

Polite E. German Border Guards Pass Many Visitors Through Berlin's Wall

BERLIN (UPI)—Communist border guards passed West Berliners swiftly and politely into East Berlin today in the first mass visiting permitted on the other side of the wall since August, 1961.

Principals Name Study Committee

Jim Hayden, Fullerton IV School principal, has been named chairman of a regional study committee for the southwestern region of the Oregon Elementary Principals' Association.

The appointment was announced by Calvin C. Peterson, Roseburg, regional president.

Plans for this year's regional study are now being drafted. The committee will meet again early in January for further considerations on a study proposal.

Herbert LeRoy Wade

Herbert LeRoy Wade, 50, a resident of Roseburg, died Wednesday at a local hospital following a prolonged illness.

fast. Communist police dropped their usual controls and cleared the visitors in about a minute. This is from 29 minutes to an hour faster than normal.

But only a relatively small number of Berliners could get the passes. The morning's flow through the wall's five crossing points was limited to about 2,000 persons because of the pass shortage.

Another 23,000 persons waited to get the passes in and outside the issuing offices in West Berlin schools. Other applicants were told not to try for passes today.

Until the agreement for the passes was reached this week between East Germany and West Berlin, only foreigners and West Germans not resident in Berlin had been allowed to visit East Berlin.

Today's border crossers were waiting before dawn for the passes.

One of the four major events of the school year at Fullerton IV School took place Monday when grades four, five and six presented a Christmas program for parents and friends.

According to Mrs. Don Severson, reporting for the school, lack of space precludes having an all-school program and Monday's event was the highlight of the year for these grades.

David Vanderhoff was general chairman for the program which featured a play about a family Christmas told through dreams and reminiscing.

Hayden is regarded as well qualified to participate in administrative and instructional investigation. For seven years he has served as principal for Roseburg elementary schools.

He has also served in teaching and administrative positions at Winston-Dillard, Rogue River, Payette, Idaho, and Point Barrow, Alaska.

Dan Edwin Wells

Dan Edwin Wells, 56, 1682 NW Keasey St., Roseburg, died at his home Thursday morning.

crossing points to open, patiently forming lines in cold and snow.

Only 22,300 passes were issued Thursday on the first day of pass distribution. A larger number of applicants, 24,000, had to be turned away empty-handed when the issuing offices closed.

There was no formal ceremony unsealing the wall. Eastern police simply walked to the border, raised customs barrier poles, and waved pedestrians and motorists through.

About 100 West Berliners were allowed in the Soviet sector Thursday, a day ahead of schedule. But today was the start of the mass visits.

The visitors who unexpectedly received permission ahead of time Thursday returned from East Berlin Thursday night. Some were crying and some were laughing.

"We didn't have time to tell them we were coming," she said. "We just suddenly appeared at their door. For the first few minutes they couldn't speak."

The visits are permitted for one day only and the passes expire at midnight on that day. The holiday visiting period will last until Jan. 5.

Passes are issued only to those having close relatives in the Soviet sector of the city. And no passes are issued at all to East Berliners to come to the West. If they did cross the wall, there would be no way for Communist authorities to get them to come back.

Sunday Schools Slate Christmas Programs

Two more Sunday Schools of the area have announced special Christmas programs to be held this Sunday.

At 6:30 p.m., the Riversdale Sunday School will present its program in the multipurpose room of Riversdale School.

The Junior high group of the church plans a caroling party Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

An automobile operated by Edith Gertrude Compton, 60, of 1437 SE Mosher St., Roseburg, went into a skid as she applied her brakes coming off the east end of the Oak Avenue Bridge Thursday about 8:40 a.m., city police report.

The car struck the guard rail on the north side and broke off a post at the ground.

The Roseburg Rod and Gun Club will sponsor a shotgun turkey and ham shoot at the range near Winchester Sunday.

The case involves the alleged theft of a woman's purse containing \$184.79 from a car. The purse and part of the money has been recovered.

The deputy sheriff's investigation revealed the woman and three men, including Osborn and Short, had been together in a car. They left the car for a short time and when they returned, the woman's purse was missing, she said.

