

In The Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS
Views on Mr. K's visit:
Herbert Hoover, one of the world's truly greats: "Nikita Khrushchev could bring the greatest, the most generous gift that mankind has received in a thousand years if he would eliminate all international demands, all warnings, all threats, all conspiracies against free people and agree to peaceful co-existence and INSPECTED disarmament."
Mr. Hoover added:
"There is some hope that the visit will lessen some world tensions, but there is little hope that Khrushchev will choose the means I have outlined to win immortality among the leaders of all men."
He concluded:
"We must be alert and ARMED TO THE TEETH."

Mr. Hoover's is the statesman's view. Let's turn for a moment to the business view (the stock market has been slipping for several days.)
Business Week, one of the nation's important business magazines, finds few observers who believe the recent decline in price has been any more than a temporary affair. It quotes one of these observers:
"The market is just using the peace talk as an excuse. We have been due for a correction for some time."

That is to say:
Speculation has been pushing security prices higher than the basic business situation warrants, but the resulting slip in prices won't last long.

Martin Gilbert, an analyst of one of the big Eastern stock brokerage concerns, thinks the Eisenhower - Khrushchev visits may "dampen the enthusiasm of both investors and traders for a while longer, but this factor and any desultory effect on defense issues will soon be discounted."
Hmmm, I suppose that means the speculators think the new turn in world diplomacy ENHANCES THE LIKELIHOOD OF PEACE and that the likelihood of peace may have an unfavorable effect on the prices of U.S. securities.

I'm afraid I can't go along with that one. The likelihood of peace would restore people's confidence as nothing else could. Confidence in the future lies at the root of BETTER business.

One more thought:
If Mr. K comes reasonably soon, he will see our immense steel industry lying IDLE AND UNPRODUCTIVE.
That can hardly fail to put ideas into his scheming head.

McCloud Fire Burns Over 11,000 Acres

McCLOUD—The first large fire of the season in the McCloud Ranger District in the Shasta-Trinity National Forest had burned over an estimated 11,000 acres of brush and timberland 36 miles northeast of McCloud this morning.

Hope to control the fire today if conditions are favorable was expressed by local officials.

The lightning-caused fire near Porcupine Butte was being fought by the joint efforts of the McCloud Ranger District on the west and the Modoc District on the east. San Quentin and Tehachapi prisoner volunteer firefighters were assisting in controlling the blaze. Over 400 men were on the fire line Monday morning on the west side of the burn.

Modoc District reports were fragmentary. Smoke from the Porcupine Butte fire and others in Northern California made reconnaissance flights impossible.

No estimate of timber footage loss is presently available, foresters say.

Jumpers dropped on the fire report a narrow escape Friday when they lost their parachutes and tools in the windswept blaze.

Baseball games and social activities ground to a halt in the McCloud area as able-bodied men were called into the fire crews.

Neighbors Help

THOMPSONVILLE, Conn. (AP) — Joseph DeSeus will attend the funeral of his brother — a victim of the Roseburg, Ore., blast disaster — because of the generosity of his neighbors.

Nearly \$600 was collected in a door-to-door fund drive after the neighbors learned that DeSeus' brother, policeman Donald DeSeus, was killed in the blast.

It was the second time within a month that tragedy had struck the DeSeus family. Last month the DeSeus brothers' mother died. Joseph was unable to attend the funeral because a few weeks earlier he had sent all his spare cash to help her pay for an operation.

Workers Tear Down Ruins In Roseburg

ROSEBURG, Ore. (AP) — Businessmen looked at hundreds of ruined buildings today and said they would have a united reopening celebration before long.

Charred remnants of burned and blasted buildings were being battered down by workmen when businessmen met today and said they would rebuild.

There had never been any doubt of it and relief agencies were speeding help.

Eight blocks of the business district were reduced to rubble early Friday when an explosives laden truck blew up.

Dist. Atty. Avery Thompson said he would ask the Douglas County grand jury Tuesday to investigate. He said testimony might be taken over a considerable period of time as witnesses became available.

"This is an investigation to find out the facts," he said. A prime question will be whether there was any law violation in the truck being parked near the downtown district.

