

Sec. Humphrey Opposes Standby Credit Controls

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey Friday opposed standby consumer credit controls—something President Eisenhower suggested in his economic message.

Testifying before the Senate House Economic Committee, Humphrey also said:

1. There is nothing now in sight to justify a tax cut.

2. He sees nothing "alarming" to the nation's economy in the farm price situation.

The congressional group, headed by Sen. Douglas (D-Ill.), is holding hearings on the President's recent economic report.

In it, Eisenhower asked that serious consideration be given to providing standby authority for government controls on installment buying. Some economists have suggested that consumer credit is rising too fast.

Humphrey, asked about this, said he thought the government would be taking on "a lot of responsibility when you tell 157 million people what they can afford to buy."

Asked if it would be advisable to have such authority available if needed, Humphrey said "I think it is better not to have stand-by controls."

The secretary went on to say he believes it would be preferable "to act when you know the conditions you have to meet."

If any stand-by authority were to be provided, he said, he thought it would be best to permit "a freeze on everything" for brief periods in case of "a very great emergency" until Congress and the executive branch had opportunity to review the situation and act.

Hospital News

Mercy Hospital
Admitted: Mrs. Carl Harris, Sutherlin; Reginald Johnston, Brockway; Mrs. Paul Jones, Idley Park; Dwight Drager, Roseburg.
Medical: Mrs. William Reinhart, Mrs. Frank Tognotti, Roseburg; Mrs. Clifford Fellows, Sutherlin; Wilfred Jensen, Portland; Gregory Richards, Myrtle Creek.

Discharged
Mrs. Laurie Adamski and baby, Sherri Ann; Mrs. Gene Chastean and baby, Jackie Lee; Gary Lee, Roseburg; Richey Bodine, Oakland; Dave Starr, Bend.

Douglas Community Hospital
Surgery: Floyd Gahagan, Mary Welker, Roseburg.
Medical: Mrs. Carl Smith, Dillard; James House, Sutherlin; Eddie Nichols, Glade; Mrs. John Marks, Roseburg.

Discharged
Mrs. Charles Miller, Melvin, James and Robin Hume, Mrs. Ida Nordling, Paul Meredith, Luther Miller, Lavell Ford, Frank Wittwer, Roseburg; John Peden, Winston.

Oregon Pays Tribute To Governor Patterson

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disability or resignation of the governor and the one of the people to serve a term in his own right. His initial service as governor came by elevation from president of the Senate when Gov. Douglas McKay resigned.

McKay, secretary of the Interior, flew from Washington to attend the funeral service.

Other dignitaries attending include Sen. Wayne Morse and former Sen. Guy Cordon, Reps. Edith Green and Walter Norblad, former Idaho Gov. Len Jordan and former Oregon Govs. Charles Sprague, John Hall, Oswald West and A. W. Norblad.

Italian and British consular officials also were to be present.

High School-College Relations Group Here

A high school-college relations committee of the Oregon State System of Higher Education was at Roseburg High School Thursday, according to Principal Harry Jacoby. Supt. Byron Evans of Glade High School arranged for seniors from his school to attend the session.

Among the visitation team were representatives of all institutions of higher education as well as Oregon Technical Institute. The committee was headed by Francis Nickerson, executive secretary, Eugene.

The purpose of the session was to explain general college preparation and requirements.

SEWING CLASS HELD

The first of two 4-H leaders sewing classes, conducted by Miss Jane Gates of the Extension Office, was given at the Singer Sewing Center recently. The topic was the uses and care of a sewing machine. The remaining class will be held on Feb. 13 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the same location.

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Benson Pledges To Find A Way To Help Farmer

PORTLAND (AP)—Secretary of Agriculture Benson headed into Eastern Washington Friday on his speaking tour of the West, leaving behind some cheering Republicans and disgruntled wheat farmers.

Benson drew the cheers Thursday night at a Republican Lincoln Day banquet in which he pledged the government to find a way to solve the farm problem.

He said the government "has a clear obligation to assist farmers in adjusting to peacetime markets and conditions. This we will do so."

