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Ford presents proposed cuts

WASHINGTON—Underscoring his confrontation with Congress over tax and spending cuts, President Ford has presented his Cabinet with some \$30 billion in proposed budget reductions that hit everything from weapons to welfare, the White House said Tuesday.

Press Secretary Ron Nessen told reporters the secret budget guidelines could not be made public now because "it's the only way you can put the damned budget together." Ford's preliminary list, presented to the Cabinet last Friday, totals more than \$30 billion, Nessen said, and reduced to \$28 billion. The budget will go to Congress next January and apply to the fiscal year beginning Oct. 1, 1975.

Sources said Ford took special relish in the pruning because of his challenge to Congress to slash next year's budget by \$28 billion in exchange for a \$28 billion tax cut.

The sources also said the brakes could not be applied across the board with the biggest reduction in welfare, new weapons, Social Security, Medicare and Medicaid, food stamps, housing subsidies, civilian and military salaries, and interest costs on the deficit.

Nessen said Ford was now awaiting comment from his Cabinet officers.

Actually, even after the cuts federal spending next year will be greater than this year. What Ford is proposing is a reduction in what would have been spent if government programs continued at their present rates.

The government expects to spend \$370 billion this year and has forecast \$423 billion for next year. Ford is trying to trim next year's level to \$395 billion, a cut of \$28 billion or 7 per cent.

Bailey accepted bribe

Hartford, Conn.—Even as a portrait of the late Democratic national chairman John M. Bailey was being unveiled for Democratic party chiefs in Washington, it was disclosed Tuesday that a jai alai promoter said he gave Bailey \$200,000 for helping obtain a Connecticut gambling license.

Organized crime investigators said Bailey, who died April 10 of cancer at the age of 70, was named by David Friend of Hollywood, Fla., president of Connecticut Sports Enterprises Inc.

Friend's jai alai facility, billed as the world's largest, is supposed to open next month in Bridgeport, near New York City, and feature parimutuel betting on the popular Latin game, the world's fastest sport.

"David Friend, president, admitted to members of the Statewide Organized Crime Investigative Task Force that he paid \$200,000 in cash to John Bailey for his assistance in obtaining a license to operate a jai alai fronton," said the state Commission on Special Revenue.

Commission Chairman Paul Silvergield said the payment took place in Hartford on or about April 9, 1974, shortly after the license was granted. The Teamsters' pension fund is the principal source of money for the \$14 million facility.

Bailey was Democratic national chairman for eight years during the administration of John F. Kennedy and Lyndon B. Johnson and was Connecticut chairman from the end of World War II until his death.

Bailey's reputation was immediately and

vigorously defended by Democratic officials in both Washington and Connecticut.

New car sales reported up

DETROIT—Three of the four U.S. automakers today reported new car sales in the first period of the 1976-model year were up substantially from a year ago when new model introductions fell flat.

American Motors said its Oct. 1-10 sales were up 25 per cent, General Motors reported a 17 per cent gain and the Ford Motor Co. showed a 16 per cent improvement. All three have now introduced all of the '76 models.

Chrysler Corp., which plans to introduce its cars this week, was to report its sales later in the day.

GM, with sales totaling 129,846 cars, also reported that commercial vehicle sales were up nearly 42 per cent from last year for an early October sales record. Ford sold 82,476 cars in the period while AMC said its sales totaled 7,711 cars.

Industry analysts said sales appeared to be the strongest for any month-opening period since October of 1973.

Despite the strong showing, which Ford Sales Vice President Bennett E. Bidwell referred to as a "turnaround" with the introduction of the 1976 models, a new consumer survey indicates the industry shouldn't expect a quick recovery from its two-year slump.

Last year's introduction of the 1975 models, with price tags averaging \$500 over earlier models, started the industry's long slide that hit bottom with the layoffs of more than 300,000 auto workers during the winter.

Since then, sales have increased slowly, month by month, with the '76s expected to enhance the recovery.