Meanwhile, the coroner today said only 12 persons were known dead or missing and presumed dead. This was one under the previous count. He said an eyewitness account of one missing person was now discounted.

That left eight identified dead, three missing and presumed dead, and one body not corresponding to those known missing.

Financial relief began pouring

City Building Officer Goes On Relief Trip

Mayor Lawrence E. Slater reported Monday morning that Vern Schortgen, building inspector, left today for Roseburg in response to a plea from Gov. Mark Hatfield.

Mayor Slater said Governor Hatfield contacted him asking that Schortgen be loaned to Roseburg for a few days to assist in the tremendous job of inspecting the many buildings damaged by the blast and the ensuing fire.

The governor indicated that about 10 inspectors are being called to Roseburg to speed up the rehabilitation of the blast-torn city.

Mayor Slater offered any services of the city of Klamath Falls to Roseburg's Mayor Arlo Jacklin immediately following the news of the explosion early Friday morning.

"It's the least we can do," he explained.

Loans Ready

PORTLAND (AP) — The Small Business Administration will have money available for loans to Roseburg's hard-hit business firms as soon as it is needed, an official said today.

J. C. Rhodes, loan officer in the Portland Small Business Administration office, said that at the moment no one is in a position to know precisely what will be needed.

"Undoubtedly there will be a field office in Roseburg," he said, "as soon as the people are in a position to know what they need."

FUMES FATAL

GREENFIELD CENTER, N.Y. (AP) — William Jones, 6, collapsed and died Sunday. He had been blowing into a gasoline tank to help his father prime a sawmill engine. Police said he apparently was asphyxiated by fumes he inhaled.

in shortly after Oregon Gov. Mark Hatfield established a Roseburg Relief Fund. The little western Oregon town of Drain, with a population of 1,290, contributed \$1,000.

The Red Cross set up an office to take care of emergency medical expenses and housing. The Small Business Administration is taking applications for loans from homeowners and businessmen who can't get money from other sources.

City and state agencies set up meetings to help get the city back on its feet. Mayor Arlo Jacklin travels to Salem today for a conference with Hatfield and Red Cross disaster Director Richard Gordon.

The school board must decide what to do about destruction of the junior high school.

City Manager H. John Warburton asked Hatfield to double the crew of building inspectors to check damaged buildings. Some structures already have been approved and firms have gone back into business.

But a large area of the downtown business district still is sealed off to all except those on official business. The National Guard is patrolling the area to enforce the closure and prevent looting of the damaged stores and warehouses.

Efforts continued to identify the dead. Only eight of the victims have been positively identified. Two bodies are unidentified and three persons are missing and presumed dead. All the dead and missing are from Roseburg.

The district attorney has begun an investigation of the blast to determine if the truck driver violated any laws.

The driver, George Rutherford of Chehalis, Wash., was hospitalized for minor injuries after the blast. He was released Saturday and left the city. He was driving for the Pacific Powder Co. of Tenino, Wash. His load of 2½ tons of stick dynamite and 4 tons of ammonium nitrate mixed with oil was consigned to a Roseburg Building Supply Company.

Casualty List

ROSEBURG (AP) — The Douglas County coroner's office today listed the names of eight known dead in Friday's explosion and fire, the names of three missing and said one unidentified body did not fit the description of any of the missing.

The dead:
Unidentified body.

Roy McFarland, 44, assistant fire chief.

Harry Carmichael, about 50.

Donald De Seus, 32, policeman.

Dennis Tandy, 18.

Richard Knight, 20.

Bonnie Lee Berg, 19.

Virginia Lee Kuykendall, 4.

Eva McDonald.

Missing and presumed dead:

Martin Lust

Wayne Townsend

William C. Unrath

The condition of the injured today:

Letta Mae Townsend, 34, critical.

Lela Belle Kuykendall, 41, critical.

Alvin Kuykendall, 48, fair.

Janet Kuykendall, 21, fair.

Mary Unrath, 20, good.

Rollin J. McDonald, 51, fair.

Carol Marical, 21, fair.

