

Farm Leaders See Big Loss In Bill Veto

WASHINGTON — Farm leaders estimated Wednesday President Eisenhower's veto of legislation to freeze farm price supports at not less than 1957 levels could reduce farmers' gross income from affected products by half a billion dollars this year.

By gross income is meant the amount producers receive before paying production costs.

But this does not necessarily mean that total gross farm income would be reduced by that amount. It would be possible for returns from unsupported products—such as hogs, cattle, sheep, lambs, poultry, fruits and vegetables—to offset, if not exceed, the potential income reductions on the supported commodities.

The estimate of the lower income from supported commodities is based upon the assumption that market prices will drop as much as the price supports. Special economic factors could alter the picture to hold prices of some or all the products above the support levels, in which case the reduction would be smaller if not eliminated.

However, there appears to be nothing in the outlook to indicate that prices of most of the supported products will hold above the lower supports.

In vetoing the bill, Eisenhower in effect endorsed lower supports for wheat, corn, barley, rice, grain sorghums, dairy products, flaxseed, cottonseed, rice, dry beans and honey which Secretary of Agriculture Benson had ordered.

The supports for oats and soybeans were unchanged while that for cotton was increased.

Morals Charges Lodged Against Young Couple

After investigation by Roseburg police and sheriff's deputies, a young Roseburg pair were arrested on charges of lewd cohabitation Tuesday.

A forgery charge also was placed against the girl, Roberta Bell Coney, 17, 1563 SE Short St. She pleaded innocent to the lewd cohabitation charge and is scheduled to be tried in district court Monday at 10 a.m.

The forgery charge stems from a check which was passed March 14 at the Rich-Maid Ice Cream Co. She appeared in district court today on this count and asked for a preliminary hearing which was set for Monday also.

Her companion, whom officers said was also taken into custody at 1563 SE Short St., is Henry James Burns, 23. He pleaded guilty to lewd cohabitation Tuesday and today was sentenced to 30 days in jail by Warren E. Woodruff, district judge.

The girl is being held in jail in lieu of bail of \$1,000 on the forgery charge and \$100 on the other count.

President Labels Nuclear Test Ban Propaganda Move

By MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH

WASHINGTON — President Eisenhower said Wednesday Russia's nuclear test ban announcement is just a gimmick which should not be taken seriously. Eisenhower told a news conference that evaluation does not mean, however, we should stop trying to find a common ground for agreement with the Soviet Union.

He recalled repeated U.S. efforts over the years seeking agreement with Russia in the disarmament, nuclear test and other fields. And he said we should keep on trying to find agreement.

Position Not Negative

The President said he does not believe there is any justification for labeling the U.S. position a negative one just because it is being firm in the interest of the United States and the rest of the world.

Some critics in Congress and elsewhere have contended the administration's position has been negative.

A good deal of the questioning at the news conference dealt with whether the United States had gained if it had labeled the Russian test ban as just propaganda in advance of the Soviet announcement.

The announcement by Russia had been widely forecast.

Plan Considered Here

Eisenhower replied that was considered by this government—along with the possibility of the United States' making the first move toward banning tests—but that both proposals were rejected on the ground that Russia was only seeking to gain from a propaganda standpoint.

Eisenhower was in a cheerful, jaunty mood at the conference, which also dealt with these other matters:

Recession — Eisenhower said anew the government must give very careful thought to the idea of an anti-recession tax cut. He added forcefully that if we don't approach the problem of the business slump very seriously, we will build trouble for ourselves in the future. Such trouble, the President said, would make the current recession look small by comparison.

SLIDE HITS TRAIN

SAN FRANCISCO — A Southern Pacific mail train was hit by two snowslides in the Sierra Nevada early Wednesday, 31 miles west of Truckee. About 25 passengers aboard escaped injury.

Two trainmen were reported injured slightly.

The east-bound train of six diesel units and 22 cars was coming out of a snow tunnel 13 miles west of Donner Summit when leading diesel units were hit by the first slide at 4:40 a.m.