The incident occurred along a road leading south from Highway 42 at Brookway. Winston City Police were notified, and the sheriff's department was called to investigate.

War Crimes Trial Opens In Germany

(Continued from Page 1) forcing naked prisoners to stand in snow until they froze, hid his face behind a copy of the indictment, which is four times the length of the Bible.

Emil Hantl, accused of helping operate the gas chambers that killed thousands of persons every day from 1942 until 1944, fidgeted with his fingers.

The trial, biggest since the Allied occupation courts finished their work with major Nazi offenders, may be one of the longest since the war. The

Kennedys Plan Quiet Yule Season

PALM BEACH, Fla. (UPI)—Polite Secret Service agents are seeing to it that Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy and her two children are not bothered by anyone but Santa Claus.

Agents at the gates of a villa lent to the family by C. Michael Paul and on the telephones are kindly informing callers the family wishes seclusion for the holidays.

But Santa will be welcomed to the two homes to leave gifts for the Kennedy children.

John Jr., 3, and Caroline, 6, will rip the wrappers off presents early Christmas morning and then will ride about a mile north to the home of their grandfather, former Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy.

A private Christmas Mass will be said in the elder Kennedy's home, followed by the exchange of more gifts. Grandfather Kennedy has picked out some "special gifts" for the two children, said Ann Gargan, the companion and niece of Joseph Kennedy.

The ailing former ambassador has been confined mostly to a wheelchair because of a stroke two years ago. But he was planning to swim almost daily with his grandchildren, a family spokesman said.

Yule Activities Set By D-W Methodists

A special Christmas service will be held at the Dillard-Winston Methodist Church on Christmas Eve from 7 to 8. The public is invited. This will be a candlelight and musical program. Several special musical numbers will be presented.

On Sunday, Dec. 22, there will be a Sunday School program of music and song at the Church at 7 p.m. Following the program treats will be provided for the children and adults will be served refreshments.

The junior high group of the church plans a caroling party Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

The sheriff's department early today took into custody two 24-year-old Winston men, who have been lodged in the Douglas County jail under charges of larceny over \$75.

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defendants, who ranged in age from 42 to 68, stand accused of dozens of specific crimes.

About 250 witnesses from the United States, Israel, Poland, Austria, and 11 other countries have been called in the trial, which is expected to last six to eight months.

About 120 newsmen from both sides of the Iron Curtain have been issued courtroom passes. The trial is so large that it had to be moved to the council rooms of the Frankfurt City Hall.

Water Resources Board Sets Meet

The Oregon Water Resources Board will hold a public hearing on the modification of the Umpqua River Basin program on Oct. 31, 1960, at 9:30 on Jan. 16 in the state capitol at Salem.

Douglas County Water Resources engineer Ben Irving said today he plans to attend that meeting.

Up for discussion will be proposals to allow small 7 1/2-horse power plants to be operated on the river and to make it permissible for irrigation of up to one-half acre by residents living along the river.

Irving said he also plans to attend a meeting of the Interagency Task Committee at Coquille on Jan. 7 for consideration of projects on the Rogue, Umpqua and Coquille Rivers.

This meeting will involve reports by several governmental agencies working on projects on the three rivers.

Accused Russian Spy Granted Bail

PHILADELPHIA (UPI)—The U.S. Court of Appeals for the 3rd Circuit Thursday approved \$100,000 bail for Igor A. Ivanov, 32, a Russian chauffeur indicted with an American engineer on charges of spying against the United States.

Three appeals court judges approved the high bail for Ivanov but failed to rule on a similar appeal from John Butenko, 38, Orange, N.J., who worked for the International Electric Corp., Paramus, N.J.

Ivanov and Butenko were arrested in Englewood, N.J., and later indicted by a federal grand jury in Newark on three counts of conspiring to transmit secrets of the Strategic Air Command.

Three members of the Soviet delegation were also accused but were protected by diplomatic immunity and later expelled from this country.

The ruling Thursday by appeals court Chief Judge John Biggs, Jr., and Judges William Hastie and William F. Smith restricted Ivanov's travel to New Jersey and New York City.

