

Boardman Nearer, Hatfield Declares

Agreement Signed By Engineers for Industrial Park

Pact With Navy Only Roadblock

Salem—UPI—Army Engineers have signed an agreement which puts the Boardman Space Age Industrial Park in north-central Oregon a step closer, Gov. Mark Hatfield said Monday.

Hatfield told an afternoon news conference the only remaining roadblock before final development of the project can proceed is an agreement with the Navy. This concerns costs involved in taking over Navy-owned property in the area.

He said he could not estimate when it would be settled. Details Given Hatfield said the agreement with the engineers would set aside four miles of Columbia river waterfront land for recreational use, and seven miles for industrial use.

The state would give its land in the area to the government, the government would condemn some privately owned land along the river, then give the entire block of property back to the state.

If the property goes unused for 20 years, it is subject to possible reversion to the government.

Hatfield said Boeing company, which is "anxious" to use the property, already has submitted its planned use of the waterfront area to the engineers for review and approval.

Hatfield indicated there was a possibility Boeing might begin work on its Boardman development before final agreement with the Navy is reached.

Other Topics

On other topics, the governor said he felt the public utility commissioner should be allowed to set regulations as to the number of men in a train crew.

The legislature is now considering proposals to cut the size of main line freight train crews to five men.

He termed PUC control a "sunder approach" then having the legislature set crew size by law.

Hatfield said he had no specific wording in mind for a prayer in school amendment to the constitution called for in his inaugural address.

He said he did not agree with a House Alcohol Committee move to increase liquor commissioners' per diem to \$150 for three meetings a month. They presently receive \$20 a meeting.

He said any increases in per diem allowance should apply to all commissions, and should not be on a monthly basis.

Oregon State Coed In Central Oregon

Corvallis—UPI—Edna Pemberton, 21-year-old Oregon State university coed missing since last Thursday, is safe in Central Oregon, her foster father said today.



NO AGREEMENT YET—Frank McGowan, president of the Photoengravers Union, appears solemn as he talks to the press in New York. A dispute between publishers and 320 photoengravers is keeping 20,000 newspaper employees from their jobs and New York residents from the 5.7 million papers they buy each day.

Barton To Request Cracking of Whip Over State Groups

Salem—UPI—House Speaker Clarence Barton said today he would ask Gov. Mark Hatfield to "crack the whip over feet-dragging state agencies" that were not providing legislative committees with needed information.

Barton said the Board of Higher Education was asked more than two weeks ago to provide a Ways and Means subcommittee with anticipated effects on enrollment resulting from higher academic requirements for out-of-state students.

The Coquille Democrat also cited an incident Monday in which Racing Commission representatives failed to appear at a meeting of the house planning and development committee.

District 6C Board Members Note Plans

Central Point—Two present members of the District 6C school board will run for reelection in the May 6 election, it was announced today.

J. W. Fitzgerald of Sams Valley, chairman of the board, will run for another five-year term, and Charles L. Ghelardi of Central Point, who was appointed last year to replace Dr. Alvin Roberts, will run for the remaining three years of Dr. Roberts' term.

Fitzgerald is an orchardist. He has lived all his life in the Sams Valley area and attended the Sams Valley school. Ghelardi has lived in the Central Point area since 1946. He owns Southern Oregon Bearing Sales company of Medford.

Ashlander Appears On Burglary Charge

Melvin Edwin Snodgrass, 23, of 303 North Main st., Ashland, was arraigned in district court this morning on a charge of burglary not in a dwelling. Circuit Judge Edward C. Kelly served as district court judge.

Harry Skerrey, Ashland, was appointed as attorney and the case was continued. Snodgrass has admitted in a signed statement to burglaries in this area including schools. A Washington official was questioning him yesterday regarding burglaries in that state. Another officer from that state is scheduled to question Snodgrass today.

Jury Being Selected To Hear Damage Suit

A Jackson county circuit court jury was being selected this morning to hear the damage suit of Jackson County Rollarena, Inc., vs. Medford Irrigation district.

The Rollarena is suing the district for a total of \$10,366 as a result of an irrigation ditch overflowing Nov. 24, 1960, damaging the indoor rink and forcing a temporary closure.

WEATHER FORECAST: Variable cloudiness with a few showers tonight and Wednesday. Low tonight 33-36. High tomorrow 55-60. Temp. Highest yesterday 63. Lowest this morning 49. Prec. to 10 a.m. today .01.

Anti-Pollution Law Given Teeth In Senate Vote

Salem—UPI—A bill which puts more teeth in the state's anti-pollution laws won approval of the state Senate today. It now goes to the House.

Sen. Tel Hallock (D-Portland) termed the measure a "splendid bill that meets the objectives of industry and the requests of the governor."

