

Six Of 7 Inmates Captured

ATASCADERO, Calif. (UPI) — Six of seven mentally ill men who escaped Friday night from the Atascadero State Hospital have been captured, but the seventh—described as potentially the most dangerous—was still at large.

He is Albert Langenecker, 23, a sexual psychopath, according to hospital attendants.

Three of the escapees were caught on the outskirts of Los Angeles Sunday when they crashed their stolen car into a brick wall during a high speed chase by police.

Three others of the escapees had been recaptured earlier.

The men captured Sunday were Joaquin Lopez, 35; Robert C. Anaya, 22, and Leroy Tapia, 25. Both Lopez and Anaya suffered critical injuries in the crash. Tapia suffered only minor injuries.

Motorcycle officers began chasing the men's car when it went through a red light in the Highland Park area of Los Angeles, about 200 miles south of here.

The chase reached speeds of up to more than 100 miles an hour before the car went out of control, skidded 240 feet into a steel post on a traffic island and then slammed into the brick retaining wall.

On Saturday two other escapees surrendered. They were Jesse Reyes, 23, and Charles Lotstsch, 21. Another, Mason Alston, 22, was captured about 15 miles from the hospital, also on Saturday.

The men had escaped by hacking through a ventilator cover in the building where they were quarantined.

Rockefeller Calls For Resumption Of A-Testing

NEW YORK (UPI)—New York Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller Sunday night called for resumption of nuclear weapons testing.

Rockefeller's position put him at odds with apparent administration policy and with the position of many leading nuclear scientists.

"I think that we cannot afford to fall behind in the advanced techniques of the use of nuclear material," Rockefeller said on the television program "Youth Wants To Know."

He discounted the danger from nuclear fallout, but urged that testing be done underground to reduce the possibility of contaminating the air with fallout.

The Republican governor's statement came two days before the scheduled resumption of discussions in Geneva between the United States, Great Britain and the Soviet Union on a treaty to end nuclear weapons testing permanently.

Velma West Of Flapper Era Dies Behind Gray Walls

MARYSVILLE, Ohio (UPI) — Flapper-era husband killer Velma West, 53, who couldn't stand small town life because she was a "12 o'clock girl" in a 9 o'clock town, was buried today in this quiet community of 3,000.

The once-attractive blonde died Saturday in Marysville Women's Reformatory where she had spent the last 32 years of her life for the bludgeoning slaying of her husband in 1927.

A requiem mass was celebrated in our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church. She was buried in the Paris Cemetery.

Mrs. West gained nationwide notoriety in the roaring 20's when she killed her society husband, Thomas Edward West, because he wouldn't let her have the car to drive from the small northern Ohio town of Perry where they lived to Cleveland for a bridge party.

"She calmly drove to the bridge party following the murder."

The slaying occurred not many months after West, a 200-pound seion of a wealthy family, brought his bride to the small town. But Velma was never happy.

"I was a 12 o'clock girl in a 9 o'clock town," she told all her friends.

Mrs. West had one brief fling at freedom in 1939 when she escaped from the prison. But it was short lived. Forty days after escaping she was captured in Dallas, Tex., and returned.

Friendship Between Brazil, U.S. Reaches Strained Stage

By PHIL NEWSOM
UPI Foreign Editor

The traditional bonds of friendship between the United States and Brazil are in for some severe strains in the coming months.

Some will be the results of next year's election campaign in which Brazilian Nationalists and the nation's strong Communist Party both will indulge in their favorite sport of flailing the Yankee whipping boy.

The other will spring from Brazil's always-peculiar economy and her attempts to cure those economic ills through flirtations with the Soviet Union and the satellites and with Red China.

A hint of things to come was seen in a recent warning by the

Neuberger, Morse Feud 'Irreparable'

PORTLAND (UPI)—Sen. Wayne L. Morse (D-Ore.) termed his breach with Sen. Richard Neuberger (D-Ore.) "irreparable" on a television interview here Sunday.

Morse said the feud was caused by differences over issues rather than personalities. He singled out Neuberger's support of the federal gasoline tax as the most striking difference. Morse said he was strongly opposed to the tax and had worked hard for the reduction of federal excise taxes.

Morse said he felt the gasoline tax could possibly lead to a federal sales tax.

