

House, Senate Will Resume Debate Monday

Salem — Both houses of the Oregon Legislature stood adjourned until 10 a.m. Monday when the Senate concluded a 50-minute session today.

In its brief meeting, the Senate approved six appointments by the governor.

They were: LaSalle Coles, Prineville; Vincent Ostrom, Eugene; and Ben R. Little, Corvallis, to the State Water Resources Board; and Nadine Strayer, Baker; Lester R. Childs, Grants Pass; and Clinton Haight Jr., Baker; to the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries.

Haight will not serve as he has been appointed state representative since his board appointment. He succeeded former Rep. Robert Stewart who is now Oregon's agriculture department director.

Committee To Meet The Senate Tax Committee will not meet until Monday when it resumes discussion of the Democratic bill cutting income taxes 10 per cent.

The adjournment of the House Thursday afternoon knocked Gov. Holmes' Saturday adjournment plans out of whack and also miffed some Republicans.

President To Make First Science Talk At Oklahoma City

Washington — President Eisenhower announced today he will speak at Oklahoma City Nov. 13 in the first of several addresses to bolster public confidence in U. S. scientific progress and economic power.

The President has said the speeches, scheduled in the wake of Sputnik, will be designed to alert the nation to the need for pushing scientific developments.

The chief executive will speak at the "New Frontiers Exposition" in Oklahoma City at the invitation of Raymond Gary, the state's Democratic governor.

"Science and Security" The White House said the President will fly to Oklahoma City in the early afternoon of Nov. 13 and return to Washington either late that night or early the next day.

It said the topic of his address will be "Science and Security." The speech will be at 7:30 p.m. (p.s.t.) and will be carried nationally by radio and television.

The President sent a telegram to Gary accepting the governor's invitation to participate in a celebration marking the 50th anniversary of Oklahoma's admission to statehood.

200 Children Take Part in Fund Drive

About 200 children took part in the annual UNICEF Halloween project last night, and collected \$194.72 it was reported this morning. This is the third year the project has been carried on in Medford and adjacent areas.

The total collected was somewhat larger than last year when \$120 was contributed.

Camp Fire Girls conducted the campaign the first two years. This year it was handled by the Medford chapter, Oregon United Nations association. Participation by both adults and children is entirely on a volunteer basis.

Mrs. Harlan P. Bosworth Jr., chairman, said the chapter was gratified at the results of the project, even though such a small number had taken part.

Mrs. Bosworth said the chapter was aided by service club members, who served refreshments when children checked in their collections, by parent-teacher associations and by the public schools. Many parents accompanied their children, she added.

Coty Reported on Verge of Resigning Because of Crisis

Paris — Reports circulated in Paris today that President Rene Coty was on the verge of resigning in disgust at the month-old government crisis.

Felix Gaillard was trying to form a cabinet but has run into difficulties because of the fence-sitting tactics of the powerful Socialist party. He is the fifth man to attempt to end the worst political crisis since the end of the war.

Message Said Drafted The rumors about Coty were so strong that the Paris leftwing "Express" said he already has drafted a message to the National Assembly deputies warning he will quit unless a government is formed soon.

The "Express," which backs radical ex-Premier Pierre Mendes-France, was the only publication to carry the report. But observers already have anticipated such a move by Coty as the political deadlock worsened.

Gaillard has made it plain he would scrap his efforts to form a government unless the Socialists agreed to participate. But he has also asked for the participation of the Independents, the political arch-enemies of the Socialists.

New Decorations to Be Installed Soon

Installation of Christmas street decorations in Medford will be completed by Nov. 16, according to the Retail Merchants association.

Twenty new decorations have been added to the 42 which are still usable from last year. The new decorations will be 10-foot tall plastic candy lighted canes.

The new decorations will be installed on lighting polls on Main st. and Central ave. in the business area. The older wreath decorations will be placed on Sixth, Bartlett and East Main sts.

The 20 new decorations cost the association about \$2,400, according to Chairman Eugene Orr. The merchants hope to replace the rest of the eight-year-old decorations by next year, he added. It would take about 46 additional canes to provide enough for the city, he said.

Orr said the city public works department will start installing the decorations late next week. The merchants pay for the decorations and the cost of lighting them, and city crews install them.

Comparatively Quiet Halloween Night Reported by Law Enforcement Agencies

Law enforcement agencies in Jackson county reported a comparatively quiet Halloween night.