Major feature of the bill is to give the State Sanitary Authority the power to move promptly in courts to control air and water pollution problems. Hallock said the authority will continue to seek voluntary cooperation, but the new bill gives the authority the power it needs to take action where there is no voluntary cooperation.

Open Burning Control The bill also gives counties and cities more control over open burning and other activities which lead to air pollution.

Voting against the measure were Sens. R. F. Chapman (D-Coos Bay), Thomas Mahoney (D-Portland), E. D. Potts (D-Grants Pass), and Daniel Thiel (D-Astoria).

The House passed and sent to the Senate a bill enlarging the Port of Portland to take in Multnomah county east of 183rd st.

The measure would give the port a broader financial base. Rep. Edward Whelan (D-Portland) said the port serves the entire metropolitan area and its support should be broadened.

The House also approved a memorial urging the Federal Power Commission to speed approval for a natural gas line between Eugene and Grants Pass.

Rep. John Dellenback (R-Medford) said if the FPC would authorize the line, construction could start this spring.

Residents Reminded Of Fire Season Start

The annual fire season starts April 1, the state forestry department reminded area residents today. All regulations pertaining to the fire season will be in effect on that date.

Under the regulations, a permit must be obtained before any burning is done on or within one-eighth mile of any forest land. Burning permits and incinerator permits may be obtained by contacting the Oregon state forestry department, 5286 Table Rock rd., telephone 894-1213.

Logging and sawmill operators must meet all requirements pertaining to fire tools and equipment in order to operate after that date. They are also reminded that they must have an operation permit before they begin logging or sawmilling.

Operators who have any questions as to the necessary requirements should contact the forest inspector for the area, Curtis Neheim, district warden, stated.

Hatfield Reveals New Industry

Salem—UPI—Gov. Mark Hatfield said Monday a new industry which will use pine tree stumps is scheduled to begin operations soon in Oregon.

He said it would employ about 100 persons and construct a chemical distillate plant somewhere in the Bend-Klamath Falls region. Heyden-Newport Chemical company was successful bidder, at \$2.27 a ton, for two million tons of pine tree stumps.

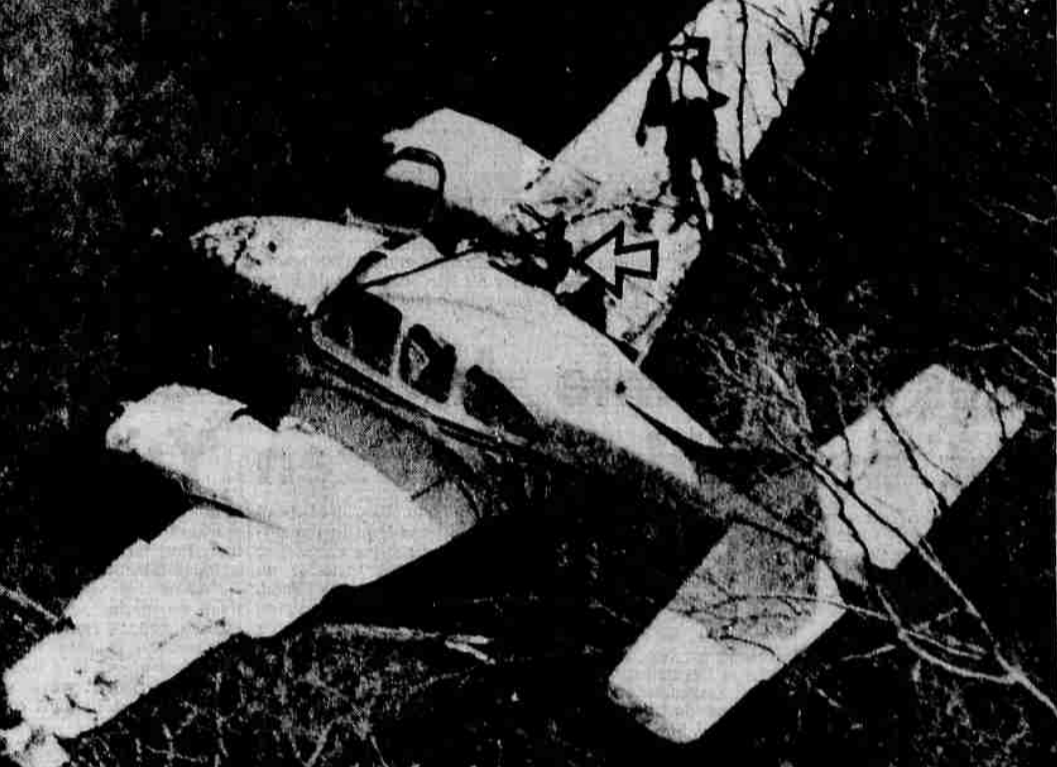
The 20-year contract is for use of stumps from the Deschutes, Winema and Fremont National forests. Old pine stumps are a primary source of chemical extracts such as turpentine and rosin.

