



**DOUGLAS COUNTY RODEO 'BRAINS'**—Members of the Douglas County Rodeo Assn. (comprised of the Roseburg Junior Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club and Douglas County Mounted Sheriff's posse) have been working on the 1956 rodeo since last fall. They estimate the event, which is drawing top Rodeo Cowboys' Assn. performers, will cost around \$19,000. From left, standing, Walter Welker, Lions Club; Al Clute, association vice president; Lions; clockwise: Johnny Spencer, arena chairman, DCMSP; Larry Strode, DCMSP; Jack Gamet, Jaycee chairman; Vondis Miller, association secretary, Lions; Robert Tripodi, association president, Jaycees; Pat Sullivan, queen's contest, Jaycees; Robert Raffensperger, information director, Jaycees; Ivan Pickens, association treasurer, Lions. Not pictured: Dr. Joe Agost, Dr. Jeff Currier, Jean Petrequin, Bill Tip-ton, Del Martin, E. R. Buckingham and Mike McLain. (Don Hagedorn picture).

### Nonagenarian, Mrs. S. Blayney, Passes At Home

Mrs. Sarah Mae Blayney, 94, died at her home on Buckhorn Road east of Roseburg Friday. She was born June 21, 1871 in Indiana, and had been a resident of this community for the last 24 years. She was a member of the Baptist Church and the Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary. Surviving are two sons, Philip of Roseburg and C. M. Blayney of Grants Pass; one daughter, Mrs. R. M. (Josephine) Walters of Bakersfield, Calif.; and two grandchildren. The body has been removed to The Chapel of the Roses. Funeral services will be announced upon the arrival of relatives.

### Umpqua Unit 16 Begins Magazine Sale Monday

Umpqua Unit 16, American Legion Auxiliary, will sponsor a magazine sale put on by the Crowell-Culler Publishing Co. Proceeds will enable the auxiliary to acquire emergency sick room equipment to be loaned to anyone in Douglas County upon request. The sale starts Monday. Supplies now on hand include four wheelchairs, an invalid walker, a neophore, an oxygen tent, a polo pack, a bed ring and two pairs of crutches. These may be borrowed by calling Mrs. Jack Garrey, 452 W. Ball St., OR 2-1121. Each salesperson in the drive will carry credentials signed by Mrs. Walter (Nelle) Ulrich, president; Mrs. Harry (Eileen) Rapp, secretary; and Mrs. Robert (Edith) Marshall, chairman. Purchasers are advised to ask for these credentials.

### Camas Student Wins Awards

Kay Wheeler of Camas Valley was one of four students in the state to win both school newspaper and yearbook awards in the annual judging by the Oregon Scholastic Press at the University of Oregon in Eugene. Announcement of the awards of Eric W. Allen certificates for newspaper service and George S. Turnbull certificates for yearbook service were made this week by Charles T. Duncan, dean of the University of Oregon school of Journalism. Other winners of the newspaper awards from the county were: Ronald Rice and George S. Valley, Alice Everts and Lenore Holstein of Drain. Winning yearbook certificates were: Ronald Munch of Camas Valley, Jacqueline Stolz and Mary Griswold of Drain, Nancy Sparks of Oakland, Dorla Brooks and Lynn Curry of Reedsport, Elora Scence of Sutherlin and Sharon Simmons of Yoncalla.

### Eight County Youths Study Possible Careers

Eight Douglas County youths were in Corvallis this week looking into the career possibilities in science and engineering at the "Junior Engineer and Scientist" summer institute. The two week course will continue through June 23 for 127 high school students at Oregon State College. The eight are: Ronnie Hart, James R. Miller, Richard L. Olsen, Leonard W. Read, Eugene W. Roelle, Paul Yundt of Roseburg, and Lewis S. Woolley and Milo Newcomb of Riddle.

### South Deer Creek HEC Plans Cooked Food Sale

South Deer Creek Home Economics Club members will plan a cooked food sale at the weekend of June 22. Sandwiches, salad, cake and baked beans will be sold. The fair booth was also discussed. It was announced that the next regular meeting of the South Deer Creek Grange will be held this evening. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Durward Gray and Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Gray will be on the refreshment committee.

### Harriman Gains Strength Over Part Of Nation

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spite a crushing loss to Stevenson in the recent California primary. There was no word meanwhile on whether President Eisenhower's second illness in 10 months might cause him to change his mind about seeking re-election. Republican spokesmen seemed confident he would be a candidate. Sen. Humphrey (D-Minn) kicked off the Wisconsin convention last night with a blast at Eisenhower. Humphrey said the Republicans are "substituting popularity for leadership and mediocrity for principles." Humphrey said "I'm not blaming Eisenhower's lieutenants for his mistakes — he's responsible for his agents." In Jacksonville, Fla., Florida delegates to the GOP National Convention balked yesterday at endorsing Vice President Nixon for reelection or for president if Eisenhower doesn't run. A proposed resolution to that effect drew quick protests from the group, which went on to pass a resolution praising Nixon for the "splendid service he has rendered," without endorsing him for any office. The delegates already are committed to Eisenhower, now convening in Walter Reed Army Hospital from his emergency intestinal surgery last week.

