

# Rockefeller's Backers Claim He's Climbing

BOISE, Idaho (UPI)—Backers of New York Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller said today they feel he accomplished his mission on his tour of the Far West.

But they willingly conceded that if the governor decides to enter the presidential sweepstakes, he still has a long way to go in California, Oregon, Washington and Idaho to match the strength of Vice President Richard M. Nixon for the Republican nomination.

Neither Nixon nor Rockefeller as yet is an announced candidate—but Nixon has been regarded as the GOP's logical choice to succeed President Eisenhower. Rockefeller admits he is testing sentiment to see what his chances would be if he ran.

The Rockefeller camp expressed these conclusions at the end of a four-day swing.

—The governor made a good impression with people he met and he attracted larger crowds, particularly in Oregon and Washington, than they had expected.

—Nixon holds a commanding edge in strength within the formal GOP party organization, particularly in his home state of California.

In his final public appearances

here Sunday night and earlier in the day in Seattle, Rockefeller sounded very much like a candidate—and a man who thinks Nixon by no means as yet has the nomination sewed up at the GOP convention on July 25 in Chicago next year.

At one point in Boise during a news conference, he was asked to comment on reports that the Soviet news agency, Tass, had attacked him for his stand on foreign policy.

"I think the people are not going to be pushed around by foreign comments on their candidates," Rockefeller said.

**Qualifies His Statement**

Another reporter started to ask a question on a different subject. "But I don't want to leave it there," the 51-year-old multi-millionaire said. "I have got to qualify it so you don't think I am talking about myself in this case."

Rockefeller did tell newsmen in Seattle that "nobody said it" (the nomination) was sewed up for Nixon and that he "assumes" it is not. And he added he had received some encouragement from Republicans to enter the race.

His formal decision, he said, would not be made before the first of the year.



**CAR JUMPS DIVIDER**—Vincent Eria, 35, lies on the ground after his car jumped the divider on the San Bernardino Freeway. Eria's car hit head on with that of bandleader Sam Trippe, 36. Trippe and his wife, Dorothy, 33, were both killed and their three children and another boy passenger were injured.

## Don't Panic, Skywatchers; Yellow Lights Not Saucers

WALLOPS ISLAND, Va. (UPI)—Note to skywatchers: If you see a yellow glow light up the sky over the Eastern coast tonight, have no fear, it's not a flying saucer.

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) is planning another sodium vapor experiment.

The last one on Aug. 17 created a sensation when people from Birmingham, Ala., to Dayton, Ohio, saw it light up the night sky.

NASA, which hopes to launch the experiment about 5:00 p.m. e.s.t. if weather conditions are right, said the clouds will have a yellow glow and last up to 20 minutes.

Tonight's high altitude wind test with the sodium cloud and two others like it at dawn and dusk Tuesday are billed as American contributions to the observance of International Rocket Week.

The three shots will be designed to give visual indication of wind activity between 50 and 150 miles up in the sky.

The rockets will be launched from NASA's test station here. Officials said the clouds and vapor trails can be photographed with the camera lens opening set at F2.8. Exposure should be five seconds, using tri-X film.

## Yeast Breads Topic Of Unit

UNION (Special)—The Union Home Extension unit met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Glenn Bates, with Mrs. Dalles Cooper as co-hostess.

The project "Foreign Yeast Breads" was under the direction of Mrs. Ted Bradford, and Mrs. Fred Pembroke; they made bread from various countries.

The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Robert Seale.

The hostesses served refreshments and they sampled the French bread. The other breads were auctioned off.

Next meeting will be Dec. 1. The project will be Consumer Buying.

## Union Women Guests At Elgin Luncheon

UNION (Special)—A group of women of the Union Womens Club were guests at a 12:30 luncheon and exchange meeting, with Elgin Womens Club Thursday at Elgin. Mrs. Jim Jarnagin dressed in Mexican clothes, showed movies and told of her trip to Mexico.

The Union women gave a door prize to the last one leaving the kitchen after serving.

