

Scores Stranded as Record Storm Lashes West, Midwest



NEW CITIZENS—A group of 14 persons became naturalized citizens at ceremonies in circuit court in the Jackson county courthouse this morning. Presenting members of the group with a flag and a government booklet, above, is Mrs. G. Q. D'Albini, who has served for many years as coach and instructor for persons in this area seeking

citizenship papers. The group receiving papers today represents Mrs. D'Albini's last class before leaving Medford to live in North Carolina. She has helped more than 500 people become citizens since she first began this work in 1926. Circuit Judge Edward C. Kelly presided at the hearing.

14 Residents of County Receive Naturalization

Fourteen residents of Jackson county became naturalized citizens today, being sworn in by Circuit Court Judge Edward C. Kelly.

This is approximately half the number which are usually naturalized in any one group, according to County Clerk Bereth P. Hopkins.

Jackson county residents who became naturalized citizens were Tatsumi Hoser, Patricia Ann Clough, Agnes Sharon, Grace Irby, Geraldine, Frances McCalvey, Otto Karl Pfahler, Christine Leona Therres, Ruby May De Lisle, Valerie Ann Harrett, Peter Thomas Trim, Walter Ernest Richard Stamm, Joan Woodhead, Reginald Randolph Sampson, Edith Evelyn Sampson, David Allen Harret.

Members of Class
The new citizens were members of a class in naturalization instructed by Mrs. G. Q. D'Albini, 308 North Ivy st., who has been instructing similar classes for the past 32 years under the auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mrs. D'Albini has announced she is giving up this work and that this will be her last class for naturalized citizens. She plans to move from the community, she said.

Marion Prisoner Beaten in Jail

Salem — (UPI) — A Marion county jail inmate was seriously beaten in an attack on Monday night, Sheriff Denver Young said today.

Louis J. Prevost, 27, Salem, was taken to Salem General hospital for treatment of a possible skull fracture. He also suffered severe cuts and bruises about the face and back and chest injuries at the hands of six other inmates.

Prevost was doing one year on a charge of assault and battery.

Young said the other inmates apparently attacked Prevost for pleading guilty Monday in District Court to a charge of assault and battery. A ring leader of the group claimed the plea jeopardized his chances on the same charge.

The arrest involved a Sept. 27 warrant from District Court charging robbery of a 15-year-old Woodburn boy.

Portland — (UPI) — Gerald Chester Scott, 17, Portland, has received a year's sentence in the state prison after entering a plea of guilty to taking part in a burglary Oct. 3 at a surplus store.

Make Medford Beautiful



UNDER THE CARPET—Untidy housewives sweep dust under their carpets. This closeup shows a pile of debris east of the main runway at Medford airport. Unfortunately for the "housewives" in this case the pile is plainly visible to passengers landing and taking off in planes. This is another in the Mail Tribune's "Make Medford Beautiful" series.

Progress Reports on Festival Fund Slated

The first of five weekly report meetings on progress of the Oregon Shakespearean Festival's fund raising campaign will be held at the Medford YMCA Wednesday noon.

It will be Medford's initial progress report, and all volunteer workers have been urged to attend.

Ashland's first report, issued Monday, listed a total of \$12,240 in contributions, of about one-fourth of the city's \$50,000 goal. Ashland workers have said they hope to reach the half-way mark by next Monday, Festival officials said.

Other Collections
In addition to Medford's total, other collections also will be announced tomorrow. R. M. Sorenson and Eugene Thorn-dike, chairman and co-chairman of the special gifts committee, also will announce that group's first efforts.

Eric W. Allen Jr., vice president of the Festival association, will speak briefly.

Succeeding report luncheons for the Medford campaign will be held at noon Tuesday, Nov. 25, and on Wednesday noons, Dec. 3, 10 and 17.

The campaign committee has set Christmas as the deadline for reaching the \$275,000 needed to rebuild the Elizabethan theater in Ashland. The former stage was razed following its condemnation as hazardous work on the new structure must start as soon as possible to be ready for use next July.

Crusade Reaches 82 Per Cent of Goal
The United Medford Crusade has reached 82.5 per cent of its goal of \$131,030, Dick Travis, campaign chairman, has announced.

A total of \$109,085, just \$22 more than the amount collected at this time last year, was reported at the Monday noon luncheon report meeting.

Public employees, lumber, service and special gifts divisions are over last year's totals, with commercial, distribution and retail divisions less than last year, Travis reported. The professional division has the same as the total reported last year.

Solicitations will continue until the goal is reached, which is expected to be about the middle of December, Travis said.

United Airliner Avoids Collision
San Francisco — (UPI) — United Airlines reported today one of its airliners had to take violent evasive action to avoid colliding with a military transport plane near San Francisco airport.

