

THE WEATHER

MOSTLY CLOUDY with occasional light rain tonight; partly cloudy, scattered light showers Tuesday. Slightly warmer; low tonight, 40; high Tuesday, 58.

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Motor Vehicles Transfer Voted To Governor

Senate Votes Switch Department From Secretary of State

By JAMES D. OLSON

Transfer of the state motor vehicle department of the secretary of state's office to the jurisdiction of the governor was approved by the state senate by a vote of 23 to 6.

Charged by Senator Monroe Sweetland "that this proposal of the governor to strip the motor vehicle department from the secretary of state is the most brazen spoils system raid in modern Oregon politics" resulted in heated denials by republicans in the senate.

"I resent the implication that the governor of this state would lower himself to a degree as charged," said Senator Paul Geddes of Roseburg. "This proposal has been under study by legislative committee since 1949 and the motives of the governor in recommending this change are the highest."

Senator Charles W. Binger of LaGrande declared that if the bill passed not more than six men in the motor vehicle department would be taken out of civil service protection.

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Camp Adair Surplus Area

CORVALLIS (UP) — Nearly 50 per cent of the acreage at Camp Adair, 10 miles north of here, has been declared surplus to the needs of the Oregon National Guard, it was announced today.

Gen. Raymond Olson, assistant adjutant general, said the World War II cantonment area would be reduced by some 138 acres, leaving 190 for the National Guard's use.

Gen. Olson said the announcement was expected to open up federally owned warehouses and other buildings for industrial use. He said the federal government would hold some of the land until it was determined if it was needed for defense department use.

Camp Adair is leased from the federal government by the national guard. The surplus declaration was made through the office of Gov. Paul Patterson.

Rain Falls in Areas in Oregon

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Winter made its exit in Oregon with a mild Sunday but spring replaced it Monday with scattered rain and chilly weather.

The western part of the state had temperatures averaging above 50 Sunday with Medford and Roseburg recording highs of 55. It was cooler but generally clear east of the mountains.

But by morning it had turned cold in most parts of the state with Lakeview reporting a low of 17 and Baker 19. It was 25 at Medford, 30 at Roseburg and 36 at Eugene and Salem.

Rain fell in many Western Oregon communities and there was some snow east of the mountains. The Weather Bureau expected conditions to continue much the same through Tuesday.

Deadlock on Taxes, Olympia

OLYMPIA (UP) — A closed door meeting of Republican and Democratic legislative leaders with Gov. Langlie failed to reach an agreement Monday morning on what new taxes shall be levied against the people of Washington state during the next two years.

The 16-man group of Senate and House members will reconvene at 3 p.m. after discussing various tax proposals with their respective Democratic and Republican caucuses.

Gov. Langlie termed the tax-raising picture "very confusing."

Occasional Light Rain Predicted for Valley

Some light rain was back in the weather picture for valley regions Monday morning and temperatures were considerably warmer. Occasional light rains in sight tonight and scattered showers Tuesday.

The Monday morning minimum was 36 degrees, against a very cold Sunday morning of 22 degrees. A low of around 40 is scheduled for tonight.

In the 24-hour period ending at 10:30 a.m. Monday, .01 of an inch of rain was measured in Salem. The Willamette river was down to the zero mark in Salem Monday morning.

House Favors Lifting Ban on Tax Measures

Votes for Placing Emergency Clause Removal on Ballot

Oregon voters will have a chance to pass on a proposal that the emergency clause be placed on tax measures at the discretion of the Legislature.

The House gave final approval to a Senate-passed resolution for a constitutional amendment that would remove the present ban on emergency clauses on tax measures. The vote was 35 to 24, with one absence.

Debate was a brief resume of last week's floor battle over adoption of the minority report on the resolution. Democrats generally opposed the bill. Rep. Alfred Corbett (D-Portland) said it was another example of piecemeal amendment of the constitution. He added that if the Legislature were empowered to use the emergency clause on tax measures, it should at least be required to show a two-thirds vote for the authorization.

Rep. C. Allen Tom (R-Rufus) said it should be the right of an elected legislature to enact what it considers to be a sound tax program to place it in immediate effect with an emergency clause.

Rep. Jess Savage (R-Albany) said Oregon is the only state in the Union in which the Legislature is denied that right.

The ban on use of the emergency clause makes every tax measure in Oregon subject to the referendum. That can be obtained by petitions signed by five per cent of the voters who voted for Supreme Court justices at the last general election. Rep. Roderick McKenzie (R-Sixes) said that was actually only about one per cent of the people in Oregon.

