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Most Schools Opening Doors Here Tomorrow

The Medford public schools, with the exception of Medford High and Hoover elementary schools, will open tomorrow morning for the 1958-59 year.

Medford High and Hoover schools will open a week from tomorrow, Sept. 22. Wilson school will not open until mid-October, school officials said. But students living in the school area will attend Roosevelt school during the afternoon portion of a double-shift at Roosevelt.

Provisions will be made by teachers at Medford High and Hoover schools to telescope the program slightly to cover all fundamental aspects of the study courses, officials said. Vacation periods and the spring school ending will be the same for all schools.

Temporary Shift

Roosevelt school will operate its temporary shift program from 8:30 a.m. until noon each day, officials said. Students at Roosevelt will be registered starting at 8:30 a.m. tomorrow, and will be dismissed for the day after completion of registration.

Wilson school students will be transported by school bus to Roosevelt, and will arrive by 12:30 p.m. tomorrow. The Wilson school program will extend from 12:30 p.m. until 4 p.m., at which time students will be transported home. On opening day, Wilson students will be transported to Roosevelt school, and will be re-

Five Injured In Accidents This Weekend

Five persons were injured in a series of accidents this weekend, it was reported.

Mrs. Harold Edmonds, 30, of route 4, box 368P, Medford, was taken to Rogue Valley hospital by Medford Ambulance Service with an arm injury following an accident at the corner of Sunset drive and Thomas rd. at 4:35 p.m. Friday.

Allan Zell, 63, of Grants Pass, was rounding a curve on the wrong side of the road when his car and that driven by Mrs. Edmonds collided, state police said. Zell was cited for failure to operate on the right side of the highway.

Three persons received minor injuries in a three-vehicle accident at the intersection of Eighth and Front sts. about 7:15 p.m. Friday, city police reported.

Taken to Sacred Heart hospital by Medford Ambulance Service were Mrs. Alice Jane Slade, 246 South Ivy st., and Zelma Waldon Whaley, 120 First st., Phoenix. All received minor injuries, city police said.

A car driven by Harold Clifford Boat, of Williams, Ore., failed to stop at a traffic sign at Eighth and Front sts., city police said. It struck a Jeep station wagon driven by Elmer Wesley Settell, 131 North Bartlett st., causing it to roll over into a parked car owned by Phillip Brown Dordridge, 796 Forrest st., Ashland, officers said. Zelma Whaley was riding in the Boat car and the Slades in the station, city police said.

Another accident occurred at 1:30 p.m. Saturday on the Table Rock rd. near the labor camp when a car driven by David Berrow, Grants Pass, struck in the rear a car driven by Clark Barker, 17, of Medford. Barker had stopped on the highway when hit.

Barker was cited for failure to give a proper signal and Berrow was cited for violation of the basic rule.

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Bulletin

Cape Canaveral—(UP)—A 100-ton inter-continental Atlas thundered up early today in another 3000-mile test that was expected to be followed by an attempt at an ocean-spanning, 6200-mile flight within the next few weeks.



CHECK GOAL—Dr. Frank Wilson, chairman of the United Medford Crusades' professional division, points out two of the 26 agencies which benefit by the Crusade at a recent meeting of section workers in the professional division. Left to right are William Seibert, Dr. Wilson, Dick Travis, Dr. John Weisel and Chuck Dorrell. Travis is campaign chairman. Goal for the professional division is \$10,250 of the total goal of \$131,030. The kick-off dinner for the campaign will be held in the Medford YMCA starting at 6:30 p.m. Monday.

Appeal Director To Be Speaker At UMC Kick-Off

G. Roderic Durham, executive director of the Oregon United Appeal, will speak at the United Medford Crusade "kick-off" dinner at the Medford Young Man's Christian association at 6:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 15.

The dinner is the official start of the campaign to raise \$131,030 to distribute among 26 agencies which are members of the UMC. About 250 people are expected to attend the dinner, including volunteer solicitors, members of various UMC committees and member-agency representatives.

Tom G. Polk, president of the UMC, will conduct the meeting. The Rev. Thomas McCamant will give the invocation, and included in the program will be a short talk by Dick Travis, campaign chairman; and one by Ken Cook, on volunteer duties. An explanation of the plaque award program will be given by Robert A. Johnson, chairman of the campaign last year.

