

House Calls Up For Certain Approval Phony Reductions In Kennedy's Budget

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The House called up for certain approval today phony cuts of at least \$184 million in President Kennedy's budget plus some reductions that actually might save money.

The bogus budget cuts provided in a \$5.5 billion money bill were the kind that has proved popular with the lawmakers for years. They help Congress establish an economy record without cutting off any federal services that might bring voter complaints.

Many lawmakers are particularly anxious to establish a budget-cutting record this spring to help justify a vote later for an income tax cut.

The \$5.5 billion appropriation bill carries funds to finance the

Health, Education and Welfare Department and Labor Department in the fiscal year starting July 1. The total was \$309 million less than President Kennedy requested, but well over one-half of the reductions won't save taxpayers any money.

In drafting the bill, the appropriations committee cut \$175 million from the \$2.9 billion the administration estimated it would need for federal grants to help finance relief for the needy aged, blind and disabled.

The committee, as it always does, said it thought the administration had over-estimated the amount it would need. But whatever is needed will have to be provided, unless Congress changes the law to reduce federal commitments. No one is proposing that. If the administration's forecast turns out to be correct, Congress will have to put up the additional money early next year.

Other congressional news:

Works: Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield predicted the Senate would reject any major attempt to cut a \$450 million appropriation for President Kennedy's public works program. But GOP economy advocates were still hoping to cut up to \$200 million from the \$450 million voted by the House and approved by the Senate Appropriations Committee.

Javits: Sen. Jacob K. Javits,

R.N.Y., proposed that the United States and its Western allies form a collective defense agreement with Israel "and any other Middle East state willing to join." The purpose, he said, would be to preserve peace and security in the Middle East, "guaranteeing military assistance and cooperation to prevent or thwart any effort to alter its boundaries by force."

Reedsport To Buy Old Bank Building

The Reedsport City Council Monday night gave its approval to a plan by which the Umpqua National Bank building would be purchased as a city hall and library.

City attorney William Jayne was instructed to investigate means for purchasing the building in downtown Reedsport.

The motion followed an analysis submitted by Fred Kruse, a Coos Bay architect. President O. H. Hinsdale of the bank has offered the building for sale to the city at a cost of \$35,000. It plans to construct a new building on lots about a block away from the present site and to incorporate more modern service features.

Kruse also analyzed plans for construction of a jail either adjacent to the present community building or separately.

Kruse said the costs by accepting the offer by Hinsdale would drastically reduce construction costs formerly contemplated. These included a new library for \$25,000 and a \$60,000 for a new jail. Other city administration facilities were also needed, since the council chambers and recorder's office have been housed for the past several years, as an expedient, in the Community Building.

Kruse estimated remodeling costs for the bank building for both city library and city administration use would be within \$5,000. Estimates for developing a jail and police station next to the community building were estimated at \$32,000 or, if built separately, \$37,000.

The proposal for the library on the main floor of the bank building was questioned sharply by County Librarian Carol Trimble and City Library Board Chairman Ed Seabloom.

Equipment, Tools Taken From Trailer At Umpqua

Larceny of equipment and tools from a trailer of the Hamer Corp. sometime over the weekend has been reported to the sheriff's department for investigation.

The loss was estimated at in excess of \$800. The trailer was parked with other equipment, three miles west of Umpqua, where Hamer has a road construction job for the county. The door of the trailer, which houses tools and equipment for maintenance and repair work, was forced open.

Blake Baird, of Umpqua Star Rt., also reported theft of tires and other items from his garage, sometime between April 14 and April 25.

Youths Forfeit Bail On Possession Count

Three local youths forfeited \$25 bail each by their failure to appear in Roseburg Municipal Court to answer to charges of being minors in possession of alcoholic beverages Monday.

They were Norman Paul Neal, 20, 612 W. Finlay St., Roseburg; James Robert Lewis, 19, Winston, and Peter Richard Rutter, 19, Rifle Range Road.

Ronald Marvin Ronholdt, 30, 3148 W. Harvard Blvd., and his estranged wife, Janet Virginia, were given two days suspended jail sentences by Judge Warren Woodruff on guilty pleas of disturbing the peace.

JFK Urges Every Family Purchase Savings Bond

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Kennedy today urged every family to buy at least one government bond during the Treasury's freedom savings bond drive beginning May 1 and continuing through July 4.

