



ATTEND MASS — Spectators and Princes of the Roman Catholic Church attend Mass of the Holy Ghost in St. Peter's Basilica in the Vatican City today, before Cardinals of the Sacred College begin Conclave to elect a successor to the late Pope John XXIII. (UPI)

Cardinals Enter Sealed Chamber to Elect Pope

Voting Slated To Begin Thursday; Montini Favored

Vatican City — (UPI) — The cardinals of the Roman Catholic church today entered sealed chambers in the Vatican for the secret conclave to elect a new pope. They will not emerge until a successor to Pope John XXIII has been chosen.

All but two members of the 82-man Sacred College of Cardinals were on hand for the conclave. Dressed in the violet robes of mourning, they will spend the first day of the conclave getting settled in their cells or living quarters. Voting begins Thursday. Four ballots will be taken each day until a pope is named.

Church circles in Rome said the election is the most important in modern times. The choice of the next pope will determine whether John's bold church reforms and drive toward Christian unity will be continued.

The two cardinals not attending the conclave were Josef Cardinal Mindszenty, who has been in the U.S. legation in Budapest since the Hungarian revolt was crushed in 1956, and Carlos Maria Cardinal De La Torre, 66, of Quito, Ecuador, who is ill.

The top favorite as next pontiff was Giovanni Battista Cardinal Montini, 65, the "liberal" archbishop of Milan. He was a close friend of Pope John and was a top contender to succeed Pius XII in 1958.

Elementary Team Teaching Workshop Planned in August

Plans for an elementary team teaching workshop at Hoover school Aug. 12 to 23 were reviewed by Elliott Becken, assistant superintendent of School District 549C. Voting begins Thursday. Four ballots will be taken each day until a pope is named.

A four-member team from Estabrook elementary school in Lexington, Mass., will conduct the workshop, which has been planned in conjunction with Southern Oregon college under the Oregon Program.

Becken reported that 100 children in the Hoover school area have volunteered for the workshop. Students will enter the fourth and fifth grades next fall. The workshop has been designed as an enrichment session for pupils rather than for advancement or special help.

Seventeen Medford teachers, along with eight from other school districts in Jackson county and two from San Luis Obispo, Calif., will participate in the workshop.

A closed circuit television system will be set up for observers, Becken noted. Observers probably will include teachers from the area not actively taking part in the workshop, school board members, Southern Oregon college representatives and state department of education representatives.

Regular class periods will be scheduled between 9 a.m. and noon, and will include both large and small group instruction. During the afternoon hours, seminars will be held in which class procedures and team organization will be discussed.

The Estabrook team is considered one of the top teaching teams in the country. Arta educators became acquainted with the Estabrook team while on an Oregon Program observation trip to Lexington, Mass., last fall, and last summer during a workshop at Willamette university.

Becken reported that a total of 62 Medford school staff members, not including principals, are involved in various institutes, workshops and other educational advancement meetings throughout the country and in foreign lands this summer.

Chamber Hosts Festival Members

Ashland — Scholarship members of the Oregon Shakespearean festival company were guests of the Ashland Chamber of Commerce at the chamber's weekly luncheon at the Mark Antony hotel Tuesday.

Fifteen members of the company were present. Each one introduced himself and listed the roles in which he has been cast in this year's plays.

The chamber inaugurated this annual welcome program for festival scholarship holders ten years ago. It has since become a traditional event.

Red Space Team Returns Safely; Sets New Record

Moscow — (UPI) — The world's first man and woman space team returned to earth safely today.

First to land was Valentina Tereshkova, first woman to soar through space. She was followed more than two hours later by Cosmonaut Valery F. Bykovsky, who set new space and distance records with a flight of nearly five days around the earth.

The official Soviet news agency Tass announced the landings.

Miss Tereshkova, a 26-year-old bachelor girl, spent about three days orbiting the earth in a flight that was longer than that of all four American astronauts who have been rocketed into orbit. Bykovsky broke the distance and endurance records set by his fellow cosmonaut Andrian Nikolayev last August.

