

PRESIDENT CONFERS WITH NIXON



ROOSTER CROW—A record high attendance was noted Saturday at the fourth annual Rogue River Rooster Crowing contest. A total of 229 roosters competed in the event, including three from Medford. Medford entries included one from the Kiwanis club, one from the Greeters committee and one from the Rountable of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce. The roosters were escorted to the Rogue River city park by Police Chief Charles Champlin and Mayor Earl Miller. Mayor Miller, one of the judges, is shown above with a group of judges rating rooster cages shortly before the crowing contest started.



CATFISH DERBY—Hundreds of people at the 20th annual National Catfish Derby are shown while waiting at TouVelle State Park Sunday for coronation of Queen Myda McCabe. Also featured at the program were numerous contests and award presentations. The Derby was sponsored by the Medford 20-30 club.

William Edwards Takes National Derby's Sweepstakes Award Here

William Edwards, Medford, took the sweepstakes award in the Medford 20-30 Club's 20th annual National Catfish Derby at TouVelle State park yesterday. An estimated 4,300 persons attended.

Edwards caught the largest catfish and teamed up with his son, Carl, to win first in the father and son three-legged race.

The award for the smallest catfish went to D. T. Ferguson, Ashland, and one for the largest number of catfish to Jack McQuigg, Medford. McQuigg had a string of 130 fish.

Oldest Fisherman—Oldest fisherman at the derby was Jules Paudois, 87, of Jacksonville, and the youngest was Joe Reeder, 10, of Medford.

One hundred feet of film were taken of events during the day. The moving pictures were taken at the request of 20-30 International which chose the derby as one of four outstanding 20-30 club projects in the nation. The film will be added to a public relations movie being produced by the International.

Other prizes and awards went to Gary Spafford, Medford, first in sack race for boys under 10 years of age; Bud Pinz, 18, Medford, youngest father present; W. H. King, 38, Medford, youngest grandfather present; Mr. and Mrs. John Higginbottom, Rogue River, couple married the longest time, 68 years; Richard Griffin, Medford, bubble gum blowing contest; Paul Harmer, Medford, pie eating contest; 1923 Ford owned by Earl Kurtz, Medford, oldest car present; John Nelson, Central Point, and Roy Magness, Ashland, tie for the baldheaded man contest; and Roger Sharp, 16-month-old, Medford, readhead contest.

Officials To Visit Detention Homes

County Judge Rodney Keating, Commissioner C. H. Wendt, and William Seibert will leave Tuesday to visit several state detention homes.

Included in the trip will be McLaren at Woodburn and Hillcrest near Salem where they will confer with officials regarding ideas for incorporation into plans for the proposed Jackson county juvenile detention home.

Seibert, Medford architect for the \$85,000 detention home which will also include a \$25,000 administrative wing, also has visited many of the Bay area detention homes for ideas.

Prospect District To Receive Payment

Sen. Richard L. Neuberger of Oregon said today Eagle Point school district 9 has been awarded a tentative entitlement of \$2,698 by the office of education of the department of health, education and welfare.

The district was certified for an immediate payment of \$2,428. A treasury check for the amount has been sent to the district.

The funds are distributed to school districts under the program to provide financial assistance for schools in federally affected areas.

Missing Plane Hunt Shifts to Cascade Lake

Bend — (U.P.) — A report that wreckage of an airplane was seen in a central Oregon lake caused searchers today to shift their attention to an area west of here in the hunt for a private plane missing with its two passengers.

The plane has been missing since Thursday when it left Lebanon, Ore., heading east over the Cascades.

Hollywood — (U.P.) — Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis, one of the most famous teams in show business, have confirmed they are breaking up after a farewell nightclub tour in the East.

Late News Briefs

AMERICAN NAMED — Tel Aviv, Israel — (U.P.) — Moshe Sharett formally resigned as foreign minister today and was replaced by Mrs. Golda Myerson, a former Milwaukee schoolteacher.

STRATEGY MAPPED — New York — (U.P.) — The United Steelworkers of America today mapped plans for a strategic divide and conquer campaign aimed at speeding settlement of a new contract for 650,000 basic steelworkers.

POLITICS SEEN — Washington — (U.P.) — Rep. Hamer Budget (R-Iowa), said today that if the House Interior committee votes out the Federal Hells Canyon bill tomorrow it will be "solely for political reasons" — primarily the U. S. Senate race in Oregon.

