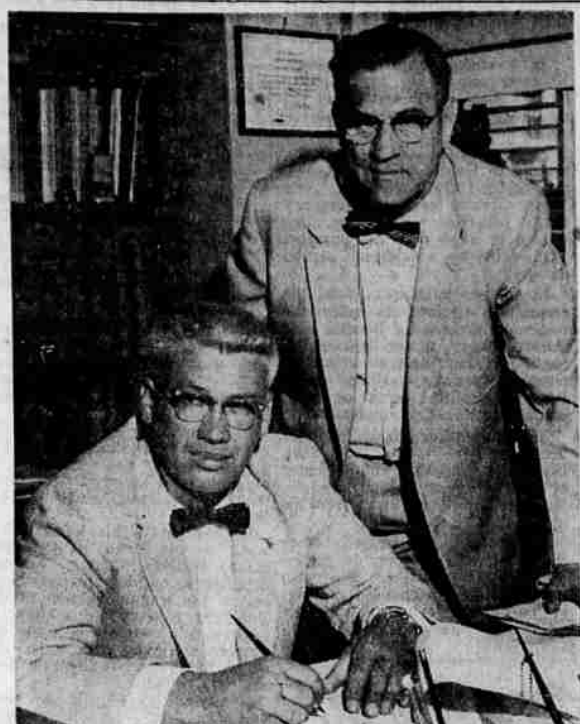


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MOVE TOWARD CITY HALL—Mayor Ernest M. Barker Jr. Tuesday signed the ordinance calling for an election on a special \$25,000 tax levy to continue for 10 years. The money collected would be applied to a sinking fund for construction of a new city hall for Roseburg. The election will be June 21. City Manager George Farrell (standing) loaned his office in the "olde towne hall" for the occasion. (Paul Jenkins photo).

Douglas Stretches Pay Roll Higher; Holds Third Place

Douglas County stretched its lead for third spot among Oregon counties in covered payrolls during 1955, according to the State Unemployment Compensation Commission.

Covered payrolls are those reported to the commission by business and industrial firms.

With payrolls reaching an all-time high of \$1,390,055.127 for the state as a whole, Douglas County added more than \$8,500,000 to its 1954 total to bring its 1955 payrolls to \$70,922,979, one of the best dollar gains in the state.

Douglas County, prior to its industrial boom, stood in 19th place among Oregon counties in total payrolls. Since the boom began during the Second World War, at which time the timber industry entered the area, the county has climbed rapidly and in late years has been behind only Multnomah and Lane counties.

In percentage gains, Douglas County's 13.8 per cent increase in 1955 over 1954, compares with a state average increase of 8.7 per cent. Multnomah county's increase was 7.7 per cent and Lane County's 11.3 per cent.

Cook County, in fourth place, gained 13.8 per cent with total payrolls of \$37,457,889. Marion County remained in fifth place with payrolls of \$55,408,137, an increase of 10.3 per cent. Payrolls for state employees are not included in Marion County's total, as comparisons are made only of industrial and business concerns contributing to the unemployment insurance fund.

Forgery Charge Against Fay Garrison Dropped

A charge against Fay Delcina Garrison, 46, Scottsburg, of forgery has been dropped at the request of Dist. Atty. Robert M. Stults.

She was arrested May 14 and charged with forging checks totaling between \$300 and \$800. Later, an alleged accomplice, John Browning, admitted the forgeries and was sentenced to serve three years in the penitentiary. Circuit Judge Carl E. Wimberly then ordered the Scottsburg woman released.

In The Day's News

Farm Markets Note: Hog receipts went down and HOG PRICES WENT UP at Midwest markets Monday. Last week, the reverse was true—with hog receipts going up and hog prices going down.

As a result, prices today ranged from steady to 30 cents HIGHER than last Friday in the Eastern cornbelt.

That lends emphasis to a statement made the other day by Secretary of Agriculture Benson. Speaking at the state dairy festival in Rutland, Vermont, he said: "Once farm surpluses are disposed of, it will be necessary to AVOID LIKE A PLAGUE policies and programs that would create NEW over-supplies of farm products."