Campaign Discussed

When asked by moderator Tom McDall on the program "viewpoint" about his campaign plans for the Oregon Democratic presidential nomination, Morse said he would call together his Democratic advisers to discuss an all-out campaign as a favor to his name was placed on the Oregon primary ballot.

He said he was certain some of his supporters would file his name with Secretary of State Howell Appling for the May ballot, even though he had requested not to be placed on the ballot.

He explained that he would stage an "all-out campaign" because he would not want to make a "poor showing" in the primary. He implied that he would be up for reelection for senator in 1962.

"No Illusions"

Morse said if he won the primary he would go to the national convention with "no illusions" that he would be nominated. He said, however, if he did win the primary it would help Oregon influence writing of the platform and in the selection of the presidential nominee.

When asked of other Democratic candidates, he repeated opposition to Sens. John Kennedy (Mass.) and Hubert Humphrey (Minn.).

He criticized Humphrey for his stand on civil rights and Kennedy for his co-sponsorship of the Kennedy-Landrum-Griffin labor bill.

Elvis Is Hospitalized With Throat Ailment

FRANKFURT, Germany (UPI) — Elvis Presley, hospitalized with a throat infection, is progressing satisfactorily, an army spokesman reported today.

The rock 'n' roll singer "should be out of the hospital by the end of the week," the spokesman said. Doctors apparently decided against removing Presley's tonsils.

An officer of the 3rd Armored Division said Presley was suffering "from a mild throat infection similar to the one he had four months ago." Presley spent a week in the hospital then.

Presley's only visitor thus far at the U.S. Army hospital here has been his father.

GOP Heads Set Confab

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—The six western Republican governors and some 1,500 GOP leaders will hold a four-day conference in Los Angeles starting Nov. 12.

Edward S. Shattuck, California Republican National Committee man, said the conference would be aimed at drafting a "bold program to attain a sweeping victory for the Republican party in every western state in 1960."

RELATIONS NOW NORMAL

CAIRO (UPI)—Cairo newspaper Sunday proclaimed a "return to normality" in relations between Communist China and the United Arab Republic. They said the U.A.R. charge d'affaires would return to Peiping soon.

U. S. Ambassador to Brazil, John M. Cabot, that overtures to the Communists could wreck the present "fruitful collaboration" between the two nations.

Speke Hard Truths

Cabot spoke only hard truths. The U. S. not only is Brazil's biggest buyer but it also has the greatest foreign investment in Brazil.

U. S. dollar aid was the main factor in preventing Brazil from going broke long before now.

Any close alignment with the Communist nations not only would be distasteful to the U.S. economically, it also would present a strategic threat. Brazil now has an agreement with the U.S. permitting U.S. missile tracking stations on Brazilian soil.

Despite optimistic Brazilian statements about the nation's financial condition, these are some of the conditions now existing.

Brazil ended the first half of 1959 with a balance of payments deficit of 150 million dollars.

Searching For Funds

This year she must service the government's foreign debt to the tune of 250 million dollars.

Critics of the government contend that these developments simply stave off the evil day for the Brazilian economy, unless Brazil is willing to install a harsh austerity program.

Meanwhile, in a desperate search for new funds, the government has begun to look toward the Communist nations.

Inside Brazil, Nationalist and Communist forces are clamoring for legislation which would bear down heavily on the 500 million dollars in U.S. money already invested there.

Willow PTA Holds Annual Pot-Luck Fete

The Willow School Parent Teacher Association held its third annual pot-luck supper recently with approximately 150 people in attendance.

Tables were attractively decorated in an autumn motif for the occasion.

The program which followed was opened with musical selections by "The Saints," a dance band made up of Bill Hermann, Scott Wheeler, Terry Lemon, Doug Hiatt, and Gary Kaiser.

Record performances were presented by Jennifer Smith, Susan Fisk, and Shirley Hulst. Wayne Elliott played his guitar and sang several western ballads.

Coming Meeting

At the conclusion of the program, PTA pamphlets of the coming meetings were passed out by the president, Mrs. Marie Payne.

Hostesses for the event were Mrs. Jack Ricker, Mrs. Don Smith, Mrs. Arnold Thompson, Mrs. Larry Campbell, Mrs. Gerald Rimbey, Mrs. Leonard Doyle, Mrs. Glen Payne, Mrs. Paul Landers, Mrs. Kermit Brown, and Mrs. H. Voetberg.

