

**Weather**

FORECAST: Mostly cloudy with showers through Monday. Partial clearing at times. Little change in temperature. High today 41. Low tonight 48. High Monday 47.

Temp. Highest Yesterday 50. Lowest This Morning 33. Prec. To 3 p.m. Yesterday .09



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**State Legislator William O. Kelsay Killed in Accident**

**Couple in Second Car Seriously Hurt**

By United Press International — State Rep. William O. Kelsay (D-Roseburg) was killed in a two-car collision on U.S. Highway 97 about 35 miles north of Klamath Falls Friday night.

He was one of three persons killed in Oregon accidents late Friday and early Saturday. State police said Kelsay, 50, died instantly when his car went out of control. It left the highway, jumped back onto the pavement, then went into a broadside skid and was struck by an oncoming vehicle, according to police.

The accident occurred about 8 p.m.

**Returning From Meeting**  
Kelsay was returning home after a two-day meeting at Klamath Falls and Yreka, Calif., where he served as a member of an Oregon California legislative interim committee set up to study the interstate mule deer herd. He was chairman of the Oregon Interim Wildlife committee.

A Eugene couple in the other car were hospitalized at Klamath Falls. Mrs. Mildred May, 52, was listed in critical condition and her husband, Homer, was reported in serious condition at Klamath Valley hospital.

Kelsay, a sawmill operator, was elected to the 1957, 1959 and 1961 state legislatures. He was a graduate of Oregon College of Education.

Kelsay is survived by his widow, two sons and a daughter.

**Annual Meeting Of Shakespeare Festival Slated**

The annual meeting of members of the Oregon Shakespearean Festival association is slated Wednesday, Oct. 9, at 7:30 p.m. in Ashland's Mark Anthony hotel.

The evening's agenda will include the election of members to the festival's board of directors and reports on the 1963 season. A report will also be given regarding the theatre's plan for observance of the 400th anniversary year of Shakespeare's birth, in 1964.

Nominated to fill five vacancies on the Board of Directors have been: James Backen, Central Point; Mrs. C. D. Fortmiller, Ashland; Robert Heffernan, Medford; Robert D. Holmes, Portland; Mrs. Marvin Kocks, Ashland; Elliott MacCracken, Ashland.

Also nominated are Frank S. Pincock, Medford; Mrs. Fred Rosentrieter, Ashland; Mrs. Philip Selby, Ashland; Mrs. Ed Sicksel, Medford; Mrs. R. B. Thierolf, Medford; MacCracken and Pincock are current members of the festival board nominated for re-election.

Members of the festival association must be present in order to vote.

**Timber Exhibit Set For New York Fair**

NEW YORK (UPI) — An Oregon timber exhibit and a logging show will be financed by private sources at the 1964-65 New York Worlds Fair, a spokesman said today.

Michael B. Pender, director of state exhibits, said a pavilion and bleachers to seat an estimated 1,200 persons would be constructed.



**SCORES DODGER RUN** — Jim Gilliam, Los Angeles Dodgers third baseman, scores in the first inning for the only run of the third game of the baseball World Series against the New York Yankees at Los Angeles yesterday. Gilliam came home from second base when Tommy Davis singled off the glove of Yank second baseman Bobby Richardson. The ball rolled into short right field. Giving Gilliam a cheer is his teammate, Ron Fairly. (UPI)

**Fire Season Still In Effect in Rogue National Forests**

Rogue River National forest officials said Saturday there was not enough rain yet to end the fire season, although some lookouts were being closed as snow fell in the higher elevations.

Stations were being closed this week end at Dutchman's peak, which had a half inch of snow as of Saturday morning, and Pelican Butte in Winema National forest which had an inch of snow.

Lookouts still up were at Robinson Butte on the Dead Indian,

Wagner Butte which was scheduled to come down about noon Saturday. Cinderbar in the Applegate and Tallow Box, the state department of forestry lookouts in the Applegate, Union Creek and Prospect were reported "all soaked in," the forest service said.

Forestry officials were concerned Saturday that the cooler weather would cause hunters to build warming fires since they would probably feel the light rainfall had alleviated forest fire danger.

**Five Year Average**  
As of Saturday, the Rogue River National forest had 42 forest fires compared to the normal five year average of 65 to 70 fires a year. Only one Class C fire, one which burned 36 acres in January in the Applegate, was reported all year, forestry men said. None of this year's fires have burned over a half acre.

A total of 37 acres have been burned to date compared to 17 acres last year.

"The number of fires is very, very low," a spokesman said, "especially in view of the blow down (trees downed by the Columbus Day storm which have become tinder dry). But part of this will be with us next year, too."

