

Congress Ready For Adjournment

Prisoner Says Policeman Carried Gun Into County Jail For Him Unknowingly

"A policeman carried that pistol into the jail for me." An explanation of how a .22-caliber blank pistol was smuggled into the Douglas County jail was made Thursday by a prisoner en route to the state penitentiary at Salem. The prisoner, Gary Lee Williams, 18, was being taken to prison to start serving a one-year term for burglary.



FRANK MURPHY
... to sell Edsel
**Frank Murphy
New Manager
Of Edsel Agency**

Manager of the new Edsel car agency to open Wednesday in Roseburg will be Frank Murphy, former used car manager for Lockwood Motors.

The new dealership will be next to Lockwood's used car lot on South Stephens Street. The company was incorporated this week by Gordon Smith and Fred Lockwood, both owners of the present Lockwood Ford agency.

Murphy has been with the Lockwood firm 11 years and has lived in Roseburg 14 years. No plans have been made yet to replace him as used car manager.

The new dealership will include a repair shop and parts department for the Edsel. It will sell the four Edsel lines, Ranger and Pacer on a 118 inch wheelbase, and Corsair and Citation on a 124 inch wheelbase. Seven display models will be on hand for the opening.

Stricken Ketch Assisted At Sea

HONOLULU — A Navy ship has replenished and supplied repair equipment to a battered San Diego, Calif., ketch that foundered in rough weather in the Pacific Ocean 550 miles northeast of Honolulu.

The ketch Soney with four aboard is expected to reach Honolulu Sunday or Monday.

Lt. Philip A. Roe, skipper of the seaplane tender Orea, said last night he spotted the Soney Tuesday with her mainmast torn, her battery dead and food exhausted. Roe said those aboard included Rockne H. Johnson, a mechanical engineer at the Scripps Institute at La Jolla, Calif., and two teenagers.

The seas were so rough Roe said, that he could approach the Soney only briefly, but Johnson told him that food had run out three days before.

In The Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

Senate GOP Leader Bill Knowland told the President that congress may finish up its work today and adjourn tonight. Senate Democratic Leader Lyndon Johnson doesn't think adjournment can come before Saturday night.

But in any case—Adjournment seems to be near.

How do you feel about it? Personally, I'm sure I'll experience a sense of RELIEF when the congress adjourns and goes home. I don't just know why. Maybe it will be due to a feeling that we have about ALL THE LAW WE CAN DIGEST ALREADY and that the addition of more laws will give us indigestion.

That brings up the special session. (Continued on Page 4, Col. 3)

The Weather

Fair with morning clouds today and Saturday.

Highest temp. last 24 hours 73
Lowest temp. last 24 hours 50
Highest temp. any August 106
Lowest temp. any August 39
Precip. last 24 hours 0
Precip. from Aug. 1 30.5
Deficit from Sept. 1 43
Sunset tonight, 6:52 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow, 5:36 a.m.

Fire weather—High fire danger in Oregon through Saturday except near coast. Humidity generally above 30 per cent in north-west Oregon and through the coast range.

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Stassen Believes Russians Serious

Expresses Hope For Settlement On Arms Issue

WASHINGTON — Harold Stassen arrived from London Friday and said he would report to President Eisenhower that he believes Russia is still "seriously negotiating" for an East-West disarmament agreement.

Stassen, presidential adviser on disarmament, told newsmen on landing at National Airport that "no one should feel that any agreement is just around the corner."

But he added that "both sides know that modern war would be a bad net loss all around so they have that common interest between them."

Asked whether he thought the Soviet Union was negotiating in "good faith," Stassen said that was not the word he would use because "they are negotiating from the point of view of their interests."

Presents Plan

Stassen left London Thursday after presenting a complete American and Allied plan for a first-stage disarmament agreement.

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Plywood Locals Negotiations On In Portland

Wage negotiations for District 9 of the plywood locals of the International Woodworkers of America closed Thursday in Portland with "some areas of agreement reached," according to Charles W. Lynch, business agent of IWA local 9-436 in Roseburg.

