

To report improper or non-delivery of the Mail Tribune in Medford phone SP 2-6141 Ashland MU 2-1021, Yreka 841W before 8:45 p.m. daily and 12:30 a.m. Sunday.

United Press — Full Leased Wire

United Press — Full Leased Wire

Recommended

Feature story on the formation and history of the Keep Oregon Green association appears on page 12 of today's Mail Tribune.

99 PAGES

MEDFORD, OREGON, SUNDAY, JULY 27, 1958

EXPLORER IV SENT INTO SKY BY ARMY

Jupiter Rocket Launched from Cape Canaveral

Cape Canaveral, Fla. —UPI —An Army Jupiter C rocket launched Explorer IV into orbit around the earth early Saturday morning. It was swinging around the earth once every two hours last night on a "cook's tour" course that would cover its most populous areas, including Russia.

"I'll Be Glad To Come!—And I'll Set The Date, Make Up The Guest List, Select The Program, Choose The Menu, Pick Out The Music . . ."



Power Dam Proposed On Illinois River

Cave Junction — Bruce Shaver, general manager of the Cook-Curry Electric Cooperative, Inc., has announced that the company has applied to the Federal Power Commission for a license to build a power dam on the Lower Illinois river.

Dress Rehearsals End at Festival

Ashland—Dress rehearsals end tonight at the Oregon Shakespearean Festival, and the 1958 season starts tomorrow evening at 8:30 o'clock with "Much Ado About Nothing."

Local Man Drowns In Shasta Lake

Redding, Calif. —UPI—Ward McPherson, of Medford, Ore., drowned early Saturday while fishing with a friend on the Pit river arm of Shasta lake.

Large Earthquake Recorded in Berkeley

Berkeley —UPI—The University of California reported a "very large" earthquake Saturday, 5,000 miles from here and 370 feet within the earth.

London — (UPI) — Emergency talks aimed at saving the Sterling Baghdad pact or stepping it for another mid-east defense alliance opened here yesterday.

Explorer Signals Heard in Medford

A Medford ham radio operator reported yesterday he received the "eerie" whistling signal, which undulates slowly as the wind in a storm, from Explorer IV on a frequency of 108 and 108.30 megacycles.

Pear Harvest to Start in Rogue Valley This Week

Pear picking will get underway on a limited basis in this area this week, according to Clifford B. Cordy, county extension agent.

Sign Up Pickers

More than three million field lugs of pears will be picked this year, reports indicate. Orchardists are still signing up pickers and the size of the crop indicates that many more will be needed.

Dulles, Adenauer Agree on Action

Bonn, Germany —UPI—Secretary of State John Foster Dulles succeeded Saturday in easing Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's misgivings about the sending of U.S. troops to the Middle East, according to a joint statement issued after a meeting.

Salem Contractor Low on Canal Work

Floyd R. Grubb, Salem, was apparent low-bidder for construction work on the South Fork collection system and the Daley Creek collection canal in the Talent Project, the bureau of reclamation has reported.

Range Fire Burns 1,500 Acres Friday

Burns —UPI—A lightning-kindled range fire swept through about 1,500 acres of timber-dry brush and grassland late Friday near the Oregon-Nevada border three miles northwest of Denio, Nev.

Air Force Pilot Who Was to Attempt Conquest of Outer Space Killed in Crash on Routine Flight

Edwards Air Force Base, Calif. —UPI—Capt. Iven C. Kincheloe, who was to have been the nation's first military man to attempt a conquest of outer space, was killed Saturday when his Air Force F-104 Starfighter crashed on a routine flight.

New President of Lebanon May Be Elected This Week

Murphy Says Talks Are Encouraging

Beirut, Lebanon —UPI—U.S. State Department trouble shooter Robert D. Murphy said Saturday he believed Lebanon would elect a new president within a few days and that stability would be quickly restored to the revolt-torn country.

Murphy, a deputy under-secretary of state and a frequent U. S. mediator in the Middle East, has been engaged in rounds of talks with government and rebel leaders since his arrival here in conjunction with the landing of U. S. Marines in Beirut.

Good Possibility

"I think there is a good possibility that a president will be elected this coming Thursday when parliament is to meet," he said. "I am encouraged by the talks I have had. I think we are making progress in the right direction."

