

SCHOOL FINANCING AWAITS FRIDAY'S VOTE

All 47 Aboard Perish In Crash Of Airliner

Tragedy Follows Collision With Supersonic Bomber; Both Jet Pilots Also Killed

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — A huge airliner winging east in perfectly clear weather collided with a supersonic fighter-bomber high over the desert Monday, exploded and crashed. All 47 aboard were killed.

The jet plane was an F100F from nearby Nellis Air Force Base, a pilot training center. The craft's two occupants, on an instrument training mission, rode the craft to their deaths.

The transport exploded and crashed, killing all 47 aboard. The jet crashed, too, killing both acoard.

Initial reports were that one or both had parachuted, but the chute sighted apparently was a drag chute from the plane.

The collision was at 21,000 feet over a hilly desert area 15 miles southwest of here.

Observers said there was a spurt of flame as the United Air Lines transport exploded and then went into a long death dive, trailing flames, black smoke and debris.

The DC7 was carrying 37 regular passengers, 5 airline employees and a crew of 5 from Los Angeles to New York via Denver, Kansas City and Washington.

It left Los Angeles at 7:30 a.m. and was due over this desert gambling resort at 8:31 a.m. although it was not scheduled to land here.

The crippled airliner crashed like a bomb.

A rescue party headed by sheriff's deputies reached the scene by mid-morning and reported all dead. Most of the bodies remained in the fuselage and the wreckage, which burned on the ground, was not widely scattered.

The scene is 15 miles south of Las Vegas' McCarran Field, within 10 miles of the mountains where actress Carole Lombard died when a transport in which she was a passenger hit a peak in 1942.

The jet came down three miles away from the airliner and over a hill. The Air Force said the bodies of both airmen were in the wreckage.

After the collision, Nellis AFB said, its radio men heard one report from the jet: "Mayday" — the aviator's distress call. There were a few other words, so garbled they were indistinguishable.

The radio men said the speaker could have been saying "flame" (Continued on Page 2 Col. 1)

Oregon Coast Air Crash Kills Physician, Wife

NEWPORT, Ore. (AP) — A Vancouver, B.C., physician and his wife died Sunday when their light plane crashed near the airport at this coastal town.

The victims were identified by state police as Dr. and Mrs. Jack Leonard McMillan of Vancouver, B.C. They were killed outright when their plane crashed and burned.

At Vancouver, B.C., Ross Edwards, a partner of Dr. McMillan, said the McMillans were en route to San Francisco for a medical convention.

Their plane first was noticed over the Newport area at about 1:20 p.m. Persons who saw it said it was flying low over the beach in fog and rain.

Police said the plane apparently was coming in for a landing when it crashed in brush about 250 feet short of the landing strip.

Wreckage was scattered over a wide area.

In The Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

Some figures put out a few days back by the federal government departments that deal with employment and unemployment indicate that the unemployment rate is highest in the highly industrialized Northeast, second highest along the growingly industrialized Atlantic coast and third highest in the Pacific Coast states of Oregon, Washington and California, where the relatively new industrialization of the Far West is chiefly concentrated. They show that unemployment tends to be lowest in the agricultural areas of the Middle West.

That is to say, agriculture is a stabilizing influence in our American economy. Except in war booms, it doesn't rise to dizzy heights. But, on the other hand, it doesn't fall to the bottom depths.

These figures show percentage of unemployment (that is, percentage of those who are unemployed).

The Weather

AIRPORT RECORDS

Mostly cloudy, few scattered showers tonight. Partly cloudy Tuesday, with few afternoon showers. Cooler tonight.

Lowest temp. last 24 hours	51
Highest temp. any April	90
Lowest temp. any April	27
Precip. last 24 hours	.04
Precip. from April 1	1.27
Precip. from Sept. 1	37.72
Excess from Sept. 1	11.38

Sunset tomorrow, 7:51 p.m.
Sunrise tonight, 5:22 a.m.

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Researcher Held On Count Of Perjury

FBI Links Harvard Educator With Soble Red Espionage Ring

BOSTON (AP) — FBI agents arrested Mark Zborowski, 30, Russian born Harvard researcher, on perjury charges Monday in connection with the Jack Soble Soviet espionage ring.

He was held in \$20,000 bail for further hearing Wednesday at a brief arraignment before U. S. Commissioner Peter J. Neilligan.

A short man, about five feet five, Zborowski was visibly nervous and pale.

His only comment in the small federal building courtroom was on the matter of bail. He said \$20,000 was "an awful lot of money" and added: "I never intended to leave here and I can be here anytime you want me."