**Merlin Youth Shot On Hunting Trip**

GRANTS PASS (UPI) — Kenneth Ray Floyd, 16, of Merlin was shot to death Friday by another youth on a deer hunting trip. It was the second gunshot death of the fall hunting season in the state.

The Josephine county sheriff's office said Floyd was shot in the chest with a 44 magnum revolver discharged while it was being held by David Gardner, 19, also of Merlin. The accident occurred in the hills south of Heligate bridge, 15 miles northwest of here.

Floyd, Gardner, Eddie Evans and Robert Gray, all of Merlin, had gone deer hunting Thursday night and spent the night in a cabin. Gardner and Gray fled down sheriff's deputy John Bebb after the accident, but Floyd was dead when the deputy reached him.

**State Legislator In Good Condition**

PORTLAND (UPI) — State Rep. Grace Peck (D-Portland) was reported in satisfactory condition in the University of Oregon medical school hospital Saturday from injuries received in an accident at her home last week.

She is expected to be released this week.

Miss Peck, a veteran of five sessions of the Oregon Legislature, suffered a sprained back, two fractured ribs and injured her left arm in a fall on her front lawn Sept. 28.

**Beating of Three Newsmen in Viet Nam Is Protested**

**Rusk to Press for Full Explanation**

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Secretary of State Dean Rusk said Saturday the United States will press the South Viet Nam government for an explanation of the beating of three American newsmen by secret police in Saigon.

In addition, Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield, Mont., denounced mistreatment of the three and said the South Vietnamese government should both apologize and pay damages.

Rusk reported that U. S. Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge has protested the incident to the Vietnamese government "in the most serious terms."

"The treatment of news correspondents," Rusk said, "is a matter the United States has pressed with the authorities of Viet Nam for many months. Unfortunately, repeated assurances given to American officials by those authorities have not prevented this recent incident. The matter is being pressed further."

**Deplorable Incident**

Mansfield declared in an interview that "even more shocking is the fact that they were refused any assistance after this deplorable incident."

Mansfield, a member of the Senate Foreign Relations committee, said in a recent speech that Lodge must have "paramount authority" in South Viet Nam. There have been persistent reports of differences among Lodge, the U. S. Central Intelligence Agency, and U. S. military leaders.

The newsmen were badly beaten by the secret police of President Ngo Dinh Diem while covering the latest human torch suicide of a Buddhist monk. They are David Halberstam of the New York Times and two National Broadcasting Co. representatives, Don Sharkey and Grant Wolfkill.

**Hearings Slated By Planning Group**

Two public hearings on variance requests will be held at 1 p.m. Monday, Oct. 7, by the board of adjustment of the Jackson county planning commission.

One request is from Howard Pruitt, Eric ave., Central Point, within the North Central Point zoned area, who is seeking a variance to operate a livestock hauling business.

The second hearing will consider a variance request by the National Advertising company, Medford, to allow alterations to a nonconforming billboard in the South Talent interim zoned area. The billboard in question is on the north side of Highway 99, approximately 1,600 feet southeast of the intersection with Valley View rd.

The two requests will be discussed at the October meeting of the planning commission Wednesday, Oct. 9, at 8 p.m. Recommendations of the board of adjustment will be considered.

Also on Wednesday night's agenda will be a discussion by commission members and residents of the South Talent interim zoned area regarding zoning.

**CONVENTION SCHEDULED**

PORTLAND, Ore. (UPI) — The 20th annual convention of the Inland Empire Waterways association will be held in Portland Nov. 3-5.

**Football Scores**

**SATURDAY COLLEGE SCORES**

West  
Oregon State 22 Baylor 15  
SOC 33 OCE 0  
UCLA 10 Stanford 9  
Utah St. 20 San Jose St. 0  
Iowa 17 Washington 7  
Washington State 7 Arizona 2  
Kansas 25 Wyoming 21

South  
Oregon 35 West Virginia 0  
Duke 30 Maryland 12  
Georgia 27 South Carolina 7  
Alabama 21 Vanderbilt 6  
LSU 7 Georgia Tech 6  
Mississippi 20 Houston 6

**SOUTHWEST**

Southern Methodist 10 Air Force 0  
Arkansas 49 Texas Christian 3  
Memphis St. 28 Tulsa 15  
Texas Tech 10 Texas A&M 0  
Texas 34 Oklahoma State 7

**Flora Hammers Cuba's Oriente Province; May Head For U.S.**



**SMASHED BY FLORA** — The town of Balao on Haiti's southwestern coast was smashed by hurricane Flora Friday. Whole buildings were crushed and most roofs were torn off. Oriente province in Cuba was later devastated by the storm. Direction the hurricane would take was still uncertain Saturday night, but U. S. Weather Bureau officials in Miami, Fla., warned the huge storm might move towards the mainland of the United States. (UPI)

**Opposition Forms Against Sale of Wheat to Russia**

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Congressional opposition to a huge U. S. wheat sale to the Soviet Union showed signs of hardening Saturday in the absence of an announced White House decision on the deal.

