

Hectic Presidential Campaign Ends With Both Hopefuls Hard at Work

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Opinion Polls Indicate Kennedy Has Narrow Lead

Nixon Lieutenants Say Timing at Peak

Washington—(UPI)—The hectic 1960 presidential election campaign comes to an end today with both candidates acting as if victory depended on a few more voters who could be converted by handshakes or glimpses at a TV screen. Vice President Richard M. Nixon and Sen. John F. Kennedy both undertook man-killing schedules for this election eve before awaiting the verdict from Tuesday's voting.

Public opinion polls indicated Kennedy was ahead but not by a margin big enough to generate overconfidence in Democratic command posts. Nixon lieutenants disputed the polls and said they failed to reflect that Kennedy had passed a crest two weeks ago and that the vice president's timing carried his campaign to its peak at election time.

Important Religious Issue
Both sides recognized that the religious issue—Kennedy is a Roman Catholic—was one of the big unknowns of the campaign and that it could both help and hurt each candidate. Another unknown factor was the impact of President Eisenhower's vigorous 11th hour campaign in behalf of Nixon. A record turnout is expected Tuesday. A forecast from Republican National Headquarters put the figure at about 67 million or within the 65 to 68 million range. Democratic headquarters predicted that the vote might climb above 69 million, compared with the previous record vote of slightly above 62 million in the presidential election of 1956.

In his final sprint, Kennedy was booked today for appearances in Rhode Island, Connecticut, Vermont and New Hampshire, before moving into his home territory of Boston tonight. He will return Tuesday night at his summer home at Hyannis Port, Mass.

After fulfilling a pledge to campaign in all 50 states by flying to Anchorage, Alaska, Sunday, Nixon headed back east in an overnight flight to Madison, Wis. Nixon Makes Telethon
From a brief stop in Madison, he moves to Detroit, where he will make a four-hour telethon, unprecedented in a national campaign, to answer questions telephoned to the studio.

After a Chicago stop for another TV appearance, he flies back to his home state of California. He votes Tuesday at Whittier and receives election returns at a Los Angeles hotel.

The President and Henry Cabot Lodge, GOP vice presidential nominee, campaigning today in New England, will share the TV screen with Nixon. Eisenhower will be shown from Washington and Lodge from Boston. The GOP has time on all three national TV networks between 10 p.m. and midnight (e.s.t.).

Kennedy scheduled his final TV appeal from Boston over CBS at 11 p.m. (e.s.t.).

Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson, Democratic vice presidential nominee, was making his final campaign appearances in his home state of Texas, one of the major battlegrounds of the campaign.

Seven Big States
Campaign managers for both candidates are most concerned about seven states with the largest blocs of electoral votes—New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, Illinois, Texas and California. These states combined have 205 of the 269 electoral votes needed by the winner.



CLARK GABLE In Hollywood Hospital

Clark Gable Has Heart Attack; Said Satisfactory

Hollywood—(UPI)—Movie star Clark Gable, 59, suffered a slight flareup in the hospital early today where he is recovering from a heart attack, but his condition was listed as satisfactory.

Dr. Fred Cerini said he gave the matinee idol an injection to counteract a pain in his heart. Gable was stricken Sunday morning by a slight coronary thrombosis and was rushed by ambulance to Hollywood Presbyterian hospital where Dr. Cerini said his patient would spend at least three weeks.

Attended by Six Nurses
The actor's wife, Kay, spent the night with her husband and said "He rested pretty well except for an ache around his heart."

She slept in the same room with her husband who also was attended by six nurses, two per shift, on an around-the-clock basis.

Bulletin

San Diego—(UPI)—Postal authorities reported that a bomb was found today in a package addressed to Vice President Richard M. Nixon. It was discovered in the San Diego Post Office.

Nixon-Lodge Telethon To Cost \$41,000 Hourly

Washington—(UPI)—Leonard W. Hall, campaign manager for Richard M. Nixon and Henry Cabot Lodge, said today the television time for the GOP presidential candidate's telethon from Detroit today would cost \$41,000 an hour.