U. S. Marshal Ralph Gray led him away, handcuffed, to the detention room.

Registered as Foreign Agent

FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover had said earlier Zborowski's arrest was on the basis of a federal warrant issued in New York Friday. It charged Zborowski with perjury resulting from his testimony.

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Sutherland Advances Plans For Timber Days Celebration

Plans for Douglas County Timber Days at Sutherland are taking shape, and after a recent Timber Days Committee meeting, additional details were announced.

Mrs. Olive Putman, committee chairman, said the Douglas County Mounted Sheriff's posse and the Bagpipers from Eugene will take part in a parade Saturday morning, Aug. 9.

A plan to bring a woman who had been named Queen for a Day on the Hollywood television program to Sutherland for the Timber Days event was dropped since free transportation is not available.

The children's parade has been scheduled for 10 a.m. and the grand parade at 11 Saturday morning. Individuals or organizations wishing to participate in the parades should register at Warren's Studio and Camera Shop on East Central Avenue in Sutherland.

Floats will be judged on the following point system: Design and proportion, 20 points; originality, 40 points; suitability to theme, 10 points and appearance, 20 points; "Timber Days in Prose" is the theme for the celebration.

Fluorescent bumper strips advertising the event have been ordered. Chairman Dick Bellis reported.

Charges Of Hit-Run Are Filed Against Dillard Man Sunday

A 23-year-old Dillard man was booked at county jail Sunday evening on two charges following a pair of hit-and-run complaints Sunday afternoon in Roseburg.

George Bellis was charged with failure to stop at the scene of an accident and reckless driving. Bail was set at \$750 on the first charge and at \$75 on the reckless driving count.

Bault was arrested by Winston police on the lesser charge shortly after a small girl was injured and an automobile and a tricycle were damaged in two separate incidents.

Roseburg police said the first hit and run was reported about 3:15 p.m. The complainant, Mrs. Mabel Hiney, 628 West Corey St., told officers that a 1951 car had driven up on her driveway and rammed into the trike. She said the trike became caught underneath the car and was dragged away.

Only 15 minutes later, Edward Winkler, 645 West Wharton St., reported to police that a car of similar description had smashed into his vehicle as he attempted to make a left turn from Harvard Avenue onto Wharton. He said his daughter, Carole, 4, lost a tooth in the smashup and the other car fled west on Leeward.

Roseburg police said they later were called by Winston officers to assist in booking Bault at county jail following his arrest on the reckless driving charge.

Following Bault's directions, Roseburg officers then went to the residence of Gordon Clayton on Kent Creek west of Dillard. Bault's car was found there and police said they found the trike in the rear seat and paint marks matching samples from Winkler's car on the front bumper.

Meanwhile, Bault disclaimed any knowledge of the two Roseburg incidents. Clayton, however, signed a statement in which he said he was with Bault at the time of the smashups.

Petty Larceny Counts Faced By Pair Of Men

Two men arrested by a deputy sheriff Saturday on petty larceny charges were scheduled to be arraigned in Canyonville justice court today.

Held in lieu of \$250 bail each are Melvin Lester Flury, 22, Wacoma Beach, and William Luther Smith, 25, Otis. They were taken into custody in the southern part of the county.

NOTED CHURCHMAN DIES

ROANOKE, Va. (AP) — Everett L. Repass, 69, passenger traffic manager of the Norfolk-Western Railway and prominent Presbyterian layman, died yesterday. Repass was elected president of the Executive Committee of the Assembly's Men's Council of the Presbyterian Church in the United States in 1947.

Society Of X-Ray Technicians Date 2-Day Meet Here

Approximately 125 members of the Oregon Society of X-ray Technicians will meet in Roseburg next Friday and Saturday for their annual convention.

This will mark the first time the organization has met in this city, Mrs. Olive E. Doerner of Roseburg, general convention chairman, said. The society was invited to meet here at last year's convention in Coos Bay.

All activities will be held in the Umpqua Hotel. A highlight of the convention will be election of officers Saturday. An X-ray exhibit will be set up in the Coral Room of the hotel.

The X-rays, to be submitted by the members, will be judged and the winner presented an award Saturday night.

Refreshment Course

Clark R. Warren of Detroit, Mich., will instruct a refreshment course in basic exposure factors. Warren is first vice president of the National Society of X-ray Technicians. He is on the faculty at Wayne University College of Medicine. From 1942 to 1945 he served as a non-commissioned officer and after the war was employed by the Detroit Memorial Hospital.

Registration for the convention will start at 6 p.m. Friday and will open again at 8 Saturday morning. Warren will conduct the refreshment course.

