

# YANKES TAKE 6 TO 0 LEAD OVER BROOKLYN



**SENT HOME**—Capt. John G. Crommelin, former skipper of an aircraft carrier in the Pacific theater, arrives at his northwest Washington home; suspended (106-49) and ordered restricted to his quarters by Adm. John Dale Price, vice chief of naval operations, as a result of his distribution to the press of what the navy called "confidential" letters from three admirals about the state of Navy morale.

## In the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

**FROM** Washington: President Truman today signed a bill providing \$5,800,000, 000 (five billion, eight hundred and nine million dollars) to carry on the foreign aid program until next June 30.

**HOPE** it works. We all hope it works. If it doesn't, we're out a lot of cash and in for a lot of trouble.

What we're trying to do is to share our prosperity (which, by comparison with the rest of the world, is great) with our friends until they can get back on their feet and become prosperous in their own right.

Paste this in your hat: NEVER SINCE THE WORLD BEGAN was a more generous

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## Yoncalla Annexation Election Is Monday

There will be a special election in the Yoncalla city hall Monday Oct. 10, from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m., for registered voters of the city to vote on:

The annexing of all the property north of Scotts Valley road, west of Pacific Highway, east of Yoncalla cemetery, and south of city limits containing 14.40 acres.

O. F. Thiel and Mrs. Fred Kruse will serve as judges and Mrs. Bernice Mideke as clerk of this election.

## Drunk Driving Charge Brings Jail Term, Fine

Thelma Smith, 31, Idleyid, arrested by city police on a drunk driving charge, was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail and fined \$200 upon arraignment in justice court, reported Justice of Peace A. J. Geddes. Her driver's license was recommended revoked for one year.

## Senate Takes Brief Breather After Passing Once-Defeated Flexible Price Support Bill

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—(AP)—The Senate took a short breather today in its efforts to pass a new farm bill, after accepting the flexible price support program it once had rejected.

A late-hour tangle on amendments last night put off final action until Monday, following the 45-to-26 defeat of an attempt to write in a high-support provision for basic crops.

That provision — calling for government price props at 90 per cent of parity for such farm products as cotton, wheat, corn, rice and peanuts — has had a checkered history in this session of Congress.

It is the keystone of a House-approved measure which the Senate thus far has ignored in favor of a bill written by Senator Anderson (D-N. M.). The Anderson bill calls for supports of basic crops varying from 75 to 90 per cent, depending on available supplies.

Last Tuesday, Senators Young (R-N. D.) and Russell (D-Ga.) asked the Senate to throw out Anderson's flexible support plan for the 90 per cent provision. The Senate turned that down.

## Votes to Reconsider

Then it voted to reconsider. On the second vote, it approved the Young-Russell amendment on a tie which was broken by the vote of Vice President Barkley. Harried senate leaders succeeded in having the bill returned to the Agriculture committee for re-writing.

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## The Weather

Mostly cloudy today and Sunday.

Sunset tonight 5:43 p. m.

Sunrise tomorrow 6:19 a. m.

Established 1873

# Sec. Vinson Charges Navy Expense Will Be Cut In Half

## Secret Orders At Pentagon Are Revealed

'Scuttling' Of Navy's Strength Investigation Brings Out Information

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—(AP)—Chairman Vinson (D-Ga.) of the House Armed Services committee said today the defense department has decided to cut naval and marine aviation "about in half."

Vinson's report of "secret orders" at the Pentagon came as the committee dug grimly into "disturbing" reports that defense chiefs are scuttling the navy's air arm.

The armed services chairman said further that he has it on reliable authority that the air force has taken the position that no large aircraft carriers or their air groups should be kept in the navy.

Vinson spoke up as his committee started another day's hearing to get to the bottom of friction in the armed services.

## Admiral Explains

Before the committee was Rear Adm. Herbert C. Hopwood, navy budget officer, to explain the navy's financial position.

Hopwood was called to tell what is happening to funds earmarked by Congress for naval air.

That inquiry follows up navy charges yesterday of air force bunting and plotting.

Vinson himself reeled off figures from this year's appropriation for the navy—which Congress has not finally decided.

These, he said, show cuts for

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## Longshoremen Win CIO Support; Reject Bridges

BEND, Ore., Oct. 8.—(AP)—Longshoremen won support from the Oregon CIO convention here yesterday, but delegates figuratively turned their backs on Harry Bridges, the Longshore leader.

They rejected a resolution calling for the federal government to withdraw its perjury charges against Bridges. They thus followed the recommendation of the state CIO executive board.

