

Journal Sold To Newhouse, To Run As Separate Paper

PORTLAND (AP) — Samuel I. Newhouse of New York Friday became the owner of two Portland daily newspapers with the purchase of the Oregon Journal, an afternoon publication, by the Oregonian Publishing Co.

Newhouse has owned the Oregonian, a morning newspaper, since 1950. Both The Oregonian and the Journal publish Sunday editions.

The purchase price was "in excess of \$8 million," said a statement by the trustees of the Jackson Foundation, established as longed strike by newspaper unions against the two publications.

That strike has gone on since Nov. 11, 1959, when the Stereotype Journal's owner by the will of Mrs. C. S. Jackson.

Daily, Competitive

Besides the Portland papers, Newhouse owns 12 other newspapers, a minority interest in two more, and major interests in two magazine publishing firms.

Michael J. Frey, publisher of the Oregonian, said the Journal "will be maintained as a daily newspaper and will be separate from and competitive with the Oregonian in the news and editorial fields, including political policies. It will continue to permit expression of varying views in its columns."

William W. Knight will continue as Journal publisher, said Frey. Frey said the Journal will be produced in its present plant, until preparations can be made to combine the production and distribution facilities for both newspapers.

Whether or not the Journal would continue its Sunday publication has not been decided, Frey said Friday night.

The city's other paper — the afternoon Portland Reporter — does not publish on Sundays. The Reporter was established by former employees of the Oregonian and the Journal during a pro-typers Union strike, and other

newspaper unions joined the walk-out.

The Journal and Oregonian published jointly at the Oregonian building during the first several months of the strike, then resumed separate publication.

The Reporter, starting as a weekly, became a daily last Feb. 11, and now claims some 6,000 stockholders and 55,000 circulation.

The March circulation report for the Oregonian showed 207,800, daily, for the Journal, 148,500.

Nearly 600 persons are employed by the Journal. An Oregonian spokesman estimated the morning paper employed about 700.

Other Papers Owned

The papers owned by Newhouse include, in addition to the Oregonian and the Journal, the Harrisburg, Pa., Patriot and News; the Birmingham, Ala., News; the Huntsville, Ala., Times; the St. Louis Globe-Democrat; the Newark, N. J., Star Ledger; the Long Island Daily Press; the Staten Island Advance; the Jersey City Journal, and the Syracuse, N.Y., Post-Standard, Herald Journal and Sunday Herald American.

Seven Tracts Sold By BLM

Seven tracts of timber, containing an estimated 5,324,000 board feet and 556 cords, were sold by the Roseburg District of the Bureau of Land Management Friday for \$127,587, only \$146.30 above the total appraised price.

Bidding was almost nil, as only two of the seven went for more than the appraised price. Five other tracts offered for sale received no bids and will be held open for a maximum of 90 days at no less than the appraised price.

Tracts Small, Isolated

A BLM spokesman said Friday afternoon one of the chief factors in the lack of competitive bidding for the timber was the fact they were all small tracts, some in isolated spots.

The closest thing to competitive bidding of the day came when Kerr-Hebard Corp. paid \$5,587.30, or \$119 above the appraised price, for a tract containing 253,000 board feet of timber located in the Millwood area.

The other tract sold above the appraised price went to Woolley Logging Co. of Drain for \$4,231.50, or \$27.30 above the appraised price. It was located on Yellow Creek and contained 182,000 board feet of timber.

Sale Big

The biggest sale of the day went to Trico Timber Co. when it paid the appraised \$78,777.55 for a tract containing 2,884,000 board feet of timber in the Mt. Scott area.

Round Prairie Lumber Co. paid the appraised \$26,359 for a tract containing 1,513,000 board feet in the vicinity of Boomer Hill.

Green Valley Co. paid the appraised \$4,024.85 for a tract containing 101,000 board feet and 556 cords on South Myrtle Creek.

Clara J. Long paid the appraised \$7,449.50 for a tract containing 343,000 board feet in the Tyee area.

The final sale of the day saw Paul Redifer pay the appraised \$1,137.30 for a tract containing 48,000 board feet on South Myrtle Creek.

Traffic Seminar Slated Tuesday

An hour's symposium on the problem of Oregon's increasing traffic accident toll is to be featured at 9 p.m., standard time, Tuesday over station KZBC.

