

Eisenhower Pleads For Aid Funds



ESTES KEFAUVER, left, took a crushing defeat from his opponent Adlai Stevenson in Tuesday's crucial California election. The two Democratic candidates are pictured during pre-election campaign.

Stevenson Beats Kefauver In Crucial California Test

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Adlai E. Stevenson crushed Sen. Estes Kefauver in a crucial primary election in California yesterday, handing the Tennessee a severe setback in his uphill battle for the Democratic presidential nomination.

Evaluators Now Have \$75 To Aid Steering Group

The financial cupboard of the Roseburg school district evaluation steering committee is no longer bare. As of Tuesday night, the evaluators had a \$75 backing. It took place in this fashion:

The night of May 10, District 4 budget committee members worked over the budget for the final time. They had cut \$23,000 from the budget and recommended that the school board resubmit it with the suggested cuts.

They also recommended that the \$15,000 separate levy be used to assist in the evaluation be placed before voters. During the discussion one citizen, Mrs. Glenn Scott, suggested that money to implement the evaluation could be raised through a public subscription, if the levy were voted down. Friday, voters approved the budget, and turned down the levy.

Tuesday, District 4 Clerk V. J. Micelli received a \$25 check from Mrs. Scott that was earmarked for the evaluation. Another \$50 sum has been given by James Conn of Melrose.

Councilmen Will Explain Budget

The Roseburg City Council has arranged to explain the city budget to three civic groups during the next week.

Two sessions are scheduled Thursday. The council will report on the budget proposals at the Rotary Club luncheon meeting and then will comment again at the 6:30 Lions Club meeting Thursday night.

Text Monday night, the council will continue its explanatory series at the Junior Chamber of Commerce meeting, which starts at 6:30 p.m.

The budget vote on \$140,723.04 outside the 6 per cent limitation is scheduled June 21. Total budget expenditures proposed are \$535,651.18.

In The Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

At the time this was written, there was a minimum of BIG news on the wires.

For that, thank fortune. The big news is so often had news.

There was plenty of little news. The New York Post says actress Grace Kelly, now Princess Grace of Monaco, expects a baby next January.

Post Columnist Earl Wilson writes that this was called to him as a fact, not a rumor—by a source he says is close to the prince and the royal palace in Monaco.

You say, perhaps: "That's nobody's business but hers and Ranier's."

It's a LOT OF PEOPLE'S BUSINESS. If Prince Ranier, of the

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The Weather

Scattered showers tonight and Thursday. Brief sunny periods Thursday, continued cool.

Highest temp. last 24 hours	61
Lowest temp. last 24 hours	50
Highest temp. any June	106
Lowest temp. any June	34
Precip. last 24 hours	0
Precip. from June 1	57
Precip. from Sept. 1	49.23
Excess from Sept. 1	20.11
Sunrise tonight, 7:50 p.m.	
Sunrise tomorrow, 4:33 a.m.	

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City Hall Levy Vote Bill Approved

Issue Revised To Cut In Half Original Figure

The Roseburg City Council's efforts to start a sinking fund for a new city hall foundered momentarily in a morass of discussion, but was finally approved at an extended special noon meeting Tuesday.

An ordinance with an emergency clause attached was approved after an hour and 15 minutes of discussion, but it only slightly resembled the original proposal raised at the last regular meeting.

The special levy for a sinking fund will call for \$25,000 a year for 10 years. This is slightly less than 15 mills under present city valuation. (The original proposal was for five mills over a 10-year period.)

The ordinance calls for a public vote on the proposal June 21, the day the city budget election. Roswell L. Myers, the councilman who originally proposed the construction of new city government housing, said he had thought considerably on the matter and decided the original proposal was too much. (It would have raised over half a million dollars under present valuation.)

His comments were followed by considerable discussion on whether it was a propitious time to ask such a sinking fund. Some felt the additional item on the day of the budget vote might jeopardize the budget. Others felt a vote should be held up until concrete plans could be formulated.

Myers called it a pay-as-you-go proposition which should be started as soon as possible. On the other side, James Knudsen said he felt there was no hurry. Rudie Ritzman and Mayor Ernest Barker Jr. said they were afraid the proposal might pull down the budget.

When the discussion was completed, six voted in favor of the ordinance and two, Knudsen and Sidney Moon, voted against.

