

President Views Budget Balance But No Tax Cut

Eisenhower Says Outlook Bright But Asks Foreign Aid To Meet Red Threat

By ED GREACH

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower said Thursday the budget will be in balance this fiscal year and next. He declared, however, a tax cut would be justifiable only if it would not put the government into the red again.

Eisenhower told Congress the nation's outlook is "bright with promise" even though Soviet leaders have shown they "are not yet willing to create the indispensable conditions for a secure and lasting peace."

In his annual State of the Union message, Eisenhower declared Russia has shifted from "violence and the threat of violence to reliance on division, enticement and duplicity."



PATRICK ELLAM
... intrepid sailor

Sports Authority On Small Sailing Craft Billed Here

One of the top sports authorities of the world on the small sailing craft will be in Roseburg Friday, Jan. 13, to speak to members of the Umpqua Valley Knife and Fork Club.

He is Patrick Ellam, who will speak at the Elks Ballroom, announces Club President Harold Augustus.

This adventurous young English skipper did what the old salts of Brittany said could never be done. Ellam's accomplishment was sailing the treacherous Atlantic Ocean in a 19-foot sailboat. With a single companion, he left Falmouth Harbor, A year later, after having traveled down the coasts of Spain and Portugal to Africa and the Canary Islands, thence across the West Indies and up the coast of Florida northward, the little "Soprano" reached New York safely.

Ellam's feat paid off with an assignment with Time-Life Inc., publishers of the new magazine "Sports Illustrated." He was engaged to travel the Caribbean in search of the old and unusual in spectator sports. The off-beat sports included octopus racing, alligator racing, spear fishing, game fishing and cock fighting.

\$400 Damage Estimated In Two-Car Collision

An estimated \$400 in damages resulted when two cars crashed at the intersection of Stephens and Douglas Streets Wednesday.

Roseburg police cited Jo Ann Powell, 23, of 722 SE Flint St., Roseburg, for failure to yield right-of-way. The other car was driven by Esther Faye Campbell, 32, of 1356 SE Main St., Roseburg. Damage to each car was estimated at \$200.

In The Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

This is written on the morning of the fourth day of 1956 — the year of the political big wind. Already the teletype is spitting out politics like a colored boy at a Mississippi picnic spitting out watermelon seeds.

House Democratic Floor Leader John McCormack says he thinks the Democrats should fight their major investigations this year on what he calls control of the government by big business.

He adds: "This administration is dominated by Big Business, and I think the public should know the extent to which Big Business has taken over."

Hmmmmmm! Let's see. According to official statistics of the U.S. treasury, people in the \$3,000 to \$5,000 income class pay over 10 percent of their average income and keep 90 percent for themselves. Big shots in the upper bracket took over 90 PER CENT of their incomes to the gov-

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The Weather

Partly cloudy with occasional showers today, tonight and Friday.

Highest temp. last 24 hours	53
Lowest temp. last 24 hours	43
Highest temp. any Jan.	71
Lowest temp. any Jan.	6
Precip. last 24 hours	.03
Precip. from Jan. 1	1.08
Precip. from Sept. 1	24.51
Excess from Sept. 1	11.78

Sunrise tonight, 4:52 p.m.
Sunset tomorrow, 7:45 a.m.

Park Acquisition Hits Snag

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Douglas County Records First 1956 Fatality

Myrtle Point Man Is Victim; 4 Others Hurt

(See picture Page 2)

The driver of one car was killed outright and four other persons injured, one critically, in a two-car collision just north of Wilbur on Highway 99 Wednesday night.

Woodrow Wilson Chase, 37, Myrtle Point, died of head and chest injuries, according to Coroner L. L. Powers.

The injured are: Chase's wife, Gladys, 37, in critical condition from possible internal injuries. She was still unconscious Thursday morning.

Their son, Wayne Robert, 13, who has shock, bruises and an injured hip.

A passenger in the Chase car, Jerry Milton Schlegel, 25, Forest Grove, who has an injured shoulder.

Tony Milton Rayburn, 21, Drain, who has head lacerations and a fractured right leg.

All the injured were taken to Douglas Community Hospital by Mohr Ambulance Service.

A witness, Blake Baird, Oakland, told state police that Rayburn had turned into the left lane to pass another car and hit the Chase car head-on. Police said Chase apparently swerved his car, and the collision resulted on the shoulder of the highway.

Rayburn was traveling south and Chase north at the time of the accident.

The fatality was the first in traffic in Douglas County in 1956. The first of 1955 didn't occur until Feb. 19. It also was the first fatality on relocated Highway 99, between Shady and Oakland Junction since the new highway was opened.

State police said the car Rayburn was passing never stopped. They asked that he identify himself at their headquarters in Roseburg. The accident occurred about 10:30 p.m., police said.

Slain Airman's Girl Friend's Body Is Found

GREAT FALLS, Mont. (AP) — The body of a 19-year-old blonde, a bullet through her head, was found in a rocky ravine yesterday, eight miles from the lovers' lane where her Air Force sweetheart was slain.

