

Herald and News

News Behind the News

FRANK JENKINS MALCOLM EPLEY
A temporary combination of the Evening Herald and the Klamath News...

By PAUL MALLON
WASHINGTON, June 4—The Wagner plan to insure all phases of human existence from prenatal care to old-age was to have been launched with a message from President Truman.

Today's Roundup

By MALCOLM EPLEY
THE Japs warn that they are going to turn loose balloons, manned by suicide pilots, to sail over the Pacific and attack the United States.



Incidentally, the Jap propagandist said that the free balloons are undoubtedly creating havoc in the United States.

Aftermath

KLAMATH readers will be interested in what the Medford Mail-Tribune has to say about the inter-regional highway designation going to the Pacific highway in southern Oregon.

Herb Grey, writing in the Tribune, agrees that the Klamath route is shorter, faster, and cheaper, in first cost, to build. He claims these advantages are offset by greater population, more economic wealth along the Pacific, and alleged advantages for year-around-travel over there.

Mr. Grey goes on to say that Jackson county people heartily concur with Chairman Banfield of the highway commission in his declaration for high standard construction of both Nos. 99 and 97 in southern Oregon.

"Likewise," he says, "they agree with Commissioner Chessman who, when presenting the motion that the Pacific highway be designated the interstate route, gave recognition of the advantages inherent in the Klamath route and stressed need for its development."

Concluding, he said: "Many people here have felt that Commissioner Arthur Schupp campaigned too openly and vigorously for the inter-regional designation of the route through his home town of Klamath Falls. The good grace in which he accepted the considered viewpoint of his fellow commissioners and his willingness to render a unanimous verdict in favor of highway 99 will ease any resentment that might have been felt this side of the Cascades.

All of which is fair enough. As regards Mr. Schupp's open stand, we might say in passing that he did, openly and frankly, what any other commissioner would probably attempt to do under cover—but with ample justification for his stand in the SUPERIOR advantages of the route he preferred. Mr. Schupp could stand for the route, which favored his home community, with SINCERITY.

He merely exhibited frankness and straightforward dealing which is an east-of-the-mountains trait that might well be emulated more generally in Oregon public affairs.

Another Note

CHARLEY STANTON of the Roseburg News Review thinks that the whole controversy had a favorable effect on highways in the south and south central part of the state, winning attention for them and bringing out important information, Oregon highway commissioners, he believes, now have a better understanding of highway needs, both east and west of the Cascades and along the coast.

Incidentally, Charley says that the Klamath presentation was good enough that a member of the Douglas county delegation wagered a chicken dinner that Klamath Falls would win.

We would rather have the designation, but that's an appreciated compliment, both from the Douglas commissioner and from Editor Stanton. The Roseburg and Medford comments were both in good spirit, and there is no reason why the highway dispute should prevent the continuing development of friendly relations between communities along the two routes.

Army Discharges

Three Klamath Men
T/Sgt. James W. Curtis of 128 Lincoln in Klamath Falls, reported at Fort Lewis, Wash., to be given his discharge papers. He has been in the army for 57 months, serving eight months in the 8th air force in England. Curtis is the holder of the Air Medal with four Oak Leaf clusters, as well as the Presidential Unit Citation.

Among the 84 enlisted men from Oregon and Washington who were honorably discharged from the service at Fort Lewis were S/Sgt. Ray R. Cryderman of Keno and T/Sgt. Walter L. Bliss of Klamath Falls. Most of the men were released under the new point system, with a few over-age discharges.

Precipitation Hits High During May

Precipitation for May, 1945, broke all previous known records for the month with 4.75 inches. Prior to this year the largest amount recorded occurred in

In advance, word had been passed around by Senator Wagner that such a social security message was coming from the White House. Instead, Mr. Truman sent word for an emergency increase in the unemployment insurance allowance, but said nothing about the broader cradle-to-grave scheme, except to mention it, and Mr. Wagner dropped his bill in the hopper without administration endorsement.

No one is in a hurry about either idea. House Ways and Means Chairman Doughton is saying his committee will be so busy with other matters it cannot get around to consideration of the Wagner legislation before fall. It is generally predicted in congress that it will not be enacted until next year, if then.

A genuine basis for resistance exists in this case. I suspect the administration's recalcitrance is probably due to Social Security Administrator Altmeyer's suspicion that the Wagner bill is financially unsound. Mr. Altmeyer thinks the expenditures proposed will run far greater than the money raised by the taxes, and he has indicated that this drain on the treasury could go as high as several billions of dollars yearly.

