

OREGON PICKS UP FOLLOWING STORM



DAMAGE CLEARED — Power company linemen are shown clearing a downed power pole from the top of a car in Portland following Friday's storm. Extra linemen were flown in from neighboring states to help in restoring facilities brought on by the strong wind. (UPI)

Crews Clean Up After Friday Gale

Mopping-up operations were under way in Jackson county today following Friday's severe windstorm. Major repairs have been completed. It was reported, with many firms now sending repair crews to northern Oregon cities.

Electricity has been restored to the majority of Jackson county. Pacific Power and Light officials reported this morning. Power is still reported off in Union Creek, Howard Prairie and Hyatt lakes, and on Red Bluff road near Prospect.

Power is expected to be restored in all locales except Union Creek by tonight, officials explained. It is not known when the line into Union Creek can be fixed since 11 miles of line was reported damaged in Friday's storm.

Officials said a considerable number of trees were across the power lines in that area, and the firm may have to contract for clearing the blow-downs.

Some 23 men worked Sunday, mainly making permanent repairs in areas where temporary repairs had been made earlier. Persons who do not have power today should contact P&L. It was stressed.

Repairman Injured

Twenty-one men from the Medford district were sent to Grants Pass Friday and this morning. Sunday evening Harold Baker, Medford, suffered a severe cut on one of his arms when a pole he was working on toppled. He was reported in fair condition at Josephine General hospital this morning.

Another lineman, Raymond Heidenreich, also of Medford, who was working on the pole with Baker, was shaken up in the accident but was not hospitalized.

All repairs have been made to lines owned by Pacific Northwest Bell Telephone company, according to Jack Creager, district manager this morning. He noted that the company in Jackson county only suffered \$7,000 damage.

From Medford 12 installer-repairmen and 15 construction men were sent to Grants Pass and Cottage Grove, Creager said. He noted that from Gold Hill to Ashland there were only 726 telephones out at the height of the storm, with all repairs completed by Sunday.

KENNEDY GIVING ATTENTION TO PLEA FOR AID

By United Press International

President Kennedy said today the government was giving "priority attention" to Western Oregon where residents picked up the pieces from Friday's \$170 million killer windstorm that left 21 dead.

The Small Business Administration designated affected areas of Oregon, Washington and California as disaster relief areas. It was understood the administration planned further action within 24 hours.

Torn buildings and continuing power and telephone outages from the worst Oregon wind in memory made emergency living still the rule today in many areas. There was wreckage from the Cascades to the Pacific.

A federal disaster team moved in to meet with Gov. Mark Hatfield and take a look at the storm-torn state.

Hatfield wired Kennedy Saturday saying Oregon is eligible for "major disaster area" aid.

"Kennedy wired the governor today saying 'The office of emergency planning is giving priority attention to the conditions caused by the recent storms in your state.'"

"When they have completed their survey and reported to me you will be advised promptly of the action to be taken."

He also said: "Please extend my sympathy to the families who have suffered. Their distress is of great concern to me and I am hopeful that the situation may rapidly improve."

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WEATHER

FORECAST: Fair through Tuesday, except patches of valley fog or low clouds, early Tuesday morning. Low tonight 33-36. High Tuesday 42-60.

Highest Yesterday 57
Lowest This Morning 31
Sunset today 5:30 p.m.

Our Skies Tonight

Sunrise tomorrow 6:25 a.m.
Moonrise tonight 7:29 p.m.
Last Quarter Oct. 20
The planet, Venus, is lower in the southwest each evening. Now less than 35 million miles away. Venus will reappear in the morning sky in November. Precip. to 10 a.m. Today. Trace

Morse Victory in Congress Leaves Rogue Dams Intact

By A. ROBERT SMITH
Mail Tribune

Washington (Special)—Congress authorized three new Rogue river basin projects Saturday and handed Sen. Wayne Morse a major victory before adjourning so its members could head home.

A long stalemate on the omnibus rivers and harbors authorization bill was broken Friday night when a stripped down compromise bill emerged from House-Senate conference with the Rogue river dams intact. The projects are Elk creek, Lost creek and Applegate dams with an estimated federal cost of \$108.7 million.

The bill contained no funds

Plea Made for More Pear Pickers

Between 800 and 700 pear pickers are desperately needed by Jackson county pear growers, John Patton, manager of the Medford office of the department of employment, stressed today.

Jackson county horticulture agents reported 50 per cent of the coming pear crop damaged and 20 per cent damage to the base pear crop.

