

Tito's Flight To Russia Surprise To West

Hearing on Freeway Scheduled

Commission Sets Oct. 25 To Discuss Highway Location

Hearing Postponed Earlier This Year

The state highway commission has set Thursday, Oct. 25, as the date for a public hearing in Medford to discuss location of the Highway 99 freeway between Blackwell hill and Ashland.

A hearing had been scheduled last spring, but was postponed pending completion of a survey of a proposed route on the west side of the valley, which was requested by a number of persons and organizations.

The new survey was to obtain detailed information concerning costs on a west side route, highway department officials said. Previously, the commission abandoned consideration of a west side route because of high costs after preliminary studies were made several years ago.

Other Routes

Three other routes have been under consideration. They are the Hillcrest route east of the Medford city limits, the Genesee route just east of Bear creek within the city limits of Medford, and a route down Bear creek itself.

The Medford planning commission, which held a hearing at which the Genesee and Hillcrest routes were discussed, went on record, in a split vote, favoring the Genesee route. The recommendation was made with the understanding that it was based only on information available on the two routes.

The recommendation also included provisions that the freeway, if constructed along the Genesee route, be 300 feet wide, overpass several city streets, have standard acceptable landscaping, and have modern noise abatement facilities.

Several orchardists and farmers have formally voiced opposition to both the Hillcrest route and the west side route, because of damage to orchards and other valuable farm land.

Central Point Man Hurt in Accident

Central Point—Noble Brown of Central Point was seriously injured in a two-car accident about 12:30 a.m. today near the intersection of Oak st. and Highway 99 in Central Point, according to Police Chief Wallace Bowen.

A witness said Brown, who was driving a car registered to Dorothy Kelly of Central Point, was traveling at a high rate of speed through town and struck the rear end of a car being driven by George C. Johnstone, 423 Plum st., Medford, police said.

Both Brown and Johnstone were cited for not having an operators license and Brown also was cited for reckless driving.

Brown was taken to Sacred Heart hospital by Medford ambulance service. His condition was listed as good by hospital attendants this morning.

F. L. Somers Apparent Low Bidder on Project

F. L. Somers, Medford, was apparent low bidder for 19 mile embankment repair at Bybee bridge on Table Rock rd. The state highway commission opened bids this morning for several highway projects in Marion, Multnomah, Josephine, Yamhill, Clackamas and Jackson counties.

Somers bid \$48.60 for the embankment repair project.

Weather

FORECAST: Variable cloudiness through Saturday. Chance of light showers tonight. Low tonight 48. High Saturday 78.

Highest Yesterday 74

Lowest this Morning 43

Our Skies Tonight

Sunrise 6:05 a.m.
Sunset 5:38 p.m.
Moonrise Saturday 12:51 a.m.
New Moon Oct. 3

PROMINENT STARS
The Twins, well above the Moon
VISIBLE PLANETS
Saturn, 7:34 p.m.
Mars, in the south 10:18 p.m.
Venus, in the east 4:21 a.m.
Jupiter, rises 4:55 a.m.

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PRESIDENT MAY BRING CAMPAIGN TO OREGON

Morse and McKay Continue Battle Without Letup

Ellsworth's Role Declared Covered

By UNITED PRESS

President Eisenhower is expected to come to Oregon in mid-October for a speech in Portland, a GOP official said today. William Borah, assistant public relations director of Citizens for Eisenhower, said the President may come to Oregon either in the week of Oct. 14 or "close to that time." Final details have not been worked out.

Mr. Eisenhower also is expected to speak in Seattle. Both Oregon and Washington have hot Senate races this fall with Douglas McKay trying to unseat Democrat Wayne Morse in Oregon and GOP Gov. Arthur B. Langlie trying to defeat Sen. Warren G. Magnuson in Washington.

Meanwhile, the Morse-McKay battle of words continued without letup.

Morse Promises Victory

Morse promised a "great victory" in November last night in a Portland speech and attacked McKay whom he said would "be going back to the business of selling Cadillacs."

He said McKay "helped give away tidelands; a shocking betrayal of his public trust; in Hells Canyon he tried to give away one of the greatest resources of this country; he is the outstanding spokesman of misrepresentation."

McKay, also speaking in Portland, said Democratic leaders are persons who "do not believe in policies that will make a free society work." He said "The Democratic party has never in our time proved that it has any answers for our people except those of perpetual crisis or war."