Answer to Charge
He then made the figure public in apparent answer to a charge from the Democratic presidential candidate's camp that the Republicans were spending \$500,000 on the telethon and three other half hour segments in "prime TV time."

Durno's Expense Report Missing; Porter's Said To Be Incomplete

By A. ROBERT SMITH
Mail Tribune Washington Correspondent
Washington—No campaign expense report for Dr. Edwin R. Durno, Medford congressional candidate, has been filed as of Monday noon with the clerk of the House of Representatives as required by law.

A report by Rep. Charles O. Porter was filed last week but it failed to reveal Porter's campaign budget. Congressional candidates had until midnight Saturday, Oct. 29, to have their reports mailed and postmarked. The reports are supposed to show how much money had been spent and contributed to their election campaigns up to the time they filed.

The reports are required by the federal corrupt practices act. All candidates are notified by the clerk about the law's requirements and sent the proper forms to be filled out and mailed back.

The clerk's office said it was up to date in filing all the reports thus far received. Only one other Oregon congressional candidate had not filed a report. He is Marv Owens, the Democratic challenger against Rep. Walter Norblad in the first district.

Porter's report filed here was of no greater value than Durno's missing report in revealing how much has been spent in their hot race. Porter said he had personally not received any money or spent any because it was handled by a committee.

Political committees are not required by law to report their expenditures unless they function in more than one state.

Some of the committees which must file reports listed funds disbursed to both candidates. The Republican congressional campaign committee has made four contributions to Durno starting with \$1,000 last June 8. The total comes to \$2,500.

The AFL-CIO committee on political action sent \$10,000 to the Oregon State COPE, presumably for disbursement to COPE's favored candidates in Oregon. How much went to each congressional candidate is not reported.

Porter was not alone in evading a report on committee contributions. Rep. Edith Green and Mrs. Maurine Neuberger both chose not to list their contributions, and Rep. Al Ullman listed only a handful which he said were turned over to his campaign committee.

Elmo Smith sent in a list of contributions and expenditures, according to the senate secretary's office, but didn't put them on the proper form. It was sent back and so no figures were available.

The only candidates who did report their campaign funds with completeness were Rep. Walter Norblad and Mrs. Green's rival, Wallace L. Lee. Both men had budgets under \$10,000.

Finch-Tregoff Case Ends in Hung Jury

Panel Unable To Reach Verdict In Second Trial

Los Angeles—(UPI)—The second murder trial of socialite Dr. R. Bernard Finch and his mistress, Carole Tregoff, ended today in a hung jury. It was the second time a jury was unable to come to a decision on the charges that the doctor and his red-haired girlfriend murdered his wife.

Superior Judge Leroy Dawson, after dismissing the jury, set Jan. 3 as the date for announcing a date for a third trial. Dawson dismissed the jury on the first day of the 20th week of the trial, the longest criminal courtroom case in the annals of California, when foreman Edwin F. Fry Jr. said that 11 jurors considered the deliberations hopelessly deadlocked. The 12th juror said she felt that a verdict could be reached by continuing deliberations.

The end came after 59 ballots and 71 hours, 5 minutes of jury consideration.

On the actual vote, Fry said the jury stood 9-3 on the "guilt or innocence" of Miss Tregoff, while the jury had reached a verdict on the doctor but could not concur on "degree of guilt."

It was understood that the 9-3 vote on Carole was for conviction.

Salem—(UPI)—The Oregon Association of Police Chiefs will meet here Nov. 13-15.

BLM Director Is Keynote Speaker For Convention

Thursday, a general assembly will be held in the Hollywood theater and meetings of all committees. The Rev. George R. Bolster, St. Marks Episcopal church, Medford, will give the invocation and Medford Mayor John W. Snider will give the welcoming address.

Major addresses will be given by Stewart Holmes, Terrebonne, Oregon Future Farmers of America treasurer, and by Fred Dressler, president of the American National Cattlemen's association.