Bykovsky, married and the father of an infant boy, landed at 2:06 p.m. Moscow time (7:06 a.m. EDT), Tass said. He would have completed five days in space at 3 p.m. local time, but he already had covered around 2 million miles in space.

Valentina landed at 11:20 a.m. (4:20 a.m. EDT), Tass said. This was just short of three full days in orbit which she would have attained at 12:30 p.m.

Tass said both Bykovsky and Valentina landed northeast of Karaganda, Kazakhstan.

Friends, relatives, other cosmonauts and sports commissioners—possibly to certify the space records—were on hand to meet the two Soviet space travelers when they landed, Tass said.

The official statement did not say whether the cosmonauts rode their space ships to earth. After a similar twin flight by cosmonauts Nikolayev and Pavel Popovich last August, both were announced as having landed by parachute close to their craft in a region south of Karaganda.

County Budget Expected To Be Signed Today

The Jackson county budget committee and the county court were scheduled to sign the revised \$4,612,291 new fiscal year county budget today.

County Judge Earl M. Miller said members of the court will sign it, but it may not be possible to get all budget committee members to sign today.

The committee increased the estimated receipts by \$10,000 anticipating there would be that much additional income from O and C timber receipts. The additional money was placed in the capital improvement fund for construction of sanitation facilities at Emigrant lake and for taking options on more recreational land.

Some minor adjustments had to be made in the various departmental budgets and totalled \$2,528. A like amount was allocated from the building improvement and maintenance fund of \$53,210.60 leaving a balance of \$50,684.60.

Such items included addition of \$60 for telephone charges in the sheriff's criminal division due to increased telephone rates, \$300 for reinstatement of sick leave for juvenile detention home employees; \$180 to salary of addressing machine operator in assessor's office, \$240 to third property appraiser's salary and \$94 to treasurer's salary.

Items decreased included \$290 for industrial property appraisals and \$800 from watermaster's travel expenses.

Grants Pass Man Dies in Fire at Nursing Home

Grants Pass — James T. Hannegan, 65, died of burns and suffocation early today when fire burned through a two bedroom separate cottage of the Ade Ren nursing home here.

Another occupant of the cottage, George Hodowal, 84, escaped injury.

Eleven persons were evacuated from the main building of the nursing home, which was not reached by the blaze, the sheriff's department reported.

Firemen said the blaze apparently started from a cigarette, as it obviously originated in Hannegan's bed, one of the springs of which remained after the fire was extinguished.

Awakened by Alarm

The fire was noticed about 1:50 o'clock when Mrs. Adelaide Reilus, owner of the nursing home was awakened by the automatic fire alarm system and called the rural fire department. She immediately heard a man screaming, officers reported, and ran to see Hannegan throwing a blazing pillow outside the building. For some reason the man returned to the bathroom, where his body was found.

Hannegan was known to be a heavy smoker and on a previous occasion had reportedly fallen asleep while smoking, setting the chair in which he was sitting, on fire.

The body was taken to the Hull and Hull Funeral home. Funeral arrangements are pending contact with Hannegan's son who is in the military service.

Election Scheduled In Fire District

The Medford Rural Fire Protection district will hold an election Friday, June 21, to decide on the proposed annexation to the district of two areas.

Polls will be open from 2 to 8 p.m. at the Oak Grove school, according to C. W. Guches, secretary of the district. Patrons of the present district will be eligible voters.

Property owners of the two areas to be considered in the election have petitioned for annexation. One area is located adjacent to the present boundaries on the east and the other on the west of the "strip."

A complete description of the property to be considered has been posted at Lone Pine school, and at the Griffin Creek and Oak Grove schools, Guches said.

Interim Zoning Is Approved by Court

The county court this morning approved interim zoning of an area southeast of Ashland.

Zoning will remain in effect until the county planning commission completes a land use study of the area or permanent zoning is established.

Roughly, the zoning would extend east of Neil creek and Highway 66, south of Crownson rd. and southwest of Highway 99. It would affect 76 homes.

The area is zoned for two districts — farming and farm-residential.

A map of the interim zoning area is on Page 5A of today's Mail Tribune.