McKay Sights Controls

McKay said: "In lieu of freedom and opportunity they offer government controls. In lieu of jobs in a prosperous and healthy economy, they offer the way of the dole and the security of a public welfare payment."

The Al Sorensen issue also was back in the political spotlight.

Sen. Richard L. Neuberger (D-Ore.) accused McKay of "distortion of the facts" and of "covering up the role of Congressman Harris Ellsworth" in helping the owners get patents for the southern Oregon mining claims. McKay fired right back and accused Neuberger of shifting the emphasis in the remarks McKay made about Sen. Estes Kefauver and the claims.

Oregon To Continue Work

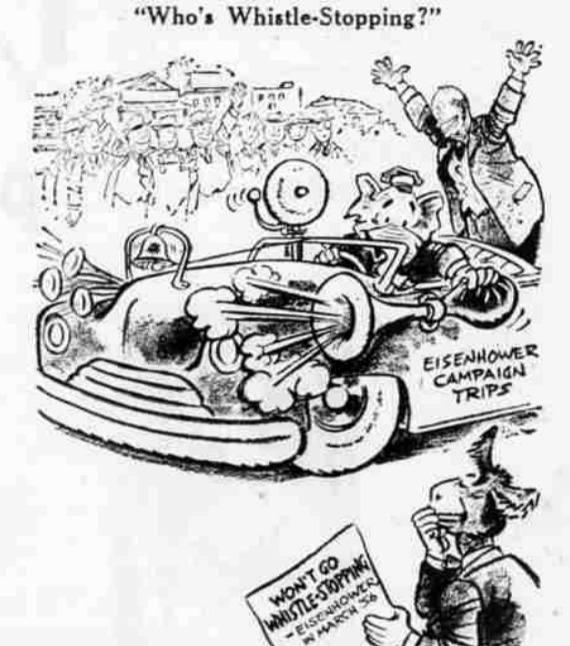
Gov. Elmo Smith told a dinner meeting in Portland last night that Oregon intends to continue in what he termed its role as a leader nationally in education, industrial development, roads and its welfare program. He said Oregon spends \$340 a year per pupil for primary and secondary education and that "only three other states spend more."

Marine Held in Lakeview Shooting

Lakeview—(U.P.)—A Marine Corps staff sergeant from Portland was arrested here early today in connection with a shooting at Hunters Lodge near here.

Richard Fairbanks, about 25, was taken to Lakeview hospital with a 22 calibre gunshot wound through his abdomen. Attendees said he was in critical condition.

Sgt. Edward Joseph Murray, 33, of Portland, was arrested by Sheriff Tom Elliott, Deputy Sheriff Joe Battiste and State Police Officer Nick Barry. Elliott said Murray would be charged with assault with a deadly weapon and arraigned some time this afternoon. The sheriff said the shooting occurred following an argument at the lodge shortly after midnight.



Residents Reminded Of Absentee Voting

Anyone who terminates his Oregon residence before the Oct. 6 voter registration deadline will not be eligible to vote in the Nov. 6 general election by Oregon absentee ballot, Mrs. Bereth Hopkins, county clerk, reminded voters today.

She explained that legal residents of the state who expect to be absent on election day may make application within 60 days preceding an election for the official ballot or ballots to be voted at the election.

However, she emphasized, this does not apply to those who have terminated Oregon residence and moved to another state. This is true whether or not the individual has lived in the state of his new residence long enough to qualify as a voter in that state, she said.

Oregon law defines an "absent voter" as follows:
(1) Any elector who is absent from the county of his legal residence upon the day of any general, special or primary election.
(2) One whose place of residence is more than 15 miles from the polling place in the precinct of his registration, measured by the nearest traveled road.
(3) One who is physically unable to attend such elections in person and who is a qualified elector of this state.

Woman Injured in East Main Accident

Mrs. Blanch Lucille Folck, 32, of route 2, box 247J, Medford, suffered lacerations and abrasions on the right side of her head about 2:37 a.m. today when the car in which she was a passenger, operated by Jack Taylor Stallworth, 28, of 106 Lincoln st., Medford, crashed into a stone embankment on East Main st. between Eastwood dr. and Keeneway dr., according to Medford police.

She was taken to Rogue Valley hospital by Medford Ambulance service. Hospital attendants said her condition was "good" this morning.