Benefits Doubtful

BUT the great scope of the Wagner idea raises doubt as to whether the people will get out of the bill real benefits commensurate with the terrific taxation. You never hear much about costs of these insurance panaceas. Everyone speaks of the great results from federal donations to the states to build billions of dollars of hospitals and health centers, to promote maternal and child health and public health, to give monthly checks to the aged, blind, dependent children or others, to furnish health insurance, unemployment insurance, retirement pay and death benefits, as well as medical care.

Mr. Wagner spoke glowingly of the extension of social security to 15 million more people and increase of the benefits, but nowhere did he get down to the financial facts of the matter, and none of the published reports have even estimated the annual cost.

The proposed tax is to be eight per cent of the first \$3500 of everyone's wages. The technical experts will tell you this will cause the people to pay into the treasury each year six billions to seven billions of dollars more money on a calculated national income of 170 billions of dollars. Roughly speaking one per cent of taxes raises \$600 millions annually so the eight per cent last year would have cost the people \$4,800,000,000.

Is it economically sound to take this much money out of the workers' income and employers' funds? If the sum is left to the employees and employers, presumably they will spend it and do some economic good with it. Their spending will generate economic initiative, will furnish pay for other workers and employers to keep the economical pot boiling.

But if the federal government takes this huge amount—twice as much as it cost the whole government to operate in the Coolidge administration—and puts it in a cold fund to be doled out in dribbles to particular groups of people in particular ways, through a tremendous welfare emergency, will the people generally get out of it as much as they put in? Everyone pays, few get benefits.

Liberals Back Plan

BEHIND this scheme are the labor unions and the New Dealers. They are following the example of England, where the labor party has promoted similarly new extensive and expensive social security notions as the basis of the great new post-war world.

These two groups are enthusiastic in contemplating the social results, but I think most congressmen look more at the cost side, and at the prospect that the average citizen may pay into this vast reservoir of taxation a goodly portion of his pay every week throughout his life and may never get out of it any worthwhile benefits.

He may never become unemployed, may never need old age benefits, may be able to get his medical care privately, especially if a good wage scale is maintained among the people, to enable him to meet his direct needs.

Everyone I know has been paying into the present fund for years and I do not know personally a single person who ever got back a nickel in benefits.

These social security theories were great big world reforming ideas a few years back, but it appears the congress is apt to take a more appraising view now than formerly, and there is no assurance whatever that the bill will pass in the dimensions now proposed.

Furthermore, Mr. Truman will have trouble getting his \$25 a week (instead of \$20) allowance for emergency unemployment insurance. Congress turned it down last year (Murray-Kilgore bill).

1932 when 2.47 inches were recorded. Precipitation during this May occurred between the 10th and 30th. The greatest amount in any observational day was 1.05 inches recorded May 30. Normal for the month is 0.92 inches.

The mean monthly temperature was 52.8 degrees, which was just normal. The maximum temperature recorded occurred on May 1 and 2 when the thermometer reached 84 degrees. The minimum occurred on May 20 with 32 degrees.

Only five clear days were recorded for the whole month, ten partly cloudy, and 16 rainy.

TRUMAN INVITED
WASHINGTON, June 4 (AP)—Senator Gordon (R-Ore.) today invited President Truman to visit Oregon on his way to or from the San Francisco conference.

The invitation was extended during a courtesy call at the White House, but the senator told newsmen that due to press of business, the president was unable to accept.

SIDE GLANCES



"I'll be glad to get my job back, Gus, but you'll have to watch me for awhile—I'm used to cooking for 300 men!"

\$275 IN BAILS, FINES PAID HERE

Accumulated bail and fines for weekend misdemeanors amounted to \$275 posted for appearances in police court Monday.

Four drunks were heard and two drunk and disorderly cases. Frank Tuter was cited for drunk driving and operating a vehicle without a license.

Claude Bewley paid a fine of \$3 and Betty Checktoot \$12. Three traffic tickets were paid. Robert Wesley Brisbon, Lewis lane, Lindley Heights, was cited for reckless driving early Monday morning and posted bail of \$50. Virginia Haynes, naval air station, posted \$5 bail for running a stop light at 8th and Klamath. Bail of \$10 was posted by Everett J. Linville, 529 N. 8th, for driving with four in the front seat.

Edward Willis Ayer, 1523 Wilfred, received a tag for having an improper muffler on his car. Archie Davis, 4448 Bisbee, charged with running a red light and drunk driving, forfeited bail of \$105 for failure to appear in court.

E. R. Neibau, 759 California, reported \$20 damage to his car when he was involved in an accident with A. G. Zweigart, Malin, Sunday afternoon at 4th and Main.

Child Falls From Cab, Injured Slightly
Carmen Ann Tommy, 3, was treated for scalp wounds and skinned knees at Klamath Valley hospital Friday evening as a result of falling out of a cab. The little girl was riding with her parents who live at 204 Upham, when the cab door became unfastened and she fell out.

