

Chamber Votes To Continue Voluntary Time Change Plan

The Board of Directors of the Roseburg Area Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night voted to continue the voluntary Daylight Savings Time plan currently being carried out by many local businesses and industries.

The Chamber Board, in a near-unanimous vote, called for continuing the DST on a trial basis to see if it will be adopted by the general public.

Chamber President George Grate said the C of C had given the DST matter a great deal of study before recommending that it be adopted.

Solons Blamed

"We have attempted to make a decision which will be most advantageous to the entire area on an overall economic scene," he said. "Many of our local area businesses, primarily the lumber and plywood mills, are competing with business on the north, south and east of us that are on Daylight Savings Time and it is our feeling that moving the clock ahead here will enable them to compete on a more equal basis and to carry out telephone negotiations with their outlets on a less confusing basis."

"One thing I would like to make very clear," he continued, "is that the Chamber of Commerce did not bring about the Daylight Savings Time confusion that now exists. What we have tried to do is clear up the confusion brought about when the State Legislature passed a bill allowing part of the state to go on DST if it wished, but

not granting that privilege to the other parts."

Union Letter

Grate read a letter from Norman A. Lee, business agent for Local No. 2949, Lumber & Sawmill Workers, in which Lee said, "This action (referring to the Chamber's DST recommendation) is in direct contravention of the mandate of the majority of the people for the state of Oregon."

(The DST measure on the election ballot last year failed by a slim margin of 333,652 to 357,499.) Lee also said, "It has been stated by many members of the Chamber of Commerce that it is strictly voluntary as to whether or not you go by Daylight Savings Time or standard time. This is absolutely not true. The average workmen (which is the bulk of the people) are forced by their employers or the Chamber of Commerce to go along against their wishes and against their vote which so many of us used to think had some value."

Boycott Incidents

Incidents of boycotts against stores practicing DST were reported at Tuesday night's meeting as was the rumor that "bumper stickers" encouraging such a boycott are in the offing here.

Lee told The News-Review earlier this week there "definitely is an organized move within the union to shun stores on daylight time." He said, however, there has been no formal action taken but this represents the sentiment of union officials and members.

Ironically, it was the AFL-CIO to which the Roseburg local is affiliated, which supported DST in the 1960 election and the Building and Construction Trades Council of Oregon which introduced the legislative bill in Salem which led to the approval of DST for five northern Oregon counties.

"The Chamber of Commerce," Grate pointed out, "has more than 40 per cent of its membership from business representatives outside the city of Roseburg, and our aim is to promote programs which will do the most good for the most people throughout the entire area . . . not just for the downtown Roseburg businessmen."

Hazen Elected Jaycee Officer

Lester E. Hazen, 34, was elected Tuesday night to fill the newly-created post of External Vice President of the Roseburg Chapter of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The position was made available after a special meeting of all members was called to change the organization's by-laws to include two vice presidents, one external (dealing with community and other affairs) and one internal (organizational affairs).

Hazen, who lives with his wife



LESTER E. HAZEN
... new Jaycee officer

and two small children at 2118 SE Chinnaberry Ave., Roseburg, is a speech instructor at Roseburg High School. They came here from Eugene. He received his degree from York College in York, Neb.

Hazen's election took place at a general board meeting following the membership meeting.

Directorship of the community booster organization is now in the hands of 10 members, five on the executive committee, and five directors of the board. The executive committee includes Alan Brown, president, Bob Stevens, internal vice president, Larry King, secretary and Bob Luce, treasurer.

The board also nominated and elected Phil Antone to the post of Sergeant of Arms, and outlined his duties.

Project chairmen reported the status of various civic endeavors now being undertaken by the organization. These include a Kids Pioneer Day Parade, a dunk tank at the fair, trophy case in Roseburg, swim pool beautification and maintenance, a junior tennis meet and Jaycee's assistance for the city's new tennis courts.

A dinner meeting will be held next Tuesday in the Umpqua Hotel for all members and their guests.

