

# Status of Congressional Bills

Washington—UPI—Status of major legislation:

**Income Taxes**—The administration recommended net reductions of \$10.6 billion in income taxes on individual and corporations with cuts fully effective on 1965 incomes and partly effective on 1964 income. House—Ways & Means committee has approved this time-table and approved cuts of \$11 billion. final committee action awaited. Senate—awaiting House action.

**Stock and Bond Taxes**—To retard flow of American capital abroad, Kennedy has proposed that purchase taxes be levied on Americans who buy foreign stocks and bonds from foreigners. House—Ways & Means committee concluded hearings. Senate—awaiting House action.

**Debt Limit**—Administration requested extension through Nov. 30 of temporary legal ceiling of \$309 billion on national debt; under permanent law debt limit would revert on Sept. 1 to \$285 billion which is more than \$20 billion less than the actual debt. House—passed. Senate—awaiting signature by President.

**Military Pay**—Administration asked \$1.2 billion annual pay and benefit boost for servicemen, reservists and retirees. House and Senate have passed modified and differing versions. Compromise between the two measures expected to be worked out in House-Senate conference.

**Fallout Shelters**—President Kennedy wants authority to make federal contributions toward construction of civil defense fallout shelters in schools, hospitals and other non-profit institutions. House—Approved. Senate—nothing scheduled.

**Foreign Aid**—Administration asking \$4.5 billion. House—passed authorization bill setting appropriations ceiling of \$3.5 billion. Senate—Foreign Relations committee nearing final action on bill. (Actual appropriations to come later.)

**Treaty**—U. S., Russia and Britain have signed treaty banning nuclear tests in air, space and underwater; ratification requires two-thirds vote of Senate. Senate—committee hearings probably conclude this week. House—No action required.

**Health Insurance**—President wants hospitalization program for persons 65 and older financed through Social Security taxes. House—Ways & Means committee expected to hold hearings later this year. Senate—awaiting House action.

**Mental Health**—Administration wants long-range program for community mental health treatment centers; research on and treatment of mental retardation. Senate—Approved 10-year, \$847 million program that has administration endorsement. House—Commerce committee approved \$238 million dollar program over slightly shorter period.

**Medical Schools**—Administration asked long range construction aid for medical schools, loans to students. House—Passed three-year program that would cost \$236 million. Senate—No hearings yet.

**College Construction**—Kennedy originally asked for federal funds to build class rooms and laboratories as part of larger \$5.3 billion school bill; agreed later to separate bills. House—Passed \$1.2 billion in grants and loans for colleges. Senate—Hearings completed on omnibus school bill.

**Schools and Libraries**—President wants aid continued for "impacted areas" and libraries. House—Education committee approved in separate bills, with amendments forbidding use of funds for segregated facilities. Senate—Hearings completed on omnibus school bill.

**Vocational Schools**—President asked step-up in federal aid to vocational schools. House—Passed bill to increase aid from \$87 million to \$180 million annually over four years. Senate—Hearings completed on omnibus bill.

**Voting**—President Kennedy asked for controls on use of literacy tests, speedier voting rights suits and extension of

the civil rights commission's life for four years in his original request last winter. House—Judiciary subcommittee continues closed-door consideration this week. Senate—Judiciary subcommittee approved four-year extension of civil rights commission.

**Public Accommodations**—Kennedy's main request in his second rights message was for legislation outlawing segregation in use of hotels, stores, restaurants, theaters and other public accommodations in interstate commerce. He also asked for new authority to initiate school desegregation suits and optional authority to withhold federal aid to states that practice racial discrimination. House—Judiciary subcommittee continues closed-door consideration this week. Senate—Commerce committee hearings completed on public accommodations feature; Judiciary committee hearings under way on full civil rights package.

**Employment**—Kennedy endorsed fair employment practices commission legislation to bar job discrimination by private businesses and labor unions. House—Labor committee has approved FEPC. Senate—Labor subcommittee hearings under way.

**Cotton**—Administration backed subsidy plan would provide cheaper cotton for U. S. textile mills; includes lower support prices for large scale growers and potential relaxation of planting restrictions. House—Bill approved by Agriculture committee, cleared by Rules committee, but not yet scheduled for floor action. Senate—Hearings completed.

**Mexican Farm Hands**—12-year-old law permitting importation of Mexicans for temporary work on American farms expires Dec. 31; administration requested one-year extension with new safeguards to protect domestic workers. Senate—Passed one year extension. House—Bill to extend program two years defeated on House floor. Agriculture subcommittee later approved Senate-passed bill.

**Mass Transit**—Kennedy proposed \$500 million in subsidies to improve city rail, bus and subway services. House—Banking committee approved bill, pending in Rules committee. Senate—Approved \$375 million program.

**Wilderness**—President wants to establish a national program to preserve public lands in their natural state. Senate—Passed, with provision covering 8 million acres immediately and possibly up to 35 million acres eventually. House—No committee hearings set.

**Outdoor Recreation**—Kennedy wants a special land and water conservation fund to finance purchase of additional federal and state park lands and forests for outdoor recreation. House—Interior subcommittee action under way. Senate—Hearings completed.

**Depressed Areas**—Kennedy asked Congress to expand sharply program of federal redevelopment aid to local industries designed to create jobs in areas of chronically high unemployment. Senate—Approved additional \$455 million authorization. House—Rejected, but Banking committee has approved a "second-tray" \$355 million bill.

