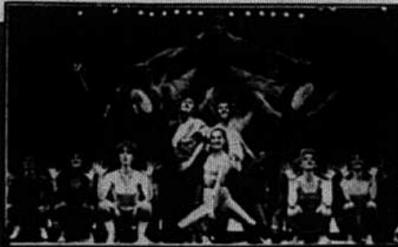


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Senate overrides veto of spending bill

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WASHINGTON — The Republican-controlled Senate, turning its back on President Reagan, today joined the House in overriding his veto of a \$14.2 billion spending bill which now becomes law over Reagan's protests that the legislation will bust his budget. The vote was 60 to 30.

Vice President George Bush presided as the Senate overturned Reagan's veto by exactly the two-third margin required. Combined with the

301-117 House vote to override Thursday, it was the Reagan's first major reversal on an economic measure since he took office.

On the roll call, Republicans deserted the president in droves. Twenty-one of them voted with 39 Democrats to override the veto. Three Democrats — Bennett Johnston and Russell Long of Louisiana and Howell Heflin of Alabama — plus independent Harry Byrd Jr. of Virginia voted with 26 Republicans to sustain the veto.

Vote draws Cannon, Santini back to Washington/4B

In Utah, the president said: "It's a disappointment." Senate Majority Leader Howard H. Baker Jr., R-Tenn., pleaded with senators not to end the partnership between Congress and the president in the drive to "re-establish fiscal integrity."

"This is not the time to end that partnership," Baker said.

"I cannot support the president of the United States on this veto," said Sen. Mark O. Hatfield, R-Ore., chairman of the Appropriations Committee who had shepherded the measure through the Senate and disputed administration claims it was a budget-buster.

Said Sen. Pete V. Domenici, R-N.M., chairman of the Budget Com-

mittee: "I kind of regret that he's (Reagan) been led to believe this is a budget-buster."

"This is a matter of conscience that one cannot avoid," Hatfield said in floor debate shortly before the showdown vote. "There comes a time when conscience and principle transcend loyalty to one's party and one's president."

Hatfield asked his colleagues, "Will the Congress ... kowtow to (budget director) David Stockman ... or will the Congress assert its own

priorities and prerogatives?" Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis., the top Democrat on the Appropriations Committee, declared, "This is not a budget-buster in any way, shape or form."

Hatfield chided "the bean counters" at Stockman's Office of Management and Budget for giving the president "very poor advice."

Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., said the Reagan administration vetoed the bill "as a diversion- Please see VETO/4A

Marines pull out of Beirut

Associated Press

Marching beneath a banner declaring "mission accomplished," the U.S. Marines left war-torn Beirut today after helping police the PLO withdrawal from the Lebanese capital. But in eastern Lebanon, Syrian-Israeli tensions heightened after two straight days of Israeli air raids on Syrian missile batteries.

The last of the 800 Marines who had guarded the port of Beirut as part of a tri-national peacekeeping force left on the troopship USS Manitowoc, which pulled from the dock at 8 a.m. (2 a.m. EDT), exactly on schedule.

Troops from France and Italy, the other two nations involved in the peacekeeping operation, took over the port. The 800 French and 530 Italian soldiers were expected to leave by Sept. 16, but Lebanon's state radio announced today that the government has asked France to keep its forces in Beirut for a week beyond that date.

Both U.S. Ambassador Robert Dillon and Col. James M. Mead, the Marine commander, said they were "very proud" of the job the Marines had done.

The pullout came nine days after the completion of the U.S.-sponsored evacuation of Palestine Liberation Organization guerrillas from their west Beirut stronghold. The guerrillas withdrew and scattered to eight Arab countries in the face of a threatened Israeli invasion of their enclave.

In a related development, Arab leaders meeting in Fez, Morocco Thursday issued the first collective Arab proposal for peace with Israel since creation of the Jewish state in 1948. The plan was promptly denounced by Israel.

In a statement issued today, the Israeli Foreign Ministry said the plan was "useless" and could not be taken seriously.



Associated Press

BACK BEFORE THE PUBLIC - Ling-Ling, the female giant panda at the National Zoo in Washington, munches on a carrot while in isolation recently. Zoo officials who have been trying for a decade to get the panda pregnant, this time through artificial insemination, declared the measure a failure recently and the panda house was reopened to viewers Thursday.