Pretty Patricia Kalitke's slumped body lay at the foot of a 20-foot embankment off a highway six miles north of this central Montana city.

The girl's escort, SFC Lloyd Duane Bogle, 18, of Waco, Tex., was found dead beside his parked car Tuesday morning. His hands were bound behind his back. He also had been shot in the head.

Sheriff D. J. Leeper said there was little doubt the same person killed both.

The sheriff ruled out both sex and robbery as possible motives. He said Patricia apparently had not been attacked, and there was \$5 in Bogle's wallet.

Three Boys To Answer To Burglary Charges

Three boys from Canyonville and Days Creek are to answer to burglary charges in juvenile court, according to Sheriff Ira C. Byrd.

The boys, aged 14 and 16, were arrested by a deputy Tuesday. Details of their crime weren't made clear. They were charged specifically with burglary not in a dwelling.

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PARK SITE — The area outlined in white at left and center of aerial photo is the 124.43 acres which the City of Roseburg is seeking for park purposes. The city is protesting

price tag put on it by General Services Administration. The camera was pointed east. At lower left is Hucrest, with Garden Valley Road the white line at left.

5-Year Building Program Slated

Disaster Loans Machinery Set

The machinery for disaster loans and emergency repairs to roads, and streets was under way today.

Civil Defense Organization Director Gen. J. T. Pierce announced today that a meeting of mayors, city managers and engineers of the county is scheduled in the circuit court room at the north end of the former St. Joseph's Catholic School in Roseburg. They will receive an explanation of the mechanics of claims in this disaster area. The meeting starts at 5 p.m.

Making the explanation will be representatives of the Bureau of Public Roads and Small Business Administration.

Wednesday, the engineer from the BPR met with the Douglas County Court to discuss damages to county roads. County Road Engineer Floyd Frear was appointed by the court to aid the BPR man, C. E. Halliday, in a survey of emergency repairs to the county roads and bridges.

Permanent repairs, according to County Judge Carl C. Hill, cannot be included for federal aid.

Hill also intends to inspect distressed streets in platted areas outside incorporated areas.

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Clyde L. Brewer Fined For Reckless Driving

Clyde Lester Brewer, 47, Roseburg, was fined \$75 by Municipal Judge Randolph Sleum Wednesday after Brewer pleaded guilty to a charge of reckless driving.

The charge was reduced from one of drunken driving, made at the time of Brewer's arrest by city police on Oct. 29. Brewer pleaded innocent to that count, and was to have stood trial Wednesday. As in all such convictions, the judge recommended Brewer's driver's license be suspended 30 days.

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Board Members Authorize Plan Subject To Voters

Roseburg school board members meeting in special session Wednesday night authorized the first phase of a building program for District 4.

They adopted the following plan for the 1956-57 school year, subject to voter approval: A six-room east elementary school unit in east Roseburg, including purchase of a site; a four-room addition at Hucrest School; allotment of money for future sites; and the possible completion of the kitchen facilities at Joseph Lane Junior High School.

The board will meet Jan. 11 to set a definite financial figure for the "first leg."

Discussion concerning the construction program in the district consumed many hours before board members authorized its start. As one member, Wayne Croon, noted: "I think we should look farther ahead than one year." And he expressed the thinking of the group.

Suplt. M. C. Deller, at the board's request, had earlier outlined a tentative long-range program. For the year 1957-58 it includes more school rooms in the Green and Hucrest areas. In 1958-59 it suggests additional classrooms at Hucrest, an elementary starter unit in west

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FPC Will Not Recall Idaho Power Approval

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Power Commission says it will not recall its approval of the Idaho Power Company's revised plans for two of its three proposed developments in the Snake River's Hells Canyon.

The company received approval Nov. 3 to revise its plans for the Brownlee, Oxbow and Low Hells Canyon dams. Public power groups for two of its three proposed developments in the Snake River's Hells Canyon.

The commission announced Wednesday it will stand on its decision.

A court test of the matter is deemed likely.

British Jet Fighter Crashes Into Trailers

LICHETER, England (AP) — A British jet fighter-bomber crashed into a cluster of residential trailers Thursday and four persons were reported killed, including a woman and her baby.

The airplane, a Sea Venom used by the Fleet Air Arm, plowed through two of the 12 trailers on the site, spawning wreckage. The pilot and observer, the only two in the plane, perished.

Earth Slides Litter Highways

Debris from earth slides littered streets, highways and railroad lines in the Pacific Northwest Thursday in the wake of wind, rain and snow storms.

Highway 99, the main north-south route west of the Cascades, was cut north of Vancouver, Wash., when Salmon Creek Bridge sagged from weakened underpinning. A detour was used, adding seven miles. There was no estimate when damage would be repaired.

