

# Dillon Says Interest Rate Parity Necessary For Monetary Stability

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Treasury Secretary Douglas Dillon said today that international monetary stability requires that all major trading countries maintain short-term interest rates "reasonably well in line with each other."

Dillon, in a speech prepared for the annual meeting of the International Monetary Fund (IMF), admitted that domestic financial goals sometimes would limit this emphasis on uniform short term rates.

However, he said that it generally should be feasible "to encourage small changes in short term rates in the interest of

speeding restoration of international equilibrium."

The U.S. government recently took action to raise short-term rates to discourage investors from sending their money overseas. The loss of short-term capital has aggravated the U.S. balance of payments problem.

Dillon said that interest rate adjustments by a country and their subsequent effect on international monetary stability should be discussed by such financial organizations as the IMF.

"The critical question is how the adjustments are to be made," he said.

"Balance can be—and too often in the past has been—forced by measures that endanger domestic stability or the prospects for growing trade."

Dillon said the solution was "to find effective ways for reconciling the requirements of a convertible currency system based on fixed exchange rates, with the freedom of each nation to pursue domestic growth and stability."

The secretary stressed that the United States did not consider improvements in international liquidity as a possibility for escaping "the compelling and immediate task of reducing its own payments deficit."

Bank President George D. Woods told the 700 delegates from more than 100 countries Monday that the time had come for the bank to "venture onto less familiar terrain" in assisting underdeveloped countries.

Woods said that despite voices of pessimism, he had no doubt that a considerable advance has been made by the underdeveloped countries in the postwar period.

But, he said, the development problem still facing the world are huge and the need to quicken the tempo of economic growth

is more urgent than ever, simply because aspirations for progress are now so universal.

Woods recommended that the bank, which in the past has operated on extremely conservative lines, broaden its horizons.

First, he said, it would have to do more to help agriculture which in many of the less developed countries employs four-fifths of the population and provides materials and generates market demand which together are the basis for healthy industrial growth.

The bank has not loaned enough for agricultural needs in the past, and there is a clear and urgent need for it to do so now, Woods added.

## Local Lumber Firm Gets Umpqua Tract

Douglas County Lumber Co. of Roseburg Monday purchased a 600,000 board feet of Umpqua National Forest timber appraised at \$93,050 for a total bid price of \$106,830.

The high bidder on this tract paid \$31.10 per thousand board feet on 2,000,000 feet of Douglas fir appraised at \$75.80. It paid the appraised \$14.75 on 1 million feet of ponderosa, sugar and western white pine, \$9.90 on 600,000 feet of incense and western red cedar, and \$13.20 on 400,000 feet of white fir and other species.

Other bidders were J. B. Standley and Sons Logging Co., Douglas Veneer Co., O. E. Clayton all of Roseburg, and Eugene Veneer Co., Glide.

The 622-acre tract is located 57 miles east of Roseburg on the Diamond Lake Ranger District.

## Hospital News

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

**Douglas Community Hospital**  
**Admitted**  
Medical: Mrs. Vincent Preschern, Robert Collins, Mrs. Darrell Kloak, Mrs. Edward Henderson, all of Roseburg; Mrs. Wayne Willett, Winston.  
Surgery: Mrs. Cecil Rhodes, Doyle Rich, both of Roseburg; Mrs. Arnold Atkinson, Oakland; Mrs. John Tinker, Winchester.  
Discharged  
Mrs. Art Andrus, Mrs. William Whitson, Mrs. Clarence Martin, Mildred Eastburn, Susan W. d. e. Mrs. George Crabtree, Raymond Davis, Mrs. Ernie Gilbert and daughter Virginia, Roy Dunn, all of Roseburg; Gerald Witt, Dillard.