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Funds For Access Roads Released; Near \$6 Million

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Morse (D-Ore) said Saturday that at the urging of Sen. Gore (D-Tenn), the Agriculture Department ordered release of \$5,914,000 in impounded funds for timber access roads.

George, chairman of the Senate Roads subcommittee, also had called on Secretary of Agriculture Benson to lay before Congress a complete timber access roads program before it adjourns.

"Full use of the department's contract authority would mean that our \$2 million dollar access road program could be put into operation this summer," said Morse.

"Oregon's share of this work would help greatly in getting people back into paying jobs in an area where unemployment is really serious."

6 STATES SEE METEOR

ATLANTA (AP) — A strange bullet-like object with a fiery tail was sighted in at least six states last night as it streaked high across the Southeastern sky. An astronomer said it probably was a giant meteor.

First Boat Exhibition Attracts Overflow 6,500 Attendance

The Umpqua Boat Club is looking for a new site to stage its 1959 boat show after 6,500 people — the minimum estimate — crammed limited Singleton Park Sunday for the club's first show.

Robert Keefe, commodore of the club, said members had estimated that 2,000 people would turn out.

The resulting crowd jammed the narrow county road leading to the park, and some spectators found it necessary to park more than a half-mile away and hoof it the rest of the way.

Commented Skip Cairns, show chairman: "This ought to prove the popularity of boating among the public."

Twenty-three central Douglas County boat, trailer and sporting goods dealers displayed their wares at the show. Club officers said after the exhibit that one firm sold at least \$2,000 worth of small boats and boat accessories. Another sold a boat and twin outboard motors worth nearly \$4,000.

Free Boat Rides Enjoyed

An estimated 1,800 persons took advantage of the club's offer of free boat rides. Nine boats were kept going on short runs down the main Umpqua River from the forks with passengers.

Others were content to stay in the park.

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17 Children Die In Fires In 4 States

\$400,000 Blaze Razes Community Hospital; All 23 Patients Saved

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Seventeen children died in four fires over the weekend.

In New York City's Harlem, Alfred Madriville, 31, father of seven, perished in an early morning fire with four of his children and a 4-year-old girl who was an overnight guest.

The four Madriville children ranged from 5 months to 4-year-old twins. The other fatality was Yvonne Thomas, 4.

Mrs. Madriville managed to get out of their tenement apartment with three of her children.

Officials blamed the blaze on careless smoking. The blaze occurred at 110th St. and 125th St. in the Bronx. Mrs. Archie Robinson, expecting her eighth child, returned to her farm home to find six of her children burned to death.

The oldest child, Bobby, 9, managed to get out safely.

Two children, had been playing with matches while Mrs. Junior was shopping. The other victims were 2, 4 and 6.

Three other Junior children, playing in a yard, escaped the flames.

Two children, left alone at their Delta, Colo., home by their mother, were fatally injured in a fire. A third child of Mrs. Alie Romero — Kathy, 5 — managed to escape without injury. The victims were a 2-year-old girl and a 6-month-old boy.

At Sylva, N. C., a \$400,000 fire destroyed the only hospital in the western North Carolina town of 3,000. All 23 patients were evacuated safely from the C. J. Harris Community Hospital.

Accused Non-Supporter Returned To Douglas

A man sought by Douglas County authorities since 1954 on a charge of non-support is now lodged in the county jail.

Frederick Newton DeBolt, 38, was extradited from San Diego, Calif. and booked at the Douglas jail Saturday. A grand jury returned a non-support indictment against him in 1954.

According to the sheriff's office, the Welfare Department has paid nearly \$10,000 to support DeBolt's family.

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FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP) — Dr. J. Howard Williams, 63, president of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth since 1953, died yesterday of a heart attack. He was born in Dallas.

Roseburg District's Budget Involves Current Expenses, 2 Special Bond Flotations

By DARELL MADDIX
News - Review Staff Writer

Roseburg School District voters will go to the polls Friday and vote on \$1,109,668.75 outside the 6 per cent limitation and two special bond issues.

The polls will be open from 2 to 8 p.m. at eight locations. These are Central Junior High School, Senior High School, Riverside, Rose, Melrose, Green, Winchester and Riverside elementary schools.

Total estimated expenditures of the proposed 1958 - 59 budget are \$2,330,518.59. The proposed budget totals \$90,002.69 more than the present one.

The two special bond issues will be voted on separately. One calls for \$35,000 for improvements in the science department at the high school, the other for \$35,000, would provide for a shop storage building to be built on the Edenshaw School site. Some materials on hand would be used in construction of the shop storage building, which would be 80 by 120 feet in size.