## First Meet Held By Jayceettes

The local Jayceettes held their first fall meeting in the home of Evelyn Jordan. Nori Zeig and Eddy Elder were hostesses to the potluck dinner.

Members made plans for the Christmas party. The remainder of the evening was spent playing cards. Leola Beck and Marjorie Berscheid were winners of prizes.

## Union Pinochle Club Holds Meet

UNION (Special)—The Pinochle club met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Letha Tidball. Mrs. Vernon Parent won the high prize, Mrs. Bob Wells the second, Mrs. Ida Cline the low, and Mrs. Neva Greenwood won the floating prize. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Cline.

## Portland Dairy Market

PORTLAND (UPI)—Dairy market: Eggs—To retailers: Grade AA extra large, 47-52c; AA large, 45-50c; A large, 42-44c; AA medium 36-37c; AA small, 26-28c; cartons 1-6c additional.

Butter—To retailers: AA and grade A prints, 70c lb.; carton, 1c higher; B prints 68c.

Cheese (medium cured)—To retailers: A grade cheddar single wheels, 41 1/2-51c; processed American cheese, 5-lb. loaf, 41-42c.

## Portland Livestock Market

PORTLAND (UPI) (USDA)—Livestock: Cattle 1850; two leads low to average choice 1078 and 1141 lb. fed steers 27.50; load choice 1236 lb. 26.25 and accompanying load 1256 lb. 25.50; few utility Holsteins 1035-1245 lb. 20-21; standard good 798 lb. heifers 23; utility cows 14-15; canner-cutter 10.50-12; Holstein cullers to 13.50.

Calves 250; good-choice vealers 28-32; utility-standard 18-27; culls 12-17.

Hogs 1600; around 500 late arrivals not offered; slow; butchers around 25c lower, sows steady; 1 and 2 butchers 180-235 lb. 14.75-15; mixed 1, 2 and 3 lots 13.75-14.50; 1 and 2 sows 300-365 lb. 12.50-13; mixed 1, 2 and 3 lots 400-500 lb. 11.50-12.

Sheep 2250; few lots high good-choice woolled and shorn lambs 17-17.50; good-choice 70-86 lb. feeder lambs 16; few 89 lb. utility ewes 3.75.

## Portland Grain Market

PORTLAND (UPI) (USDA)—Coast Delivery Basis: White wheat 1.99. Soft white hard applicable 1.99. White club 1.99. Hard red winter, ordinary, 2.05. Hard white baart, ordinary 2.05. Oats no bid. Barley no bid.

# Market Quotations

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BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. —John (Jake the Barber) Factor, victim of the 1953 kidnaping for which Roger Touhy was sentenced to 99 years in prison, commenting on Touhy's parole: "I have no brief for any gangsters, yet here's a man that's been in prison for 26 years. I'm sure he's learned his lesson."

AUGUSTA, Ga. — President Eisenhower, in a 70th birthday telegram to Indian Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru: "You have devoted your life to the realization of a just and peaceful world order; but many problems remain to be solved before this goal can be reached."

HOLLYWOOD — Russian movie actor-director Nikolai Cherkasov, admitting that in the Soviet Union movie stars are paid more than scientists: "You know movie stars — they always get more than other people."

PARIS — A French army spokesman, announcing that fashion designer Yves St. Laurent was deferred from the draft: "The case of St. Laurent can be compared to that of the deep pit coal miners who could ask exceptional deferments after the war when France needed coal so badly."

Yugen and revived Bernice, but efforts to save Margaret failed. Their mother, Mrs. Margaret Ferdon, 29, was washing clothes at the time of the accident.

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## Giant Holding Company Set For Taste Of Own Medicine

NEW YORK (UPI)—Alleghany Corp. today appeared headed for a taste of some of the medicine it has been dishing out for the past 20 years — a proxy fight all its own.

Alleghany and its chief executive Allan P. Kirby have been behind some of the biggest financial clashes in history, including the famous 1934 battle for control of the New York Central Railroad.