**Mercy Hospital**  
**Admitted**  
Medical: Mrs. Jack Palm, Mrs. Dora Schroeder, both of Roseburg; Mrs. C. J. Carlile, Oakland; Mrs. Clair Fox, Elkton.  
Surgery: Danny Murphy, Roseburg; Mrs. Bobby Ross, Winchester.  
Discharged  
Mrs. Gene Meeks, Mrs. Dale Bowman, Mrs. Bill Curnow and son Grant Niles, Mrs. Bervil Wallace and son Roger Eugene, Mrs. Robert Dock and son Brennen John, Mrs. LeRoy LeBleu, Mrs. Donald Bowman, all of Roseburg; Mrs. Cecil Stevens, Oakland; Mrs. Bruce Cumliff and daughter Nora Pauline, Myrtle Creek; Wayne Colton, Winston; Michael O'Callahan, Sherwood, Ore.

## Hereford Shot, Killed By Spotlight Hunters

A registered polled Hereford cow belonging to Estle Paris was shot and killed late Friday night or early Saturday morning on the 600-acre Paris ranch on Buckhorn Road near Glide.

It is believed that hunters spotlighting for deer the night before the opening of the hunting season were responsible for killing the animal, reports correspondent Mrs. Arthur Selby.

Mrs. Paris reported that this is the second year in a row that stock has been killed on the ranch just prior to the opening of the hunting season. The dead animal's 5-month-old calf is being hand-fed in an attempt to save it.

## Mental Health Group Leader Due To Speak

K. C. Layer, president of the Mental Health Association of Douglas County, will be one of the speakers at the Oct. 4 annual meeting of the Mental Health Association of Oregon in Portland.

He will report on mental health services and volunteer mental health programs in Douglas County.

The conference will center its attention on the progress of citizens' groups and governmental agencies toward better mental health. It will also discuss proposals to meet the growing demands for improved services to the mentally ill and retarded.

## PTA Council To Meet

The regular meeting of the Douglas County Council of PTAs will be held Wednesday starting at 10 a.m. at the Presbyterian Church in Roseburg with registration to start at 9:45. Mrs. Willis Coble, president, will preside.

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## Brief By Third Party Enters College Case

Roseburg attorney Eldon Caley said today he will file a brief as "amicus curiae" in the community college case. "Mohr vs. the state Board of Education" which is now involved in an appeal before the Oregon Supreme Court.

Caley said the brief will be filed Friday.

He explained that a local organization comprised of citizens from all parts of the county have asked him to appear on their behalf in connection with the appeal. This appearance will be in the form of a written brief.

**Permission Granted**  
"The rules of the court permit interested persons who are not technically parties to the proceeding to appear as amicus curiae with leave of the court," the attorney explained. "The court has granted me permission to file a brief in behalf of the citizens."

The local organization referred to is a committee headed by Wayne Crooch. It is a group of individuals active in securing "hundreds of signatures from all parts of the county" and also in speaking about and explaining the need for a community college in the county, the attorney said.

Douglas County Circuit Court Judge Don Sanders on April 10 issued an order to reverse and remand the proceedings of the state Board of Education in establishing the proposed Umpqua Community College. This meant that by the action by the state board to establish boundary lines for the college district was dissolved.

Judge Sanders' order stemmed from testimony presented at a public hearing at which Al Mohr, a resident of the Glendale School District, presented an appeal objecting to the college district plan.

**Appeal Filed**  
Subsequent to the court action here, an appeal to the Oregon Supreme Court was filed by the state Board of Education. Sanders decision was based on the fact that

the state board, in its public hearing on the community college, had entered no facts pertaining to the district in its records, so there by had no basis on which to enter its decision.

Caley said the general theme of the brief is "the belief that all statutory requirements needed to pay the way for a vote on establishment of a community college have been met and that there is no necessity for further proceedings before the state Board of Education."

The attorney said the organization he represents feels the matter should be resolved by the voters and should not be frustrated by further legal impediments.

## Home In Glendale Damaged By Blaze

A fire believed to have been caused by a defective flue resulted in an undetermined amount of damage Saturday night to the Dave Williams home in Glendale, according to a report from Mrs. Gerald Fox, correspondent.