Governor Opposes Referral of Tax Increase Measure

Salem — (UPI) — Opposition to a referral of the 1963 legislature's tax increase measure, and strong support for a planned initiative movement for a new state constitution was voiced today by Gov. Mark Hatfield.

He said he hoped the public would not support the tax increase referral.

"I do not think it is wise because in all probability it would necessitate a special session of the legislature," he said.

"I think the recent 141-day session was enough. The legislature has already demonstrated that this is the best bill that they could come up with."

Hatfield added: "If they couldn't draft an acceptable package in 141 days, you can't expect more of the legislature in a special session."

A preliminary petition to refer the tax measure was filed with the secretary of state Monday by J. Francis Howard, editor and publisher of weekly newspapers at Albany and Corvallis.

On the question of a new constitution, Hatfield termed the planned initiative movement "an excellent idea."

"I regret that the people are forced to take this action because of the Senate's failure to refer the new constitution to the people for a vote," he said.

During the recent legislative session, the proposed new state constitution won approval in the House, but failed by three votes of receiving the two-thirds majority it needed in the Senate.

JFK Seeks Strong Civil Rights Laws



CARRY MESSAGE — President Kennedy today sent his Civil Rights message to Congress asking enactment of a series of sweeping civil rights laws to bar discrimination in jobs, voting, schools, and public accommodations. John J. Ratchford (left) and Herbert L. Miller are shown leaving the White House carrying the message to the Capitol. (UPI)

President Appeals For Armistice on Demonstrations

Washington — (UPI) — President Kennedy today sent Congress the most sweeping civil rights legislation since Civil War Reconstruction days and appealed for an armistice on Negro demonstrations while the lawmakers consider the program.

His recommendations were aimed at ending racial discrimination in jobs, voting, schools and access to restaurants, hotels and other public accommodations.

Kennedy urged Congress to remain in session as long as necessary this year to enact the program. Failure to act, he said, would mean "continued, if not increased, racial strife."

Special Message

In his 5,500-word special message to the House and Senate, the Chief Executive said: "Enactment... at this session of the Congress—however long it may take and however troublesome it may be—is imperative."

In a direct appeal for Republican support of his proposals, Kennedy declared that the mounting racial tensions have brought on a "national domestic crisis" which requires "bipartisan unity and solutions."

He told Congress: "In this year of the Emancipation centennial, justice requires us to insure the blessings of liberty for all Americans and their posterity—not merely for reason of economic efficiency, world diplomacy and domestic tranquility—but above all, because it is right."

Common Justice

The President said his legislative proposals were based on "common sense and common justice," and added: "Racism, violence, disunity and national shame can only hamper our national standing and security."

Kennedy deplored the rash of street demonstrations and parades that have been led by Negro integration leaders in recent months in such cities as Birmingham, Philadelphia, Jackson, Miss., Boston, and Cambridge, Md.

Legal Action To Be Deferred Against Insurance Company

Edward Branchfield, lawyer for School District 549C, recommended to the school board last night that no legal action be taken against California Life Insurance Company at this time.

Branchfield reported on a meeting with company representatives recently in which school district officials and Branchfield attempted to determine why the company has not settled student accident claims.

Meeting with the insurance company officials were Branchfield, Elliott Becken, assistant superintendent; Fred Brennan, the district's insurance agent of records; and Lee Ragsdale, physical education director for the district.

The company, Branchfield said, recognizes its basic policy, but has failed to recognize riders written by its authorized agent, who was working out of a Portland office at the time the riders were written.

Branchfield recommended that action be deferred until the district has compiled a file of unsettled claims, including those for which there has been partial settlement.

One of the major points of disagreement between the company and district representatives, Branchfield said, was a definition of the word accident, and what constituted an accident under the terms of the policy.

Branchfield also suggested a delay of action until after litigation of a suit involving the company and David Douglas High school, Portland, in which the legal responsibility of the company concerning policy riders may be determined.

Branchfield's recommendation was made at the request of Ed Doran, deputy insurance commissioner for Oregon, following a recent conference with him.