Agriculture Secretary Benson's Lincoln Day address to Republicans at Portland will be broadcast through means of a tape recording at 9:30 tonight on station KRNR.

that farmers will be fairly rewarded for the magnificent contribution they are making toward raising living standards for all of us."

He also told the 1,350 cheering Republicans that the administration's program will be designed for the good of the nation as well as the farmer and will not be "based on a political applause meter."

Benson won some critical comment earlier in the day when he told the National Assn. of Wheat Growers that this is not the year to press for a domestic parity program, also known as the two-price system.

"We should not confuse the issue by pressing for domestic parity in 1956. First we should pass the President's soil bank program, then in 1957 turn to a unified effort toward passing domestic parity," he said.

There were disapproving comments from delegates of nearly all Western States.

The wheat farmers had hoped to push the domestic parity system into effect this year. It would call for 100 per cent parity for wheat grown for human consumption, less for wheat as animal feed, and competitive sales in foreign markets.

Benson also indicated belief at a press conference that any congressional bill to raise high fixed price supports might meet a presidential veto.

Asked if he would recommend a veto of such legislation, Benson replied, "It would not be necessary to make a recommendation." He called right 90 per cent parity supports "a bankrupt program, a step backward and a serious mistake."

Mrs. Doris Kenwisher Entertains Sorority

By MRS. BRITTAIN SLACK

Mrs. Doris Kenwisher recently entertained the Beta Eta Chapter of Epistol Sigma Alpha for a social meeting at her home in Sutherlin.

A discussion was held on the dance that the club will hold Feb. 11 at the West Side School Gym. There will be twelve prizes given away with a hope chest and contents as grand prize, the dance will be known as "Hope Chest Dance" and the orchestra will be the Bruce Kelley Trio. The hope chest and other prizes can be seen in the window of Lowell's this week.

After the meeting lunch was served by Mrs. Kenwisher.

The next meeting will be held on Feb. 8 at the home of Janet Mullins. The topic for the month will be India.

Roseburg Lions Members Learn More About Wine

Roseburg Lions club members Thursday night learned more about wine and were treated to a sample of the product with their dinner.

Carl Werner, a member of the Wine Advisory Board, appointed by the California Dept. of Agriculture, and with headquarters in Portland, was guest speaker and presented a film on the grape industry and the process of making wine.

Werner said more people would use wine in their every-day living if they knew more about how to use it properly. He stressed that wine is a meal-time beverage and not to be used in over-abundance.

California's wine and the money is used in part for promotion of its sales and distribution.

DINNER PLANNED

A smorgasbord dinner will be held Monday, 7 p.m. at the Veterans Memorial Bldg. in Oakland. Admission will be by ticket. These tickets may be purchased from the Oakland police officers.

TRIES OUT PROJECTOR

The Umpqua School Assn. tried out their new projector last week with a movie shown at the school house. Jim Brown and Dale Swineheart were in charge of the showing.



BIRTHS

Douglas Community Hospital
WELLING — To Mr. and Mrs. Chester Welling, 614 NE Clover Lane, Roseburg, Jan. 27, a daughter, Joyce Marie; weight 3 pounds 10 ounces.

JANTZER — To Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jantzer, Box 100, Camas Valley, Jan. 27, a son, Carl Xavier; weight 7 pounds 5 1/2 ounces.

MOODY — To Mr. and Mrs. Victor Moody, 3140 NE Johnson, Roseburg, Jan. 28, a son, Larry Dean; weight 7 pounds 10 ounces.

FORD — To Mr. and Mrs. Lavell Ford, Rt. 2 Box 581, Roseburg, Jan. 28, a son, Robert Wesley; weight 5 pounds 14 ounces.

MOSS — To Mr. and Mrs. James Moss, Sutherlin, Jan. 28, a son, Jerome Alan; weight 7 pounds 5 1/4 ounces.

BROADWATER — To Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Broadwater, Rt. 1 Box 202, Roseburg, Jan. 30, a daughter, Ruth Ann; weight 7 pounds 3 ounces.

MENTZER — To Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Mentzer, 2448 W. Alamosa Court, Roseburg, Jan. 30, a daughter, Linda Kay; weight 3 pounds 1 1/2 ounces.