The program is to be presented by the Eugene Traffic Safety Committee under the title, "It Is Not Enough."

Prominent state, regional and local authorities who will form the panel include: H. G. Meison, superintendent, Oregon State Police; V. L. Hill, director, Department of Motor Vehicles; Monte Montgomery and Richard Eymann, state legislators; H. A. Ellisworth, Eugene police chief; Judge J. L. Barber Jr., Eugene Municipal Court.

Dealing with the problem of accident control from the standpoint of legislation and enforcement, the officials will be questioned by Robert Adair, Robert Anderson, Cliff Cole and Marion Meyer, members of the Traffic Safety Committee. Martin Jacobsen of the committee will moderate.

David Higginbotham

Graveside funeral services for David Thomas Higginbotham, 50, who died Thursday will be held at the Green Valley Cemetery near Oakland Tuesday at 2 p.m. The Rev. Harold Robbins of the Christian Church of Sutherlin will officiate.

Higginbotham was born March 19, 1911, in Oakland and had lived there most of his life. He was married to Gladys Zachory in Reno, Nev., in 1932. He was a veteran of World War II. He was employed as a longshoreman for the Independent Stevedore Co. of Coos Bay.

He is survived by his wife, Gladys, of Coos Bay; a son, Glenn of Coos Bay; three sisters, Mrs. Mildred Pratt of Sutherlin, Mrs. Carl Brownson of Oakland and Mrs. Rose Black of Challis, Idaho; and one brother, Arthur, of Portland.

Wilson's Chapel of the Roses are in charge of arrangements.

Local Slates AGC Meet

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Representatives of the striking Hoisting and Portable Engineers Union's Portland area local and the Associated General Contractors were scheduled to meet again with Gov. Mark O. Hatfield at Salem today.

They were to give their answers to his strike settlement proposals. At a meeting Thursday AGC submitted proposals on 21 items on which the parties have disagreed. He asked them to talk these over and report back today.

Meanwhile 12 workers, the full crew are expected to go back Monday to jobs at a \$1.6 million construction project at Kingsley Air Force Base near Klamath Falls. A spokesman for the contractor at the project said all were asked to return.

The Kingsley job, although not picketed, has been shut down since July 21. Target completion date is Sept. 28.

Hatfield's proposals were not made public, and there has been no comment on them from E. D. Lynch of the AGC or P. R. (Pete) Wages, the union local's business manager.

Bicycle Loses In Slight Run-In With Automobile

The front wheel and fender of Jerry Breneman's bicycle came out second best in a slight accident Friday at 4:20 p.m. on W. Maple St. in Roseburg.

Weldon Harper, 35, of 334 W. Ball St., Roseburg, was driving his car north on W. Maple St., when according to Roseburg police, the 9-year-old came out of an alleyway on his bicycle and was struck by the car.

Breneman of 523 W. Harrison St., Roseburg, was unhurt.

Stamp Club Sets Meet At Williams Home

The Umpqua Valley Stamp Club will hold its regular monthly meeting Monday at 7 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams' 598 Roseland.

This will be a swap session and those having duplicates should bring those they would like to trade.



DONNA BOURASSA — Another candidate for Miss Douglas County Fair is this comely 16-year old, who will be a junior at Douglas High School this year. The Temille lass likes to sew and dance, and is here entering her second beauty contest. She competed in the Miss Teen Fair contest earlier this year. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Bourassa.

Emergency Board Rejects Commission Bid For Funds

SALEM (AP)—The state Emergency Board today told the state Tax Commission to go ahead and administer new timber tax laws, but without giving them any money to do it.

The board told the Tax Commission to use funds from its \$5.6 million lump sum budget and then, if it encountered a deficit, come back to the board for money.

The commission, which said its budget was too tight to provide funds for the timber tax administration, had presented a request for \$301,770, which asked funds to administer new Eastern and Western Oregon timber tax laws and to make a study of taxation on timber roads.

State Boundary Shift Requested

SALEM (AP) — The new Oregon-Washington boundary, fixed in 1958, should be changed because it runs through the power house at McNary Dam, the Oregon Interstate Cooperation Commission said Friday.

The commission voted to make such a recommendation to the 1963 Oregon Legislature.