Moran ahead of McCarthy in race for sheriff

By James Kastelic
Review-Journal

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Democratic challenger John Moran would trounce Clark County Sheriff John McCarthy by a 26 percent margin if the general election were held today, a countywide poll indicates.

Commissioned by the Review-Journal, the poll shows Moran with a 38 percent lead over his nearest primary rival, Beecher Avants (56 percent to 18 percent). Longshot Larry Hennessey drew only 2 percent of the Democratic sampling and 24 percent were undecided. Political neophyte Dan Draken backed out of the race last week and jumped on the Hennessey bandwagon.

With only three days before the primary and 60 percent of the Republicans surveyed supporting him, McCarthy is ahead of Republican challengers Jack Weaver and Dale Davis by sizeable margins. Four per-

Nevada POLL

cent of the Republicans surveyed said they supported Weaver, while 3 percent said they were backing Davis. A whopping 33 percent were still undecided.

But the poll reveals McCarthy — who unseated Ralph Lamb in a 1978 landslide — is in serious trouble.

When asked who they would vote for, between McCarthy and Moran, 55 percent of the voters surveyed said they favored the former Las Vegas police chief and 29 percent backed the sheriff. The remaining 16 percent were uncertain.

Moran was shown beating McCarthy in all demographic categories. Please see POLL/4A

Officials claim lake standards too costly

By Ed Vogel
Review-Journal

Angry Las Vegas city officials complained Thursday that Lake Mead water quality standards abruptly adopted by the state Environmental Commission may cost taxpayers \$100 million in unnecessary wastewater treatment costs.

"The entire valley's future is at stake and they have a plane to catch," said Joe Karaganis, attorney for the city of Las Vegas, after commissioners ignored his pleas and passed three-year Lake Mead standards. "We're talking \$100 million."

City attorney George Ogilvie said he may go into federal court to seek an order overturning the standards hurriedly approved by commissioners struggling to catch a 6:40 p.m.

Reno-bound plane. Testimony already had run nine hours.

"This hearing is over," an angry Commission Chairman John Fransway told Karaganis. "These little things you're talking about aren't worth anything and only cost people a bunch of money."

Commissioner Pete Morros said members tried to give Las Vegas officials almost everything they wanted and "all they wanted is more."

In fact, Fransway earlier referred to compromises made by Lewis Dodgion, administrator of the state Department of Environmental Protection, as "Lew's cave-in."

Dodgion has been ordered by Gov. Robert List to support less stringent standards. Please see WATER/4A

Grand jury investigating former Sheriff Lamb



RALPH LAMB
former sheriff



EATHEL 'TEX' GATES
subpoenaed

By Jane Ann Morrison
Review-Journal

Ethel "Tex" Gates, the former Clark County business license director convicted of extortion in 1979, has been subpoenaed to appear before a federal grand jury next week.

Sources said Thursday he is expected to be questioned about the activities of former Sheriff Ralph Lamb, who appointed Gates to the powerful licensing post in 1969.

Gates is living at the West Glenn Center, a halfway house in North Las Vegas, and is scheduled to be paroled Nov. 11.

He was convicted of accepting \$137,000 in kickbacks from Las Vegas businessman David Bliss during a three-year period, and sources say federal officials are interested in whether some of the money may have ended up in

Lamb's pocket.

Lamb was sheriff of Clark County for 17 years until he lost a bid for re-election to Sheriff John McCarthy four years ago.

This probe is separate from the Operation Yobo investigation into political corruption in Nevada, which has targeted Lamb's brother, state Sen. Floyd Lamb.

Gates' attorney, John Faden, said he neither could confirm nor deny Gates has been subpoenaed, and federal officials refused comment.

The U.S. Attorney's office recently stopped subpoenaing grand jury witnesses because of a lack of money to pay fees and mileage costs. The shortage is expected to last until Oct. 1, when the new fiscal year begins.

However, it is believed an exception to the freeze on subpoenaing

witnesses has been made for Gates.

If he refuses to answer questions, sources believe the government will seek an immunity order so Gates can freely testify without worrying about incriminating himself.

If he refuses to testify after being granted immunity, he can be held in contempt of court and jailed for the duration of the grand jury's 18-month term.

Following his April 24, 1979, conviction on 62 counts of extortion, one perjury count and one obstruction of justice charge, Gates remained free on bond while the verdict was appealed.

