

RFK Says No Appeal Due In Du Pont Case

WASHINGTON (AP) — Atty. Gen. Robert F. Kennedy announced today the government judgment entered in the Du Pont General Motors case by Judge Walter J. LaBuy of Chicago.

The decision brings to an end 13 years of litigation to compel Du Pont to dispose of its 63 million shares of stock in General Motors.

Kennedy said that, while the court did not accept all of the government's proposed terms, Judge LaBuy's judgment achieves the basic ends of this important litigation.

The judgment requires the Du Pont firm and the Du Pont family-controlled holding company, Christiana Securities Co., to divest themselves completely of their General Motors stock holdings.

The judgment further provides

Former Convict Faces Parole Violation Count

It's back to the Oregon State Penitentiary for Francis Stanley White, 54, of Roseburg for a review of his parole by the Oregon State Board of Probation and Parole, the local parole officer reports.

White has been on parole since 1959, after serving more than 10 years of a life sentence in prison for the murder of Willis Moffitt in Roseburg, Aug. 8, 1948. He was convicted in a jury trial that same year.

White in Jail

The local parole officer reports that White, who resided at a local motel, was arrested by Roseburg City Police on the officer's request. White is now in the county jail waiting to be taken to Salem for hearing before the parole board.

The parole officer said White has repeatedly violated terms of his parole as laid down by the board. It is up to the board to determine if these violations are sufficient to warrant parole revocation.

Moffitt's death resulted from a beating administered by White's alleged accomplice in a robbery attempt, according to testimony of the accomplice Elmer Jessie Moser, who pleaded guilty to second degree murder and turned state's evidence in White's trial.

White has persistently to this day denied any participation in the crime, officers state.

Man Robbed

The testimony brought out that Moffitt, then 80 and a pensioner, had received his pension check the day of Aug. 8. He was waylaid, beaten and robbed of about \$30 remaining of his check. Moser admitted doing the beating. Moffitt died two days later when marrow from his crushed jaw bone entered the bloodstream, the autopsy report showed.

Moffitt, still conscious and able to talk, was found in the alley on SE Flood Ave. between SE Stephens and SE Pine streets.

Moser, sentenced to life in prison, died there.

This was the first murder case in 13 years in Douglas County, but several cases followed immediately after.

Robert Emery Lawrence Held On Burglary Count

Robert Emery Lawrence, 23, was returned Wednesday to the Douglas County Jail from Tacoma, Wash., to face a charge of burglary not in a dwelling.

The Sheriff's Office reports Lawrence is being held in connection with the burglarizing of a small grocery and service station north of Drain earlier this year. Another youth has already pleaded guilty and has been sentenced in the case. He implicated Lawrence, the sheriff's office says.

Deputy Sheriff Merle Jensen went to Tacoma to bring Lawrence here to face the count.

Rural Firemen Answer Two Calls Wednesday

Roseburg Rural firemen were on the run for two fires Wednesday neither of which had any damage reported.

At 11:10 a.m. firemen were called to 1563 NW Fairmont St. where an oil stove was overheating.

At 7:04 p.m. the department was called to the old Western Battery Separator plant, now owned by U. S. Plywood Corp., on NE Diamond Lake Blvd. Sparks from the burner set a stack of waste timber afire. The fire was extinguished with no trouble.

California Runaways Booked By City Police

Roseburg City Police took into custody about 8:30 p.m. Wednesday two run-away juveniles from El Cajon, Calif., and an older youth, who is booked for vagrancy. The boys, brothers, ages 16 and 15 years old, admitted to city police they had taken \$85 from their mother's purse and their father's foreign make car early Wednesday.

The other youth was identified as Robert David Anderson, 19, of Cloverdale, Calif. He was driving the car since he was the only one who had a license, they told police.

that a number of the Du Pont family members must sell GM stock they receive in the divestitures. A total of 8,566,846 GM shares would be sold in this manner.

In a stipulation filed today, stockholders affiliated with the Du Pont management agreed to sell an additional 3,079,261 shares of GM stock they now hold or would receive.

Kennedy said in his statement the provisions of the judgment "seem clearly adequate to prevent Du Pont influence in the management of General Motors."

"The successful conclusion of this case, extending as it has over a period of 13 years, is gratifying to the Department of Justice and represents a landmark in antitrust enforcement," he said.