As a postscript, Myers termed the ad valorem tax levy a "piggy bank" not a bond issue. Its use must be budgeted, thus giving the people a second chance to protest, if they desired.

William Kernan New Vets Affairs Supervisor Here

In an effort to speed up processing time on Oregon state veterans' home and farm loans, the Department of Veterans Affairs is transferring an appraisal supervisor to its southwestern Oregon local operations commencing Thursday.

The new man is William N. Kernan, whose base of operations will be the office of Don Frear, Douglas County Veterans' service office in the county court house in Roseburg. Kernan and his wife and two children have just moved from Portland to a house at 3024 East Douglas, Roseburg.

Kernan's appraisal duties will take him into the counties of Douglas, Josephine, Jackson, Coos, Curry and Klamath.

The state veterans' department makes 4 per cent loans to World War I and Korean veterans to assist them in the purchase, refinancing or construction of homes and in buying or refinancing farms. The maximum loan for a home is \$9,000, and for a farm, \$15,000. In each case the loan is limited to 75 per cent of the appraised value of the property.

Kernan, a World War II veteran and active in the National Guard, will be on military leave from June 15 to June 30 at Fort Lewis. He is a major with the 41st Division of the National Guard.

Four British Women Find Ancient City Ruins

DAMASCUS, Syria — Four British women have discovered ruins of a 3,000-year old city near the Syrian border with Turkey, the National Archeology Department announced Wednesday.

It was the second Syrian announcement of an archeological find in two days.

Syria's chief archeologist, Dr. Salim Abdel Abdulhak, said the British team had reported uncovering the ancient city north of Aleppo after 45 days of excavations. The women reported evidence it was the capital of an ancient state known as Arbad.

HIT-RUN COLLISION

George F. Larier, 264 NE Neuner Dr., complained to Roseburg police Tuesday afternoon that his car had been struck by a hit-run driver on Stephens Street near Blakeley Avenue. He said the vehicle was a light truck. Larier was unable to get a complete description of the truck, which struck his car from behind.

CHINESE REACH MATSU

TAIPEI, Formosa — Two Chinese fishermen reached one of the Matsu Islands Monday after escaping from a communist labor camp on the mainland, the official Central News Agency reported Wednesday. The agency said they had been in confinement for three years for criticizing the Red rule.



BRUCE YEAGER
... to head federation

Roseburg Men Get Wildlife Federation Top Elected Posts

BEND — The Oregon Wildlife Federation elected Bruce Yeager of Roseburg president at its semi-annual meeting Tuesday.

Charles Collins was named executive vice president and Lloyd Hayes secretary. Both are from Roseburg. Roschal Grove of Lebanon is treasurer.

The federation's plaque for outstanding education in conservation went to Francis Price, Elkton grade school teacher.

The federation, which met at Circle M Ranch on the Metolius River, voted to support closure of the Metolius recreation area, consisting of four parks, to hunting because of hazard to people in the area.

Among area vice presidents elected were A. R. Van Cleave of Baker, Woody Groom of Milton-Freewater and Virgil Davis of Klamath Falls.

Umpqua Plywood Lays Off 70 Men At Myrtle Creek

A 70-man shift at the Umpqua Plywood Corp. sawmill at Myrtle Creek will be terminated Friday for "an indefinite time."

Harold Buckner, general manager, said the reason is "market conditions," according to Mrs. Ruth Evans, News-Review correspondent.

Only the day shift, 52 men, will be left running after Friday.

Buckner and union representatives from each shift at the mill agreed that men with the most seniority in each job, no matter which shift they've been working, will remain at work.

Others with enough seniority for vacation pay will receive the pay, according to Marvin Green, business agent for Local 2713, Lumber & Sawmill Workers (AFL).

The decision to close down the mill for the time being follows the suspension of operations at the company's plywood division more than a year ago and the end of operations of the UPOCO Logging Co., an Umpqua Plywood subsidiary, last fall.

The agreement on seniority rights came in a special meeting Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Evans said.

The mill had been working day and swing shifts.

Edwards Points Out Cost Of Road Work In Western Oregon Compared To East

Tom Edwards, division engineer for the State Highway Dept., Tuesday night stated that costs of road construction in the western Oregon area is about 10 times as much as in the Eastern Oregon area.