A spokesman said two stewardesses suffered ankle injuries when thrown off their feet by the sudden maneuver.

He said the plane, a DC-7, en route from New York to San Francisco, was approaching the field for landing late Monday when the pilot, Capt. Douglas Wilson, spotted a military four-engine Constellation on a collision course.

Wilson had to swerve the big airliner sharply to swing out of the other plane's path, the spokesman said.

Holmes Will Attend Governor's Conference
Salem — (UPI) — Hawaii calls Gov. and Mrs. Robert D. Holmes this weekend for the opening of the annual Western Governor's Conference at the Royal Hawaiian hotel in Honolulu.

Beck Financial Probe Continues At Tacoma Trial

Tacoma, Wash. — (UPI) — The prosecution resumed its probe into the stock dividends, bank and expense accounts of Dave Beck today as the income tax evasion trial of the former Teamsters president enters its seventh day.

Beck is accused of evading payment of \$240,000 income taxes from the year 1950 to 1953.

Beck's sister, Mrs. Rita Henne, was among those who took the stand Monday. She broke down and cried when defense attorney Charles S. Burdell asked her what became of dividends for stock issued in her name.

Meant Gratitude
The woman, a 63-year-old widow, answered that her brother had given her the stock "for my future" but she began to weep as she tried to continue.

Burdell said, "What you mean to say is, you owed him a great deal." The attorney did not mean a great deal of money, but, rather, gratitude.

She answered, "Yes, sir," and added that Beck was re-investing the money for her.

Government attorneys, however, contend that Beck converted this money to his own use.

Reported Income
Mrs. Henne's income tax returns for 1950 show that she reported dividend income at \$35,149 on Seattle Brewing and Malting Co. stock and in 1951 she reported dividend income of \$33,325 on stock of the same company.

George L. Machin, chief auditor for the Division of Intelligence for the Internal Revenue Bureau here, testified that his investigation of Beck's income during a four year period, from 1934-1937, resulted in uncovering approximately \$22,000 in unexplained bank accounts, plus a \$5-per-day expense account on which the ex-union leader had not paid income tax.

Salem — (UPI) — The Mount Hood Loop highway has a been closed for the winter.

Russia Accuses West of Using Soviet Refugees

Old Accusations Revived at Berlin

Berlin — (UPI) — The Soviet Union accused the United States and West Germany today of using Russian refugees in the cold war against Russia.

More than 100 reporters, photographers and cameramen turned out for a Soviet press conference which had been expected to produce the official Soviet view on possibility of a new Berlin blockade.

Old Accusations
Instead they got a report from Maj. Gen. Sergei Vishnevsky, chairman of the "Committee for the Return to the Homeland," in which he trotted out old accusations about the use of Soviet citizens by the West in the cold war.

The East Germans had indicated Monday Soviet Ambassador Mikhail G. Pervukhin would hold the press conference. He had just returned from Moscow and was believed to be bringing the official Russian viewpoint with him.

Instead reporters heard a rehash of previous accusations used against Bonn and Washington.

Belief that a major statement was in the works followed a statement today by Johannes Dieckmann, president of the Communist East German parliament, who said the question of a blockade was up to Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev.

Word Not Used
Asked if Khrushchev's plan to abrogate the four-power occupation agreements on Berlin will lead to a new blockade, Dieckmann said, "Your question is directed at Moscow." He swiftly added that Khrushchev had not used the word blockade in discussing Berlin.

Dieckmann said he hoped all foreign troops would be withdrawn soon from all of Germany and Berlin and said the Soviets would withdraw theirs immediately if the Western powers do the same thing.

Businessmen to Attend E-B Day

Between 50 and 60 businessmen are expected to participate in Medford's first annual Education - Business Day Thursday. The event is sponsored by the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce in cooperation with Medford schools.

Education-Business Day has been planned to give businessmen a better idea what the tax dollar is buying in the way of education. It is the counterpart of Business-Education Day in September when school teachers and administrators visit local business.

Businessmen will assemble at 8 a.m. in the little theater room at Hedrick Junior High school, and from there will be divided in groups of three to five members each. They will be transported from Hedrick to elementary, junior high schools and Medford High school.

The school visits will last a half a day, with businessmen eating in school cafeterias at noon, Chamber officials said.

Businessmen will be given the opportunity of learning the problems of operating schools, school planning necessary in order to keep up with growth of the area, changing needs in education, and facilities necessary at schools.

Many of the businessmen will be visiting for the first time, Chamber representatives said.

Edith Green Would Meet With Hatfield

Portland — (UPI) — Rep. Edith Green (D-Ore.) wrote Gov. elect Mark Hatfield today that she would be glad to meet with him either here or in Washington, D.C. to discuss matters of interest to Oregon.