The fire broke out in an upstairs bedroom around 11 o'clock while Mrs. Williamson and children, Barbara, 10, and Brad, 6, were downstairs watching television. Williamson was away from home on a hunting trip and by a fortunate chain of circumstances, the children, who normally would have been upstairs in bed at that hour, were not in their rooms.

The Glendale Volunteer Fire Department, called to the scene, was able to confine damage to the upstairs part of the home and the roof. Some water damage was reported downstairs. Neighbors and fire fighters were able to remove furniture, clothing and bedding from the residence although some loss of clothing was reported. The home had recently been purchased and redecorated by the Williams.

Insurance was carried on the house, Mrs. Fox said. It was not immediately known if the contents were insured.

The family is staying temporarily with Williamson's mother, Mrs. Fred Williamson, in Glendale.

## Winston TOPS Club To Meet Wednesday

The Three G's TOPS Club of Winston will meet Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the gymnasium of the Winston Upper Elementary School beginning this Wednesday.

According to Mrs. Mary Lee Shoultz, all women who want help with the problem of overweight are invited to attend the meetings. An exercise period will follow for those who wish to participate, Mrs. Shoultz said.

TOPS means "take off pounds sensibly," according to club members, and the club offers a regular program aimed at weight reduction. Anyone wishing further information about the Three G's Club may call Mrs. Shoultz at 679-5519 after 3 p.m.

## Medical Mirror

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## Registrations Due For Umpqua College

People wishing to attend classes at Umpqua Community College this term have until Friday at 5 p.m. in which to register, according to Ralph Snyder, registrar.

Registering may be done at the business office of Roseburg High School from 6:45 to 8 p.m. until Friday. A late fee will be charged if a student registers for a class which has already met for the first time. Books will also be on sale this week.

A total of 92 people have registered thus far for college classes. Slightly over a hundred are expected by the time registration closes, Snyder said.

Number of students taking various classes include 31 taking one class, 26 taking two, and 32 taking three or more classes. The figures for two classes and three or more are about the same as last year, while the number taking one class is slightly down from last year. However, Snyder predicts these figures will rise before registration closes.

## Barneburg To Speak

Douglas County Supt. Kenneth Barneburg will be the featured speaker tonight at a meeting of the Winston PTA at Winston Junior High. He is scheduled to speak at 8 p.m. on the tax increase referendum issue.

Next Monday, he will make a similar report at the Rose PTA meeting at 8 and Tuesday at the Wilbur-Winchester PTA meeting, also at 8.

## Douglas Forest Protective Association Meets

The South Douglas crew of the Douglas Forest Protective Association was called at 1 p.m. Monday to control a one and a half acre grass and brush fire in the Days Creek area.

A logger in the area trailed the blaze with a tractor, and the DFFPA crew is busy mopping up this fire this morning. Cause of the fire was listed as a cigarette probably dropped by a hunter in the area. No damage was reported.

## Insurance Carried On House

Insurance was carried on the house, Mrs. Fox said. It was not immediately known if the contents were insured.

## Mefford Trial Opens Today

The trial of Hugh William Mefford, 41, formerly of Roseburg but more recently of Omaha, Neb., got under way in Circuit Court before Judge Don H. Sanders at 10 a.m. today.

Mefford is charged with rape of a 12-year-old girl on Oct. 12, 1960. Dist. Atty. Avery Thompson is the prosecutor and Stephen M. King of Portland, defense attorney.

The case has been long pending and involved legal maneuvers that brought about the dismissal of one indictment and a plea of double jeopardy in connection with a new indictment brought by the Grand Jury.

The original indictment charged Mefford with rape upon the daughter of his wife, allegedly committed July 9, 1961, but after the trial opened Oct. 28, 1962, the district attorney moved for dismissal when a preponderance of evidence indicated the mother of the victim and the defendant were not man and wife at the time of the alleged crime. Further, that the case could not proceed under the theory that rape was a lesser included crime or that the allegations contained in the indictment concerning the fact the victim was the daughter of the defendant's wife were immaterial allegations.

