

Governor Of Florida Dies

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (AP) — Gov. Dan McCarty last night lost his gallant fight against heart trouble and pneumonia.

Death came to Florida's 41-year-old governor shortly before 10 p.m. in Tallahassee Memorial Hospital. McCarty was conscious almost to the end and spoke to his wife and his doctor a few moments before he died.

His duties passed to Senate President Charley E. Johns, 48-year-old insurance executive, who came to Tallahassee from his home at Starke to take over until a new governor is elected in 1954 to serve the last two years of McCarty's four-year term.

McCarty, a Fort Pierce cattle-

man and citrus grower, became governor in January and served less than nine months. He was the third Florida governor to die in office.

McCarty was taken to the hospital a week ago today after a severe cold he contracted the week-end of Sept. 12 developed into pneumonia. He had suffered a heart attack Feb. 25 which put an end to nearly all his activities and from which he never recovered.

A heart specialist was flown here yesterday from New Orleans in a desperate attempt to save his life.

McCarty's 12-year-old son, Dan III, was taken from school to be at the bedside yesterday.

McCarty's brief administration saw the start of a program which included plans for institutional construction unparalleled in Florida history, a system of coordinated state purchasing and a study leading to uniform employment and personnel practices for state workers.

In the Legislature, he pushed to passage a law to make dog tracks operating in Florida pay more taxes, sponsored a bill giving greater consumer representation on the state milk commission and one to give farmers and commercial fishermen a partial rebate on taxes paid on gasoline used in boats and farm machinery.

He also declared war on illegal gambling.

McCarty was born at Fort Pierce and was a graduate of the University of Florida. He was a colonel in World War II after serving as speaker of the Florida House in 1941 at the age of 29.

Under the constitution, Johns will serve until January 1955, when a governor to be elected in November 1954 will take over for the two remaining years of McCarty's term.

Tito Rejects Trieste Vote

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) — Yugoslavia formally rejected Monday the Italian proposal for settling the quarrel over Trieste by means of a plebiscite.

President Tito had orally rejected the Italian proposal in a speech two weeks ago at Split but Yugoslavia made her stand official Monday in a note delivered to the Italian ministry here.

Tito has proposed the internationalization of the port city of Trieste and the ceding of the surrounding territory to Yugoslavia.

Monday's note followed the same line of argument as Tito did at Split. It said a plebiscite would be unfair on the ground that Italy has pushed Yugoslavia out of the Trieste area since the end of World War I.

KUHS Newsnotes and Comments

By GINGER MARTZ

The Grant Generals, the Roseburg Indians, and the Redding Wolves have been neatly filed away as victories in the Pelican's back. Next on the list is Eugene's High. A large group of Pelican boosters are expected to go over the hill for the game this Friday night.

Have you told your parents about the insurance available for all high school students? This insurance covers you to and from school and on all school sponsored trips and activities. You don't think you have outgrown falling over your own feet, but what if your shadow trips you sometime. It's only a \$1.50 a school year.

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Your wising up kids. 898 Student Body Cards have been sold. Let's make it 1,000.

The Pelican Service Club, those hard working kids you see at every game handing out programs, ushering and helping with a concession stand, have increased their number by 19 since last year. The last three members to join are Janice Bussey, Alisha Kuykendall and Nell McFarland.

All senior's records are getting a thorough going over in the counselors office to see that no last minute error could hinder a student from graduating.

Don Boyd is the new president of the junior class, and Mary Ann Munson is the new secretary-treasurer. Let's hope the class has a successful year under their leadership.

ITALIANS STRIKE
ROME (AP) — Another 24-hour strike picked at Italy's economy Tuesday in a continuation of Italian labor demands for higher pay. An estimated 600,000 textile workers were called out throughout the peninsula by both Communist and non-Communist unions.

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STUDENT PRINCE—Crown Prince Carl Gustaf of Sweden, seven, is shown to his seat by his teacher, Mrs. Anna Broms, as school starts. His mother, Princess Sibylla, waits at door.

30 Princeton Graduates Defy Gown Tradition

PRINCETON, N. J. (AP) — Thirty Princeton University graduate students are putting up a fight for democracy and the un-soupy sleeve.

The recalcitrant 30 are refusing to wear academic gowns to dinner.

The Graduate School revived a tradition of wearing the gowns to dinner.

But the rebels say the gowns are uncomfortable and that the long, flowing sleeves have a tendency to drag through soup, mashed potatoes and other edibles. They also charge that a poll of the Graduate School's students last spring showed they were opposed to the gowns 2-1.