Nobel awarded to American

STOCKHOLM, Sweden—American professor Tjalling Koopmans and Russian Leonid Kantorovich, long-time researchers in transportation efficiency and the problems of supply and demand, won the 1975 Nobel Prize in Economics Tuesday.

Koopmans, a 65-year-old Yale professor and native of the Netherlands, is widely known for his studies in industrial production, while the 63-year-old Kantorovich is sometimes considered controversial in the Soviet Union for his unorthodox economic ideas.

Kantorovich is the first Russian to be awarded the prize in economics, and the second to win a Nobel Prize so far this year. Last Thursday, Soviet dissident Andrei Sakharov became the first Russian to win the Nobel Peace Prize.

The prize-giving Royal Academy of Sciences said Koopmans and Kantorovich won the economics award for their independent studies on how "to find out the best ways of using existing resources to produce different commodities and services."

Reached at his home in Hamden, Conn., Koopmans, a naturalized U.S. citizen, said, "I'm delighted to be combined with professor Kantorovich, whom I've met on several occasions."

Kantorovich said in Moscow that he was "very moved, very glad at this recognition of my work."

Campus Calendar

Today's Activities

Thursday Worship at the Battle House will be under the leadership of Mike Bryant and the Worship Committee, will be held at 8 p.m. The topic this week continues on last week's theme, "Go from your Father's House."

The Chapel Hill Soccer Club will host the Piedmont Soccer Club at 2 p.m. Sunday on Fetzer Field. Spectators are welcome. In the event of poor field conditions, the game will be moved to the astro turf.

GMAT (Graduate Management Admission Test—formerly ATGSSB) applications must be received in Princeton by Oct. 10 for the Saturday, Nov. 1 testing. Applications for \$12.50 in Nash.

Jewelry by Stephen Neford will be on display through Oct. 24 in the show cases of the Union.

Found: a set of keys in 107 Murphey; probably lost before end of '11 a.m. class Monday. Call John McInroy at 933-5021.

The Mid-week Bag Lunch Relaxer is held from noon to 2 p.m. every Wednesday at "A Woman's Place." It is open to all ages of women in the University community. Attend for whatever time you can.

Career Planning and Placement has received information announcing a New Program/Student Projects for the Bicentennial Celebration, sponsored by the N.C. Internship Office and the N.C. Bicentennial. Further information and application forms are available at 211 Hanes. They are due back on Nov. 14.

Everyone interested in Latin America is invited to the weekly informal lunch meeting at noon in the South Gallery Meeting Room of the Union. Bring your lunch.

Marvin Silver, candidate for Chapel Hill Board of Aldermen, would like to meet with students interested in the local elections, from 4-5 p.m. in the 2nd floor lounge of the Union.

The Association of International Students (AIS) will hold a coffee hour at 4:30 p.m. in their office in Room 205 of the Y. For information about the AIS come by the office 3-5 p.m. weekdays.

There will be a Minorities in Electronic Media (MIEM) meeting at 7 p.m. in 101 A Swain. A radio workshop will be held.

There will be an Introductory Lecture on the Transcendental Meditation Program at 7:30 p.m. in Room 213 of the Union.

The Curriculum in Peace, War & Defense and the Department of History present Dr. Jonathan Steinberg, lecturer in history, Cambridge College, England, speaking on "The Risorgimento: Ideological & Economic Backwardness in 19th Century Italy," at 8 p.m. in 202-204 of the Union.

The discussion group on "Human Liberation" will hold its fifth session at 8 p.m. at the Battle House.

Short Courses

IRSS Short Course "Disk Data Set Usage" Oct. 16 (Thurs) 2 p.m., 103 Hanes. Instructor: Bill Reynolds.

UNCCC Short Course "Introduction to APL (A Programming Language)" Oct. 14 (Tues) 3:30 p.m., 224 Phillips. Instructor: Martin Feinstein.

IRSS Short Course "Interactive Computing for Social Scientists" (Session II) Oct. 15 (Wed) 2 p.m., 307 Manning. Instructor: Ken Hardy.