After this dismissal the Grand Jury returned another indictment against Mefford charging him simply with rape, but alleging an occurrence on a different date.

Mefford pleaded innocent to the charge and also entered a plea of former jeopardy, claiming that he had already been acquitted of the crime charged in the new indictment.

Judge Sanders, ruling on the motion, declared that double jeopardy did not apply as the new indictment alleges a different date, which constitutes a different crime.

Testimony in the original trial was to the effect the act of rape had occurred several times on different dates.

## McNamara, Taylor End Visit To S. Viet Nam

SAIGON, South Viet Nam (UPI)—Secretary of Defense Robert McNamara tonight ended a week's visit to South Viet Nam during which he said he traveled the "length and breadth of this land" in order to find out how the war against the Communist Viet Cong is going.

McNamara, in a brief departure statement, said he and Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, talked with "several hundred persons" in an effort to give President Kennedy a first-hand report on the situation in South Viet Nam.

"We've been in each of the four tactical zones," he added. "We've talked with people at all levels including President Diem and Vice President (Nguyen Hgoc Tho) and members of the cabinet."

"We've met with military personnel, both Vietnamese and American, at all echelons, privately as well as in groups. We've visited training facilities and have gone to the command posts of operations in the field."

McNamara said it has been a "most fruitful week."

He said he would submit a report to Kennedy which will give him "our evaluation of the counter insurgency action against the Communist Viet Cong."

McNamara, Taylor and their party left Saigon at 6:05 p.m. (6:05 a.m. EDT) aboard a four-engine converted tanker for Honolulu where they will spend several hours conferring with Adm. Harry D. Felt, U.S. commander in chief, Pacific, before their departure for Washington.

Their stops included both the Saigon headquarters of the 17,000-man American military effort that costs \$1.5 million a day to operate and a strategic village in the heart of the guerrilla country.

Their conversations ranged from a five-hour talk with President Diem to a halting interrogation, through an interpreter, of a captured guerrilla.

They also had informal chats with U.S. junior officers who live with and fight beside the Vietnamese government troops.

Diem assured McNamara and Taylor that the war was going well but said continued U.S. support was vital. Diem's chief of staff, Gen. Tran Van Don, predicted victory in 1964—a more optimistic estimate than any American official has ventured.

## Police Probe Two Minor Mishaps

State Police report two non-injury accidents investigated by officers Monday.

An accident on U.S. Highway 99 at Kelley's Korner at 12:45 p.m. involved vehicles operated by Arlene Ladonna Bodfield, 2548 SW Landers Lane, Roseburg, and Fose Ann Hamrick, Green Meadow Trailer Court, Winston.

Both vehicles were traveling north. The Bodfield car signaled for a left turn and slowed, when the Hamrick car, which had been following, ran into the rear of the other vehicle. There were no injuries but both cars had to be towed from the scene. Mrs. Hamrick was cited for following too close.

The other accident occurred at 7:05 a.m. at the Garden Valley Road at the Interstate Highway 5 interchange. An automobile operated by John William Franconer, River Bend Road, Roseburg, was traveling east on Garden Valley Road, when a 1953 pickup, operated by Charles Clyde Beerfort, Rt. 3, Box 1353, Roseburg, started crossing Garden Valley Road in front of him. Franconer braked and turned to the left but was unable to avoid the collision, the police report said. Both vehicles left on their own power and there were no injuries.

## Grass Fires Doused

Firemen from the Roseburg City Fire Department extinguished a small grass fire Monday at the home of Roy Hayden, 2133 SE Douglas.

The fire is believed to have been started by a small boy playing with matches. No damage resulted.

## Appointment Confirmed

Norma L. Benson has been appointed postmaster for Days Creek. She had been acting postmaster for some time.

The appointment was confirmed today by the Senate.

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