Barneburg Attending Superintendents' Meet

Kenneth F. Barneburg, county school superintendent, is attending a meeting of the Oregon Association of County School Superintendents today in Portland.

Barneburg, a member of the Executive Committee of the association, stated the meeting is being held to plan the program of the group for the 1961-62 school year.

Under the presidential gavel of Cecil St. Croix County school superintendent, the meeting is being held at the Multnomah County superintendent's office.

Preliminary Hearing Set In Attempted Burglary Try

Preliminary hearings have been set in District Court in the cases of three of five Eugene young people, charged with attempted burglary in connection with the reported unsuccessful attempt to break into Model Market No. 2 on Garden Valley Rd. at NW Curry Rd. early Sunday.

Hearing is set at 2 p.m. today for Richard Earl Tranham, 18, at 3:30 for Connie Lee Newman, 19, and on June 14 for Shirley Jean Courtney, 19, David Allen Newman, 19, and Kenneth Lee Knight, 20, asked additional time Tuesday to consult with their attorneys and their cases were continued until today at 1:30.

Larceny Count

Earl Gordon Chapin, 42, of Winston on Tuesday was sentenced by District Judge Gerald R. Hayes to six months in the Douglas County jail and fined \$250 and \$5 costs on an indecent exposure charge.

He was arrested last Feb. 10, but has been free in bail pending trial before the judge.

A preliminary hearing is set for 2:30 p.m. today in the case of Herbert H. Haldiman, 51, of 253 SE Fowler St., Roseburg, who faces a charge of larceny over \$75. Arrested by Roseburg City Police, he is accused of the theft of 30 steam radiators, the property of Robert Angell, on June 2.

Still another preliminary hearing is set for today. Iwana Faye Scott will appear before Judge Hayes at 4 p.m. on a charge of taking and using an automobile without authority, but without intent to steal. She is accused of taking and using a station wagon owned by Billy Mohr on June 2.

Game Violation

In other district court actions, Nina Irene Ness was found guilty by the court of a charge of possession of game during closed season. She was fined \$100 plus \$5 costs and sentenced to serve 20 days in the Douglas County Jail.

However, the fine and imprisonment were suspended for a period of one year contingent upon her paying court costs. She was charged with having deer meat in her possession on May 22.

Nancy Irene Campbell, 25, Myrtle Creek, was sentenced to two days in jail and fined \$100 for operating a motor vehicle with suspended operator's license.

Ronald Leon Tehro, 21, of 447 NE Ward Ave., Roseburg, appeared in the Justice of Peace court

Two Minor Accidents Reported To Police

Two minor accidents were reported by Roseburg police in the city Tuesday.

The first involved cars driven by Harvey Harry Hale of 1064 NE Klamath Ave., and George Glibee Stocking of Santa Cruz, Calif. Police said Hale had just entered the intersection of NE Jackson St. and Douglas Ave., when the Stocking car, allegedly in the wrong lane of traffic, went through a stop sign, hitting the left front fender of the Hale car.

Stocking was cited for not stopping at a stop sign.

Earlier in the day, cars driven by Lloyd Lee Kenney of Box 734, Roseburg, and Betty Margaret Harris, Portland, collided at the intersection of SE Rose St. and Lane Ave. The fender of the Harris vehicle was damaged.

William K. Eldridge

Funeral services for William Kenneth Eldridge, 31, of Rt. 2, Box 1350, Roseburg, who died Sunday evening from injuries sustained in an auto accident on NE Stephens, will be held in the chapel of Long & Orr Mortuary Friday at 10:30 a.m. (PST), with the Rev. Dr. Eugene Gerlitz of the First Baptist Church officiating. Concluding services and vault interment will follow in the Roseburg Memorial Gardens.

Eldridge was born March 28, 1930 at Akron, Ohio and later moved with his parents to Southern California. He came to the Roseburg area about two weeks ago from Long Beach, Calif. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Leora B. Eldridge, and a son, Kenneth E., both of Long Beach, Calif., and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Eldridge, Los Angeles, Calif.