A high administration source said President Kennedy still was expected to reach a policy decision fairly soon. The issue carries potential political risks on the eve of an election year.

A Soviet trade mission in Ottawa has let American grain dealers know their government is interested in buying a reported three million tons of U. S. wheat for \$250 million.

The State Department has confirmed that Czechoslovakia, Hungary and Bulgaria also have made approaches for U. S. wheat and other grains.

Such sales appear to have the support of administrative officials, as well as a sizable array of legislators and midwestern wheat farmers and politicians.

Despite the optimistic predictions of some members of Congress, the Republican leadership has not come out unreservedly for the deal.

Senate GOP leader Everett M. Dirksen, Ill., among others, has suggested unspecified political concessions from the Russians to accompany any wheat sale. Sen. Barry Goldwater, Ariz., a leading possibility for the 1964 Republican presidential nomination, has cited prospects for the sale in support of his charge that the Kennedy administration has formed a "mutual aid society" with Moscow.

**County Registers Rise in Employment During Last Month**

A marked increase occurred in non-agricultural activities in September compared to the same month last year, according to John J. Patton, manager of the Oregon State Employment Service office here.

"September of last year was a very busy period in Jackson county, but this year we noted a substantial increase in non-agricultural job placements," Patton noted.

"At the end of September the rate of insured unemployed in Jackson county stood at 2.5 per cent, compared to 2.3 per cent at the same time one year ago," he noted.

The employment service manager pointed out that one year ago the fruit harvest was still in full swing on a large crop.

**Democrats to Pick New Committeeman**

SALEM (UPI) — A successor to Oregon Democratic National Committeeman C. Girard Davidson will be chosen today when the Democratic State Central committee meets at 10 a.m. at the Marion Motor hotel.

Davidson, who was elected for three terms, recently resigned because of business interests in Alaska.

Announced candidates to succeed him are Sidney Leiken of Roseburg, a state representative and lumberman, and Portland attorney Norman Stoll.

The Umatilla County Democratic Central committee nominated Pendleton attorney Gene Conklin for the post, but he has not announced if he would accept.

Davidson's successor will serve through the Democratic national convention next year.

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This year it has ended already. This would indicate that outside the fruit industry, employment conditions were even better than a year ago, he said.

"New hires are expected to decline over the next 60 days, but the general level of employment will not decrease very much until winter weather causes a reduction in outdoor work," Patton predicted.

He noted the peak employment for September was in mid-month. There was some large commercial construction plus modernization of older structures and erection of several new multiple rental units.

Plans are to provide off-street parking for approximately 100 cars in downtown Medford by removal of two older buildings. This will provide much needed parking in the city's most congested area.

Southern Oregon college reported a marked increase in enrollment for the fall term.

The pear harvest season ended at the end of September, which was earlier than usual due to the small crop. Since most migrant pickers went on to Washington to pick apples this caused a picker shortage at the peak of the pear season, Patton noted.

Loss of work locally was felt mainly in the packinghouses, where reduced operations used much less help than usual. Although estimates are the crop was considerably below average, no announcement has been made yet as to the volume.

**Sports Bulletins**

ASHLAND — Southern Oregon College rolled over Oregon College of Education here Saturday night by a score of 33 to 0. Two of the SOC touchdowns were scored by Dave Nord. Doug Olsen, Denny Ellis and Mike Hood each scored once. Olsen kicked three extra points.

SOC led after the first quarter 6 to 0 and at the half by 19 to 0. The Raiders scored their final two touchdowns in the fourth quarter.

**PAPER SOLD**

THE DALLES (UPI) — The Dalles Optimist weekly newspaper has been sold to the Mid-Columbia Publishing Co.

**Venezuela Seized In Grip of Terror; 2 Guardsmen Shot**

CARACAS, Venezuela (UPI) — Pro-Castro assassins shot and killed two National Guardsmen on the Caracas-Laguaira superhighway Saturday, raising to seven the death toll in a nightmarish reign of terror that began Friday night throughout Venezuela.

The terrorist group, members of the armed forces National Liberation (FALN), killed five persons and wounded 10 others during the night in a series of hit-run raids apparently aimed at challenging the government's massive crackdown against the pro-Communists.