But when the appeal process ran the gamut, he began serving his prison sentence June 23, 1980.

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Poll

From 1A

specifically political philosophy, age groups and income brackets. Seventy-one percent of those characterized as liberal said they favored Moran and only 16 percent said they would vote for McCarthy.

Asked to choose between McCarthy and Avanta, 41 percent of the Republicans and Democrats went with McCarthy and 39 percent favored the district attorney's chief investigator. Twenty percent did not name a favorite.

"I'm not surprised," McCarthy acknowledged Thursday in an interview. "I'm more surprised at the Democratic thing between Moran and Avanta. I thought Avanta would do a lot better than that."

The sheriff pointed out he has been busy with law enforcement duties and has chosen not to respond to "some pretty good shots" from opponents for fear of "showing my cards too early."

"We haven't done anything," McCarthy admitted. "But wait until after the primary when I only have one opponent to contend with. He better watch out."

McCarthy said he refused to launch a campaign six months before the primary like his opponents.

"It's been difficult trying to hold back and maintain that posture while the Metropolitan Police Department and me are being the targets."

Furthermore, McCarthy said he doesn't place much stock in political polls unless he knows all the variables, nor does he consider them all that important.

"A poll is a poll. The best poll will be on Tuesday. After Tuesday, my strategy will depend on who my opponent is. Tell anyone to (bet) all the money they want against me. I'm going to win. I don't have any doubt about that."

As can be expected, Moran was heartened — but not overly excited — by the poll results.

DEMOCRATIC CLARK COUNTY SHERIFF PRIMARY				
Candidate	Moran	Avanta	Others	Undecided
Total	56%	18%	2%	24%
SEX				
Male	56%	18%	1%	25%
Female	56%	18%	2%	24%
ORIENTATION				
Conservative	71%	15%	0%	14%
Moderate	54%	19%	1%	26%
Liberal	47%	20%	5%	28%
AGE				
18-30	60%	24%	2%	14%
31-50	57%	19%	3%	21%
51-64	58%	14%	0%	28%
65 and older	48%	18%	0%	34%
INCOME				
Under \$20,000	51%	21%	0%	28%
\$20,000-\$40,000	59%	20%	1%	20%
\$40,000 and over	64%	16%	0%	20%
HYPOTHETICAL CLARK COUNTY GENERAL ELECTION				
Candidate	Moran	McCarthy	Undecided	
Total	55%	29%	16%	
SEX				
Male	62%	28%	10%	
Female	49%	29%	22%	
ORIENTATION				
Conservative	56%	34%	10%	
Moderate	49%	30%	21%	
Liberal	71%	16%	13%	
AGE				
18-30	47%	24%	29%	
31-50	61%	27%	12%	
51-64	59%	28%	13%	
65 and older	48%	36%	16%	
INCOME				
Under \$20,000	50%	26%	24%	
\$20,000-\$40,000	60%	28%	12%	
\$40,000 and over	50%	36%	14%	

"I feel good. If I can just keep the momentum going, I'll do fine. I feel I am stronger than either one (McCarthy or Avanta)."

"I believe the public feels there's a need for stronger leadership in the Metropolitan Police Department. They're looking for a change. I've talked about issues — reorganization of the department, senior citizen programs, plans to attack prostitution. I've covered issues that are of great concern to the people of Clark County. That's the reason I'm doing so well."

Moran said no other candidate has developed in-depth programs to reduce crime like he has.

Avanta was more disbelieving about the poll, saying it goes against what he hears from voters as well as what he sees in his own voter surveys.

"I don't see him (Moran) to be as strong as the poll indicates, not with what the people I'm seeing on a daily basis tell me. And that's literally hundreds of people."

What's more, Avanta said, a 1978 poll that showed Lamb ahead of McCarthy three days before the general election turned out to be a lousy indicator of the final outcome.

"He (Lamb) got wiped out by a 3 to 1 margin," said Avanta.

Veto

From 1A

ary tactic to draw attention away from their support last month of the large tax increase bill.

At Reagan's request, Sen. Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, on whose behalf the president was campaigning in Utah, flew back to Washington to be on hand for the crucial Senate vote.

Hatch said Reagan told him in a hotel room Thursday night: "Orrin, I'd really appreciate it if you'd go back." The senator said he replied, "I'll be glad to."