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Rusk Asks New Foreign Agency

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State Dean Rusk urged Congress today to create a single agency to handle long-term foreign aid with a minimum number of strings attached.

Rusk told the House Foreign Affairs Committee that he was presenting the administration's new assistance program with an added sense of urgency because of President Kennedy's broadcast report Tuesday night on his trip to Europe.

Rusk also asked for a clear separation between military aid and assistance for economic and social development.

In his dollar figures and the rest of the program, Rusk went down the line with the outline presented by Kennedy in his foreign aid message.

Committee Chairman Thomas Morgan, D-Pa., estimated the amount required to carry out the President's requests next year at \$4,535 billion.

Rusk laid emphasis on the proposal for authority for the administration to borrow \$900 million from the Treasury in the year starting July 1 and an additional \$1.6 billion in each of the four following years, for loans on long-term projects.

Tied in with this borrowing proposal was a request to permit the new International Economic and Social Development Agency to re-allocate payments of both principal and interest on past loans. Such funds are estimated at \$287 million next year with an average of around \$300 million over a five-year period.

Reedsport Approves \$106,504 Budget

The City of Reedsport has approved the 1961-62 budget, according to Dawn Peseau, News-Review correspondent.

It includes \$106,504 general fund expenditures, \$3,105 less than the general fund item last year.

Of the amount \$79,500 is to be raised by taxation but only \$50,000 is in the general fund and subject to the 6 per cent taxation limitation. A total of \$29,000 is in the sewer fund.

The tax base is \$55,120, and no vote is required upon the budget. The amount includes \$15,000 water bond retirement and \$7,000 water bond interest.

The water fund is budgeted for \$2,250, buildings \$5,000, community building \$2,250, and receipts estimated from the state gasoline tax are \$24,000.

William Humphreys is chairman of the budget committee, and members include Ben Gawle, George Williams, Roger Love, D. A. W. in Bernhard, and James McCulloch.

Gardiner Voters Reverse Decision, Okay Budget

The Gardiner Elementary District voters, who turned down a school budget May 1, reversed their stand Tuesday.

They approved a budget of \$77,277 outside the 6 per cent limitation. This was the total budget since the district has no tax base, reports correspondent Dawn Peseau.

The district turned down the budget May 1 in a strange 94-94 vote.

Gardiner was one of three districts in the county which turned down budgets May 1. The others were Elkton and Sutherlin.

BOUNCES WITH CHECK

CASPER, Wyo. (AP) — Getting a bad check from a cross-country truck driver riled Don Bear, owner of a small Casper service station.

He hopped in his car and drove 900 miles to LeCenter, Minn., to collect.

Bear not only received payment for the \$50 check, but got another \$100 to cover expenses for his trip.

Pravda Says Kennedy-Khrush Talk Could Aid Soviet-U.S. Relations

MOSCOW (AP)—Pravda, the Communist party organ, said today the Kennedy-Khrushchev talks could be a prelude to a breaking down of cold war barriers, and pledged the Soviet Union will do everything it can to improve Soviet-American relations.

"Everyone understands that it is impossible to solve in two days big and complicated international questions," Pravda said.

"Two days are not enough to remove the roadblocks to peace put up during the postwar period

by the cold war proponents. In order to get down to the elimination of these obstructions the

sides had to have a joint, businesslike and frank talk. And this took place in Vienna. The consensus of the participants that the talks were useful strengthens mankind's hopes that reason will triumph, that the cause of peace will prevail."

The Vienna conference between the U.S. President and Soviet Premier Khrushchev was "a useful meeting," Pravda said.

"Approving the results of the meeting, the Soviet people, like all the champions of peace throughout the world, express their hopes that the talks in Vienna will be followed by concrete measures directed for the sake of peace, toward the improvement of the entire international atmosphere."

Five Hood River People Injured

Five Hood River people were injured and a small American sedan was damaged beyond repair in a one-car accident four miles north of Canyonville on Highway 99 early this morning.

