers may have been made.

Dulles said there was no evidence he knew of that Soviet equipment was actually already in Arab hands. Those registries have been getting their military supplies from non-Communist sources, he said.

On other subjects, Dulles told his news conference:

1. The United States has urged both Israel and Egypt within the past 48 hours to refrain from the use of force in their border dispute. The two nations have been involved for weeks in bloody skirmishes in the Gaza area.

2. Israel and the Arab governments are studying Dulles' proposal of last Friday for an American guarantee of a peace settlement if they can make one. The reaction of those countries will determine what the United States will do next in trying to get a settlement.

3. The United States must maintain patience and hope in negotiations with Red China at Geneva for the release of American civilians detained on the Chinese mainland. Dulles said he did not feel any great encouragement with respect to the Geneva talks so far except as he believes that with the passage of time some result eventually will be achieved.

Registration Set For Days Creek

Days Creek High School pupils will register Thursday and Friday of the coming school year, according to Supt. Marlen Yoder.

Times for the early registration will be from 9 to 11:30 a.m. and 1 to 3:30 p.m. each day. Supt. Yoder has arranged an evening opening time from 7 to 8:30 p.m. for working pupils.

Meanwhile, grade school pupils will be registered on the first day of school, Sept. 6.

School buses will run the first day and on the same schedule as last year. School will start at 8:30 a.m. Sept. 6.

Correspondent Jean Yoder reports that hot lunches will not be served the first day but will begin Wednesday.

Supt. Yoder said that high school pupils will receive a 5 per cent discount if they pay their entrance fees at registration, including student body dues and insurance.

Army Reservists Meeting Slated In New Quarters

The next meeting of the local Army Reserve unit of the 104th Timberwolf Division will be held at new quarters in Building 23 on the Veterans Hospital grounds.

Sgt. L. C. Lonnie M. Weaver, assistant unit adviser of Co. 1, 413th Inf. Reg., said the reserve office is now being moved to the new location, near the Naval Reserve building just off Harvard Avenue.

The next meeting of Co. 1 will be Thursday, Sept. 1, at 8 p.m., and Sgt. Weaver said members should report to the new west-side meeting place.

The VA building has been under renovation by Todd Building Co., under an Army contract to provide space for an Army and Air Force Reserve Training Center. Plans for moving local Air Force Reserve headquarters, now at 904 S. Stephens St. with the Army Reserve, have not been completed.

After installation of equipment and complete occupancy of the VA building, an open house is planned for the public, Sgt. Weaver said.

After Tuesday, persons desiring information about the Army Reserve should contact Sgt. Weaver at the new location.

Thomas Fenelon Lodged In Jail

Thomas Patrick Fenelon, 26, Sutherland, was lodged in the county jail Monday to begin serving a 30-day sentence for resisting arrest Saturday night.

Fenelon also received fines of \$50, \$50 and \$25 on three charges when he appeared before Municipal Judge J. C. Irwin.

Fenelon was accused of disorderly conduct and destruction of city property, besides resisting arrest, after a fracas at a Sutherland night club, according to Police Chief Richard Crumal.

Crumal said Officer Audie Campbell received torn ligaments in an arm during the melee. Campbell and Officer Tim Goodson finally took Fenelon to the city jail, however.

There, Fenelon incurred a third charge when he ripped out the plumbing in his cell, Crumal said.

Douglas Still Answering Emergency Relief Calls

Douglas County residents are continuing to answer the call for emergency relief funds to aid the residents in disaster - stricken northeastern areas.

As of Monday evening, a total of \$463 had been turned into county Red Cross headquarters in Roseburg. The quota assigned the county by national RC personnel is slightly more than \$1,000.

Chapter Chairman Ira Byrd Tuesday urged citizens to help increase the county total. He pointed out that Red Cross work in the area had "just started."

National Red Cross Officer Gen. Curtis T. Beecher Monday pointed out that while headlines disappear, the work will continue. He likened the disaster to the "washing out of the Umpqua Valley."

He said a total of \$83 had been turned into the RC booth at the county fair.

Douglas High School Sets Registration Friday

All seventh graders and all new students at Douglas High School, Brookway, will register Friday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Principal David Potter said no transportation would be furnished. Fees for seventh and eighth graders are \$6; for freshmen through seniors \$13, exclusive of athletic fees. Football insurance and laundry fees total \$12.50.

Three Recent Larceny Cases Investigated

Three recent larceny cases were under investigation by sheriff's officers today, one involving the theft of camping equipment while a family was on an outing.

Sheriff Ira C. Byrd said Mrs. James M. Evans, Glade, reported the theft of two sleeping bags, a mattress, flashlight and kettle. She told officers Monday of the theft.

C. H. Galer, also Glade, said a logging block valued at \$50 has been taken from a logging deck on Susan Creek.

Mrs. Albert Radcliff, Rt. 1 Box 352, reported the theft of a boy's red bicycle. She said the bike apparently was taken Saturday while the family was at the fair.

Icardi Denies Complicity In Holohan Death

WASHINGTON (AP) — Aldo Icardi pleaded innocent Tuesday to charges he falsely denied complicity in the World War II death of Maj. William Holohan.

Icardi, 34, a slight little man, appeared voluntarily in U. S. District Court to respond to the indictment returned against him Monday by a federal grand jury. After making his plea, he was released on \$10,000 bond.

Judge Joseph C. McGarraghy said he would set the trial date in about two weeks.

Two Washington lawyers, Edward Bennett Williams, and Murdaugh S. Madden, appeared in court with Icardi, a resident of Pittsburgh.

Pennsylvania attorneys for Icardi—Ruggiero J. Aldisert of Pittsburgh and Samuel L. Rodgers of Washington, Pa., had announced earlier that Icardi would plead innocent.

"We have not had the opportunity of examining or studying the details of the indictment, but be assured that Aldo Icardi intends to plead not guilty. We shall continue to represent Mr. Icardi in his four-year battle to establish his innocence."

Icardi, tried and sentenced in absentia by an Italian court to life imprisonment for the slaying of Holohan in December 1944, is a former Army lieutenant who now lives here and aspires to law practice.

The courts have ruled he cannot be extradited and legal authorities say he cannot be tried in this country on a murder charge.

Officers Investigating Smashing Of Window

Sheriff's officers today were investigating a third recent case of vandals smashing a plate glass window.

Sheriff Ira C. Byrd said a large window in Cardinal Tire Co., 2334 N. Stephens St., apparently was broken Saturday night by a pop bottle. Damage is estimated at \$100 by owner C. G. Whelchel.

City police Monday reported two other weekend window-smashing incidents over the weekend.

Charles Frank Brown Fined, Sent To Jail

Charles Frank Brown, 29, Mechanica, Ore., was fined \$150 and given a 30-day county jail sentence Monday after he was found guilty of drunken driving.

Brown went on trial before Judge Warren A. Woodruff. Brown has been out on bail bond since July 1 when he was arrested by state police.

Levy Fact Rant

Why give those devastating hurricanes sweet-sounding feminine names? The most recent one to scramble Atlantic Coast states might have been more appropriately referred to as "Columbus Jane."

The Weather

Cloudy night and morning hours. Partly sunny afternoons today and Wednesday. Cooler both days.

Highest temp. last 24 hours	83
Lowest temp. last 24 hours	52
Highest temp. any August	106
Lowest temp. any August	39
Precip. last 24 hours	T
Precip. from Aug. 1	T
Precip. from Sept. 1	22.59
Deficiency from Sept. 1	7.89

Sunset tonight, 6:52 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow, 5:35 p.m.