

Forecast

Mostly cloudy through Tuesday in Central Oregon, with chance of fog in valleys. Highs, 39 to 45; lows, 27-34.

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High yesterday, 47 degrees. Low last night, 32 degrees. Sunset today, 4:36. Sunrise tomorrow, 7:40, PST.

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GETTING IN TUNE — Karen Bigelow, Jody Barrett, Susan Dickens (from left) take a peek at workings of county government, over shoulder of Commissioner George Baker, Theme for annual 4-H "Know Your County Government" conference, today at courthouse, is "America is a tune — it must be sung together." Sessions continued through the day, with 4-Hers visiting various county offices in groups. Entire group was to assemble for mock trial, with adjournment at 4 p.m.

Rocky plans on Oregon primary race

SALEM (UPI) — Gov. Mark Hatfield today welcomed New York Gov. Nelson Rockefeller into Oregon's 1964 presidential primary "as I do any aspirant for the Republican nomination."

Rockefeller announced in New York Sunday he would enter the primary and that William E. Walsh of Coos Bay, president of the Oregon Board of Higher Education, would be his state campaign manager.

Hatfield, who has been mentioned as a possible nominee for vice president on a Rockefeller ticket, earlier invited GOP presidential candidates to enter the Oregon primary.

"I welcome him as I do any aspirant for the Republican nomination to the presidency," he said.

Rockefeller's announcement came as no surprise since he already had declared himself a candidate for the nomination. Under Oregon's unique primary law he would have been on the ballot anyway.

Strong Campaign Likely
But his announcement does, in all probability, mean he will campaign extensively in the state.

In Coos Bay, Walsh said that in accepting the appointment as state chairman of the Rockefeller campaign, "I am joining a team of Republicans who have a candidate for President who is not only eminently qualified for that office, but one who can unite all Republicans for victory next November."

Walsh indicated Rockefeller planned to visit Oregon in early February.

The announcement from Rockefeller headquarters said Walsh would resign his education position in January to devote full time to the Rockefeller campaign.

Walsh has been in Republican politics for many years. In 1952 he was a delegate to the GOP national convention which nominated Dwight D. Eisenhower.

Senate approves compromise on foreign aid bill

Clues sought in Florida hotel blaze

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (UPI) — Fire marshals, building inspectors and insurance investigators combed the 14-story Roosevelt Hotel today for clues to the cause of a fire that killed 21 persons and injured 60.

Most of the victims were choked by the deadly black smoke that rose from a fire on the first floor and filled the hotel, blocking escape routes.

The hotel was filled to capacity with Gator Bowl football fans, including Miss America who was hospitalized from smoke inhalation.

City Fire Marshal E. C. McDermon said "I have a pretty good idea what the cause was."

McDermon indicated it would be sometime, however, before the cause was determined with certainty. He refused to estimate how long the investigation would take.

Join in Probe

The investigators included representatives of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, the National Fire Protective Association, the Mutual Investigation Bureau and the City Building Department.

A terrified woman leaped or fell to her death from the seventh floor while scores of the hotel's 499 guests were crawling to safety on makeshift ropes of sheets and blankets.

Others were rescued from the roof by helicopters and firemen raised ladders to the lower floors of the 50-year-old building to bring others to safety.

Authorities said that apparently all of the victims except the woman who plummeted from the seventh floor were killed by the choking smoke that curled up elevator shafts, stairwells, air ducts and even loose pipe fittings, making some exits impassable.

Fire Didn't Spread

The fire, which broke out at 7:45 a.m. EST, collapsed the first floor but the flames could not spread because the brick structure was fire-proofed.

Miss America, Donna Axum, was trapped in her 10th floor room for an hour before she managed to escape. She held a news conference in a hospital to announce she was unharmed shortly after fleeing the building clad in a fur coat over pajamas.

Bright orange Navy helicopters, battling updrafts from the heat, hovered over the roof and took off injured persons.

Of the 60 persons taken to hospitals, 19 were admitted.

Screams pierced the air and a policeman with a megaphone stood in the street urging guests not to jump from the windows.