Jackson county sheriff's officers said the most serious damage reported to them was a compressor mounted on a two-wheel trailer dumped off the side of the road near Cascade Gorge on Highway 62.

A ton of hay was spread across the Coleman Creek rd. and the Oregon orchards sign placed in the center of the road, officers said.

Officers also reported that a number of county signs had been removed in the Coleman Creek and Houston rds. area. Wooden barricades were placed across three roads entering Eagle Point and set afire. Mail boxes and signs were smeared

Community Hall, Post Office Are Dedicated

Talent — The community of Talent dedicated a new post office and a remodeled and expanded city hall-community building last night.

The ceremonies, in the large assembly hall of the community building, which was once a school, were marked by numbers from the orange and black clad Talent High school band, introduction of a number of guests, a talk by a postal official, and the noise of children celebrating Halloween in the new downstairs youth center.

The project was a community-wide one. The Lions club gave financial assistance, the Garden club helped, city officials, led by Mayor Frank Christian and Police Chief William Young, did most of the actual work, and the several young people's groups also pitched in where they could.

Hall Project The community hall project included flooring and expanding the assembly and council room upstairs in the old building, renovation of the Talent branch of the Jackson county library, and the big youth center room downstairs. Plans for other improvements are now being laid, according to Mrs. Christian, who has had an important role in the project.

County Judge Rodney Keating presided at the ceremonies, and introduced visiting mayors and their wives, Miss Helen Webster, county librarian, and presented her with a key to the library branch. Postmaster Roger Smoot, and others, Mayor Christian introduced members of the city administration and others in the community who worked on the remodeling job.

Postmaster Smoot introduced Donald Acton, Portland regional post office official, who talked about the new post office, the

Simpson, Nutting Relected to Posts

Lewis L. (Doc) Simpson, secretary-manager and forester for the Southern Oregon Conservation and Tree Farm association, was relected chairman of the advisory board to the district forester of the bureau of land management this morning.

B. L. (Bud) Nutting, general manager of Medford corporation, was relected vice chairman of the group.

Russian People Being Prepared For Public Disclosure of Zhukov

London — Two top Soviet publications started preparing the Russian people today for the public disgrace of Red army hero Marshal Georgi Zhukov.

The Soviet naval organ Red Fleet called for "decisive condemnation" of "exaltation of individualism... swaggering... military leaders."

Crushing Rebuff The Soviet party newspaper Pravda printed an article noting the "apostates and renegades, right or left wing schismatics and fractionaries" in the party have "invariably met with crushing rebuff."

Dispatches on both articles cleared meticulous Soviet censorship.

Possibly as part of the groundwork for making the announcement, the Soviet News Agency Tass Thursday night distributed a Communist Chinese statement giving unqualified support to Khrushchev's insistence on supremacy of the party over the army.

Khrushchev's Fear Zhukov was commander in chief of the Red army as well as defense minister. Western as well as Communist reports have said his downfall was caused by Khrushchev's fear the army was getting more powerful than the party.

The Tass report quoted Li Bo Chen, a Red Chinese military official and politburo member, as saying in the Peiping daily that the first and basic principle of the army is "absolute leadership of the party."

Franc Tireur said that during the "bargaining" that has gone on this week between him and the army hero, Khrushchev has agreed to reduce Zhukov's "faults" to modest proportions if he would accuse himself publicly.

But Zhukov so far has refused to have any part of the idea and that is why the Soviet announcement on his fate has been postponed twice after reports that it was "imminent," Franc Tireur said.

Syrian-Egyptian Armed Forces Chief Goes To Moscow

Maj. Gen. Abdel Hakim Amer, chief of the joint Syrian-Egyptian armed forces, left Cairo today by Soviet jet airliner for Moscow and important talks with Soviet military leaders.

United Press Correspondent Wilbur G. Landrey reported from Cairo there was speculation another arms deal was in the making to supplement the planes, submarines, tanks and rockets already received from Russia.

His departure to attend the 40th anniversary celebration of the Bolshevik revolution was another bit of evidence the Turco-Syrian "crisis" was over. The celebrations are Nov. 7.

Press Banners News Egyptian newspapers banneted news of his departure and said he would participate in "important talks" while in Moscow with the Egyptian officials who accompanied him. There was no hint whether his visit would end in closer ties with the Soviet which has supplied both Egypt and Cairo with military equipment.