Campaign supplies will be issued workers following the benediction by Capt. William Ricken of the Salvation Army.

School Boundary Meeting Is Set

A school boundary board meeting will be held at 10:30 a.m. Sept. 22, in the county court office to consider a proposed transfer of a piece of land from the Phoenix school district to the Medford school district, according to Alf B. Mervold, county school superintendent.

The land, having an assessed valuation of \$53,220, is adjacent to the Hoover school site in Medford and extends along both sides of Modoc ave. between Crestbrook rd. and Windsor ave.

The shift is proposed in petitions signed by 15 residents of Phoenix school district and 12 residents of the Medford school district, Mervold said.



HIGHEST SCORE—Mrs. H. A. Stanley, 35 Crater Lake ave., Medford, got the most correct answers in the picture quiz series which ran last week in connection with Mail Tribune Bargain Days. She is shown above getting her free one year's subscription from carrier Donald Huntemann. Mrs. Stanley, whose four sets of grandparents were pioneers of this area in the early 1850's, has lived here all her life. She said she worked the puzzles without doing any research, each one taking her about five minutes. The last day that subscribers may take advantage of Bargain Day prices is Monday, Sept. 15, and all remittances sent in by mail must be postmarked no later than midnight Monday. The Mail Tribune circulation office will remain open until 10 p.m. that day.

Truckers Are Voting On Contract Offer

Teamsters local 962 has called a special meeting for 10 a.m. today at the Medford Labor Temple. The meeting is understood to concern "possible settlement" of the trucking tie-up. A similar meeting has reportedly been called for 1 p.m. at the Grants Pass Labor Temple.

Separate meetings for teamsters and individual trucking employers will be held in Portland Monday to vote on the agreement reached in San Francisco Friday.

In efforts to end a paralyzing strike-lockout that has tied up trucking in the 11 western states.

Details of the proposed settlement were not immediately made available by negotiating teams at the San Francisco meeting.

A 10 a.m. meeting is planned for members of the Truck Operators' League of Oregon to consider the proposal. Local No. 81 of the teamsters will hold a meeting at 3 p.m. to accept or reject the agreement.

City pickup and delivery drivers will get a chance to vote on the contract proposal at 7 p.m. Monday night.

Safety Council Reaffirms Stand On Clark St.

The Medford Safety Council reaffirmed Friday its recommendation that the Clark st. railroad crossing be closed as part of an overall program to improve the city's crossings.

This action followed a report by Dr. William J. Thompson, chairman of the traffic committee, on the city planning commission meeting last Monday night at which he presented the recommendation.

Spokesmen of the more than 200 signers of a petition opposing the Clark st. closure took issue before the commission both with Thompson and with Dr. Mary Jane Fowler, who supported him on behalf of the Medford Medical society.

The commission, after hearing both sides, decided to continue its study of the matter.

City Attorney E. Roy Bashaw reported Friday that he has prepared an opinion stating that the crossing has become a city street through public use. One argument presented by Drs. Thompson and Fowler was that it had never been officially dedicated.

Both sides apparently agree that the present crossing is inadequate. The petitioners ask that it be improved. The spokesmen for safety contend that funds for such improvement could be put to better use on crossings which have a heavier flow of traffic.

Sen. Lowry Says Geddes Right Man For U.S. Congress

State Senator Phil Lowry of Medford, speaking at the Jackson County Republican Central Committee's campaign kick-off last week, stressed the need of electing a congressman who will devote his time to representing Oregon's fourth district.

Lowry said he thought Paul Geddes, Roseburg Republican candidate for congress, "is just the man." Lowry said Geddes "will pay attention to detail, he is intelligent, and he will work hard to see that the people of his district are getting the representation they expect to have in Washington."

The Medford attorney said he has known Geddes since he was eight years old. The two first met when Lowry climbed a mountain where Geddes was stationed as a lookout for the forest service.

Lowry said the people of the district have a right to have something to protect their interests. He pointed out the necessity of having someone in Washington who could effectively deal with the many government agencies since 50 per cent of the land in the area is owned by the federal government.

Don Stathos, central committee chairman, gave final instructions for the GOP "neighbor to neighbor" campaign which starts today. Brief talks were given by each of the Republican candidates who attended.

