

# Edith Green Condemns Strangulation Powers Of Legislative Chiefs

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Frustrations and achievements of the last session of Congress and hopes for the next session were told by Oregon Rep. Edith Green here Friday night in a "Freshman's Report" to the Marion-Polk Democratic Club.

## Gunman Takes \$1,000 at Store

PORTLAND (AP)—A gunman walked into a Safeway Store just before closing Thursday night, took about \$1,000 and then loitered around outside for 15 minutes.

Walla Whitney, assistant manager, said the bandit, whom he described as sloppily dressed, ordered him to empty the till and that he obeyed, putting the money in a paper sack.

Whitney said he started for the telephone to call police after the man walked out but changed his mind when he saw the gunman gesture threateningly at the front window. He finally telephoned police when the man disappeared. Police believe he waited outside for an accomplice in a getaway car.

## Cost of Living Edges Upward

WASHINGTON (AP)—The cost of living edged upward in September to within five-tenths of one percent of the record level of 1953, the government reported Friday.

It said the rise was seasonal and that in 11 of the last 14 years there has been an increase from August to September.

Last month's rise was three-tenths of one percent over August, sending the Labor Department index to 114.9. The index uses the 1947-49 average as 100.

The September level was two-tenths of one percent above a year ago, the highest since August, 1954, and half an index point under the record index level of 115.4 in October, 1953.

## Man Fails in Try to Attack 3 Salem Girls

An attempted attack on three high school girls was made Friday night by a man while the girls were walking home from a football game, city police reported. An approaching car scared the man away and saved the trio from harm.

The girls, all 14, were in the 500 block of E. Lefelle Street when the incident occurred about 10:15 p.m. The girls told officers the man, described as about 30, made a lunge for all three. He then grabbed two of the girls, dragged them several feet and threw one to the ground.

The girls said the attacker then was apparently scared by the approaching car. He last was seen running east on Lefelle Street, police said.

## LIVESTOCK MEET SET.

GEARHART (AP)—Clatsop and Columbia livestock men will serve as hosts for the 20th annual meeting of the Western Oregon Livestock Assn. here, Nov. 17-19.

## FOOD PRICES CLIMB

PORTLAND (AP)—Food prices rose slightly here between mid-August and mid-September, the Bureau of Labor Statistics said Friday.

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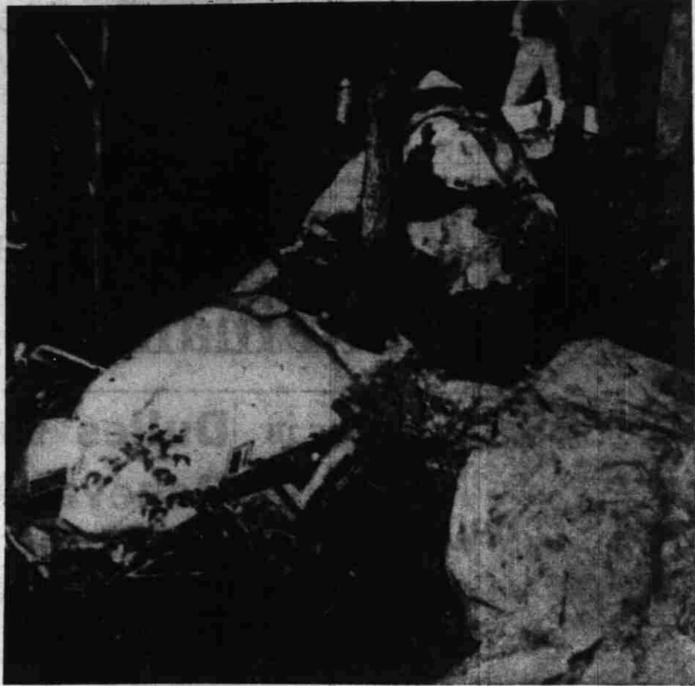
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# Midair Explosion, Crash Kills Five



WILLIAMSPORT, Pa.—Victim lies to right of ruins of single-engine private plane that exploded in midair, crashed in flames 15 miles east of here Friday, killing Dr. M. O. Larson, Middletown, N.Y., his wife, their two children, and Russell Gowdy, Bloomingburg, N.Y. Body of plane was "spiked" on sapling, as it fell. (AP Wirephoto)

## Miss Thebom Singing Said Full of Drama

By STANLEY BUTLER  
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Blanche Thebom, mezzo-soprano, gave a concert last evening filled with drama, vocal variety and artful effects. It was the first concert to be heard in the new Willamette University Fine Arts Auditorium.

Miss Thebom is mistress of all types of dramatic expression. One is made majestic with the power of Beethoven's "The Heavens Are Telling" or everything seems ridiculous, as in Dougherty's "The Bird and the Beast."

Miss Thebom sang arias from Carmen, where love is sinister, and another time she sang of the naive young love of the seven-teen-year-old. The singer's emotional communication, whatever the plot, was always convincing.