He added: "The government's new soil bank program is designed to bring (Continued on Page Four Col. 3)

The Weather

Fair today through Thursday with considerable high clouds. Highest temp. last 24 hours 77. Lowest temp. last 24 hours 41. Highest temp. any June 106. Lowest temp. any June 34. Precip. last 24 hours 0. Precip. from June 1 44. Precip. from Sept. 1 49.30. Excess from Sept. 1 19.76. Sunset tonight, 8:54 p.m. Sunrise tomorrow, 4:32 a.m.

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Explosion Blasts House, Kills One, Injures Seven

CINCINNATI, Ohio — An explosion that burst out two sides of a Cincinnati apartment house from cellar to roof late last night killed one man and injured 14 other persons, three of them critically.

The body of Robert Swartz, 31, was found in the basement when the blast went off.

Among the seriously injured was a 3-month-old baby, Dorothy Miller, who was blown out of her crib. Her skull was fractured.

Aides at General Hospital identified the other two critically injured as Buddy Marrs, 25, and Mike Riley, 49.

The blast piled up a hill of rubble behind the four-story brick and frame building in which seven families lived.

Welfare Commission Has Major Budget Decision

A major item of work confronts the Douglas County Welfare Commission meeting Wednesday night in Roseburg.

The commissioners will examine and discuss the proposed county welfare budgets for 1957-58 and 1958-59. They'll make suggestions and send the budgets as they propose them to the State Welfare Office for later presentation to the Legislature, according to Administrator Lois Baker.

Other business to be examined includes the medical vendor payment at 7:30 p.m. in the county office.

Cattlemen Reverse Stand On Government Subsidy

PRINEVILLE, Ore. — The Oregon Cattlemen's Assn., long opposed to aid programs, has reversed its stand of previous years and will seek a government subsidy.

Ed Coles, secretary of the organization, reported Tuesday that members had favored federal aid 3 to 25 in a statewide poll.

The poll was taken after delegates at this year's convention were unable to reach agreement.

Rebels Slay Arabs

ALGIERS, Algeria — The French said nationalist rebels slew 22 Arabs Tuesday night in the Bou Andas Mountains southeast of Algiers. That is in the "iron gates" area where 500 rebels were reported killed or captured in a French offensive two weeks ago. The nationalists count Arab friends of the French among their foes.

President Has 25-Minute Talk With Staff

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower took up a considerable amount of official work Wednesday although suffering discomfort in the wake of his emergency operation.

Eisenhower held a 25 minute meeting with key White House staff members, signed 27 bills and other official documents. He also arranged to meet Thursday in his Walter Reed Hospital room with West German Chancellor Adenauer.

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Possessing Stolen Property Charged To G. Johnson

Gerald Johnson, 22, Myrtle Creek, will appear in the South Douglas Justice Court in Canyonville Thursday to answer to charges of possession of stolen property, according to Myrtle Creek correspondent Ruth M. Evans.

Johnson was arrested by city police Tuesday night. Myrtle Creek Chief of Police James Haun said Johnson had been arrested on charges of possession of stolen property. He was reported to have had several stolen items found in the trunk of his car.

Also arrested by city police were two Myrtle Creek juveniles, ages 13 and 14, who were charged with burglary not in a dwelling. The two were charged with breaking into the Myrtle Creek Elks Club and stealing four bottles of liquor, four cartons of cigarettes, some cigars and gum, cigarette lighters and a carton of playing cards. Haun said entry was made by prying the lock off the door.

The two will appear in Myrtle Creek municipal court today.

Haun said the articles stolen had been found in the Johnson car. The burglary was reported by Herman Timm, manager of the club.

Camp Staff Members Attending Study Session

Four staff members of the Camp Tye Camp Fire Girls camp this summer are in Corvallis today attending an all-day session on the subject of camping being sponsored by the State Game Commission.

Girls attending the program are: Sandra Bushey, Norma Thiele and reported killer or captured in a French offensive two weeks ago. The nationalists count Arab friends of the French among their foes.

Court Members To Meet With Riddle Residents

Members of the Douglas County Court will meet with residents of the Riddle area Thursday night at 8 in the grade school gymnasium to discuss improvements to the Glenbrook Loop county road.