U. S. Asks Soviets For Plane Crash Facts

Moscow—(UP)—American authorities demanded yesterday that Russia disclose the fate of 11 men missing from the unarmored U. S. Air Force transport forced down Sept. 2 in Soviet Armenia.

WEATHER

FORECAST: Partly cloudy today and Monday; High today 75, low tonight 52, high Monday 75, low 52. TEMP. Highest Saturday 70, lowest Saturday morning 55. PRECIP. To 10 p.m. Saturday .03

Our Skies Tonight

Sunset today 6:24 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow 5:51 a.m.
The Moon sets today and is in Perigee. 7:06 p.m.
VIBRILE PLANETS
Jupiter, sets 7:32 p.m.
Saturn, low in south-west 9:05 p.m.
Mars, high in southeast 2:54 a.m.
Venus, rises 4:56 a.m.
Mercury, near Venus.

Formosa Peace Talk Scheduled in Poland

Police Will Not Aid Integration, Little Rock Says

Little Rock, Ark.—(UP)—The Little Rock city council told the government last night it will have to integrate Central High school by itself, if and when it is integrated. City police won't help.

"If and when Central High school is integrated, the responsibility is clearly that of the federal government," a statement from the council signed by Mayor Warner C. Knoop said.

"The municipal government of Little Rock will not assist in integrating this school. However, we will protect life and property in the city."

Gov. Orval Faubus was in a hideaway near Little Rock perfecting his strategy for next week. His order closing Central and three other high schools takes effect at 8 a.m. Monday, 30 minutes before they would have opened.

"A man does some of his best thinking while resting," Faubus said. The federal government is almost certain to take action next week against him.

He said he closed the school to save them from violence, but in any case, his action had the practical effect of thwarting the Supreme Court order to integrate immediately.

What action did Faubus expect the government to take? "It's hard to tell what they will come up with, but I hear they've been burning a lot of midnight oil lately," he said. "I don't think there is any law under which the government can prevent me from closing the schools," he added.

"If We're Lucky, I Might Break Even, Huh?"



Red Tactics Called 'Reckless Campaign'

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I do not think there will be a war in the Pacific unless Red China launches it and the Soviet Union abets it. It is just that plain. The probing tactics of the Chinese communists over Quemoy and Matsu are part of a reckless campaign to determine whether they can get full support from the Kremlin and whether we will stand up to their use of force to take over Quemoy, Matsu and Formosa.

The only role of our military forces in the Formosan Straits is to prevent any mad adventure which could set off a third world war. These forces are no threat to the Chinese people or any other people. We have no territorial ambitions there or elsewhere.

Until such a time as there is absolute assurance that the communists have abandoned their aim of territorial expansion, I cannot see that we have any other choice but to meet them and thwart them at every point where it is necessary.

It would be folly and dangerous for us to abandon Formosa to the communists as long as they are aggression-minded. For that reason, it is vital to protect Formosa as an important bastion—one of a number of such strategic bases the free world depends upon to safeguard the peace. Formosa could be the launching point for communist assaults on the Philippines, Korea and Japan.

I think that part of the Red Chinese probing tactics is to engage in talks with us, and I would not discourage any talks they wish to have. But we have had considerable experience with the kind of

Record Numbers Attend City Pool

A record total of 42,242 toddlers, paddlers, splashers and swimmers attended the Hawthorne park municipal pool this summer, City Recorder Darrel Huson reported Friday.

The previous attendance record was 36,506, set in 1950 the pool's first year, Huson said. He explained that unusually warm weather was the major factor in this year's increase. Last year's total was 33,381, he said.

Those attending this year included 21,151 under 12, 18,887 between 12 and 18 and 2,204 adults, Huson reported. He listed the average daily figures by month as June, 428; July, 552; August, 436; and September, 191. A record of 884 was set June 16.

Total revenue from admissions was reported as \$9,833.55. Huson said the total enrollment for the two sets of two-week swimming courses was 470, slightly less than last year.

Paris—(UP)—Premier Charles De Gaulle and West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer were expected to hold a private "little summit" conference today.

U.S., Red China Agree to Meet Within Few Days

Washington—(UP)—The State Department disclosed yesterday the United States and Red China have agreed to begin peace talks on the Formosa crisis in Warsaw, Poland, within the next few days.

