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Mouth	High	Low
Pascagoula River	7:02 p.m.	10:09 a.m.
Wednesday	6:15 p.m.	9:02 a.m.
Thursday	6:16 p.m.	9:00 a.m.
Friday	6:34 p.m.	9:06 a.m.
Saturday	6:34 p.m.	8:32 a.m.
Sunday	7:05 p.m.	5:38 a.m.

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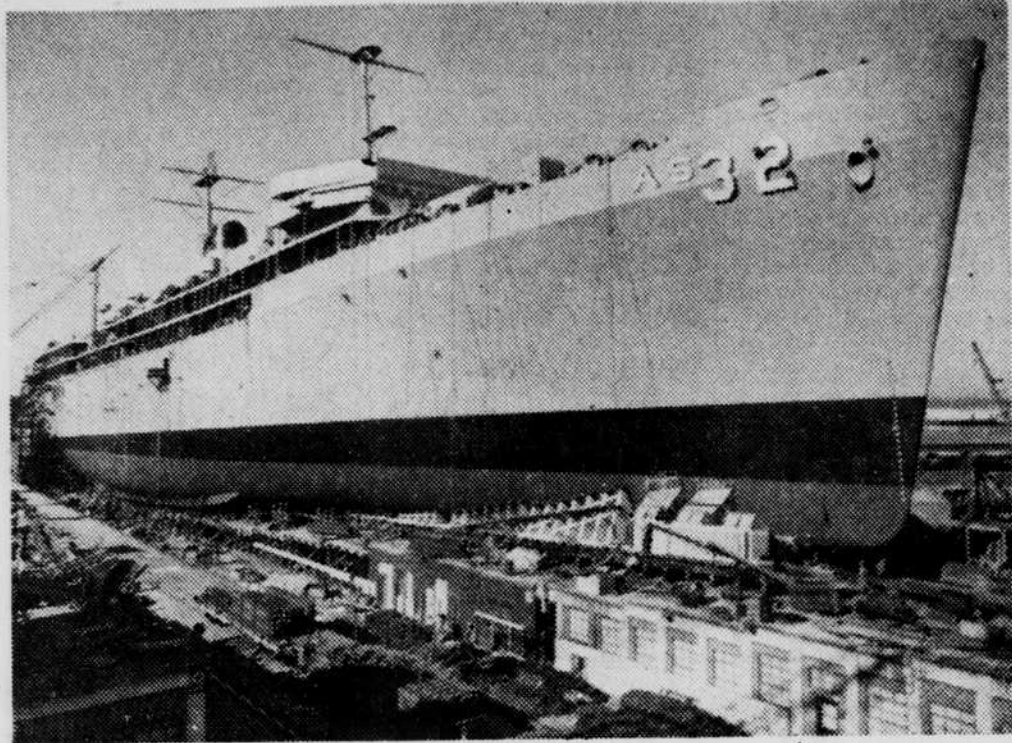
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USS HOLLAND READY FOR LAUNCHING (Ingalls photo)

Launching plans told for Holland at Ingalls



Navy secretary is main speaker here Saturday

Ingalls launches USS Holland AS-32, submarine tender and heaviest vessel ever built here, Saturday at 2:30.

The vessel will be christened by wife of Sen. John C. Stennis of DeKalb. Principal speaker will be Fred Korth, secretary of the navy.

Other high ranking government and Navy officials, including Sen. Stennis and bureau of ships assistant chief, Rear Adm. William A. Brockett, will take part in the launching ceremonies.

The Holland is the second Navy vessel designed especially as a Polaris submarine tender. When complete, the 55 shops aboard the Holland will be able to perform almost any type work on a Polaris sub that a shipyard can do . . . from fabricating metal parts to repairing the most sensitive electronic and optical instruments.

It will be a floating shipyard, motel, supply depot and a missile assembly facility. The ship will carry more than 80,000 spare parts and a crew of almost 1100. She can also accommodate 30 officers and 270 enlisted men from her brood of submarines.

The 600-foot Holland will be the heaviest vessel ever launched by Ingalls, estimated at about 11,000 tons. Her dead weight, fully loaded with cargo and crew will surpass 18,000 tons.

Because of her weight, Holland will be "trigger" launched. With this method, the ship is held on the way by a series of big hooks. At the moment of launching a lever is thrown, the hooks drop and the vessel begins her slide down the way.

This method—used only a few times before by Ingalls—requires even greater precision than the usual "burn off" launch. With a "burn off" the ship, moments before launch, is held fast by steel plates.

