

Plane in Flight Throws Propeller; Couple Hurt

GRANTS PASS, Ore., May 31 (AP)—The propeller fell off a light plane in flight today. The pilot and his wife were seriously injured in the ensuing crash.

The pilot, Kenneth Elwood, 40, of Grants Pass, was flying a Cessna 441 twin-engine plane to a landing in a nearby pasture, only to lose control at the last moment.

An ambulance was en route to the scene before the crash. A state policeman driving along a road five miles southeast of Grants Pass saw a man holding the propeller and taking up the plane. He said it had fallen from the sky.

The policeman saw the plane falling and called an ambulance.

Witnesses said the pilot climbed the area while the ambulance was en route. They began shouting and waving to the police. At the last minute the plane plunged down, crashing head-on into the side of a hill.

Kenneth and his wife, Thelma, formerly of Hawthorne, Calif., were brought to a hospital here, where attendants said both had suffered serious injuries.

They had gone up for a pleasure trip while staying with friends here. Kenneth recently had moved to Portland, and was stopping off here while bringing his plane up from California.

It was the second emergency for Kenneth in three days with the old Cessna 441 plane.

Protestants' Support of Graham Worries Niebuhr

NEW YORK, May 31 (AP)—Dr. Reinhold Niebuhr, a leading Protestant theologian, said today it is disturbing that organized Protestants should give its official endorsement to evangelist Billy Graham's New York crusade.

Dr. Niebuhr, who is a member of the National Council of the United Methodist Church, said in an article in *Advocate*, official magazine of the Presbyterian Board of Christian Education, that he is disturbed by the crusade.

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Converts Top 10,000 for Graham Meet

NEW YORK, May 31 (AP)—The number of "decisions for Christ" at Billy Graham's New York crusade tonight topped 10,000.

A long, steady procession of people—10 of the crusade's evangelists—were in the audience tonight to witness the service.

This number is the total to 10,000 in 17 nights of Graham's preaching. The crusade still has another month at least to go, and probably will run on beyond that.

A near capacity crowd of 18,000 filled Madison Square Garden for tonight's service. Attendance so far has totaled nearly 200,000.

Tomorrow night, for the first time, the meeting will be carried live on a nationwide ABC television hookup from 7 to 9 p.m. EST.

Woman Home After Plane Crash Ordeal

(Salem also on page 10.)
DULUTH, Minn., May 31 (AP)—Mrs. Dorothy Lemaire, who survived 30 days on a storm-tossed Wyoming mountain, returned home on a steamer tonight.

A Minnesota Air National Guard C-54 carrying the 46-year-old mother of three and co-pilot of her family, landed down at the Duluth Airfield shortly before 11 p.m. CDT.

Mrs. Lemaire was carried into a waiting ambulance and was taken to St. Luke's Hospital. Scheduled to arrive here later was a chartered plane carrying the body of her husband, Dalton, 47, who died on Pikes Peak several days after the plane he and his wife were flying crashed May 11.

Arriving with Mrs. Lemaire on the flight from Cape, Wyo., were two sons, Donald, 25, and Ronald, 22; a daughter, Judy, 19; her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Lemaire, her daughter-in-law, and the family physician, Dr. Donald Van Ryzin.

Mrs. Lemaire was not permitted to talk to newsmen waiting at the field.

City Academy Diplomas Go To 36 Youths

Diplomas were given to 36 graduates of Salem Academy at commencement exercises held Friday night on the school's lighted football field before some 600 persons.

A plea to graduates "to be leaders in the spiritual realm, rather than the material" was made by the Rev. Gerald Dillon, pastor of the Friends Church in Portland and commencement speaker.

"This is a century of progress in technical knowledge and material prosperity," said the Rev. Dillon, "but moral and spiritual development has failed to keep pace with it."

Larry Merk, Salem, served as valedictorian for his class and Adele Welby, also Salem, was salutatorian. Diplomas were presented by James Rickard, chairman of the school's board of directors.

U.S. Allies Hold Firm

PARIS, May 31 (AP)—The United States and her Continental European allies held firm today against lowering restrictions on trade with Communist China.