Tone Colors Fascinating tone colors kept one constantly interested during the program. There was a magnificent pure legato in "Morgen" by Strauss, and a stomping roughness in "The Blacksmith" by Brahms.

Frequently there were lovely, ethereal high tones and frequently there were dark lower tones. One tremendously admired the artist's imagination, always alert to varied tonal shadings.

Miss Thebom has mastered artful effects to the point where they seem spontaneous. Her facial expressions are alive and helpful. She conveys the most intimate feelings with taste. Sincerity marks her manner, and no where more so than in the often-hackneyed "Were You There When They Crucified My Lord?"

Variety of Appeal Fine singers have so many ways of impressing their public. The variety of their appeal can be the despair of musicians dependant upon instruments of wood and metal, and having no words.

Yet, while I may be quibbling, there was something lacking about the concert. Perhaps there were too many familiar songs. Perhaps the vivid dramatic experiences superceded too much the purer musical experiences. Perhaps the accompaniments of William Hughes, which were certainly satisfactory, needed more individuality. Perhaps there were too many humorous and merely entertaining songs.

However, the stunning radiance of Miss Thebom's voice and personality was delightful in this first concert of the present season.

## Planes to Keep Rendezvous With Senators

WASHINGTON (AP)—The defense department said Friday night it is going ahead with plans to send two special planes to Europe for the convenience of three U.S. senators despite their protestations that they did not ask for special transportation home.

One of the planes, a four-engine DC-6 has already left for Madrid, where it is scheduled to be placed at the disposal of Senators McLellan (D-Ark) and Stennis (D-Miss).

The second plane is due to leave for Paris Oct. 31, in time to pick up Sen. Chavez (D-NM) on Nov. 3 and bring him home.

## Search Yields False Falsies

BALTIMORE (AP)—Police matrons searching a woman suspect for dope uncovered something new in a lady's unmentionables: false falsies.

Police said the search turned up two packages of heroin secreted in one of the woman's falsies. Sgt. Jacob Simonsen of the narcotics squad said the stuff was worth about \$2,100.

STEINFELD NAMED Dr. Gordon D. Steinfeld, Salem, has been named to the executive committee of the Oregon Heart Association, according to an announcement released Friday.

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## At The Theaters Today

ELSINORE "SEVEN CITIES OF GOLD" with Michael Rennie and Anthony Quinn. "PEARL OF THE SOUTH PACIFIC" with Virginia Mayo and Dennis Morgan.

CAPITOL "MY SISTER EILEEN" with Janet Leigh, Jack Lemmon. "THE LONESOME TRAIL" with Wayne Morris, John Agar.

GRAND "HOUSE OF BAMBOO" with Robert Ryan and Robert Stack. "RAGE AT DAWN" with Randolph Scott and Mala Powers.

NORTH SALEM DRIVE-IN "STALAG 17" with William Holden and Don Taylor. "THE BAREFOOT GONNESSA" with Ava Gardner and Humphrey Bogart.

HOLLYWOOD "SEVEN YEAR ITCH" with Marilyn Monroe and Tom Ewell. "NEW YORK CONFIDENTIAL" with Broderick Crawford and Richard Conte.

## Curve Missed; Car Crashes

WOODBURN (AP)—A State Highway Department car was extensively damaged Friday evening when it missed a curve south of here, and a Portland man was charged with driving while intoxicated, state police said.

Officers said Reynold Paul Betzer, 51, was arrested and lodged in Marion County jail under \$250 bail. He suffered minor lacerations, police said. The car reportedly struck a boulder near Belle Pass junction on 99E and crashed into a service station sign after missing the curve.

## TV Due for City General's Hospitalized

Future patients at Salem General Hospital won't be missing that favorite TV program just because they're indisposed.

The hospital's board of control announced Friday that television sets will be available if patients desire them. Coburn Grabenhorst, president of the board, said additional telephones also will be available.

A pre-registration service, starting Monday, will enable patients to subscribe for TV or phone accommodations. Grabenhorst said the new services were authorized at a Wednesday board meeting.

Salem Memorial Hospital previously had announced inauguration of TV and phone facilities.

## Pop Edwards Old Time Dance

Saturday, October 22, 9 P. M. VFW Hall, Hood & Church Sts. Dancing Every Saturday Night Admission 75c Sponsored by VFW Post 661

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## Miss Stevens' Rites Planned Monday Here

(Story also on page 1)

Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 p.m. at Clough-Bierick Chapel for Olive Inez Stevens, 83, who died Friday at a Salem hospital of injuries suffered when she was struck by a car on a downtown street Thursday morning. Interment will follow at Silverton Cemetery.

Miss Stevens was ordained as a minister in 1941, organized the Salem Truth Center and served as its minister after coming to Salem in 1946. Prior to that she had resided in Silverton for a number of years.