Although the crisis appeared over, Egypt's President Gamal Abdel Nasser and Syria's President Shukri El Kuwattli issued statements today—anniversary of the end of the Suez invasion—declaring any "imperialist aggression" against Syria would meet the same "shame and defeat" as the attack on Egypt.

The only suggestion that the crisis had not died down came from Kuwait who said, "today imperialism is launching a new round. But our stand will be the same as that of a year ago, with a deeper faith in the justice of our cause and the strength of our brotherhood and solidarity."

\$100,000 Damage Suit Filed Here

Theodore R. Donner, Central Point, has filed a suit in circuit court asking \$100,000 general damages, \$945.57 special damages, plus compensation and attorneys fees from Frank Richardson, Central Point, and Doris L. Oaks, Camp White, for injuries received in an automobile accident Nov. 26, 1956 at Camp White.

Donner, a passenger in an automobile driven by Richardson, suffered permanent injuries to head, brain and neck and other injuries when he was violently thrown about the interior of the car and onto the road as a result of the accident, the complaint states.

The accident occurred on Hospital rd. at Camp White about 7:50 a.m. when the automobile driven by Richardson collided with a vehicle driven by Doris L. Oaks, 31 states. The complaint charges Doris Oaks with negligent and careless operation of her automobile, claiming that the windshield of her car was covered with frost. Richardson is charged in the complaint with operating his vehicle in a reckless, careless, and negligent manner and failing to keep a proper lookout for another vehicle.

The plaintiff is represented by the law firm Neff, Froh-mayer and Lowry of Medford.

DOW-JONES AVERAGES

New York — Dow-Jones final stock averages: 30 industrials 434.71, off 6.33; 20 railroads 108.03, off 2.91; 15 utilities 65.54, off 0.21, and 65 stocks 147.25, off 2.20. Sales today were about 2,060,000 shares compared with 2,170,000 shares Thursday.

Mrs. Bash Resigns GOP Chairmanship

Mrs. Frank Bash, 1325 Bundy ave., Medford, has resigned as chairman of the Republican Central committee of Jackson county, chairman of the Fourth Congressional district organization, and as a member of the Oregon State Republican Executive committee.

Her resignation is effective today.

Mrs. Bash said she resigned because of personal responsibilities. She submitted her resignation in time that a new chairman may become familiar with the organization prior to the 1958 elections, she said.

No date has been set for a committee meeting at which a new chairman will be named.

CONGRATULATIONS—Kelly Somers, right, is being congratulated by his father, F. L. Somers, 36 Glen Oak st., after receiving his eagle rank in a Boy Scout Troop 3 ceremony held at Roosevelt school earlier in the week. It is the highest rank available in the scouting movement. The award was presented by J. A. McDougall, Crater Lake area council commissioner. Troop scoutmaster is Jack Thompson and assistant scoutmaster is Carl Olson.

(Photo by Dick Clark)



Powell Sedition Case Ordered Dismissed

San Francisco — U.S. District Judge Louis E. Goodman today ordered dismissal of the 18-month-long Powell sedition case after 30 days unless the State Department permits gathering of evidence for the defense in Communist China and North Korea.

The defendants are John W. Powell, 38, his wife, Sylvia, 36, San Francisco, and Julian Schuman, New York, who are charged with publishing charges in Shanghai that the U.S. engaged in aggression and germ warfare in the Korean war.

Goodman, in an opinion on a defense motion for dismissal of charges, noted the defense has named 100 prospective witnesses in Red China and North Korea who allegedly could testify about the truth of magazine articles prepared by the defendants.

He said those countries are the "most likely sources of defense evidence... the necessity for defense counsel to travel to China and North Korea in preparation for trial has become manifest."

Goodman previously appointed defense counsel A. L. Wirin an officer of the court so he could travel to the Orient under the court's protection in spite of refusing to issue passports for travel to these countries.

However, Goodman said he could not order the State Department to issue Wirin a passport and the Red Chinese government has indicated it would not admit the attorney unless he has one.

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WEATHER FORECAST: Fair through Saturday except for fog and smoke in valleys Saturday morning. Low tonight 28. High Saturday 35. Highest Yesterday 52. Lowest this Morning 30. Our Skies Tonight Sunrise 6:45 a.m. Sunset 3:05 p.m. Moonset Saturday 2:02 a.m. Full Moon Nov. 7. Highlight of the phenomena in the skies above this month will be the increasing brilliance and prominence of the planet Venus. It sets here tonight at 6:56 p.m.