Money has been appropriated in the county road budget for improvement of the road, and now the county is making efforts to secure rights-of-way for the improvements.

All property owners have been mailed notices of the meeting.

Local Nurseryman Honored By Garden Clubs Federation

Dillard nurseryman C. E. Moyer has received the Federation of Oregon Garden Clubs' contemporary horticultural award.

Moyer, 85, was honored Tuesday evening at the federation's 29th annual convention in Ontario. He was one of three Douglas County residents to be specially honored.

Mrs. C. J. Bielman of Sutherlin was elected vice president of the federation for the coming year. Oakland gardener Mrs. Loyd Stearns was named Umpqua district director for the federation. The Oakland Garden Club won a special award for its bird scrapbook.

The horticultural award received by Moyer, who lives in Ontario with Mrs. T. L. Goodwin and Mrs. Lester Adams, is one of two given annually by the federation. Moyer was honored for his "outstanding work" now being done in horticulture. A posthumous award was given to Mrs. Moyer.

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Six Children Killed In Tunnel Cave-in At Huge Excavation

NEW YORK (AP) — Vigorous investigations — including one in which Mayor Robert F. Wagner ordered four city departments to force workers to massed Wednesday into the tragic Brooklyn cave-in that killed six small children Tuesday night.

Brooklyn Dist. Atty. Edward S. Silver already had a big staff at work, questioning all who could shed any light on the mishap and studying laws which might apply to the situation.

A key question under study was whether any negligence was involved—primarily as to guarding the block-square excavation where the youngsters lost their lives playfully digging a tunnel.

The huge excavation was an inviting spot for cops-and-robbers games for children in the crowded Williamsburg section—a district of aging, closely packed tenements.

Nine youngsters were playing at the foot of a 30-foot wall of the excavation when a 25-ton avalanche came roaring down, smothering and crushing to death four boys and two girls.

Eleven-year-old Marie Stanikuna had been sent to call her brother and sister home for supper. She saw them in the hole. Just then the earth moved.

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By BRUCE HENDERSON
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Still sought was Gen. Raul Tanco, an army leader in the regime of ousted President Juan Peron. Executed by a firing squad last night was Gen. Juan Jose Valle, who had hoped to become president if the revolt succeeded.

An army spokesman said police were in hot pursuit of Tanco but gave no details. The government earlier asserted Tanco had been taken over as vice president under Valle.

Also cut down by a firing squad in the latest executions was Juan Alberto Abadie, an army reserve lieutenant who was second in command of the uprising within the 7th Infantry Regiment at La Plata.

A government communique announced the two executions but did not say where or when they were carried out. Unofficial sources reported Valle was put to death at the national penitentiary. He was seized in a police raid on a downtown headquarters of Provisional President Pedro Aramburu.

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Petitions Ask Bond Election In Green Dist.

Petitions containing 261 names have been presented to the Green Sanitary District board requesting a bond election to raise money for construction of sewer facilities.

The board accepted the petitions this week and reported that the petitions would be turned over to the county clerk to check validity of signatures. It took the stand that if the names are valid, an election will be held.

This was the climax of the 10th regular meeting of the beleaguered district.

C. H. Bonolis, county building inspector, told the board it should go ahead on plans for construction as if 90 per cent of the voters approved continuation of the district. (Actually, three votes since the district was formed last September have given slightly more than 50 per cent in favor of continuation.)

Bonolis was asked if it would be possible to build houses in the district if a bond election was successful. He said if bonds were sold allowing construction, the county building department would recommend that building continue.

Meanwhile, he said, no more construction of buildings will be allowed in crowded areas. For example, he said, the last permits have been issued on Sanders Lane.

"If you are going to grow any more, something will have to be done," he said. He called the situation bad and said property prices are going down and will continue to drop.

He indicated the district should go ahead on its own initiative. He related that the State Sanitary Authority could force the district to build sewers. "But we want you to do it yourselves," he said.

Also urging continued work on plans for construction was County Sanitarian T. Claude Baker. He said the majority vote was the answer to the question. He said the county has been "pretty well cleaned up" but Green is still in bad shape. He also stated that building in the Green area would be cut to nothing unless the people go ahead with a sewer.