Needed are men or women and wife teams, he said. No one under 18 years of age should apply unless they are high school graduates.

Persons who apply for pear picking must wear rubber footwear, Patton stated, since the orchards are very wet. Pickers may work only one day or the entire week, he added. Orchardists are paying a bonus of five cents a box for those who continue picking for the balance of the season.

Persons may apply at the farm labor office at the fair grounds from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. or at the employment office, 119 North Oakdale ave. between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Both Sides Claim Victory in Yemen

Cairo (UPI)—Rival "Republican" and royalist forces today claimed new victories in the struggle for control in the desert kingdom of Yemen on the Red Sea.

Radio Amman in Jordan, which is supporting the self-proclaimed Imam (king) Hasan, said his forces captured the mountain village of Raesh Sunday and were continuing to drive on the capital of Sanaa.

Amman Radio also said that many of Yemen's tribal chieftains were rallying to the support of Hasan, who proclaimed himself imam when the rebels claimed that Imam Mohammed Badr was killed in the revolt last month.

But the semi-official Middle East News agency Mena of the U.A.R. which is backing the rebel regime, said Badr was still alive.

Budget Deficit of \$6 Billion Expected

Washington (UPI)—Instead of the \$500 million deficit originally planned by President Kennedy, the federal budget for this year now is expected to go \$6 billion in the red.

Morse Back in State To Hit Campaign Trail

Eugene (UPI)—Sen. Wayne Morse (D-Ore.), arrived back in the state Sunday to hit the campaign trail in the final three weeks before the November election.

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It blew upright again.

The Dalles Teacher Awarded Judgment

Portland (UPI)—Henry E. Steers, 39, The Dalles school teacher and a former Oregon football player, has been awarded a \$140,000 default judgment and a \$50,000 jury verdict as a result of injuries suffered in an auto accident here last fall.

Steers brought the suit against Hazel Stewart, Wilma Williams and Eugene Montgomery, Klamath Indians. He was injured critically when the car in which he was riding was struck by another while he was en route to a football game here.

The default judgment was entered against Montgomery after he failed to file an appearance. The jury verdict was returned against Miss Williams. Mrs. Stewart, owner of the car, was not held responsible.

Strong Winds Set Gresham Barn Upright

Gresham, Ore. (UPI)—Friday's hurricane-force winds caused \$170 million worth of damage in Oregon, killed several persons and uprooted trees.

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GOP OFFICE ROBBED

Boston (UPI)—The Massachusetts Republican State committee office has been robbed of \$70,000 in cash and checks, most of which represented payments for a fund-raising dinner for former President Dwight D. Eisenhower tonight, it was disclosed today.

Portland (UPI)—Delegates were arriving today for this week's 31st national convention of the National Reclamation association.



MISSING — Mrs. Nancy Carol Rohl, 27, above, of Grants Pass, is being sought by Josephine county officers after she disappeared a week ago with her two children, ages 5 and 2. She was last seen Oct. 7 when she left the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George High, in Grants Pass. She is said to have been driving a 1960 Studebaker bearing license number 2R-905. Anyone knowing of her whereabouts is asked to contact the nearest police station.

Grace Confident Of Monaco Peace

Monte Carlo, Monaco (UPI)—Princess Grace said today with a big smile today that she was optimistic that the little war between Monaco and France would have a happy ending for her tiny country.

"Naturally, we are very concerned," the former Hollywood actress told United Press International.

"But I am optimistic that everything will turn out all right."

The princess, who rules her 360-acre country with her husband, Prince Rainier, added that, "I really can't say anything because it is a political matter."

She indicated she expected to live happily ever after with Rainier in Monaco—surrounded by their wealthy subjects, expensive hotels, ornate gambling casino and harbor full of yachts.

Lumber Talks To Resume on Tuesday

Ottawa (UPI)—Canadian and United States negotiators will be under pressure from their home lumber producers when talks over Canada's softwood lumber exports to the U.S. resume in the capital Tuesday.

NO NEWS CONFERENCE

Washington (UPI)—President Kennedy will not hold a news conference this week, the White House said today.

Delay in Moon Shot, Due Tuesday, Expected

Cape Canaveral (UPI)—Payload troubles today gave the United States only a "50-50 chance" of launching its newest shot at the moon on scheduled Tuesday, informed sources reported.

