

Loros Acquires Trucking Permits

A newly formed Medford corporation has been granted permission to take over trucking rights and permits presently held by two other firms.

Public Utility Commissioner Jonel C. Hill granted the permission to Southern Oregon Transfer and Storage, a new corporation headed by Milton A. Loros, owner of Package Delivery here.

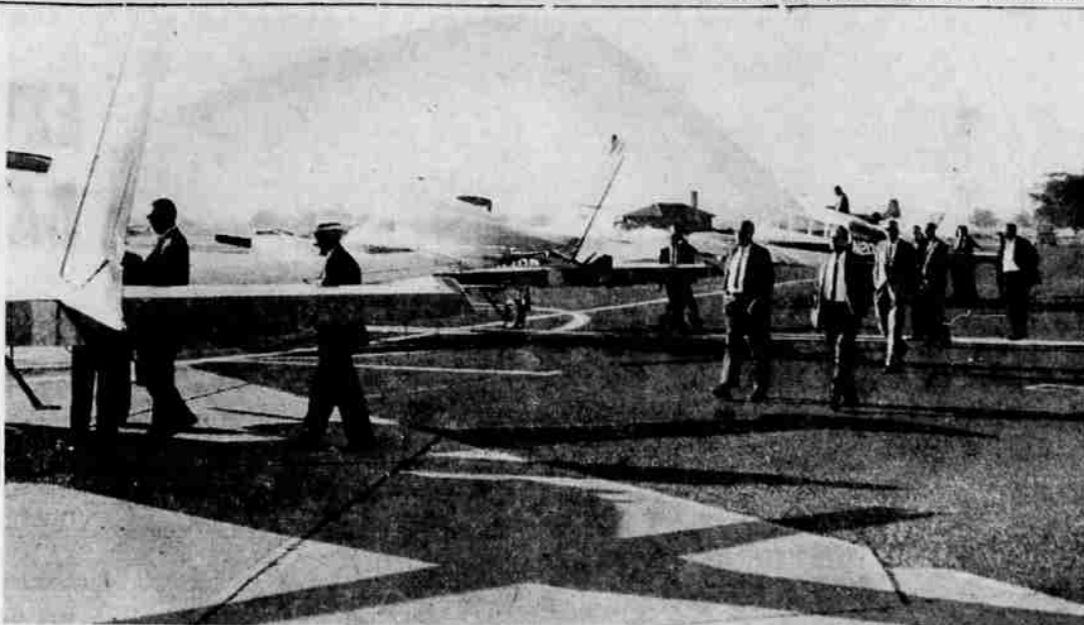
The new firm will take over the permit previously granted to Package Delivery and one held by Isham's Transfer and Storage in Grants Pass.

Under the new permit the firm would not be allowed to transport household goods from the Medford area.

Hill said evidence produced in hearings showed that present Medford household goods transportation needs are met adequately by other firms.

Loros said he intends to maintain offices in both Medford and Grants Pass.

He has been in the trucking business here since 1948. The Isham business name has been in use in the Grants Pass area since 1898.



BOARD PLANES - A group of 14 Medford and Jackson county leaders are shown here boarding three planes at the municipal airport Tuesday morning to fly to Eugene to visit the civic center there. Transportation was furnished by Pacific Power and Light company. The group spent about four hours touring the Eugene civic center and meeting with various city and county officials before returning to Medford about 3 p.m. (Knackstedt photo).

Practical Nurses Sign 2-Year Pact

Portland - (UPI) - The Oregon Licensed Practical Nurses association signed a two-year labor contract today with the Portland Hospital association.

It is the first contract of its kind in Portland and the second in Oregon.

Similar contracts have been signed with a hospital and two rest homes in Prineville.

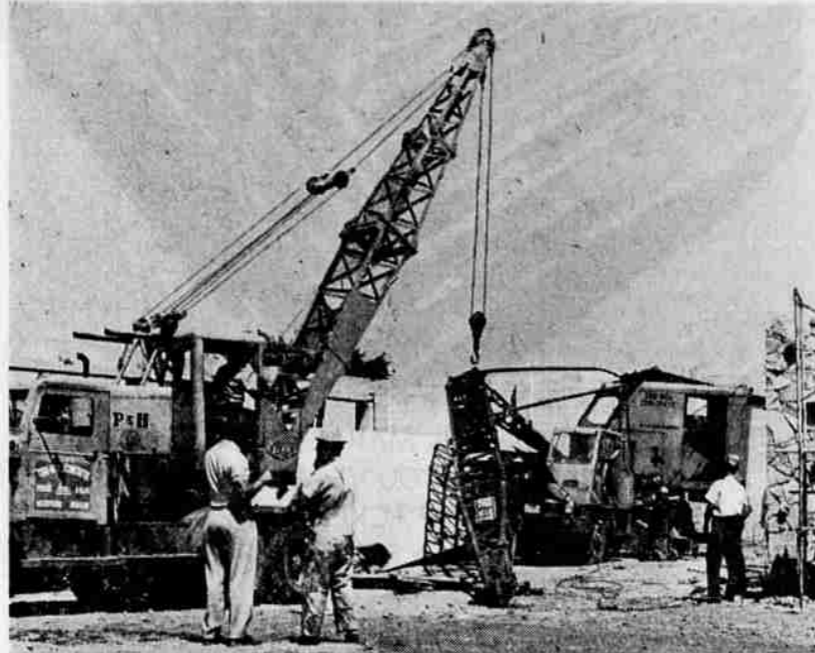
The new pact increased wages of 500 practical nurses 10 cents per hour and provided other benefits. The basic wage will be \$1.63 per hour for less than one year of experience up to \$1.81 after four years.

