



MEET THE CHAMP - "Banana King" is what they dubbed Billy Pietrek, 10, at a Chicago fair because he downed a dozen bananas in less than five minutes to win a contest. Billy says he went without dinner to make room. (UPI)

Instructions for Parking Given

Jacksonville - Information and instructions concerning parking during the Britt Gardens festival in Jacksonville were announced today by Donald Wendt, festival board member.

Wendt stressed that there will be no parking facilities at the festival site and gardens. Those attending the outdoor concerts are to park on the streets of Jacksonville, or at two parking areas, and walk from there up the hill to the Britt gardens.

However, drivers will be able to take their cars to the entrance and leave passengers and return downtown by way of a one-way traffic grid to be marked off by officials.

From the gate one car will furnish transportation up the hill for those for whom walking is difficult.

The two designated parking areas are the Tucker lot at the corner of California and Oregon sts. and a cleared area at the edge of town on Highway 238 near the Britt place.

Groups with special parking needs are asked to call Wendt at 899-1009 for information.

Camping Conditions Reported Excellent In National Forest

Camping conditions are excellent on the Rogue River National forest with most of the grounds, trails and roads open.

But anyone expecting to find food for camp may be disappointed, according to the recreation report released for this week end by the forest service office. Berry picking is very poor, the huckleberries suffered severely in the cold weather, and the fishing is only fair to good in the best spots.

On the Applegate Ranger district, Cook and Green campground is closed by road construction. All others are open and all roads except Elliott Creek.

Many lost and found items have been reported at McKee and Jackson campgrounds and can be picked up at the Ranger station with proper identification. The office is open seven days a week, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., the ranger announced. Campgrounds Are Open

for the Mt. Ashland ski development is using these roads.

The Butte Falls ranger reports all district roads open. Construction is continuing on the Seven Lakes trail and there is heavy logging traffic on Lodgepole and Fireline roads.

The one good fishing report comes from the Seven Lakes Basin and Blue Canyon where good rainbow and eastern brook trout are being caught.

On the Prospect and Union Creek districts a poor huckleberry crop is ripening but will not be ready for picking for several weeks.

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BEAUTY ARRIVES - First delegate to arrive for the International Beauty Congress in Long Beach, Calif. is Japanese beauty Shizuko Shimazu, 22, of Tokyo, right. Greeting her is Akiko Kojima, who was Miss International Beauty in 1960. (UPI)

Hotel Room Key Sought in Slaying

Portland - (UPI) - Police today continued their investigation into the Tuesday death of Payette, Idaho, cattle heiress Irene Davis, 41, with a search for missing hotel room key.

Police said they are unable to find the key to the room where the wealthy 41-year-old divorcee was found dead in her bathtub, a stocking around her neck.

The door of the hotel room at the Portland Hilton was locked, but officers said this could have been done without hampering anyone from leaving the room.

Cause of death has been attributed to strangulation or suffocation, but police were awaiting further results of an autopsy to determine if they were investigating a slaying or death by other means.

Space Money Bill Nearing Passage

Washington - (UPI) - Senate leaders hoped to push a \$5.5 billion space authorization to passage today.

Action on the big authorization for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration was scheduled for the second successive day. Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield (Mont.) promised a Saturday session if it cannot be acted upon today.

Scheduled for debate and a vote was an amendment growing out of the new communications satellite dispute. It would require the controversial satellite corporation, or any other non-government user, to agree to reimburse the government for a proportionate share of NASA research and development which benefits their activities.

Bully Creek Dam To Be Dedicated

Vale - (UPI) - The Bully Creek Dam near Vale will be dedicated Saturday. Gov. Hatfield will give the main address.

The Bully Creek reservoir will have a capacity of 32,000 acre feet and is expected to provide an average of 17,000 to 18,000 acre feet of irrigation water annually.

The dam is a rolled-earth type and is 98-feet high and 2,600 feet long. Planning for the dam began in the '30s.

Quotes From the News

By UNITED PRESS INTERNATIONAL
Boston - Presidential Press Secretary Pierre Salinger, on the death of President Kennedy's newborn son Patrick:
"The struggle of the baby boy to keep breathing was too much for his heart."

Tokyo - Communist Chinese leader Mao Tse-tung, in a statement issued by the New China News Agency:
"I wish to take this opportunity on behalf of the Chinese people to express our resolute support of the American Negroes in their struggle against racial discrimination and for freedom and equal rights."

New York - Lowell Skinner, former American soldier who chose to remain in Red China at the end of the Korean War, returning home:
"I am an American."

Washington - Sen. Everett M. Dirksen (R-Ill.) on the limited nuclear test ban treaty:
"I presume that the President is fully prepared through necessary witnesses to fortify the avowal that our security, instead of being impaired, will be enhanced by the provisions of the treaty."

Mutual Funds, Two Agencies Criticized In Report by SEC

Washington - (UPI) - A special committee of the Securities and Exchange Commission has criticized the operation of mutual funds and the procedures of two private agencies which regulate the stock market.

In a report to Congress, the committee also said Thursday it was unable to "isolate and identify the cause" of the big break in market prices which started in May, 1962.

The group, headed by Milton H. Cohen, a Chicago attorney, said in the last of three reports on the market that the break last year was brought on by "complex interaction of causes and effects."