Guests crawled through the halls and hid in bathrooms, but many of them suffocated in the murky smoke.

Barry to reveal his '64 plans on January 3rd

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Sen. Barry M. Goldwater, R-Ariz., today asked Arizona Republican leaders to meet with him Jan. 3 in Phoenix "to hear my decision regarding 1964."

The message apparently set the stage for Goldwater's announcement as to whether or not he would actively seek the 1964 GOP presidential nomination. He earlier had said he would make his decision in January.

Goldwater made the announcement in a telegram from Phoenix where he is recuperating from minor surgery on his right heel.

Goldwater's office said the telegram was sent to a "representative group of his friends and supporters throughout the country."

Congress adjourns 1st session

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The first session of the 88th Congress adjourned today after the Senate finally approved and sent to President Johnson the controversial \$3 billion foreign aid appropriations bill.

The Senate quit until Jan. 7 when the second session convenes to plunge into such issues as the civil rights bill and the \$11 billion tax cut.

The Senate disposed of the compromise aid bill with less debate than anticipated.

The House also adjourned a short time after the Senate took action.

The vote came less than four hours after the Senate met and agreed to limit debate. Despite grumblings of some members about the need for meeting today and a last stand attack on the aid program by Sen. Wayne L. Morse, D-Ore., the Senate did not even use all of its allotted time on the bill.

Senate leaders hoped to clean up remaining routine business and wind up the longest congressional session in 23 years by nightfall.

Debate Limited

The roll call approval of the money bill, a vote on which the prestige of Johnson administration was pinned, came after Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield, Mont., won the agreement to limit debate.

The Senate first approved by a 56-14 vote the bill's money items and most other provisions.

It later adopted by voice vote the conferees' recommendations on two nonmoney items which were reported to both houses in disagreement.

The action sent the bill to President Johnson.

One provision restricted use of Export-Import Bank funds to underwrite credit on commodity sales to Communist nations. The other was a minor section limiting employment of non-Americans on aid projects aboard when they do not reside in the aid receiving country.

Denial Issued

Mansfield denied what he termed "false accusations" that the Senate did not act last week because of a promise or commitment to Morse.

The quorum was present today, with some members flying back from as far away as Hawaii, but many senators were in less than the good will spirit of the season.

Sen. John O. Pastore, D-R.I., floor manager of the aid bill, appealed for a prompt vote on the measure which the House passed 189 to 158 in an early morning Christmas Eve session last week. He said every day of delay is costing the taxpayers money because procurement contracts are delayed.

But three Republican senators promptly attacked the session today as unnecessary and said no harm would be done by postponing action.

Temporary Authority

Sen. Roman L. Hruska, R-Neb., said the foreign aid program could continue under temporary spending authority. As for Johnson's request, he said, "I suggest we had better run this end of Pennsylvania Avenue."

Mansfield told him not to worry. He said "we will look after our own business in our way but when the President makes an urgent request, the least we can do is try to comply with it."

LOAN RECORD NOTED

PORTLAND (UPI) — The Portland Office of the Federal Housing Administration said today that it approved a record \$93.5 million in home insurance loans in 1963.

The office serves Oregon and Clark, Klickitat and Skamania counties in Washington.

Greek, Turkish Cypriots accept Sandys proposal

NICOSIA, Cyprus (UPI) — British Commonwealth Relations Secretary Duncan Sandys announced today both Greek and Turkish Cypriots have accepted his proposal for a neutral zone along the cease-fire line in Nicosia.

Disengagement in the zone started immediately and officials hoped it would be completed by this evening.

Sandys made the announcement after presiding over a 13-hour meeting of a political liaison committee representing all sides to which he put his proposals for halting bloodshed on the island. The meeting ended just before dawn.

The cease-fire line was set up Saturday. Sandys' plan laid down the withdrawal of Greek and Turkish Cypriot fighters from their strongholds along the line and the establishment of the neutral zone by British troops.

Sandys took the proposal to President Markarios at his palace this morning for his approval on behalf of the islands Greek Cypriots.