Judge Acquits Eugene Pownell

The trial of Eugene Henry Pownell, 25, on a charge of furnishing liquor to minors came to an abrupt halt Thursday with a judgment of acquittal by District Judge Warren A. Woodruff.

At the conclusion of presentation of the state's case by Bert Powneyne, deputy district attorney, Pownell's lawyer moved for a judgment of acquittal on the grounds that the state's evidence would not support a verdict against the defendant. This motion against acquittal was granted.

The prosecution failed to establish that the defendant was not a parent, legal guardian or other responsible relative of the minors named in the complaint. Pownell, of 2012 SW Castle Ave., was accused of supplying beer to three minors on June 15.

SHOWERS FORECAST

Temperatures will average below normal through Wednesday with scattered showers likely about Sunday and again Tuesday or Wednesday, according to a five day weather outlook issued today by the U. S. weather station at the Roseburg airport. Maximum temperatures will range from 72 to 82 with minimums from 48 to 54. Little or no rain is predicted for the interior of southwestern Oregon.

Immigration Bill Approved, Minus Requests From Ike

WASHINGTON — The Senate sent to President Eisenhower early Friday a bill to ease some immigration law restrictions, but denying him many of the major changes he had asked.

The measure represented a compromise worked out by leaders in both Senate and House as a minimum bill that could be passed in the closing hours of the 1957 session.

The Senate completed congressional action on the compromise by accepting on voice vote technical amendments which the House tacked to the original Senate version.

The house passed the measure Thursday 293-58. The Senate first passed it last week by a 65-4 vote.

Admit 60,000 Aliens

Some sponsors of the bill estimated it would allow the admission of about 60,000 aliens, including refugees from persecution in the Middle East and from communist territory.

Some of the chief provisions of the bill would:

1. Permit use to be made of 18,000 nonquota immigration visas that remained unused when the 1953 Refugee Relief Act expired last Dec. 31. About 14,000 of these would be available for refugees from communist nations anywhere in the world, or for refugees from political, racial or religious persecution in the Middle East.
2. Allow an unlimited number of orphans up to 14 years of age who are adopted by U. S. citizens to enter this country on a non-quota basis until June 30, 1959.
3. Remove the ban on the admission of aliens afflicted with tuberculosis, if they are the parents, spouses or children of Americans.
4. Permit permanent residence to be granted to more than 15,000 resident aliens who now are subject to deportation because they misrepresented their place of birth to escape forced repatriation behind the Iron Curtain after World War II.
5. Authorize the secretary of state or the attorney general to let foreign visitors enter this country without being fingerprinted. At present all alien visitors, except those with diplomatic status, must be fingerprinted.

One of Eisenhower's major recommendations not included in the bill was that the present national origins immigration quota system be revised to admit 65,000 additional persons annually.

New York Migrant Worker Charge Is Being Investigated

ALBANY, N. Y. — New York state investigators reported Friday they had located an upstate migrant labor camp that had hired a Negro who now claims that white farm bosses beat and cheated Negro workers.

Daniel A. Daley, the Labor Department's chief investigator, identified the site as the Chillis Patane Camp No. 2 near Hannibal in Oswego County.

He would not comment on his findings.

Daley said agents had questioned Frank Patane, a part owner, and Davis Jr., farm labor contractor. The Rev. Frank Reid, a chaplain serving migrant workers, and numerous employees.

The investigation into the charges by James H. Brunson is continuing, Daley said.

Patane was not available for immediate comment. Earlier he said he did not recall Brunson's name but the man "might have been" at the camp.

In New York, Herbert C. Hill, labor secretary of the National Assn. for the Advancement of Colored People, said he was trying to locate Brunson to bring him here to testify.

Hill said the NAACP felt that Brunson's story should be told to the agencies. Hill said Brunson made the charges of his own volition.

Charles Van Devander, Gov. Harriman's press secretary, had said he had no idea how funds might be obtained to bring Brunson to New York state.