A luncheon and fashion show will be held by the Oregon Cow Belles, the association's auxiliary organization, at the Rogue Valley Country club Thursday noon. Addresses and panel discussions will follow a "barbecue breakfast" Friday. Speakers will include Dick Richards, manager of the Pacific International Livestock exposition; E. E. Davis, chairman of the Oregon Beef council; Nelson Crow, publisher of the Western Livestock Journal, Los Angeles, Calif.; Dr. Roy O. Peterson, president, Oregon Veterinary Medical association; and Don Stahall, Swift and Company, Chicago.

At 11:15 a.m. Friday a catleman's and Veterans' Day parade will be held in Medford. The convention will be climaxed by a hospitality hour and dinner dance at the Medford armory Friday evening.

The public is invited to attend the assembly meetings and tickets will be on sale at the hotel headquarters for social events.

Final assembly, election of officers, and introduction of the county cattlemen of the year will end the convention Saturday morning.

Basketball Player Injured in Accident

Corvallis—(UPI)—Bob Niles, 20, Klamath Falls, a letterman on the Oregon State college basketball team, was injured seriously in a one-car crash on Highway 20 on the outskirts of Corvallis Sunday.

He was a passenger in a car driven by William Tom Hamlin, 20, Medford, Hamlin and another passenger, Keith Burnett, 21, Price, Utah, suffered slight injuries.

Niles suffered a fractured right leg fractured pelvis and two broken arms.

Niles is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Niles, formerly of Medford. Hamlin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hamlin, 2309 Hillcrest rd., left here to visit their son in Corvallis following the accident.



UNDERGROUND STAY ENDS—A portion of a crowd that emerged from an A-bomb shelter at Camp Parks, Calif., gives a rousing cheer as the moment of emergence arrives. It was the first family test of the Nation's first family-sized nuclear safety facility. (UPI Telephoto)

Russian Military Might Displayed On Anniversary

Moscow—(UPI)—Defense Minister Rodion Malinovsky displayed Soviet missile might for the elite of the Communist world today and warned it would "crush" anyone who tried to start a war against Russia.

Several dozen short and medium range rockets as well as some conventional artillery and anti-aircraft rolled across Red Square in a parade marking the 43rd anniversary of the Bolshevik revolution.

Among the missiles was a 10-foot silver replica of the ground-to-air type the Russians said shot down the United States U2 plane over Russia May 1.

The military section of the parade took only about 10 minutes of the 45 minute demonstration, making it one of the shortest in the history of these annual celebrations.

Khrushchev on Stand
Premier Nikita S. Khrushchev stood on a reviewing stand atop the Lenin-Stalin mausoleum flanked by Lie Shao-chi, chairman (president) of Communist China, and other foreign and Soviet Communist leaders.

Among the guests on hand for the observance is Ernesto Che Guevara, president of the National Bank of Cuba and one of Fidel Castro's closest advisers.

Foreign diplomats and military attaches were scattered through the crowd but they saw no new weapons. The largest rocket shown was an intermediate range weapon with a range of 500 to 700 miles.

PREDICTS VICTORY
Portland—(UPI)—Ex-Gov. Elmo Smith predicted today that Oregon voters will send him to the United States Senate.

SERVICE STATION ROBBED
Dallas—(UPI)—A man armed with a .22 pistol robbed the Time service station here of \$440 early today. The attendant was locked in a rest room.

Hatfield Protests East's Vote Outcome Prediction

Salem—(UPI)—Gov. Mark Hatfield said today he has sent telegrams to the national networks and wire services in New York asking that no electronic determinations of the outcome of Tuesday's election be released until the polls close in Oregon at 8 p.m. (pst).

"The West should not be stampeded nor tranquilized by electronics," he said.