Next regular meeting will be held Nov. 16 with the program theme being "Books, Children, and TV." Guest speakers for the November meeting will be Kittie May Crockett and Dr. James Kearns.

Kidnap-Rapist Is Captured

FLORIDA, Mass. (UPI)—State police reported that Rodney Austin, an ex-convict who kidnaped a Maine baby-sitter, was captured in this Berkshire Hills community today.

Police said that Austin, accused of kidnaping and raping 14-year-old Sharon Simmons, Nobleboro, Maine, was seized in Woodlands.

Austin, police said, was picked up by a farmer while hitchhiking toward Boston on Route 2 from Troy, N.Y. The farmer, who recognized Austin from newspaper pictures, pulled into a gasoline station and called police.

As four policemen approached Austin, he dashed into the forest but the troopers caught up with him. Police said he offered no resistance.

Austin was accused of taking Sharon on a six-day nightmarish ride through northern New England before releasing her Friday at Lyndonville, Vt.

Police said Austin told them he holed up for three days in Troy while police throughout the north-east sought him.

Mrs. Lucile Lumsden Reappointed To Post

A La Grande woman, Lucile M. Lumsden, has been reappointed to a state position by Gov. Mark Hatfield.

Mrs. Lumsden will serve again as a member of the public welfare commission, representing Union county.

CHARGE UPROSE WAR

LONDON (UPI)—Moscow Radio charged Sunday that Israeli Premier David Ben-Gurion had based his Mapai Party's election campaign on "the call for preventive war against the Arabs."



HELPFUL HINTS TO 4-H LEADERS

Hildegard Streufort, clothing specialist at Oregon State College, gave instructions during a clothing school for 4-H leaders of this area. Shown with her (left) Mrs. Jim Jones, La Grande and Mrs. Walter Obendorf of Alchel. (Observer Photo)

North Powder OEA Is Host To District Chapter Meet

NORTH POWDER (Special)—Powder Valley Chapter, Order of Eastern Star No. 170 was host to the district meeting of Eastern Chapter, Baker, Inland of Halfway, and Alpine of Sumpter, recently. Worthy Grand Matron Celeste Dickinson, Corvallis, and Worthy Grand Patron, Ronald Gilson, Lebanon, were making their official visits to the district.

A large number of Eastern Star members attended the smorgasbord at the school cafeteria before the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis have been visiting in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Christman have moved to Baker where Mrs. Christman will take care of her mother, Mrs. W. O. Transue. Mrs. Gary Erwin has taken Mrs. Christman's place in caring for the Osterloh children.

Mrs. Alma Lund was hostess to the Knitting club recently.

At School Meeting

Robert Edley, elementary school principal of Powder, attended a school principals' association meeting in Salem recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Duffy and children, Walla Walla, were weekend visitors of the Marvin Vancils.

Mrs. James B. Wilson was ill with the flu and was hospitalized in a La Grande hospital last week.

The Wolf Creek Grange held its regular monthly meeting recently, preceded by a potluck supper. After the meeting the children had a Halloween party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Montgomery of Portland are here visiting with their son, Don Montgomery, and his family.

Bill Pearson returned to his home from the hospital this week. He had suffered a heart attack.

Mrs. Helen McClure and Maizie traveled to Pendleton recently where they picked up Pvt. Jack

Mrs. Lucile Lumsden Reappointed To Post

A La Grande woman, Lucile M. Lumsden, has been reappointed to a state position by Gov. Mark Hatfield.

Mrs. Lumsden will serve again as a member of the public welfare commission, representing Union county.

CHARGE UPROSE WAR

LONDON (UPI)—Moscow Radio charged Sunday that Israeli Premier David Ben-Gurion had based his Mapai Party's election campaign on "the call for preventive war against the Arabs."

Porter-Cable

Router Model 100

An amazing tool with hundreds of uses!

Give that professional touch to all your workshop projects. Ideal for decorative edges, corners, and surfaces on furniture. Practical for hinge mortising, grooving, weather stripping \$57.50 and shelving.