Portland Longshoremen, who offered the resolution, argued that the perjury charge was part of an attempt to weaken their union.

Opponents, rebelling against what they called "Left-wingers... agents of a foreign nation," denied the case had any effect on the Longshore rank-and-file.

They then complimented the Longshoremen for their "militant conduct" of the Hawaiian dock strike, and called it a "noble victory."

There was brief mention of the bareheaded "hot cargo" pineapple at the Dalles, but no indication as to whether Longshoremen would be willing to allow unloading now that the Hawaiian strike virtually is settled.

## \$2,500 Bail Established On Car Theft Charges

Bail of \$2,500 was set for each of four youths, arraigned Friday before Justice of Peace A. J. Geddes on charges of larceny of an automobile.

They are listed as William Arthur Cline, 19, of Anacortes, Wash., Charles Ronald Baskett, David Paul Ceccardelli and Cecil Marion Lohse, all 15, of Seattle.

According to Police Sgt. Lyle Harrell they were arrested in possession of a car owned by Clyde Karlstrom of Drain, upon a routine check of traffic by state police.

## Northwest Senators Oppose Bill Amendment

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—(AP)—Pacific Northwest senators voted solidly yesterday with the majority as the Senate rejected an amendment calling for mandatory price supports at 90 per cent of parity on basic farm crops, cotton, wheat, corn, tobacco, rice and peanuts.

Listed as voting against the amendment were Republican Senators Morse and Cordon of Oregon and Cain of Washington and Democratic Senator Magnuson of Washington.

## Drunk Driving Charge Lands Man In Jail

Frank G. Graham, 68, Melrose route, was booked by state police at the county jail last night on a charge of drunken driving.

## BPW Membership Plans Observation Of National Week

Attendance by members of the Roseburg Business and Professional Women's club at St. George's Episcopal church Sunday morning, will mark the opening of the local observation of the 15th annual National Business and Professional Women's week.

Other events scheduled during the week:

Homecoming dinner meeting at 6:45 Monday at the Roseburg Country club, with past presidents of the Roseburg Business and Professional Women's club in charge. (Reservations should be made by 9 a. m. Monday.)

No-hostess luncheon at the Hotel Umpqua Tuesday noon.

Card party in the recreation hall at the Roseburg Veterans hospital Tuesday evening.

Radio broadcast by Mrs. Stella Spencer, radio chairman of the Roseburg Business and Professional Women's club, over KRNR at 3 p. m. Friday.

## Chamber Of Commerce Committees To Report

Reports on committee activities of the Roseburg Chamber of Commerce will be given at Monday's forum luncheon in place of the previously-announced program devoted to activities of the State Game commission.

Committee reports will be given by the airport, highway, civic affairs, forum, and transportation, and publicity committees, announced George Luoma, forum chairman.

The luncheon will be at noon in the Hotel Umpqua Civic room. The public is invited.

## Another Hog Cholera Report Is Turned In

PORTLAND, Oct. 8.—(AP)—Another report of hog cholera—the fourth in Oregon in the last three months—came in today from Clackamas county.

Dr. Charles Haynes, state veterinarian, said the hogs all were from the same farm. The disease was detected when they showed up at a slaughter house. The meat was condemned, the farm placed under quarantine.

The earlier outbreaks were in the Portland, Eugene and Klamath Falls areas.

## Youths Draw Fine, Jail Sentence For Larceny

Two Roseburg youths were each fined \$50 and sentenced to 10 days in the county jail, upon pleas of guilty to petty larceny charges, when arraigned in justice court Friday.

Justice of Peace A. J. Geddes listed them as Jesse Franklin Heagy, 21, and Miles Clifford Heagy, 19. They were arrested Thursday by state police while allegedly taking parts from an automobile at the Doyle's Sales and Service, Pacific Highway at Garden Valley road, according to State Police Sgt. Lyle Harrell.

## Thug's House Cleaning Too Much For Little Girl

BOSTON, Oct. 8.—(AP)—The three men who told six-year-old Martha Murray they were going to "clean" her house were right—they did.

Martha greeted her mother, Mrs. Margaret Murray, on return from a shopping trip yesterday with this inquiry: "Mummy, why are we having our house cleaned out?"

Pressed further, the child explained that the men had entered and told her they were going to "clean out the place."

Mrs. Murray discovered \$126 in cash and \$26 radio missing from the apartment.

