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Sen. Morse Hurls GOP Challenge; Tells Peace Hope

Wayne L. Morse, senior senator from Oregon, last night threw down the gauntlet to Secretary of the Interior Douglas McKay and other Republicans to make next year's election into a great debate on natural resources policies.

He told his audience the fate of the world lies on the development of international juridical processes; he outlined his political philosophy as one of "ideals put to work," and pledged himself to continue as the elected representative of all the people of Oregon, as their "legislative counsel."

At Dinner Meeting The Democratic senator, who joined the party after two years as an Independent following his resignation from the Republican party, addressed an audience of 150 persons at a public dinner sponsored by the Democratic organizations of the county.

His hard-hitting, two-hour talk touched on a score of points dealing with natural resources and their development, on a senator's responsibilities for independent thought under the constitution, on party unity and party responsibility, on governmental ethics, on development of nuclear weapons, on public power vs. "partnership," and possible alternatives, on the boxcar shortage and what is being done about it, on the history of the Talent project and his role in its approval, on other appropriations for Oregon, on the situation in Asia, and on the threat of war.

Asks Analysis He concluded with a plea for the people of Oregon to analyze the issues of the day on the facts. If this is done, he said, "you needn't worry about the actions of government."

Senator Morse left no doubt about his support of federal projects for the development of hydroelectric energy in Oregon. But, he added, if it can be clearly shown, after a unified fight for congressional appropriations, that the congress will not go along with further development then, and then only, he would be willing to work toward another solution.

"Not 'partnership,'" he declared, "but the pooling of power under a joint federal-state corporate setup which would guarantee an adequate power supply to the area. He hasn't scratched the surface of the possibilities of development. And we must stop the 'grab' of natural resources embodied in the so-called 'partnership' proposals," he stated.

Cites Car Shortage He began his talk on a quiet note, explaining his concept that a senator is a "legislative counsel" for all the people, no matter of what party. He elaborated on this by commenting on a statement made by S. A. Mogan in announcing the closure of his mills here due to a boxcar shortage. Mogan had questioned the efforts of Senator Morse and Sen. Richard Neuberger (D-Ore.) in working for more cars.

The senior senator has made seven presentations in recent weeks to the Interstate Commerce Commission, he said, seeking data on the shortage; he has been fighting the annual shortage for six years, and will continue to do so. If it is shown the railroads are not living up to their primary responsibility of providing service, (and the senator said he questions that they have), two courses are open. The first is to force them to build adequate supplies of cars. The second, "to be used only if the railroads can show it would be a real hardship to do so, would be some sort of federal aid, based on the welfare of all the people, he said.

Replacements Only On the basis of the evidence he has seen so far, Senator Morse said, it is indicated that the cars the railroads are building are replacements and thus do not represent added supplies. He added he is tired of the excuse that the shortage is "seasonal." He pledged his continued efforts for a solution to the shortage.

In describing the Talent project, he declared he has supported it since its inception, and was responsible for having it revived by President Truman when it "was as dead as a dodo." He continued his support, he said, when the Republican administration budgeted nothing for the

project, and he and Senator Neuberger, with the help of Congresswoman Edith Green (D-Ore.) succeeded in having \$154,000 appropriated for it. He praised the "teamwork" of the three of them, and praised the "great record" made by Senator Neuberger and Representative Green during their first session.

Cites Increase He cited a number of examples of increased appropriations for Oregon projects secured largely through the efforts of the three working through a Democratic congress when the Republicans provided nothing. He charged that Republican representatives have been attempting to have "de-authorized" already approved federal projects, thus delaying their construction.

Turning to foreign policy, he reiterated many of his statements made at a United Nations meeting Friday night, praising President Eisenhower's Geneva statement; citing the need for peaceful and juridical procedures in international affairs, and the need to bring the "vicious and lying propaganda" of the Communists into the light so it could be combated in the fight for the minds of mankind everywhere.

Hints At Weapons The senator hinted at the development by both the U.S. and Russia of weapons far more powerful than the hydrogen bomb, and said that within 25 years a war of annihilation, sending the world back to the dark ages, could be fought without the use of a single airplane by guided missiles which could "pinpoint the world."

"The nations of the world must be brought to know they have everything to lose through war," he said, and he stated he would be glad to have his record judged on his foreign policy stands.

He explained his fight against the resolution which gave the president authority to start fighting in China on the Constitutional ground that it attempted to give the president war declaring power which only congress has.

As to the 1956 election, the senator again pleaded for party unity. He said he hopes the Democratic convention will be "wide open," and that the nominee of free and uncommitted delegates would be president at the end of 1956.