The development coincided with a stern note from President Eisenhower to Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev calling on him to persuade Red Chinese leaders to end their artillery attacks on the Chinese Nationalist-controlled Quemoy and Matsu islands just off the China coast.

The United States has been pressing for the talks in hope of averting war. The President warned the Peiping government earlier this week that attempts to conquer the islands, gateway to American defenses in the Western Pacific, would be resisted. He urged the Reds to substitute the conference table for guns.

The Warsaw negotiators will be U. S. Ambassador Jacob D. Beam and Red Chinese envoy Wang Ping-Man.

Concessions Hinted

Both Eisenhower and Secretary of State John Foster Dulles have hinted the United States may be prepared to make some concessions to Peiping if it will renounce use of the force in Formosa strait. But exactly what they might offer has not been spelled out.

George Yeh, new ambassador of the Chiang Kai-Shek Nationalist government, visited Dulles at his home yesterday morning, presumably to discuss the impending peace negotiations. Yeh said Friday his government could not accept any settlement that imperiled its control of the Quemoy, Matsu and Pescadore islands, advance bases for Nationalist Formosa.

Next Few Days

The State Department said it expects the talks to begin in the next few days. Press officer Francis W. Tuohy Jr. said arrangements for the meeting should take place within that period. No precise time has been set.

Wang returned to Warsaw Friday after consulting with his government in Peiping. He also is believed to have conferred with Soviet officials in Moscow.

Informants said the Red Chinese and American diplomats had been in contact since Wang's return, making preliminary arrangements for the negotiations.

Another Convoy Reaches Quemoy

Taipei, Formosa—(UP)—A Nationalist convoy with American naval escort put food and other supplies ashore yesterday in two landings under heavy Communist artillery fire. However, the pinpoint barrage drove the Nationalists off Quemoy island before all supplies could be unloaded.

An American military spokesman said one Nationalist LSM was hit by a Communist shell, and caught fire. But the fire was extinguished and the ship withdrew to safety.

The spokesman said the convoy tried to land supplies in the morning and then returned shortly before dusk and unloaded "considerably more supplies than before," the spokesman said.

The convoy registered the Nationalists' third failure in four tries to unload heavy quantities of supplies on the besieged island and it brought bitter criticism of American convoy methods. The U. S. Ambassador was summoned to urgent secret talks at the foreign ministry.

Two New Workers For Welfare Cases

The Jackson county public welfare commission has hired two new caseworkers, according to James Pullman, administrator.

Mrs. Karen Pierson, a 1957 graduate of George Fox college at Newburg, Ore., started work last week. She is originally from Salem. Her husband and nine-month-old daughter recently moved into this area. Her husband is a student at Southern Oregon college.

Fred Stock, recently returned from two years' service in the Army, will start work as a caseworker for the commission Monday. Pullman said. He is a graduate of Lewis and Clark college and a former resident of Portland.

Library Adult Depts. To Resume Operation

Work on the adult departments of the Medford public library is proceeding on schedule, but the re-opening of the junior department has been postponed, possibly until Oct. 1, according to Librarian Helen Webster.

The adult departments of the library will resume their regular schedule of operation tomorrow. Opening hours will be from 10 a.m. until 9 p.m., Monday through Saturday, as usual.

More extensive work than originally planned has forced the postponement of the re-opening of the junior department, Miss Webster said. The maintenance of the library's lower floor is complicated by the nearness of an underground stream flowing under the building, she explained.

City Jail Death Cause Revealed

William Russell Blaine, 39, of Camp White, died in Medford city jail Aug. 1 of asphyxiation after he had vomited, according to a report from the state crime laboratory.

A spokesman for Dr. Robert Buck, Medford pathologist, said an examination of Blaine's stomach contents showed he was under the influence of barbiturates, with levels of a morphine derivative, and alcohol.

"He threw up and inhaled what he vomited," the spokesman said.

Blaine was reported to have died in the city jail at 2:25 p.m. Friday, Aug. 1. He had been arrested two hours earlier on charges of being drunk in public.

A transient in the jail at the time saw Blaine collapse and summoned police officers.

Newport, R.I.—(UP)—President Eisenhower yesterday spent the second no-work day of his work-and-play vacation fishing for trout on a secluded lake about 20 miles from his vacation residence at the southeastern end of Narragansett bay.