The weather

Area	Max.	Min.	Prev.
Albany	68	48	60
Baker	68	48	60
Bend-Redmond	68	48	60
Clatsop	68	48	60
Klamath Falls	68	48	60
Medford	68	48	60
North Bend	68	48	60
Portland	68	48	60
Salem	68	48	60

Consumer Credit Climbs in April By \$259 Million

WASHINGTON, May 31 (AP)—The Federal Reserve Board said today total consumer installment credit increased by \$259 million during April to an estimated 33 1/2 billion dollars at the end of the month.

During April 1956 consumer installment credit increased by \$251 million dollars and in April 1955 it rose 297 million.

Last month's increase was due almost entirely to an upswing in automobile and personal loans.

Crash Victims in Good Condition

Two persons injured in a Thursday night "rear-end" collision in the city were reported in "good" condition at Salem General Hospital Friday.

Mrs. Lillian McCain, 26, of Main View Dr., was undergoing further examination for a still undetermined neck injury. Richard Wallace, 38, Turner, occupant of the second vehicle, was hospitalized with head lacerations.

At the time of the crash Mrs. McCain and her husband, Hugh McCain, both employees of the Statesman-Journal mechanical department, had stopped for a red light at Boice and S Commercial streets, officers said.

\$100,000 Estate Left for Terrier

BOSTON, May 31 (AP)—Frank B. Lawler, former vice president of the First National Bank of Boston, left the bulk of his estimated \$100,000 estate in trust for the care of a 16-year-old Welsh terrier, Lawler's will disclosed today.

Lawler, who died May 24 at age 74, directed the trustees of his estate to maintain his home and allow a caretaker to live there and care for the dog, Taffy.

After Taffy's death, or at the end of 10 years, the estate is to be divided among four cousins and a friend.

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Observers For Missile Test Doubt

(Salem also on page 1.)
COCOA, Fla., May 31 (AP)—The Defense Department apparently doesn't plan to join with the Atlantic (U.S.) in the hope that Russian observers will have an opportunity to see the Atlas missile in flight.

Paterson, a member of the House Armed Services Committee, said Tuesday that the Atlas, the first inter-continental ballistic missile, would be fired from the Air Force missile test center on Florida's Cape Canaveral.

"If the test is successful, it is added, there will be no secret about the fact that America has developed a truly intercontinental missile, and I hope that Russian observers will have an opportunity to see the great rocket in flight."

On the other hand, the Defense Department doesn't want the Russians to see the missile in flight when or if the missile is fired.

Few to Know

When the Atlas is fired, a lot of people in the heavily populated vicinity will hear it, but they won't know it is the Atlas.

Several kinds of missiles are fired from Cape Canaveral and it takes a sharp eye to see them before they are out of sight. By the time a Cape resident turns his head toward the Cape after hearing the muffled roar of the missile taking off, there's nothing to see but a wisp of vapor across the sky.

It could have been the Atlas, the Jupiter, the Star or one of several other missiles with which the United States is experimenting.

After Paterson's statement, the Associated Press quoted Col. Ed Spear, public information officer of the missile center, as saying there would be a complete announcement if the Atlas is fired. Spear said there would be no official statements either before or after a firing.

Deputy Secretary

At the Pentagon in Washington, the Air Force confirmed that the Atlas test would be made in deep secrecy.

Even though an Atlas firing was scheduled for today, there is no certainty that it would come off. Maj. Gen. D. N. Yates, commander of the missile center, explained that weather conditions and many other factors influence the firings and there are frequent postponements.

Paterson said the Atlas, if fired successfully, will reach an altitude of 700 miles and travel approximately 3,300 miles in controlled flight.

U.S. Brass On Spot in AF Buying

WASHINGTON, May 31 (AP)—Defense Department brass came under a congressional fire today as the question of installment buying by the Air Force.

The day's Pentagon officials were asked to appear before a Senate subcommittee on Tuesday and explain a directive which says Pentagon officials should not make a campaign to buy for the first time official installment buying by the Air Force.

The Senate subcommittee was led by Sen. William F. Knowland, R-Calif., a vocal critic of the defense budget.