Stallworth was fined \$50 today in police court and sentenced 30 days in jail, which may be suspended at a later date depending on the condition of Mrs. Folck, police said. He was arrested on a charge of driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor, according to police.

Police added that Stallworth was not injured. The accident happened when the Stallworth vehicle was travelling too fast to complete a curve, police said.

Salem Man Charged In Beating Mother

Salem—(U.P.)—A 46-year-old Salem man was in fair condition at Salem General hospital today facing charges of assaulting and robbing his mother and being drunk on a public highway. Bail was set at \$2,500.

Gilbert Heidbrecht was booked after his mother, Mrs. Margaret Yates, complained she had been robbed of \$562 yesterday, including a \$392 check.

She said her son then forced her to give him the keys to her car. The vehicle collided with a logging truck about 4:40 p.m. on the Salem-Turner highway and Heidbrecht suffered "eight or nine" broken ribs.

Officers collected the scattered money at the crash scene.

47 Bolivians Ask Political Asylum From Argentina

Political Prisoners Commandeer Plane

Salta, Argentina—(U.P.)—Argentine authorities today weighed an appeal for asylum by 47 Bolivian political prisoners who commandeered an airliner at gunpoint over Bolivia and flew it here Thursday.

The Bolivians were being transferred from Santa Cruz, in southeastern Bolivia, to the capital city of La Paz when they seized control of the Bolivian Lloyd DC-4 airliner.

Pistol Smuggled on Plane

One of the prisoners, a retired army colonel, smuggled a pistol aboard the plane. Shortly after it took off, he disarmed a guard carrying a machine gun while two of his companions subdued two other guards.

Another prisoner, a commercial pilot, took over the controls and flew the plane to a safe landing here.

Most of the Bolivians were members of the Socialist Falange party which the Bolivian government charged fomented last week's hunger riots in La Paz. At least four persons were killed in the rioting which resulted in a state of siege being imposed on the country.

River Yields Youngster's Body

Klamath Falls—(U.P.)—The body of five-year-old Timothy Wegner was recovered from the waters of the Klamath river at Keno bridge at about 12:20 p.m. today.

The child was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wegner of Keno and had been the object of a search by about 100 persons, and bloodhounds.

The boy was last reported seen about 3:30 p.m. yesterday playing in an apple orchard on the bank of the Klamath river.

Besides the ground search, planes from the Klamath air rescue service were sent up and Sheriff Murray Britton had dragging equipment at the river.

The boys' father is a Weyerhaeuser Timber Company employee at Camp Six near Bly.

Smog Alert Issued In Southern California

Los Angeles—(U.P.)—The air pollution control district called a first stage smog alert at 10:40 a.m. PDT today when the ozone concentration reached 50 part per million parts of air in the Vernon, Calif., district.

It was the fourth alert called this week and the 10th of the year.

Television Highlight

Adlai E. Stevenson, Democratic candidate for president, will be heard over station KBES-TV at 7:30 tonight.

Nunley Says He Plans No Action Against Pinball Machines Until After Election

Jackson County District Attorney Walter D. Nunley this week said he is not contemplating action against 21 pinball machines in the county, for which a \$250 federal gaming tax has been paid, until after the November election.

In a recent story in the Oregon Journal, a survey showed 263 coin operated machines which the internal revenue classifies as gambling devices in the state. Of that total 21 of them were listed in Jackson county—14 in Medford, four in Ashland and one each in Shady Cove, Talent, and Jacksonville.

The Journal's survey followed raids by special agents of the intelligence division of the internal revenue service in which 39 pinball machines were seized in Multnomah, Clackamas, Washington and Josephine counties earlier this week.

The raids by federal agents were made because no federal gaming tax was paid.

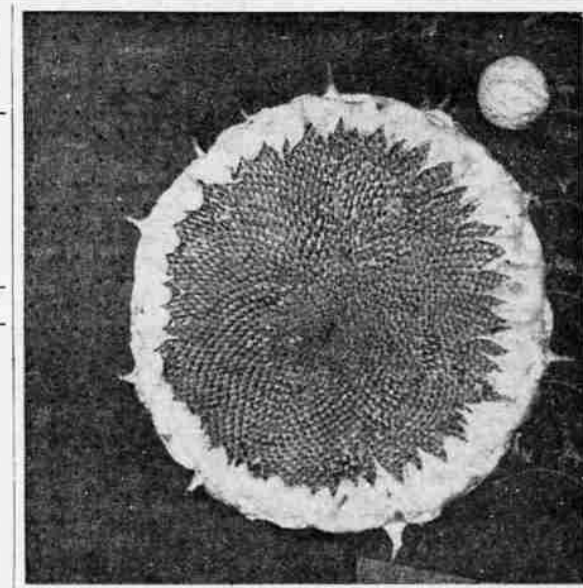
The Journal story said that because Nunley was seeking re-election "he thinks he would be accused of making raids as a bid for votes. He said he promised in his campaign four years ago to clean out gambling and that he has kept his promise, except for pinballs."