MICHALEK — To Dr. and Mrs. Louis Michalek, 742 W. Nebo, Roseburg, Jan. 30, a son, William Frank; weight 8 pounds 15 ounces.

GREGORY — To Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gregory, 2767 W. Langenberg Ave., Roseburg, Jan. 31, a son, Stephen Phillip; weight 7 pounds 7 1/2 ounces.

BRIGGS — To Mr. and Mrs. Archie Briggs, 480 NE Sterling Dr., Roseburg, Jan. 31, a son, Randy Scott; weight 9 pounds 10 1/2 ounces.

Vital Statistics

KING - JENKIN — David King and Olga Gwen Jenkin, both of Oakland.

HART - ANDERSON — Thomas J. Hart and Helen J. Anderson, both of Roseburg.

Divorce Suit Dismissal
LAVIGNE — Audrey Irene vs. Edwin A. Lavigne.

Divorce Decree
BALCOM — Boyd A. from Loretta F. Balcom. Defendant awarded custody and \$60 monthly support for two minor children.

Western Europe Death Toll 100 In Severe Cold

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frost killed an estimated million and a half dollars worth of spring flowers.

The frigid blasts from Siberia had sheathed most rivers of the continent with ice, halting boats carrying badly needed fuel and food. The intense cold ruptured water and gas mains, and electric power stations broke down under abnormal demands for heat in homes and factories.

The crew of the Swedish ship Roaming took to their boats in the storm-swept Mediterranean near Crete after radioing their ship was going down. Hours later their fate was not known.

Helicopters, braving fierce gales which kept rescue ships away, plucked 41 men from the 9,882-ton Norwegian tanker Dovrefjell, aground on a reef off the Scottish coast. The captain and nine other crewmen chose to stay aboard.

Extension Units Slate Two Separate Projects

Douglas County Home Extension Units will work on two projects in February and March.

The project leader meetings will concern "Care of the Hair." A discussion and demonstration on daily and weekly care of the hair will be given.

A second project concerns making of rolls and bread from sweet dough. It will be given by home extension agent Helen Chandler.

The county has 20 HE units. All interested homemakers are invited to attend HE sessions, Miss Chandler said. There are no requirements for membership, she added. Persons wishing to learn more about the units may contact her at the Douglas County agent's office in Roseburg.

Dixonville Area Reports Contributions For MOD

Mother's March captain, Mrs. Betty Hart, reports \$135.54 was collected from the Dixonville area for the March of Dimes.

The Dixon Creek School children contributed \$36.07 to the MOD. The skating party held at the Rolletta Rink for Deer Creek School children also netted the school \$53.58 as the manager of the skating rink remitted the money to the school, making a total of \$89.65 for the school.

Total contributions to the MOD from the Dixonville area was \$294.14.

Walker Man Accidentally Shot To Death Thursday

EUGENE (AP)—Fletcher C. England, 72, of Walker, was accidentally shot to death Thursday, Coroner Fred Buell reported Friday.

Buell said England was visiting at the lodge of Donald Connor, 64, at Walker, 20 miles south of here, at the time of the accident.

Connor was cleaning his shotgun when it accidentally discharged, wounding England in the head, Buell reported.

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Azalea Telephone Exchange Is Placed On Dial System Ahead Of Scheduled Date

A breakdown in the former Azalea telephone exchange system made it necessary for the Glendale Telephone Co. to switch to a newly installed automatic dial board before the time officially planned.

The new dial board was originally scheduled to go into operation Saturday night, but a breakdown of the old system serving Azalea this week made it necessary to put the new board in operation Wednesday, according to corresponding Mrs. G. B. Fox of Glendale.

The conversion now makes four long-distance lines (direct to Roseburg) two lines to Glendale and six local circuits available. The channeling of long-distance calls directly to Roseburg instead of through Glendale will eliminate a bottleneck which had limited capacity of the old board.

To facilitate transmission of calls through Glendale and Azalea, an automatic cutoff system will limit conversation between the communities to eight minutes.

Subscribers have been asked to tear out and destroy the sheet in the telephone book which contains the old numbers. New numbers for Azalea subscribers are prefixed by Terrace. Glendale's prefix is Vernon.