Here in Oregon we have many issues and candidates deserving of our attention and

Polls To Be Open 12 Hours Tuesday; Offices To Close

Polls in Jackson county for the Tuesday, Nov. 8, general election will be open from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The county clerk's office in the courthouse will be open tomorrow from 7 a.m. and through the night to be available for information and decision on problems that may occur.

A list of the polling places in the county appears on page 9B of today's Mail Tribune.

All other offices in the courthouse, except the sheriff's office, will be closed Tuesday, it was announced. Also to be closed election day will be the Public Library of Medford and Jackson county

Pickets Appear At Sears Store

Pickets appeared this morning at Sears Roebuck and company store at the Medford Shopping Center.

The two pickets, members of Retail Clerks Union local 265, AFL-CIO, carry placques which state "Stop Don't Shop at Sears Roebuck and Company. Support your fellow union members." It is signed by the Sears Roebuck and Company Boycott committee of the AFL-CIO.

Officials of the local said today that the pickets will remain at the store area during shopping hours. They stressed that only Sears in the shopping center is being picketed. Further plans in the boycott of Sears by the union will be discussed at a meeting tonight, union officials stated.

Earlier this year letters were mailed by the Retail Clerks Union local to area residents encouraging them not to shop at Sears. The disagreement between the company and labor union concerns the firing of 262 employees by Sears in California earlier this year.

Logging Equipment Theft Investigated

State police are investigating today the recent theft of logging equipment belonging to Donald Harper, Shady Cove.

Harper said a water pump and motor, double-bit axe, and a gallon can of grease were stolen sometime between Oct. 23 and Nov. 5 in the Prospect area. Estimated value is \$400.

Officers are also investigating a call this morning from Mrs. Elizabeth Bessell, route 1, box 68, Ruch, who said her home had been broken into.

Motion Hearing In Bengtson Case Not To Be Held

A hearing scheduled for this afternoon in circuit court on a motion for a new trial for O. H. Bengtson, Medford lawyer, will not be held, Deputy District Attorney Gerald Scannell said this morning.

After checking with one of Bengtson's attorneys, Scannell said he understands no briefs will be filed for the Medford lawyer and the motion will merely be allowed to remain on the record. That the hearing will not be held was decided by Circuit Judge Orval J. Millard, Grants Pass. Scannell said, due to letters received by the court from Bengtson's attorneys.

On Oct. 12, Bengtson was found guilty of embezzling \$3,701.14 from the Medford Escrow company. On Oct. 17, Judge Millard sentenced him to three years in the Oregon Correctional Institution, Meanwhile, Bengtson is out on \$5,000 bail.

Bengtson's attorneys had filed motions for a new trial and for an appeal to the state supreme court. The question had been whether the motion for an appeal removes the case from the circuit court jurisdiction and automatically places it before the state supreme court. Judge Millard had been expected to rule on that point this afternoon.

Bengtson's attorneys had filed the appeal to keep the Medford lawyer out of jail while further legal action is pending.

Thursday, a Jackson county grand jury considered evidence presented against "a defendant" in the Medford Escrow case. Eight secret indictments were returned.

Bengtson is scheduled to be tried on a prior indictment for \$1,700 on Dec. 13, Scannell said.

Salem Youth Hurt In Hunting Accident

Salem—(UPI)—A 16-year-old Salem boy, Gary Olds, accidentally shot himself in the foot Sunday while hunting near here with a shotgun. Two toes were shattered and he was hospitalized.

WEATHER
FORECAST: Variable cloudiness with occasional light showers through Tuesday. Low tonight 34. High Tuesday 45.
Highest Yesterday 48
Lowest This Morning 40
To 10 a.m. Today Precip. Trace

Our Skies Tonight
Sunset today 4:57 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow 6:54 a.m.
The Moon rises 8:29 p.m.
Last Quarter Nov. 11
Mercury passes in front of the Sun today; this happens on an average of 13 times in a century.
Venus, now a bright evening star, is the only other planet moving between the Earth and the Sun.

Medford Stores Will Be Open for Shopping Until 9 O'Clock Tonight