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MEDFORD'S SISTER CITY



STUDENT PROJECT—As part of their regular geography studies and to help stimulate interest in Medford's sister city project, students of Mrs. Myrtle Peterson's fourth grade class at Washington school recently completed a bulletin board display of material pertaining to Alba, Italy. Included in the display are books, magazines, postal cards and posters that students helped find. The class will send individual letters and other material when Mayor John Snider ships the next friendship pouch to the mayor of Alba, Mrs. Peterson said. Working on the display, above, are, left to right, Raymond Colvin, Linda Oudhoff, James McMeen and Delores Johnson, members of Mrs. Peterson's class.

Mayor Snider To Represent U. S. at San Diego Event

Medford Mayor John W. Snider will represent the United States as an official delegate to the VIII Inter-American Municipal Congress when it meets in San Diego Oct. 18 to 21.

Mayor Snider was commissioned by the government to represent the American Municipal Association and the Committee for International Municipal Cooperation.

Theme of the conference is "A Case Approach to Municipal Government and Administration in the Americas." The Mayor of Rio de Janeiro, Argentina, will preside at the plenary sessions, and there will be simultaneous translations of the speeches into Spanish, Portuguese and English.

President Eisenhower is scheduled to address the congress at its closing session. More than 100 mayors representing cities throughout the U.S. are expected to attend in addition to representatives of cities in Latin America countries.

Hearing on Zoning For Sams Valley Area Is Planned

A public hearing on proposed zoning for the Sams Valley area will be called some time in November, the Jackson county planning commission said last night.

Petitions have been presented by area residents requesting zoning, primarily for agriculture and residential purposes. The planning commission also has agreed to provide for classification of existing commercial and industrial buildings within the zoning.

The planning commission also agreed to postpone consideration of a White City building code until the proposed county building code is established. Planning commission members were directed to study the county code, and make recommendations at the Nov. 9 meeting. The commission discussed possible creation of an agriculture zone, but took no action.

Code Enforcement

Following recommendation by the planning commission, the county court would be charged with putting the building code in effect following a possible public hearing. The commission generally agreed that the code enforcement should support itself through collection of building fees and not through tax money. Unless well-qualified personnel make thorough building inspections, the code would be worthless to proper county development, members emphasized.

However, members of the building code committee consisting of Bill Duggan, Gerald Latham and Victor Birdseye could not agree on whether the uniform building code or the national building code should be adopted. The uniform building code requires inspectors with technical construction knowledge to enforce it, whereas the other does not, it was explained.

Some members of the commission felt that the building code should apply to the entire county, and not just to the more populated valley floor. Duggan opposed the all-county proposal saying people who cannot afford to build first class residences should not be forced to do so if they would build "up in the hills."

Latham said a county-wide building code would not prevent construction of log cabins. Duggan replied that a code would require concrete foundation which is hard to have in the hills.

Thornton Hurls Debate Challenge To Gov. Hatfield

Salem — UPI — Attorney General Robert Y. Thornton today challenged Gov. Mark Hatfield to a public debate over what Thornton describes as "irresponsible charges" against Thornton by the governor.

Hatfield said he was not interested.

Thornton, a Democrat seeking reelection, said "for the past several weeks you have been carrying on a systematic smear campaign in every corner of the state against Democratic candidates, against the attorney general's office and against me personally."

Gymnastics Disgusting

"I am not running for attorney general," Hatfield said, "but I am sure Sen. Carl Francis, who is, would welcome the opportunity to discuss the incumbent's record in a face-to-face debate."

"It is disgusting," Hatfield added, "to watch the attorney general's verbal gymnastics as he tries to transfer the blame for his political fiasco to his fine staff. This grandstand play is an attempt to divert attention from his miserable record but it will not fool the voters come Nov. 8."

Campaigns for Francis

Hatfield has been campaigning for Francis, a state senator from Dayton.

Thornton's challenge to Hatfield was in the form of a letter saying the debate should be held at the "earliest possible date."

Hatfield has criticized Thornton's legal opinions, and since he became governor has refused to use Thornton as his legal counsel. Hatfield hired an attorney of his own choice to do the work, and added him to his staff.

Duncan, Dellenback Discuss Views on State Finances During Debate at SOC

Ashland — UPI — Robert Duncan, Democrat, and John Dellenback, a Republican, candidates for state representative from Jackson county, clashed sharply on state finances during a two-hour debate last night.