Mrs. Fox reports that in a few cases, numbers printed in the telephone book will have to be changed. In almost every case, the change is in the second digit of the number.

Service, meanwhile, which was disrupted throughout the Glendale-Azalea-Wolf Creek area served by the Glendale Telephone Co. is rapidly being restored. All lines are now operating except for Ruben Road and an area on Windy Creek where bridges were swept out by flood. These have not been replaced. And some special mechanical problems have arisen in getting lines across Cow Creek. The Ruben lines will probably be operating next week, Mrs. Fox was told.

Mrs. Vera Kemp, office manager at the Glendale Telephone Co., reports that the service bill for the past month will be adjusted for subscribers whose lines were out for two weeks or more. She has asked that any person whose bill does not reflect the correct amount of service for the month call at the office for adjustment.

Pianists Are Well Received By Concert Assn. Membership

By LEROY INMAN

Varying their program from the highly classical to what might be termed "sophisticated boogie," Arthur Whittemore and Jack Lowe thoroughly captivated their audience in their Roseburg Community Concert Assn. sponsored appearance here Thursday night in Central Junior High School.

The piano duo, who have proved their popularity on the concert stage, TV and radio, not only played to the delight of the near-capacity auditorium, but also talked freely and humorously to the crowd, completely winning their audience with a personal touch.

The program was well chosen for audience appeal. The masterful rendition by the pianists sounded almost as though a single piano was being played.

Opening with the pleasing slavic dances by Antonin Dvark, C. major, Op. 46, E. minor, Op. 72, and G. minor, Op. 46, the program continued with Franz Schubert's Rondeau, Op. 138, and Variations on a Theme of Haydn, by Johannes Brahms.

The duo's touch came after intermission with a group of selections of their own choosing to fit the occasion. These included Rachmaninoff's "Tears," three popular selections by Bartok, Fritz Kreisler's "Stars in My Eyes," Copeland's "Celebration Dance" (on the death of Billy the Kid), Cole Porter's "Old Black Magic," and Granados' "Lover of the Nightingale."

After a fitting finale, Ravel's dramatic "La Valse," especially written for piano duos, the pianists here brought back time and again for encores, which included Bach's Sonata in E flat major and Kreisler's "Leibsfriede" and others.

The players complimented the crowd as being a "very charming audience to play to."

\$3 Billion New Postal Funds Asked By House

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which are seven billion dollars for the national debt and \$7,300,000,000 in social security receipts which go into the Treasury. The committee noted that the interest on the debt is expected to be 200 million dollars more next year than this year.

Estimating the postal deficit — the excess of operating costs over operating revenues — at 470 million dollars, the committee said "some action must be taken to get postal rates" more in line with the cost of handling the mail. It said existing rates are "woefully inadequate."

Eisenhower, who has been advocating higher rates for the last three years, provided Congress again this week for increases to add about 40 1/2 million dollars yearly to postal revenues.

Legislation to boost postal rates has been pending in Congress since last year, but its current prospects are dim.

LODGE MANAGER DIES

MILWAUKIE (AP)—Funeral services are pending here for William E. Thompson, manager of the Cascade Ski Club's lodge at Government Camp, who died Monday. He was 61.

CAMERA CLUB TO MEET

The Douglas Camera Club will meet at the home of Harry Collins Jr., Dixonville, Friday at 8 p.m. Members are requested to bring color slides for entry in the Photographic Society of America Slide Circuit. Visitors are welcome.

Yoncalla, Riddle Complete School Operating Budgets

Both Yoncalla Grade School District and Riddle have completed operating budgets for the coming year.

Mrs. Erma Best, Riddle correspondent, reports the Riddle budget totals \$18,535. It has been approved by both the school board and budget committee. Last year's budget in the rapidly expanding district was \$29,935.

Total estimated expenses for the general fund will come to \$269,935. The remaining \$18,500 includes payment on previous bond issues and interest. Largest increase in the Riddle budget is for instruction. An additional \$29,100 has been allotted for teacher salary increases, changes in administrative status and two more teachers. Salary adjustments beyond the present schedule will be approximately \$13,450 of the \$29,100.