Asked specifically whether he believed Lebanon would have a new president shortly, the 63-year-old diplomat replied: "Yes, I do."

The quarrel between the rebels and the government developed over President Camille Chamoun's announced plans to seek a second term of office, although the present constitution forbids this. Chamoun had proposed a change in the Constitution.

Murphy said the situation was extremely complex and that he has tried to talk with a variety of people, including Moslem and Christian leaders, opposition and rebel officials and government authorities.

Confers With Chamoun

Saturday he conferred with Chamoun. Friday he talked with Kamal Jumblatt, the rebel Druse tribal leader whose forces were closing in on Beirut's International airport before the Marines landed.

Murphy and U. S. Ambassador Robert McClintock went to a small house in the mountains to meet Jumblatt. The rebel chief arrived with about 60 armed men.

He said he believed the talks had helped "clear the air" and removed some misgivings about American motives in bringing troops into Lebanon.

Charles Made Prince of Wales by Queen

Cardiff, Wales —UPI—Queen Elizabeth Saturday named her son, Prince Charles, the Prince of Wales, the royal title last held by the present Duke of Windsor.

Heavy Fighting Flares in Beirut

Beirut, Lebanon —UPI—Heavy fighting flared for the second night in a row between government forces and rebels in the barricaded Basta Moslem section of Beirut.

U.S. Braces for New Red Threat of Force

George Potter of Gold Hill Killed in Auto Crash

George Potter, 79, of route 1, box 1, Gold Hill, was killed Saturday morning when the car he was driving collided with a vehicle operated by Edward William Inch, 57, Garvey, Calif., according to state police.

The accident occurred near the bridge leading into Gold Hill from the south, at the intersection of Blackwell rd. and Stage rd. Potter was found dead in his car when police arrived, according to reports. Inch was taken to the Rogue Valley hospital where he was treated for injured ribs and then released.

Passengers Uninjured

Passengers in the Inch pickup truck, his wife, Mrs. Gladys M. Inch, 57, and his daughter, Diana Inch, 10, were uninjured, police reported.

Officers said Potter was driving south from Gold Hill on Blackwell rd. when Inch drove onto the road from Stage rd. The Potter automobile struck the pickup on the left front fender, knocking it into the ditch on the east side of the road. No report on the damage to the vehicles was available.

Potter is survived by his widow, Mrs. Bertha Potter, of the same address. According to his nephew, Roy Potter, of Eugene, George Potter was a former wrestler and blacksmith — at one time the middleweight wrestling champion of Michigan. He came to Gold Hill in 1926, where he shoed horses up until four years ago.

The fatality was the eighth in Jackson county this year. At this time last year, Jackson county had had 13 fatalities.

Log Truck Driver Jailed After Crash

Crescent City, Calif. —UPI—A logging truck driver was jailed on manslaughter charges Saturday following an accident in which a heavy log bounced off his truck and crushed a station wagon, killing two persons.

The truck driver was Myrland B. Austin, 29, of Grants Pass, Ore. He was arrested by Highway Patrol Capt. A. D. Johnson and charged with negligent manslaughter, speeding, driving without due caution and driving with unsafe equipment. He will be arraigned Monday.

One of seven large logs on Austin's rig bounced off onto the car Friday afternoon on a curve of Highway 199 30 miles east of here.

Killed instantly were Mrs. Etta Gallean, 70, and Donald H. Williams, 40, her son-in-law, who was driving the station wagon. Injured were Williams' wife, Gertrude, and their two children, Carl, 6, and Irene, 7. The victims were all of Arcata, Calif.

County Court Plans Squaw Lake Visit

Members of the Jackson county court have announced plans to tour the Squaw lake area next Thursday to consider possible recreational facilities and access problems.

Sports Bulletins

Sacramento —UPI—The San Diego Padres downed the Sacramento Solons last night, 6-2 and 3-0 in a twin-night doubleheader.



FIREMEN TO THE RESCUE—The flag on the Jackson county courthouse building, a victim of the violent storms recently, was removed Friday by Medford city firemen using the aerial ladder truck. The flag, torn across to the binding just below the blue field, was later burned. A new flag will be raised once the pole is removed and hinged at its base for easier future servicing without fire department assistance. The rope was knocked from the pulley at the same time the flag was torn. Fire Chief Gordon Barker (right) and Fireman Warren Ritchie manned the truck during the operation. At the top of the 85 foot, 4 1/2 inch ladder is Fireman Bob Coash. The ladder, extended to its maximum length, still fell 10 feet short of reaching the top of the flag pole. (Knackstedt photo).