### Society Pledges Fight For Lillie Moore House

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Moore until 1952, when the U. S. Supreme Court turned over the property to the government. The claims of the relatives were disallowed. The government was in the picture because Miss Moore had willed the property to the United States. The Senate action didn't make a hit with city officials, either. When the property first was declared surplus two years ago, the city made application with the General Services Administration for title under the formula that a municipality may purchase surplus federal lands for half the appraised value. The property then must be used for park or recreational purposes. Subsequently, the GSA rejected the city's application, saying the property is adaptable only for business purposes. Then came the announcement of the auction. Instantly, members of the Historical Society were in a campaign to have the three lots withdrawn. Rep. Harris Ellsworth of Roseburg took up the cause and the GSA cancelled sale of the three lots. The city and the Historical Society have had their heads close together in plans for the property. The Historical Society has a commitment from the City Council for possession of the house, should the city gain title to the property. That move is allowed in the amended Senate bill. But the city, if it accepts the grounds under the Senate bill, must use the tract for park purposes, and city officials have been studying the site as: (1) a possible parking lot, or (2) a possible location for a new city hall.

### ASKS DANCE HALL LICENSE

A. H. (Tom) Edwards has filed for a license with the Douglas County clerk to operate a dance hall at the Winston Community Hall. He has also filed for an assumed name for a western dance orchestra to play at the hall to be called Tom Edwards and the Tim-bucks.

### MASONIC GRAND MASTER

PORTLAND — Ralph T. Moore of Grants Pass was installed as master of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Oregon as the organization wound up its 106th annual convention Friday.

### DOUGLAS MACHINE & WELDING

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● Dodge Bearings ● Roller Chains ● Sprockets

### Funeral Services Set For J. L. Emick

Funeral services for Jack Floyd Emick, who drowned March 18 near Riddle, will be held Monday at 2 p. m. at the Sutherland Seventh-day Adventist Church with the Rev. W. R. Riston officiating. Interment will follow at Fair Oaks Cemetery near Sutherlin.

Emick was born Nov. 12, 1919, in Sheridan, Wyo., and a veteran of World War II. He was married to Lena Powell at College Place, Wash., August 3, 1946. The Emick family has lived in Oregon for the past eight years and at Sutherlin for three years.

Survivors include: his wife, Lena Emick, and four minor children, Ronald, Kathleen, Kenneth and Linda, all of Sutherlin; his mother, Susie Brechenridge of Wenatchee, Wash.; and one sister, Mrs. Alice Nelson of La Center, Wash.

Stearns and Little Mortuary in Oakland is in charge of arrangements. Emick's body was found Wednesday.

### University Group To Present Four Summer Plays

Four stellar productions comprised the 1956 third annual Roseburg Kiwanis Summer Theatre series which begins Thursday with the liting Rodgers and Hammerstein musical play "Carousel." Gordon Howard, formerly of Ten-mile will star in the play.

The summer season includes: "Affairs of the State" on July 23; "Country Girl" on July 25; and "Club Intime" on August 7. Season tickets for the four-show series are now on sale in Roseburg at Harmony House, 735 SE Cass Ave., and Ott & Ricketts Music Store, 702 SE Jackson St. They may be purchased from any Kiwanis Club member.

### Indiana Barber Shoppers Win

MINNEAPOLIS — The Ambassadors of Harmony, Michigan City, Ind., Friday night won the choral contest at the 18th annual meeting of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America. More than a score of singing groups, each made up of 35 or 40 voices, competed in the night show. Rudy Hart is director of the winning Indiana group. Other choruses finished in this order: Cascade Chorus, Eugene-Springfield, Ore.; East York Barber Shop, Toronto, Ont.; the Pekin Ill. Chorus; and the Border Chorus, El Paso, Tex.

### Elkton Folks Will Vote On Special School Levy

Voters in the Elkton School District Monday will vote on a special tax levy of \$36,174 outside the 6 per cent limitation and above the amount allowed the district by the Rural School Board. The voters also will elect one school board member and for the only one candidate, Norman Weatherly will be running for a five-year term on the board. He also is a member of the Rural School Board. Weatherly is a veteran in school matters in the Elkton community, having worked with the board for about 30 years. He is a farmer and sheep-grower. He also is a member of the Port of Umpqua Commission and is active in Farm Bureau and conservation affairs.