Stop in for a demonstration EASY BUDGET TERMS

INDUSTRIAL Machinery & Supply

1410 Adams WO 3-4623

Be modern with MOEN

NEW SINGLE HANDLE FAUCET IN YOUR KITCHEN

new homes or old also for lavatory and shower

Wm. Bohnenkamp Plumbing-Heating-Sheet Metal 1607 Adams Ave. Ph. WO 3-4731

Nothing fits you like a Ford!

From any point of view—from every point of value—The Ford of a Lifetime. No other cars for '60 are so completely, wonderfully new! Like the way they fit people. And Ford's all-new, graceful lines will fit all your ideas, clean through.

The 60 Fords fit your budget beautifully, too. More news! There'll be three completely new kinds of Ford cars—a Ford to fit every family. You can select a new Ford Falcon, or a 60 Ford or a Thunderbird. Come in and make your choice!

STEP INTO A BIG, WIDE, WONDERFUL WORLD OF COMFORT AT YOUR ONLY COMPLETE AUTOMOBILE DEALER.

HAND FORD SALES, INC.

Chestnut & Jefferson La Grande, Oregon PH WO 3-2161

Market Quotations

By United Press International

LIVESTOCK MARKET

PORTLAND (UPI)—USDA — Livestock:

Cattle 1800: fed steers and heifers steady with last Monday: 27-head load average choice 1250 lb. fed steers 28.25; couple small lots good-choice under 1100 lb. 26.75; 27: good steers 24-26; good-choice 750-800 lb. fed heifers 24 - 25.25; standard - low good grass heifers 23; capper-cutter cows 11.50-13.

Calves 200: slow but asking prices higher: good-choice vealers held around 20-32 and above, stock calves steady: good-choice 250-300 lb. 24-27.

Hogs 1850, market 25-50c higher: 1 and 2 butchers 180-235 lb. 15.25-15.50; No. 2 lots 14.25-14.50; few 150-175 lb. 13-14; sows 280-325 lb. 12-13.

Sheep 1200: slaughter lambs to 50c higher: high good-choice 97-109 lb. woolled lambs 19; shorn lambs 19-21.50; few good lambs 17-17.50; good - choice feeders 15-16.50; cull-good ewes 2-5.

PORTLAND DAIRY

PORTLAND (UPI)—Dairy market:

Eggs—To retailers: Grade AA extra large, 51-53c; AA large, 47-49c; A large, 45-46c; AA medium, 38-40c; AA small, 26-28c; cartons 1-3c additional.

Butter — To retailers: AA and grade A prints, 70c lb.; carton, 1c higher; B prints, 68c.

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK (UPI)—Electronics issues led the stock market higher today.

The firm tone prevailing at the opening spread to virtually all groups in the list, but the space age issues by far scored the biggest gains.

The trading community apparently regarded favorably Kaiser Steel Corp.'s intention to negotiate separately with the Steel Workers' Union and the union's plans to file an appeal in the Taft-Hartley injunction late Tuesday.

Some of the wider swings included Texas Instruments with a rise of more than 4, and Ampex which rose more than 3. IBM was another favorite in the electronics and advanced nearly 4.

In the steel section, Youngstown jumped more than a point and U. S. Steel around 1. Bethlehem a fraction.

American motors added more than a point to touch a new high. Vick moved up more than a point in the drugs and Polaroid nearly 2 in the cameras. Studebaker rose more than 1.

Five Arrests Made By Police Over Weekend

A teen-age driver was arrested for violation of the basic rule over the weekend. Terry Lynn Helman, 18, was charged with an alleged speed of 55 miles an hour in a 25 mile zone on Fourth Street, police said.

Helman was taken into custody on G Street between Fourth and Fifth Streets. Bail was set at \$30.

Earl Therman Cookson, 303 X Ave., was cited for driving a motor vehicle with expired license plates. Cookson was stopped by police because he had no tail light at the intersection of T Avenue and Spruce Street. Bail was set at \$2.50.

William J. Criswell, 19, a student at Eastern Oregon College, was cited by police for excessive motor noise at 12:20 a.m. Saturday. Criswell was stopped on Adams Avenue.

Marcus Dwain Shoemaker, 21, 1809 Second St., was cited for making an improper turn on Adams Avenue.