AFL Seamen Balk Merger

WASHINGTON (UP) — Representative of AFL Seamen Unions Monday walked out of an AFL-CIO Maritime conference in a dispute over a new AFL plan for merging bulk cargo ships.

Harry Lundberg, president of the AFL Seamen Union of the Pacific, said he did not think the split would affect general proposals for an AFL-CIO merger.

However, it was clear that the AFL walkout from the Conference of American Maritime Unions meant an end to the CAMU. It was formed a year ago to combine AFL and CIO maritime unions into a single action group. "We are finished, done," Lundberg told newsmen. "CAMU has been ineffective and useless."

McKay Holds up New Road Rules

PORTLAND (UP) — Secretary of the Interior McKay has agreed temporarily to withhold approval of controversial new road regulations for O&C timberlands, a spokesman for the Western Forest Industries Assn. reported.

Leonard Netzer, WFA attorney, said Sen. Murray (D-Mont) advised him that McKay has agreed to withhold final approval pending additional study by the U.S. Senate.

Murray named William H. Coburn, staff attorney, to make the survey, Netzer said.

The road regulations, approved earlier by the O&C Advisory Committee, have been criticized by the WFA and other groups.

SUGGESTION

WASHINGTON (UP) — A thief picked the cloakroom lock in a church here and pilfered the purses of 12 choir members Sunday as the Rev. Dr. Frederick Brown delivered a sermon on "Locks and Latchstrings."

Ex-Baby-Sitter Faces Arraignment Today

EPHRATA, Wash. (UP) — Prosecutor Paul Klase Jr. was due here late Monday and arraignment is expected to follow for Kathleen Carnaghan, charged with first degree murder in the death of a baby girl.

Klase remained in San Francisco after the arrest there last week of the 29-year-old Miss Carnaghan, an insurance company typist and a former baby sitter for little Deena Starzman.

Deena was found dead face down in a puddle of water at her parents' Grand Coulee, Wash., home last Aug. 7. It was first reported as accidental drowning. The body of the 21-month-old baby was later exhumed and a doctor said death was caused by a blow on the head.

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'BLUE MONDAY' HIJINKS

Blue Monday Bets Are Paid

It was truly "Blue Monday" for the junior class, losers in Saturday's Freshman Glee competition, today at Willamette University.

For Monday is the day the losers pay off their bets to the winning Freshman class . . . and it was quite a payoff.

Actually, the last place finishing juniors were awarded the distinction of winning the "Mill Race," and today they proved their right to the title by the annual swim through Mill Creek in front of most of the student body.

The dunking in Mill Creek, which must have looked as wide as the Mississippi river to some today, is the payoff event in the final wind-up to the annual Freshman Glee competition.

The festivities wound up with an assembly Monday morning in the gymnasium put on by the juniors led by class President Dale Greenlee. As a throwback to the Saturday night contest, each class put on a skit and then bets were paid off. The noon swim high-lighted the activities.

Meanwhile, the freshmen, their prize winning rendition of "Jason Dandy" tucked away for another year, were enjoying their role as champions and had little to do but observe the others in the somewhat hilarious program.

Panama Opens Guizado Trial

PANAMA (UP) — Panama's National Assembly gathered today as a court of justice to try ousted President Jose Ramon Guizado on charges he plotted the assassination of his predecessor.

Despite acute tension aroused by the Jan. 2 machine-gunning of President Jose Antonio Remon, the country was reported quiet.

A young lawyer, Ruben Miro, confessed that he shot down Remon at the Juan Franco race track. He charged that Guizado plotted with him. Later, in letters from his cell, he repudiated the confession.

Guizado, a wealthy 56-year-old civil engineer and contractor who had been Remon's first vice president, became president Jan. 3. After Miro's arrest, he was detained Jan. 13 and the National Assembly impeached him a few hours later. Second Vice President Ricardo Arias Espinosa took over the presidency.

Weather Details

Maximum yesterday, 54; minimum today, 38. Total 24-hour precipitation, .01; for month, 1.34; normal, 2.97. Year precipitation, 22.28; normal, 32.34. River height, zero. (Report by U. S. Weather Bureau.)

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Delay Showdown in Farm Price Supports

WASHINGTON (UP) — House Democratic farm leaders decided today to put off until mid-April a showdown in the House on legislation to restore rigid high farm price supports.