### Information Taker Not Authorized By Board

Donald Roth of Tenmile reported to the sheriff's office Friday that Dillard school district authorities knew nothing about a woman who told him information she received from him in the form of a poll questionnaire would be turned over to the public schools. Roth said he was contacted by the woman of about 20 years, who said she was a Children's Institute census taker. She claims she told him all information would be turned over to the public schools. Roth had television and what kind of books he had for his children's education. He told police he checked with school authorities in District 116 and was told they knew nothing about such a census.

### Portland Grand Jurors Recess Probe Of Vice

PORTLAND — The grand jury investigating vice in Portland was in recess Saturday after winding up its second week of the probe.

Sheriff Terry Schrank and Clyde C. Crosby, international representative of the Teamsters Union in Oregon, were the final witnesses of the week.

Schrank spent most of the day in the jury room. Crosby was called in for 1 1/2 hours before the grand jury broke off for the weekend.

### Quarles Admits H-Bomb Fall Short Of Target

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area of total or major destruction by a midair burst of an H-bomb of about 10 megatons (the equivalent of 10 million tons of ordinary TNT) is estimated at about 12 miles.

Quarles said "the initial thinking was not to make any official announcement regarding the incident. This, he said, was "not to shield any error but because it seemed wiser not to talk about the subject."

(Ordinarily, the military prefers not to disclose data which gives a clue to the degree of accuracy in the use of new weapons.) But, referring to speculation about the margin of error which ranged from two to seven miles, Quarles said "recent events make it time for frank admission."

He said the fact that the bomb detonated at a point some 10 miles less than four miles from the intended point of burst did have some effect on the scientific recordings of the explosion, but it "did not have a serious effect on the overall experiment."

He explained that in this particular test, the recording instruments were set up for a "broad scale coverage." Quarles explained that human error was at fault was similar to a statement earlier by Brig. Gen. Robert L. Scott, Jr., Air Force director of the test. He said, however, that the plane missed the target about two miles.

### Douglas Badmia Meted 30-Day Jail Sentence

Douglas Joseph Badmia, 25, of Swishome, Ore., in the Douglas County jail today starting a 30-day jail sentence as the result of a drunken driving charge. Badmia was sentenced Friday in Reedsport municipal court. He was total culpability is \$4,881. Leader is Deb Copenhaver of Post Falls, Idaho, with a whopping 7-199 points. Burns saddle bronze expert George Menkenmaier nudged Wright for second place. His point total is a mere five less. Menkenmaier moved up from fourth to third place.

### Ben Russell, Roy Cox Scotts Valley Candidates

Ben Russell and Roy Cox are candidates for the school board at Scotts Valley. The election will be held Monday at the school between 2 and 8 p. m. The winner will replace Percy Langdon, the chairman, on the board. Langdon won't be running for re-election. A second school board member, Foye Martin, has resigned. However, his resignation wasn't received until too late to include on the ballot. An appointment will be made to replace him after the election.

### Glendale Millworker Breaks Leg In Fall

A Glendale millworker, Arvel Acres, was taken to Forest Glen Hospital, Canyonville, about 9 a. m. today after he fell and broke his right leg, according to Mrs. G. B. Fox, News-Review correspondent. Acres was working beside the conveyor carrying waste to the burner at Multnomah Plywood Corp. when the accident occurred. Both bones in the claf of his leg were broken.

### Sutton Given 3 Years, Placed On Probation

Arthur B. Sutton, 21, Portland, Friday was sentenced to serve three years in the Oregon State Penitentiary after he pleaded guilty to a charge of burglary not in a dwelling. Probation was granted by Judge Charles S. Woodrich. Sutton was one of three youths arrested and charged with breaking into Gardiner Grade School and stealing about \$15 in change. All three pleaded guilty and each was sentenced to serve three years. One of the other two, James E. Dempster, 20, Portland, was not granted probation. The other, Robert B. Elliott Jr., was allowed probation.

### Autoist Takes To Ditch To Avoid Another Car

A Eugene driver told state police Friday that he took to the gravelly shoulder of Highway 99, south of Roseburg, to avoid hitting another car. The action sent Jack Braxton Egan, 2140 E. Irwin Way, into a deep ditch. The car came to a halt some 100 feet from its starting point with the front end in the ditch according to the police, who issued no citations. Egan's vehicle was heavily damaged but he was uninjured, officers said. The mishap occurred at mile post 212.

### Best Employment Year Since 1950 Appears On Way

The best year for employment since 1950 appears to be on the way in central Douglas County. With the summer almost here, non-agricultural employers indicate that maximum employment has been reached, according to George T. Foster, manager of the Roseburg office of the Oregon Employment Service.