So the 30 eat in a side room at Proctor Hall while their 180 conforming brothers eat in the main dining hall.

Hugh Stott Taylor, dean of the Graduate College, says he will not budge from the rule.

Taylor said the gowns are "aesthetically pleasing."

As for democracy, he said, "Some things aren't decided by vote. For example, women aren't allowed in the dining hall but I am sure if it were put to a student vote they would all be for it."

Concert Tickets In Mail Oct. 15

Membership tickets for the forthcoming season of the Klamath Community Concert Ass'n will be in the mail by Oct. 15, according to announcement by Louis R. Mann, president of the association.

The first concert of the 1953-54 season will be held on Thursday, Nov. 5.

Halfway House At Bly Opens

Opening of the Halfway House at Bly last Friday night has been announced by R. F. (Pop) England and Archie Davis, both Klamath Falls men.

The Halfway House consists of and is located on the site of the old Bly Hotel that partially burned about a year ago.

The building has been completely renovated and a new front of native stone adds to the attraction of the edifice. Embedded in the stone wall is an old fashioned flat-iron that came west by covered wagon and is the property of Davis.

Hell's Belle To Talk Hells

PORTLAND (AP) — Rep. Grace Frost (D-Idaho), known by her supporters as "Hell's Belle" because of her support of Hells Canyon Dam, will be principal speaker at the Oct. 3 meeting of the Democratic Jackson Club here.

Texas Drought Still Hurts

SAN ANGELO, Tex. (AP) — The drought is hurting some west Texas cattlemen worse today than it did before widespread rains in August greened up some rangeland.

Then, there was hope rains would come in time to make winter pasture. But the rains slacked off. Now, with a searing heat wave setting temperature records under clear skies, it's too late for many pastures to recover this year.

Yesterday the state drought committee approved resumption of

emergency feed shipments to 38 more counties. That means the cattlemen will be able to buy government-owned dry feed at less than market price. Eighty-six of Texas' 254 counties are now eligible for the drought-relief feed.

The moisture-devouring heat wave sent temperatures past 100 in much of Texas yesterday. Seymour in north Texas recorded 107, Wichita Falls and Llano 106, Dallas and Fort Worth 105. Dallas' 105 was a degree higher than the previous Sept. 28 heat record, set in 1938. No rain fell.

The hardest decision of his life

faced many a west Texas rancher: prospect of another dry winter during which his feed bill and bank a big debt at the bank, and the debt pile up, should he sell out?

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Cattle Price Probe Ordered

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of Agriculture Benson has ordered an investigation to find out whether there is a "widening of the spread between prices farmers receive for their cattle and the cost of these at retail."

"Farmers of America are entitled to know if there is truth to the charge that margins are excessive," Benson said Saturday night in announcing he had instructed department experts to make a study and report quickly to him.

Benson said he had received a number of reports from members of Congress and others, that there is a growing spread between the price the farmer gets and the price the housewife pays for beef.

In Chicago, the American Meat Institute said in a statement:

"Some critics unfortunately have clouded the facts by comparing prices paid for low grade cattle and cows with the retail price of choice steak cut from top quality, finished, grain-fed steers. Such mixed-up reasoning is like comparing prices of wild field daisies with cultivated hot house orchids."

Benson noted that the government's latest cost of living index reflected a 6 per cent jump in the price of beef and veal from July to August, and he said it came at a time of abundant supplies and generally low cattle prices.

Director Loses \$28,000 in Burglary

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Police are investigating a burglary that cost film director William L. Howard \$28,000 worth of jewelry and furs.

Police reported yesterday that Howard and his wife returned from a Saturday night dinner engagement to find that two upstairs bedrooms had been ransacked.

The thieves apparently used a pellet gun to shoot out a street light in front of the home and darkened the premises before entering through an upstairs window.

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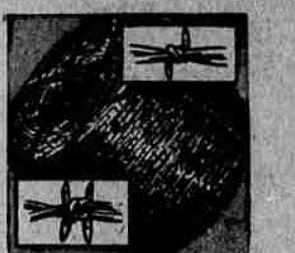
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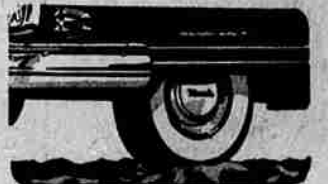
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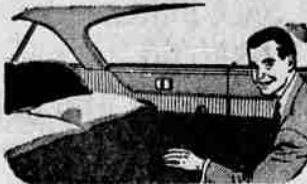
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