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State Forecast

Oregon — Cloudy with few scattered showers today and Tuesday. Low tonight 30 to 38. High temperatures 42 to 52 both days.

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Senate Votes Oregon Game Group Change

House Passes Measure To Increase Hunting, Fishing License Fee

Salem, March 21 (UP)—The senate today passed 26 to 3 and sent to the governor recreating the Oregon state game commission as primarily a policy making body rather than an administrative body.

The measure provides that the commission may hire a full time administrator to take care of administrative routine.

The game commission itself would be reappointed by the governor with two members from west of the Cascades, two from east of the Cascades, and one from the state at large.

Bill Studied
Sen. Orval Thompson, D., Albany, said "the bill is an outgrowth of the interim committee study and of the Gabrielsen report. It places into effect many of the less controversial recommendations."

The original bill called for abolishing the present five-man commission and replacing it with a seven man commission.

This was recommended by the report of Dr. Ira N. Gabrielsen, national wildlife expert. Gabrielsen believed this would be a more representative body.

Measure Amended
The measure was amended back to a five-man commission, however, because lawmakers believed a smaller commission would operate more efficiently.

The house today passed and sent to the senate a bill increasing hunting and fishing licenses to bring in approximately \$1,000,000 a year for the game commission fund.

The measure boosts combination hunting and fishing licenses from \$5 to \$7.50 for residents.

Hunting licenses go up from \$3 to \$5 for residents and from \$25 to \$50 for non-residents; fishing licenses, from \$3 to \$5 for residents, and from \$10 to \$15 for non-residents. Any non-resident, however, would be able to pay \$5 to fish for five consecutive days.

Licenses for persons 14 to 16 years of age are increased from \$1 to \$2.

Redmond Honors Pioneer Ranchers

Old timers from three mid-state counties were in Redmond Saturday as guests of the city on a day set aside to honor pioneer ranchers of the region. A highlight of the day was a dinner at the Redmond hotel, under sponsorship of the Redmond chamber of commerce.

Marking the inauguration of service through the new Redmond studio, the program was broadcast over KEND by remote control, with Kessler Cannon in charge. C. E. "Tommy" Thompson, president, with M. A. Lynch delivering the welcoming address to the old timers, winners in the contest recently sponsored by the Deschutes Farmers cooperative.

A program of songs by Redmond union high school girls, with Miss June Zimeraff as accompanist, and the introduction of guests featured the hour. Girls taking part in the broadcast were Mary Lou Hazen, Jeanne Stauffer, Betty Coleman, Carol Helen Hazen, Darlene Fields, Darlene Skinner and Carol Henderson.

Guests Introduced
Guests were introduced by Phillip Farrell, manager of the cooperative. Farrell paid tribute to the men and women who, as pioneer residents of the region, played important roles in building up the interior country.

John Bolter, who has farmed the same place for 63 years, on Trout creek, was unable to attend the dinner because he had to feed his cattle before starting the trip, but he was on hand for the open house at the cooperative's plant in the afternoon. A. A. McCord, who has lived on a farm on McKay creek near Prineville since 1879, was unable to be present. George Slayton, who first farmed in the Prineville area in 1869, was present at the dinner to represent the old timers who had won awards in the contest.

At the start of the program, Doris Oasington, Redmond union high school student, was presented in baton twirling.

Lester Houk assisted with arrangements for the banquet honoring the old timers.

SON BORN TO CANTOR
New York, March 21 (UP)—Eddie Cantor and his wife, Ida, were the parents of a baby boy today. Cantor is a Brooklyn radio salesman, and the radio comedian.

Truman Says He, Congress 'Basically' Work Together

Predicts Agreements With Legislators To Defeat 'Selfish' Pressure Interests

By LYLE C. WILSON
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
Washington, March 21 (UP)—President Truman said today that he and congress are "basically" working together and will continue to do so for the good of the country.

He told the United States conference of mayors that "of course I differ with the actions of congress on some points, and where these differences are important I shall continue to urge the course I think is right."

But he predicted that "we are going to agree on a lot more things than we disagree on. And when the final score for this congress is added up, some of the selfish pressure groups are going to be pretty badly disappointed."

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Filibuster Unmentioned
They said they did not discuss with Truman the southern filibuster against changes in senate debate rules. Nor did they talk about the action of the senate armed services committee in tabling the nomination of Mon C. Wallgren to be chairman of the national security resources board.

In his speech to the mayors, Truman emphasized need for a big housing program.

"In particular," he said, "we have needed a fresh start in the construction of rental housing for low-income groups, in the clearance of slums and in research to reduce building costs."