"Because each one of us has a personal responsibility to help preserve freedom and to build a just and enduring peace, I heartily endorse this drive and ask all Americans to enlist in the cause of freedom by buying savings bonds," the President said in a special statement.

Rodeo Booster Buttons Go On Sale Wednesday

Douglas County Rodeo Queen Trudy Esselstrom and her court will be at Myrtle Creek Wednesday night to start the Booster Button sale. The sale will be in progress at the Elks Youth Dance.

Buttons sold may be used for admittance to all or any of the rodeo dances which will be held June 14, the evening preceding the rodeo.

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FOUR MEMBERS OF the American Nazi party were picketing the Shrine Auditorium in Los Angeles Sunday during the 15th anniversary "Tribute to Israel" program when a riot erupted. Several persons and four policemen were hospitalized as a result. Booked on suspicion of assault with a deadly weapon are: (left to right) Lyle McLaughlin, Marvin Reeves, Leonard Holstein and William Marion members of the Nazi group. (UPI Telephoto)

5 American Nazi Party Members Held For Assault At Jewish Fete

LOS ANGELES (UPI) — Five members of the American Nazi party today were to be formally charged with assault following a club-swinging melee at a Jewish celebration.

Police said they would meet with representatives of the district attorney's office this morning to seek complaints against the men charging assault with a deadly weapon. Detectives said the suspects probably would be arraigned this afternoon.

Concert Slated At Glide Church

The Girl's Trio of the Canyonville Bible Academy will appear in sacred concert Sunday May 5th at the Glide Church of the Open Bible. The Glide Assembly of God Church will join the host church for this presentation. Time for the concert is 7 p.m.

According to the Rev. Raymond E. Warner, host pastor, the Trio has traveled extensively throughout Oregon this year on behalf of the Bible Academy. Members are Elaine Eoff of Caldwell, Idaho; Dee Ann Broderson, Portland, and Sharon Rose of North Bend. The Rev. Grant L. Ford, accompanist and school representative, will direct the concert.

Ford comes to the Canyonville school with a background in church and school music. He has served as associate pastor in several churches and was formerly a music teacher in Southern California.

The public is invited to attend the concert. The church is located across from Glide High School.

Wheat Farmers Urged To Register For Vote

"Small farm" wheat operators have been urged to register for the May 21 vote on the 1964 wheat program referendum, by Curtis Barker, chairman, Douglas County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee. Deadline for registering is May 13.

Small farms are those with wheat allotments of less than 15 acres. All growers on these farms will be eligible to vote if the operator of the farm indicates in advance an intention to participate in the program as an allotment grower if the program is approved.

According to Barker, voter eligibility for the referendum is established by laws, much the same way as state law provides that voters be legal residents of the state, subject to state laws, and registered to vote at the prescribed time in advance of the election.

Those wishing to vote may register at the ASCS county office, room 214 at the county courthouse.



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Violent Spring Weather Takes 12 Lives In South And Midwest

Tornadoes and powerful thunderstorms killed 12 persons in five southern and Midwest states Monday night and winds up to hurricane force roamed the midlands today.

The latest of a vicious series of springtime twisters and storms killed five persons in Mississippi, three in Tennessee, two in Missouri, and one each in Alabama and Indiana. Damage to wrecked homes and businesses totaled millions of dollars.

The onslaught continued today, with hurricane force winds of 88 miles per hour slamming through the south Texas community of

Kenedy. Torrential rains lashed the town and the high winds blew outbuildings apart and knocked down power lines.

To the north, whole gale warnings were hoisted on Lakes Michigan, Erie and St. Clair.

Coast Guard vessels plowed through waves 10 to 20 feet high on Lake Michigan in search of a 25-foot powerboat reported missing Monday night with two Ludington, Mich., men aboard. The boat set out for Ludington Sunday night from Sheboygan, Wis.

Heavy Rain Recorded
Pounding rains and freakish, wintry weather followed the tornadoes. The Weather Bureau reported an unofficial measurement of eight inches of rain in seven hours at Fort Payne, Ala. Springfield, Ill., had more than an inch of rain in 60 minutes, plus 60-mile-an-hour winds. There was two inches of rain at Rockford, Ill., and 3.25 inches of rain at Oak Lawn, Ill., near Chicago.

A cold wind blew snow flurries through Chicago streets and Loop workers bent into blasts worthy of mid-Febuary.

