Coos Bay Woman Appears in Court

Marie Irene Sabin, 42, of Coos Bay, was arraigned in district court yesterday on a charge of drawing a bank check with insufficient funds in bank to pay same in full.

Marie Sabin was returned to Jackson county Wednesday by two sheriff's deputies on a district court warrant for cashing three checks in Medford.

She waived the right to a preliminary hearing in district court and also the right to an attorney. Judge L. L. Sawyer suspended execution of sentence for six months on the condition she make restitution within 30 days.

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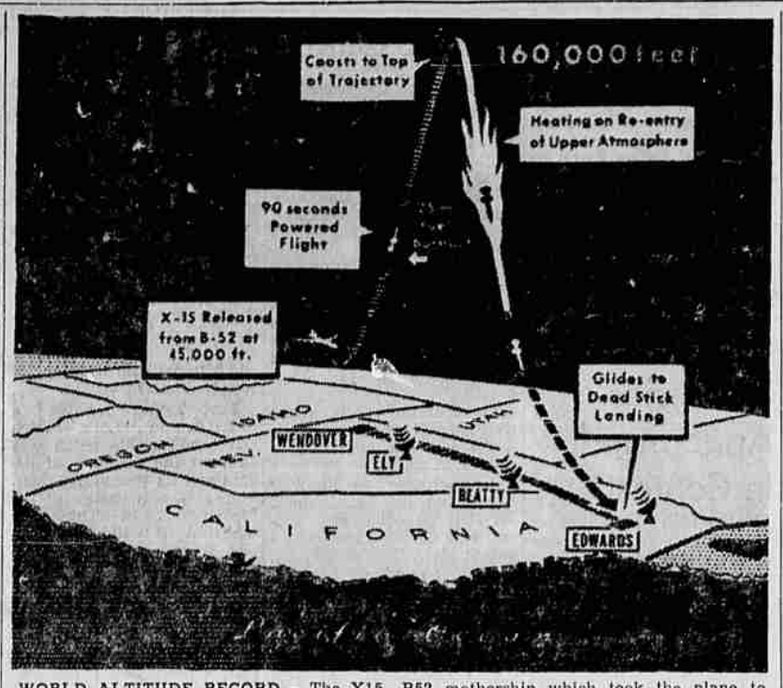

WORLD ALTITUDE RECORD – The X15 rocket plane zoomed to a world altitude record of 160,000 feet Thursday, carrying test pilot Joseph Walker to a dark, unexplored frontier 30 miles above the earth. The plane was carried under the wing of a B52 mothership which took the plane to 45,000 feet. The rocket ship then soared up on its own power. Walker was subjected to weightlessness for 90 seconds. The chart shows the route of the X15 and the course of its flight. (UPI Telephoto)

French Mayor Killed by Bombs

Paris – (UPI) – Two bombs apparently set by anti-De Gaulle extremists today killed Mayor Camille Blanc of Evian, the city on Lake Geneva where peace talks are to start Friday between French and Algerian rebel leaders.

Both French and Algerian leaders said the talks would open in Evian as planned despite the blasts but almost immediately officials of the Algerian rebel government in exile announced in Tunis they would call off the talks if France insisted on holding parallel negotiations with rival Algerian groups.

The two explosions which shattered the quiet of the sleeping town across Lake Geneva from Siwtzerland at 3 a.m. came 15 seconds apart and shattered the front of Evian's Hotel Beau Rivage, home of the mayor.

Jean Combet, secretary general of Evian's city government, said right-wing Frenchmen who fear President Charles de Gaulle was about to "sell out" Algeria to the Moslem rebels had warned the popular resistance hero against letting Evian be used for the peace talks.

KIWANIS EGG HUNT SATURDAY—Medford Kiwanis club will hold its annual Easter Egg hunt Saturday at Hawthorne park for children of the community. The service club ordered 11,000 candy eggs for the event. There are now 10,998. Eggs are sampled by the Rev. Clifford Young, left, and the Rev. Harvey Coovert, members of the Kiwanis committee for the scramble. Committeeman not shown is Larry Horton. The eggs, individually sacked in cellophane, will be scattered by Kiwanians over three areas of the park and youngsters will participate in 1-3, 4-6, and 7-9 age groups. Shown here are some of the 12 prizes offered. They will go to youngsters who find specially marked eggs. The hunt will start at 9 a.m.