After Kennedy's announcement, President Crawford H. Greenewald of Du Pont issued a statement expressing gratification that "this long ordeal, in litigation for nearly 13 years, at last has come to an end."

He noted that the judgment entered by Judge LaBuy requires DuPont to begin divestiture of its GM stock no later than July 30 and to complete it by Feb. 28, 1965.

"Now that remedial tax legislation has been enacted by the Congress and signed into law by the President, it is our intention to dispose of all or substantially all of the stock by distribution to Du Pont stockholders. I expect that we will be able to announce further details of our plans for divestiture shortly after the next meeting of the board of directors on May 21," Greenewald said.

School District Talk Set Tonight

Mary L. Hintz, Salem, state legislative chairman of the "Serve Our State Committee," is scheduled to speak at 7:30 p.m. Thursday night in the Joseph Lane Junior High School library.

Her topic, "A New Birth of Freedom," is expected to include information on the School District Reorganization Law.

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Don't be alarmed if the trash you put on the curb in front of your house hasn't been picked up yet.

LeRoy Seibold, Roseburg's Fire Chief who is supervising the city-wide cleanup, said the situation simply is that the response of low-income people to the cleanup appeal has been such that city equipment hasn't been able to keep up with it.

An effort is being made to have the truck in the previously designated areas on the days stated, but there has been too much rubbish for the men and equipment to handle.

The city truck operators will continue the pickup Monday and Tuesday of next week. There is no need for persons to call the city unless they have some reason to believe they might be overlooked. The number to call then is 2-1897.

Seibold said the work will be completed as rapidly as possible.

Rusk Expresses Regret For Nuclear Arms Tests

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of State Dean Rusk said today the United States will make every possible effort to achieve a treaty banning nuclear tests in spite of the new round of atmospheric tests in the Pacific.

Rusk told a news conference that nations and people around the world deeply regret that the nuclear arms race goes on, but he said there is a deep understanding of the United States need for testing in view of Russia's rejection of an effective test ban treaty.

The United States itself regrets the necessity for the decision to test, Rusk declared, but he said the nation must meet its responsibilities.

George Lawson

George Evans Lawson, 71, of Roseburg, died at his home Tuesday morning after a short illness.

He was born June 19, 1890, at Rural, Va. Lawson was a retired plywood worker, having lived in this area for the past 16 years. He was married at Cushion, Okla., Feb. 27, 1916, to Letta Eckhouse. He was a member of the St. Paul's Lutheran Church of Roseburg.

Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Eldon (Blondina) Howard of Roseburg; a son, George M. Lawson of North Bend; two brothers, Irvin of Washougal, Wash., and Morrison of Portland; three sisters, Mrs. Vilas (Estella) Porter of Maryville, Mo., Mrs. Faye (Lillian) Florea of Longmont, Colo., and Mrs. Velma Hantz of Portland; and six grandchildren.

The body will lie in state from 3 p.m. Wednesday to 9 p.m. Thursday at Long & Shukle Memorial Chapel. Services will be Saturday at 11 a.m. at the Macy Funeral Home in McMinnville. The Rev. D. W. Hinrichs, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Roseburg, will officiate. Interment will follow at the Evergreen Memorial Park in McMinnville.

Handicapped Meet Set

Regular meeting of the Douglas County Employ the Handicapped Committee will be held at noon Friday in the Umpqua Hotel, according to the Rev. A. S. Tyson, chairman. The group will convene in the Wickiup Room.

Lemon pleaded innocent when arraigned on the charge April 19 in Douglas County District Court and requested a trial without jury.

Tried Tuesday before District Judge Gerald R. Hayes, Lemon was found guilty.

The defendant was charged in connection with a Roseburg City Police complaint issued April 14.



REVERSE APPROACH — The Roseburg Junior Woman's Club has taken a reverse approach in donating books to the Douglas County library. Where most groups and individuals make their donations in memory of someone deceased, the Women's Club donates a book for every new baby born to a member of the club. Three were born during the last year, so three children's books were purchased for the library. Shown looking over the new books in the children's section are Mrs. Jack Snodgrass, left, Librarian Carol Trimble and Mrs. Larry Woodard, right. (News-Review photo)

Solon Indicates Weapons Tests Slated Every Two Or Three Days

HONOLULU (AP)—Rep. Craig Hosmer, R-Calif., a member of the Joint Congressional Atomic Energy Committee, indicated U.S. nuclear weapons tests in the current Pacific series would be staged every two or three days.