Emergency Situation in Northwest Blood Supply, Red Cross Officials Say

An emergency situation exists in the blood supply in the Northwest, Medford Red Cross officials were notified this morning.

Blood collections in the northern part of the state have had to be cancelled due to power outages, officials said. They noted that the supply of blood on hand prior to Friday's storm was low, and treatment of storm victims has reduced the blood drastically.

Only 20 appointments have been received so far for the

Cuban Exiles Unfold Story of Attack on Castro Patrol Boat

Miami (UPI)—Six Cuban exiles today unfolded their story of a daring nighttime raid in which they attacked and sank a Cuban government patrol boat and picked up two Castro soldiers wounded in the battle.

The two wounded men were undergoing treatment in Miami's Jackson Memorial Hospital and one of them asked for political asylum. The other was too badly injured to talk.

Premier Fidel Castro's regime in Havana had believed both were dead.

The raid took place early Saturday morning. The six exiles, with the two wounded men, managed to run their damaged PT boat to Cayo Sal, a tiny British islet 45 miles from Cuba's north coast, where the U.S. Coast Guard picked them up Sunday.

Blown To Miami

The wounded men, identified as Militia Sgt. Filiberto Suarez Lima, 40, and Cpl. Miguel Cao Mandino, were rushed to the hospital here by helicopter.

Miami area Immigration Director Edward P. Ahrens said Suarez Lima had asked permission to remain in the United States.

The six raiders arrived aboard a Coast Guard boat at Key West where they were met by immigration, customs and FBI agents and taken to the FBI Locks exfiltration station for intensive questioning.

The leader of the attack, a crewcut, cigar-chewing exile, said the group had left a base outside U.S. territory aiming to slip into Cardenas Bay on Cuba's northern coast to blow up a large distillery.

Meet Patrol Boat

Instead they encountered the patrol boat about a mile off Varadero beach in Matanzas Province and opened fire. The patrol boat fired back.

Both of the wounded Cubans were hit in the upper legs by 20mm cannon fire. Two other Cubans swam to shore as their boat sank.

A few hours after the battle the Cuban Armed Forces Military Ministry issued a communique denouncing the attack as "cowardly" and saying it was part of a plot of "aggression" by "North American Imperialism."

The Castro regime said the raiders had opened fire on a "pleasure craft" manned by four Cuban citizens, but Suarez Lima told officials it was an armed patrol boat.

Police Arrest Wanted Youth

A 19-year-old youth, wanted in Napa, Calif., for the attempted murder of his wife and four-month-old baby, was arrested by a Medford city police officer Sunday afternoon as the fugitive was driving north through Medford.

Arrested and lodged in county jail was Gary Lee McGuire, who told police that he was on his way to Anchorage, Alaska, to see his mother.

Officer George Lucas took McGuire into custody on North Pacific highway about 2 p.m. Sunday after recognizing the Napa man's car from an all-points bulletin he had read that morning.

According to Napa authorities, McGuire is wanted for questioning in connection with the shooting of Barbara McGuire and the couple's baby early Saturday.

McGuire gave a statement to city police admitting that he had robbed a service station Saturday in Vacaville, Calif.

Napa authorities said McGuire's wife has a "50-50" chance of living, but the infant is in good condition.

McGuire has signed a waiver of extradition and will be returned to Napa, where a charge of attempted murder has been filed against him.

Hatfield Appeals for Help in Pear Harvest

Salem (UPI)—Gov. Mark Hatfield today issued a special appeal to citizens of southern Oregon to help harvest the pear crop, hard hit in Friday's storm.

"We have seen in the aftermath of this disaster the finest kind of neighborliness in assisting the homeless and the inconvenienced. We now have a challenge to rescue one of the basic economic resources of the southern part of our state and I urge all citizens who can devote the time to assist in this effort," he said.

Trapped Hunter Freed

In the Prospect district most damage was the blown down timber. Roads were plugged by fallen trees. One hunter camp trapped at Huckleberry Gap was freed yesterday. Two hunter vehicles still were trapped near Anderson mountain.

Minor Damage Report

City Manager Robert Duff reported to Gov. Mark Hatfield's office today that damage to the city from the storm was "minor."

Some 15 older trees were blown over in one section of Litch park, but most of the park's trees were not damaged.

Grants Pass Telephones

Josephine county has a high of 3,000 telephones out of order with 1,133 still without service in Grants Pass today.

Creager stressed that due to the shortage of repair crews in Medford only emergency orders will be taken until storm damage is repaired in the northern part of the state.