Holland is the third Navy ship named for the late John Phillip Holland, inventor of the Navy's (Continued on page 2)



SECRETARY KORTH



CAPTAIN STYER



SEN. STENNIS



MRS. STENNIS

Budget includes funds for Pascagoula harbor

Top news from UPI

CHICAGO (UPI) — Midwest weather is slightly warmer, but still plenty cold.

It was 26 below this morning at Lone Rock, Wis., 32 below in Minnesota's twin cities, a near record.

The weather bureau says there is hope of moderation from the middle and lower Mississippi valley, also warmer from Southern California to Georgia.

BERLIN (UPI) — Premier Khrushchev has eased the Berlin pressure a bit.

Speaking at the East German Communist conference in Berlin, he said the East German regime since the construction of the wall. He still called for a German peace treaty, but set no deadline. Khrushchev also played down his quarrel with Red China, saying slowness is needed.

ELISABETHVILLE (UPI) — Surrender talks are the next step in the Congo.

Diplomats in Elisabethville say Katanga president Tshombe will return to Elisabethville tomorrow from his stronghold, Kolwezi.

The diplomats say he will arrange for UN troops to take over the city. UN troops are on the alert outside the city to make sure there is no foul-up.

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Senate today plunged into full debate on what may well become a filibuster over filibusters.

The Senate's second round of parliamentary jockeying in two days left the chamber finally debating the question of whether it should formally take up the first of several proposals to make filibusters easier to curb. Southern opponents of any change warned that the oratory would continue for a long time.

Kennedy requests money for study of river, too

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Kennedy's budget message today included a request for \$2,200,000 for continued construction of Pascagoula harbor and \$150,000 to continue investigation of Pascagoula River basin.

The message ignored the Tennessee - Tombigbee waterway which the Senate attempted to give \$1 million last year for planning and to start building the proposed waterway to link the Gulf with the mid-section of the nation. The House rejected it.

The budget asked \$1,540,000 for Mississippi public works, \$14,871,000 for Alabama, including \$10,000 for investigation of the Coosa-Alabama River; \$500 for investigation of Perdido Bay and \$250,000 for planning on Jones Bluff lock and dam.

In Mississippi Kennedy also asked \$1,300,000 for the Jackson-East Jackson, Pearl River flood control project and \$100,000 for planning Okatbee Creek reservoir.

The Nat'ez Trace parkway received requests for \$1,690,900 in Alabama and \$3,946,000 in Mississippi, with \$121,800 for buildings and utilities on the Trace and for the Vicksburg National Memorial Park.

Man loses leg in mill accident

Gerald Balinger, 29, of Fort's Lake community is reported in good condition at Singing River Hospital. Balinger suffered a leg injury Friday while working at International Paper Co. It was reported his leg was caught in a machine and had to be amputated below the knee.

Oxford jury cites Lucedale man, 2 of Prichard

OXFORD (UPI)—A federal grand jury last night indicted four men on charges of obstructing the enrollment of Negro James Meredith at the University of Mississippi.

The men were arrested during the 14 hours of bloody rioting that followed Meredith's admission to the campus last Sept. 30.

They were listed as Melvin Bruce of Decatur, Ga., Phillip Lloyd Myles and Kline May, both of Prichard, Ala., and Richard H. Hinton, a Lucedale, Miss. man who works at Prichard.

All four men were included on each of two indictments. The first indictment, a felony carrying a maximum penalty of a \$5,000 fine and three years imprisonment, or both, charged the men with willfully interfering with US deputy marshals in the performance of their duties.

The second indictment accused the men of trying to prevent the marshals from carrying out a court order, a misdemeanor punishable with a \$1,000 fine and one year imprisonment or both.

Bruce had a high powered rifle when arrested on the campus by marshals. During the rioting, a sniper armed with a rifle shot at marshals surrounding the university administration building.

Since the riot, Bruce has made several public speeches charging that marshals mistreated prisoners. He is free under \$25,000 bond and the other three are free under bonds of \$5,000.

All are expected to be tried here in May. US attorney H. M. Ray said the indictments were included in an interim report by the grand jury, composed of 21 men and 2 women, which began its session early last week.

A final report is not expected until next week. The jury decided not to indict two other persons in the case but authorities would not (Continued on page 2)

Damages given widow of man killed by shock

A circuit court jury Tuesday awarded Mrs. Geraldine Gordon of Escatawpa \$25,000 in a damage suit against the city of Pascagoula.

Mrs. Gordon had asked \$150,000 in connection with the death of her husband, Kent Edward Gordon, age 30.