One hurdle which may be placed in front of such a move, however, is the Green Committee for Dissolution which still holds the record of being able to call for a fourth dissolution election. The state attorney general has ruled that as many dissolution elections as requested legally must be held and financed by the district.

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Ten Republicans Rally Behind President's Foreign Aid Request

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas, the Senate Democratic leader, said Wednesday the Eisenhower administration has not yet "proved its case" for a Senate increase in the amount of foreign aid the House voted.

Johnson stated that view as the Senate Foreign Relations Committee completed its first closed-door session on the House-passed \$3,800,000,000 authorization for funds to strengthen other countries against the communist threat.

The amount left in the measure is \$1,104,000,000 less than the administration asked.

Sen. Knowland of California, the Republican leader, said the committee did not get down to the issue of fund ceilings but might do so at an afternoon session.

Johnson said senators would be willing to heed President Eisenhower's sickbed appeal for more aid funds "but the administration is going to have to make a case which it hasn't done yet."

"If it makes a case," the Democratic leader said, "the Senate will do what is best for the country."

Ten Republican senators meanwhile rallied behind Eisenhower's plea for more money, calling on

Two Persons File For Two Vacancies On Riddle Board

Two persons have filed for the two vacancies to be filled on the Riddle school board.

They are Mrs. B. O. (Virginia) Bordeaux and Richard Willey, according to Mrs. Erma Best, News-Review resident editor.

Mrs. Bordeaux filed for the 5-year term. Neither has served on a school board. If elected, they will replace Leonard Dawson, who is retiring, and Elmer Sunday who has left the area, Mrs. Best said. Voting for the directors will be Monday from 2 to 8 p.m. Write-in votes will be counted.

Candidate Mrs. Bordeaux has lived for 12 years in Riddle and has been active in community and school affairs. She helped organize the Riddle PTA and served as its first president. This past school year, she was a member of the countywide committee which investigated the needs of the county school superintendent.

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Nine fire-free days in Roseburg were ended Tuesday morning for city firemen. Two calls on Tuesday and a third this morning were answered.

The first fire in nine days was at the M. B. Daugherty home, 218 NE Fremont Ave., at 11:25 a.m. Tuesday. A hot iron burned an ironing board, causing an estimated \$10 damage.

At 10:44 p.m. Tuesday, firemen were called to the 700 block of Southeast Rose Street, where a cigarette burned a hole through the seat in a pickup truck. Firemen were unable to learn the name of the absent owner of the parked truck. Damage was about \$10.

At 7:04 a.m. today, firemen stood by a fire at the Elmer L. Sherk home, 1443 SE Main St. There was no damage.

YMCA Program Gets Under Way

The YMCA summer youth program goes into full swing today for both older and younger boys, reports director Bruce Hamilton.

The first meeting of both groups in the Central Junior High School gymnasium started at 2 p.m. On the program for today were the first practices for the National YMCA athletic contest and some movies.

The movie list for today includes these pictures: "Courtesy to Those Around Us," a travel film entitled "African Pygmy Thrills," an industrial film entitled "Young America" and a comedy.

The athletic contest will find the younger boys practicing in the gym for the standing broad jump and the older boys outside practicing the running broad jump.

The program started last week with swimming instructions only. Hamilton is assisted in the program by David Jackson, a Hi-Y boy. Other Hi-Y youths will assist sporadically as needed in the program.

Fishing Equipment Taken From Jeep Of W. Jones

Fishing equipment valued at \$247 was stolen from the jeep pickup of William E. Jones during the past weekend, according to a state police report.

Jones' pickup was found in front of his home in Garden Valley during the period in which the articles were found missing, according to a friend.

Jones listed as missing: Three wind reels, two with 24-pound test line and one with 18-pound line; three 7-foot salmon rods; a 7 1/2-foot, two-piece, brown glass spinning rod, one record spinning reel, one 7 1/2-foot fly rod and one fly reel with a 36-foot brown tapered line.

Veteran Stage, Screen Actor Ralph Morgan Dies

NEW YORK (AP)—Funeral services will be held tomorrow at the Little Church Around the Corner for Ralph Morgan, 72, veteran actor of stage and screen.

Morgan, who died at his home here Monday