It is understood the directive was issued to meet the objections of Rep. Mahon (D-Tex.) to what Mahon described as an Air Force practice of "over-programming" in appropriations requests.

Mahon is chairman of a House Appropriations subcommittee which handles the defense budget. Symington is a member of a similar subcommittee in the Senate.

The senator takes the position that the order issued by Secretary of Defense Wilson May 21 would hold up Air Force schedules for more than \$1 billion dollars worth of equipment.

U.S. Military Truck Kills Greek Hero

ATHENS, Greece, May 31 (AP)—Gen. Stephen Sarafis, a leading leader in Parliament and guerrilla hero against the Nazi occupation in World War II, died today from injuries inflicted by an American military truck.

English-born Mr. Sarafis, 45, was walking with his car near the airport when he was struck and killed by a U.S. military truck.

Immediate precautions were taken by the Greeks to cope with any anti-American demonstrations. A report later tonight said the American truck driver was charged with involuntary homicide by Greek authorities.

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Pacific Boss

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Cherry Fruit Fly Emerges; Control Urged

The cherry fruit fly, one of the Willamette Valley's more serious pests, has emerged and growers are warned to apply spray or dust at once. In case of rain, respraying will have to be put on county agents in the several Willamette Valley offices, report.

Cages for trapping the fly at its first appearance have been checked daily for the past two weeks. First appearance was reported from Corvallis Thursday night. Cages were checked in the Salem area Thursday night but no flies were found until Friday morning.

Dust and spray formulas were published in The Statesman Tuesday morning, and are available from county agents in the Valley.

Infant, Two Others Hurt In Car Crash

A three-year-old baby and two persons sustained apparently serious injuries in a two-car accident Friday at Seventh Street and McNary Avenue, in West Salem, city police said.

City first aidmen treated Terri Joyce Meadows, 3, for a laceration on her forehead and a Willamette Ambulance Service attendant treated Lester A. Bond, 18, E. Nob St., for a bruise on his left arm. Also sustaining a bruise was William J. Ellington, 300 Fairhaven Ave., city police said.

Officers stated the accident occurred between a pickup operated by Bond and a car driven by Ellington. The baby was reportedly a passenger in the Ellington car.

Following the 6:05 p.m. collision the Ellington vehicle slid a half-block and crashed into a garage at the rear of 1801 Seventh St., police reported.

Cupid Busy at Courthouse

It was a day early, but June was bustin' out all over Friday at the Marion County Courthouse with 18 couples applying for marriage licenses—boosting the 1957 May total over that of a year ago for the first month this year.

Fifty-nine couples registered for marriage licenses during 1957 as compared to 53 a year ago.

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Atomic Workers Under Observation After Blast

RICHLAND, Wash., May 31 (AP)—Four employees of the Hanford atomic works were under observation in the hospital here following an explosion which morning in one of the buildings in the laboratory area.

A statement from the atomic works headquarters said the men are being observed for possible effects from toxic fumes and that the explosion caused only "insignificant" radio-active contamination in the building.

The statement further said no measurable contamination was found on the ground adjacent to the building in which the chemical explosion occurred.

The explosion was a disaster in which uranium chips were being dissolved in nitric acid. A small fire followed and burned scaffolding which surrounded the dissolver vessel. A hole was blown in the dissolver.

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Memorial Day Traffic Death Rate in U.S. Low

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
(Salem story on Page 10)

The Memorial Day weekend traffic death rate remained relatively low Friday night as the long holiday period drew to a close.

At latest count 16 fatalities were reported on highways, 18 on city streets and 44 deaths from other accidental causes.

Personnel Unit to Hear Salem Man

G. Clinton Wells of Salem, training officer for the Oregon State Unemployment Compensation Commission, will speak at the 4th annual meeting of the International Association of Personnel in Employment Security June 24-26 at Miami Beach, Fla.

Wells, president of the Oregon chapter of the IAPES, will discuss "Facts and Fallacies of Our Training Program." Undersecretary of Labor James T. O'Connor will be keynote speaker. The U.S., Canada and 25 other countries will be represented at the convention.

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