Man Killed By Auto Not From Roseburg

A report on the press wires today that a Glen Johnson of Metolius had been killed in an auto accident startled Roseburg residents because a man by that name had recently moved from Roseburg to Central Oregon.

A check however, proved that the Glen Johnson, formerly of Roseburg, was "very much alive." He is shop foreman for Juckland Motors of Klamath Falls. He had formerly worked for Sig Fett in Roseburg and was a member of the Roseburg Rural Fire Department volunteers.

The man killed was struck by a car at Metolius while walking along Highway 97 in fog and rain Thursday night. Mrs. Charlotte Van Orsalo of Madras, who was driving the car, said she did not see Johnson in the darkness. No citation was issued.

Winston Baptists Set Christmas Celebration

An evening of fellowship in celebration of the Christmas season is planned Saturday by the Winston Missionary Baptist Church beginning with a potluck supper at 6 p.m.

A gift presentation and an exchange of gifts by "secret sisters" of the church will be held and treats will be distributed to all members.

Solons Called Back To Capital To Finish Work On Foreign Aid

WASHINGTON (UPI)—Congressional leaders today abandoned plans to adjourn Congress tonight, called on scores of members who already have left town to return, and said they plan to keep the lawmakers here until a contested foreign aid bill has been finally passed.

They acted under the prodding of President Johnson who told Democratic leaders of House and Senate at a White House strategy session it was imperative not only that they finish work on the aid measure but that they send it to the White House minus a House-approved curb on use of government credit in the proposed sale of surplus U.S. wheat to Russia.

This posed a tough task for House leaders, who apparently were expected to turn around enough home-bound House members to reverse a 218 to 169 roll call vote by which the House only last Monday had approved the trade curb.

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Christian Church Offers Concert

The choirs of the Roseburg First Christian Church will present their annual Christmas concert Sunday beginning at 7:30 p.m. S. Clarence Trued will direct the senior choir and Jessie Crenshaw will direct the junior choir.

Accompaniment for both groups will be by Virginia Young, pianist, and Ruth Trued, organist, assisted by instrumentalists Virginia Hausotter and Esther Dillon, violin; Linnea McGehee, viola; Jim Keefe, bass, and Dr. Ron McGehee, clarinet.

The program will begin with the singing of "Silent Night" by both choir and congregation and will continue with varied selections traditional to the Christmas season to be sung by the choirs. Several of these will be from Handel's "Messiah." Guest pianist Richard Waters will offer "Capriccioso" by Mendelssohn.

The complete ensemble of choirs and orchestra will conclude the program with the Hallelujah Chorus from "The Messiah."

The Dorcas Circle and other ladies of the church will serve refreshments in the basement of the church following the program.

The public is invited to join with the congregation in this celebration of Christmas.

February Draft Under January

WASHINGTON (UPI)—The Defense Department's draft call for February is for 12,000 men for the Army, 4,000 less than the quota set for January.

The Pentagon, in announcing the call Thursday, said 21,500 recruits would be needed in February but 9,500 were expected to come from voluntary enlistments.

Suspended Sentence Is Meted Ole Fosback

EUGENE (UPI)—Ole Fosback, 41, Florence, convicted last week of involuntary manslaughter, has received a suspended sentence from Circuit Judge Roland Rodman.

Fosback was convicted of accidentally shooting William J. Michelson, 26, Springfield while ejecting shells from his rifle at the Siuslaw Rod and Gun Club in Florence.

According to Fosback, the weapon slipped and discharged, striking Michelson in the back. He died a short time later at a Florence hospital.

Dist. Atty. William Frye joined Defense Attorney Sid Nicholson of Florence in requesting the action on grounds the circumstances of the case did not warrant imprisonment.

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Seasonal Events Set By Baptists

The youth Christmas program at the Roseburg First Baptist Church, corner of Rose and Lane streets, will be presented Sunday at 7 p.m. by the junior high and senior high departments.

Mrs. A. G. McLain, youth committee chairman, and Mrs. George Hughes, senior high advisor, are directing the program.

