(AP Wirephoto)

Packy Strolls It was the three-month birthday Saturday for Packy, the Portland Zoo's baby elephant, and they let him celebrate by letting him out of the elephant house for a stroll. But his mother, Belle, left, and his Aunt, Pet, were right with him.

Portland May Get Convention

Former members of the 96th Infantry Division, which gained the nickname "Deadeyes" from its exploits in The Philippines and Okinawa during World War II, are being asked to request the division's association to hold its 1963 convention in Portland.

The correspondence secretary is Richard Klassen, Route N. 5, Kankakee, Ill.

According to Keith A. Burbidge, 248 Draper Drive, NE, Salem, there is a chance that Portland will be the 1963 convention site.

This year's convention is to be held in Dallas, Tex., July 26, 27 and 28.

Speedy Okay Expected for Celebrezze

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Kennedy's nomination of Mayor Anthony J. Celebrezze of Cleveland to be the next secretary of welfare appears headed for speedy Senate confirmation.

Senate Republican leaders said they doubted there would be any opposition and Democrats were high in their praise of Celebrezze, 51, named Saturday to succeed Abraham A. Ribicoff.

The White House sent the nomination to the Senate Monday. There it was to be turned over to the Finance Committee.

Chairman Harry F. Byrd, D-Va., said no hearings are planned but, as is customary, Celebrezze will be required to make an appearance before the group.

"So far as I know there is no objection to him," said Byrd at his home in Berryville, Va.

Celebrezze, now serving an unprecedented fifth term as Cleveland's mayor, is due in Washington Tuesday for a conference with Kennedy.

Byrd said the Finance Committee has a heavy schedule this week. It is working on the President's tax revision bill and is scheduled to begin public hearings Wednesday on the House-passed trade expansion measure.

Byrd said the nomination will be worked in "as soon as we can—there won't be any delay."

On the Republican side, Senate GOP Leader Everett M. Dirksen of Illinois said, "I assume the record will disclose nothing that will prevent his confirmation."

Noting Celebrezze's popularity with Cleveland voters, Dirksen remarked: "Evidently he's done a very able job."

The assistant Senate Republican leader, Thomas H. Kuchel of California, said: "I see no reason for any opposition or for the nomination to be treated in a partisan manner."

Celebrezze was elected to the Ohio Senate in 1950 and reelected in 1952. He won his first race for mayor of Cleveland in 1953 and returned to office in 1955, 1957, 1959 and 1961. In winning a fifth term, Celebrezze got a 73.8 per cent plurality and carried every ward in the city.

He was born in Anzi, Italy, of naturalized U.S. citizens and is believed to be the first Italian-American chosen for the cabinet. If he is approved by the Senate he will become the second Roman Catholic in Kennedy's cabinet. The other is the President's brother, Atty. Gen. Robert F. Kennedy.

Ribicoff, former governor of Connecticut, o t the health, education an welfare post Thursday to campaign for the Democratic Senate nomination in his state. On Saturday the Connecticut Democratic convention nominated Ribicoff for U.S. senator.

NASA to Launch Giant Space Sphere

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) —The eastern United States may receive a brilliant predawn show Wednesday when the space agency attempts to inflate a giant space sphere nearly 1,000 miles above the Atlantic Ocean.

Officials hope those up early enough to witness the inflation will have better viewing than on a similar launching last Jan. 15, when one of the big spheres ripped to shreds two seconds after it expanded to its full 135-foot diameter.

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration said that Wednesday is the earliest possible launch date. The attempt will be made between 2 and 4 a.m., PDT. Th rays of the rising sun wil reflect off the aluminum-coated ball and it should appear as a bright star moving across the southern sky.

Purpose of the experiment is to test techniques for launching an advanced Echo communications satellite later this year. The Thor booster is to free the balloon—dubbed Big Shot—at an altitude of 230 miles. The ball, folded neatly in a canister on launching, is to inflate and drift to an altitude of 950 miles before plummeting back to burn up in the earth's atmosphere some 600 miles down range and 20 minutes after launching.

Officials said the first Big Shot burst apart because of an excess of sunblimating powder and residual air inside the sphere.

If the upcoming test works, an effort will be made later this year to hoist an identical balloon into orbit as Echo II to determine how effective it is in relaying radio, voice messages and pictures back to earth.

This so-called passive satellite is one of many types the United States is studying to determine the best and most economical approach to a space communications system. The extreme successful Telstar satellite launched last week is an example of the active repeater type which receives a signal, amplifies it and retransmits it to the ground.

Echo I, launched Aug. 12, 1960, proved that passive communications satellites can work. It still is in orbit but its thin skin has wrinkled, reducing its effectiveness as a signal reflector.

Big Shot is 40 times more rigid and four times heavier than Echo I and is designed to retain its shape until returning to the atmosphere. Its diameter is 135 feet, compared with 100 feet for Echo.

Teamsters, Milk Firms End Dispute

PORTLAND (AP) — The Salem Teamster Union local and six milk processors reached agreement in Portland over the weekend on a contract after a deadlock of three weeks.

Ward Gragam, union secretary-treasurer, said that terms could not be revealed until the membership ratifies the contract. He said he has not set a meeting date.

But the representative for Curly's Dairy of Salem, which also is affiliated with Timber Valley Dairy of Lebanon, said that "we will not sign until the contract meets our satisfaction."

Pat Blair of the Cascade Employers Assn. said that Curly's had offered a 19-cent-an-hour increase, plus improved pension and welfare programs under the Cascade Employers Assn.

Local 324, representing 200 milk truck drivers and plant bottlers, had asked 35 cents an hour above the $22.60 a day that drivers are getting under a contract that expired May 1.

Affected by the contract agreed to Friday are Mayflower of Salem, Snowpeak of Albany, Meadowland of Corvallis, Darigold of McMinnville, and Carnation and Arden.

A month ago local 324 and retail lumber yards agreed on a three year contract for increases of 10 cents an hour for each of the next three years of drivers and warehousemen.

N.Y. Socialite Dies in Leap

NEW YORK (AP) — Margaret Talbott, socialite widow of Harold E. Talbott, secretary of the Air Force ir the Eisenhower administration, plunged 12 stories to her death Sunday from a bedroom window of her Manhattan apartment.

Mrs. Talbott, 62, left five notes, police said. Four were addressed to servants The fifth, apparently to her family, told of her continuing depression over the death of her husband five years ago.

Talbott, 68, died March 2, 1957, in Palm Beach, Fla., of a cerebral hemorrhage. He served as Air Force secretary from 1953 to 1955, when he resigned following a Senate probe into his private business affairs.

In the eight-room apartment on Fifth Avenue at the time of Mrs. Talbott's plunge was John E. Talbott, one of her 23-year-old twin sons, police said. The other son, Harold E. Talbott III, was week-ending on Nantucket Island. Two daughters also survive.

Mrs. Talbott, a member of one of Philadelphia's oldest families, was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John B. Thayer. Her father, an economist, had been vice president of the Pennsylvania Railroad. She married Talbott in Philadelphia Aug. 11, 1925.

Prior to her mariage, she had become known as a business woman, amateur actress, tennis player, golfer, swimmer and big game hunter.

Phone Workers To Get Pay Hike

PORTLAND (UPI) — Pacific Northwest Bell Telephone Co. and the Communications Workers of America Sunday announced an agreement on wage increases for 4,335 telephone employes in Oregon.

A company spokesman said the increases will range from $2 to $5 a week.

The negotiations covered wages only under a provision of a three-year contract which still has one year to go. The new agreement is effective Aug. 19 if ratified by the union membership.

The company estimated the raise will cost about $835,000 annually in the state.

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