IRSS Short Course "Introduction to Automated Mapping for Social Scientists" (Session II) Oct. 16 (Thurs) 2 p.m., 307 Manning. Instructor: Grady Meehan.

Upcoming Events

The UNC Outing Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in Room 207 of the Union.

The UNC Sailing Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Union. Slides and a movie of a Bahamas Cruise will be shown. Christmas trip will be discussed.

The UNC Media Board will meet at 3 p.m. Wednesday in the Union. Please check the bulletin board by the Union Desk for location.

Philip J. Kiviat, Technical director of the Federal Computer Performance Evaluation and Simulation Center, will speak on "Evaluation of Computer Systems in the Federal Environment" at 4 p.m. Thursday in 265 Phillips.

All those interested in selling 1976 Yackety Yacks (for fun and profit) come to a meeting at 7:30 Thursday in Suite D of the Union.

The YM-YWCA's Potluck Dinner Discussion group will meet Friday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Glasser, Dr. Richard Clinton will be the discussion leader on the subject of "Projected Population Trends." For further information go by the Y Office.

Firemen's hut donations sought

The Carrboro Volunteer Fire Department is requesting donations to restore its firemen's hut, a facility used for training sessions and recreation by the Carrboro Volunteer Fire Association and community organizations, including UNC fraternities and sororities.

The facility was closed four months ago because of a septic tank failure and needs more than \$2,000 worth of repairs, Carrboro Fire Chief Robert Swiger said recently.

The department has had difficulty funding the repair although the Lions Club has donated \$1,000, and the department has held two benefit music shows. Despite the financial problems, Swiger said he hopes the

repairs will be complete within the next month.

When the hut reopens, Swiger said, the fire department will have to charge other organizations for its use. The rent will be \$100 per night plus a \$50 deposit.

Fraternities and sororities interested in holding Christmas parties at the hut should notify him as soon as possible, Swiger said.

Rent has to be charged, Swiger said, because the department has no other funds. The fire department is run independently of the town government.

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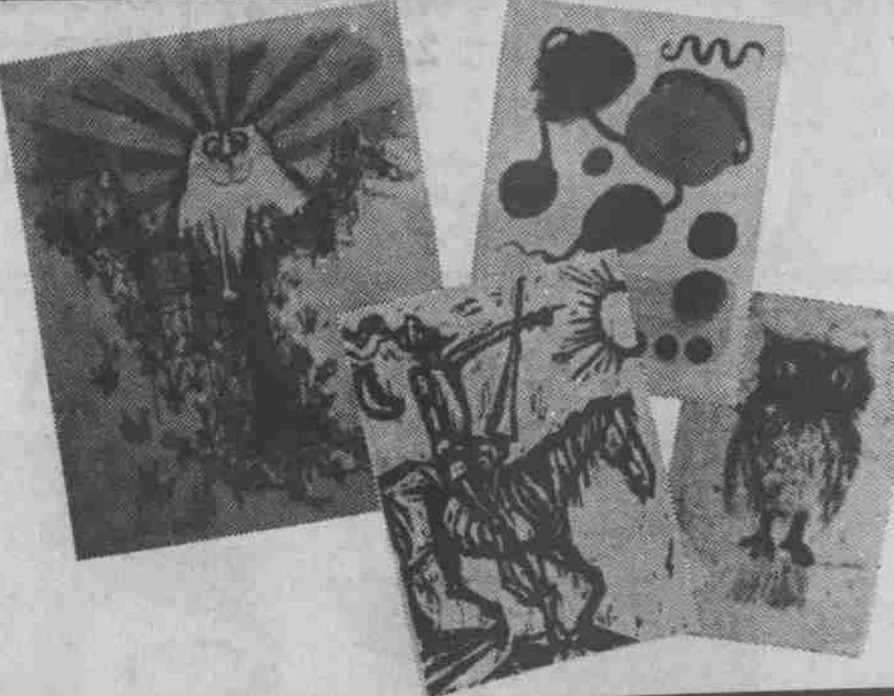
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