Sid Ainsworth, Ashland, was master of ceremonies, and Bob Boyer, chairman of the Democratic Central committee, introduced the senator. Earlier in the day, Senator Morse attended a meeting of some 75 persons interested in conservation and irrigation, held at the "Hanleylands" residence of Mrs. E. B. Hanley, during which he heard a number of problems dealing with soil and water development and management.

He characterized their statements as examples of what a representative needs and must have—presentations of facts on which problems can be solved. Problems Listed

Among the problems mentioned by the local spokesmen were those of the erosion problem along both sides of the Rogue river and along Jackson creek; the need for the Army engineers to launch an over-all water conservation program; the problem of gravel removal from the river resulting in flood conditions in places; the lack of adequate ground water supplies for farmers individual reclamation and irrigation projects, and the aggravation of these problems by the destruction of trees and grass by fire. Others discussed the Talent project, emphasizing its importance to this area and the need of the people to understand that importance, and the need for additional water throughout the entire area.

The senator described his support for irrigation and reclamation, and discussed it in light of the nation's needs for food supplies, not only at home but for the building up of underdeveloped economies throughout the world, where greater prosperity would benefit this country.

His appearances here yesterday conclude his itinerary in Jackson county during his current visit. He was to return to his Eugene home today. (See story on Page 7)

O&C Administrative Change Announced By Secretary McKay Says Maximum Use Of Timber Planned

Washington — (U.P.) — Interior Secretary Douglas McKay Saturday announced administrative changes for Oregon and California railroad land "to assure maximum use" of the federally-owned timber.

The so-called O&C land located in western Oregon consists of more than 2,000,000 acres granted by the government, to the Oregon and California Co. in 1866. It reverted to the government in 1916 because the company failed to live up to conditions of the grant.

McKay said changes recommended by the Bureau of Land Management and approved by him include "new, forward-looking steps which will eventually increase the volume of O&C timber annually available in western Oregon."

"They will pay for themselves many times over in assuring the continued economic advancement of many Oregon communities as well as providing increased revenues for federal, state and local treasuries," McKay said.

A Senate interior subcommittee and a House government operations subcommittee have been looking into government policies in timber sales. Both are scheduled to hold hearings in the Pacific Northwest some time next month.

Changes Listed McKay said O&C policy changes will:

- 1. Amend existing regulations to permit lifting of eight-year-old marketing restrictions governing timber sales when deemed necessary.
2. Revamp appraisal procedures to reflect more closely the results of competitive sales of O&C timber in western Oregon.
3. Increase the total allowable cut of O&C forests from 534,000,000 board feet a year to 588,000,000 board feet.
4. Recommend additional funds to expand and intensify the forest management program on O&C lands.

Four Girls Hurt In Head-On Wreck

Four girls were injured when the cars in which they were riding collided almost head-on about 2:15 p.m. yesterday on Highway 99 near the Rogue River junction.

Taken to Grants Pass hospital were Mrs. Sharon A. Woods, 17, of Cottage Grove; Anna Q. Ryland, 17, also of Cottage Grove; Yvonne E. Whitelock, 21, of Grants Pass, and Betty L. Brazie, 24, also of Grants Pass.

Miss Ryland, a passenger in Mrs. Woods car, and Miss Brazie, a passenger in Miss Whitelock's vehicle, were treated for severe facial lacerations. State police said both girls went through the windshield of the cars in which they were riding.

Miss Whitelock suffered a simple pelvic fracture, police said, and Mrs. Woods suffered minor cuts and bruises. Police said Mrs. Wood and Miss Ryland were returning to Cottage Grove from Medford at the time of the accident.

Bonn, Germany — (U.P.) — Chancellor Konrad Adenauer continued to make progress toward recovery from bronchial pneumonia but is still running a slight fever, a Bonn government spokesman said. The 79-year-old chancellor has been confined to his bed at his home in nearby Rheindorf since Oct. 7.

Hearings on Valuation of Orchard Trees Concluded

Hearings on the valuation of orchard trees were completed Saturday in the courthouse by representatives of the state tax commission.

Some 225 appeals of assessed tree valuations by orchard owners were considered during the hearings which began Oct. 3.

The controversy developed last spring when the tax commission ordered the board of equalization here to assess orchard trees and put them on the tax rolls. The board did so, but it was later ruled that the board had failed to provide for adequate hearings for the orchard owners. The hearings were conducted



T. COLEMAN ANDREWS Revenue Chief Quits

President Accepts Resignation From Coleman Andrews

Denver — (U.P.) — President Eisenhower Saturday "regretfully" accepted the resignation of T. Coleman Andrews as commissioner of internal revenue effective Oct. 31.

The President's action was announced by Secretary of Treasury George M. Humphrey after a bedside visit with the retiring chief executive at Fitzsimons Army hospital.