British High Commissioner Sir Arthur Clark carried it to Vice President Fazil Kuchuk's residence at noon for his approval on behalf of the Turkish Cypriot community.

A half-hour of sharp gunfire in Nicosia Sunday broke into the tense truce but there were no reports of casualties. Last week's battles and snipings on the island were estimated to have killed 200 persons.

Flags shredded by vandals

SEATTLE (UPI) — Police and school officials today were investigating vandalism at Lincoln High School here which included the ripping and shredding of 15 U.S. flags, some of them still draped with black bunting of mourning for the late President Kennedy.

Officials said the vandalism occurred sometime during the weekend and that damage totaled about \$1,000.

"It was obvious that the intent of the raiders was to desecrate every flag in the school," said Charles O'Toole, chief security officer for the school district. "The other destruction seemed to be an afterthought."

In addition to desecrating the flags, the vandals broke door windows to classrooms, splashed paint on the walls, floors and ceilings of the art room, slashed upholstered furniture, and dumped papers from desk drawers onto the floor in the main office.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

By United Press International
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Bend schools getting ready for reopening on Thursday

By Phil F. Brogan
Bulletin Staff Writer

Bend schools will reopen on Thursday, January 2, following the Christmas recess, still faced with some problems resulting from the fire which, on the early morning of Tuesday, December 17, destroyed the Allen School.

On paper, most of the immediate problems, that of getting the Allen School youngsters back to school, appear solved partly through use of space in the Methodist and Lutheran Churches and the Deschutes County Library children's room and partly through double shifting.

Still pending is a decision relative to reconstruction.

Plans for rebuilding cannot be considered until insurance problems are ironed out. This will come after two contractors submit figures relative to the cost of the replacement of the Allen building, which housed approximately 450 youngsters.

"Little Allen" school, an Allen annex saved in the fire, will be used for younger children who attended the 32-year old school.

Prosecutor asks death penalty for alleged spy

VIENNA (UPI) — The Bulgarian state prosecutor today demanded the death penalty for Ivan Assen Georgiev, the handsome diplomat who confessed he was a highly-paid spy for the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency.

The extreme penalty was urged by prosecutor Ivan Cackov as the Communist state wound up its case against the diplomat after the Bulgarian court heard testimony seeking to link him with an official of the U.S. Legation in Sofia.

Georgiev, 56, has confessed he acted for seven years as an agent for the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency and told the court he spent his pay on high living and women.

Hearing tonight

Bend Planning Commissioners will hold a public hearing tonight at 7:30 at City Hall in connection with a proposed zone change from R2 (single family dwelling zone) to R-4 (multiple family dwelling zone). It concerns establishment of a 24-unit apartment located on the east bank of the river, just north of Thurston Avenue.

Johnson works on completion of '65 budget

JOHNSON CITY, Tex. (UPI) — President Johnson started at the breakfast table today a series of conferences aimed at quick completion of the fiscal 1965 budget.

Defense Secretary Robert S. McNamara and the Joint Chiefs of Staff arrived today at LBJ ranch for a conference with the President. The conference also was primarily concerned with the budget.

Johnson met at breakfast with Budget Director Kermit Gordon, Chairman Walter Heller of the Council of Economic Advisers, and Theodore C. Sorensen, special counsel to the President.

The same three men were in session with the President until well after midnight Sunday night.

Three Principal Aims
Their conference had three principal aims—the new budget which must be "locked up" immediately in order to complete printing of the massive document in time for submission to Congress next month; the President's State of the Union message, and his annual economic report which will be submitted to the House and Senate in late January.

"We're here to have a final review of the 1965 budget," McNamara said when he arrived at Bergstrom Air Force Base from Aspen, Colo., where he has been on a skiing holiday.

McNamara shied away from speculation that he might win restoration of some of the funds cut by Johnson from the 1965 requests made by the armed services.

Johnson said recently he had cut original requests of the armed services by \$9 billion. This was a decision made some time ago and official sources doubted this was much of a factor in today's discussions. The chiefs were believed to be more interested for the moment in seeing that their funds are not cut below levels of the current fiscal year.

