

# Prisoner Mistreatment Law Aimed At Brutality

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Justice Department officials said Wednesday their latest civil rights proposal would make it easier to convict policemen guilty of brutality and third-degree methods of interrogation.

Atty. Gen. Robert F. Kennedy asked Congress Tuesday to close loopholes in the present federal ban on beatings imposed on prisoners in the guise of law enforcement.

In a message sent to congressional leaders, Kennedy also appealed for stiffer fines and jail sentences for anyone convicted of such offenses.

Burke Marshall, assistant attorney general in charge of the civil rights division, said only three convictions for police brutality have been obtained during 12 prosecutions in the two years ending last June 30. Four cases are still pending in the courts.

## Ribicoff Asks Cabinet Rank For Education

WASHINGTON (AP)—Abraham Ribicoff, secretary of health, education and welfare, wants all federal education activities consolidated in a new cabinet-level department.

"In my opinion education is power," said Ribicoff. "I think in this respect the Soviet Union has recognized this a lot better than we have."

Ribicoff, testifying recently before a House appropriations subcommittee, said a minimum of 60,000 boys or girls in the upper third of their high school graduating classes don't get to college because they can't afford it. Another 60,000 students with good grades drop out of college every year because they don't have the money to continue, he added.

"I don't think we can afford it," he told the committee. "I for one think we can do a better job."

He told the subcommittee he would press for creation of a Department of Education, Science and Technology, headed by a secretary.

Ribicoff's department now supervises the Office of Education, which was criticized several years ago by Vice Adm. Hyman Rickover, who made a comparison of United States and Russian educational programs.

## Prison Bill Passes

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The House has passed and sent to the Senate a bill that would allow federal prisoners to be freed on the preceding weekday if their release date falls on a weekend or holiday. Officials said they often had to call in prison workers on overtime rates to process prisoners being released on a weekend or holiday.

## Law Said Too Vague

Kennedy told Congress that the present federal law is too vague and the penalties are too inadequate for cases in which victims of brutality receive severe injuries or die.

Under Supreme Court rulings, he added, police accused of beatings or forcing confessions often are successful in pleading that they did not realize a prisoner's constitutional guarantees were being violated.

## Recommended in '61 Report

The present maximum penalties — a \$1,000 fine and one year in prison — would be increased to a \$5,000 fine and a life sentence if the bill is approved.

The U. S. Civil Rights Commission recommended such legislation in its 1961 report on the administration of justice. Although most law enforcement officers do their job properly, the commission said, police brutality is still a serious problem in many parts of the country and Negroes suffer more than any other group.

## Spanish Teachers To Attend Workshop

SALEM (UPI)—The Oregon Education Department Wednesday urged teachers who want to improve their fluency in Spanish to sign up for a 29-day workshop on Mexico to be held in Mexico City starting June 16.

The program is sponsored by the American Heritage Assn. In addition to studies at Mexico City College, participants will visit Guadalajara, Morelia, Mazatlan, Taxco and Vera Cruz.



## On Trial

Duane Harms, 23, second from right, was pictured in Weld County Court at Greeley, Colo., Tuesday as he went on trial charged with involuntary manslaughter. Harms was the driver of the ill-fated school bus which was struck by a train near Greeley in December. Twenty children died in the crash.

## U.S. Joins War Games

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Pentagon announced Tuesday that U.S. troops would join Latin American military forces in war games next September in Honduras.

## Johnny Weissmuller Sued for Divorce

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Johnny Weissmuller's fourth wife wants a divorce.

Allene Gates Weissmuller married the onetime screen Tarzan in 1948. She said they parted last July.

Weissmuller is now 57 and Mrs. Weissmuller 37. Her suit for divorce, filed Tuesday, charged cruelty.

## Unions Okay Departure Of 2 Vessels

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — The West Coast maritime strike moved into its sixth day Wednesday with no indication of a settlement, although both sides in the dispute have agreed to concessions on some strike issues.

Three striking Maritime unions — sailors, firemen and cooks and stewards — agreed Tuesday to permit immediate sailing of two vessels with military cargo, including 1,500 tons of nuclear test material for Christmas Island.

The agreement between the unions and the Pacific Maritime Assn., representing the employers, also will allow passenger ships at Honolulu to return with their passengers to West Coast ports.

However, there were no negotiations scheduled between the PMA and the striking unions which would bring an end to the walkout.

## Mail Pouring In For John Glenn

LANGLEY FIELD, Va. (AP) — More than 30,000 fan letters and packages have been sent to John H. Glenn Jr. since he soared into history. They have contained everything from pennies to an offer to name an orchid entry in a spring flower show for him.

This was reported Wednesday by officials at the headquarters of the Project Mercury astronauts. The mail has piled in here, at Cape Canaveral, Fla., and Washington.

Writers include a child who enclosed four pennies "to help pay the way for manned space flight."

"Scores of offers have come in to name things for John," said one official. "They range from the orchid to bridges, and from schools to libraries."