Some Republican opponents said the postponement meant the Democrats were "fearful of the outcome" and wanted more time to build up a farm-labor alliance in support of the measure.

Democrats denied that. They said the delay was caused by overnight development of a legislative bottleneck.

House Democratic Whip Carl Albert of Oklahoma told a reporter "We could pass it as easily now as later." Chairman Harold D. Cooley (D-N Mex.) of the House Agriculture Committee agreed. But he said that delay will give the Democrats time to line up a "bigger majority" in support of the bill.

Rep. R. D. Harrison (R-Neb.), who backed the administration's fight last year to kill the rigid price support program and establish a flexible plan, said the delay is "good news."

"It would indicate to me that the Democrats are fearful of the outcome," he told a reporter.

Cruise Taken on Sub Nautilus

GROTON, Conn. (UP) — Members of the congressional Atomic Energy Committee, returning Monday from an all night cruise aboard the Nautilus, predicted that the development of atomic powered submarines will radically change naval strategy and tactics.

The committee, in a prepared statement handed newsmen who greeted it, said "the Nautilus is the only submarine in the world that can completely circle the globe at full speed submerged."

The group also commented Rear Adm. Hyman G. Rickover "for his foresight and follow through" as being the person to whom "more than any other, the success of the Nautilus is due."

Rickover, who was one of two admirals accompanying the 14 congressmen, played a prominent part in bringing about construction of the world's first nuclear powered submarine.

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Bridges to Give Yalta Data Out

WASHINGTON (UP) — Sen. Bridges (R-NH) said today he has taken steps to aid Republican speakers wanting to use the Yalta papers to lambaste their political foes.

Bridges said he has instructed the staff of the Senate Republican Policy Committee, which he heads, to compile information from the documents for use by GOP speakers.

"Certainly the Republicans are at liberty to discuss the mistakes that were made at Yalta," he said. "We learned about the tragic results only gradually in the months and years after Yalta."

"By studying the mistakes of the past and trying to avoid them in the future we can help our country."

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New Comic Starts In Capital Journal

A thrilling baseball comic strip "Ozark Ike" by the King Features Syndicate starts in the Capital Journal today, which everyone interested in the great national game should begin reading at once.

Ozark Ike is a big, somewhat simple-minded chap, as his name suggests, who can hit the ball like nobody's business, who is always in the center of exciting events, baseball and otherwise.

After some extra-curricular winter activities Ozark reports this week to the spring training camp of the "Bugs," his mythical big league club, to get ready for another big season.

Follow Ozark Ike for baseball and adventure thrills.

12 Killed 23 Injured in Crash Blast of Airliner in Missouri

Fulbright and Capehart Clash In Stock Probe

WASHINGTON (UP) — Chairman Fulbright (D-Ark) of the Senate Banking Committee refused Monday in a sharp clash with Sen. Capehart (R-Ind) to take immediate action in recalling Harvard economist John Kenneth Galbraith as a witness in the stock market inquiry.

Capehart assailed Galbraith as a "gloom and doom" adviser to Adlai E. Stevenson and demanded to know who was responsible for calling him as a witness in the first place.

Fulbright ignored this demand from the Indiana senator. He ruled Capehart's motion to recall Galbraith was out of order and would have to be taken up in executive session at some later date.

Fulbright said Galbraith himself has asked to be heard again.

This latest Fulbright-Capehart clash came as Benjamin Fairless, board chairman of U.S. Steel, was waiting to testify in the fast-moving inquiry.

The U.S. Steel head told the senators the steel industry hasn't done right by its owners—American investors—for many a year.

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Stassen Talks About Future Of Foreign Aid

WASHINGTON (UP) — Director Harold Stassen told employees of the Foreign Operations Administration Monday that the Eisenhower administration will have some kind of foreign aid agency after June 30, when FEA is due to expire.

Stassen said he could not predict what Congress might do about FEA—that it might be transferred to the State Department as a semi-autonomous unit, or it might be continued as it is now. But there will be some kind of program, he added.

Stassen also said that career employees naturally would get preference in any new set-up, but made no promises about jobs or layoffs.

FOA has 6,731 employees. Of those 1,637 are in Washington and the others are overseas.

Reds Refuse Relief Tanker

HELSINKI, Finland (UP) — Red China has refused to send another tanker to pick up the Finnish vessel Aruba's disrupted fuel cargo, informed shipping sources said today.

Peiping reacted "very negatively" to the proposal for fear that Chinese Nationalist warships already lying in wait for the Aruba would capture the relief vessel these sources said.