The contract provides an additional five cents per hour after July 1, 1964. It is retroactive to July 1 this year.

The hospitals involved are St. Vincent, Good Samaritan, Emanuel, Physicians and Surgeons, Holladay Park and Providence.

Mrs. Helen Dwyer, Klamath Falls, state president of the association, represented the nurses along with Mrs. Gloria Glasscock, president-elect, and Mrs. Aletha Parsons, both of Portland.

The statewide association has some 2,100 members.



CABLE SNAPS - When a steel cable fastened to a 14 ton concrete slab broke while it was being lifted by a crane Tuesday morning the backlash crumpled the crane's boom. The crane's boom had to be cut off and is now at a local steel company being repaired. No workers were injured, company officials said.

Insurance Agent Gets Promotion

David P. Estergard, local agent for State Farm Insurance company, has been appointed agency manager for the Seattle district starting Aug. 1. The appointment was announced by Medford Manager J. L. Scott.

Estergard joined State Farm here in February, 1962. Previously he had served as a sales representative for the Pacific Northwest Bell Telephone company for six years.

In January Estergard was the top life insurance agent among the firm's more than 9,000 agents. At the time of his promotion he was the top multiple line agent in the state. Estergard is a member of the State Farm Career club and the firm's Career M club.

A native of Oregon, he attended Medford and Harrisburg, Ore., schools and Oregon State university. In recent years he was active in the United Crusade.

Mr. and Mrs. Estergard and their two children live at 1598 Orchard Home dr.

USED BOAT LOT - New York - (UPI) - It was bound to happen. There's a used boat lot in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., reports Popular Boating Magazine.

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Black Oil Rate Reduction Vetoed

Salem - (UPI) - Public Utility Commissioner Jonel C. Hill has vetoed a Pacific Inland Tariff Bureau proposal to cut rates for hauling heavy residual (black) oil by truck from Portland to Riddle.

He said the action would have resulted in one type of traffic subsidizing lower rate of traffic for the main purpose of retaining business.

The rate on the black oil hauling was reduced last January and the trade group wanted to cut it again to give it a better competitive position with railroads.

Pear Harvest Expected To Start About Aug. 15

Harvesting of the Rogue River valley pear crop, admittedly one of the shortest in history of the local fruit growing industry, will start about Aug. 15 if present conditions continue in the normal pattern, County Horticultural Agent C. B. Cordy said today.

The time will, as usual, be determined on the basis of pressure tests.

Reports from the Hood River area, where an excellent crop was predicted early in the season, reveal considerable drop of pears and a 75 per cent crop is now expected, Cordy added.

Definite plans for consolidating efforts here to process the fruit in the most economical manner while still providing work for regular employees of the fruit industry are progressing, Shelby Tuttle, official of the Fruit Growers league, reported.

The League members have found in early planning that the problem which always arises in the case of consolidation is present in the fruit processing picture. This is how to use the same help while consolidating the efforts of the various fruit packing firms.

One Solution

Storing of a large portion of the Bartlett crop has been proposed as a solution to some of this problem. If Bartletts for packing are stored until the Anjous are ready for packing the crews will be moving a larger quantity of fruit and a larger crew can be maintained, Tuttle explained.

A similar problem was faced by industry members in 1954 when the crop was reduced 50 per cent by frost. Two shifts were operated at that time to give work to more people.

Portland NAACP Plans Union Action

Portland - (UPI) - The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in Portland is considering direct action against Local 8 of the International Longshoremen's Union, a spokesman said Tuesday.

Attorney Mayfield Webb, Portland NAACP chairman, said a meeting of the organization's executive committee would be held here Friday to decide on a course of action. He said only peaceful demonstrations would be considered.

Webb accused the union of racial discrimination in membership policies and said the local defied an order of Harry Bridges, international president, which called for nationwide integration of the union.

New Deadlock Over Brown Budget Seen

Sacramento - (UPI) - A dispute between the California Senate and Assembly today raised the possibility of a new deadlock over Gov. Edmund G. Brown's augmented budget.

The Senate was taking a firm position that the lower chamber should not change "even a comma" in its \$85 million version of the money bill.

But the Assembly, obviously peeved at the Senate's stand, refused to make such an agreement. The lower chamber version totaled \$95.2 million plus \$20 million for junior college construction.

If both sides hold firm, it could result in an impasse and extend the special legislative session, called by Brown starting July 8, into its fourth week.

Salem Man Guilty Of Armed Assault

Salem - (UPI) - Louis Zehler, 29, Salem, was found guilty of armed assault by a Circuit court jury here Tuesday.

Sentencing was deferred until today.

Zehler was one of five youths accused of bludgeoning John Parchman, 76, at his home south of Salem May 25.

Parchman, who suffered brain damage, remains in a coma at a nursing home at Salem.

William Berry, 18, Salem, who pleaded guilty to a similar charge two weeks ago, testified that he saw Zehler beat the elderly man with a length of heavy chain.

The other three youths were charged with assault. Two are awaiting trial. The third, 16, has been committed to the MacLaren School for Boys at Woodburn.



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