He made the statement to some 15 members of the Southern Douglas County Highway Assn. at Bart's Cafe in Camas Valley.

It was one of the problems encountered in highway construction, which Edwards listed. The Southern Douglas County Highway Assn. is planning for improvement of Highway 42.

Edwards also related, however, that the highway bill now in Congress would make some 25 per cent more money available for other highways than freeways.

He said about \$27 million would be made available to Oregon in the first five years.

Another featured speaker at the meeting was George Burr, chairman of the Coos County Chamber of Commerce Highway Committee. He stressed the importance of highway bypasses for all cities. He also said industry is looking for places outside congested areas so it can establish warehouses and other buildings at minimum costs. He urged civic groups in different areas to work with the Highway Dept. to secure rights of way for highways to make the job easier.

Oscar Bilby Gets 3 Years For Car Theft

Oscar Eldon Bilby, the 33-year-old Toketee Falls man, who the night of May 27 led Roseburg police on a 199-mile-an-hour chase, was sentenced to three years in the Oregon Penitentiary Tuesday.

The former Oklahoman with five children was sentenced by Circuit Judge Carl E. Wimberly, not for the chase, but for stealing the car. The formal charge was larceny of personal property of a value more than 75 dollars. Bilby pleaded guilty.

On the night of May 27, he allegedly stole the 1952 car belonging to Jack T. Stoval. Bilby told the court the keys were in the car when he took it.

During the course of the chase which followed the alleged theft, some 12 shots were fired at the fleeing car by Roseburg police. Bilby was finally captured after the car piled into a ditch near the Oakland junction.

A second three-year term was also given by the court. Sentenced after he pleaded guilty to forgery was John Darrell Browning, 36, of Myrtle Creek. He pleaded guilty to a charge of writing a \$50 check and signing the name of W. A. Blackett, for whom he was working at the time. It was Browning's third conviction and no probation was given. Browning blamed forgery on "drinking" and nerves. The check was apparently forged on April 24.

Two other men were sentenced to two-year terms but given probation by Judge Wimberly. Donald Ace McDonald, 43, the Sutherlin father of four children, pleaded guilty to a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. He allegedly passed a worthless check to Fred L. Mountain of Drain. He was arrested on April 15.

Edward James Dempster, 20, Portland, pleaded guilty to a charge of burglary not in a dwelling. The charge specifically is that Dempster broke into the Pioneer Grade School at Reedsport "to commit larceny."

At the time of his arrest, Dempster was still on probation from a five-year prison term meted in Portland. Judge Wimberly sentenced him to two more years and probation if the parole and probation office in Portland will take him back.

Vets Land Conveyance Bill Up To President

WASHINGTON—A bill authorizing transfer of 163 acres of land to the city of Roseburg, Ore., was sent to the White House Tuesday after House acceptance of Senate amendments.

One amendment provided that the land be given to the city with-out reservation. The original measure required that the land be used for park purposes.

The city originally gave the property to the government as part of a site for construction of a veterans hospital.

LAMB DAYS' PROCLAIMED

Roseburg Mayor Ernest M. Barker Jr. has proclaimed Friday and Saturday as "Lamb Days" in Roseburg. The proclamation is in observance of the annual Douglas County Fat Lamb Show, to be held at the fairgrounds Saturday.

Those leaving School District 4 include Everett Barnes, Phillip Cray, Robert Feasley, Miss Dorothy Miller, Michael Popovich, Robert Shewbert, Miss Jo Tallman, Chris Warner and his wife, Lillian Warner.

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DRUNK DRIVING CHARGE

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ROBERT FEASLEY
... to teach in college

R. Feasley Accepts College Position As Art Instructor

Roseburg High School art instructor Robert Feasley, who ended his third year as a District 4 employee Tuesday, will go to a new position in the fall.

Feasley will be an instructor in drawing and painting at the College of Puget Sound in Tacoma, Wash. It is an independent liberal arts college with an enrollment of some 2,500 students.

Feasley came to Roseburg in the fall of 1953. He and his wife and son, Steven, 2, live at 741 NE Alameda Ave. They will remain in the area for the summer. He will work with a Bureau of Land Management engineering crew.

Since coming to RHHS, Feasley has shown many of his paintings throughout the Northwest. His work has been included in Northwest Annual Art Exhibits in Seattle and at showings in Spokane and Portland. Last summer the young artist had a one-man show at the Portland Art Museum.