Humphrey told newsmen at the temporary White House at Lowry Air Force Base that Andrews was resigning because of "commitments and arrangements" that he has made in Richmond, Va., his home.

Andrews had confirmed earlier Saturday that he had offered his resignation effective Oct. 31. He will become board chairman of an insurance firm Nov. 1.

Accompanying Mr. Eisenhower's acceptance was an exchange of letters between him and Andrews.

Humphrey said Andrews has "done a remarkable job" in reorganizing the Internal Revenue Service and "done it with great distinction and effectiveness."

Local Milk Price To Go Up Monday

The local home delivery and recomended store price of milk will advance one cent per quart Monday, according to two dairy product distributing concerns.

Snider's Dairy Products company and Jorgenson's Dairy Products reported that the price raise will effect 3.8 milk, premium milk, skim milk, buttermilk, chocolate milk, and half and half milk. The price of cream items will remain the same.

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Ike Confers With Treasury Secretary On Budget Program

President Sits Up For Brief Period

Denver — (U.P.) — President Eisenhower sat up Saturday for the first time since he was stricken with a heart attack three weeks ago.

After a conference with Secretary of Treasury George M. Humphrey and a quiet afternoon the President was lifted by two medical corpsmen from his bed and put in a big upholstered chair for 15 minutes.

Hopes For Balanced Budget Humphrey reported to the President that he is "hopeful" of a balanced budget in fiscal 1956 and that a balanced budget would be followed by a tax cut.

Mr. Eisenhower's doctors had said he probably could begin sitting up a little of each day during the fourth week of his recovery. The President was stricken September 24, and so began the fourth week of his recovery Saturday.

In their final medical bulletin of the day, the President's doctors said his condition "continues to progress satisfactorily without complications."

Enjoys Outing Before his visit from Humphrey, the President enjoyed a 45-minute outing, his longest to date on the sun terrace near his eighth floor room at Fitzsimons Army hospital until about 4:30 p.m. (MST) after he had napped and rested most of the afternoon.

"I think our taxes are too high and I think we ought to get them down," Humphrey told reporters after he finished a 15-minute session at the President's bedside in Fitzsimons Army hospital.

Six Dead, 21 Hurt In Bus-Truck Crash

Michigan City, Ind. — (U.P.) — A double-decker Greyhound bus rumbled into a stalled trailer truck on a "killer" highway early Saturday, killing six persons and injuring 21 others.

The bus, enroute from Chicago to New York, rumbled the steel-laden truck three miles east of here with such force that the lower deck was crushed by the rear of the trailer. The second deck was sheared off.

Wrecking crews, firemen and squads of ambulance workers labored two hours to free trapped passengers and remove the dead and injured.

Truck driver Harry Williams, 43, Oak Lawn, Ill., said he tried to flag down the bus after he pulled over on U.S. Route 20 to repair the air brakes on his truck.

"I waved a flare," Williams said. "It wouldn't stop so I jumped aside." He was injured by flying debris.

Flynn To Preside At LOC Convention

Portland — (U.P.) — The League of Oregon Cities will hold its 1955 convention here Oct. 23-26.

Keynote of the meeting will be a review of 30 years of Oregon municipal history. League President Diamond L. Flynn of Medford will preside.

Banquet speaker will be Gov. Paul Patterson.



EAGLE—Mike Campbell, above, was awarded his eagle scout badge at a court of honor at the Phoenix Community hall last Thursday evening. Mike is the first member of Phoenix Boy Scout Troop 15 to win the coveted award, highest in scouting, in the 15-year history of the troop.

Faure Names Council as Political Crisis Grows



FIRST ENLISTEE—Colonel William H. Prentice, right, commanding officer of the 417th Engineer Aviation Brigade, administers oath of enlistment to Joseph E. Shelton, 1059 Morrow rd., Medford, the first person to enlist in the newly activated reserve unit here. Formal activation ceremonies for the unit will be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday in Medford High school auditorium. Private Shelton enlisted under the armed forces reserve act of 1955, which permits men between 17 and 18½ to continue schooling with only a six-month active duty training period. Private Shelton plans to attend college upon graduation from Crater High school next spring.

Howling Storms Hit New England States

Boston — (U.P.) — A howling northeaster poured river waters over banks in New England Saturday, threatening new disaster in the same areas ravaged by the floods of Hurricane Diane less than two months ago.

Winsted, Conn., which suffered most from the disastrous floods of August, was in the path of the new flood. The greatest rainfall in the new storm area was reported there — a total of 7.8 inches before noon Saturday. Hundreds of refugees from

Boxcar Shortage Causes Shutdown Of Mogan Lumber

Mogan Lumber company officials announced yesterday the company will shut down operations in Tiller and Eagle Point sawmills and the White City remilling plant early this week because of the railroad boxcar shortage.