No Trace Yet Found Of Missing Couple

PENDLETON, Ore. — Searchers again had no luck Thursday in their hunt for Lillian Hodges, 16, and Barney Blackwell, 32, both of Kennewick, Wash., in the Blue Mountains in northeast Oregon.

Twelve men and a Boy Scout group combed the rugged area Thursday, after Umatilla County Sheriff Roy Johnson had cut the search party from 34 men when nothing turned up Wednesday.

The missing pair left separately from a picnic group last Saturday. The hunt has been since.

The pair had been seen in an area southeast of Walla Walla, Wash., about four miles inside the Oregon border.

State Police Locate Missing Pickup Truck

State Police this morning located a 1957 pickup truck which has been missing since August 12.

The vehicle, which was found partially stripped where it had been run over a steep bank on a logging road. It had been reported by the owner, George Richter, Sutherlin, as stolen.

HELD FOR NAVY

Donald Ray McCrary, 20, Albany, allegedly AWOL from the Navy, was arrested and lodged in the Roseburg city jail Thursday night. He reportedly jumped ship at Long Beach, Calif., and is being held for Navy authorities.

House Passes Lower Foreign Aid Measure

WASHINGTON — The House passed and sent to President Eisenhower Friday a \$3,435,810,000 foreign aid money bill. This is a billion dollars below Eisenhower's original request.

The roll call vote on passage was 194-122.

The House action cleared from Congress the last regular appropriation bill for the current fiscal year—and perhaps the most disputed one. The measure passed the House Thursday night, 38-19.

The unexpectedly close vote on House passage showed 107 Democrats and 87 Republicans for the measure. Against were 70 Democrats and 52 Republicans.

One congressman after another during the final debate made clear that he was against voting even for a bill cut a billion dollars below what Eisenhower had wanted.

Council Canvasses Ballots, Passes Two Ordinances

In addition to canvassing the votes cast in Tuesday's annexation election, the Roseburg City Council passed two ordinances at an adjourned meeting Wednesday.

The vote canvass showed that the move to have nearly a square mile of land taken into the city was defeated by a vote of 130 to 99.

Passed was an ordinance amending one setting forth the form of bonds. Also getting approval was an ordinance vacating a portion of Fisher Drive located in Glen Oaks Addition.

The council accepted the recommendation of the building code appeal board that Clarence Honn be required to replace a ramp at 1463 SE Stephens St. with steps and that Honn be required to obtain a building permit immediately.

Honn had appeared at Monday's regular council meeting and requested a variance to the code requirement about the steepness of such pedestrian ramps.

City Recorder Wilma Hill reported that money from the sale of sewer improvement bonds had been received and asked for approval to put part of the funds into a time-deposit account where the money would draw interest.

The council asked that Mrs. Hill and George Farrell, city manager, determine the amount to be placed in the account and report at the next meeting where it will be considered.

Reported 'Prowler' Turns Out To Be Dog

Prowling dogs are not uncommon but they don't ordinarily cause police searches.

One apparently did early this morning on W. Agee Street. Roseburg police were summoned by a report of a prowler in a garage. The area was searched but the only thing seen was a canine leaving the garage.

The officer's report ended: "The writer believes that the dog was possibly the 'prowler'."



SEN. STROM THURMOND
... long talker

Political Motive Seen In Filibuster By Sen. Thurmond

By DOUGLAS B. CORNELL

WASHINGTON — Strom Thurmond's record vote against the Civil Rights Bill undoubtedly entrenches him strongly with the South — where he still scents the possibility of a third party.

And perhaps, under the right combination of conditions, the filibustering South Carolina senator envisions himself in 1960, as he was in 1948, the presidential nominee of a rebel Democratic faction.

If not that, Thurmond certainly won't have hurt himself with the folks back home if he tries for another Senate term in 1960. That could have been the prime motive behind his futile, marathon speech.

Thurmond held the floor for 24 hours and 19 minutes. This eclipsed the previous filibuster record of 22 hours and 26 minutes set by Sen. Morse (D-Ore) in 1953.