Now, developments of late last week indicate that the giant holding company will be on the receiving end of a proxy contest that could possibly rival the New York Central battle in notoriety.

**Accused Of Bad Faith**

Millionaire Kirby has been accused of acting in "bad faith" by Boston financier Abraham M. Sombabend, who, together with a small group of associates, recently acquired 700,000 shares of Alleghany common stock, or about 14 per cent of the total common shares outstanding.

Kirby holds about a 10 per cent common stock interest, but has rights to purchase a substantial amount of additional common shares. He also holds a big sum of preferred stock.

Sombabend made his charge when informed of the discharge of David Wallace as Alleghany vice president, and of Kirby's intention to recommend Sombabend's

election to the Alleghany board of directors.

**Prize Is Big**

"I consider this an act of bad faith on violation of what I understood to be a gentleman's agreement between Mr. Kirby and myself," Sombabend stated. Sombabend is holding an informal conference in New York today, at which time his plan of action most likely will be disclosed.

The prize is a big one. Alleghany, in effect, controls the \$2,500,000,000 New York Central system through a 17 per cent interest, and the 3 billion dollar Investors Diversified Services, Inc., investment firm, through a 25 per cent interest.

It also has a substantial interest in the Missouri Pacific Railroad and in the giant real estate firm of Webb & Knapp.

## NEWS CHUCKLES

**VICAR TAKEN LITERALLY**  
LONDON (UPI) — The Daily Mail reported that the Anglican vicar of Watford Friday placed a wheelbarrow full of apples outside his door with a sign reading: "Help yourself."

Today the vicar was looking for his wheelbarrow.

**BELL ASKED TO STAY**  
MILWAUKEE, Wis. (UPI) — Vernon D. Bell, 41, went to the house of correction to visit a friend and was asked to stay.

Deputy Sheriff Edward Kotnorowski said he recognized Bell as a tavern keeper wanted on charges of refilling used liquor bottles at his bar.

**HERRING HUNTS NUTS**  
RODNEY, Miss. (UPI) — Passers-by heard the calls and spotted 73-year-old Charlie Herring hanging upside down, his feet caught in the limb of a tree 70 feet above the ground.

They lowered him down with a rope and he walked away unharmed explaining, "I was after nuts."



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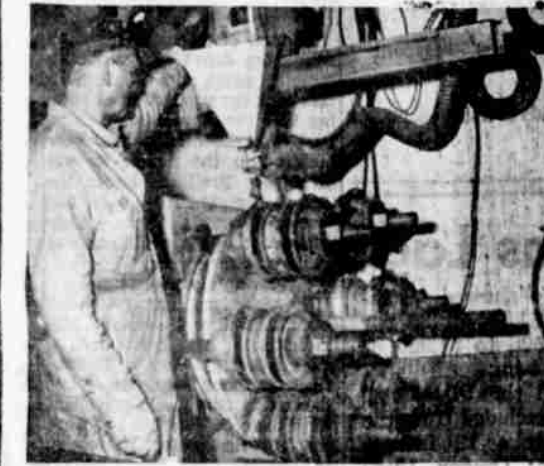
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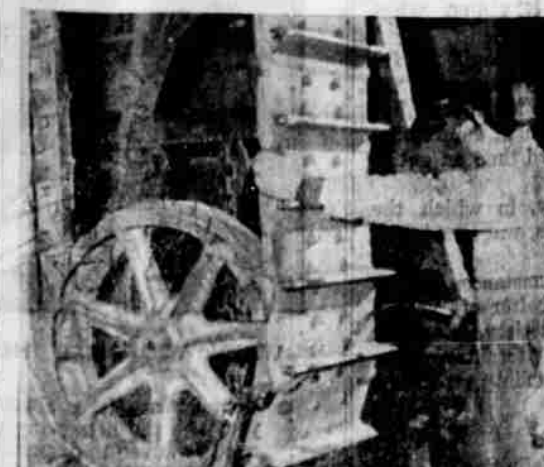
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