

Gore Proposes Firm Campaign Spending Curb

Would Put Limit of 20 Cents Per Voter on President Race

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Gore (D-Tenn.) today offered an election reform bill to fix presidential campaign spending limits at levels he said were "realistic."

The measure also would impose stringent new rules on political contributions and set up strict requirements for public disclosure both of spending by parties and candidates and of campaign gifts by individuals.

Gore called it "a tough bill to meet a tough and difficult situation."

In the last session Gore was chairman of the Senate Elections subcommittee, which conducted a detailed investigation of the 1956 campaign. It reported political spending last year of \$33,185,725, and said the actual amount "far surpasses that figure."

The basic new presidential campaign spending limit in the bill would be 20 cents multiplied by the number of popular votes in the preceding presidential election.

This would mean, for instance, that the candidates for president and vice president on a party ticket could spend something over 12 million dollars in 1960 since the 1956 vote total was a little over 62 million.

Half this total could be spent by national committees and the other half by state and local committees.

The bill also would impose limits on spending in primaries; there are none in this area now.

A national committee supporting candidates seeking nomination for president or vice president would be allowed to spend half the amount it could spend for a candidate in the general election. The limitation on contributions would be \$1,000 in any year by an individual on behalf of all candidates for federal office. And not more than \$250 of this could go to candidates for the Senate and House outside the contributors' home state.

Individuals who spend or contribute in excess of \$500 in a year would be required to file reports with federal officials.

'Mad Bomber' Ruled Insane, But Trial Set

NEW YORK (AP) — "Mad Bomber" George Metesky, although declared legally insane, must stand trial.

The 34-year-old Metesky, from Waterbury, Conn., freely admitted he planted 32 home-made bombs in New York City over a 16-year period. During this time he was supported by his two spinster sisters.

Arrested at his home Jan. 21, Metesky since has been undergoing mental examination at Bellevue Hospital.

In General Sessions Court yesterday the state sought to postpone a hearing in the case before Judge John A. Mullen.

Mullen ordered that Bellevue send someone to make an oral report to him.

Dr. John H. Cassidy, senior psychiatrist at Bellevue, said Metesky is a schizophrenic (split personality) and also suffers from paranoia—characterized by delusions of persecution and grandeur.

In the courtroom, Mullen ordered defense attorneys to enter a plea of innocent for Metesky. This puts the case up to a jury.

Metesky showed no emotion during the proceeding. His usual smile, however, was missing.

Schrunk Gets Call to Quiz

PORTLAND (AP) — Portland Mayor Terry Schrunk has been subpoenaed to Washington to testify before the Senate committee investigating labor and racketeering.

Schrunk was sheriff of Multnomah County in last summer's grand jury investigation of Portland vice conditions.

A number of other Portland officials also have been called there.

EGGS THE GIVE-AWAY

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Mrs. Elizabeth Benazza told a divorce court Thursday that she knew her marriage was cracking up when she found out that her husband, Ralph, had carried 15 dozen eggs in a garbage pail to the home of "another woman."

How life begins

A tiny male spermatozoon fertilizes the female egg. Later, as egg and sperm blend into a completed cell, it splits into 2 cells, then 4, 8, 16—and finally into the trillions that compose a newborn baby.

March Reader's Digest tells what recent research has revealed about one of nature's greatest wonders.

Get March Reader's Digest at your newsstand today: 35 articles of lasting interest, including the best from leading magazines, newspapers and books, condensed to save your time.

ICE CREAM STRIPED PLAYMATES

by tidykins®



Down-right yummy colors . . . sturdy, washable cotton poplin combined by Tidykins into springtime co-ordinates that make dressing the 'wiggly ones' a snap. Every style as fresh and pretty as the first daffodil of the year. Choice of pink, tan and blue on white or yellow, tan and blue. Sizes 2-4.

- 1. Coverall with snap or closed crotch. Easy dressy zip front, contrast trim. **\$3.98**
- 2. Dirndl style skirt with suspenders and elastic back band for fit. **\$2.98**
- 3. Overall in toddler sizes with closed crotch **\$3.98**
- 4. Kiddy car coat with adjustable side straps, cotton flannel lining. Matching roller hat with ear flaps, S, M, L **\$3.98**\$2.50

Mail and phone orders*

INFANTS—STREET FLOOR

ALL THE GIRLS ARE 'GOING DUTCH!'

for young men

CRICKETEER SPORT COATS

\$20.50-\$22.50

Smart, new Ivy League styled sport coats in bright stripes of subdued, subtle patterns. Handsome fabrics, too . . . blend of 50% silk, 50% wool . . . wool and nylon or orlon . . . 70% Acrilan and 30% wool. Wonderfully wearing, luxuriously looking. Sizes 12 to 20.

1. Wool-nylon fabric in tweed weave **\$20.50**

CRICKETEER SLACKS

\$9.95

An entire collection of fine wool flannel, washable wool and regulation wool in medium gray, lt. gray, charcoal, tan or blue. Sizes 13-20.

2. Washable wool slacks in sizes 13-18 **\$9.95**

Mail and phone orders*

BOYS' SHOP, STREET FLOOR

American girls are really going for the "Dutch Boy" look this spring. It's mother's favorite silhouette and daughter knows a good fashion when she sees it, too. Charming, neat, crisp-looking two-piecers that will shine at Sunday School or lunch in town.

- 1. Dress and jacket costume by Suzy Brooks in "Soap 'n' Water" crease-resistant rayon. Navy blue with white bodice, blue jacket, white collar, cuffs. Sizes 3 to 6½ **\$8.98** Sizes 7 to 14 **\$10.98**
- 2. Dutch Boy sheath dress and cropped jacket costume by Connie Sage particularly designed for the sub-teen. Cropped jacket, organza bow. Sub-teen sizes 8 to 14 **\$16.98**

Mail and phone orders*

GIRLS' SHOP—STREET FLOOR

*Plus shipping cost to areas outside our regular truck delivery routes.



STORE HOURS:

MONDAY: 12 NOON TO 9 P.M.
FRIDAY: 10 A.M. TO 9 P.M.
OTHER DAYS: 9:30 A.M. TO 5:30 P.M.

FREE

STORE-SIDE PARKING FOR OVER 1,000 CARS

IT PAYS TO BUY AT MEIER & FRANK'S

Meier & Frank Co.

OREGON'S OWN STORE SINCE 1857

SALEM EM 3 2211