Present facilities in the high school science department would be removed and include a new chemistry and general science laboratory, physics room and storage rooms.

Superintendent of buildings and grounds Guy E. Davis has told the school board a new shop storage building is needed because trucks, tractors, a fork lift and other equipment must now be stored outside. Such material as lumber, plywood, pipe, fittings and other supplies can be purchased cheaper in quantity if storage space is available, he said.

Rural school district's apportionment to the Roseburg district is expected to be approximately \$667,781.71. Total estimated tax levies for the ensuing year are \$1,565,318.13, as compared with \$1,261,353.14 for the present budget.

Estimated Millage Down

The county assessor has estimated that the assessed valuation for the school district in 1958-59 will be \$27,889,237. For the current fiscal year the millage is 54.5 and assessed valuation is \$29,237,237.

If the rural school budget passes, plus the state offset in the basic school fund, the Roseburg School District tax millage may be between 10 and 12 mills less next year than for this, Supt. M. C. Deiler said.

Two items in the budget decreased: fixed charges and payment of interest and principal on bonded indebtedness. Fixed charges dropped by \$10,184.06 from \$138,596.32 to \$128,752.26 and payment of interest and principal on bonded indebtedness dropped from \$288,526.25 to \$283,171.25, a decrease of \$5,355.

Other Costs Listed

The cost of instruction, due principally to automatically-increased salaries and adjustments in the lower end of the salary schedule, is up \$40,053.03 to a total of \$1,417,021.39. Textbooks, teaching supplies and library supplies, however, amounted to \$9,105.78 or 27.7 per cent of the instruction increase.

Plant operation, the salaries of custodians, building supplies, fuel, lights, water are up from \$223,479 to \$226,302 or only \$2,823. Due principally to increased transportation costs, the auxiliary agencies category of the budget is up \$4,674.12 from \$100,920 to \$105,594.12.

The general control items, or the total expenses of operating the school superintendents office are up only \$782.40.

Two Lillie Moore Lots Will Be Sold May 28

Two of the three remaining lots in the Lillie Moore estate will be auctioned May 28 by the General Services Administration in Seattle.

The GSA, in announcing the sale, said the 154-foot frontage on Rose Street would be "excellent as a business building site, parking lot, etc."

The two lots lie immediately south of the Moore house, which is in the process of being legislated into the control of the Douglas County Historical Society.

The GSA said the sealed bids will be opened at 11 a.m. May 28 in room 128 of the Federal Office Building in Seattle.

Higher School Budget Awaits Drain Decision

Polls for Drain Elementary School District voters will be open from 2 to 8 p.m. Tuesday when residents will vote on \$91,727 outside the 6 per cent limitation.

Estimated expenditures for the 1958-59 school budget total \$106,578. The polls will be located in the grade school. The new budget amounts to about \$14,000 above the estimate for the current year.

The increase is primarily because of some teacher salary increases and the need for an additional teacher, Principal Vernon S. Todd said.

Missing Eugene Angler's Body Found In Reservoir

EUGENE (AP) — A search for a missing fisherman ended Sunday when the body of Paul A. Bellotti, 31, Eugene, was found in Fern Ridge Reservoir, 30 miles north-west of here.

Bellotti, who had gone out into the lake alone, first was reported missing Friday when his boat was seen drifting toward shore.

It was announced here today that the Jim McKee Trailer Sales will close all day Wednesday in memory of Bellotti. Bellotti's funeral is scheduled at the Friendly Church of God in Eugene Wednesday at 2 p.m.

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NEW YORK (AP) — Marian Anderson is the winner of the 1958 Albert Einstein Commemorative Award in the Arts. Miss Anderson, a Negro contralto, will receive her award May 4 from the Albert Einstein College of Medicine of Yeshiva University.



CLARK R. WARREN
... convention speaker

Log Slips; Myrtle Creek Man Injured

Paul Mospeller, 32, of Myrtle Creek was admitted to Douglas Community Hospital Friday after he received a fractured right thigh while at work, hospital authorities said.

The Myrtle Creek resident is employed by R. J. Stansen, Mospeller was injured when a log slipped and fell on him, hospital authorities said. His condition is reported as satisfactory this morning.

Ten-year-old Steven Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Simpson of Roseburg was released from Douglas Community Hospital Sunday. He was admitted Saturday afternoon after he fell while playing and fractured his right arm, hospital authorities said.

Kenneth Cronk, one-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Cronk, 3065 Porter St., was released from the hospital this morning. He was admitted to the hospital Saturday after he fell and cut his tongue, hospital authorities said.

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