Mrs. Green wrote Hatfield that on the day after the election she assured him of cooperation "in every way possible . . . in continuing to work for Oregon's best interest."

Earlier, Sen. Wayne Morse (D-Ore.) turned down Hatfield's proposal of a conference saying a meeting would be "political window dressing." Morse offered the cooperation of his office to Hatfield.

U. S. Warns Russia Over Plane Attacks



HEADS CAMPAIGN — Jerry Gastineau, above, of 2647 Eastover Terrace dr., will head the Jackson county March of Dimes campaign, which will run Jan. 2 through 31, it has been announced. He also was county chairman of the 1958 drive. Rheumatoid arthritis and birth defects have been added to the work of the National Foundation this year, in addition to polio.

Schedule Changes Not To Be Made; Retaliation Due

Soviet Attacks on Yank Planes Disclosed
Washington — (UPI) — The United States refused today to change any of its military flight schedules and made it clear that U. S. airmen may fire back if they are attacked again by the Russians.

This position was outlined after the State Department disclosed Monday that Soviet fighters made forays against two U. S. military planes—one over the Baltic Sea and the other over the Sea of Japan—on Nov. 7.

Russian fighters fired twice on the plane over the Baltic. Simulated attacks were carried out on the plane over the Sea of Japan. Neither plane was damaged.

No Curtailment
An Air Force spokesman told United Press International that there will be "no curtailment of any of our training or routine flights." He emphasized that these flights are not provocative and there is no reason for the Soviet attacks. The Pentagon has steadfastly maintained that all U. S. planes involved in recent Soviet incidents were engaged in training or navigational flights.

In disclosing the recent Red attacks, a formal U. S. note to Moscow noted neither of the American planes involved fired back despite what it called the "dangerous, offensive and provocative actions of Soviet fighter aircraft."

Stern Language
But it told the Kremlin in unusually stern language: "If such dangerous tactics are in the future repeated by Soviet aircraft in close proximity to American aircraft in international airspace, the Soviet government should be aware that commanders of American aircraft will be under instructions to take any defensive action which they consider necessary and appropriate."

Two BLM Men in Eugene This Week
Two men from the local district office of the bureau of land management are in Eugene this week where they are assisting in setting up a timber cruising training school to be held there in January.

Attending from Medford are Floyd Fogelquist and Hugh Shera, appraisers with the bureau.

The meeting is expected to be attended by 25 persons including personnel from the five O and C land districts. The school will serve as a re-training program for personnel, incorporating new ideas into the program, particularly in checking for accuracy.

Personnel attending the January school will in turn train local personnel. Ross Youngblood, district manager, BLM, said.

Willamette Valley Gets Wind Warning
Portland — (UPI) — The weather bureau today issued a special wind warning for the Willamette valley, the Portland-Vancouver area and the interior of southwest Washington.

The bureau said southerly winds would increase to 25 to 35 miles per hour with gusts to 55 this afternoon.

Bulganin Reported Removed From Post
Moscow — (UPI) — Diplomatic sources reported today that former Premier Nikolai Bulganin, linked last week for the first time with the so-called "anti-party clique," has been removed from his post as chairman of the Economic Council in faraway Stavropol.

"And What Do We Do About These Darn Eisenhower Republicans?"



Recreation Group Opens Convention

Nearly 70 persons had registered by noon today for the 10th annual meeting of National Forest Recreation association being held in Medford at the Jackson hotel.

A talk by Congressman Charles O. Porter on congress views on national forest recreation will be given tonight at the 6:30 o'clock dinner at the hotel. Approximately 125 persons are expected to attend the event and the remainder of the three day meeting.

The souvenir business, winter sports problems, and early and late season business will meeting was held. Speakers at a noon luncheon included J. Herbert Stone, Portland, regional forester with the Pacific Northwest region, forest service; Carroll E. Brown, supervisor of the Rogue River national forest, and Tom Williams, superintendent of Crater Lake national park.

Topics scheduled for this afternoon included problems and costs involved in trailer court operations and the use of various media for advertising.

The souvenir business will be discussed Wednesday morning with Stone the luncheon speaker. His topic will deal with recreation and multiple use management. A field trip is planned for the Wednesday afternoon session.

Attending the meetings are operators and representatives of lodges in national forests in 12 states, most of them western states. The association has members in Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Washington and Wyoming.

More Campaign Expenses Filed
Two more campaign expense statements have been filed in the county elections department. Deadline for candidates is tomorrow, according to Mrs. Afton Carter, deputy in charge of the elections department.