Hatfield said first interest in locating in Oregon was shown by the firm at an economic development meeting in New York in 1960.

Rep. Duncan Introduces Dunes Seashore Proposal

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CRASH VICTIMS SAVED—An injured man lies on the wing of a plane forced down in swamp land near Millville, N.J., as the arm of another occupant, near, reaches from the cabin. The two passengers were saved after a third man, William Deveney, Folcroft, Pa., crawled a mile and a half in six painful hours with a broken back to bring help. This picture was taken by Philadelphia Inquirer staff photographer William Augustine, who was in one of the planes which located the two-engine craft which crashed Sunday. (UPI)

Guidance Clinic Budget Checked By County Group

The Jackson county budget committee reviewed the proposed Family and Child Guidance clinic budget this morning.

Tentative budget total, after cuts, now is \$38,638, up \$458 over the current allocation. However, further cuts were indicated this morning.

The committee as of this morning had cut the salary of a psychiatric social work from a recommended \$7,650 to \$7,200, \$150 less than allowed currently.

The salary of another was cut from a recommended \$7,500 to \$7,200 — \$300 more than the current year's allocation.

These salaries were the focal point of this morning's discussion.

Some committee members continued to object to the public health officer's salary increase for some of the clinic's professional personnel in mid-year over what was allocated in the current county budget.

Said increases Adequate Dr. E. Erin Merkel's explanation of the mid-year increases under the state merit system (different from the county's) was adequate, according to Commissioner Edwin Taylor.

The United Medford Crusade allocation and payments from patients who can afford the clinic services are deductible from the total budget. Then the state pays half the remaining cost.

The committee also considered the public health department budget this morning. Dr. Merkel's salary was held at \$15,000. The committee said Dr. Merkel was the second highest paid public health officer in the state, although two or three counties paid an equivalent salary. Multnomah county pays the highest.

The budget committee members considered granting increases for nurses' salaries, noting that Dr. Merkel has had a recruiting problem to fill vacancies.

WAREHOUSE BURNS

Nyssa, Ore.—UPI—Authorities investigated a gutted, Simplot produce warehouse today to determine the amount of damage a raging fire caused late Monday night. Estimates ran to \$150,000.

Bidault Believed To Be in Portugal Under False Name

Lisbon, Portugal—UPI—Fugitive former French Premier Georges Bidault, 63, refused political asylum in West Germany on his own terms, was believed in Portugal today to continue his fight to overthrow President Charles de Gaulle.

997 Students Enroll For New SOC Term

Ashland—There were indications that Southern Oregon college registration would hit another all time high for spring term when the first day's figures were turned in by the registrar's office.

There were 997 students enrolled on Monday, the first day of registration for the new term. On the first day in 1962 there were 914 students registered and the registration continued and increased to 1,527 for a record spring term enrollment before registration closed.

The closing date for this year is April 8.

The men outnumbered the women in the first day's enrollment this term. There were 538 men and 459 women students.

Classes started at the college today.

Fears Voiced Over Beer, Wine Tax Hike

Salem—UPI—Fears that increases in beer and wine taxes might drive Oregon's one brewery and one winery out of business were voiced at a hearing of the House Tax Committee Monday.

The committee is considering proposals to double the present 23 cents a gallon wine tax, and \$1.30 a barrel beer tax to produce an additional \$3 million a biennium.

Distributors, labor organizations, and brewers opposed increases in the tax.

John Barnick of the Oregon Liquor Control Commission said he would oppose the tax increases "if it would hurt" Oregon's one brewery and one winery.

Salem—UPI—The new building at Columbia Park State Home at The Dalles will be named for former Secretary of State Samuel E. May, the Board of Control has decided.

OSU Graduate Dies in Accident On Mt. Everest

Katmandu, Nepal—UPI—Hopes of conquering massive Mt. Everest and two towering sister mountains ended in tragedy for a Jackson, Wyo., climber, it was learned today.

The State Department said it had received word from Nepal that John Breitenbach, 27, a graduate of Oregon State university, was killed after he was buried under an ice fall at the base of Mt. Everest 70 miles from here Saturday.

Breitenbach was on a team of 20 crack mountain climbers engaged in setting up a base of operations for the assault on 29,028-foot Everest scheduled for May 1. Informed sources said the accident happened as Breitenbach was improving a trail across the Khumbu glacier.