AIR FORCE MONEY — Washington — (U.P.) — The Senate Appropriations committee, overriding administration recommendations, today voted an extra \$1,600,000,000 to expand the Air Force.

Polls Open Today For District Voting

Polls will be open between 2 and 8 p.m. today for voters in first class, rural and non-high school districts of Jackson county to elect new school directors in the annual election.

Polling place in the Medford district is the girls' gymnasium of Medford High school, and voting in other districts will be in various school buildings.

Residents of the Lone Pine school district also will vote on a \$12,000 tax levy for purchasing a school bus. Previously it was reported that voters in the Lone Pine and Howard areas would cast ballots on the proposal, but the bus levy in the Lone Pine district only, according to school officials.

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California-Oregon Border Vicinity Searched for Klamath Rape Suspect

Girl, 15, Knifed; Dumped in Ditch Near Sand Creek

Identity Established By Immigration Card

Klamath Falls, Ore. — (U.P.) — California authorities today arrested Salvador Suarez Galan, 38, wanted as a suspect in the raping and knifing of a 15-year-old girl here.

Galan was arrested this afternoon in a railroad shed near MacDool, Calif.

Klamath Falls, Ore. — (U.P.) — A posse of sheriff's deputies and law officers searched a 100-square mile area along the California-Oregon border today for a man suspected of raping and knifing a 15-year-old girl.

The suspect is Salvador Suarez Galan, 38, alias Luis Garcia Ramos, a Mexican who worked as a railroad section hand for the Southern Pacific. He lived at Keg Pitt, Calif., a railroad siding about 32 miles south of Klamath Falls.

Oregon State Police said the girl, Dorothy Jackson, identified Galan as her attacker from a picture on his immigration card. She was in critical condition from four knife wounds near the heart.

When officers went to arrest him, Galan fled through a rear door and lost himself in the brush-covered country surrounding the area.

Miss Jackson told police she was raped behind a Klamath Falls lumber yard Saturday morning. Then, she said, her assailant stabbed her four times. He threw her in the rear of his car and drove her to the end of a lonely mountain road 50 miles north of Klamath Falls.

There, near the Sand Creek area, he dumped her into a roadside ditch. She lay unconscious and half-hidden under a blanket for nearly seven hours. An unidentified passerby found her in the afternoon and called police.

Elliott Names Dickey As Confab Alternate

Robert A. Elliott, delegate to the Republican National convention from the state at large, has named Robert Dickey, Medford attorney, as his alternate, he has announced.

Dickey was among candidates for District 4 delegate to the convention.

Elliott and Dickey and Rodney Keating and Ed G. Boehnke, Eugene, the latter two District 4 delegates, and Keating's alternate, Mrs. Kathleen Bash, will be among those attending an organizational meeting of the Oregon delegation in Salem Wednesday.

Delegates will elect their chairman and vice-chairman at the Wednesday session.

The Dalles Girl Dies After Fall From Car

Hood River — (U.P.) — A five-year-old The Dalles girl, Kathy Ann Sjoblom, died early today at a Hood River hospital of injuries suffered when she fell from the rear seat of a moving automobile yesterday about a mile west of here.

Weather

FORECAST: Cloudy with light rain tonight; semi-cold and occasional sunshine between showers Tuesday. Low tonight, 50; high Tuesday 64.

Highest yesterday — 82

Our Skies Tonight

Sunrise — 4:31 a.m.
Sunset — 7:31 p.m.
Moonset Tuesday — 1:39 a.m.
Full Moon — Friday night
MERCURY is making an appearance as a morning star this week and may be seen low in the east for a few minutes each morning a little before sunrise.

Attorneys Seeking Release of Cahill

Salem — (U.P.) — Defense attorneys for Otto Cahill, convicted Nelscott water official, today asked the State Supreme Court to have Cahill released from the state penitentiary on grounds they planned to appeal his case to the U. S. Supreme Court.

Attorney Richard Anderson, Newport, said Cahill was hurried off to prison Saturday without notice to his attorneys or bondsmen.

Appeal will be based on a claim that the due process of law clause of the 14th amendment was ignored in the case, Anderson said.