Speaking to about 60 people in Britt ballroom on the Southern Oregon college campus, the two candidates showed conflicting opinions regarding measures which would make more funds available for improvement of state facilities of all types. The meeting was arranged by the American Association of University Women in Ashland.

The candidates started out to explain the implications of 15 proposals on the November ballot. Things were relatively calm through explanations of the first seven ballot proposals. However, when proposal eight was reached, authorizing bonds for state building programs, two divergent opinions became evident.

The proposal would permit issuance of state bonds for construction of buildings for state institutions, office buildings and higher educational facilities. Duncan, who is speaker of the house of representatives, explained the proposal and said it was needed to meet Oregon's growing needs.

Dellenback disagreed with the bonding plan. "It would destroy the pay-as-you-go policy Oregon has always had in financing state institutions," he said. He termed the bonding program as a dangerous method to use in financing state facilities.

The candidates also disagreed on ballot proposal 14,

Property Tax Bills Being Mailed Here

Tax department officials today expect to complete the mailing of approximately 38,000 real and personal property tax statements to Jackson county residents. The mailing was started Wednesday.

Deadline for tax payment is Nov. 15.

County Assessor Ray Schumacher said that generally the taxes will be lower this year due to a lower millage. He described the lower amount as "infinitesimal" in many cases.

MAZEROSKI'S BLOW BRINGS 10-9 VICTORY

Pittsburgh — UPI — The Pittsburgh Pirates won their first World Series in 35 years today when they defeated the New York Yankees, 10-9, in the seventh and deciding game on Bill Mazeroski's ninth-inning home run.

Mazeroski's home run on the first pitch thrown by right-hander Ralph Terry climaxed one of the most dramatic games in World Series history.

A three-run homer by catcher Hal Smith of Pittsburgh highlighted a five-run eighth-inning rally which had given the Pirates a 9-7 lead before a crowd of 36,683 at Forbes Field.

Yankees Rally

However, the Yankees rallied to tie the score at 9-9 in the top of the ninth on singles by Bobby Richardson, pinch-hitter Dale Long and Mickey Mantle and Yogi Berra's infield out.

Mazeroski then decided matters in the last of the ninth with a home run of his bat.

This was Pittsburgh's first world baseball championship since 1925 when the Pirates beat the Washington Senators in seven games.

The defeat ruined Yankee Manager Casey Stengel's hopes of winning a record eighth World Series in what probably is his final season in baseball.

Overcame Deficit

Before the Pirates rallied in the eighth, the Yankees overcame a three-run deficit to go ahead 5-4 on Yogi Berra's three-run homer in the sixth. They added two more runs off Pittsburgh reliever Elroy Face in the top of the eighth and appeared headed for victory behind little Bobby Shantz' brilliant relief pitching.

Harvey Haddix, the little left-hander who was the Pirates' fourth pitcher in the game, was credited with the victory. Haddix came to the relief of Bob Friend, who took up the Pittsburgh pitching in the ninth but ran into trouble.

Play-by-play:

YANKEES FIRST: Richardson lined out. Kubek popped out. Mantle flied out. No runs, no hits, no errors, one left.

PIRATES FIRST: Virvon flied out. Groat popped out. Skinner walked. Nelson hit a home run, scoring Skinner. Clemente popped out. Two runs, one hit, no errors, none left.

YANKEES SECOND: Mantle flied out. Berra flied out. Skowron grounded out. No runs, no hits, no errors, none left.

PIRATES SECOND: Turley singled. Stengel took out Burgess and brought in Stafford. Hoak walked. Mazeroski singled. Long grounded into a double play. Virvon singled, scoring Hoak and Mazeroski and when Mar fumbled the ball Virvon went to second on the error. Groat grounded out. Two runs, three hits, one error, one left.

YANKEES THIRD: Blanchard grounded out. Boyer popped out. Loper batted for Stafford and singled. Richardson lined out. No runs, one hit, no errors, one left.

PIRATES THIRD: Shantz went in for Groat. Shantz flied out. Nelson grounded out. Skinner grounded out. Nelson walked. Clemente hit into a double play. No runs, no hits, no errors, none left.

YANKEES FOURTH: Kubek popped out. Berra flied out. Mantle flied out. Berra flied out. No runs, one hit, no errors, one left.

PIRATES FOURTH: Burgess and Hoak grounded out. Mazeroski popped out. No runs, no hits, no errors, none left.

YANKEES FIFTH: Skowron hit a home run. Blagoderan ran for Skowron. Shantz popped out. No runs, one hit, no errors, none left.