About 600 feet of the power house is in Washington, state engineer Lewis A. Stanley told the commission.

Knotty Tax Problems

He said this causes knotty problems in administering state tax, industrial accident and unemployment compensation laws.

The commission recommended that the boundary be changed so that all of the power house would be in Oregon.

It would take years to make the change. It would have to be approved by Congress, the Oregon and Washington legislatures, and the voters of both states.

Stanley recommended that until the boundary is changed, officials of both states should make an agreement which would assume that the power house is in Oregon. He said Washington officials have said they would be willing to do this.

In Main Channel

The former boundary was the main channel of the Columbia River. Since the channel changes constantly, the boundary changed, too.

A new boundary, using fixed geographical points, was adopted in 1958.

When the 1958 boundary first was proposed, it would have put the McNary power house in Washington, and the spillway in Oregon.

But the design of the dam was changed, so that the spillway is in Washington, and the power house in both states.

Myrtle Creek Suspect Held

Manfred C. Knutzen, 20, of Myrtle Creek, has been bound over to the Douglas County Grand Jury on a charge of burglary not in a dwelling. He was arraigned in the Justice Court of Nina Pietzold Canyonville Friday and is accused of burglarizing the Tri-City Market Tuesday night.

Knutzen waived preliminary hearing on arraignment. The cases of two youths, one 15 and one 17, arrested with him on the same charge, are being handled in juvenile court.

Circuit Judge Don H. Sanders has issued an order for Donald M. Hendrix to appear in court and show cause why his probation granted him March 20 should not be revoked, and why he should not be committed to the Douglas County jail to serve his sentence of one year.

The order is on the allegation of the Board of Probation and Parole that he has failed to report to the probation officers and to make support payments as ordered. A bench warrant for his arrest was ordered issued by Judge Sanders.

Douglas Given Over \$3.5 Million In Sales

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Wayne Morse, D-Ore., Friday announced that western Oregon counties will receive \$21,682,000 from land grant timber sales for fiscal 1960.

He told Secretary of the Interior Stewart L. Udall that the counties would receive \$7.2 million of the account on access road construction and reforestation programs. Morse added that the rest of the money will be distributed to the 18 counties.

Allocations include: Benton \$409,067; Clackamas \$823,916; Columbia \$226,938; Coos \$849,934; Curry \$436,531; Douglas \$3,629,568; Jackson \$2,266,492; Josephine \$1,737,451; Klamath \$345,466; Lane \$2,230,355; Lincoln \$52,036; Linn \$384,494; Marion \$213,929; Multnomah \$252,950; Polk \$315,111; Tillamook \$82,391; Washington \$93,855; Yamhill \$104,073.

Khrush Accepts Bid For Visit To Tunisia

MOSCOW (AP) — Premier Khrushchev has accepted a personal invitation from President Habib Bourguiba to visit Tunisia, Tass said tonight.

The invitation was handed to Khrushchev by Tunisian Foreign Minister Sadok Mokkadem, who flew to Moscow earlier this week to seek Soviet support in Tunisia's bitter dispute with France over the Bizerte base.

No date was set for Khrushchev's visit to the North African nation.

Timber Sales Plan Given For '63 Year

The Roseburg district office of the Bureau of Land Management has announced plans are being developed for timber sales to be offered during the 1963 fiscal year (July 1, 1962 to June 30, 1963).

As in the past, priority will be given to the salvage of fire-killed, windthrown and beetle-killed or insected timber.

Suggestions Asked

District Manager Archie Craft has invited individuals and companies who are interested in O&C, Coos Bay Wagon Rd., and public domain timber to submit suggestions of timber to be included in the plan. He stated that one of the considerations in selecting tracts for sale is the interest by prospective purchasers. Particularly, information is requested about salvage tracts that may be considered for sale.

This will be the 13th annual timber sale plan prepared by the Bureau to indicate the location, estimated volume and proposed time of sale for each tract to be offered during the coming year. Presentation of such a plan notifies prospective purchasers well in advance so that they may participate in the bidding for the timber.

The timber sale plan is prepared by the district manager and his staff in keeping with the allowable cut under sustained yield management, available personnel to cruise the timber and to administer sales contracts, a sound forest management practices and the interest indicated by prospective purchasers.