Increase Approved In BLM Timber Cut

A proposal to place 25,713,000 or more board feet of timber on the market this fall was approved Friday by the advisory board to the Medford district of the bureau of land management.

All the timber is in Josephine county. The added sale was made possible by recent reinventory of stands of BLM timber in the area, resulting in an increased allowable cut under sustained yield practices.

District Manager Ross Youngblood said three tracts, totaling 20,713,000 board feet, are in the North Josephine management area, all in the Galice section. The other two are in the South Josephine management area. Some 2 million additional board feet there will be placed on the market if access and cruising time permit, he said.

Reinventory Under Way Youngblood told the board that reinventory of the Jackson and Klamath master units is under way, and it is hoped to have it completed by next July 1. It is expected that considerable increases in the allowable cuts will result.

The 25 to 27 million feet to be sold in addition to the regular 1958 timber sale plan represent about half of the over-all increase resulting from the reinventory. Another similar amount will be made available during the first six months of 1958. Allowable cuts are figured on a fiscal year basis, but timber sale plans are made on the basis of a calendar year.

The board also reviewed organization of the district, which was changed somewhat recently, and heard a report on the progress of the reinventory studies. Assistant District Managers John Carne-

Tokyo —UPI—Seven persons were known dead and 15 injured in floods that hit northern and central Honshu, Japan's main island, Friday and Saturday, reports reaching Tokyo said.

Eisenhower Rules Out Quick Summit Meeting in Note

Insists on Security Council Ground Rules

Washington —UPI—The United States braced Saturday for an expected new Russian attempt to use the threat of World War III to force a quick Summit meeting on the Middle East crisis.

Diplomats said President Eisenhower appeared to have won a temporary war-of-nerves victory in convincing world opinion that a "mad rush" to the Summit under any conditions was unwise.

But officials feared a renewed Soviet effort to create a "crisis atmosphere" in which such a meeting would seem immediately necessary to stave off another World War. They expected a new broadside of Russian threats to intervene militarily in the Middle East.

New Letter Friday

Russia had demanded that the Summit conference begin Monday at the United Nations. But Mr. Eisenhower, in a new letter Friday to Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev, ruled out a meeting Monday and insisted the sessions be held under Security Council ground rules. He also served notice the United States expected to expose Soviet intrigues in the Middle East if a conference is held.

Diplomats said the effect of the President's stand was to stave off a Summit meeting until probably mid-August while the West works out its strategy.

Meantime the state department was reported working on a broad, new program to stabilize the Middle East by trying to solve the economic and military problems of the whole area.

Presented to Summit Such a plan presumably would be presented to the Summit meeting when and if one is held. It would be designed to counter anticipated Russian proposals to remove U.S. and British troops from the area without providing adequate security guarantees for small nations or trying to solve the basic causes of Middle East turbulence.

Khrushchev has not yet given any formal indication whether he would accept the conditions laid down by Mr. Eisenhower for the conference. There were some expectations that he would balk and try to use war-threatening propaganda to get an agreement for his own conditions.

Runaway Girls Give Themselves Up

La Grande —UPI—Three runaway 15-year-olds from the Louise Home for Girls in Portland turned themselves in to La Grande police Saturday after a Revqrend and a radio announcer convinced them that was the thing to do.

Police said one of the girls was from Portland. The other two were from Medford and Elgin, near here.

The trio ran away from the home Wednesday and told officers they hitchhiked to La Grande. They said that for the last two nights they slept in an abandoned auto on the outskirts of town.

WEATHER FORECAST: Fair and hot today and Monday. High today 98, low 69. High Monday 98. Temp. rises 3:11 p.m. Highest yesterday 100. Lowest yesterday 57. Our Skies Tonight: Sunset today 7:37 p.m. Sunrise tomorrow 4:59 a.m. The Moon, rising low, rises 3:11 p.m. today and sets 3:08 a.m. tomorrow. The very dim stars in its background tonight are of the constellation, Sagittarius; the slightly brighter ones below them form the bow of the Archer.