

Second Device Exploded in Air Over Pacific

Wind, Rain Lash Western Oregon



Hurricane-Force Gusts Reported At Coastal Points

Trees Downed, Power Disrupted

By United Press International

A blustery storm struck the Oregon coast with hurricane force winds Thursday night and moved inland, leaving in its wake sunken boats, downed trees and power lines and other damage.

The Coast Guard station at Newport reported a gust of wind of 110 miles per hour early today. Mt. Hebo near Tillamook reported gusts to 92 mph.

The Space Needle at the Seattle World's Fair was closed temporarily today when the wind gauge atop the spire was spinning at 70 miles an hour.

On Highway 99 freeway north of Eugene, a loaded freight truck was blown over into a ditch by gusty winds when the driver had stopped at the scene of an accident.

Tillamook, where residents said the spring blow was one of the worst in a long time, reported nearly three inches of rain. Newport had 2.48 inches.

Gusts in Portland
The Portland area got gusts of wind to 50 miles per hour. Power and telephone lines there were knocked down by falling trees and limbs.

Several areas near Tillamook were still without power this morning, including Bayocean, Oceanside, Netarts and Cape Meares.

Some old buildings in both the Newport and Tillamook areas were blown down.

Tillamook got winds of 60 miles per hour.

Boat on Side
At Newport the commercial fishing boat Veda M was lying on its side at a dock. Two small boats at Martin's Marina, which was extensively damaged, sank. An old barn blew down.

Power lines in Lincoln county were hard hit.

The glass-domed pool at Oceanlake's Surf Tides Hotel was badly damaged when glass panes were broken.

Salem reported gusts of wind to 47 mph with some trees down and windows broken. Power lines also were affected there.

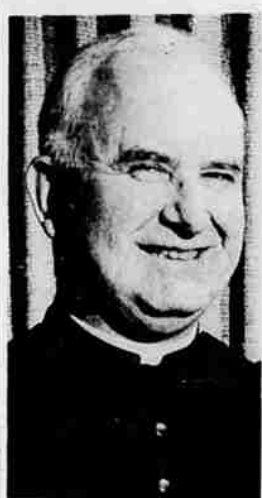
Siren Touched Off
The St. Johns area in Portland had three separate power outages. At Hillsboro a short circuit touched off a fire department siren.

The storm headed toward Eastern Oregon where rain and strong west winds were forecast. Cooler air was expected to ease the situation tonight but gale warnings were still up off the coast.

Astoria had 1.47 inches of rain in the 24 hours ending at 4 a.m. PST. Portland had .92 and Salem .98.

WEATHER
FORECAST: Mostly cloudy with occasional showers and occasional gusty winds through tonight. Partly cloudy with scattered showers Saturday morning. Mostly sunny Saturday afternoon. Low tonight 16. High Saturday 23.

Our Skies Tonight
Sunset today 7:06 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow 5:12 a.m.
Moonrise tomorrow 2:14 a.m.
New Moon
PROMINENT STAR
Capella, low in north-east 10:07 p.m.
VISIBLE PLANETS
Venus, in the west at sunset.
Saturn, leads the Moon.
Jupiter, rises 3:28 a.m.
Mars, follows Jupiter.



HOWARD J. KENNA
Anniversary Speaker

Local Chapter of Knights Set Event For Anniversary

The Rev. Howard J. Kenna, CSC, president of University of Portland, will speak at the golden anniversary charter dinner of the Rogue River Council of the Knights of Columbus.

The event, part of a full day of anniversary activities, is scheduled for the Starlite room of the Rogue Valley Country club Saturday, April 28, at 6 p.m.

His topic will be "The Use of Controversy."

Father Kenna, president of the university since 1955, was appointed to an unprecedented third three-year term as president by the congregation of Holy Cross, which operates the university.

Among the positions he held prior to arriving in Oregon, was vice president at the University of Notre Dame, a member of the Notre Dame faculty and an assistant general.

Start With Mass
Activities will start Saturday at 8:30 a.m. with mass at Sacred Heart Catholic church, according to Grand Knight George Holzinger. Following the church service will be a breakfast for participants at Stanley's restaurant.

Guided tours are planned to scenic and historical points in and around Medford for out of town guests, with visits to view the new St. Mary's High school and the new Knights of Columbus building under construction on Black Oak dr.

During the afternoon the group will watch the annual Pear Blossom parade at 2:30 p.m.