The Aruba's crew in a new statement from the Finnish Seamen's Union stood by its refusal to sail any farther toward Red China than the Nicobar Islands in the Bay of Bengal.

With the crew standing pat and the Communists refusing to come after the fuel, shipping sources said the Aruba probably would have to return to Red Rumania and hand back its cargo.

Say Churchill To Step Down

LONDON (UP) — Britons took it for granted Monday that Winston Churchill is stepping down as prime minister within weeks. But no one expects him to go into retirement by the fire.

Only the 81-year-old statesman's political enemies seemed to harbor any suspicions the impetuous Churchill might change his mind at the last minute.

The authoritative, independent Times—which seldom deals in political speculation—said Monday: "It now seems increasingly likely that he (Churchill) will resign about Easter" and that Queen Elizabeth II will call on Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden to form a new government.

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Air search for the helicopter was abandoned Sunday. Ground search by German police and U.S. Army patrols continued in the border region near Fulda Monday.

At 7th Army headquarters in Stuttgart, the missing pilot was identified as 1st Lt. Herman E. Jacquay of Fort Wayne, Ind. His wife and their 3-year-old son live in Stuttgart. The German passenger was Horst Kuehn.

Interior Secretary Douglas McKay will arrive here by plane Tuesday for a brief visit.

Accompanied by his wife, the secretary will stop en route from San Francisco to Seattle where he has a speaking engagement.

Mrs. McKay will remain in Salem for several days at the home of her daughters, Mrs. Wayne Hadley and Mrs. Lester Green.

Plane Threading Way to Landing At Springfield

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. (UP) — An American Airlines plane threading its way through darkness and rain toward a landing field crashed Sunday night, killing 12 persons and injuring 23.

The twin-engine Convair crashed in a pasture about two miles north of the Springfield airport. Wreckage was scattered more than 300 feet.

The plane carried a three-member crew and 32 passengers. All the survivors were injured.

Jack Pripish, of Chicago, the pilot, was the only member of the crew to survive. Stewardess Rita Madaj of Chicago and Co-pilot Glen Walker of Chicago died in the wreckage.

The airport control tower had given final clearance for the landing. As the craft approached Carl McCarty in the tower saw a flash. Then the plane disappeared and he gave the alarm.

Sheriff Glenn Hendrix, one of the first to reach the scene made muddy by an all-day rain, said:

"There was no fire. In the darkness I found it hard to find the plane and I lost my shoes in the mud as I crossed the farm field. (Continued on Page 5 Column 5)

List of Dead In Plane Smash

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. (UP) — The list of dead in the crash of an American Airlines plane near here Sunday night:

Crew members
Co-pilot Glenn Walker, Chicago.
Stewardess Rita Madaj, Chicago.
Passengers
Stanley Grazankowski, 64, Detroit, Mich.

Richard Padek, 3, Tulsa, Okla.
Dr. Elroy Stromberg, 5, haker Heights, Ohio.

John Davis, St. Louis.
Jake Miller, Coffeyville, Kan.
Wayne Slankard, Neosho, Mo.
Mrs. C. C. Van Noy, Joplin, Mo.
Quentin G. Holtz, 28, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Tentatively identified dead
Mark Purser, Rochester, N.Y.
Miss Betty Kiely, St. Louis.

George Calls for Big 4 Meeting

WASHINGTON (UP) — State Department officials say a call by Sen. George (D-Ga) for a top-level Big Four meeting is in line with the thinking of the Republican administration.

But, like George, they said certain conditions should be met in advance of active efforts to bring together President Eisenhower and the chiefs of Russia, Britain and France.

The department itself had no official comment on George's suggestion.

George, as chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, is influential in the development of U. S. foreign policy. He suggested last night a four-power conference offers "the real hope of avoiding war." He said it possibly should be held this year.

Churchill Not For Big 4 Meet

PARIS (UP) — Former Premier Pierre Mendes-France revealed Monday that British Prime Minister Churchill wrote him early this year opposing any Big Four meeting until final ratification of West German rearmament by all governments concerned.

Mendes-France made public letters he and Churchill had exchanged in January. Foreign Minister Antoine Pinay had referred to the letters in an appearance before the French Affairs Committee of the French upper house.

According to the texts released by Mendes-France, Churchill wrote Jan. 12 that until ratification of the Paris treaties was completed, he did not favor any meeting or invitation for a meeting either of heads or of foreign ministers.

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