Britain, U. S. Split On Change Of 3-Mile Limit

GENEVA — Britain Tuesday abandoned a joint defense with the United States of the traditional three-mile limit to territorial waters and proposed a six-mile limit. The United States opposed the proposal.

The British proposal introduced at the 87-nation conference on the law of the sea was a compromise with nations seeking title to wider waters around their shores.

In the first split among major Western powers on the question, U.S. delegate Arthur H. Dean said, "We are against any extension whatever... we shall vote against it."

The primary effect of the British proposal would be to widen the area in which a nation's fishing fleets have exclusive rights. The proposal said it would not affect existing rights of passage for aircraft and vessels, including warships, outside three miles.

U.S. Opposed

The United States has opposed efforts of other nations to win approval for extensions which would curtail operations of U.S. fishermen, such as the claim of Peru and Chile to 200-mile limits in the Pacific.

However, the U.S. delegation went along with a resolution adopted by the conference that national rights to exploitation of resources beneath the seas extend out to a depth of 600 feet, or as much farther as they can be developed.

Later a new principle of international law was approved, in effect legalizing passage of Israeli ships through Arab waters to Israel's southern port of Eilat.

The conference approved the principle 31-30 over the opposition of Arab nations and the Soviet Union. It provides for the innocent passage of foreign ships through straits connecting the high seas with the territorial waters of a coastal state.

Former Douglas Woman Succumbs In California

Mrs. N. L. Squier of Loma Linda, Calif., a former Roseburg and Sutherlin resident, died at her home in California Tuesday night.

She is survived by her husband and two daughters, both of Roseburg. They are Mrs. Leo O'Mara and Mrs. Arthur Metzger. Mrs. Squier and her husband moved from Douglas County about six years ago.

Funeral services are scheduled for 2 p.m. Monday at Loma Linda.

WILL SPEAK THURSDAY

Stan Coleman, a member of the State Board of Parole and Probation, will speak at an Inter Agency meeting scheduled for 9:30 a.m. Thursday in the home economics room at the courthouse.

PLEADS INNOCENT

Charles William Payne, 34, Porter Creek, charged with being drunk on a public highway, pleaded innocent today in district court. He will be tried April 14. Meanwhile, Payne is free on \$100 bail.

Roseburg Woman's Club Has Mortgage Burning, Pattern Sewing Contest



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Plastics Industry For County Still Far Off In Future

The time when plastics products manufactured in Roseburg would be merchandised appeared far away today after a conference between members of the Chamber of Commerce's industrial committee and Charles Larson, accountant for Advanced Products Corp. of Eugene.

The committee had been investigating possibilities of setting up a plant to manufacture the products being perfected by the corporation. The products include such items as prefabricated canyons, doghouses, grave markers, burial vaults and swimming pools.

Larson, however, indicated at a meeting in the Hotel Umpqua Tuesday that studies needed to be made to determine costs of products to consumers and exploration of markets. He said the corporation, made up of seven men, wants communities of the state to furnish promoters who can examine the products, pay for studies of engineering and markets and manufacture the products. He said the corporation was interested only in research and in furnishing technical knowledge for establishing any manufacturing plants.

Preliminary cost estimates made by Larson indicated prices might not be as competitive as had been generally outlined during a visit to the research plant of the corporation two weeks ago by the industrial committee.

Russell Cary Jr., chairman of the committee, said the chamber would try to contact persons who might be interested in promoting such an industry. If one is found, he said, "we can only hope he would bring it to Roseburg."

He concluded that the chamber was not equipped to start such a manufacturing operation here itself.

Fringe Of Storm Caused Thunder

The fringes of a massive storm off the coast caused two thunderstorms, hail and heavy rains in central Douglas County during the last 24 hours.

The Roseburg station of the U.S. Weather Bureau today said the storm would probably not veer inland, but its fringes would continue to bring heavier than normal precipitation during the next five days.