The Union Pacific's main line, blocked in the Columbia Gorge near Multnomah Falls, when a massive slide poured down just ahead of a 125-car freight train Wednesday night, was to be back in use later Thursday. Five cars were derailed as the train plowed through the slide but the crew escaped unharmed. Meantime tracks on the Washington side of the Columbia River were used.

At Seattle a mud slide wrecked the home of James O. Sneddon, University of Washington photographer, burying his 12-year-old daughter for 15 minutes before Sneddon could rescue her.

At least seven families left their hillside homes in Portland, when slides endangered them. The still-sudden earth held a continuing threat to them and to several others despite the let-up in rain which

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President Urges Speed On John Day Partnership Project

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower urged Thursday that Congress act at this session on the John Day partnership project, a multi-million-dollar Columbia River dam enmeshed in a Pacific Northwest political dispute.

The John Day project, above The Dalles Dam on the Oregon-Washington border, would cost 310 million dollars for power features under a partnership bill introduced last session by Rep. Coon (R-Ore). However, in his State of the Union message to Congress, he said a "comprehensive legislative program for water conservation" will be submitted to Congress during this session.

"The need is such that we must make faster progress and without delay," the President said in the message section on resources conservation. "Therefore, I strongly recommend that action be taken at this session on such wholly federal projects as the Colorado River Storage Project and the Frying Pan-Arkansas Project; on the John Day partnership project, and other

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BID DATE SET BACK

Date of the bid openings for a bookmobile for the Douglas County Library has been set back until Friday at 9 p.m., according to the County Court. The bids were to have been opened today.

Welfare Recipient Buys Tavern, Suit Charges

PORTLAND (AP) — A woman accused of paying \$10,875 for a tavern while drawing public welfare assistance is defendant in a suit filed by state and county welfare commissions Wednesday.

The commissions ask recovery of \$283 which they say Mrs. Josephine P. Wagner drew in welfare aid between May, 1953, and September, 1953. She was licensed to operate the tavern in 1954, the suit said.

DRIVER FINED

Thomas William Staten, 43, Winston, was fined \$25 when he pleaded guilty to driving with a suspended operator's license before Dist. Judge Warren A. Woodruff. He was arrested Tuesday by state police.

Levity Fact Rant

By L. F. Reizenstein

The definition of natural history relating to buzzards and vultures should be expanded to include the post-catastrophe looters, such as were restrained by armed vigilance during the recent California floods.

Appraisal Puts Value At \$19,475

Figure Almost Triple Originally Estimated Cost For VA Property

By CHUCK GRELL
Staff Writer, News-Review

The expected acquisition by the City of Roseburg of 124.43 acres of surplus Veterans Administration property has encountered a snag which threatens to cancel municipal plans for the city's first big park.

The city 18 months ago filed an application with the General Services Administration to purchase the tract for park purposes at half its appraised valuation under a congressional law drafted by Sen. Wayne L. Morse (D-Ore).

Wednesday, a GSA representative from Seattle told city officials that the price tag is \$19,475, plus contingencies. The sum is about \$12,000 over the amount estimated earlier. The contingencies — title transfer, government survey of the property, etc. — amount to \$975.

The news was delivered to city officials by GSA's Gene Thissen, who discussed the matter Wednesday afternoon in the city hall. He said the law must be complied with and held out little hope of mitigation, despite protests of the city officials.

The city had itemized \$7,000 in the 1954-55 budget to be ticketed toward purchase of the property. When the city first applied for the property, it was anticipated that the appraisal would be about \$12,500.

City Manager George Farrell said he'd appeal the appraisal, made by a Eugene appraiser, James Rodman Thissen and the GSA would waive a Jan. 30 deadline.

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Fred M. Darby, Deputy Surveyor, Succeeds Irving

Fred M. Darby, deputy surveyor in Douglas County, Wednesday was appointed to be county surveyor by the County Court.

He succeeds Ron B. Irving, who resigned Dec. 31. Irving had been acting as surveyor and also as head of the Umpqua Basin Water Resources Survey, a county project. He will continue in the latter capacity.

During the past 14 years, Darby had been in charge of the surveyor's office while Irving was busy with the water resources survey. He was chief deputy in the department the past two years and has been an employee in the office since 1948.

Educated in Ohio and California, the new surveyor has been in the profession since 1921. His work has included 12 years with the Southern California Edison Co., a power company. He also has worked on subdivision, highway and oil company surveys.

In World War II, he was with the Army Corps of Engineers for two years.

Darby said he "expects to continue the work of the office in the manner it was previously carried on."

Slide Knocks Out Power To Glendale Vicinities

A slide south of Canyonville late Wednesday afternoon knocked out power in the Glendale, Azules and Wolf Creek areas, according to Glendale correspondent Mrs. G. B. Fox.

Mrs. Fox says the outage was caused when the slide took out a California Oregon Power Co. tower. Service was restored in 26 minutes after power crews were alerted. The area was switched to lines coming in from the south, Mrs. Fox relates. She received a report on the action from Charles Reibling, Glendale Cupco representative.

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