Guests at the banquet will include the Very Rev. Carl Mai, council chaplain; and pastor of Sacred Heart church; Medford Mayor John W. Snider; the Rev. Eamon F. Buckley, OFM, Roseburg, Oregon state chaplain; Oscar Brolin, Grants Pass, district deputy for the Southern Oregon jurisdiction of the Knights of Columbus; Raymond J. Martin, Roseburg, state deputy; and Joseph Blissenbach, The Dalles, past state deputy.

Longtime members of the local council also will be honored. Charter members planning to attend are Guy Conner, Portland, and Jens Jensen, Medford, along with 25-year members Judge Edward C. Kelly, Fred Farenhurst and James McGowan.

Fire Closure Near Willow Lake Official
Official fire closure for the Willow lake area has been signed by Gov. Mark Hatfield.

It became effective last night.

According to the order, no open fires can be built except in designated and posted campgrounds. The area is being posted with signs. Personnel of the Butte Falls district of the Rogue River National Forest will patrol the area which is 10 miles southeast of Butte Falls and one mile off the Fish Lake rd.

The area is being managed under a regulated state of Oregon forest closure.

ACCIDENT FATAL
Langlois - (U) - Gus Schroeder, 78, Broadbent, was killed in a one-car accident on U.S. Highway 101 near here Thursday.

State Commission Approves Plans at Medford Meeting

Programs Proposed By Dr. James Stewart

Two plans, one for computing a county's welfare hospitalization costs and the other to separate categories of welfare medical cases, were approved this morning by the state public welfare commission at a regional meeting here today.

The proposed plans were submitted by Dr. James H. Stewart, director of the division of medical care of the state public welfare commission.

The first plan would remove the present 60 per cent minimum payment for welfare hospitalization to a figure to be computed monthly.

The state allocation for this expense would be compared to the monthly hospital billings to obtain a base line. Individual counties which have a higher percentage than the state average would use their figure, counties going below the state level would use their figure plus one-half of the difference between the county figure and the state's average.

State's Allocation
For example, if the state's allocation for hospitalization for one month was \$86,000, and it was billed \$100,000 by the hospitals, the state's base line would be 66 per cent. If one county's base figured out 44 per cent, one-half of the difference between it and the state - 11 per cent - would be added, making 55 per cent as the percentage to be paid.

In the other plan, it would take into consideration the range of individual hospitalization costs in aid to dependent children cases and old age assistance cases.

Dr. Stewart explained that the same conversion factor is now used for all cases, while the average cost per patient per month for old age assistance persons is \$32.53, while aid-to-dependent children is only 98 cents.

In other action this morning, individual welfare category costs were discussed and a \$45,904,673 budget for fiscal year 1962-63 was approved. Of this amount \$16,344,028 is from state funds and \$7,004,576 is county funds.

Dr. Ennis Keizer, North Bend chairman, is conducting the meeting. The session will continue this afternoon. H. D. Christensen, chairman of the Jackson county welfare commission, will preside.

Compton Takes Job At National Office
Judson W. Compton, executive of the Crater Lake Boy Scout Council, has accepted a position on the staff of the national council in New Brunswick, N.J.

Compton, who has been Scout executive here for 5 1/2 years, will become assistant director of the public relations service of the national organization.

N. H. Gladfelter, president of the Crater Lake Council, has appointed a selections committee to review records of professional Scouters available to replace Compton.

Compton has been in professional Scouting since 1943. Before moving to Medford, he served in Eugene, Ore., Kailispell, Mont., and Richland, Wash.

McAllister Gives Three Points of Advice To Student Government Participants
"Life is a reward-responsibility relationship," William McAllister Jr., 1952 Student Government Day mayor, told the 1962 Student Government Day participants at the dinner last night.

McAllister spoke at the closing event of the day in which some 80 students from county high schools took over the reins of city and county government.

Also attending the dinner at Hedrick Junior High school were city and county officials, parents, and members of the Medford Elks lodge, sponsors of Student Government Day.

Topic of Talk
The speaker's topic was "Ten Years After." Since he was student mayor he has graduated from Harvard college, spent three years in the Navy, and is now a senior at Willamette Law school, Salem.

He stressed three points of advice for the young people present—education is a tremendous challenge; look upon serving in the armed services or at a job as a challenge and an opportunity to excel.

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Confusion Time in Oregon Starts Sunday at 2 a.m.