## Wakened Crossarm Is Cause Of Power Failure

Wakened cross-arm bolts on a pole of Copco's main transmission line between here and Prospect gave way last night, allowing the wires to dip and touch the guy cables. That was the cause of the sudden blackout which plunged much of this area into complete darkness at about 9:20, officials of the California-Oregon Power company said.

The break in the line occurred near the Henry Tyson place above Drew, the officials stated. Line crews of the company were sent to the scene last night to repair the damage. They completed their task early this morning.

Electrical service was restored to most of Roseburg 27 minutes after the lights suddenly flickered out, by cutting in on another line, permitting current from the Mountain States Power company to illuminate this area.

## Coal Talks To Resume

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—(AP)—Prodded by the government, soft coal operators moved today to resume contract talks with John L. Lewis in an effort to end the 20-day-old mine strike.

## Power Projects Compromise Bill Awaits President

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—(AP)—A compromise \$584,000,000 interior department appropriation bill awaited President Truman's signature today. It contains more than \$100,000,000 for Pacific Northwest projects.

The Senate completed congressional action late yesterday on the measure, amending it by voice vote. The House had given its OK earlier.

Largest single item in the bill is \$354,014,510 for the reclamation bureau. The major share of this money—\$68,000,000—will be used for Columbia basin development. The Bonneville Power administration will receive \$30,284,500.

Other appropriations for projects in this area include: Deschutes, Ore., \$1,313,750; Yakima Roza division, Wash., \$387,833; Klamath, Ore.-Calif., \$803,460.

The money for the interior department, which has been operating under stop-gap resolutions passed by Congress, is the fiscal year beginning last July 1.

## Escapes Plead On Car Theft; Sentencing Later

Willie Welton Hughes and his son, Carroll Hughes, pleaded guilty to charges of larceny of an automobile upon arraignment before Circuit Judge William E. East Friday.

The two were accused of stealing the automobile the night of their alleged escape from the Douglas County jail Friday, Sept. 30, in company with four other prisoners. They were apprehended later that night north of Winchester along the railroad track near Deedy.

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## High School Students Hospitalized In Accident

Two high school students were injured and sent to Mercy hospital last night, when their automobile struck a soft shoulder of the North Umpqua road, went out of control and into a ditch on the opposite side of the highway.

State Police Sgt. Lyle H. Harrell said Robert Lawrence Sullivan, 16, of Roseburg, suffered lacerations of his head and knees and a fractured rib, and Betty Jean Post, 15, Winston, received lacerations of the face and legs and a fractured ankle.

Two other passengers in the car, Dorothy Hunter, 15, and Dean McFarland, 15, were not injured.

The accident occurred one mile east of the city limits at 12:45 a. m. the sergeant reported.

## Pacific International Livestock Judging Starts

PORTLAND, Oct. 8.—(AP)—Judging contests began today at the Pacific International Livestock exposition for 4-H club and F. F. A. members.

The annual show opened last night with first awards going to Oregon wool exhibitors.

J. F. Short, Redmond, had the grand championship fleece. He also won last year. Bill Case, Albany, entered the grand champion 4-H fleece. Dave Lingfer, Peasider, had the top F. F. A. fleece.

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## Peas of guilty were entered by two other men, arraigned before Judge East Friday, Phil Halstead, held on a charge of writing checks with insufficient funds, was sentenced to one year in the state penitentiary, but was released on probation.

Charles Kepner, pleaded guilty to a larceny charge. He was sentenced by Judge East to six months in the state penitentiary, to run concurrently with another sentence of six months to which he was sentenced by Judge Carl E. Wimberly on a non-support charge.

Judge East also revoked the probation of Richard Backus. He had been sentenced to the state penitentiary on a larceny charge, but was released upon probation. He was remanded to the custody of the sheriff and sentenced to serve one year in the penitentiary.

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## AFL Begins Plan To Carve CIO's 1950 Membership

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 8.—(AP)—The AFL today embarked on a plan to carve huge membership chunks from the CIO toward achieving a figured 1,000,000-member gain in 1950.

Key officials of the American Federation of Labor said privately they expect to pick up big parts of CIO unions, when the factional scrap in the CIO comes to a head, as may happen soon.

A showdown between the CIO's left wing and the right wing elements is shaping up for convention at Cleveland later this month. CIO President Philip Murray has threatened his left wing union leaders with expulsion.

Labor circles expect the result to be splintering the CIO's major unions, with the CIO trying to salvage as many members as possible and repudiated left wing leaders trying to drag large membership groups from the CIO.