**Youth Employment**—Kennedy asked new \$100 million Youth Conservation Corps for

outdoor work in forests and parks; Home Town Youth Corps for local civic projects. House—Education Committee has approved, pending in Rules committee. Senate—Passed.

**Domestic Peace Corps**—President asking for new organization of 1,000 to 5,000 skilled volunteers to carry out work in this country. House—Education and Labor subcommittee hearings unfinished. Senate—Passed.

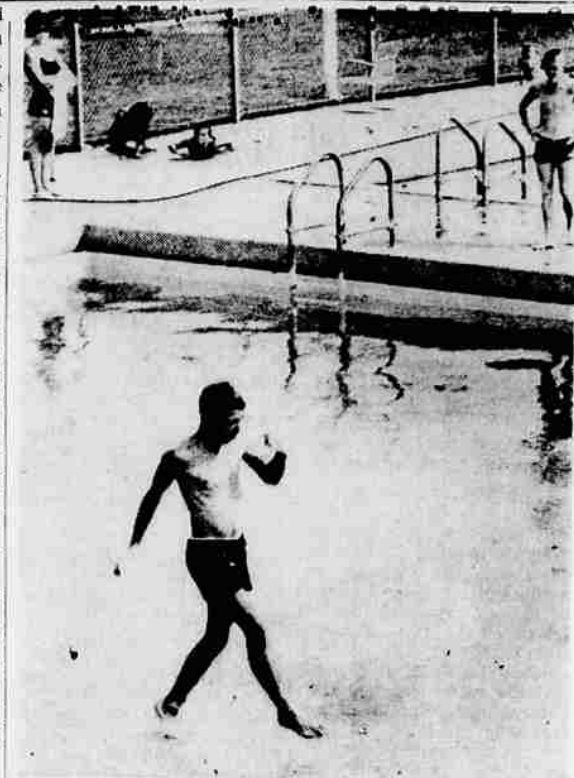
**Labor Dispute**—Kennedy asked Congress to assign to interstate commerce commission binding settlement of "work rules" dispute over which nationwide rail strike is threatened starting Thursday. Senate—Commerce committee approved substitute plan for arbitration by independent seven-man board. House—Awaiting Senate action.

**Price-Cutting**—Administration—opposed bill backed by druggists and some other retail groups is designed to stop retail price-cutting of brand-name merchandise. House—Commerce committee approved, pending in Rules committee. Senate—No date set for hearings to resume.

**Laws Enacted**  
**Draft**—Congress granted Kennedy's request for four-year extension of selective service and doctor draft.

**Feed Grains**—Congress extended for two years temporary program of paying farmers to hold down surplus production of corn and other feed grains.

**Silver**—To combat shortage of silver for coins, Congress gave administration authority it requested to replace existing silver-backed \$1 bills with gold-backed \$1 bills.



**TRIPPING ACROSS WATER**—What's this? A Springdale, Ark., youth tripping lightly across the water at the Springdale municipal pool. Actually, he isn't walking on the water but just entering it after jumping feet first from the high board. (UPI)

**Women Workers**—Starting next June employers must provide equal pay for women workers who do the same work as men; new law applies to jobs covered by minimum wage-hour law.  
**Taxes**—Congress in response to administration request extended for another year present temporary tax rates on corporation profits, liquor, cigarettes, automobiles, telephone calls and airline tickets which had been scheduled to drop to lower levels July 1. (Corporation tax rates would be permanently revised downward, if Kennedy's tax-reduction program is enacted.)

# Yank Student Says Cubans Worse Off Than Ever Before

Madrid—UPI—One of the American students who went to Castro's Cuba despite a State Department ban shaved off his Castro-type beard here Tuesday and said, "The people of Cuba never lived worse than they do now."

Clinton M. Jenks, a 20-year-old resident of Monroe, La., who was born in San Francisco, told UPI:

"I don't know how they lived before in Cuba. But I am sure the people of Cuba never lived worse than they do now. They (the Castro government) told us the people were better off now but I don't believe it."

Jenks and his wife Clara were among 54 Americans who arrived here Monday on an Iberia Airlines flight from Havana on their way back to the United States. They were scheduled to leave here Thursday aboard Iberia Airlines Flight 951 for New York.

One of the group, Christian Lee Rainsner, believed to be from Pennsylvania, was jailed here shortly after the plane arrived because he did not have a passport, U. S. consular officials said.

The original group that went to Cuba included 59 Americans. But one died accidentally while there—Hector Warren Hill, 29, of Brooklyn, N. Y. Three more remained in Cuba and one—Barry Hoffman, 26, of Brookline, Mass.—flew to New York

Monday from Bermuda, where he had stopped over with the group on their way to Madrid. The Boston Herald said Tuesday Hoffman was a U. S. counterespionage.

# No School Dropout Funds for Portland

Portland—UPI—Portland is the only major West Coast city which will not receive a share of the President's emergency fund to campaign against school dropouts.

Seattle will get \$5,000; San Francisco, \$5,000; San Diego, \$6,500, and Los Angeles, \$16,000.

The allocations ranged from \$300 to \$20,000 and were based on local district anti-dropout plans outlined to the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare. The President's \$250,000 grant was being distributed to 62 school districts in 23 states.

Local school officials indicated Portland may not receive funds because the city's dropout rate is less than that of other cities.

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**12 PR. ONLY MEN'S SHOES** 10.90  
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11 ONLY BOYS' CONTINENTAL SLACKS 1.00  
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Regular to 1.29

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(Women's) Reg. 4.25

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Out they go!

**4 only WOMEN'S DRESSES** 19¢  
Out they go!

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