The housing shortage cannot be met without a discussion of rent control, Truman added.

"I know you will agree with me on the necessity of maintaining rent control in those areas where there are still serious shortages and few vacancies," he said.

Wheat Farmers Plan Record Crop
Washington, March 21 (UP)—Farmers plan to sow a record wheat crop acreage this year and their planned acreage for all crops is one per cent greater than the goal recommended by the government, the agriculture department reported today.

If farmers carry out these plans, and if growing conditions are good, prewar problems of farm surpluses will return with the harvest. Some major food and fiber crops would be greater than this country could consume or export in a year's time.

On the basis of a survey of farmers' planting intentions, the department estimated total crop plantings at 361,000,000 acres. This would be about 1,600,000 acres less than last year, but would be bigger than in any other peacetime year since 1937.

The department said the smallest total acreage of spring-planted crops since the 1937-38 period appears in prospect, but this is nearly offset by the record-high acreage of winter wheat sown last fall.

Government Begins Effort to Send Eleven Top U. S. Reds to Prison for Conspiracy
New York, March 21 (UP)—The government began its effort to send 11 top U. S. communists to jail today with the charge that "their model is the Russian revolution of October, 1917."

U. S. attorney John F. X. McGohey, facing a jury of seven women and five men in the 10th week of the communist conspiracy trial, told them to "remember the phrase, Marxism-Leninism."

"We will show that it is fundamental in Marxism-Leninism that socialism cannot be accomplished by peace revolution," McGohey said. "Rather, it invokes violent revolution—smashing the machinery of government and setting up a dictatorship, a dictatorship of the proletariat."

McGohey said the government would show that the 11 communist national board members conspired to teach and advocate that their purposes could be accomplished "only by violent and forceful seizure of power by the proletariat under the leadership of the communist party."

The 11, who have claimed they

love America, are charged with conspiring in 1945 to dissolve the communist political association and set up the present communist party of the United States to teach and advocate the violent overthrow of the government.

As the morning session opened, federal judge Harold R. Medina denied a defense motion to squash the indictment or, alternatively, to adjourn the case for 90 days on the grounds that adverse newspaper publicity prohibited a fair trial.

Sitting with the defense attorneys, in the chair nearest the jury, was Eugene Dennis, 43-year-old No. 1 defendant. He is acting as his own counsel and will make the main defense opening statement.

Technically the 11 communist national board members went on trial nine weeks ago. The first seven weeks were spent in challenging this federal court district's method of picking jurors. The communists lost their challenge motion to void the indictment. Selecting a jury took two more weeks.

Russia Warns Finns of Block Against Soviet

Reds Accuse Finland Of Treaty Violations By Secretly Rearming

Moscow, March 21 (UP)—Russia warned Finland today to beware of efforts by Anglo-American imperialists to draw the Finns into an anti-soviet military bloc, and recommended closer ties with the soviets instead.

The first soviet move in international affairs since the Atlantic pact was made public was reported by the Leningrad Pravda, official newspaper of the Leningrad soviet.

The paper also accused Finland of violating its peace treaty with Russia.

Speculations Made
(Diplomatic observers have speculated that Russian reaction to the Atlantic pact might include action against Finland or Iran. Only last week Iran complained of attacks by the soviet radio. Russian action against small nations frequently has been preceded by press and radio attacks.)

The soviet attack on Finland was printed by the Leningrad Pravda, organ of the Leningrad soviet. It was three columns long, and presented a bill of particulars against the Finns.

The coalition government of Premier Karl A. Egerholm, formed last year after the Finnish communist party lost ground in parliamentary elections, was charged with pursuing a deliberately worsening attitude toward Russia.

Finland Observed
"Finland is within the orbit of keen attention by Anglo-American imperialists, who are hoping to draw the hands into a contemplated anti-soviet military bloc and trying to convert north Europe, including Finland, into a springboard for a new world war," Leningrad Pravda said.

In scoring Finland's alleged violations of the peace treaty and deterioration of consideration for Russia, the Leningrad party organ said:

"The Finnish people must realize that further consolidation of the state sovereignty acquired from the hands of Lenin and Stalin as a result of the October revolution is possible only by carrying out the democratic line inside the country, and, externally, by a policy of sincere friendship with the Soviet Union."

Elliott Appointed Bend Postmaster
Washington, March 21 (UP)—The appointment of Farley J. Elliott as postmaster at Bend, Ore., has been confirmed by the senate.