He is a graduate of the University of Oregon, where he received his BS and MFA degrees. Before teaching, Feasley took graduate study with Max Beckman during summer school at Mills College and later studied at the Academie de la Grande Chaumiere in Paris.

This week, as he closed the cover on his teaching career in central Douglas county, Feasley had good comments to make concerning his pupils. They won nine awards this year in the regional scholastic art competition sponsored by Lipman and Wolfe department store in Portland. Another former student, Frank Baumeister, hopes to attend college in the fall and continue his art career, Feasley said.

James Wolstenholme, 23, Faces Bad Check Charge

James Herbert Wolstenholme, 23, Winston, is in the Douglas County jail facing a charge of cashing a check with insufficient funds in the bank.

He was arrested this week by Police Chief Ben Scheele of Winston after a complaint was filed by Bruce Elliott, charging that Wolstenholme had cashed a check for \$25 for which the latter had no bank funds.

Bail on the warrant was set at \$1,000.

Nine Teachers Resign High School Positions

A total of nine teacher resignations has been received by Roseburg High School Principal Harry Jacoby.

Tuesday, the principal announced that the following instructors would not return next year. He did not know if other resignations would follow.

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Ike Will Not Interfere In Primary Vote

WASHINGTON — President Eisenhower announced a hands off attitude Wednesday toward the candidacy of Sen. Wiley (R-Wis) for re-election and Wiley said he agreed "fully" that the President should not intervene in primaries.

Wiley, who recently failed to get the endorsement of his state party organization for renomination, took the Senate floor after Eisenhower enunciated his own position at his news conference.

While agreeing with the President, Wiley added that he hopes Eisenhower "may choose" to express regard "for my loyal efforts" without "attempting to interfere" in the primary.

The senator said he would continue to campaign for Eisenhower's policies "come what may."

As for Wiley, Eisenhower said he doesn't think the President should interfere. In response to another question, he said he was not taking a different stand from his position with respect to the Oregon senatorial primary.

In the Oregon race, former Secretary of the Interior McKay stepped down from the Cabinet and won the GOP senatorial nomination.

In accepting his resignation

Occupants of Car Unhurt When Deer Causes Collision

Four Oakland residents miraculously escaped injury Tuesday night after a deer jumped without warning into the path of the car in which they were riding.

State police said the deer jumped from a bank in front of a car driven by Carl Cecil Hart, 44, as it traveled south on Highway 99, north of the Oakland Junction on 5:45 p.m. The deer slid under the car, officers said, locking the left front tire. The impact sent the vehicle across the road into rocks where it skidded before landing on its top in a small creek, police report.

Uninjured in the freak accident were driver Hart, his wife Lillian and the two children, Gary, 13, and Eillian, 11. Police said they were not scratched, although the vehicle skidded 186 feet before leaving the highway.

The deer was killed. Officers said the top of the car was crushed and smashed. The incident was witnessed by Billy Mohr, Roseburg, who was driving behind the Hart car, according to police.

Elsewhere, a Glendale man was reported involved in two traffic mishaps in a single night.

Correspondent Mrs. G. B. Fox said cars driven by Jacob Wolfe and Lloyd (Dan) Williamson collided just north of Wolf Creek. Following the accident, Williamson offered to drive Lowe and two passengers back to Glendale, Mrs. Fox said.

Williamson said he approached too close to the edge of a narrow road en route to allow another vehicle to pass. The car skidded over the bank and turned over three times, Mrs. Fox said.

Williamson sustained minor injuries and his passengers, Bobby Ellis and Dillon Johnson were bruised, the correspondent said.

Russell Named Regional Safeway Assn. President

Robert Russell of Roseburg was elected president of the regional Safeway Employees Assn. at a banquet held this week in Coquille.

Other officers elected were: Vice President, Gordon Elwell of Coos Bay; dispersing officers, Archie White of Roseburg and Preston Lewis of Sutherlin; social committee, LaVae Lindenman of Coos Bay and Marvin Hagen of Coquille.

Gene Kirk of Portland was the installing officer.

The regional association includes Newport, Coquille, Coos Bay, North Bend, Roseburg, Sutherlin and Grants Pass.