Other increases include salary for an additional full time janitor for the new elementary building and another part-time bus driver. Remodeling of the high school and purchase of new equipment will come from the recent bond issue, the current year's budget and funds obtained from federal aid last spring. Remodeling will take place this summer.

A public hearing on the budget is scheduled Feb. 27 at 8 p.m. in the high school. The budget will then be presented to the Rural School Board.

Estimated expenditures in the Yoncalla grade district total \$114,104.60. Biggest cost is instruction: \$67,229. Total estimated receipts, according to Mrs. George Edes, correspondent, will be \$50,700. The Rural School Board must also study these figures.

Paul H. Hughes Acquitted On Two Perjury Charges

NEW YORK (AP)—A federal court jury today acquitted Paul H. Hughes on two counts of a six-count perjury indictment. The government apparently abandoned further action and he went free immediately.

The jury of 10 men and two women told judge Archie O. Dawson it was "hopelessly deadlocked" on the remaining four counts. The jury deliberated 11 hours. The trial started Jan. 16.

U. S. Atty. Paul W. Williams told newsmen it was "inconceivable" the government would move for a new trial.

The prosecutor said Hughes' bail of \$1,000 would be discharged and the defendant was "free to go."

Hughes, 35, who had been chain-smoking and pacing a corridor outside the courtroom prior to the verdict, telephoned neighbors in Alexandria, Va., to inform his wife and two children.

He was charged with lying to a federal grand jury investigating Harvey Matusow, an ex-Communist who turned FBI informant against Red leaders and then recanted his testimony.

Hughes testified he was a tool in a political plot against Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.). Counts 1 and 2 on which he was acquitted charged that in 1954 he falsely swore that he heard Joseph L. Rauh Jr., national head of the pro-New Deal and anti-McCarthy Americans for Democratic Action, discuss by phone with Brig. Gen. Telford Taylor (ret.) arrangements to supply Matusow with financial assistance.

Taylor is adviser to the National Committee for a More Effective Congress.

Rauh and Taylor both denied the story on the witness stand.

Eden Favorable To Easing Trade Control On China

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and the Pasadores should they be attacked by Red China.

4. The United States and Britain must do everything possible to raise living standards in underdeveloped areas to counter Russia's switch from military to economic penetration tactics.

5. President Eisenhower and his "take very seriously" the possibility of joint U.S.-British-French action in the Middle East to keep any border disputes from erupting into war. Eden declined to predict what these steps might be.

6. His conference with President Eisenhower "exceeded my expectations," said progress was made on all points, showing "a very wide range of agreement."

7. U. S.-British policy should be always to talk with Communist leaders because there is "always a chance that some spark might come which would light a candle" to dispel the dark tensions.

Eden added, however, that he did not discuss with President Eisenhower Red China's call for a conference between Premier Chow En-lai and Secretary of State Dulles.

8. Britain regards proper its invitation for Soviet leaders Khrushchev and Bulganin to visit England because "I don't regard it as a bad thing that we should talk with those with whom we disagree if we have faith in our own policy."

9. Britain is "fully satisfied" at present with arrangements now under way to exchange atomic information, both in military and civilian fields.



JAMES L. DAVEY, USN, son of Mrs. Guy Johnson, Drain, is serving on the Flagship USS St. Paul, a heavy cruiser with the seventh Fleet in Formosa Straits. Davey is expected home Feb. 13. His wife, Marguerite, resides at Drain.

Norblad's Name Enters Picture

PORTLAND (AP)—Speculation that Rep. Walter Norblad might step into the U.S. senate race now that death has removed Gov. Paul Patterson from it, was reported Thursday by the Oregon Journal's Washington correspondent.

Norblad was described as a potentially strong candidate for governor, too, but one who likely would make the race for the senate if Gov. Elmo Smith seeks to continue his interim position by election.

The newspaper correspondent said too that while the names of Douglas McKay and Guy Cordon were being mentioned, it was thought neither would run unless a strong "draft" should develop. Cordon lost in his Senate re-election bid to Democrat Richard L. Neuberger. The Republicans' opponent this year will be Sen. Wayne Morse.

The correspondent added that Norblad himself had no comment before leaving for Salem to attend Patterson's funeral service.

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