Elliott's name was sent to the senate floor with a recommendation for confirmation by the senate postoffice and civil service committee March 15.

Farley J. Elliott, who had served as acting postmaster at Bend since the retirement of Robert H. Fox last June 30, has been a member of the Bend staff since 1920, the year he entered the postal service. He was named assistant postmaster on July 1, 1936, when Sam C. Seeds transferred to California, and held that position until the time he was named acting postmaster last summer.

Elliott was nominated for Bend postmaster by President Truman last year, but no action was taken until this past week-end.

Bears Win Third Place Trophy



Doug Hogland, all-star, is pictured here receiving from Dave Staley, Clatskanie, member of the OSAA board, the third-place trophy won by the Bears in the 1949 state basketball tournament in Eugene. Hogland was captain of the Bend team. He was the second Bend player in the history of the tournament to win an all-star berth. Last winner was Ed Brosterhouse, in 1921.

Hogland Named On All-Star Five

Old timers checked Oregon high school basketball tournament records today and discovered that Doug Hogland was the second Bend player in the 30-year history of play to win a place on an all-star first team. The only other player to win that coveted honor was Ed Brosterhouse, in 1921.

Hogland tied for third place in scoring honors in this year's tournament, with 57 points. Also among the high scorers was Mickey Sullivan with 47 points.

Another Bend player, Bob Hawes, won a place on the second all-star team, duplicating honors achieved by Howard Smead of the Bears in the 1944 tourney. Incidentally, the 1944 team advanced a step nearer the state title than did the Bears of 1949. The 1944 squad reached the finals and lost to Ashland 55 to 35 in the playoff.

Hogland was captain of the Bend team that achieved the third spot in tourney play by defeating Hillsboro 50-47 and received from Dave Staley, member of the OSAA board, the third-place trophy.

ALL-STAR PLAYERS
First Team
Forward—Doug Hogland, Bend. Guard—Jim Winters, Roosevelt Center—John Huggins, Marshfield.

Guard—Ron Robins, Marshfield. Forward—Barney Holland, Marshfield.

Second Team
Guard—Terry McCullough, Marshfield. Center—Ben Pitzer, Salem. Forward—Jerry Garrett, Roosevelt.

Forward—Bob Hawes, Bend. Guard—Paul Poetsch, Roosevelt.

RC BOXES SENT
One hundred forty-nine Junior Red Cross gift boxes were sent last week to Pacific area headquarters in San Francisco. The boxes, containing health and school supplies, such as toothbrushes, tooth paste, soap, pencils, paper and crayons, as well as small toys, were packed by school children in Deschutes county and will be sent to children in foreign countries.

Bend Kiwanians Enjoy Program
Bend Kiwanians enjoyed a program of singing, recitations and dancing presented at the Pine Tavern this noon by Mrs. Wilson George, featuring pupils from her kindergarten class, with Sherry Page, from one of her dancing classes, putting on a special Irish number.

Mickey Foley, Paul Benold and Judy Randall gave recitations, and Janice Monical appeared in a tap dance. Others from the kindergarten who were introduced to the Kiwanians and who took part in the general singing were Hank Brooks, Duane Gibson, Dennis Martin, Shyl White, Karen Moores, Kim Ward, Robert Sutherland, Diane Lee, Suzanne Partridge, Joy Philbrook, Claudia Chapman, David Scott, Brett Merriott, Sylvia Goodrich, Sindy Davis, Warner Allen, Carl Aldin, Kathy and Kren Shorthridge, Sandra Keaton and Karen Sue Brownell.

The program was in charge of A. Wilson Benold of the club's underprivileged child committee.

COUNTY DOCKET CALLED
Circuit court judge R. S. Hamilton today called the docket for Deschutes county to determine what cases are at issue and ready for trial. Judge Hamilton has set April 4 as the date for court to convene here.

Truman Plugs for Prompt Senate Ratification of Atlantic Pact; Aides Speed Program

Treaty Hailed as Permanent Step Toward Peace; Poll Shows Top-Heavy Pact Support; Reds Make New Round of Charges on Measure

Washington, March 21 (UP)—President Truman plugged for prompt senate ratification of the Atlantic pact today as his aides speeded completion of an arms-for-Europe program.

President Truman, in a letter to Sen. Arthur V. Watkins, R., Utah, hailed the treaty as a step toward permanent peace. Watkins promised to read the letter in the senate later today.

The president plans to send the treaty to the senate for ratification as soon as it is signed here next month. A United Press poll showed top-heavy support for the pact. Of the senators willing to comment, 52 said they would vote for ratification while only two said they would oppose it.