Donald Hall, 873 California, was driving the taxi when the accident happened at N. 3rd. He rushed the child immediately to the hospital. X-rays made at Hillside hospital showed no fracture, and the child was taken home.

Registration For SOCE Scheduled
Registration at Southern Oregon College of Education, Ashland, for the summer session, starts on June 11. Classes begin June 12, according to announcement by Dr. Walter Redford, president.

A "workshop" of five and one-half weeks will be held at the Lincoln training school, to include work through the first six grades.

In addition to the work at the training school, the college is offering the usual full schedule for those working toward a degree.

WHITE REAPPOINTED
SALEM, June 4 (AP)—Dr. Bryan A. White, McMinnville, was reappointed by Governor Earl Snell today to the state board of chiropractic examiners.

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OBITUARY

LOUIE WILLIAM JOHNS
Louie William Johns, a lifetime resident of Klamath county, passed away in this city Monday, June 4, 1945, at 4:10 a. m. following a brief illness. The deceased a native of Klamath Falls, and was aged 33 years, 8 months and 11 days when called. He was a member of the Midland Grange No. 127, IOOF, and was called on Tuesday, June 5, 1945 at 3 p. m. with the Rev. Joseph A. Hunt of Tulelake, Calif., officiating. Interment will follow in Mt. Calvary Memorial park. Friends are invited.

FUNERALS
ANDREW NORMAN FOLSON
Funeral services for the late Andrew Norman Folson, who passed away in this city on Friday, June 1, 1945, will be held in the chapel of the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home, Pine at Sixth, on Tuesday, June 5, 1945 at 3 p. m. with the Rev. Joseph A. Hunt of Tulelake, Calif., officiating. Interment will follow in Mt. Calvary Memorial park. Friends are invited.

CHARLES HENRY COOMBS
Funeral services for the late Charles Henry Coombs, who passed away on Tuesday, May 29, 1945, will be held in the chapel of the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home, Pine at Sixth, on Tuesday, June 5, 1945 at 11 a. m. with the Rev. Cecil C. Brown, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city officiating. Commitment services and interment Linkville cemetery. Friends are invited.

JOHN PATRICK SULLIVAN
Funeral services for the late John Patrick Sullivan, who passed away in this city on Friday, June 1, 1945 following an illness of two weeks, were held at 34 California Memorial park on Monday, June 4, 1945 at 3 p. m. with the Rev. Joseph A. Hunt officiating. Interment followed. Arrangements were under the direction of the Earl Whitlock Funeral home of this city.

ED. ANDERSON
Funeral services for the late Ed Anderson who passed away in this city on Saturday, June 2, 1945 following an illness of several days were held in the chapel of the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home, Pine at Sixth, on Monday, June 4, 1945 at 11:30 a. m. Commitment service and interment followed in Keno cemetery.

CHARLES COLEMAN
Funeral services for the late Charles Coleman of Dorris, Calif., who passed away in this city on Saturday, June 2, 1945 following an illness of several days will be held at Pioneer cemetery near Dorris, Calif., on Tuesday, June 5, 1945 at 2:30 p. m. with the Rev. H. R. Lewis officiating. Interment followed with committal service. Arrangements are under the direction of the Earl Whitlock Funeral home of this city. Friends are invited.

Courthouse Records
MARRIAGE LICENSE
VINLAY-HENRY, William T. Vinlay, 25, U. S. army, Native of Canada. Resident of Medford, Ore. Ruth Elizabeth Henry, 29, extension service worker, Native of Iowa, Resident of Klamath Falls, Ore.

RECORD REVENUE
PORTLAND, June 4 (AP)—Municipal courts' revenue from fines, bail forfeitures and parking violations in May was the highest in city history, Chief Clerk David B. Palmer said.

Traffic cases totaling 6450 and 1521 criminal court cases also set a monthly record.

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SELECTION OF JURY OPENS IN SODOMY CASE

Jury selection began today in the case of the state of Oregon versus Merl M. Crawford, 31, Klamath Indian accused of sodomy.

In Monday morning's session in Circuit Judge David R. Vandenberg's court, the jury panel of 20 veniremen was exhausted. Judge Vandenberg ordered a special panel of eight called.

Nine jurors had been excused by noon, including three women. No other women remained in the jury box.

Defense Attorney George Roberts of Medford asked all jurors if they had any prejudices against a person accused of a repulsive crime, and also asked them if the fact Crawford was a member of the Indian tribe would lead to any prejudice against him.

G. W. Kellington, Medford, is assisting Roberts in the defense, and the prosecution is handled by District Attorney Clarence Humble and his deputy, J. H. Napier.