The thunderstorms occurred at 2 1/2-hour intervals Tuesday afternoon, the first shortly after 2 and the second after 4:30. Sandwiched between was a four-minute downpour of quarter-inch hailstones. No damages were reported.

At about 5 a.m. today, the barometer at Roseburg took a dip and heavy rainfall followed. For the 24-hour period before 8 a.m., the gauge showed 32 inch had fallen.

Correspondent Mrs. G. B. Fox of Glendale also reported even heavier rain at the southern end of the county. She said a rain gauge on the Wilton Garrett ranch near Glendale showed an inch of rain had fallen between 8 p.m. Tuesday and 7 a.m. today.

For the next five days, precipitation will continue heavier than normal in frequent rainy periods. The Weather Bureau says. Total precipitation will average between a half and one inch. Temperatures will remain near normal with maximums in the 50s and minimums in the 40s, the bureau forecasts.

But Sen. Ives (R-NY) told newsmen little had been gained from either investigation.

He said the probes had shown that UAW president Walter Reuther is "honest" and a "good labor leader."

Reuther, in three days of testimony last week, clashed repeatedly with Goldwater and Sen. Curtis (R-Neb) as they attempted to show a pattern of violence in UAW strikes. Reuther denied their contentions.

Chairman McClellan (D-Ark) said the committee will turn next to Philadelphia Teamster affairs with open hearings to start here April 14 or 15.

Earth Mountain Blocks Highway In California

LOS ANGELES — A mountain of earth blocks the Pacific Coast Highway Wednesday as state and city officials puzzle over what to do about it.

Under it a highway engineer died in the 16th landslide in three years to strike along the Pacific Palisades.

Above it fissures are appearing in the earth — an indication that an 11th slide may be impending. Nearby are costly homes.

Residents of 11 homes along the street that skirts the Palisade state have been ordered to evacuate.

As heavy rains continued to slash at the cliffs, police Tuesday declared the area off limits to all unauthorized persons. The slide disaster was termed a "menace to public safety."

The Los Angeles City Council asked city officials to confer with federal authorities to see if a relocation of the highway, U.S. 101 alternate, could be financed federally.

The area lies north of the city of Santa Monica near where Sunset Boulevard deadends at the ocean front. The highway skirts the surf beneath the miles-long palisade. Above is a luxurious residential area.

Among homes above the scene of Monday's fatal slide is that of actress Deborah Kerr.

Wobur Church Plans Thurs. Night Service

Rev. John Ginter, pastor of the Methodist Church at Wilbur, has scheduled a communion service to be held Thursday at 7 p.m. Members of all churches of the community are invited to take part in this special service.

The Easter morning worship service will start fifteen minutes later than usual, beginning at 9:45 instead of the usual 9:30. Rev. Ginter will hold a second service at the Wilbur Church at 2:30 in the afternoon. At this time new members will be received, the cradle roll will be given recognition and a baptismal service will be held, reports Mrs. Lewis Bintliff, correspondent.

Air Force Fires Bomarc Missile

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. — The Air Force Wednesday launched a Bomarc guided missile — its most potent ground-to-air defense weapon and the nearest thing it has to an anti-missile missile.

The lightning-swift Bomarc, larger than many a fighter plane, darted away from the Air Force missile test center about 11:20 a.m.

The Bomarc climbed vertically for perhaps five seconds, then arched over gracefully, high in the sky. It raced southeastward, down along the missile test range that reaches out across the Bahamas and the eastern Caribbean.

The Air Force declined to give any further information. The current Bomarc has a range of 200 to 300 miles.

GV CHURCH PROGRAM

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bell, Portland, known as the "Musical Bells," will visit the Garden Valley Community Church Thursday at 7:45 p.m. for an evening of instrumental music and singing. Correspondent A. J. Schneider reports the Bells play a variety of instruments.

First Christian Church Choir Presents

CHRISTUS

Mendelssohn's dramatic and unfinished oratorio of 35 minutes duration

Candle Light Communion Service Follows

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