The company employs about 250 men, and S. A. Mogan, owner of the company, said at least four men will be out of employment in associated industries for every one unemployed by the company.

Mogan said he "does not blame the Southern Pacific for this shortage" because the shortage is nationwide. He said the Southern Pacific "has done more than most carriers to keep abreast of the times." He blamed the shortage on the American railroads' "arrogant refusal to keep enough rolling stock on hand to take care of peak movements of freight."

He said the company has enough lumber at the White City operation to load about 300 boxcars.

At least eight other lumber companies in the Rogue valley have closed down because of the boxcar shortage in the past few weeks. Some companies, which have resumed operations, combined the shortage and deer season to suspend operations temporarily.

100-Mile-an-Hour Speeder Given Jail Term, \$75 Fine

Ashland—Morris Lee Stringer, 19, Ashland, was given a stiff sentence by Justice of the Peace Nellie Burns last week after a police chase at speeds up to 100 miles per hour.

He was fined \$75 plus costs of \$4.50, was sentenced to serve 30 days in the county jail, and his driver's license was suspended for 30 days.

Can Run Out of Gas Stringer was arrested by a Yreka, Calif., city police officer who chased him all the way from Yreka to a spot in the Siskiyou on the Oregon side of the border where the car finally ran out of gas. The driver was accompanied by two other young men. The Yreka officer first noticed the car as it flashed

France May Lose Status as World Power, Coty Warns

Paris — (U.P.) — Premier Edgar Faure announced the long-delayed throne council for Morocco Saturday night in a bold move to save his government from collapse.

By appointing the council, Faure hoped to win Socialist neutrality in the National Assembly confidence vote Tuesday on French policy in Algeria.

The announcement came as spreading disorders produced a growing political crisis in Paris, and President Rene Coty warned that the instability of the Fourth Republic may cost France its position as a world power.

Violence erupted in Marrakesh and Casablanca Friday night and Saturday, while rebellious tribesmen continued to skirmish along the Spanish Moroccan border.

Faure's coalition cabinet needed the strong Socialist vote to survive the confidence vote Tuesday, just 10 days before the Big Four foreign ministers meeting in Geneva.

The premier had the support of the Socialist bloc for his Moroccan policy, but not for his Algerian policies. Now that the throne council has been appointed, it was believed that the socialists might abstain in Tuesday's vote.

May Ignite Demonstrations While the throne appointment was designed to head off a collapse in Paris, it threatened to ignite new demonstrations by French settlers in Morocco.

Their leaders have opposed the inclusion of Si Bekkai, the former Pasha of Sefrou, and even the idea of a council itself. The settlers fear that Bekkai, a strong nationalist, might herald the return of exiled Sultan Sidi Mohammed Ben Youssef, deposed two years ago.

Faure has promised it will not. To help offset the fears, he put four men in the council instead of three to dilute the influence of Si Bekkai.

Football

- WEST UCLA 21, Stanford 13; Baylor 19, Washington 7; Washington State 9, Idaho 0; Wyoming 23, Tulsa 19; College of Idaho 20, Willamette 13; Utah State 32, Montana 6

- SOUTHWEST Texas A&M 19, Texas Christian 16; Oklahoma 44, Kansas 6; Arkansas 27, Texas 20; Southern Methodist 20, Rice 0; Texas Western 29, Arizona 0; Houston 21, Oklahoma A&M 13

- MIDWEST Illinois 21, Minnesota 13; Michigan 14, Northwestern 2; Duke 20, Ohio State 14; Michigan State 21, Notre Dame 7; Iowa 20, Purdue 20; Indiana 14, Villanova 7; Iowa State 20, Missouri 14; Colorado 34, Kansas State 13; Cincinnati 13, Marquette 12

- SOUTH Tennessee 20, Alabama 0; Mississippi 27, Tulane 13; Virginia Tech 7, Richmond 7; Maryland 25, North Carolina 7; Virginia 20, VMI 13; Auburn 14, Georgia Tech 12; Florida 18, LSU 14; North Carolina State 13, Wake Forest 13; Georgia 47, Florida State 14; Mississippi State 20, Kentucky 14

- EAST George Washington 25, Pennsylvania 6; Harvard 21, Columbia 7; Pittsburgh 21, Nebraska 7; Yale 34, Cornell 6; Lafayette 21, Dartmouth 13; Colgate 15, Princeton 6; Syracuse 13, Army 0; Navy 34, Penn State 14; Rutgers 14, Brown 12; West Virginia 39, William & Mary 13; Boston College 23, Detroit 6