E. H. Singmaster, treasurer of the Ashland Republican club, yesterday afternoon filed a statement showing total contributions to the organization of \$380. A. A. Lausmann, Medford lumberman, filed a statement of campaign expenses, totalling \$170.

Contributions to the Ashland Republican club included \$211 from Lloyd Selby, Ashland auto dealer, \$30 in personal contributions from Singmaster and \$139.50 from the neighbor to neighbor donation campaign.

Included in Lausmann's contributions were \$26 to Anna Scott, county clerk candidate in the primary election; \$15 to the Jackson County Republican Central committee; \$100 to the Jackson County Republican Central committee; \$25 to Earl Miller, county judge elect; and \$30 to Chester Wendt, incumbent county commissioner.

Eisenhower Asks President of 1972 To Name Hero's Son To Air Academy

Washington — (UPI) — President Eisenhower today asked whether he is president in 1972 to appoint the son of a hero of the superionic age to the Air Force Academy.

Copy to Mother
Eisenhower presented a copy of his letter to the president of 1972 to Mrs. Iven C. Kincheloe Jr., the attractive young widow of an Air Force captain who died last July in a crash in the world's fastest military plane, the F-104.

The chief executive followed a precedent set shortly after Pearl Harbor by the late President Roosevelt. Roosevelt addressed a letter

then to the President of 1956 asking appointment to the Military Academy at West Point for the son of one of America's first World War II heroes, Capt. Colin B. Kelly Jr., who died when he dived his flying fortress towards a Japanese battleship three days after Pearl Harbor.

Ready to Honor Request
The Roosevelt request to President Eisenhower is now before the chief executive. Young Kelly is now 17 years old.

White House Press Secretary James C. Hagerty said Eisenhower is ready to honor

Southern Arizona, Dakotas Battered By Heavy Snows

Rash of Twisters In Southern States

By United Press International
A record storm, which lashed the West and Midlands with devastating tornadoes, deep snow and drenching rains, veered northward today with blizzard conditions whipping sections of Minnesota and the Dakotas.

At least six deaths were blamed on the storm which began on the West coast during the week end and rolled across the Rockies to batter a vast region from the Canadian border to Mexico.

Another 18 persons were missing, including three Boy Scouts and three airmen lost in snowy western wilderness regions. Scores of persons were stranded temporarily in lodges and along the snow-clogged highways.

Records Smashed
The vicious snowstorm smashed records in southern Arizona's vacationland, left snow 20 inches deep in southern Wyoming and 16 inches in the Dakotas. Nearly 100 schools were closed in Kansas.

The Chicago weather bureau said the storm also probably set a record for its extent and ferocity this early in the season.

Ahead of the wintry blasts, southerly winds pumped mild weather into the East, setting the stage for a rash of twisters Monday which skipped through Texas, Oklahoma, Missouri, Kansas, Minnesota, Iowa and Illinois.

Buildings Damaged
Hardest hit was Elkader, Iowa, where a tornado swooped down on the town's main street "like a fireball" Monday afternoon. About 14 buildings were damaged and the roof of the county jail was torn away. Six to eight automobiles were demolished.

In the West, a search for a slogged through deep mountain snows for three tiny-clad Boy Scouts missing since Sunday in the frigid Santa Rita mountains south of Tucson. There was little hope the youngsters would be found alive.

However, hope mounted that two missing airmen might still be alive high in the Rocky mountains west of Fort Collins, Colo. A search pilot reported sighting a series of fires arranged in an "L" shape near the summit of Hayden peak.

Other storm victims were a man killed Monday when winds smashed an Odessa, Tex., oil derrick; a Morris, Okla., woman found dead in the tornado wreckage of her chicken coop; and a Colorado motorist whose car skidded on ice down a 30-foot cliff near Eagle, Colo., Sunday.

Among the stranded were 50 persons caught by treacherous road conditions at the Mt. Lemmon resort lodge near Tucson.

Twelve other persons were brought out of the Arizona snowdrifts by ambulances and search parties, two of them hunters suffering from exhaustion and starvation.

Ten hunters still were missing in the Arizona snow, but authorities believed that they were safe and taking refuge in cabins.

WEATHER
FORECAST: Occasional rain and gusty wind tonight and Wednesday. Low tonight 38. High Wednesday 50.

Temp. Highest yesterday 42. Lowest this morning 32. Prec. to 10 a.m. today .01.

Our Skies Tonight
Sunset today 4:47 p.m. Sunrise tomorrow 7:07 a.m. Moonset tomorrow 12:45 a.m. Full moon Nov. 26.

PROMINENT STARS
Capella, low in northeast. Aldebaran, high in southeast. 11:19 p.m. VISIBLE PLANETS Saturn, sets 6:02 p.m. Mars, in the east 7:11 p.m.