"After the election, if he still is DA, Nunley plans to start a test case on pinballs aimed at driving out of the state all pinballs. He said the high courts in 38 states have held that paying off in free games is gambling."

They are Medford Bowling lanes, Fred J. and Norma Anderson; Medford hotel, Asa Arnsberg; 90 and 9 Tavern, Bill Barnes; Elks lodge; Bohemian club, Thomas A. Dwyer; Highway tavern, Merrill E. and Cora E. Ousterhaut and R. D. Stumpf; Dad's Hideaway, Linn Houck, Tavern, L. Keller; Whistle Stop, F. W. and Hazel L. Kirk; Spot, William B. and Barbara G. Konopasek; Brown's Billiards, K. W. Pellett; Union club, Christian and Mary K. Schemp; Veterans building, corporation; Rogue restaurant, Al and Ella White.

Others listed in Jackson county include Cook's reception, Ernest G. Childreth, Ashland; Bohemian club, William H. Hampton, Ashland; Omar's, Kenneth and Bonnie L. Wilkinson, Ashland; Steak House, Roy C. McCleary, Ashland; Talent club, Samuel Prough and Thomas A. Dwyer Jr.; Mom's Hideaway, F. R. and Myrtle Wilkinson, Jacksonville; and Olive and Mary Bigelow, Shady Cove.

The Journal list included 14 pinballs in Medford for which the federal tax has been paid.



OVERSIZED SUNFLOWER—For weeks Earl R. Miller of Central Point has been keeping his eye on his sunflower patch—and this large blossom head is one of the reasons why. When he harvested it this week, it measured 18 inches across and weighed nine pounds. (Note the baseball used for comparison.) Miller had no explanation for such a vigorous sunflower crop. Some of the stalks reached a height of 14 feet.

Korea Vice President Shot in Murder Try

Seoul, Korea—(U.P.)—A young Korean today shot and slightly wounded Vice President John M. Chang in a bold assassination attempt against the bitter political opponent of President Syngman Rhee.

Police rescued the would-be assassin from an enraged crowd of about 1,000 persons who fell upon him with fists and sticks after the attack. He was not identified immediately.

Single Shot Heard

Chang drove to a downtown theater to attend a national meeting of his opposition Democratic Party. A single shot rang out as he stepped from his jeep. Chang clutched his hand and rushed into the theater, where some 800 party members were holding their meeting.

A crowd listening to convention speeches broadcast over loudspeakers outside the theater, pounced on the gunman and

began beating him.

Police moved in quickly to rescue the would-be assassin from probable death at the hands of the incensed crowd and hustled him off. The theater is only 150 yards from national police headquarters.

Censure Voted

The attempted assassination followed by a day a motion pushed through the National Assembly by Rhee's Liberal Party to censure Chang for his criticisms of the president after the inauguration.

Nixon Advocates T-H Law Change

En Route With Nixon—(U.P.)—Vice President Richard M. Nixon today advocated amending the Taft-Hartley Act which he said "is not a perfect law."

The vice president moved through Tennessee and on to Cincinnati in a whirlwind campaign swing during which he defended the Eisenhower administration's "partnership" power policies for his Tennessee listeners and defended its labor policies for Ohio voters.

In remarks prepared for a Cincinnati audience, Nixon said that labor relations have been better under the Eisenhower administration than at any time during the past 25 years.

He said the Taft-Hartley Act should be amended because it is "not a perfect law." But he did not say how he thinks it should be altered.

Suez Compromise Said Up To Nehru

Cairo—(U.P.)—Semi-official Egyptian sources said today a Suez compromise lies almost exclusively in the hands of Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru of India.

Nehru sent his roving Ambassador V. K. Krishna Menon to Cairo last week for conferences with Egyptian President Gamal Abdel Nasser on the dispute over the canal.