Before the snows came, Chicago had 2.57 inches of rain in 24 hours. The temperature fell to 24 degrees at night and Glencoe and 42-mile-per-hour winds howled through the city. The Chicago River rose three feet above its normal height and floodgates at Lockport, Ill., were opened to bring down the level.

More snows fell across northern Wisconsin and Michigan, with total

depths of up to three inches forecast. Iowa rivers, swollen by spring rains, surged toward flood stage. Freeze warnings were posted as far south as the southern tip of Illinois.

Planes Are Delayed
The high winds swept eastward and caused delays for incoming and outgoing planes at New York's Idlewild and La Guardia airports. Landing delays ranged from a few minutes to a half-hour.

The Weather Bureau reported cold air sweeping across the nation's midsection had pushed temperatures into the 20s and 30s from the Dakotas to northern Michigan. Temperatures were warm and humid in much of the East and storms were expected with the arrival of the advancing cold front.

Suspected Forger Will See Counsel

Richard Oliver Dover, 20, of Bakersfield, Calif., was granted time to see an attorney, when he appeared before District Court Judge Gerald Hayes on a forgery charge Monday. The case was continued to today with bail set at \$3,000.

A complaint charges Dover with forgery in connection with a forged signature to a check passed at a local business establishment. Two such checks are outstanding, according to the sheriff's department. One is for \$86 on Mark's Southgate Market, and the other for \$49 on the Douglas County State Bank.

Chief Criminal Deputy Merle Jensen returned Saturday night, bringing Dover here from Oklahoma City. Dover's wife, Betty Ann, also, wanted here on a check charge, is being held in that city on a pending grand larceny count. Kenneth Grant Taylor and Raymond Alfred Farnsworth, both of Eugene and arrested by state police, pleaded guilty Monday in District Court to drunken driving. Each was sentenced to 60 days in the county jail and fined \$150 and \$5 costs.

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Machinists Plan Boeing Strike

SEATTLE (UPI) — Members of the International Association of Machinists at Cape Canaveral, Fla., are scheduled to spearhead a strike against the Boeing Co. beginning Thursday morning.

The union blueprint calls for the strike to move to Boeing installations throughout the country on a day-by-day basis and hit the nerve center of the giant missile and aircraft firm here one week from today.

The dispute involves a bargaining unit of 41,000 production and maintenance workers of whom about 26,000 are union members. The latest contract offer by Boeing was turned down in nationwide balloting by 877 votes.

Seattle was expected to bear the economic brunt of the strike since about 30,000 workers of the bargaining unit are employed here. Most of the others are at Wichita, Kan., with smaller numbers at 12 Air Force Minuteman installations throughout the country.

At east plant, the strike will begin at 6 a.m. local time or at the end of the third shift, whichever is later.

From Cape Canaveral, the strike is scheduled to move to Wichita Friday. All Strategic Air Command and Minuteman bases (Minuteman, Rapid City, S.D.; Sedalia, Mo.; Cheyenne, Wyo., and Halmstrom AFB, will be struck Saturday. Vandenberg, Calif., Huntsville, Ala., and Michoud, La., will be struck Monday. The Ogden, Utah, facility will be struck at the same time as the Seattle-Renton plants.

Main issues in the latter stages of the dispute have been centered on the firm's job performance analysis. Basic wages with hourly increases of 22 to 32 cents over the next three years were not the prime issue.

The company has said that in the event of a strike, it would continue to operate all facilities to the maximum degree possible.

Eastwood School Sets Fun Event

Family "Fun Day" for Eastwood School has been set for this Sunday beginning at 2 p.m. at the school, according to Mrs. Charles Kliver, chairman of the ways and means committee. Besides being an occasion for families and friends of the school to get together for a good time, the event will also be the major fund-raising effort of the year for the school.

Mrs. Kliver said. Co-sponsors are the PTA and the Eastwood Dad's Club.

Activities for the afternoon will include softball, horseshoe pitching, baseball throw and bowling, races and a "twist" contest. Home baked goods will be served as well as hot dogs soft drinks and coffee.

Camp Fire and Blue Bird groups will have a candy sale booth and the Cub Scouts will have a grab bag booth.

All families in the area are invited to participate in the event.

Weekly Paper Sold

MORO, Ore. (UPI) — The Sherman County Journal, a weekly newspaper here, has been sold by Giles French to Daniel Bartlett. French, a former state representative, was owner and publisher of the paper since 1931. Bartlett is the former owner and publisher of the weekly Hermiston Herald. He sold it several years ago.

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