Cahill was convicted of embezzling some \$750 while commissioner of the Taft-Nelscott-Delake water district. He was taken to prison from Portland Saturday by Air Force ambulance and is under observation to determine whether a heart condition will prevent him being placed with other convicts.

Residents Called to Jury Duty Not Needed

Residents who have been called for jury duty in federal district court Wednesday need not report after all, it was announced this morning by district officials.

All cases on the docket for Wednesday have been settled out of court, and no jurors are needed.

Federal Judge Gus Solomon, Portland, has been presiding at sessions of the court here.

"Mutations, Shmutations—As Long As You're Healthy"



Sen. Morse Promises Campaign on 'Issues'

Camp Greyback, Illinois Valley — Sen. Wayne L. Morse (D-Ore.) promised a campaign "on the issues" when he spoke here yesterday at the annual picnic of the Illinois Valley Democratic club. An estimated 300 persons heard the senator speak.

"I will leave the smear tactics to others," Senator Morse said in promising not to "descend into the gutter for personality attacks." He said he will talk on all the issues, and that he feels if "we take the issues to the people, we will win."

A considerable portion of his brief talk dealt with social security legislation, and he declared that one cannot be liberal in human relations if he supports a reactionary economic policy against the general welfare.

He stated that he prays for the immediate and complete recovery of President Eisenhower from his present illness, but that he does oppose him on certain issues, including some of the administration's attitudes on social security legislation.

The senator said his faith in the capitalistic system convinces him that the social security age limit could be lowered to 60 for both men and women, and that there should be no age limit on disability coverage. He also favors improvement in veterans' legislation, he said, including a uniform pension for World War I veterans.

He also explained his philosophy with regard to power generation, saying he has no objection to private utilities building low-head dams on sites suited to that purpose, but would have no part of "scuttling" all-purpose dam-sites by private utilities.

"Public power dams should be built on sites suitable for multipurpose development," he declared, and private power dams on sites suitable for that purpose.

"We will be cheated out of a great economic ally if Idaho power company is allowed to build three low dams on the Snake river, just as they tried to cheat us out of Grand Coulee dam," the senator stated.

He discussed his objection to the initial version of the anti-narcotics bill, explaining that he obtained deletion of the wire-tapping provision which had been slipped into the bill. Such a provision is dangerous, he declared, and he said he "struck a blow in defense of every man, woman and child in the country," when he got the clause out of the bill.

Senator and Mrs. Morse arrived in Medford by air Sunday morning, and were greeted by a considerable group of friends

British Soldiers Die in Fire Set By Greek Cypriots

Forest Ignited To Halt Hunt for Leader

Nicosia, Cyprus — (U.P.) — Ten to 15 British soldiers were reported dead today in a forest fire set by pro-Greek Cypriots to halt a search for the leader of EOKA, the anti-British underground guerrilla movement on Cyprus.

Scores of soldiers were injured in the fire that swept down on them at 30 miles an hour as they closed a security ring on EOKA leader George Grivas in operation "Lucky Telephone." Hospitals throughout the island were filled with burned men.

American Wounded — British doctors worked to save the life of an American, Jack Bane, 38, of Chevy Chase, Md., seriously wounded in a bombing attack Saturday night that killed an American vice consul and wounded two other Americans.

William Boteler, 26, of Washington, D.C., the vice consul, was killed when terrorists threw a bomb into the little Soho restaurant where he was dining with Bane, James Dace, 33, of Los Angeles and James Coleman, 26, of Scranton, Pa., employees of a U. S. government radio station.

The forest fire broke out Sunday night as 2,000 British troops neared an end of the operation they believe broke the back of the guerrilla organization. Grivas, known as "Dignis," escaped capture by a matter of seconds.

Grivas was surprised by a patrol as he sat beside a stream with some companions. A soldier fired at him but the 38-year-old guerrilla leader sprinted into the scrubby undergrowth he knows well. He was thought to be surrounded.

Injured Removed — An airplane circled overhead with a loudspeaker exhorting him to "Come out. The game is lost."

Troops and civilians fought the flames throughout the night. Helicopters took the injured to hospitals where blood plasma was flown from the capital city of Nicosia.

An army chaplain, black with smoke, told reporters the flames "came at us at about 30 miles an hour. Some of the soldiers who were burned had been fighting the fire, others were taking part in the operation against Grivas. It was all over in three minutes, and some of the men managed to escape by running up the hill."