State police said the operator of the vehicle, Ethel Lanman, 49, apparently fell asleep at the wheel and failed to negotiate a curve just south of the Gazley Rd. overpass. The car, police said, smashed into the center divider fence, bounced toward the ditch and rolled over.

Arm Broken

Mrs. Lanman suffered a broken arm and was taken to Douglas Community Hospital. Ganz Ambulance of Myrtle Creek also took the following passengers to hospitals: Kenneth Lanman, 12, Canyonville Hospital, treated for shock; James Deavert, 12, Myrtle Creek Hospital, treated for head cuts; Margaret Flower, 13, Douglas Community Hospital, treated for broken leg; and Virgil Flower, 47, Canyonville Hospital, extensive cuts and lacerations.

Another accident involving three cars containing seven children on Highway 99 near the Glendale junction on Highway 99 proved less damaging to the occupants about noon Tuesday.

Ramming Results

State police said a car operated by Mary Eleanor Rodgers of Glendale was making a left turn in the Glendale Rd. when the second car, driven by Ernest Eugene Wagner of Twisp, Wash., came up behind it. The third car, driven by William J. Martens of Dallas, allegedly came up behind the second and was unable to stop on the wet pavement. It skidded into the Wagner car, which in turn rammed the rear of the Rodgers car.

The Rodgers car suffered slight damage to the rear bumper and fender. The Wagner car was damaged extensively both front and rear, and the Martens car received considerable front end damage. The last car had to be towed away.

Minor Injury Reported

In the Rogers car were three of her children and Anna Young, 65, also of Glendale. None was hurt.

The Wagner car contained four children and Virginia Ann Wagner, 29. Again no one was hurt. The only injury was suffered by Nettie Martens in the last car. She received bruises to her legs and head.

Copco Outage Noted

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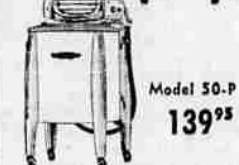
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Eastern Washington Gets Funnel Cloud

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
A funnel cloud described by meteorologists as a tornado that does not touch the ground appeared in Eastern Washington Tuesday during a spring storm that brought high winds and driving rain to the area.

The funnel cloud was sighted south of Reardan as the storm raked Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho. Winds ranged up to 52 miles an hour recorded at Pasco and rain to three-quarters of an inch measured at Spokane.

Pasco reported a 21-degree drop in temperature—from 80 to 65 degrees—as the storm struck and about one-fourth of the area was blacked out when the wind knocked a tree top onto a power line. Farmers' hay was blown down and there was unassessed damage to fruit.

Power failures also were reported in Spokane and vicinity as 40-mile-an-hour wind broke cross-arms on utility poles. Hundreds of homes in Spokane and Deer Park were without light from several minutes to nearly an hour. The Washington Water Power Co. said 12 transformers were burned out and there was a small fire in a substation.

Samuel Kirkpatrick

Funeral services for Samuel Roland Kirkpatrick, 89, who died June 5, will be held at Wilson's Chapel of the Roses Saturday at 10:30 (PST) with the Rev. John York of the Church of Christ officiating. Concluding services and interment will follow at the Civil Bend Cemetery at Winston.

He was born Feb. 17, 1901 in Drew, Oregon. He has lived most of his life in Douglas County. He had worked as a logger until ill health forced his retirement a year ago.

He is survived by one son, Douglas of Blue River, Ore., two stepsons, Charles Neavoll of Winston and James Neavoll of Roseburg; two sisters, Edna of Orting, Wash., and Amanda Ullam of Madras; and four brothers, Bob, Ted, Charles all of Elbe, Wash., George of California and 12 grandchildren.

TOOLS SAID STOLEN

Vandalism and petty theft of tools and equipment were reported to Roseburg police Tuesday. According to the police report, Milton John Smith of 247 SE Pitzer St., Roseburg, told officers he discovered the acts after seeing groups of teenage boys hanging around his property.

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