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Unexplained Shake Of X15 Rocket Ship Baffles Scientists

Edwards Air Force Base, Calif. – (UPI) – Test pilot Joseph A. Walker Thursday rocketed the X15 to a new unofficial world altitude record of 31.25 miles (165,000 feet) in a flight during which the craft was mysteriously buffeted.

"Good heavens, we are shaking to pieces," gasped the 40-year-old pilot in a quavering voice over the radio intercom.

Diving Toward Ground

Walker had zoomed to the crest of his record climb and was diving toward the ground at a 35 degree angle at speeds estimated above 2,000 miles an hour Thursday when the 50-foot rocketship began shaking violently.

"I've never experienced anything like it," Walker said after landing. "Even though I was strapped in, my head was going up while the windshield was coming down."

The buffeting last for only seconds between the altitudes of 80,000 to 70,000 feet. Scientists were at a loss to explain its cause.

Called 'Cliff-Hanger'

Other unexpected incidents which cropped up made the record flight appear almost jinxed. Walker called the flight "a cliff-hanger all the way."

The X15's old unofficial record was 26 miles (136,000 feet).

At the height of his stub-winged experimental plane's trajectory over Death Valley Walker was above 99.85 per cent of the earth's atmosphere and could see the Pacific coast from southern Oregon to northern Mexico.

Title To Klamath Timber Stopped

Washington – (UPI) – A federal judge issued an order Thursday restraining the secretary of agriculture from taking title to nearly one million acres of Klamath Indian tribal lands in Oregon.

Judge Matthew McGuire granted the restraining order upon the request of "withdrawing" members of the tribe.

The Forest Service had planned to take title to the lands Saturday. The order prevents such action until a pending Klamath suit against the government is settled.

Members of the tribe were given the option in 1954 of withdrawing or staying in the tribal organization. Those withdrawing were to divide up the proceeds from timber lands owned by the tribe.

The federal government purchased most of the lands but was limited by Congress from paying more than $90 million. The pending suit claims that the price is unfair and the congressional act prevents withdrawing members of due process of law.

The suit, in the name of Paul Bellan of Klamath Falls, Ore., is on behalf of more than 800 members of the tribe.

LOOKS AT PICTURES

Montgomery, Ala. – (UPI) – L. F. Herring testified in a civil rights voting hearing Thursday that he was able to read "pretty well" until a recent development. "What was that?" asked a lawyer. "We got television," Herring said. "Then I quit."

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY
IN PROBATE
In the Matter of the Estate of FREDDA ELSIE DAVISON, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I have been appointed by the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Jackson County as Executor of the estate of Fredda Elsie Davison, deceased, and have duly qualified. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them, with proper vouchers and duly verified, to me, at the offices of Kelly & Grant, Attorneys, 1005 E. Main Street, Medford, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

DATED at Medford, Oregon, this 31 day of March, 1961.

LAURENCE W. DAVISON
Executor

KELLY & GRANT
Attorneys for Executor
The Mail Building
1005 East Main Street
Medford, Oregon

Fire Season Will Start April 1

The state department of forestry said today the fire season would start April 1, and all regulations pertaining to the season will be in effect that date.

Curtis Nesheim, warden of the southwest district, reminded residents that a permit must be obtained before any burning is done on or within an eighth of a mile of forest land. This includes burning in an incinerator, he added.

Burning permits may be secured at the forestry department headquarters on Table Rock rd., Medford, at the Grants Pass headquarters office, or from any state fire warden.

Logging and sawmill operators are warned that on April 1 all requirements pertaining to fire tools and equipment must be met in order to keep operating. Operators in doubt concerning necessary equipment may contact the forest inspector.

The department also warned that all operators must have an operation permit before they begin logging or sawmilling. Failure to secure the permit will result in legal action.

Bridge, Highway Bills Approved

Salem –(UPI)– The full Ways and Means Committee Thursday night voted out "do pass" bills for the Astoria-Megler bridge and another $4 million for reconstruction of Highway 42 between Roseburg and Coquille.