More than \$6,000 worth of claims still are unsettled, school officials have pointed out, many of them involving x-ray fees.

Nash Is Appointed By Court to Board

A. L. Nash, 2075 South Pacific highway, this morning was officially appointed as fifth member to the Jackson county fair board by order of the county court.

Nash has been an active member of the Jackson County Horsemen's association and prominent in area horse activities.

A fourth member, Stanley Morgan, Old Stage rd., Central Point, was appointed by the county court about two weeks ago.

Other members of the county fair board are C. H. Buffington, Campbell rd., Medford; Francis Krouse, Applegate; and William Bigham, Eagle Point.

Parks, Recreation Group Meeting Set

Asa Hanamoto, San Francisco, of the firm of Royston, Hanamoto, Mayes and Beck, will attend a meeting of the Medford parks and recreation commission at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

He will report on the park plan projects being made by his firm for the City of Medford.

Other items on the agenda include a report by the parks name committee and progress report on the construction of the Jackson park diving pool.

The engineers' estimate on the sewer system and \$47,722.50 on the lagoon.

Detailed Copies of Budget Available

Detailed copies of the Medford city budget are now available at the city hall for study there, city officials said today. The copies are not for distribution, it was stressed.

The individual copies are more detailed than the published budget.

Hatfield Endorses Kennedy's Proposed Civil Rights Plan

Salem — (UPI) — Gov. Mark Hatfield was back at his office today after a quick trip to Washington, D.C. to discuss President Kennedy's civil rights program, and also some politics.

Hatfield told reporters in Portland Tuesday night he endorsed the President's civil rights program.

President Kennedy outlined the program to Hatfield and seven other governors. They included four Democrats and four Republicans. Hatfield said Kennedy asked the governors to take the lead in calling private groups, such as labor, business and religious leaders, to their statehouse to seek ways to bring about equal rights for Negroes.

Democrats attending were Govs. Jack Campbell, New Mexico; Bert T. Combs, Ken-

tucky; Albert S. Harrison, Virginia and J. Millard Tawes, Maryland. Republicans present were Hatfield; John A. Love, Colorado; William W. Scranton, Pennsylvania, and James A. Rhodes, Ohio.

Hatfield chatted at lunch with Scranton, whose name has come up for mention as a possible GOP presidential candidate.

Hatfield also talked with Sen. Barry Goldwater (R-Ariz.) whom he said he admired but did not agree with on many issues. He told reporters in Washington his mail indicated Gov. Nelson Rockefeller of New York had hurt his presidential chances by his recent divorce and remarriage.

The Oregon governor also met with Sen. Wayne Morse (D-Ore.) and said they talked about the former Tongue

NEWS BRIEFS

HOTLINE AGREEMENT TO BE INKED
Geneva — (UPI) — The United States announced today that agreement to establish a "hot line" communications link between Washington and Moscow to reduce the risk of war by accident will be signed shortly.

RED TROOPS IN CUBA THINNED
Washington — (UPI) — The State Department said today there has been a "thinning out" of Soviet combat troops in Cuba and that Russia probably no longer has sufficient forces there to effect "political control."

MACMILLAN SEEKS AGREEMENT
London — (UPI) — Prime Minister Harold Macmillan sought to work out an agreement with the opposition Labour party today on further investigation into the Profumo affair that threatens to force his resignation.

WEATHER SATELLITE IN ORBIT
Cape Canaveral — (UPI) — America's seventh Tiros "weather-eye" satellite rode into orbit, aboard a three-stage rocket in a spectacular space shot today, and sent back "good quality" pictures on its first try.

WEATHER
FORECAST: Increasing cloudiness tonight. Possible showers today. Low tonight 54. High Thursday 58. Highest yesterday 62. Lowest this morning 45.

Our Skies Tonight
Sunset today 8:27 p.m. Sunrise tomorrow 5:43 a.m. Moonrise tomorrow 5:02 a.m. New Moon June 21

PROMINENT STARS
The Twins, set in the northwest. Arcturus, high in the southwest. PROMINENT CONSTELLATION Scorpion, in the south 12:07 a.m.