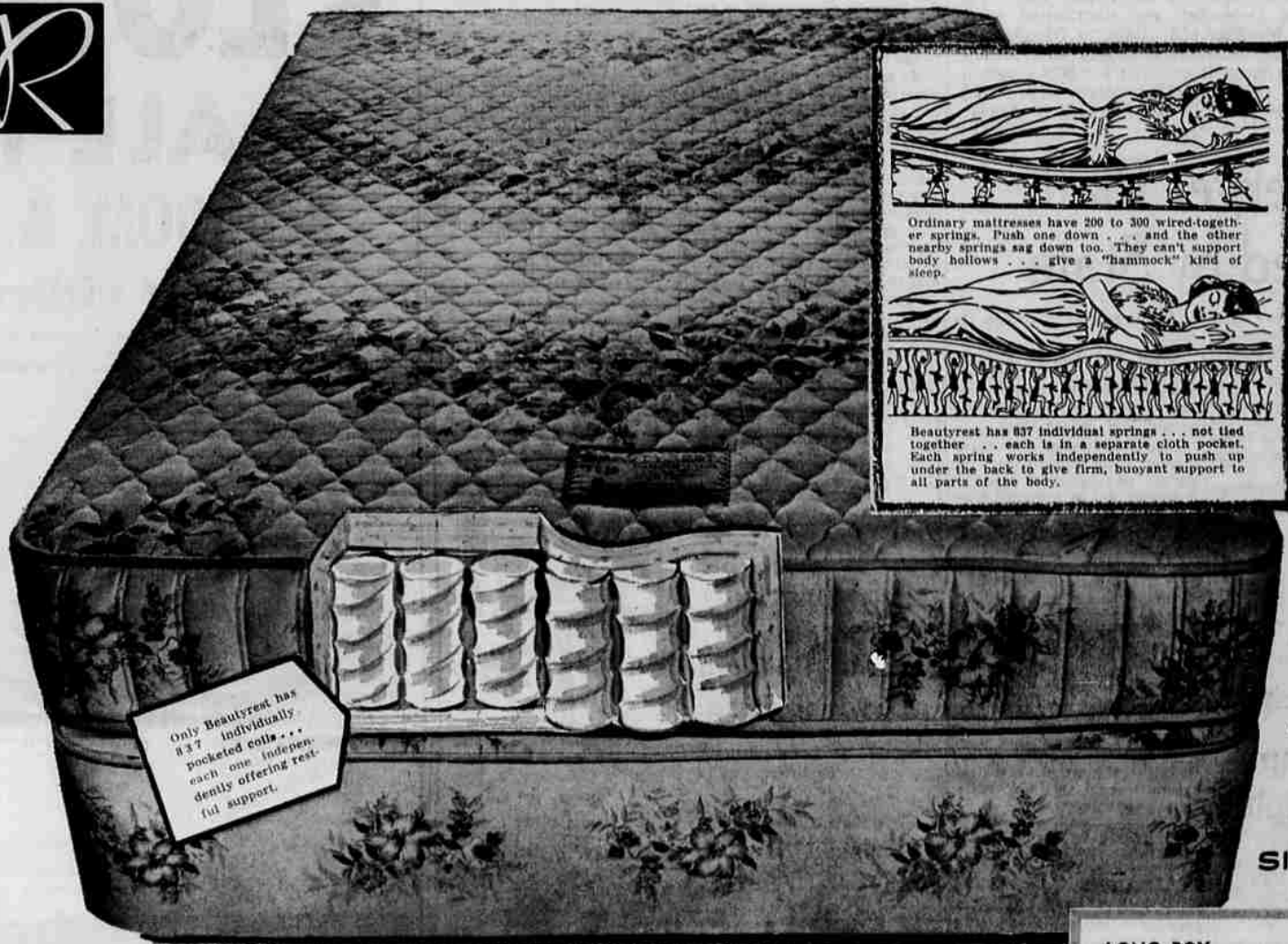
Governors of various states want Glenn to pay a visit. He has offers of free cruises on

steamships, an all-expenses-paid trip to Hawaii and gifts ranging from cakes and candy to an electric computer and an adding machine.

All incoming gift packages are checked to determine whether they look like some attempt at commercialism. If they do, they are returned with thanks.

All cash gifts are being turned over to a special fund which eventually will be donated to charity. This includes a check for \$100 from a physician who wrote Glenn: "You deserve a party—go out and have a good time."

The names and hometowns of the letter writers are not available right now. Officials at the Washington headquarters of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration said they were still sorting Glenn's mail and could not give any breakdowns.



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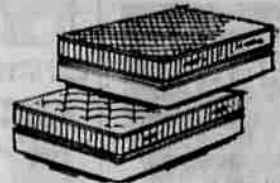
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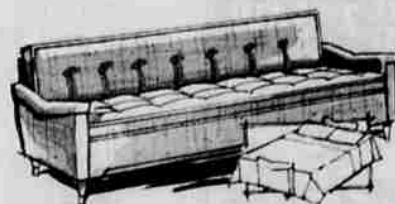
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