

# NYC to get full loan

WASHINGTON (UPI) — House and Senate conferees agreed yesterday to appropriate the full \$2.3 billion in loans which New York City says it must have to avoid bankruptcy, but opponents promised a last-ditch fight to reduce the amount on the House floor.

The decision was made on the day the city originally was expected to default on its financial obligations. New York congressmen said with help to close the city would be sure to pull through until next

week, when the bill is expected to receive final approval and President Ford's signature.

The Senate had added the \$2.3 billion in loans to an appropriation bill which had previously passed the House, making it necessary for members of the House and Senate Appropriations Committees to meet on a uniform bill which is to be ratified by both chambers early next week.

Conservatives in the House said they would stage a final offensive to cut \$1 billion from the appropriation.

The conferees, meeting around a long, felt-covered table of the House floor, discussed whether to make at least a token cut to show that Congress had no enthusiasm for saving big cities that could not manage their own finances.

Rep. George Mahon, D-Tex., the House appropriations chairman, said a cut would show a little action by the House and Senate.

"From the standpoint of imagery, it might be desirable," he said.

Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis., argued the three-year agreement between New York City and pension fund trustees, banks and unions to restore stability to the city's finances was based on providing the full \$2.3 billion, the amount proposed by President Ford.

"If we shave it," Proxmire said, "it seems to me we're asking for trouble."

Mahon and Rep. Robert Michel, R-Ill., who proposed cutting the loan total, relented. Mahon noted that Congress still retained power to rescind the appropriation if New York City fails to abide

by its promises of fiscal reform.

The conferees agreed to stipulate that hearings would be conducted next spring to see how well the city is performing.

The bill also provides \$1.3 million for the Treasury's expenses administering the loans. Rep. Edward P. Boland, D-Mass., said Congress could refuse to appropriate more for that purpose, noting, "You can't spend money without administrative expenses."

The \$2.3 billion was part of a catchall \$10.3 billion end-of-year appropriations bill but it was the only controversial item in the bill.

Rep. Robert E. Bauman, R-Md., an opponent of aid to New York, told a reporter he would seek to have the bill sent back to the conference when it reaches the floor.

# Moroccans take Sahara

RABAT, Morocco (UPI) — Moroccan troops marched into the capital of Spanish Sahara yesterday and the government of King Hassan II proclaimed the annexation of the mineral-rich African territory.

Neighboring Algeria described the takeover as "monarchist aggression" and closed some of the frontier checkpoints along its border with Morocco.

In Algiers, representatives of the Algerian-backed Polisario Front, which wants independence for the phosphate-rich territory of 88,000, vowed to fight against the Moroccans.

Morocco's national news agency said advance army units entered El Aiun to the cheers of the Saharan population. It said the Saharans pledged allegiance to Hassan.

In Algiers, the Algerian national news agency flashed a report saying 5,000 "monarchist aggression forces have invaded the town of El Aiun."

It said Polisario guerrillas harassed the advancing forces on the way to El Aiun, set off five explosions in the capital and ambushed a Moroccan patrol car.

An estimated 12,000 Moroccan troops have been gradually occupying northeastern areas of Spanish Sahara since Nov. 14 when Spain agreed to hand over the territory to Morocco and Mauritania.

In El Aiun, Moussa Saadi, Moroccan secretary for trade, industry, mines and the merchant navy, and Arsalane el Jadidi, high commissioner for national promotion, proclaimed the annexation of the territory.

But diplomatic observers in Rabat said Morocco is expected to cede an unspecified southern section of the territory to Mauritania in accordance with the agreement with Spain.

Last month, King Hassan sent 350,000 civilian "pilgrims of peace" into Spanish Sahara to back up Morocco's claims to the territory.

# Little fails to show up in Court

RALEIGH, N.C. (UPI) — Joan Little, acquitted in August of the murder of a jailer who she claimed tried to rape her, failed to appear in court yesterday to sign an appeal bond on her breaking and entering conviction.

A warrant for her arrest, issued Wednesday, remained in effect.

Little's attorneys, Jerry

Paul, posted a \$15,000 bond for her earlier in the day, but she was required to appear in person at the state Supreme Court and sign it before it could go into effect.

Paul's appearance at the Beaufort County Courthouse came a day late and the sheriff's department had been alerted to arrest Little Wednesday when Paul failed

to show up there with the bond money.

Little, acquitted last summer of murdering a Beaufort County jailer she claimed had sexually attacked her, has been free on bond while appealing the breaking and entering conviction that had her behind bars at the time the jailer was killed.

But last month the State Court of Appeals rejected her appeal, issued a routine order that she be returned to jail, and then denied a request by her lawyers to delay the commitment.

Chief Supreme Court

Justice Susie Sharp agreed Tuesday to reset bond at the same \$15,000 while the court decides whether to consider the appeal.

But since the Court of Appeals decision remained in effect, Beaufort County officials said they were duty-bound to issue a warrant for Little's arrest.

Little's attorneys had advised Adrian Newton, clerk of the court, that she would be there prior to the usual 5 p.m. closing time to sign the bond.

But she still had not shown up by 5:30, a half-hour later, and the Justice Building was locked for the night.

# No abuse seen in Pgh hospital

PITTSBURGH (AP) — State inspectors toured Kane Hospital yesterday for the second day and reported no evidence of neglect or abuse of elderly patients at the facility.

"We went to the home in response to complainants leveled against it," said Jay E. Laff, regional director of the Health Department's long-term care division.

The team of four registered nurses with "enough ex-

perience to be able to spot any manner of neglect" will finish their inspection today. A final report is due within a few days.

"We looked at the patients, their beds and interviewed them. We found substantially the same deficiencies uncovered during our licensing inspection last July," Laff said.

He reported some problems in the area of patient "dignity" such as missing

separating curtains between the beds and patients without proper bedclothes.

"We have talked to the patients, too," said Laff, adding that his supervisors reported no comment from patients of abuse or neglect.

Meanwhile, Allegheny County Commission Chairman Leonard Staisey demanded that the former Kane employees who reported abuses there prove their allegations.

"We know who the accusers are but we don't know the victims and we don't know who the accused are. If they know somebody who has been victimized they ought to give us the name of the person and let us check the record out..." Staisey said.

Staisey said neither doctors, volunteers or relatives of Kane patients have reported any mistreatment to him.

# Former chief denies Oswald note order

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The former head of the FBI's Dallas bureau yesterday denied ordering the destruction of a threatening note which Lee Harvey Oswald delivered to the bureau shortly before assassinating President John F. Kennedy.

J. Gordon Shanklin, who retired in June, told a House judiciary subcommittee that he did not recall meeting with

agent's supervisor, Kenneth Howe, about the matter.

Hosty has said Shanklin ordered the note destroyed during a meeting on the night of Nov. 24, the day Oswald was killed and two days after the Kennedy murder.

Shanklin denied having the conversation with Horton. He said he first heard of the note when asked about it last July by Thomas Johnson, publisher of the Dallas Times Herald.

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