

Higher Education Building Program Gets Subcommittee Vote

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Astronaut's Family Silent On Postponement of Flight

Taylor Lake Village, Tex. — Astronaut L. Gordon Cooper's wife, Trudy, and their two daughters took the news that his 22-orbit flight had been scrubbed today in silence.

"I'm disappointed because it is going to be hard on Gordon," she said, "I can take it better than he can."

Cooper's two grandmothers also followed developments in Tecumseh and nearby Shawnee, Okla. Cooper was brought up in Shawnee.

Then Mrs. Cooper came out of their home with the daughters, Camala, 14 and Janita, 13, and a National Aeronautics and Space Administration security man took them to Webster Junior High School, which the girls attend.

Market's Erratic Trend Continues; Chrysler Firms

New York — Stocks continued mixed today. Steels, motors and chemicals reflected the market's erratic trend. Chrysler managed to firm in its group after unveiling a new turbine-powered passenger car.

Barber Oil picked up around a point in its group but Marathon Oil weakened. Electronics were irregular with IBM off roughly a point and Denco up nearly 1.

Crusade Directors Named by Horton

United Crusade President Lawrence S. Horton, has announced his appointment of seven new members to the United Crusade board of directors.

Ferro Corp., Johnson & Johnson and Magna Copper rose a point or more, but Gillette, Rohm & Haas and St. Joseph Lead softened.

Drugs were also mixed featuring Sterling up around 1 and G. W. Merrell off a large fraction.

Appointments of directors representing Butte Falls and Gold Hill are expected to be made in the near future.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

New York — (UPI) — Dow Jones final stock averages: 30 Industrials 723.01, off 0.29; 20 railroads 184.65, up 0.05; 15 utilities 140.45, up 0.55, and 85 stocks 285.92, up 0.20. Sales Monday were about 4.92 million shares compared with 5.28 million shares Friday.

Monday's prices on selected stocks:

Allied Chemical	51 1/2
Alum Co Am	52 1/2
American Air Lines	22 1/2
American Can	44 1/2
American Motors	10 1/2
A T & T	124 1/2
American Tobacco	31 1/2
Ansoconda Copper	30 1/2
Armco	35 1/2
American Standard	15 1/2
Bendix Corp	34 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	31 1/2
Boeing Air	27 1/2
Brunswick	10 1/2
Caterpillar Corp	41 1/2
Chrysler Corp	27 1/2
Coca Cola	55 1/2
C.B.S.	35 1/2
Continental Can	45 1/2
Crown Zellerbach	35 1/2
Crucible Steel	20 1/2
Curtis Wright	22 1/2
Dow Chemical	65 1/2
Du Pont	22 1/2
Dartman Dodak	114 1/2
Firestone	36 1/2
Ford	40 1/2
General Electric	81 1/2
General Foods	80 1/2
General Motors (xd)	71 1/2
Greyhound	41 1/2

11 Welfare Fraud Cases Discovered

Salem — (UPI) — "Clearcut fraud" was discovered in 11 of 304 aid to dependent children cases in a recent survey, Welfare Administrator Andrew Juras said Monday.

He told a Ways and Means subcommittee that a total of 14 ineligible cases, including the ones involving fraud, were discovered. The survey was part of a national study of ADC.

Brown's Pledge Of No New Taxes Faces Major Test

Sacramento — (UPI) — Gov. Edmund G. Brown's pledge of no new or increased taxes faced a severe test today.

In an attempt to get assembly approval of his bill to increase the state's gasoline tax by 1-cent a gallon, Sen. Randolph Collier (D-Yreka) announced a compromise with assembly speaker Jesse M. Unruh (D-Inglewood).

The compromise reached in a private session between the two lawmakers Monday afternoon, would allow the bill to be amended to furnish money for rapid transit, one of the major headaches of metropolitan areas of the state.

As the bill now stands it would: — Increase the gasoline tax from 6 to 7 cents a gallon effective Oct. 1. — Increase truck weight fees by about 13 per cent across the board.

These two increases would raise \$70 million a year for use on county roads and city streets. The bill was solidly backed by representatives of county supervisors and city commissioners.

But Unruh and Collier agreed Monday to amend the measure further to provide that counties could increase the present 2 per cent in lieu tax to 2 1/2 per cent.

The extra money could be used for rapid transit. In Los Angeles county, for example, this would amount to an estimated \$12 to \$13 million a year.

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Portion of Plans Contingent Upon Voter Approval

Salem — (UPI) — A \$44 million higher education building program for 1963-65 was approved Monday by the Ways and Means Education subcommittee — part of it contingent on voter approval of a bond issue.

The subcommittee decided to ask voters next May to authorize \$30 million in general obligation bonds for college instructional buildings. Only \$12.5 million, however, would be authorized for 1963-65.

The subcommittee also decided to go along with the building priority list of the Board of Higher Education. The decisions must be approved by the full Ways and Means committee, the House, Senate and governor.

Here is how the building program approved by the subcommittee looks: — \$11.5 million in general fund money to pay for projects 1-9 on the board's instructional building list. — \$12.5 million in bonds, contingent on voter approval, to pay for projects 10-17. — \$10.5 million in already authorized bonds for self-liquidating buildings such as dormitories. — \$5 million additional for self-liquidating buildings.

The instructional projects, in order, are: Land purchases, replacement of Campbell Hall at Oregon College of Education, completion of educational and general plant at Oregon Technical Institute, Medical School heating plant, Oregon State University utility tunnel extensions.

OSU library alterations, Portland State physical education building, Southern Oregon College classroom-laboratory office building, Oregon College of Education classroom-laboratory office building, Eastern Oregon College science-mathematics building, University of Oregon library addition, OSU pharmacy building addition, UO science building addition, OSU Cordley Hall addition, SOC physical education building addition, OCE library addition, medical school library addition, PSC library unit and alterations to existing library.