Biggest mission in Rogue River National forest in the wake of Friday's severe windstorm is to salvage blown down timber as soon as possible to prevent beetle infestation.

That was the report today from Robert Torheim of the Rogue forest supervisory staff.

Today's mission was to fly over the forest and get a general idea of the damage. Reconnaissance flights were to include checks to learn what the storm might have done to lookout stations.

Torheim reported most of the damage occurred in the Union Creek area. It was progressively less south through the forest.

Summer Homes Damaged

Fifteen summer homes were damaged in the Union Creek area. One home burned last night. Information on whether the fire was storm-connected was not available this morning.

Radio was the only means of communication between Medford and the Union Creek ranger's office. The ranger station was operating on the emergency power of its own generator.

Blown down timber caused considerable damage to the Union Creek campground. One trailer was smashed at the ranger station where there was minor damage to buildings. Beckie's cafe received minor roof damage.

For the amount of timber down, it is lucky that there was not more damage in the Union Creek area, Torheim said. A number of trees fell between buildings.

Damage in Willamette Valley was severe

The State Capitol grounds at Salem, the pride of the state, were reduced to rubble. Century-old trees were torn up and a statue was toppled and cracked.

Repairmen worked to fix the roof of a building at Oregon State Hospital. A ward full of maximum security women prisoners had to be transferred when the roof was torn off.

Eugene was one of the hardest-hit cities. Parts of the roofs of South Eugene High school and Roosevelt Junior High school were blown off. One man was killed when the wind collapsed part of the Sunset Home for the Aged. The Eugene Fire Department answered some 75 fire calls during the blast.

A historic campus tower toppled at Oregon College of Education at Monmouth

On campuses throughout the state, trees were snapped like matchsticks. A bridge at Corvallis was closed.

In Portland, the Hawthorne Bridge was reopened to three-lane traffic after a ship rammed into it during the storm. Multnomah Stadium had parts of its roof torn off, but 30,000 football fans showed up Saturday to watch Washington edge Oregon State 14-13.

Livestock Exposition Parade Cancelled

The Pacific International Livestock Exposition cancelled its parade over littered and blocked Portland streets, but opened on schedule Saturday despite storm damage to its buildings.

Hatfield upped his damage estimate from \$150 million to \$170 million after the State Forestry Department reported \$20 million damage to state forests alone. Many lookout towers were damaged.

Hatfield put 100 foresters on the alert to help cities and counties assess tree damage—and remove weakened trees that would become hazards in even moderate winds.

The governor also appealed to residents of Southern Oregon to give all possible help in harvesting pears knocked from trees by the wind. One-half million boxes of unharvested pears were feared damaged in the Ashland area.

An army of several hundred insurance adjusters was flown into Oregon, named a "catastrophe area" by the industry, to assess and settle storm claims.

Falling trees were blamed for most of Oregon's violent storm deaths. Others were caused by falling buildings, flying glass, a fall, and electrocution.

Preliminary damage estimates included \$4 million in Marion county, \$5 million in Lincoln county, \$2 million in the Gold Beach area, \$1 million at Bandon.

The Red Cross estimated as many as 200 families were left homeless.

An emergency tank of water was trucked to Siletz Sunday. The community had been using hand-chlorinated and boiled fire protection water. Temporary pumps were hooked up for other communities where regular pumps depended on electricity.

Fire fanned by the hurricane force winds destroyed a \$400,000 farmers' warehouse at Junction City, six homes and part of a veneer plant. At Klamath Falls, another fire caused \$100,000 damage to the Ellingson planning mill.

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NEWS BRIEFS

ITEMS FROM AROUND THE GLOBE

FINE OF BARNETT ASKED

Washington (UPI)—The Justice Department today asked that Mississippi Gov. Ross R. Barnett be fined \$100,000 for failing to purge himself of contempt of federal court.

ULBRICHT WANTS GERMAN TREATY

Berlin (UPI)—East German Communist party chief Walter Ulbricht told visiting Polish leaders today that a German peace treaty "must not be withheld any longer."

UGANDA APPROVED BY UN COUNCIL

United Nations, N. Y.—(UPI)—The Security Council recommended unanimously today that the General Assembly admit Uganda as the 110th member of the United Nations.

Bulletin

San Francisco (UPI)—The San Francisco Giants today defeated the New York Yankees, 5 to 2, to win the sixth game of the World Series. The seventh and deciding game will be played here Tuesday.