Letters Sent Out

Superintendent R. E. Jewell said that letters have been sent to all parents of Allen school youngsters, providing instructions relative to class rooms and transportation. However, the superintendent said, some of the parents' names might have been lost in the fire.

Parents not receiving letters, or wishing for some additional information, have been asked to get in touch with the superintendent's office as soon as possible.

One hundred new desks to be used in the Lutheran Church and the Library have been set up. All appears in readiness for the start of Allen classes in new quarters.

Fifth and sixth graders will be double-shifted with the Kenwood fifth and sixth grades. Kenwood fifth and sixth grade students will attend in the morning from 7:45 to 12. Allen fifth and sixth graders will move into the vacated Kenwood rooms from 12:45 to 5 p.m.

It will be necessary to transport by school bus most of the Allen School youngsters. However, those attending "Little Allen" will in most instances walk, since these youngsters live nearby.

By using the Methodist and Lutheran Church quarters and the Library room, children will have the Reid-Thompson playground available. They will be served lunch in the Reid-Thompson auditorium.

The inventory of equipment, books and other articles lost in the Allen school will be completed today, Superintendent Jewell said.

Rape charge probable, Selken says

It is probable that a rape charge will be filed against Orland Ray Summer, 24, one of four suspects held in the entry of a Sisters home late Friday, District Attorney Louis Selken said today. Summers and Jerry N. Harvego, 18, are held at the county jail on larceny charges, with bail set at \$5,000 for each.

The other two suspects, Dennis F. Marchetti, 16, and Hal Rucker, 15, are held at the county jail under jurisdiction of juvenile court. Adult charges have not been filed against them, Selken said.

The four youths, all from the Renton - Seattle area of Washington, were arrested early Saturday after the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gray, Sisters, was entered at gunpoint. Mr. and Mrs. Gray were bound and gagged, a teenage girl was criminally attacked, and two guns and about \$17.50 were taken, officers said.

The four were arrested in Bend after officers were alerted to stop an automobile headed south from Redmond. The suspects were spotted in a car that had been taken from the Gray home.

Both Summers and Harvego were arraigned before Judge Joe Thalhofer in Deschutes County District Court Saturday.

An exclusive statement to UPI

Nikita says '64 may bring change for better

words of the late President Kennedy that the two nations need a better weapon than the hydrogen bomb or missiles "and that this better weapon is peaceful cooperation."

He said President Johnson's stated intention to carry on Kennedy's policies has been met with gratification in the Soviet Union.

Khrushchev cited Soviet budget cuts for military spending earlier this month and said: "It would be a good thing if other states took similar action... I would call it a policy of mutual example in the curtailment of the arms race." Khrushchev listed these areas of possible agreement:

—The slowing down of the arms race and further alleviation of international tensions.

Cites Arms Reduction
—Reduction in the armed forces and cuts in military expenditures.

—The reduction of armed forces stationed in other countries.

—A non-aggression pact between the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) and the Communist Warsaw Treaty powers.

—The establishment of nuclear-free zones and agreement to prevent the spread of nuclear weapons.

"An effort should be made to restrict the arms race, step by step, thereby fostering a favorable atmosphere for the radical solution of this issue through general and complete disarmament," Khrushchev said.

Addressing himself to the people of the United States, he said:

"In the coming year we want to see the development of relations of peaceful cooperation, good neighborliness and friendship between the people of the United States and the Soviet Union.

"This is important for our countries. It is important for other nations, too."

Arguing that the Soviet Union needs peace to advance its ambitious economic plans, Khrushchev said:

"The American people, we believe, do not want war either better weapon is peaceful cooperation."

Khrushchev went on to say, "The stated intention of the new President of the U.S., Lyndon Johnson, to continue in foreign affairs the policy of peaceful settlement of international problems, of improving relations with the Soviet Union and calling a halt to the cold war, has been met with gratification in this country. We too are in favor of this."

"If the efforts of our two countries and of the other states are united in the interest of peace, then the coming year of 1964 can undoubtedly become a year of decisive change for the better in the entire international situation."

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