The musical numbers will be a vocal solo by Donna Shelton, vocal trio by Jan and Donnie Pearson and Mrs. George Hughes, a flute solo by Glenda Beach, piano solo by Glenda McLain, and a caroling group. There will be an enrollment of families as people enter the sanctuary and the program will close with a candlelighting ceremony. Refreshments will be served in the social hall.

On Sunday morning at 11 o'clock the Christmas worship service will be held with the choir singing special Christmas music and the pastor, Dr. Eugene F. Gerlitz, speaking on "The Night God Came To Call."

On Monday evening, Dec. 23, at 7 o'clock the senior high youth people will go caroling. A Christmas vesper service will be held on Christmas Eve, at 5:30 p.m. in the church sanctuary. The theme will be "The Renewing Power of Christmas."

The public is invited to these Christmas observances.

Sutherland Church Schedules Program

Approximately 40 children of the Church of the Nazarene in Sutherland will take part in the Christmas program, "The Heart of Christmas," this Sunday at 7 p.m. at the church.

All age groups from kindergarten through high school will be represented.

According to the Rev. B. E. Longenecker, pastor, the program will feature songs and recitations in presenting the Christmas story. Leroy Coast and Ernestine Simmons will be narrators. The junior high section will present the missionary aspect of Christmas and the senior high group will present "Scene at the Inn."

Treats will be distributed to children at the close of the program. All area residents are invited to attend.

BLM Has Called Bids For Slash Disposal

Bids will be opened Dec. 23 on a Bureau of Land Management project involving roadside cleanup and slash disposal in Douglas, Coos and Yamhill counties.

The areas of Douglas County involved are not included in the Roseburg district. All bid openings will take place in the Bureau's field administrative office in Portland. The work on all jobs is set aside for small business concerns only.

More detailed information can be secured with from Portland or from the district manager in Coos Bay.

McCormack declined to reveal specifically what was discussed at the White House. He indicated however no new issues were brought up for injection into the already quarrelsome atmosphere.

Before the White House conference, legislative leaders had planned to wind up the first session of the 88th Congress sometime today. If the deadlock persisted, they had intended to shelve the problem until the next session convened Jan. 7.

A number of senators and House members already had headed for home as the longest continuous peacetime session of Congress neared its end.

Missile Scores Fourth Success

CAPE KENNEDY (UPI)—The 3,000-mile flight of an advanced Minuteman ICBM Wednesday night was the fourth successful firing of America's mighty long-range rockets within 21 hours.

The Air Force fired three Atlas missiles earlier Wednesday from its Pacific missile test base in California. Two were ballistic shots more than 5,000 miles over the Pacific and one Atlas boosted a secret satellite into an earth orbit.

The solid-fuel Minuteman blazed from its concrete silo imbedded in the sands of Cape Kennedy and streaked ahead of a brilliant white flame into the fringes of space on its way along the Atlantic missile range. It disappeared from view in the star studded sky about three minutes later.

The 54-foot three stage minuteman carried hundreds of pounds of test instruments in its nose cone to test the performance of a new and more powerful second stage.

Sutherland Event Proves Popular

More than 500 persons turned out at Sutherland High School this week for the annual Christmas Community Sing which has become one of the city's traditional highlights of the year.

"Christmas Around the World" was the theme for the 1963 program, in which nine church choirs, the high school chorus, the junior high school chorus and the high school band participated.

One of the most enthusiastically received numbers was the presentation of "Twas the Night Before Christmas" by the high school band, with Ray Weisenborn serving as the narrator, according to Mrs. William Blakeley, correspondent.

Other highlights of the evening were two living tableaux, the Three Wise Men and the Nativity Scene, presented by the art department and the drama club.

During the program, Sutherland Band Director Herb Anderson led the audience in singing. All of the decorations for the program were arranged by the high school art department under the direction of Jim Heath.

Mill Shop Burglarized

Eston Dumont of Glide reported to the sheriff's department Thursday a burglary of a shop at the old Associated Plywood mill off Carnes Road. The building was broken into, and an electric wrench was reported missing. Entry was gained by breaking a window on the north side.

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