

Klamath Falls and vicinity - Fair through Friday, with low to night 43-48 and high Friday 28-34.

By FRANK JENKINS Inauguration weather note: Frigid Canadian air breaks out of its pocket in the Dakotas this morning and rampages southward.

Unusual? Nope! Of our 43 inaugurations since 1789, bad weather has marred at least half.

At Grant's second inaugural, it was so cold that West Point cadets passed out while passing in review before the stands.

What to do? Move the capital to Los Angeles, maybe.

The Washington area is jammed to the bursting point today by citizens who have come from all over the nation to see the inaugural spectacle.

That isn't unusual. On the day of Andrew Jackson's inauguration in 1829, a reporter mused: "Where the multitude slumbered last night is inconceivable, unless it were on Mother Earth, curtained by the unbroken sky."

Hmmmmmm. Back in Andrew Jackson's day, sleeping in the haymow was a prime solution for overcrowding—even in well-to-do homes.

Thomas Jefferson was the first President to be inaugurated in Washington. Things were simpler then.

Nostalgic thought: "That government is best which governs LEAST." Would that there were more like him today!

He too believed in simplicity. Coming of an old and distinguished Virginia family, where the head of the house was the head of the house, he took his duties seriously.

He took his responsibilities as manager of the White House very seriously and insisted on doing the marketing himself.

Ah, me! A lot of water has gone under the bridge since those simple days, mates.

Finch-Tregoff Trial Underway

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—Opening arguments by the prosecution start today before a jury of three women and nine men in the third murder trial of Dr. R. Bernard "Doc" Finch, 44, and his sweetheart, Carole Tregoff, 24.

Beloved Doctor To Primitives Dies Of Cancer

NEW YORK (UPI)—Thomas A. Dooley, dynamic jungle doctor whose hospital in Laos made him "the good American" to thousands of Southeast Asians, died Wednesday night of cancer one day after his 34th birthday.

Dooley, a co-founder of Medico, Inc., which offers medical care for primitive peoples throughout the world, died at 9:40 p.m. EST.

He had undergone surgery for chest cancer in August 1959 here and had been discharged as apparently cured. But a recurrence developed in late 1960 after he returned to his Laotian village for the work which has inspired scores of other Americans to follow his footsteps.

Americans Are Held By Castro

HAVANA (AP)—Fidel Castro's government announced today it is holding six Americans accused of sailing to Cuba Jan. 7 to join counter-revolutionary forces here.

The announcement said all six were seized in Havana the day after they made a pact in Florida with a Castro foe, former Sen. Rolando Masferrer, to join other dissidents trying to overthrow Castro's regime.

Several Americans were executed by Castro firing squads last year after they were captured with "invasion" groups in Cuba.

Boivin Ribbed About Acting Governor Term

SALEM (AP)—The Oregon Senate today gave its president, Harry Boivin of Klamath Falls, a good-natured ribbing as he became acting governor for three days while Gov. Mark Hatfield is attending the Kennedy inauguration.

When Boivin arrived, he had to pass between two lines of senators and secretaries.

Boivin then said: "With these friends that I have, what would I do with enemies?"

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Divorce Court Ends Fabulous Family Story

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Dr. Taylor Jackson, a physician, accused his wife, Marjorie, a hat designer, of "extreme and repeated acts of cruelty."

Mrs. Jackson, who did graduate work in child psychology and once operated a nursery school, toured Europe in 1950 with her husband to study marriage and family life.

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Eisenhower, Kennedy Trade Ideas In Two-Hour White House Meeting

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When he came out of the conference, Kennedy told reporters that he and three of his top appointees had had "the opportunity to get the thinking of the President and the responsible officers of the government on some of the major problems facing the United States."

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