Gordon was fatally injured by an electrical shock suffered at Pascagoula Rec Center last summer.

He was a member of an Escatawpa church softball team, playing at the center. Gordon touched a guy wire to a light pole while standing in a puddle of water.

In her suit Mrs. Gordon said the city is responsible for maintenance of the center.

The guy wire was charged with electricity due to a broken insulator and the ground was wet because of a broken water faucet, she alleged.



IVAN DAVIS, GRAND PRIZE WINNER OF FRANZ LISZT competition, will be presented in concert at Pascagoula High School auditorium Thursday night for members of Community Concert Association. Davis was described in a recent Cosmopolitan Magazine article as "a classical pianist who is also an excellent chef, an established musician at 30 who didn't begin playing until he was 12.

Group will support Coast college bond

BULLETIN

Jackson County supervisors today asked county bar association to select a county prosecutor to serve until a special election Feb. 28.

A suit was filed Monday to force the board to call an election in 60 days after Donald Cumbeast vacated the office to become district attorney, and to name a prosecutor temporarily.

Chairmen for MOD are named

In 3 communities plans laid today for fund drive

Co-chairmen of the 1963 Jackson County March of Dimes campaign were announced today by campaign director George L. Allen.

They are J. A. Willis, chairman for Pascagoula area; Mrs. James Fuller, Gauthier community and Mrs. W. W. Russum, Moss Point and Kreole areas.

Jerry St. Pe' of Ingalls public relations department, has been named publicity chairman.

Allen announced plans for two organizational meetings and several showings of a March of Dimes promotion film entitled Invitation and starring Jane Wyman. One meeting will be held in Kreole Friday night at the First Baptist Church. The other will be Tuesday at Gauthier School. Any person in those areas interested in helping with the campaign are asked to attend the meeting. Both will start at 7:30 p.m.

According to Allen, the promotion film will be shown for the first time Wednesday at the noon meeting of the Pascagoula Rotary Club. It will also be shown at the Friday and Tuesday night meetings.

In another phase of the campaign, Jackson County March of Dimes chairman John Gauthier said more than 10,000 "mailers" will be sent county residents beginning Thursday. Persons wishing to make donations to the MOD may do so by using a return envelope that will accompany the mailers.

Allen said the mailers have been prepared by members of the Beta Theta Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority. Mrs. C. R. Rudkin, president of the Chapter, has been serving as mailer committee chairman.

Personnel group hears plans for county

Jackson County Personnel Association voted approval Thursday night of the \$3,200,000 junior college bond issue to build facilities in Jackson and Harrison counties.

A resolution was adopted at the organization's monthly meeting. President Bill Bailey officiated.

The bond issue was chief topic of discussion. Representing Perkinson Junior College was Curtis Davis and dean of college W. P. Lipscomb.

Davis emphasized that approval of the issue will not result in a tax increase.

"Actually," he said, "They will be reduced from three mills to two and a half mills next year."

In case of default by any of the counties involved, each county would be responsible only for its part, and each county's bonded indebtedness would be affected only by its part.

An extensive campaign is planned through television, radio and the press to familiarize the public with all aspects of the bond issue.

Bailey reminded members that the action course in practical politics, sponsored by the Pascagoula Chamber of Commerce will get underway at 7 p.m. Monday at Pascagoula High School. There will be eight weekly 1 1/2 hour sessions.

Bailey also discussed preparations for the Chamber's second annual good will tour which will start Feb. 13. Houston, Tex., will be host.

Success of adult education classes in the area was discussed by Davis and Claude L. "Deig" Stauter.

Program for the Feb. 19 meeting of the Personnel Association will be arranged by Bailey, Aubrey Johnson, and John Trehern.

Trial is set next week in Houston

Two from Pas in case delayed another week

HOUSTON (UPI)—Trial of nine men charged in alleged \$5 million stolen bond conspiracy has been reset for Monday.

The trial will be unusual in that the fate of five defendants will be decided by federal judge Allen B. Hannay, while a jury will decide the guilt or innocence of the other four.

The trial has been reset until Monday to allow three court-appointed attorneys to prepare their cases. It was originally set to begin yesterday.

Five defendants waived trial by jury, allowing Hannay to render a verdict.

They are James Charles Suttles, 48, of Houston, a director of the East End State Bank; Arnold D. Naidich, 37, New York attorney; Charles J. Guiliano, 52, a Stone Harbor, N.J., contractor, and Willard L. Richardson 46, and George M. Simmerman, 39, both Pascagoula attorneys.