Though there has been some curtailment of lumber operations because of softening of lumber and plywood prices, there has been no widespread layoffs, Foster said. Contract construction work is moving steadily, and a gradual increase in employment in retail trade is evident. Foster said increases in the latter field is usually a good indication that almost complete recovery from the effects of the long winter has been made.

Claims for unemployment insurance have dropped to a point well below the minimum for any similar period since 1952. Although there is little demand now for unskilled workers, employers have openings for skilled and semi-skilled workmen.

As the summer progresses, there will be a need for farm help. The bean crop, Foster said, will compare favorably with last year, providing that the recent rains haven't caused serious setbacks in the growing process. Little change in other harvests is expected.

Foster pointed out that a new group of workers, those who just graduated from high school, is in the labor market. Many, he pointed out, have high aptitudes for jobs available in the area.

### Top Rodeo Performers Billed For Show Here

Douglas County Rodeo goes next weekend are going to see several of the top RCA national performers. This week two cowboys, slated to appear at the fairgrounds June 23 and 24 climbed into near-leader positions. Dayville cowpoke Jackie Wright, 24, picked up a \$1,368 to jump from seventh to second place in the saddle bronc division. His point total nationally is 4,881. Leader is Deb Copenhaver of Post Falls, Idaho, with a whopping 7-199 points. Burns saddle bronze expert George Menkenmaier nudged Wright for second place. His point total is a mere five less. Menkenmaier moved up from fourth to third place.

### Three Army Men Being Held On AWOL Charges

Three young men, AWOL from the Army, were taken into custody by Roseburg police Friday morning after a 16-year-old boy told officers that they had taken his roller skates from him. Arrested and held for military authorities from Fort Lewis, Wash., was John Mitchell Carmon, 19, of 1315 SE Flint St. Police said he is AWOL. Also arrested and charged with vagrancy were Charles Roy Curran, 18, Winston, and Harvey Delmer Galloway, 18, 1661 Rutter Ln. The 16-year-old refused to sign a complaint against the three in the alleged theft of the skates, police said.

### Robert Hale Crabb, 35, Pays Fine For Larceny

Robert Hale Crabb, 35, of 2040 Hollis St., Roseburg, paid \$100 fine and was released Friday after pleading guilty to a charge of larceny under \$75 in Douglas County District Court. Crabb was charged in a complaint by Richard Wilson of taking a crescent wrench and two turn-buckles, which were the property of the City Drive In Market.

### STOVE OVERHEATS

Roseburg firemen Friday evening were called to the W. R. Halbrook home at 1423 SE Main St. where an oil stove overheated. There was no damage.

### ARTICLE STOLEN

An employee of the Robert Dollar Co. in Glendale told state police Friday that a McCulloch bar and chain valued at \$334 has been taken from a company operation in Josephine County.

### BATTERY STOLEN

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### Tickets Placed On Sale Here For Rodeo June 23-24

Reserve, general admission and box seats for the Douglas County Rodeo June 23 and 24 are now on sale. Reserve seat Chairman Jean Petrequin stressed today that the number of reserves available has been cut considerably with the installation of the 49 box seats at the fairgrounds.

Petrequin said 1,295 reserved seats would be available for each rodeo performance. There will be two RCA shows, one Saturday and another Sunday. Both are afternoon events.

Seating at the Douglas County fairgrounds grandstand is approximately 4,500.

Ticket sales at the bright red sales booth in front of Howard's Men's Wear, 507 SE Jackson St., Roseburg, are being handled by the Lady Lions, Jay-Cettes and the Douglas County Mounted Sheriff's posse Auxiliary, Petrequin said.

Chairman of the sale of box seats is Del Martin. The rodeo is RCA-approved. It offers a purse of \$4,000, Douglas County Rodeo Assn. Pres. Robert Tripodi said that addition of entry fees will boost prize money to approximately \$7,500.

### Freed Americans Resting In China

HONG KONG — Two American Roman Catholic priests freed after three years in Red Chinese prisons reported today from Shanghai they are well and have been told to rest a few days in the Chinese city. The two priests, the Rev. John William Clifford and the Rev. Thomas Leonard Phillips, both of San Francisco, talked with The Associated Press by telephone. They were among 15 Americans known to be imprisoned in Red China. Peiping radio said yesterday the priests are being released. Officials here said it was believed they would reach Hong Kong within a week.

### Adventists Buy Surplus Property At Auction

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000 for one of 33.5 acres, \$7,100 for one of 18.4 and \$1,100 for a fourth of 21 acres. All bidding was on a cash-payment basis. A fifth tract at the Cottage Grove reservoir was sold to Earl Murry, Cottage Grove, for \$50.

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