It recommended that the SEC and private business work out a plan that might be invoked in time of crisis to keep disruption of the market down to a minimum.

The report said that certain factors peculiar to mutual funds, create pressures toward "undesirable selling practices."

It recommended controlling these practices by eliminating or altering the so-called "front-end load" contract, the long-term installment agreement under which most of the selling charge is due during the first few months of the contract.

It also called for more complete SEC prospectus requirements, and more emphasis on methods for preventing executives of various funds from making a personal profit because of inside knowledge gained through business.

SEC Chairman William L. Cary, in a letter accompanying the report, said he "strongly endorses the general soundness" of the recommendations.

The report said the need for more efficient regulatory procedures was most apparent in the New York Stock Exchange and the National Association of Securities Dealers.

Most of Nation Has Warm Weather

By United Press International
Most of the nation basked today in warm, sunny weather.

The only significant precipitation Thursday fell in North Dakota and Minnesota.

Utility poles were downed and quarter inch hail fell in West Fargo, N.D. Wild Rice, N.D., recorded 2.3 inches of rain. Baseball sized hail damaged cars at Hickson, N.D.

Three-inch hail was reported at Rochester, Minn.

Hurricane Arlene, headed for Bermuda, will pose no threat to the United States, the Weather Bureau said.

A state of emergency remained in force in Idaho where grass and forest fires have destroyed 140,000 acres of land.

Lightning started at least a half dozen new fires Thursday. About 700 men were still guarding a big fire now contained east of Weiser, Idaho, that has destroyed 120,000 acres.

Oregon Has High, Low Temperatures

Portland - (UPI) - Oregon had both the high and low temperatures in the 48 contiguous states Thursday, the U.S. Weather Bureau here said today.

Records of the states, except Hawaii and Alaska, showed 104 degree temperatures at The Dalles, Ore., and Mineral Wells, Tex., and a low early today of 46 at Newport, Ore., and Oneola, N.Y.

Needles, Calif., had a high Thursday of 103, and the traditional hot spot, Thermal, Calif., went no higher than 102 degrees.

Antitrust Case Ruled Mistrial

Portland - (UPI) - An antitrust case against Standard Oil Co. of California was declared a mistrial here Thursday after counsel for the plaintiff declared in the presence of the jury that Standard hired a potential witness.

Clyde Perkins, 73, Vancouver, Wash., sought more than \$600,000 from the company in a case brought under the Robinson-Patman Act.

Perkins, a former petroleum jobber and one-time executive vice president of the Portland Beavers of the Pacific Coast league, charged that Standard sold gasoline and oil products to competitors of Perkins' at lower prices.

Federal Judge William G. East granted the mistrial on the 15th day of testimony after attorney Roger Tilbury pursued the subject of hiring a potential witness in the jury's presence. The judge set a new trial for Oct. 21.

Judge East later signed an order requiring Tilbury to appear Wednesday and show cause why he should not be assessed the cost of jurors' fees and subsistence incurred by the government during the trial.

FIRE ON CIVILIANS

Tiberias, Israel - (UPI) - Syrian troops opened fire on Israeli civilians three hours after Premier Levi Eshkol visited the area Thursday, Israeli officials said.

Dog Took Eye Off Master's Car

Salem - (UPI) - Charles F. Martin, of Marion, told police he parked his car here and left his dog behind to keep an eye on things.

Someone stole the car and Martin's watchdog.

Zip Code Number Provided for Santa

Washington - (UPI) - Even Santa Claus has a zip code number. Postmaster General J. Edward Day, replying to a letter from California asking if St. Nick had been assigned a number denoting his address, said Thursday he could be addressed at the North Pole, zip code number 99701.

Morford Execution Stayed in Nevada

Carson City, Nev. - (UPI) - The Nevada Supreme Court Thursday indefinitely stayed the execution of convicted murderer Lester Morford to allow his lawyer to appeal the case.

Attorney Stanley Brown of Reno asked for the postponement and the order was signed by Justice Gordon Thompson. The case probably will be heard some time next year.

Morford was sentenced to die in the Nevada gas chamber the week of Sept. 23 for the shooting of Jack Foster, 23, Medford, Ore., last year. Morford, who claimed to be under the influence of glue fumes at the time of the killing, kidnaped Foster and his bride of two days from a Reno motel. He forced them to drive around Lake Tahoe where he shot Foster and raped the woman twice.

Morford, an itinerant farm hand, pleaded guilty to the crime. A three judge panel found him guilty of first degree murder and set the death penalty.

Gov. Hatfield Sends Telegram To Kennedy

Salem - (UPI) - Gov. Mark Hatfield has sent a telegram to President Kennedy expressing sympathy over the death of his newborn son.

Text of the telegram was not made public.



ON HONEYMOON - Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas and his bride, Joan, are shown as they dined in Forks, Wash., during their honeymoon trip. The recently married pair are "house hunting" for property on which to build a summer place. (UPI)

Klamath Falls Jury Finds Man Innocent

Klamath Falls - (UPI) - A jury of four women and eight men found Bobby Hult innocent of a charge of assault with a deadly weapon Thursday night after deliberating 4 hours and 22 minutes.

Hult had been charged in connection with the wounding of Howard Wise at Fort Klamath last February.

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