The measures went to the House floor.

Rep. George Annala (D-Hood River) complained about the bridge bill. Noting that Oregon would pay 67 per cent of cost of the bridge and Washington state 33 per cent, Annala said passage of the legislation would mean Oregon will have "adopted a lend-lease policy."

He was joined by Reps. Stafford Hansell (R-Athena), Ben Evick (D-Madras), Carl Fisher (R-Eugene) and Sen. Melvin Goode (R-Albany).

The Highway 42 bill had only two opposition votes – those of Annala and Hansell.

The committee also approved a state agriculture budget cut down only slightly from that recommended by Gov. Mark Hatfield.

Fund Established For County Supplies

A separate budget item was approved this morning by the Jackson county budget committee for the purchase of all office equipment, furniture, stationery and supplies for the county.

The budget item will be set-up in the miscellaneous county fund. With this arrangement, all equipment items are being deleted from individual department budgets. Committee members said that with central purchasing much of the major items may be put up for bid meaning a substantial saving to the county.

In action today, the committee tentatively approved the county health department's budget for $105,100 which is a $3,880 increase over the preceding year.

Requested, but not taken under consideration for the 1961-62 budget, was an item for $3,500 for a medical investigator. This amount will be necessary after Jan. 1, 1963, when the term expires for the present corner. The change in this department was made during the last legislature.

Home Rule Study Committee Hears Views of Newspaperman

The Jackson county home rule study committee, nearing the point where it will get down to the serious business of attempting to draw up a new county charter to present to the people, last night decided to take a "holiday" and skip next week's meeting.

It also heard last night that its request for a budget of $5,500 to pay for the charter-writing job had been tentatively approved by the county budget committee yesterday afternoon.

For the past six months the committee has been interviewing a long list of county officials, former county officials and private citizens who have ideas about county government. It has compiled a large file of such opinions and suggestions, all of which will be taken into consideration when the charter is actually prepared. It is now hoped to have it ready to present to the voters next year.

Last night the committee heard a newspaperman, who is a former state official, give his views on county government. In a prepared statement, and during a question and answer period, Eric W. Allen Jr., managing editor of the Mail Tribune, formerly a secretary to the governor of Oregon, advocated a larger county court or commission, of seven or nine members, who would serve without pay.

Responsible, Responsive

Allen declared that such a group, all of them elected, would provide more reponsible and more responsive county government than is possible at present, a government far closer to the people than that of today, where three members of the court and six other elected officials have a variety of duties and responsibilities, but where there is no centralization of either authority or responsibility.

He said the enlarged county board or council should employ an administrator or coordinator, who in turn would supervise and coordinate the activities of the county departments.

As it is now, each elected official is responsible only to the electorate, Allen pointed out, and is under no compulsion to cooperate with the other departments.

"The miracle to me," he said, ". . . is that anything gets accomplished when general administration is handled by a three-man ad hoc committee, no one member of which bears sole responsibility, and other county functions are handled by officers, many of whom are responsible only to the electorate, and can (and sometimes do) tell their colleagues to go hang."

Allen said he saw nothing sacred in the present assignment of duties to the various county departments, and indicated a reshuffling of duties and titles could provide for more efficiency in government, making the county a better agency for serving the people.

He declared that the only justification for government is, in the words of Lincoln, to do for the people what they cannot do, or do as well, for themselves. But he added that the often-heard maxim that the government which governs least, governs best, as a "patent absurdity, a nihilistic attitude, and an invitation to anarchy."

Allen admitted that changes such as he proposed might be considered radical, and that the voters of the county may not be adequately motivated, as yet, to approve them.

But he added it is his opinion that, given adequate explanation of the fact that such a government would be closer to the people, more responsive to their needs, and more flexible in handling the many problems which increasing population and technological change inevitably will bring, the people ultimately will approve some such change.

SLICING IT THIN

New York –(UPI)– The Princeton Club Thursday bid $4,000 for a nine-inch piece of land to expand its facilities in a proposed building in Manhattan. The land, 100 feet deep, was purchased from the city which acquired it as a result of constant revisions of property lines in real estate sales. The Princeton club of course also plans to use a larger adjacent lot for the rest of its building.

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