Born at Fairfield, Me., Sept. 12, 1872, she spent her early years as a school teacher in Philadelphia.

Miss Stevens was a member of Eastern Star and Rebekah Lodges. She was an accredited teacher of the Rosicrucian Order and Lodge. Only survivor is a foster sister, Mrs. Helmer Anderson, Dallas.

## Young Hunter Kills Brother

MEDFORD (AP)—Police reported that a 14-year-old boy was fatally wounded by his 12-year-old brother in a gun accident Friday.

The final day of Oregon's deer hunting season.

Dead is Donald Archie Sommer, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Sommer, Talent. He was the fourth shooting fatality of the Oregon deer season.

Dep. Coroner Gordon Hays said the accidental shooting occurred in the Grizzly Mountain area south of Ashland as Donald, his younger brother, Dean, and their father were returning from an unsuccessful hunting trip.

## ALTERATIONS OKEHD

A permit authorizing \$7,500 in alterations at the Producers' Co-op, 1695 N. Commercial St., was issued Friday by the city engineer's office. Permits also went to Ada Knepper for a \$125 reroofing job on a house at 2430 Lee St., and to Gideon Stoltz bottling firm for a \$900 marquee project on its building at 450 S. Summer St.

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# Ike Okehs Project For War on Crime

DENVER (AP)—Atty. Gen. Brownell, a top administration political strategist, saw President Eisenhower Friday — and said he got approval of a six-point program for war on crime and improved handling of federal criminal cases.

Brownell spent 25 minutes with the chief executive at Fitzsimons Army Hospital.

The man who played a major behind-the-scenes role in swinging the Republican presidential nomination to Eisenhower in 1952, told a news conference afterwards there was no discussion of politics.

Question, Sidestepped To a question whether he thinks the President will run for another term next year, Brownell replied: "Well, I think while the President is on the — on his way to full health and strength it would be inappropriate for anybody to make comment on that."

So the conference revolved almost entirely around the Justice Department's program in the field of criminal law for next year. Brownell said Eisenhower approved it in full and it includes:

1. A request to Congress for a law making it a crime to invade the privacy of juries while they are considering cases. This grew out of the recently disclosed wire-tapping of jury deliberations at Wichita, Kan., as part of a study of jury operations by the University of Chicago.

Public Defenders 2. Proposed legislation to establish a system of paid public defenders — hundreds of them serving on a full or part time basis — to protect the rights of persons

who can't afford to hire lawyers in federal cases.

3. Steps to cut down delays in federal courts. The aim is to reduce the backlog of cases by 25 per cent. Task forces of lawyers will be sent from Washington into congested districts and Congress will be asked to authorize the appointment of some 20 new federal judges.

4. Building a new 9 1/2 million dollar "maximum security" prison to relieve the load on overcrowded Alcatraz, Atlanta and Leavenworth.

Correction Center 5. Constructing a 7 1/2 million dollar correction center for youthful criminals to serve the area west of the Mississippi River. The only existing center, at Ashland, Ky., handles youths from east of the Mississippi.

A nationwide conference in Washington next April on parole practice and procedures, with a view to changes that would be helpful in rehabilitating prisoners.

William Holden in "Stalag 17"

Humphrey Bogart—Ava Gardner in "BAREFOOT GONNESSA" in Color

## Six Oregon U. Students Fined

CORVALLIS (AP)—Fines of \$50 each were levied Friday against six University of Oregon students who pleaded guilty to burning the letters "UO" on the Oregon State football field Tuesday.

The court suspended \$30 of each fine on condition of good behavior and payment of damage, estimated at \$92.

Meanwhile groundskeepers camouflaged with green paint and grass clippings the burned turf to obscure it for Friday's Oregon State Rooks-Oregon Frosh and Saturday's Washington, State-Oregon State games.

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# Air Engineers Cancel Strike

CHICAGO (AP)—Federal mediator Leverett Edwards announced Friday night a strike of AFL Flight Engineers against United Air Lines scheduled for 12:01 a. m. Saturday, has been postponed indefinitely.

Following a conference with representatives of the company and the union, Edwards said negotiations in the dispute would be resumed Saturday afternoon.

United officials said all flight schedules were being operated normally.

At issue between the company and the AFL Flight Engineers International Assn. is a job security question.

## Woodburn Drive-In

SATURDAY—SUNDAY "CATTLE QUEEN OF MONTANA" Barbara Stanwyck Ron Regan

"UNTAMED HEIRESS" Judy Canova Sat., Open 6:45, Start 7:15 Sun., Open 5:45, Start 6:15

## North Salem DRIVE-IN THEATRE

2 MILES NORTH ON HIGHWAY 99 Gates Open 6:45 Show at 7 —ENDS TONIGHT— William Holden Humphrey Bogart—Ava Gardner in "Stalag 17" in Color

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