The case grew out of an incident alleged to have occurred on February 20 at a Mills addition home, where Crawford is accused of having committed an offense against a 60-year-old white woman. The investigating police said Crawford was arrested after he had gone to the woman's home to borrow cigarettes and was found there by a neighbor, who fought with Crawford and later called officers.

Crawford is also charged with rape against the elderly woman, and the trial is set for June 10.

By the end of 1940, Britain had lost 900 ships, totaling more than 3,000,000 tons.

Woolen Store Pays Off With Orchids
The Oregon Woolen store offered a prize for the last seat ticket sold for the "Your Infantry" show. The man, and an orchid were the lucky winner was a young man, who was a year-old Dale Price of 441 Riverside, who decided upon the orchid cottage for his prize. Mrs. Milton Price.

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Notice of School Election Upon the Question of Increasing the Levy Over the Amount Limited by Section 11, Article XI, Oregon Constitution.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held in Union High School District No. 2, of Klamath County, Oregon, at the high school building located at Adams and Wall Streets, Klamath Falls, Oregon, on the 20th day of June, 1945, from the hour of two o'clock, p. m. to the hour of six o'clock, p. m. for the purpose of submitting to the legal voters of said Union High School District No. 2, the question of increasing the tax levy for the fiscal year beginning on the first day of July, 1945, and ending on the 30th day of June, 1946, over the amount limited by Section 11, Article XI, of the Constitution of Oregon.

The reasons for increasing such levy are:
1. Increased cost of instruction.
2. Increased cost of operation.
3. Increased cost of maintenance and repairs.
4. Amount of tax, in excess of the 6% limitation, proposed to be levied for said year is \$102,347.48.
Dated at Klamath Falls, Oregon, this 28th day of May, 1945.

Attest: J. P. WELLS, District Clerk.
NELSON REED, Chairman, Board of Directors.

BUDGET, HIGH SCHOOL

Schedule I—General Fund Estimated Receipts and Available Cash Balance

Table with 4 columns: Estimated Receipts, Estimated Available Cash Balance at close of present fiscal year, Estimated Total Receipts, Estimated Total Receipts and Available Cash Balance.

Schedule II—General Fund Estimated Expenditures

Table with 4 columns: Estimated Expenditures 1945-46, Budget Allowance 1944-45, Expenditures in Detail 1943-44, Expenditures 1945-46.

I—GENERAL CONTROL
1. Personal
2. Clerical
3. Office Assistants
4. Compulsory Education
5. Other Services

II—INSTRUCTION—SUPERVISORIAL
1. Personal Service
2. Supervisors
3. Office Assistants
4. Other Services

III—INSTRUCTION—TEACHING
1. Instructional Service
2. Teachers and Coaches
3. Substitute Teachers
4. Special Education
5. Library Service
6. Summer School
7. Library Supplies and Repairs
8. Text Books
9. Other Expense

IV—OPERATION OF PLANT
1. Personal Service
2. Janitors
3. Supplies
4. Fuel
5. Light & Power
6. Water
7. Telephones
8. Garbage & Laundry
9. Other Expense

V—MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS
1. Personal Service
2. Engineer
3. Furniture & Equipment
4. Buildings
5. Grounds
6. Other Expense, Labor, etc.

VI—AUXILIARY AGENCIES
1. Health Service
2. Physical Examinations
3. Transportation of Pupils
4. Cafeteria
5. Personal Service
6. Supplies & Equipment

VII—FIXED CHARGES
1. Insurance
2. Buildings and Equipment (Blanket)
3. Automobile
4. State Industrial Accident
5. Other (Vault)

VIII—CAPITAL OUTLAYS
1. New Sites
2. New Buildings
3. Alterations of Buildings
4. New Furniture and Equipment
5. Assessments for Betterments
6. Other Capital Outlays

X—EMERGENCY
XI—NATIONAL DEFENSE

GRAND TOTALS, GENERAL FUND

Schedule III—Bond Interest and Sinking Fund
1. Principal on Bonds
2. Interest on Bonds

Schedule V—Special Improvement Fund (Serial Levy)
1. New Sites
2. New Buildings

Schedule VI—Summary of Estimates of Expenditures, Receipts, and Available Cash Balances

Total Estimated Expenditures
DEDUCT:
Total Estimated Receipts and Available Cash Balance
Total Estimated Tax Levy for Ensuing Fiscal Year

Analysis of Estimated Tax Levies:
Amount Inside 6% Limitation
Amount Outside 6% Limitation

Amount of Bonded Indebtedness \$225,000.00
Amount of Other Indebtedness None
Total Indebtedness \$225,000.00
Note—Against this indebtedness the District has an investment of \$200,000.00 in Series C, U. S. Treasury Tax Savings Notes.