Officials of the rival AFL in annual convention here, are looking forward to an expected CIO civil war with glee. They say they hope to woo big CIO segments into AFL ranks as a result of the split.

That's what is behind the announced AFL goal to pick up a million new members next year to boost AFL political power in the 1950 elections.

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## Stolen Roseburg Car Is Recovered At Grants Pass

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## Women Invited To Dance At Veterans Hospital

All ladies of the community are invited to attend a dance to be held at the Roseburg Veterans hospital Monday under sponsorship of the VFW Auxiliary. The dance will be at 8 o'clock in the recreation hall.

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That was a hint he may leave Canton to its fate. His 200,000-man army is the best left to the Nationalists on the Chinese mainland.

In the hour of Canton's ordeal, there was considerable diplomatic maneuvering.

A well-informed commonwealth diplomat in London said Britain will recognize the newly established Chinese communist regime in Peiping, India was expected to

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## Diamond Vendor Leaves Sample Case On Sidewalk

ELIZABETH, N. J., Oct. 8.—(AP)—Selmar Hilborn, a New York industrial diamond salesman, was thinking of something else yesterday when he set down his suitcase to unlock his car.

Hilborn got in the car and drove off, leaving the suitcase sitting on the sidewalk.

The salesman missed the case about 15 minutes later. He came back posthaste. Luckily, the customer he had just finished calling on had found it and kept it for him.

It was full of diamonds.

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## Nordin Lumber Company Mill Installs New Push-Button Carriage On North Myrtle

"All ya gotta do is push the button!" That about sums up the ease of operation of a new sawmill carriage control unit installed at the Nordin Lumber company mill near Myrtle Creek.

A new development in hydraulic-electric set works, the machine features automatic setting for standard dimensions up to 12 inches and a master control for receding and setting knees up to the cut. A master dog and three boss dogs operate from the same power unit and are also sawyer controlled in the Nordin installation.

Harmon Auston, company manager and veteran sawyer, who took over at the sawyer's stick for the first week's test run, commended, "That's the easiest rig I've ever sawed with. All you have to do is set up the first cut and the machine does the rest of the figuring for you.

As an added advantage, it is no longer necessary to coordinate sawyer, setter, and dogger, since the controls are at the sawyer's finger tips.

This is the first machine installed by its developers, Calvert Machine service, in this area.

## Lovly Fact Ram

Oregon's deer hunting season is also a noticeable get-acquainted month: A lot of hunters are meeting justices of the peace they never heard of before.

## 3 Runs Cross Plate In 4th, 5th Innings

Hatten Takes Over Mound In 4th Inning; Lopat Hurts Yankees

EBBETS FIELD, N. Y., Oct. 8. (Special)—Scoring three runs in the fourth and three more in the fifth, the New York Yankees took a commanding 6-0 lead over the Brooklyn Dodgers at press time today.

In the fourth inning Mapes doubled just inside the left field corner to score Brown, who had doubled, and Woodling, who walked. Mapes came home on a double by Lopat, after which Hatten replaced Newcombe on the mound for the Dodgers.

In the fifth inning Brown rifled a three-bagger down the right field line, scoring Henrich, Berra and DiMaggio, to put the Yankees ahead 6-0. Previously Henrich had walked, Berra singled past Hodges, sending Henrich to second. DiMaggio was purposely passed to load the bases.

## Western Projects Chances Dim In Omnibus Measure

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—(AP)—Chances appeared dim today for inclusion of \$175,000,000 worth of western reclamation projects in the Omnibus rivers and Harbors Authorization bill.

The bulk of the projects are in Washington, Oregon and Idaho. A few are in Montana and Wyoming.

A change of signals by the Senate Public Works committee sent the Omnibus bill to the Senate yesterday without the Reclamation Bureau list.

The committee had tentatively approved the projects Thursday, but later decided to refer them to the Senate Interior committee which meets Monday. Though no Interior committee member would comment officially, it was reported the group would not recommend adding the projects to the Omnibus measure.

The Public Works committee also shunted a proposal by Sens. Magnuson (D-Wash.) and Cain (R-Wash.) to the Interior committee.

The Washington senators asked establishment of a Columbia Basin account, to which all power revenues would be paid. Out of the account would come costs allocated to power. These expenditures would include most of the projects in the \$175,000,000 list which are for irrigation and could not be paid for by water users without aid from power revenues.

This plan, too, was reported doomed in the Interior committee on grounds it would force an increase in Pacific Northwest power rates. The Bonneville Power administration's present rate is \$17.50 per kilowatt year.

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