Illegal Switch Of Clocks Due In Many Areas

Medford To Stay On Standard Time

By United Press International

It's confusion time again. Part of Oregon will join other parts of the nation on daylight saving time at 2 a.m. Sunday. Legally only five counties will do so. But like last summer other areas are playing follow-the-leader.

A check of the 25 largest Oregon cities (1960 census) indicates:

Six — Portland, Hillsboro, Oregon City, Milwaukie, Beaverton and Lake Oswego — will be on daylight time legally.

Eight — Eugene, Corvallis, Albany, Bend, Astoria, The Dalles, Baker and McMinnville — will be dominated by fast time.

Eleven — Salem, Medford, Springfield, Klamath Falls, Pendleton, Roseburg, Grants Pass, Ashland, La Grande, North Bend and Coos Bay — will be dominated by standard time.

A solid front of daylight or standard time is not expected in the latter 19 cities. Grants Pass, for example, indicated some merchants will observe early hours. Harvey Aluminum in The Dalles said it would run on standard time.

Baker plans to stay on standard time until school is out.

Newport first said it would stay standard then changed its mind.

Oregon and Oregon State universities will keep clocks the same but classes start an hour earlier.

State agencies will operate on the time prevailing — standard in Salem, daylight in Portland. Most U.S. government operations in Portland go along with daylight time. Greyhound Lines said buses would be quoted as leaving from and arriving at Portland on daylight time.

Political Fireworks
The daylight time controversy was brought about by the legislative act permitting Multnomah, Washington, Clackamas, Columbia and Hood River counties to adopt fast time. It has brought about political hassles this year and calls for a special legislative session.

Gov. Mark Hatfield said he believed Oregonians "would rather live with another summer of hectic time than face the consequences of a special session which got out of hand and raised taxes because of reckless spending." The governor is powerless to confine a special session to the time issue.

Ballot measures in November should straighten out the situation next summer. It all ends Sept. 30.

Sabin Oral Polio Vaccine Clinic Slated in County

A Sabin oral polio vaccine clinic will be held in Jackson county May 12 and 13.

Present plans call for clinics to be set up in Ashland, Medford, Central Point, Shady Cove and Rogue River schools.

Type one vaccine will be administered at the clinic, with others planned to administer types two and three vaccine.

The clinic will be for persons of all ages and the series of three doses will be administered for \$1 per person with a maximum charge of \$5 for a family.

Books of three coupons will be available at pharmacies in the area and each ticket will entitle the holder to one dose of the vaccine. No one will be refused the vaccine because he cannot afford to purchase the coupons, it was pointed out.

Explained On Program
The clinic and the oral vaccine will be explained during a television program, "Adventures in Medicine," over station KBES-TV at 3:30 p.m. Sunday.

Three drops of vaccine are placed on an ordinary cube of sugar which the recipient dissolves in his mouth.

The clinic was originated for the county by the Jackson County Medical Society with the cooperation of the county health department, Parent-Teacher associations, Junior Chamber of Commerce, Jackson county chapter of the Oregon State Nurses association, Jackson county chapter of the National Foundation and pharmacists of the county.

Dr. William J. Miller is general chairman.

Budget Committee May Vote Against Teacher Allocation

Indications were this morning that the Jackson county budget committee will vote "no" on the requested \$7,000 allocation for a teacher at the juvenile detention home.

It will be discussed further by the full budget committee. Members of the county court were holding a brief agenda session while the lay members of the budget committee discussed the request.

The lay members again stated that the committee is not running an educational program and the county court could not properly supervise an education program for the juvenile detention home since education is not one of its functions.

Suggest Earmarking
They indicated they may suggest \$7,000 be earmarked in the county's contribution to school support funds for a detention home teacher, if the county contributes more than the \$10 per census child as required by law.

Committee members also felt that the Jackson county welfare commission "knows what it is talking about" when it wrote in a letter to the budget committee that "educating children in the detention home falls more accurately with various school districts of Jackson county."

The committee also indicated this morning that it would approve the public health officer's request for an expanded mental health program and new public health clinic building.

Wait at Clinic
Arnold Bohnert, committee chairman, noted that patients wait three to four months for the Family and Child Guidance clinic. Additional personnel is needed to handle the increased caseload, he noted.

This would mean an increase of \$4,289 in the county's share of the expanded mental health service cost, Bohnert noted. He reminded the committee that the application for state matching funds must be in to Salem by May 1.