Harry Elmer Kinard, 60, was arrested on Depot St. on a charge of vagrancy. Bail was set at \$20. Hearings on all cases will be at 3 p.m. today.

sixth preceptor, and Jeff McMillan, seventh preceptor.

Church Youth Set UNICEF Drive

Senior high school groups of all churches here are invited to take part in the UNICEF drive on Oct. 31 again this year. It is to begin at 5:30 in the evening at the Presbyterian church.

Students will collect from 6 to 7:30 p.m., then meet back at the church. They will have planned recreation and refreshments until 8:30 p.m., at which time they will be dismissed.

UNICEF is a children's emergency fund. All the money collected will be used for children's medical care, food, milk, etc.

Electric Heaters

ARVIN and LA SALLE

AT

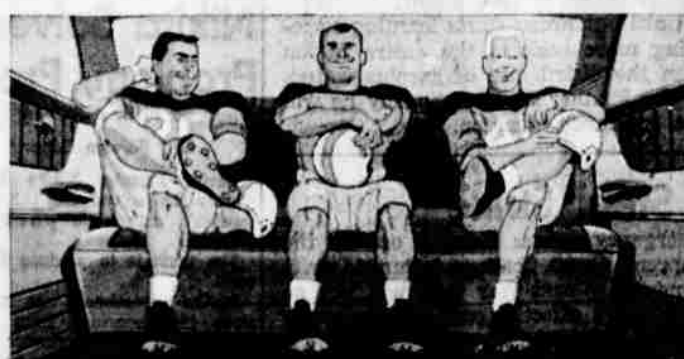
LA GRANDE HARDWARE



Goodbye to the dogleg in the doorway! Leave it to Ford to sweep that annoying windshield pillar forward, out of your way. No more bumped knees or snagged toes!



Oh, say can you see, with 55% greater sky-to-road vision. That sleek, sloping hood reveals more road than you've ever seen before. New Wide Angle windshield gives you up to 17% greater glass area. Wider angle of vision through rear window, too.



Even 3 padded shoulders have plenty of move-around space! You get up to 5 inches more shoulder room, inches more hip room in the 1960 Fords. Posture-perfect seating makes long-distance fatigue a thing of the past. The man in the middle has as much comfort as the rest, thanks to full-width seat padding.



Even a child can load the trunk, thanks to its low level! The trunk lid is perfectly placed... just 27" above the street. Trunk holds 3 weeks' supply of luggage! Ford is built for people!

Nothing fits you like a Ford!

From any point of view—from every point of value—The Ford of a Lifetime. No other cars for '60 are so completely, wonderfully new! Like the way they fit people. And Ford's all-new, graceful lines will fit all your ideas, clean through.

The 60 Fords fit your budget beautifully, too. More news! There'll be three completely new kinds of Ford cars—a Ford to fit every family. You can select a new Ford Falcon, or a 60 Ford or a Thunderbird. Come in and make your choice!

STEP INTO A BIG, WIDE, WONDERFUL WORLD OF COMFORT AT YOUR ONLY COMPLETE AUTOMOBILE DEALER.

HAND FORD SALES, INC.

Chestnut & Jefferson La Grande, Oregon PH WO 3-2161

HANDS TIED?

Because You Lack A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

You can get one at HOME in your spare time for as little as \$6.00 monthly, all books furnished. If you are over the required school age and have left school, write for interesting free booklet—tells you how!

AMERICAN SCHOOL, Pacific Coast Division
6381 HOLLYWOOD BLVD., LOS ANGELES 28, CALIF.

SEND ME YOUR FREE 55 Page High School Booklet LGD-7

Name _____ Age _____

Address _____

City _____ Zone _____ State _____

Be modern with MOEN

NEW SINGLE HANDLE FAUCET IN YOUR KITCHEN

new homes or old also for lavatory and shower

Wm. Bohnenkamp Plumbing-Heating-Sheet Metal 1607 Adams Ave. Ph. WO 3-4731

Porter-Cable

Router Model 100

An amazing tool with hundreds of uses!

Give that professional touch to all your workshop projects. Ideal for decorative edges, corners, and surfaces on furniture. Practical for hinge mortising, grooving, weather stripping \$57.50 and shelving.

Stop in for a demonstration EASY BUDGET TERMS

INDUSTRIAL Machinery & Supply

1410 Adams WO 3-4623