He talked with a reporter in Honolulu Wednesday before going to Christmas Island.

Hosmer said it was quite likely the Soviet Union would stage a nuclear test series of its own as a result of the U.S. testing.

"However, I doubt if their tests will have any significant value, having just run one series," he said.

"Probably the only thing they have untested is low-priority stuff, what they didn't test last fall. They aren't ready for another testing program."

The California Republican, first member of Congress to head for the Christmas Island testing site, acknowledged the United States and Soviet Union are engaged in an arms race. But he emphasized it was not a matter of bomb for bomb.

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Harris Gets Prison On Felony Charges

Dennis Russell Harris was sentenced Wednesday to serve a total of five years in the Oregon State Penitentiary following conviction on two felony complaints.

Douglas County Circuit Court Judge Charles S. Woodcock sentenced the 26-year-old Winston Man to serve three years in prison for contributing to the delinquency of a minor and two years for "forgery—knowingly uttering and publishing a forged bank check."

The two prison terms are to run consecutively.

Harris pleaded guilty to both charges at an appearance March 19. Originally he pleaded innocent to grand jury indictments conveying the charges but later altered his plea to guilty. Sentencing was deferred pending receipt of a presentence investigation.

The contributing case involved a 16-year-old Roseburg girl.

Accident Sends Man To Hospital

Charles Homer Myers, 23, PO Box 312, Winston, was taken to Douglas Community Hospital suffering from bruises and possible internal injuries, following a one-car accident at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Investigating state police said Myers was alone in the car, which was headed south on Brockway, Cutoff Rd., and ran off the road on the west side. The car traveled in the ditch then veered back onto and across the road, then went over the east bank, approximately 45 feet high.

The car left skid marks of 225 feet, the police said. The vehicle was demolished and removed from the scene by Mohr's Towing. Myers was brought to the hospital by Mohr's Ambulance.

Driving Without License Brings Jail Term, Fine

Clarence E. Lemon, 21, of 751 NE Garden Valley Blvd., was sentenced to two days in the county jail and fined \$150 and costs following conviction Wednesday on a charge of driving on a suspended license.

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A Federal Aviation Agency briefing was called to alert military and commercial airlines to communications blackouts resulting from the Johnston tests, expected to begin after May 1. An Atomic Energy Commission spokesman said the series would be of a relatively short duration but that all shots would affect radio waves.

He said that testing at Christmas, 1,300 miles south of Honolulu, probably would not disrupt communications. He indicated the Christmas area would be used for smaller type nuclear weapons explosions.

Joint Task Force 8, military operating arm of the test series, said earlier there would be three explosions large enough to be seen in Hawaii, 700 miles northeast of Johnston Island.

At least one of the big tests is expected to be in the 10-megaton range—equivalent to 10 million tons of TNT.

School Principals Name Oakland Man

Darrell Langevin, Oakland High School principal, has accepted an appointment to the curriculum committee of the Oregon Association of Secondary School Principals.

The committee is involved in research on state curriculum problems and serves as an advisory capacity on curriculum issues affecting the secondary schools. His term will expire Feb. 1, 1966.

Langevin has served as Oakland High School administrator for four years.

Other members of the committee are Dr. Arthur Hearn, University of Oregon; Dr. George Martin, assistant school superintendent at Salem; Jim Ellingson and Ben Simmons, both consultants with the state Department of Education.

Foresters Slate Gearhart Confab

Over 500 Northwest foresters are expected to assemble at Gearhart, Ore., May 4 and 5 for an annual meeting of the Columbia River section of the Society of American Foresters.

The convention program features several prominent personalities from timber and business management fields. Forest legislation will be the central convention topic.

Industrial Foresters Meeting In Portland

Importance of government timber in the regional employment picture was central theme for a one-day annual meeting of the Industrial Forestry Association (IFA) held in Portland today.

Ralph D. Hodges, Jr., chief forester for National Lumber Manufacturers Association, D.C., was scheduled as featured speaker. Purpose of IFA, whose member firms employ 71,000 persons, is to develop a permanent timber supply through free farming on private lands and improvement of public forestry.