Police and military forces arrested at least 200 persons during the night and reinforced their numbers in Caracas Saturday with 500 graduates of a police academy. But reliable sources said the FALN struck in daylight on the famed superhighway Saturday then fled into the rugged mountains along the way.

The terror began at 9:30 p.m. when army radios heard the anguished cry of Pfc. Rafael Angel Castillo reporting his three-car patrol was being ambushed in Lidice, a low income apartment house development in the west end of Caracas.

There was silence and then the sound of machinegun fire over the radio. Reinforcements arrived 15 minutes later and found Castillo dead.

Then reports began reaching police headquarters from a dozen places in the city where speeding cars fired machineguns into crowds or at army or police sentries.

At a political meeting of the Accion Democratica in a workers' suburban development of El Valle, four persons were hit and wounded by a machinegun barrage.

**CONFERENCE SLATED**

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The White House announced Saturday that President Kennedy will hold a news conference Wednesday at 4 p.m. EDT. It will be his first session here with newsmen since Sept. 12.

**Voters Select 'Dino' as Name For Baby Elephant**

PORTLAND (UPI) — Portland's third baby elephant will be named Dino.

**Torrential Rains, High Winds Pound East End of Cuba**

**Rescue Aircraft Grounded by Storm**

MIAMI (UPI) — Hurricane Flora hammered widespread destruction on the two million residents of Cuba's Oriente province Saturday night and weather experts said the killer storm will probably start a crucial turn today that could menace the U. S. mainland.

Flora's drive toward the United States was temporarily blocked Saturday night. Its threat to the mainland will depend on how far it moves along Cuba's south coast and how it veers when a high pressure area moves out of its way today, forecasters said.

"We are not out of the woods yet," chief hurricane forecaster Gordon E. Dunn emphasized. He said chances of Flora seriously affecting south Florida were "under 50 per cent."

The weather bureau's 8 p.m. (est) report on the hurricane located Flora's center near latitude 20.5 north, longitude 77.2 west, or just west of the town of Manzanillo on Cuba's southeastern coast, and 75 to 100 miles southeast of the island city of Camaguey.

**Six-Day Rampage**

Flora was drifting slowly westward, its winds down from 140 miles an hour to bare hurricane force of 75 miles an hour after a six-day rampage over the Caribbean that claimed at least 54 lives.

The weather bureau said the season's sixth hurricane probably would pick up a little forward speed during the night and that "some turn is likely" on Sunday.

Forecasters said a good deal will depend today on how much to the west-northwest or north-west the hurricane turns when the high pressure area moves out of Flora's path. The temporary stall over Cuba brightened the outlook somewhat for the mainland Saturday.

Flora smashed into the mountainous eastern end of Cuba about mid-day Friday and stalled over Oriente province, pounding the area hour after hour with torrential rains and winds clocked up to 115 miles an hour in a number of places.

The big U. S. naval base at Guantanamo Bay on Oriente's south coast caught a continual lashing from the hurricane as it passed east of the base Friday and looped back southwest of Guantanamo Saturday before beginning to drift westward along Cuba's Caribbean coast.

Most of the 14 or 15 rivers in Oriente were reported overflowing their banks and residents of two towns, Mayari and Sagua de Tanamo, were reported trapped by fast-rising flood waters.

Communist military officials used amateur radio facilities to broadcast appeals to Fidel Castro for help, but were told that helicopters and other rescue aircraft were grounded by the hurricane.

Widespread damage to crops and buildings was indicated in the broadcasts monitored in Miami.

**NEWS BRIEFS**

ITEMS FROM AROUND THE GLOBE

**BERBERS CAPTURE ALGERIAN TROOPS**  
ALGERS (UPI) — The political leader of insurgent Berber tribesmen opposed to President Ahmed Ben Bella claimed Saturday rebel troops captured several government soldiers in the first reported shooting of the threatened civil war in strife-torn Algeria.

**GOULART TRIES TO RALLY SUPPORT**  
BRASILIA, Brazil (UPI) — President Joao Goulart tried to rally support Saturday for his requested state of siege in Brazil to cope with a rash of strikes and a growing political crisis caused by runaway inflation.

**VIET NAM OFFERS TO ADMIT OBSERVERS**  
UNITED NATIONS (UPI) — South Viet Nam has offered to admit observers from two countries each in Asia, Africa and Latin America to study its Buddhist problem, diplomatic sources said Saturday.

**FRENCH MINISTER ARRIVES FOR TALKS**  
NEW YORK (UPI) — French Foreign Minister Maurice Couve de Murville arrived Saturday en route to Washington for meetings with President Kennedy and Secretary of State Dean Rusk on policy differences between the United States and France.