Lyle Wescott, 32, good.

James Fred Siles, poor.

Eric Sutherland, 73, good.

Siles was in a hospital at Eugene and Sutherland in the Veterans Hospital here. All of the other injured were released. A total of 52 was hospitalized at one time.

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LOOKS ARE SOMETIMES deceiving. These two photographs are of the same men—clowns who will play pranks and do silly stunts to entertain crowds at the 11th annual Klamath Falls Shrine Club-Polack Brothers Circus opening on Tuesday afternoon. Afternoon performances August 11-12 will start at 2:15; night performances both days at 8:15. At top, clowns in working clothes are, left to right, Joe Sherman, Locke Lorraine, Ray Sinclair, Javier Peluzo, John Thomson, Johnny Cirillino and Chester Sherman. In the lower photo, the men have changed positions. Match the clowns with makeup and without. Correct order: Thomson, Chester Sherman, Joe Sherman, Cirillino, Lorraine, Peluzo and Sinclair.



Weather

FORECAST—Klamath Falls and vicinity: Fair through tonight with variable high clouds. Generally fair with increasing clouds Tuesday; cooler with evening thunderstorms likely. High 83-88; low 45-50.

High Sunday	92
Low last night	60
Precep. last 24 hours	0
Precep. since Oct. 1	5.82
Same period last year	19.57

Northern California — Fair through Tuesday except possibility of thunderstorm Tuesday night; little change in temperature.

New World's Fair

NEW YORK (UPI) — Plans were disclosed Sunday for a 500-million-dollar New York City World's Fair in 1964. Plans for the fair, which would be the biggest ever held, were announced by Mayor Robert F. Wagner who said he had given the project his "whole-hearted endorsement."

It Takes A Heap O' Plannin' To Make A Circus A Thrill

The folks who sit in the grandstand and wait impatiently for the ringmaster to signal start of the show know little of the hustle and bustle, the fitting together of jigsaw pieces, the grooming of animals that precedes the smooth-running three-ring Polack Brothers Circus.

The big circus, on its 11th return trip to Klamath Falls under sponsorship of the Klamath Falls Shrine Club, is in town.

Out at the fairgrounds the combination of hard work and skills will whip into shape the colorful, exciting, breathtaking acts that will thrill old and young Tuesday and Wednesday, August 11-12, during afternoon and evening performances.

Most of the actual labor is done by the brawny crew of Barrie (Soldier) Longsdorf, the show's longtime superintendent. Performers are on hand to supervise for there are many details upon which hinge the life and safety of the performers.

The Flying Alexanders put tape measures to distances that control their split-second timing. The High Wire Coronas, Senor C. Cardona and the Reynoso Trio check every guy line in their rigging. A girl solo star, Princess Tajana, entrusts such things to her husband, the Aerialvolies to the men who assist them on the ground.

Props must be assembled for the Tong Brothers, acrobats; the Five Amandis, the Georgian Trio and the Ricardos. Lions and horses, dogs and elephants, and those clever fellows the chimpanzees, all appearing in this year's big show must be fed and groomed by Prince El Kigordo, the Besal-

ous, the Hanneford bareback riders, the Koyots and the Burgers, whose dog and pony act delights old and young.

Ross Paul, manager-ringmaster; Henry Kyes, musical director and Lillian Harvey wardrobe mistress who keeps the sparkling costumes clean and mended, all play major roles behind the scenes.

Throngs of children from a wide radius in the Klamath Basin who otherwise would not be able to see the circus will be present with tickets provided by the Shriners, business and professional men, industrial concerns, and civic, labor and fraternal organizations throughout the area.

A. L. Shoupe, chairman of the children's ticket committee, has been assisted in the distribution of the tickets by Ron Harrison, Chil-ouquin; C. M. Gray, Dorris; Frank B. Gilchrist; Gilchrist; E. L. Leach, Midland; R. R. Walker, Merrill; Elmer Kappen, Macdoel; Otis Roper and Wilder, Tulelake; Robert Guttenberger, S. C. Selby, Helen Moss, Roy Ruger, Mrs. Williams, Paul Matthews, Dr. Dallas McNeil, Capt. Lewis Kendall and the Rev. T. P. Casey.