Shortly after Thurmond yielded the floor at 9:13 p.m. (EDT) last night, the Senate passed the Civil Rights Bill, 60-15, and sent it to President Eisenhower.

Reports have been getting around South Carolina that Gov. George Bell Timmerman Jr. is thinking of the senatorial race in 1960.

So a speech like Thurmond's capable of arousing the affection of rank- and -file Dixie voters, could be a political insurance policy calculated to pay off in three years.

Portland, Phoenix Meet In Sectional Playoff

HASTINGS, Neb. — Phoenix plays Portland Friday night in the double elimination of the sectional American Legion junior baseball tourney here.

The Arizona team defeated Denver 2-1 Thursday night to eliminate the Colorado team. Portland beat Denver Wednesday night 11-1.

Broom Handle Factory Burns Near Dillard

A broom handle factory along old Highway 99 three miles south of Dillard was destroyed by fire about 12:30 p.m. Thursday when three gas tanks exploded. Winston Dillard rural firemen said.

The factory is listed as belonging to Russell Bryce. Bryce estimated his total loss to be approximately \$7,000. He had no insurance on the frame building. No one was at the factory when the fire broke out. The blaze was discovered by Bryce's daughter-in-law.

Firemen fought the blaze for approximately an hour and a half. They were at the scene for about three hours. The buildings were completely engulfed in flames when the department arrived.

The establishment burned to the ground. In size, it measured approximately 16 feet across and 14 feet high.

Douglas Forest Protective Assn. crews put out a ten-acre fire on Rice Hill Thursday about 1 p.m. The grass and brush fire was started by a cutting torch. DFPA Dispatcher Wayne Miller said. No damage was reported.

Umpqua Plywood Only Bidder On Timber Tract

Umpqua Plywood Corp., Roseburg, was the only bidder Thursday on a 12,900,000 board foot timber sale conducted here by the Umpqua National Forest.

The firm purchased the timber at the appraised price of \$342,695, paying \$28.10 a thousand for 11,200,000 feet of Douglas fir, \$41.55 a thousand for 900,000 feet of pine and \$6 for western hemlock and other species.

The timber is located on 241 acres in the Steamboat Creek drainage about 45 miles northeast of Roseburg.

Tuesday, Roseburg Lumber Co. paid the appraised \$124,980 for 4 million feet of timber in the Bear Camp area of the South Umpqua Ranger District about 28 miles northeast of Myrtle Creek.

Prices included \$37.50 a thousand for 3,100,000 feet of Douglas fir and pine and \$9.70 for white fir and other species.

The national forest will sell two moderate sized tracts next Tuesday. Sept. 12, 32,400,000 feet will be offered in one sale.

Nels Manford Hansen Cited After Accident

Nels Manford Hansen, 39, Dillard, was cited by Roseburg police for following too close following investigation of a Thursday afternoon accident in which Hansen's pickup truck hit another car.

The collision occurred on SE Stephens Street between SE McAdams and SE Woodward avenues when Maude Elizabeth Ruble, 68, Winston, stopped her 1952 sedan because of cars halted ahead of her. Hansen failed to halt his 1951 pickup in time and hit the rear of the Ruble car, police reported. Damage estimated at \$100 was inflicted to the rear of the car, while \$20 was estimated as the amount to the front of the pickup.

Holding Company Files Incorporation Papers

A holding company, Douglas County Investment Co. Inc., was incorporated in Salem Thursday. The firm will buy and sell securities and provide business services for members of the company but will not provide brokerage service for the public.

Founders are Ray M. Lehman, Marvel H. Lehman, and Ralph Patterson. Mrs. Nancy Von Schiltz also appeared on the list of incorporating parties but will hold no interest in the company according to Marvel Lehman. The firm will issue 5,000 shares on no par stock.

LOW BID SUBMITTED

Low bidder on the job of landscaping the Douglas County Fairgrounds interchange on Highway 99 was Kenneth E. Nielsen, Salem. According to the Oregon Highway Commission, the Salem contractor offered to do the work for \$14,834. The project is one of 14 small jobs for which contracts will be awarded Sept. 12 by the commission.