Proposed site for the new health clinic building is the fairgrounds south of Medford. Committee Member Gordon Hudson repeatedly pointed out that "building costs won't be any cheaper by waiting a year." It was recommended the building be constructed so it could receive additions for other county offices.

Removal of the public health offices from the first floor of the courthouse main building will relieve congestion in other offices, it was noted.

Two Floors of Wing Being Used
The first two floors of the new \$1 1/2 million Rogue Valley hospital wing are now full with patients. Charles I. Gustafson, hospital administrator, reported today.

The second floor was occupied April 16 and the first floor April 24, he said. The third floor will open next week.

A total of 114 adult patients and 18 babies were reported at the hospital. Although this is not the highest number of patients the hospital has handled at one time, it was accomplished easier with the additional space, Gustafson said. Before, additional beds had to be placed in the wards and corridors.

On Monday, remodeling will start in the existing building on the third floor, in the surgery, intensive care areas and recovery room. The entire existing building will be air-conditioned. The remodeling, which also will add additional 10 beds to the hospital's capacity, will take six months.

The highest number of patients the hospital has handled in the past was 117 adults and 22 babies.

Trailer House Fire Damages Interior

The interior and contents of a trailer house were damaged considerably by fire this morning in the 800 block on Taylor st., Medford, firemen reported.

They said the trailer was being used as an office by James and Stritzke construction firm of Roseburg. Cause is as yet undetermined.

Firemen were summoned about 7:30 a.m. by a resident of the neighborhood.

Nuclear Punch Of Warheads Believed Tested

Demonstrations Express Protests

Washington - (U) - The United States detonated an airborne nuclear device over the mid-Pacific today for the second time in 48 hours.

There was speculation the present shots were being used to test the nuclear punch of missile warheads with the aim of packing more power into a smaller space.

As in the Wednesday test, the device exploded today was dropped by an airplane and was of intermediate power. British-controlled Christmas Island again was the test site.

Same Description
A spokesman for the Atomic Energy Commission said the device had an explosive power of less than one million tons of TNT (one megaton) but more than 20,000 tons (20 kilotons). This was the same description given of Wednesday's blast.

The second test of the current U.S. series came as anti-bomb demonstrations were conducted by leftist Japanese students before the U.S. Embassy in Tokyo. Communist and pacifist ban-the-bomb groups staged milder protests in other countries.

Most Reaction Mild
Reaction from most neutral nations was mild in tone and the Free World Allies in Europe strongly backed the U.S. decision to resume atmospheric testing.

The shot today was the 187th nuclear device exploded by the United States, with 64 of them detonated in the Pacific.

The test series, dubbed "operation Dominic," is being carried out by a huge Navy task force under the joint direction of the Defense Department and the Atomic Energy Commission.

Man Questioned In \$1,300 Theft
A 30-year-old Burbank, Calif., man is being questioned in Salem by Medford police officers today in connection with the theft of nearly \$1,300 from a Medford dentist's office Wednesday.

Being interrogated by Lt. Lyle C. Perkins and Officer Milt Hanson is John Henry Earle, who was apprehended by Salem police last night.

Earle is suspected of being implicated with recent similar thefts from doctors' offices in Chico, Calif., Roseburg, Eugene and Grants Pass.

According to police reports, a man answering Earle's description entered a dentist's office in the Mail building on East Main st. between 10:30 and 11:15 a.m. Wednesday. He engaged the receptionist in conversation, distracting her momentarily by asking her to check a fictitious reservation.

Shortly after the man left, the receptionist discovered the bank money sack containing several days' receipts in cash and checks was missing from her desk.

The receptionist accompanied officers to Salem to attempt an identification of Earle. Word received by city police this morning indicates that she has made positive identification of Earle.

"If Theah's Anythin' Ah Like, It's A Good Joke"



NEWS BRIEFS

CARPENTER TO BE NEXT ASTRONAUT
Pittsburgh - (U) - Navy Lt. Cmdr. Scott Carpenter has been selected as the astronaut who will pilot a United States spacecraft on an orbital flight next month.

STEEL PRODUCERS TO ENTER PLEAS
New York - (U) - Four of the nation's largest steel producers will enter pleas May 10 on government charges they fixed prices and rigged bids and sales on federal contracts. U.S. Atty. Robert Morgenthau announced today.

TRAIN DERAILED IN PENNSYLVANIA
Paoli, Pa. - (U) - Twenty-three cars of a 77-car Pennsylvania Railroad freight train were wrecked early today when the train was derailed just east of the Paoli station. No one was injured.