PIRATES FIFTH: Law and Virvon grounded out. Groat lined out. No runs, no hits, no errors, none left.

YANKEES SIXTH: Richardson singled. Kubek walked. Murtaugh took out Law and called in Face. Mantle flied out. Berra flied out. Skowron grounded out. Berra hit a home run, scoring Kubek and Skowron. Four runs, three hits, no errors, none left.

PIRATES SIXTH: Skinner flied out. Nelson grounded out. Clemente grounded out. No runs, no hits, no errors, none left.

YANKEES SEVENTH: Boyer flied out. Shantz singled. Richardson forced Skinner. Kubek lined out. No runs, one hit, no errors, one left.

PIRATES SEVENTH: Burgess singled. Christopher ran for Burgess. Hoak out. Mazeroski grounded into a double play. No runs, one hit, no errors, none left.

YANKEES EIGHTH: Smith went

	AB	R	H	ERBI
NEW YORK				
Richardson 2b	2	1	0	0
Kubek ss	3	1	0	0
DeMaestri ss	0	0	0	0
Skowron 1b	0	0	0	0
McDougal 3b	0	0	0	0
Mantle cf	5	0	0	0
Berra lf	4	2	1	4
Skowron 1b	5	0	0	1
Blanchard c	4	0	0	1
Boyer 2b	4	0	0	1
Turley p	0	0	0	0
Stafford p	0	0	0	0
Shantz p	0	0	0	0
Coates p	0	0	0	0
Terry p	0	0	0	0
Totals	40	9	13	9

	AB	R	H	ERBI
PITTSBURGH				
Virvon cf	4	1	2	2
Groat ss	4	1	0	0
Shantz lf	2	1	0	0
Nelson 1b	3	1	1	2
Clemente rf	3	0	0	0
Skowron 1b	0	0	0	0
Hoak 3b	3	1	0	0
Smith c	0	0	0	0
Christopher	0	0	0	0
Hoak 3b	3	1	0	0
Mazeroski 2b	4	2	2	1
Skinner	1	1	0	0
Face p	0	0	0	0
Cimoli	0	0	0	0
Haddix p	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	10	11	10

Medford Man Killed In Logging Mishap

Yreka — A 63-year-old Medford man, Ernest C. Berry, was killed Wednesday in a logging accident about 18 miles west of here on McKinney creek.

The Siskiyou County Sheriff's office said Berry was setting a choker on a log when it apparently rolled over on him and crushed him. Deputies said Berry was dead on arrival at the Siskiyou County General Hospital.

Berry, who resided at route 4, box 410, Medford, was working for his son-in-law, John W. Bratton, also of Medford, when the accident occurred, deputies said.

The body will be transferred to Siskiyou Funeral Directors, Medford, for services.

Accident Victim Dies in Yreka

Yreka — John William Jerry, Ft. Jones, died in Siskiyou General Hospital yesterday of injuries received in an accident last Sunday on the Ft. Jones mountain road.

He was a passenger in a car driven by Alfred Amos Albers, Hornbrook, who was killed almost immediately.

The car in which the men were riding rolled over several times along the south side of a mountain road. Marks and debris from the car were visible about 235 feet in the dirt along the road, California highway patrolmen said.

WEATHER

FORECAST: Clear to partly cloudy tonight and Friday. Valley fog patches again Friday morning. Low tonight 34. High Friday next 46.

	Temp.
Highest Yesterday	39
Lowest This Morning	31

Our Skies Tonight

	Temp.
Sunset today	5:33 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	6:23 a.m.
Moonrise tomorrow	11:24 a.m.
New Moon	Oct. 29

PROMINENT STAR

	Temp.
Aldebaran, rises	8:31 p.m.
Venus, sets	6:23 p.m.
Jupiter, sets	8:23 p.m.
Saturn, sets	8:29 p.m.
Mars, due east	1:21 a.m.



BALL GETS BY SKOWRON—Yankee first baseman Bill Skowron dives for the ball hit by Pirate Smokey Burgess down the right field foul line for a single in the second inning of today's final World Series game. Pittsburgh went on to break a 9-9 tie in the ninth inning on Bill Mazeroski's home run, to win 10 to 9. (UPI Telephoto)

O. H. Bengtson Is Found Guilty in Embezzlement Case

A Jackson county circuit court jury last night unanimously declared O. H. Bengtson, Medford lawyer, guilty of larceny by embezzlement.

The jury of seven men and five women were out approximately three hours.