Mary Ellen Wells

Mary Ellen Wells, 89, of Roseburg, died at a local hospital Thursday.

She was born Jan. 12, 1873, at Weyauwega, Wis., and had lived in the Roseburg area for the past 38 years. She was a member of the Roseburg Seventh-day Adventist Church. Her husband, Bert, preceded her in death in 1945.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. F. J. Sullivan of Roseburg and Mrs. C. A. Fleming of Medford, Wis.; and one brother, Francis Chase of Roseburg.

Services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 p.m. at Long & Shukle Memorial Chapel with Elder A. P. Ritz officiating. The body will be taken to Rest Haven Memorial Park in Eugene for private cremation.

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Scientists Track Faint Radio Beacon As U. S. Scores First Strike On Moon

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Scientists at the jet propulsion laboratory, where Ranger 4 was built, tracked its faint radio beacon at the Goldstone tracking station on the Mojave Desert 50 miles north of Barstow, Calif.

The first light of dawn was spreading across the desert as Ranger 4 neared its target. A flashing red light at the base of the huge antenna warned ground personnel that Operation Moon Track was in progress.

In a building at the base of the antenna, observers watching a closed-circuit television screen saw the cross-hairs of a simulated gun sight slowly approach the left side of the moon.

The cross-hairs indicated Ranger 4's position as it streaked through space. The seven-foot-long vehicle itself was, of course, too small to be detected visually.

Then the cross-hairs of the gun sight touched the edge of the moon.

The impact area is on part of the moon never seen from the earth. The moon always keeps the same side toward this planet.

So the only way to look at the back side is to photograph it.

The area was photographed in 1959 by a Russian Lunik. Television shots relayed to earth showed the area to be a rough upland, devoid of the great, flat areas—called seas—visible on the moon's front side.

Ranger was supposed to do much more than just smash into the moon.

Its big job was to take television pictures of the moon's surface. It also carried instruments to measure the temperatures on the moon (believed to range from 230 below to 260 degrees above, on the Fahrenheit scale) and to measure moonquakes. Readings were to be radioed to earth.

Because a timer in the capsule

Dr. Kelsey's Death Apparently Suicide

An autopsy in the death of Dr. Vance R. Kelsey, 44, Riddle, revealed no obvious form of death, Dr. John Donnelly, county medical officer, said today.

However, specimens and samples have been sent to the state crime laboratory for examination.

Kelsey was found in a dying condition in his apartment Tuesday afternoon. A suicide note was found, Donnelly said. He had been despondent, the medical examiner indicated.

Kelsey was born Nov. 13, 1917 at Kellogg, Idaho. He was a resident of the Riddle area for the last 11 years with exception of some time spent in the U.S. Army in the Korean War. He was a first lieutenant in the Army Medical Corps.

Kelsey attended Oregon State University and was a graduate of Kansas City College of Osteopathy and Surgery.

Surviving are his wife, Frances, Los Angeles; and two sons, Philip and John, both of Los Angeles. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of Ganz Mortuary, Myrtle Creek, Saturday at 2 p.m. Father Robert Burnage of the Episcopal Church will officiate.

Following services, the remains will be taken to Grant Pass for cremation. The ashes will be taken to Willamette National Cemetery, Portland, for interment.

Hospital News

Visiting Hours 2 to 3:30 p.m. and 7 to 8 p.m.

Douglas Community Hospital

Admitted Medical: Robert Brown, Roseburg; Ralph Steele, Dillard; Edwin Moss, Myrtle Creek; Mrs. Jay Randall, Myrtle Creek; Mrs. Albert Carter, Sutherlin.

Discharged Surgery: Bryan Clark, Mrs. Elmer Clark, Mrs. W. T. Nichols, all of Roseburg; Bob Fulton, Mrs. Harley Means, both of Winston.

Mercy Hospital

Admitted Medical: Noble Burgess, Mrs. Thomas Walsh, both of Roseburg; Mrs. James Hunter, Sutherlin; Thomas Leffler, Oakland.

Discharged Mary Jones, Roseburg; Mrs. James Bodine, Camille Norris; Mrs. Andrew Young, all of Sutherlin; Mrs. Chester Houser, Canbyville; Mrs. Fred Carpenter, Canbyville; Mrs. Eric Johnson, Oakland; Steven Ledbetter, Winston.

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