Plan Reviewed

The tentative plan is reviewed by the state director and then presented to the District Advisory Board for consideration and suggestions. The Advisory Board is comprised of representatives of the lumber industry, labor, agriculture, livestock, recreation, wildlife and the general public.

No timber will be advertised for sale unless the bureau can assure equal access for all prospective purchasers. The regulations permit the signing officer to accept bids for any tract not sold at the specified sale date for a 90-day period, provided there has been no substantial change in the appraised value of the timber.

Operators who wish to suggest tracts for consideration in the 1963 fiscal year timber sale plan should contact the district manager's office, 2485 W. Harvard Ave., Roseburg. The deadline for submitting such suggestions has been set for Sept. 13.



SHARON ANGEL, 16, has blonde hair and blue eyes. She will be a senior at Roseburg High School this fall. She likes to swim, water ski and dance. She also plays the piano. She plans to make secretarial work her career. Sharon lives with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hall, at 1531 NW Keosay Rd.

Mental Tests Set In Acid Tossing Case

John Oliver Redifer, 18, of Eugene, who indicated through his attorney that he intended to use insanity as a defense in an acid throwing incident at Days Creek on June 19, has been ordered transported to the Oregon State Hospital in Salem for examination and observation.

The order, signed Friday by Circuit Judge Don H. Sanders, asks that the examination be particularly as to Redifer's mental capacity now and as to his mental capacity at the time of the alleged crime.

The order specifies that he remain in the hospital as long as his presence is desired there to complete the examination and observation within the discretion of the superintendent of the hospital. The observation is to determine whether or not he is mentally diseased or was mentally diseased at the time of the commission of the alleged crime and whether or not his mental capacity is such that he would be eligible to be confined to any public institution.

Redifer was arraigned June 30 before Circuit Judge Charles S. Woodrich on a Grand Jury indictment charging assault with a dangerous weapon. At that time he gave oral notice of his intention to adduce evidence of mental illness or defect at the time of trial.

Redifer is accused of throwing a caustic acid upon Mary Elaine Hornsath, 16 of Myrtle Creek on June 10. The girl suffered acid burns upon her body and her face. The incident took place near the South Umpqua bridge crossing at Days Creek.

Stevenson Thinks Khrush Mellowing

HYANNIS PORT, Mass. (AP)—Aldair E. Stevenson said today he felt Soviet Premier Khrushchev's latest note on Berlin indicated a more conciliatory attitude.

Arriving for conferences with President Kennedy on U.S. strategy in the forthcoming U.N. General Assembly, Stevenson said, "It is clear Mr. Khrushchev does not want war" over Berlin.

He said the recent Khrushchev note "contained the elements of some settlement—or at least a postponement," of a showdown on Germany.

In reply to a question in an airport interview, Stevenson said, "I think Mr. Khrushchev's note is more conciliatory than anything up to now."

Joining the President and Stevenson for the weekend meeting at the summer White House were Harlan Cleveland, assistant secretary of state for international organizational affairs, and Arthur Schlesinger Jr., presidential assistant.

They met Stevenson at the airport, along with Maj. Gen. Chester V. Clifton, Kennedy's military aid, and Commander Tazewell T. Shepard, presidential naval aide.

Stevenson said he would discuss with Kennedy all matters relating to the September session of the U.N. assembly.

Stevenson said the first objective of the United States would be to make certain that Nationalist China retains its membership in the United Nations.

The Tunisian problem will be a subject for the United Nations, he said, and it will be discussed over the weekend.

CONN PICNIC SET

The Conn family will hold its annual picnic Sunday at 1 p.m. at Umpqua Park. All family members are urged to attend.

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HOPELESS CRIPPLE NOW SUPPORTS HER FAMILY

Eighteen-year-old Yael, mentally retarded, partially deaf, victim of disease, was discovered living in a small town in Israel. She was given successful treatment that took time. Back with her family now, she's not completely recovered, but healthier, happier and with skills to support herself, her brothers and sisters.

Yael's road to recovery was paved directly by the support Americans give to their faith's Overseas Aid Program. While this case is Jewish, all three faiths—Protestant, Catholic and Jewish—maintain such programs. They provide shelter, medicine, food, education, tools and equipment.

Next time you are asked to support your faith's Overseas Aid Program, remember "hopeless" Yael.

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