12 HONDURANS KILLED

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras — Twelve persons — all believed to be Hondurans — were killed yesterday when a plane of the Honduran Salsa Airline blew up and burned in flight.

Vital Bills Are Cleared In Late Hours

Civil Rights Measure, Appropriations, Other Bills Get Speedy Action

WASHINGTON — Congress whipped rapidly along on cleanup whistles of this session's work Friday in a drive for adjournment. Mid-afternoon appeared to be a likely quitting time.

In rapid fire order, the House tacked the final legislative okay on two of the "must" measures—a \$3,435,810,000 foreign aid appropriation and a bill laying down ground rules for defense attorneys to get a partial look at FBI files if these are used in trials of their clients.

House action sent them to President Eisenhower.

The Senate had endorsed these bills in a late-night session at which the historic civil rights bill was cleared to the White House.

Big Road Block

The civil rights measure was the big road block to adjournment. Once it was out of the way, a sprint was on in the home stretch.

The House at noon notified President Eisenhower it had completed its business and was ready to adjourn. Then, it recessed temporarily to await word from the Senate on adjournment plans. The Senate at the time was acting on minor bills.

In a sort of session-end valedictory, Democratic leader Johnson of Texas said that if Congress hadn't passed any other measure

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Filibuster Curb Efforts Sought By Senators

WASHINGTON — The record breaking filibuster by Sen. Thurmond (D-SC) brought both Republican and Democratic announcements Friday of plans to fight for Senate rules changes to make it easier to halt talkathons.

Five Democrats—Sens. Douglas of Illinois, Humphrey of Minnesota, Neuberger of Oregon, McNamara of Michigan, and Clark of Pennsylvania—led off with an announcement that Thurmond's performance would spur them to maximum efforts in that direction.

Then six Republicans — Sens. Case of New Jersey, Ives and Javits of New York, Kuchel of California, Potter of Michigan, and D. Thye of Minnesota — joined in saying:

Sample Cited

"We have seen a sample of what the filibuster means to civil rights measures and how it can block the public business in such critical times."

The Democrats said they will try for a rule under which a Senate majority could limit debate. They did not specify whether they had in mind specifically the full Senate membership of 96, or a majority of those present and voting.

Under the present rules, 64 affirmative votes are required to shut off debate and end a filibuster. And there is no present way by which the Senate can change its rules without the prospect of a filibuster on that issue itself.

Thurmond talked more than 24 hours in a vain single-handed filibuster against the civil rights bill.

2 More Reedsport Boys Brought To County Jail

Two more Reedsport boys were brought to the Douglas County jail Thursday on burglary charges.

The boys, 14 and 15, are specifically accused of burglarizing a house, but officers say they have admitted being involved with other boys in the house burglary as well as breaking into a theater, a market, and stealing from automobiles.

Three other boys previously were booked on the charge of house burglary, while another posted \$1,500 bail in Reedsport justice court. The ones brought to jail Monday have been released to their parents.

Federal Cash Granted Sewer Project At Drain

The U.S. Public Health Service Thursday approved a \$19,781.40 grant to the City of Drain under the water pollution control act, Rep. Charles O. Porter said in Washington, D.C.

The money will be spent for sanitary sewer improvements now being made in the northern Douglas County city. Total project cost is \$65,938 for a new secondary treatment plant and outfall sewer.

COOS FIRES QUELLED

COOS BAY — Some 300 acres of brush and grass lands were burned Thursday by six separate fires in Coos County.

All were reported under control.

About 160 acres east of Bandon was charred by the largest of the blazes.

Levy Fact Rant

By L. F. Reizenstein

For some types of juvenile mischief a stern warning could be less effective than a stern-WARNING.



GUN SMOKE — More than guns were smoking in Yoncalla when the Eagle Theater and Sweet Shop burned. Loss to the owners was estimated at \$30,000. (Drain Enterprise)