The self-liquidating list includes projects at OSU, UO, OTI, OCE, PSC, SOC, and EOC.

Several subcommittee members said they would prefer to use general fund money instead of bonds, but noted the general fund is severely pinched.

Procedures for Settling Railroad Featherbedding Dispute Submitted by Kennedy's Emergency Board

Washington — (UPI) — A presidential emergency board today proposed procedures, including final and binding arbitration, for settlement of the featherbedding dispute to avert a nationwide railroad strike in 30 days.

The board, which submitted a report to President Kennedy late Monday night and met with him today, centered most of its proposals on terms for coping with management demands for elimination of the jobs of diesel firemen, which rail unions have been fighting.

The board said a rail strike would be "crippling" to the nation.

The board made a number of recommendations for settlement of the work rules issues. It said that during its 5 1/2 weeks of deliberations and mediation efforts "considerable progress has been made towards the creation of a climate which could support genuine negotiation."

Asking each side to "re-examine its responsibilities not only to itself, but to the nation," the board said: "If the parties approach the bargaining table in this spirit, and will immediately undertake serious negotiations, we believe that the difficulties raised by the number and complexity of the issues and by the number and diversity of the parties can be overcome."

Foreign Briefs

RUSSIAN SAYS NEEDLES HAMPER STUDY
Moscow — (UPI) — A Soviet astronomer has charged the United States project which put a layer of thin needles 2,000 miles in space has seriously hampered the study of outer space.

EXTRADITION OF VENEZUELAN PREDICTED
Caracas, Venezuela — (UPI) — Gen. Rolando Salcedo de Lima predicted Monday night that ousted ex-President Marcos Perez Jimenez will be extradited from the United States "in a matter of days."

Pre-Registration Date Is Announced

Ashland — Pre-registration for the Southern Oregon college kindergarten for the academic year 1963-64 will take place at 9 a.m., May 16, in the business office, Churchill hall.

Ashland Student Is Editor of Paper

Tempe — Betty Duffy, Ashland, Ore., has been named news editor of the State Press, student publication of Arizona State university, Tempe.

A junior at the university, Miss Duffy will serve in this position for the first semester of the 1963-64 school year. She is enrolled in the college of liberal arts.

AUSTRALIAN PRIME MINISTER TO VISIT U.S.

Canberra, Australia — (UPI) — Prime Minister Sir Robert Menzies will visit the United States in late June or early July and hopes to confer with President Kennedy, he announced Monday.

PROGRESS REPORTED ON HOT LINE LINK

Geneva — (UPI) — U.S. and Soviet technicians were reported today to be making quiet but steady progress on the proposed hot-line communications link between Washington and Moscow.

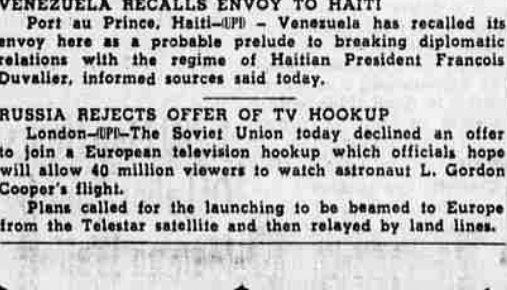
VENEZUELA RECALLS ENVOY TO HAITI

Port au Prince, Haiti — (UPI) — Venezuela has recalled its envoy here as a probable prelude to breaking diplomatic relations with the regime of Haitian President Francois Duvalier, informed sources said today.

RUSSIA REJECTS OFFER OF TV HOOKUP

London — (UPI) — The Soviet Union today declined an offer to join a European television hookup which officials hope will allow 40 million viewers to watch astronaut L. Gordon Cooper's flight.

Plans called for the launching to be beamed to Europe from the Telesat satellite and then relayed by land lines.



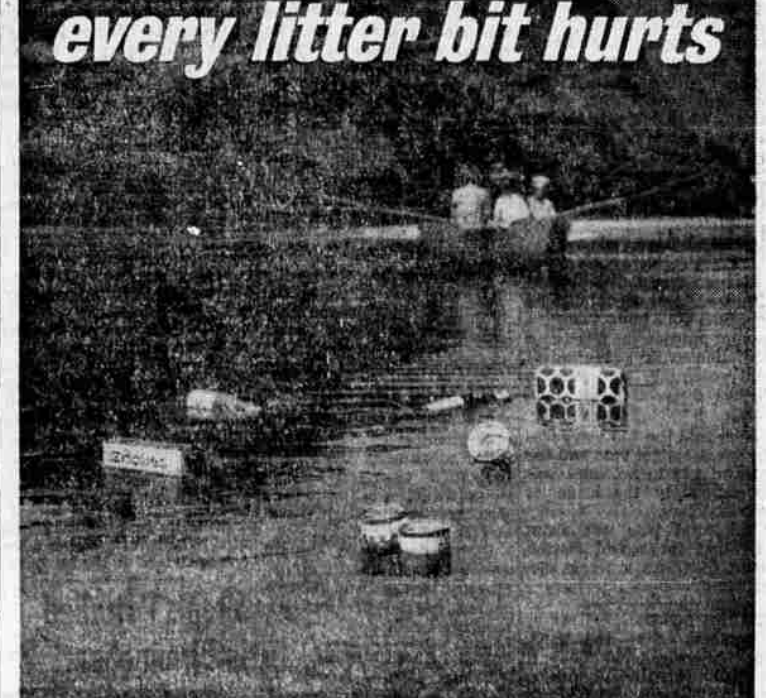
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