Leak on Target Miss Said Sought by FBI

Honolulu — (U.P.) — The FBI is seeking the serviceman or servicewoman who disclosed that the recently air-dropped hydrogen bomb missed its target, the Honolulu Advertiser said today.

The informant also said two servicemen were blinded by the blast.

The newspaper said authorities consider it "imperative to find the leak on Eniwetok and plug it, no matter what service he belongs to."

Seattle Boy, 12, Unable To Give Reason For Strangulation of Four-Year-Old Girl

Seattle, Wash. — (U.P.) — A 12-year-old boy confessed to police Sunday night that he killed four-year-old Kathryn Lane Ruoff and buried her battered, nude body beneath the wood floor of a garage.

Walked Into Garage — Capt. Victor Kramer said Ray John Barker, who lives across the street from the home of the murdered girl, confessed that he strangled Kathryn, one of four children of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ruoff. Ruoff is a Washington state representative and an insurance man.

"She walked into the garage and I took hold of her and choked her. I don't know why," the boy told Kramer.

Kramer said he had no reason to doubt the confession of the Barker boy "who has had problems before."

Admitted Slaying — The police captain said the boy admitted the slaying when first questioned about the crime upon his return from a picnic with a group of other boys in the neighborhood.

"We had no particular reason to suspect him," Kramer said. "He just emerged during our process of questioning everyone in the district."

Nothing Revealed On Eisenhower's Future Intentions

Dulles in Separate Private Meeting

Washington — (U.P.) — President Eisenhower conferred privately with Vice President Richard M. Nixon for 15 minutes today at Walter Reed hospital. Nixon told reporters that "the question of the President's future political actions was not discussed."

Mr. Eisenhower also held a separate private meeting with Secretary of State John Foster Dulles and a brief joint meeting with Nixon and Dulles. It was his first visit with Nixon since the President's emergency operation June 9 to relieve an intestinal block.

Stitches Removed — Later in the morning, doctors removed the superficial skin stitches from the President's surgical incision. White House Press Secretary James C. Hagerty said the "deep, through and through wire sutures" of the operative wound were left in place.

A midday medical bulletin said Mr. Eisenhower was continuing to "progress very satisfactorily."

Reporters besieged Nixon on his departure from the presidential suite with questions about Mr. Eisenhower's political intention.

After denying "categorically" that the question was discussed this morning, Nixon said that the question of whether the President will reconsider his decision to run for election is one that the "President alone" can answer.

Proper Time and Place — He said Mr. Eisenhower will make the decision and select his own "time and place" for announcing it. He said it would not be "proper" for him, Nixon, to speculate on when or what the decision will be.

Nixon said Mr. Eisenhower himself knows best the requirements of leadership, both in national and international fields, and knows the burdens of the office and his own physical capacity.

Nixon said he is sure that the President will "weigh" all the factors involved and make the "proper decision."

Asked if he might reappraise his own decision to seek reelection as vice president because of the President's current illness, Nixon said that "until" the President announces any change in his decision "none of us" who made decisions based on his will change.

Nixon arrived at the hospital and saw Mr. Eisenhower alone for 15 minutes. The two were then joined by Dulles for five minutes. Then Dulles conferred alone with the President for 10 minutes on "State Department matters."

The President had been up and had taken his daily walking exercises before his visitors arrived. He was back in bed when he conferred with them.

Later, Mr. Eisenhower spent 25 minutes with his chief assistant, disposing of a batch of White House papers.

The President signed 10 bills, vetoed one, approved five nominations, issued a proclamation of Citizenship day, approved two supplemental appropriations, accepted a resignation, sent nominations of 136 postmasters to the Senate, and signed routine lists of Air Force promotions.

Oregon Auto Accidents Claim Lives of Two

By UNITED PRESS
Highway accidents in Oregon over the week end claimed the life of a 27-year-old Corvallis father of two small girls and of a Eugene man.

The victims were Norman E. Doty, Corvallis, and Edwin Ray Shelley, 25, Eugene.

Analysis Confirmed

King County Coroner John P. Brill's autopsy confirmed the analysis of police that Kathryn, called Jamie by her family and friends, had been sexually assaulted before her death.

Kramer said after the boy confessed, "He was very remorseful, and could offer no coherent explanation of why he did it."