A jury will try Allen Eli Wright, 40, Laurel, promoter; Edward Hugh Wuensch, 33, a Holland, Pa., contractor; William H. Graff 42, office manager of a Chicago manufacturing firm, and James Samuel Zimmerman, 40, of Cleveland, Ohio, a convict.

Students warned again to halt demonstrating

Chancellor says such activities hurt Ole Miss

OXFORD (UPI) — University of Mississippi chancellor J. D. Williams appealed to students today to refrain from demonstrations against Negro student James Meredith and threatened again "sternest disciplinary action."

Chancellor Williams' statement, printed today in the campus newspaper, The Daily Mississippian, followed a number of demonstrations and incidents apparently touched off by Meredith's announcement last week that he did not plan to register for the next semester unless such outbreaks ceased.

Williams called the incidents "instances of concerted ill-conduct and rowdiness" and said they were "doing our university grave damage."

Williams called on "all students who love and support the university to disassociate themselves from the scene should an incident begin."

He said students taking part in such outbreaks jeopardize not only the reputation of Ole Miss but also "their own academic futures." Williams warned that participants in such demonstrations "are in violation of university regulations" and threatened disciplinary action.

At the same time Jack Lynch, chairman of the student judicial council, issued a statement apparently designed to counter a "Rebel Underground" pamphlet charging that student Joseph Gough was suspended from school for taking part in demonstrations despite a judicial council vote clearing him of such charges.

Lynch said in the statement that Gough "was found guilty (word underlined) of the charge and the recommendation concerning disciplinary action was made to dean (L. L.) Love." Lynch

declined further comment on his statement.

Almost nightly demonstrations against Meredith have erupted on the campus the past week, particularly when he took his evening meal at the cafeteria. Several evenings students walked out en masse or chanted football yells and derisive slogans. In addition Meredith's car has been damaged in several acts of vandalism.

There was another demonstration last night when several students walked out of the wing of the cafeteria where Meredith ate but it was the mildest of the walkouts and the cafeteria quickly filled up again.

Daily Mississippian editor Sidna Brower said today in an editorial that she found the demonstrations "regrettable" and questioned if the participants are "sincere students" or "agitators."

Final examinations begin at Ole Miss Thursday and reports have persisted that Meredith has had difficulty studying and faces a rough road in his attempt to make passing grades. He has said he will not announce his final decision whether to stay or drop out until after examinations.

Weather

Partly cloudy and cold today with slowly rising temperatures Thursday. Northeasterly winds 8 to 16 miles per hour. High today 52, low Thursday 34.

Middle Gulf — Mostly northeasterly winds 12 to 22 knots and mostly cloudy weather today, tonight and tomorrow.

Coastal — Mostly northeasterly winds 10 to 18 knots and mostly cloudy weather today, tonight and tomorrow.

Outlook for Friday — Mostly cloudy and rather cold with scattered rain likely over South Mississippi.

Election is set outside of Pas

Pascagoula school district, outside the city limits will elect a trustee to the school board May 4.

J. E. Black's five-year term will expire on that date.

The election was called by Pascagoula council Tuesday.

Five trustees compose the school board. The council appoints four members and the fifth is elected to represent areas outside the city limits.

Areas involved include Bayou Casotte and Gauthier. Polls will be open two hours, from 2 to 4 p.m.

In other action councilmen voted to renew a lease of a parking lot and turned down an application for a taxi license, pending examination of the application by the city attorney.

The city's five-year lease on a parking lot near the railroad depot has expired. It is leased from L&N Railroad at \$1500 a year.

The parking lot will be leased again if the railroad agrees.

A. D. McEwen, through an attorney, applied for a taxi license to serve Negro customers.

City clerk Vincent Ross said on the surface the application does not meet requirements set down by a city ordinance but the application will be reviewed before a final decision is made.

Tomorrow is seen as a good time to renew bloodmobile 'insurance'

"During the tomorrow's visit of the Red Cross bloodmobile will be an excellent time for persons who have not donated blood during the past six months to renew their coverage," Levoth Haigler advised today.

Haigler, blood program chairman for the local chapter, said the bloodmobile will again set up at Pascagoula Masonic Temple on Market Street. Hours will be noon to 6 p.m.

Office employees and Southern Bell.

Under the pledge card system, for each person who donates blood, all members of his immediate family are eligible to receive any blood needed for six months.

The group coverage plan provides that all members of an organization and their families are eligible for free blood if 15 to 30 per cent (depending on its size) of its members donate twice a year.

Even though the organization might not qualify, individuals who donate assure themselves and their families of free blood for six months.

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