Must Be Crossed The glacier must be crossed by any mountain climbing team seeking to scale the world's highest mountain from the south side. The trail Breitenbach was improving had been carved out the day before, and the team was to move up from a base camp.

Breitenbach graduated from Oregon State in 1961 with a bachelor degree in science and was an honor student. His widow, Mary Louise, also attended OSU in 1961.

Breitenbach was on Mt. McKinley mountain climbing expeditions in 1958 and 1959. He was born in Aberdeen, Wash., and also attended Colorado and Washington universities and Dartmouth college.

Bulletin

Washington—UPI—Oregon Sens. Wayne Morse and Maurice Neuberger have asked the Bureau of the Budget to approve an accelerated funding schedule for preconstruction planning of reservoir units of the Rogue River Basin Project.

Police Study Evidence In Death of Socialite

Phoenix—UPI—Sheriff's detectives today investigated the possibility Texas socialite Jane Langdon, 21, was sexually assaulted before she was shot to death and abandoned in a prospector's tunnel.

A medical examiner's report on an autopsy Monday said evidence indicated the Texas Christian coed was assaulted and that the murder weapon may have been a .38 caliber revolver.

Such a weapon was sent to FBI agents in Washington for further ballistic tests. The revolver was found by Arthur Brown Jr., an Arizona State university student, a few miles from where Miss Langdon's body was found Saturday.

Funeral services were to be held today at Fort Worth, Tex. The body was flown there Monday in a private plane after an autopsy.

The search continued for two pieces of luggage belonging to Miss Langdon, daughter of Texas judge Jack Langdon of the Second Court of Civil Appeals. She was last seen Thursday by a taxicab driver who dropped her and the luggage off at a luxury apartment. She had come here to visit her mother, who underwent surgery Friday.

Congressman Hopes Boundary Can Be Resolved

Fall Target Date For Oregon Hearings

Washington—UPI—A bill to establish the Oregon Dunes National Seashore was introduced in the House of Representatives by Rep. Robert Duncan (D-Ore.).

Duncan said his bill set the boundaries of the area to prevent interference with private property, tree farms and wood products industries.

The boundaries of the proposed Seashore are the only serious difference between his plan and those of Sen. Maurine Neuberger (D-Ore.) and Secretary of Interior Stewart Udall, Duncan said.

"I am hopeful that this can be resolved so that the entire park issue can be solved," the freshman congressman added.

Under the Duncan bill, the park would extend from the Siuslaw river on the community of Lakeside on the north. The park would not include three fresh water lakes east of U.S. Highway 101—Woahink, Silcoos and Tahkenitch—but Duncan said public access to the three should be guaranteed.

After talking to property owners in the area, Duncan said he believed access could be obtained on a trade or purchase basis along the south end of Woahink lake, the southwest side of Silcoos and the southwest side of Takenitch.

Sen. Neuberger has proposed a larger Seashore which would include the three lakes. "It would preserve the Dunes in the hands of the National Park Service, Duncan said of his bill. "It would give substantial access to fresh water lakes. Aside from county property, state property, national forest property, there are only about 14 parcels of private property involved, and that all west of the highway."

He promised to press for hearings by the House Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs as soon as possible. He set this fall as a target date for holding hearings in Oregon.

The Oregon Democrat also urged county courts to set up zoning regulations that would prohibit "undesirable development" along the borders of the proposed park.

Swiss Seeking Source Of Typhoid Epidemic

Zermatt, Switzerland—UPI—The commander of the Swiss army medical team fighting Zermatt's spreading typhoid fever epidemic said today this ski resort village will remain closed to visitors until the source of the infection is found.

Maj. Gustav E. Raeber said his men, in cooperation with local health authorities, are going all out in their efforts to wipe out the source of the epidemic.

NEWS BRIEFS ITEMS FROM AROUND THE GLOBE NEW DISASTER FEARED IN BALI Denpasar, Bali, Indonesia—UPI—A drenching cloudburst flooded roads in low areas of volcano-ravaged sections of Bali today, creating fears of a possible new disaster. MILITARY CONSTRUCTION CUT PROPOSED Washington—UPI—House Armed Services Committee Chairman Carl Vinson today proposed a \$138 million cut in a pending \$1.8 billion military construction bill. CUT EXPECTED IN FOREIGN AID REQUESTS Washington—UPI—Senate Democratic Whip Hubert H. Humphrey said today he expects President Kennedy to cut his original \$4.9 billion foreign aid request by an amount "honestly attributable" to the Clay Committee report. DEMONSTRATORS PROTEST UNEMPLOYMENT London—UPI—Charging mounted policemen pushed back a crowd of more than 2,000 demonstrators who stormed the houses of Parliament today to protest British unemployment. Several injuries and arrests were reported.