Children are expected from Bly, Keno, Fort Klamath, Malin and Wecus.

Forest Fire Claims Two

ELSINORE, Calif. (UPI) — Two firefighters were dead and a half dozen others were in critical condition today in the wake of a huge weekend brush fire near Lake Elsinore.

Ben Slater, 31, and Andy Brooks 24, both of Santa Ana, Calif., died Sunday night at Corona Hospital where they were being treated for serious burns.

In all, an estimated 50 firemen were injured in the fire which blackened 1,600 acres and destroyed one home since erupting Saturday when a pickup truck crashed and caught fire. The driver of the vehicle, Michael Moore, 19, Downey, Calif., was killed and his passengers injured.

Gettysburg Hotel Now Ike's Office

GETTYSBURG, Pa. (AP) — President Eisenhower set up business headquarters in the Hotel Gettysburg today for his vacation stay out of Washington.

The move took Gettysburg by surprise. With one exception—the five weeks he spent at his farm home recuperating from his heart attack in 1955—the President has operated at the farm whenever he was here. In 1955 Eisenhower used an office in the post office building.

This was the second unexpected move of the current Eisenhower visit.

Sunday it was announced that he will move up his departure for Europe by one day to visit Bonn for a conference with West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer before going on to London and Paris for talks with other Western leaders.

An apparent purpose of that change is to reassure Adenauer that West Germany will not be left in the lurch by Eisenhower's forthcoming talks with Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev.

It has been stated all along that Eisenhower would see Adenauer while abroad, observers had been under the impression the chancellor would go to London or Paris rather than having Eisenhower go to Bonn.

White House Press Secretary James C. Hagerty came here to Eisenhower's vacation headquarters to tell reporters Eisenhower had accepted Adenauer's invitation.

The President is looking forward to the opportunity to meet with the chancellor and discuss with him "current problems of interest to the United States and the Federal Republic," Hagerty said.

Traveling by jet plane — the first time a U.S. President has done so — Eisenhower will arrive in Bonn Aug. 27 for the talks with Adenauer, and travel to London that evening for a five-day stay. During this period, he will confer with Prime Minister Harold Macmillan and probably make a side visit to Balmoral Castle in Scotland, for a formal call on Queen Elizabeth II.

Eisenhower goes on to Paris Sept. 2 for meetings with French President Charles de Gaulle, Italian Premier Antonio Segni, and the two top civilian leaders of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. He has no plans to meet with all the heads of the NATO governments.

Hagerty said Eisenhower will remain in Paris for several days, but added no exact date has been set for his return to this country. Khrushchev is due in Washington Sept. 15.

Eisenhower is known to have set no date for his return visit to the Soviet Union. Instead, he is keeping his schedule flexible through next January to attend any East-

West summit meeting that may be arranged. There is some thought this could develop from Khrushchev's visit here, although the odds are against it.

A summit meeting could be arranged, it is understood, with-out major concessions from the Soviets, but not without some assurance they would agree to something to promote peace.

Eisenhower is thinking in terms of a five or six-day visit to the Soviet Union, with possible visits to war-battered Stalingrad and to Kuybyshev, the temporary Soviet capital during World War II.

But that trip is not likely to be made until some weeks after Khrushchev visits here, and after Eisenhower has had a chance to report to the Western Allies on his Washington talks with Khrushchev.

Eisenhower's visit to Bonn late this month will be his first there since he became President in 1953. He last was there when he made a good-bye tour of NATO countries on resigning as NATO commander-in-chief. Reports from Bonn said Adenauer issued an urgent invitation to Eisenhower to include the German capital on his European tour, despite earlier plans to hold an Eisenhower - Adenauer meeting elsewhere.

Economic War Under Way In Little Rock

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (AP) — Segregationists declared an economic war in Little Rock today over school integration.

A spokesman for the Capital Citizens Council declared its boycott of downtown merchants was on.