Krishna Menon since has flown to London to confer with British officials.

The sources said that a "workable compromise solution" might be produced during Nehru's talks with President Eisenhower in the United States. Nehru is scheduled to visit Washington later this year.

Sweetland to Speak At Meeting Tonight

Monroe Sweetland, Democratic candidate for secretary of state, arrived in Medford this morning, and will visit in Jackson county the rest of the day.

He will speak at a meeting of the Democratic Social club at the Medford hotel at 7 p.m. today.

Other engagements in the county included a luncheon with Southern Oregon college faculty members and an address at a combined faculty and student assembly at SOC at 1 p.m. today. He will be available at Democratic headquarters in the Esquire theater until this evening.

Washington—(U.P.)—President Eisenhower told the world bank today that "international cooperation is the key to peace."

Washington—(U.P.)—The Comptroller of Currency has called for a statement of condition of national banks as of Sept. 26.

Soviet Leaders Against Khrushchev Program Suspected

Tito May Be Taken To Support New Line

London—(U.P.)—Marshal Tito's amazing flight to Russia set off reports today that some of the Soviet Union's collective leaders may have turned against the Khrushchev program to vilify former Premier Josef Stalin.

The Yugoslav capital of Belgrade—and the Western capitals—were taken by surprise when Tito rushed off by plane to the Soviet Union Thursday with Soviet Communist party boss Nikita S. Khrushchev.

Khrushchev is the No. 1 leader of the plan to "de-Stalinize" Russia and it was believed he may have taken the onco-balky Yugoslav leader back with him to Russia to support the new line in talks with other Communist leaders.

Diplomats in Moscow offered the alternative theory that Tito was drastically dissatisfied with the Soviet follow up to agreements last year and this June for close economic and ideological cooperation between the two countries.

No Official Explanation

Moscow radio said Tito and Khrushchev had arrived in Yalta, site of the "Big Three meeting" of World War II. Earlier Moscow disclosed that Premier Nikolai Bulganin and Foreign Minister Dmitri Shepilov were at Sochi, a Red army health resort 300 miles from Yalta across the Black sea.

There was no official explanation of the trip other than Belgrade and Moscow announcements that Tito and Khrushchev "will be resting" along Russia's Black sea coast, a subtropical area long famous as a winter resort.

The facts pointed to one conclusion: Something of extreme seriousness brought on Khrushchev's mysterious trip to Yugoslavia and Tito's even more amazing flight with him to Crimea.

A surprising feature was Tito's decision to fly. He has not flown since World War II when the Allies evacuated him from Yugoslavia by air after Nazi troops surrounded his mountain hideaway. Usually he travels by car or armored train.

Visited Moscow in June

Whatever brought on the journey has arisen since Tito's state visit to Moscow in June when close accords were signed between the governments and the Communist parties of the two countries. And it appeared so serious Khrushchev could not settle it during his eight days of talks in Yugoslavia.

Belgrade dispatches frankly quoted Yugoslav as being puzzled by the trip. But there were indications that Khrushchev's determined campaign of downgrading Stalin might lie at the root of whatever brought on the visit. The reconciliation of Tito and the Soviet were believed to have been one result of the campaign.

Pressing for Extension

Tito was known to be pressing for extension of the program to Russia's Eastern European satellites where only Poland has achieved the slightest measure of freedom—and that almost nil by Western standards.

Yugoslav Communists have complained recently that the old Stalinist puppet leaders and their policies were still in power in Hungary, Romania and Albania, Yugoslavia's neighbors.

Two Iowa Youths Lodged in County Jail

Two Spencer, Iowa, teenage boys were lodged in the county jail as runaways Thursday after they were accused of beating a 25-year-old Central Point man and trying his shoelaces together.

According to Central Point police, victim of the beating was Cyril Spence, who claimed the youths, ages 16 and 17, accosted him at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday north of Central Point on Kirkland rd.

Central Point officers stated they were called later Wednesday evening by Medford police, who said the boys had asked for lodging overnight in the city jail. After further investigation, the youths were transferred to the county jail and booked as runaways.

According to the report, a passing motorist saw the youths beating Spence and reported the incident to Central Point police. Spence was contacted by officers and verified the complaint.

Portland, Ore.—(U.P.)—C. H. Close of the California Youth Authority has been elected president of the Western Probation and Parole Association.