Former Bend Resident Killed
John R. Brick, 44, former resident of Bend, was struck by a speeding car and instantly killed Saturday while crossing a street in front of his apartment in Tacoma, Wash., according to information received here by relatives.

Immediate cause of death was a fractured skull. Criminal aspects of the case are being investigated by police and the American Legion. Driver of the car is known, police said.

Mr. Brick was born in 1905 at Forest Grove, and came to Bend with his parents in 1916. He completed grade school here, and left high school in 1917 and joined the navy for submarine duty in world war I. Mr. Brick was also a veteran of world war II. While a resident of Bend, Mr. Brick was employed by the Bend Iron Works and The Shevlin-Hixon company for a number of years as a welder. He was a member of the American Legion post in Bend until he transferred to Tacoma, where he had resided since 1942.

Aside from his mother, Mrs. E. C. Brick, and his only brother, George R. Brick, of 438 Florida avenue, Bend, and a sister, Hilah R. Conklin, Seattle, Mr. Brick is survived by an elder sister, Mrs. Del Allen, of Prineville.

The body is to be cremated in Seattle, and later the remains will be brought to Bend. Short services will be held in Bend late this month, with the date to be set later.

Potato Hearings Scheduled in April
Public hearings will be held by the agriculture department next month on a proposal to enlarge the potato marketing program covering adjacent areas in California and Oregon. It has been learned here. The first meeting will be at Merrill on April 11 and at Redmond on April 14.

The marketing program now covers Crook, Deschutes and Klamath counties in Oregon and Jefferson and Lake, in California.

THEFT REPORTED
Police were notified by Jim Wright that some person entered his room in a local apartment Sunday when he was taking a bath and stole two watches and about \$8 in change.

University Band Plays Tonight
A program of popular and classical numbers, featuring selections by such well-known composers as Sousa, Wever, Ravel, Prokofieff and Liszt, is in store for Bend music lovers who attend the concert by the University of Oregon band, tonight at 8 p. m. in the high school gymnasium. Numbers of a heavier nature are interspersed with familiar marches and novelty selections, providing a program that will appeal to every musical taste.

The band was enthusiastically received this afternoon in an assembly for high school students and fifth, sixth and seventh grade musicians from the Bend grade schools. The students were permitted to attend the assembly without cost, as part of the school music appreciation program.

The afternoon program served the dual purpose of providing extra seating space in the evening for the adult audience, and giving the students the opportunity of hearing an outstanding band program. It was pointed out by Don F. Penece, school music supervisor.

The band is under the direction of John Stehn, of the university school of music. Special numbers will include a soprano solo by Barbara Detrick, of La Grande; a violin solo by John Drysdale, of Sunnyside, Wash., and several horn solos.

The basic program, to which will be added well-known favorites, includes the following numbers: "Invincible Eagle" and "Stars and Stripes Forever," Sousa; "Oberon Overture" and "Concerto for Clarinet and Band," Weber; "Bolero," Ravel; "Marche" from "Love of the Three Oranges," Prokofieff, and "Second Hungarian Rhapsody," Liszt.

Death Penalty Amendment Receives Defeat in House
By Eldon Barrett
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
Salem, March 21 (UP)—The house today refused, 32 to 27, to refer to the people a proposed constitutional amendment to abolish capital punishment in Oregon.

But proponents hinted that the issue may be on the next general election ballot by initiative action.

The house's action today was the opposite of what it did Friday when it voted, 31 to 28, in favor of a committee report supporting the senate-approved measure.

The senate adopted the proposed amendment a month ago, 21 to 8.

"The house voted down the issue today after a 45-minute debate, liberally sprinkled with tales of gruesome murders, Biblical quotations and facts and figures on jury actions.

"One of the strongest arguments of those who opposed the proposal was that house approval would mean the legislature was in favor of abolishing the death penalty and not merely referring the matter to the voters.

Rep. Paul E. Geddes, R., a Roseburg attorney, told his colleagues that "every attorney will acknowledge that in some cases the ability of an attorney will effect the outcome of a murder trial."

He said a poor man gets a poor attorney.

Spring Arrives in Central Oregon
Spring officially arrived in Central Oregon Sunday afternoon, but the temperature was far from vernal. Most areas reported temperatures ranging not far above the 40-degree mark. Light rain fell in Bend last night. Today, rain was reported from practically every weather station in Oregon.

For the next day or so, calendar makers report, days and nights will be of equal length in the north temperate zone. By mid-week, the length of the days will start increasing.