Anis Guthridge, council attorney, called a news conference in a parking lot near his office to hand out a list of stores, professional people and others who should be boycotted.

The council announced Saturday a "buyer's strike" against merchants and employers of Negroes.

Houston Buford, president of Downtown Little Rock Unlimited, Inc., had no comment. The Little Rock Chamber of Commerce president E. Grainger, Williams, said "additional comment would be in poor taste."

Guthridge charges businessmen on his list had been instrumental in pushing for reopening of the four public high schools to token integration.

The schools are scheduled to open Wednesday under a state pupil placement law. Six Negroes have been assigned to former all-white schools.

Gov. Orval E. Faubus remained silent. He closed the high schools last year to block integration. The state law he used has since been thrown out by the federal court.

The governor said he still had tentative plans to call a special session "within the next one to six months." But he said it would deal primarily "with industrial financing and perhaps some other minor problems."

He indicated he had plans connected with desegregation—scheduled to start in two Little Rock high schools Wednesday — but wouldn't say what they were. He said he had "no concrete reports at this time" about impending trouble over the integration.

Flood Deaths Now Total 773

TAIPEI, Formosa (AP) — The death toll from the century's worst floods on this Nationalist Chinese island rose today to 773 by official count. Another 241 persons were listed as missing.

The official casualty list also reported 1,093 injured and 169,173 homeless.

The floods destroyed 15,178 houses and damaged 11,890 more, the government reported. Most of the damage occurred in isolated communities hit by flash floods that followed the island's heaviest rains in 82 years.

Hoover, 85 Today, Says Khrushchev Could Offer Mankind's Greatest Gift

NEW YORK (AP) — Herbert Hoover, 85 today, says Nikita Khrushchev could bring with him to the United States the greatest gift mankind has received in 1,000 years — peace.

"But this is unlikely to be the result of this visit," the former President added.

He could interpret his oft-repeated statement as to peaceful coexistence," Hoover said Sunday, "as eliminating all international demands, all warnings, all threats, and all conspiracies against free people."

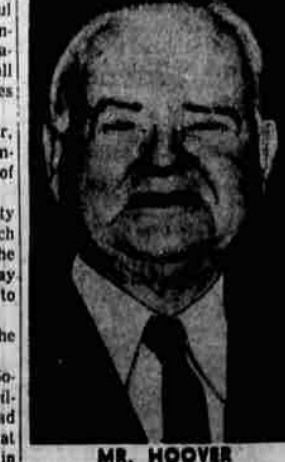
Such a move, said Hoover, could win the Soviet premier "immortality among the leaders of all men."

But he added, the possibility that Khrushchev would make such a move is remote because "the tactics of the Communists may change, but their determination to dominate the world continues."

Hoover appeared on "Meet the Press" over NBC-TV.

which there may be hopes of greater steps in peace," he said. Meanwhile, he said, "We must not be lulled into any complacency. We must be alert and armed to the teeth."

Only one other former president, John Adams, celebrated



MR. HOOVER

more birthdays than Hoover. Adams died when he was 90.

The ruddy-faced, white-haired Hoover has a simple formula for longevity — work. He illustrates it today by spending his birthday at his desk.

He keeps six secretaries busy with his massive correspondence and activities in various organizations.

He indicated in the interview that he was confident of America's ability to meet any crisis that might occur, and to defend herself successfully if necessary. But he also saw room for improvement.

He saw need to curb "inflation, unbalanced budgets, overspending by Congress, and the growth of crime." He was outspoken on the need for improving the American educational system.

"We have one great difficulty in our competition with Russia," he said, "and I think it is greater than all others, and that is the lag in our training of the best brains we have in the United States, the creation of enough scientists and engineers to carry our productive system forward."



BABE RUTH QUEENS are Sandra Guyer, second from right, and Marianne Gallagher, far right, elected as co-holders of the title of Miss Babe Ruth of Oregon Saturday night prior to the final game of the State BR Tournament at Gam Stadium. The two winners, who were chosen by player representatives from each team in the tourney, are shown receiving their ribbons from last year's winner, Marg Gallagher. Tournament director Joe Kind looks on at left.