Louis Fowler's Wife Drops Assault Charge

Louis Eldon Fowler, 29, Myrtle Creek, was expected to be released from the Douglas County jail today after his wife, Anna May, filed for dismissal of a charge of assaulting her.

He was arrested by a deputy sheriff Monday on a formal charge of assault with intent to do great bodily harm. However, Tuesday night, Mrs. Fowler requested dismissal and Dist. Atty. Robert M. Stults approved the dismissal.

Levity Fact Rant

By L. F. Reizenstein

The air force, the army and navy are wrangling on the issue of finance: A pity they can't agree On team work harmony, A la 'Tinker, to Evers, to Chance.'

Rayburn Says He'd Restore \$600 Million

WASHINGTON — President Eisenhower pleaded Wednesday for Congress to vote the foreign aid money he asked. The House Democratic leadership quickly split on the issue.

Eisenhower told his news conference it would be tragic if Congress doesn't support his foreign aid program.

In rapid succession then: House Speaker Rayburn of Texas said he would back a move to restore 600 million dollars to the President's request for \$1,900,000,000 in foreign aid funds.

But Chairman Richards (D-SC) of the House Foreign Affairs Committee announced he will stand behind the \$1,900,000,000 cut his group recommended in the aid bill.

The Rayburn-Richards developments foreshadowed a major battle as the House began consideration of the program aimed at bolstering free world countries against communism.

Rayburn told newsmen he thinks the committee cut was too deep and chances for restoring 600 million dollars in the House are "pretty good if the President puts his whole ear in and we (the Democratic leaders) do" too.

There also was strong support for Richards, who said he is not convinced his committee approved clash would hurt the program.

Rayburn also spoke out against growing House sentiment for an end to U.S. aid to Yugoslavia and other countries which some critics say are swinging closer to the Soviet camp.

Rayburn appeared to be speaking in stronger terms than Eisenhower, who told his news conference there should be a restudy of aid for Yugoslavia.

Rayburn said, "I think it would be a great mistake for us to be kicking Yugoslavia and India around. We don't have too many friends as it is."

Eisenhower opened his news conference

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Petition Charges Attorney Misused Funds From Estate

A petition has been filed in Douglas County Circuit Court charging a Roseburg lawyer with appropriating funds not his own and asking authority from the court to pay another lawyer for collecting the money from him.

The contention grew out of the probate of the estate of Chester Milburn Siltner, a partner in the Lane Mountain Logging Co., who died Jan. 15, 1955. They were made against attorney Elmer Baldwin.

The petition was filed by his widow, Margaret Siltner, executrix of the estate account.

In the petition, she says that on Feb. 1, 1955, she received a payment of \$5,000 from the partner of the deceased in the company. She said she "was persuaded" by Baldwin to deposit the money in his "trust account" rather than in the petitioner's estate account.

She alleged in the petition to the court that after obtaining the money, Baldwin "from time to time appropriated the whole thereof to his own use and benefit."

She says she made repeated demands for an accounting of the money but was "wholly unable to collect" until May 14, 1956. On that date, she says in the petition, Baldwin gave her a check for \$5,000 "for which there were no funds to cover."

The petition continues that on May 18, she engaged Ray Compton, another Roseburg lawyer, to recover the money and finish probate of the estate. She says Compton succeeded May 25 in "effecting collection."

Circuit Judge Charles Woodruff signed the petition allowing payment of \$500 to Compton for his part in the case.

Drain Principal Takes Myrtle Creek Position

Anton Bryant, for the past four years the elementary school principal at Drain, will be the new elementary and primary principal at Myrtle Creek next year.

The 39-year-old educator possesses a master of education degree from the University of Idaho. He has a wife and four children, according to Mrs. Ruth Evans, News-Review correspondent.

The position is being vacated by George A. Childress, who is planning on further schooling in the field of education at San Diego.

TO FACE GRAND JURY

Lee Harry Santos has been bound over to the Douglas County grand jury on a charge of non-support of his wife, Mary.

At a hearing in district court Tuesday, Judge Warren Woodruff found sufficient evidence to constitute a case and turned the matter over to the next grand jury. Bail is \$1,000.

He was arrested by a deputy sheriff Monday on a formal charge of assault with intent to do great bodily harm. However, Tuesday night, Mrs. Fowler requested dismissal and Dist. Atty. Robert M. Stults approved the dismissal.