Circuit Judge Orval Millard, Grants Pass, is expected to pronounce sentence Monday. Maximum penalty for such a conviction is 10 years in the Oregon State penitentiary.

Robert Boyer, Medford lawyer defending Bengtson, said last night that he and Attorney Richard Carney, Portland, would appeal the case to the state supreme court if necessary. However, he indicated that other legal steps would be tried first.

Plan New Motion

Bengtson's attorneys plan to file a motion in arrested judgment and a motion of a new trial on the grounds that insufficient evidence was presented to justify the verdict and because of errors occurring at the trial, they reported today.

Bengtson, his wife, and two of the Medford lawyer's former secretaries, became emotionally upset upon hearing the verdict and had to be helped out of the courtroom.

At mid-afternoon yesterday it appeared as if the charges might be dismissed following motion by Carney, Bengtson's attorney. However, after a brief recess Judge Millard denied the motion.

Carney later moved for a directed verdict on the same grounds, but motion was denied. It is not a true case of embezzlement, Carney contended, if Bengtson is guilty then Rachel Peterson Carter, secretary and alleged president of Medford Escrow company is guilty as an accomplice in the same charge, Carney insisted. Her testimony has not been corroborated.

Before the case went to trial, charges that Mrs. Carter was also guilty of embezzling \$3,701.14 from the company were set aside. Mrs. Carter is now charged with embezzling \$224 from the company, according to a later indictment. No trial date has been set. She has pleaded innocent to the charges.

Failure to Prove

Carney declared that Deputy District Attorneys Gerald Scannell and Brian Mullen failed to prove that Bengtson diverted the money from a trust fund. It might be larceny, but not embezzlement, he said.

"Evidence shows that Mrs. Carter authorized the loan made to Bengtson," Carney declared. "It was authorized by the Medford Escrow corporation."

Testimony revealed that Mrs. Helen McGray told Mrs. Carter that she would leave some \$3,500 with the escrow company "to be invested in a contract or mortgage."

However, there is no evidence to show Bengtson knew what was said between the two women, Carney pointed out. The judge interjected that no evidence shows there ever was a contract or mortgage put up by Bengtson.

Points Out Aspects

Evidence also indicates there was no subterfuge, no wrongful conversion of money and no unlawful taking, Car-

Moffat Elected Head of Board of Festival Group

Ashland — William Moffat, Medford, was elected president of the Oregon Shakespearean Festival association at a board of directors meeting here last night. He succeeds Robert Reinholdt, Ashland, who has served two terms as president.

Other new officers are William Sammons, Ashland, vice president; Rudolf E. Vest, Ashland, treasurer; and Eric W. Allen Jr., Medford, secretary.

At the annual membership meeting, held before the board session, Frank Pincock and Frank Haines, both of Ashland, and Robertson Collins, Medford, were elected new directors of the association. Directors who were reelected were Chester Corry, Ashland, and Sammons, Allen and Moffat.

The festival membership was told a new price section will be established for festival admissions next year. Present price sections will remain, William Patton, festival general manager, said. The new section will be available for \$3.20 per ses, or through a membership of \$22.50 per season.

Reason for adding the higher price section is to keep the festival operating in the black, Patton said. Board members felt it was the most equitable way of maintaining operating costs within revenue sources.

Patton noted that the new price still is below the admission price of comparable events in the country and other stage productions.

Deputies Report Shooting Incident

Sheriff's deputies today are investigating a report Wednesday where a Trail family was shot at while target shooting on the VFW range in Trail Creek.

Daniel Howard Meyer, Trail, told deputies Wednesday afternoon that Mrs. Meyer and their two children were at the range after 6 p.m. when someone shouted at them to stop. Later, Meyer said, a shot was fired in their direction.

Deputies questioned Bob Berry, who lived near the range, regarding the incident. He refused to make a statement to officers.

Candidates Plan To Attend Fair in City

All candidates for both parties for state and local offices in the November general election will appear at the Medford League of Women Voters candidates fair in Hedrick Junior High school gymnasium Oct. 20, according to Mrs. Thomas Rutter, voters service chairman.

The fair will be highlighted by Congressional Candidates Charles O. Porter (Democrat) and Dr. Edwin R. Durno (Republican). They will debate the subject "The role of a congressman in foreign affairs."

Senatorial Candidates Elmo Smith (Republican) and Mrs. Maurine Neuberger (Democrat) will speak on issues in their campaign, Mrs. Rutter said.

Candidates for state office who will speak include Howell Appling Jr., Republican