Sen. Bob Dole, R-Kan., chairman of the Finance Committee who made campaign appearances Thursday with Reagan in Kansas, asked his colleagues to support the veto because an override might "cause a pause and people might wonder if the president had been weakened."

Before the vote, Baker said a defeat "would be a serious loss for the president."

Domenici, though, denied the vote has "fractured the discipline we have shown" in reducing federal spending.

The loss was a qualified defeat for Reagan.

Overriding the veto preserves \$350 million the president wanted for his Caribbean Basin initiative of developmental aid to Caribbean and Central-American nations.

Congress' action also averts a potential financial crisis that could have left the nation's 3 million military personnel with a payless payday and forced thousands of other federal employees to be furloughed.

Even before the vote, Reagan vowed to stand firm against any congressional "attempt to bust the bud-



Associated Press

VETO OVERRIDE - House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill Jr. of Massachusetts, left, and House Minority Leader Jim Wright of Texas face reporters shortly after the Democratic-controlled House dealt President Reagan his first major reversal on an economic issue Thursday on Capitol Hill.

get."

"I promised to curb spending and maintain the national defense and I'm going to keep my promises," Reagan said Thursday after the surprise House vote, in which 81 Republicans defected to the Democratic cause.

Baker, who spoke with the president several times during the night, sounded grim before the vote as he predicted a substantial GOP vote to override Reagan's veto in the Senate, which had passed the bill Aug.

21 on a voice vote.

Reagan has cast eight vetoes since he took office. This is only the second that has been overturned. In July, Congress overrode the president's veto of a measure amending the copyright law.

In the House, 81 Republicans joined 220 Democrats in voting to override the veto, which House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., D-Mass., called a "dastardly-political move by a man with a stone heart."

Water

From 1A

Lake Mead water quality wastewater treatment requirements endorsed by Las Vegas and Clark County officials.

For months, local officials have claimed strict standards could force them to construct \$350 million in new wastewater treatment plants.

"The department is proposing the standards which the city has demanded repeatedly," Dodgion said early in the meeting.

In particular, he said the state backs a standard that would allow treatment plants to send twice as much phosphorus to flow into Lake Mead than currently permitted by the Environmental Protection Agency.

"We have discussed it with the EPA representatives. I think we can justify it and make our recommendations hold up."

Nevertheless, City Commissioner Paul Christensen and Karaganis tore into Dodgion once they stepped to the podium.

"The only time we can discuss these things with Mr. Dodgion is with a hammer over his head," Christensen said. "As late as yesterday, he refused to discuss it with us."

In an interview, Dodgion said he has been waiting for a call from Karaganis for weeks. The call didn't come until Tuesday when his staff was bogged down on other matters, he said. During an Aug. 19 meeting,

commissioners ordered the two to meet and resolve their differences.

During the long hearing, Karaganis frequently called on water consultants who claimed Dodgion's proposals were unattainable and even somewhat ludicrous.

For example, consultant Gordon Culp said fecal coliform standards proposed by Dodgion "can't be attained unless you put a lot of diapers on ducks."

Karaganis also ripped apart a current standard that requires summer temperatures in Lake Mead never to exceed 65 degrees.

"The temperatures approach 86 degrees at the surface," Karaganis said. "The lake doesn't understand the law."

Probe

From 1A

About half his time was served in Terminal Island, Calif., and the rest was spent in a minimum-security federal facility in Boron, Calif.

He was released to the North Las Vegas halfway house June 30, after completing two years in the federal facilities.

Well-behaved federal prisoners normally are allowed out after serving one-third of their sentences be-

cause of the federal good-time law.

At West Glenn, residents are allowed out during the day and are supposed to either get work or look for work. By 11 p.m., the residents are required to be back at the center and no visitors are allowed in the four-person apartments.

Federal officials hope the taste of freedom Gates has received may turn him into a more cooperative witness. Since his legal troubles be-

gan, he consistently has refused to talk about plea bargains with government prosecutors. He has been a longtime personal friend of the former sheriff.

Ralph Lamb was indicted on tax evasion charges for 1970 through 1972, but was acquitted by U.S. District Judge Roger Foley.

Floyd Lamb also was indicted and found innocent by Foley on tax evasion charges for 1969 through 1972.

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