

### 25 Marines Sealed in Cave

Tokyo (AP)—The 25 marines, sealed inside a gas-filled cave on Outpost Reno, were furiously trying to dig their way out. Chinese communist soldiers were digging to get them. The Chinese won.

Marine Cpl. Jimmy E. Lacy of Texarkana, Tex., told the story Tuesday in a Tokyo army hospital. He was repatriated at Panmunjom last week.

Lacy was among six survivors of a group of 35 men buried alive in the cave. The Reds took them prisoners.

"Four of us were outside when the Chinese attacked," Lacy said.

"We fired for 20 minutes with our automatic weapons, until we ran out of ammunition. There was a heavy artillery barrage. We went back into the cave. Then the entrances were sealed.

"Another guy and I started shoveling out one of the entrances, while the Chinese outside started shoveling the other. The Chinese got through first. Fifteen of them got into the cave. They blazed away for an hour with automatic weapons. I was taken prisoner."

### Clawson Admits Definitely Fired

Washington (AP)—Marion Clawson started cleaning out his desk today following Secretary of Interior Douglas McKay's announcement that he definitely is fired as director of the Bureau of Land Management.

Clawson told newsmen he "had expected something like this." He said he "probably will not appeal his ouster to the Civil Service Commission.

"I might have a moral victory, but nothing more," he said. "McKay clearly has the legal authority to dismiss me."

McKay fired Clawson for "insubordination" when Clawson challenged his demotion from the post he has held since March 4, 1948.

McKay has named Edward Woolley, Idaho State land commissioner, to head the bureau.

Clawson called the appointment "part of the patronage for Idaho."

### Adenauer Seeks Socialist Support

Bonn, Germany (AP)—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer abandoned Monday night his bold plan to get the European army treaty signed without the approval of both houses of Parliament.

This abrupt reversal followed his earlier cancellation of plans to avert a political battle over the treaty by winning over the Socialist opposition.

Adenauer had announced that he intended to hand the EDC treaty and its companion pact—the West German peace contract—to President Theodor Heuss Tuesday for signature even though they lacked final parliamentary approval.

### Dave Beck Drives For More Members

Chicago (AP)—Dave Beck, president of the AFL Teamsters' Union, said today a drive to double the union's membership "would reach into every nook and cranny" of a 12-state area.

Beck said the union now has 400,000 members in the 12 Midwest states and hopes to double the amount in five years.

### Mt. States Power To Halt Surcharge

Lebanon — Mountain States Power company was ordered Friday to stop collecting electrical surcharges from its customers by May 1. The order came by letter from Oregon public utilities Commissioner Charles Heltzel to A. W. Trimble, power company official at Albany.

The letter said an investigation by Heltzel's staff showed that excess operating steam costs will have been recovered by the company on May 1.

Heltzel stated that \$17,000 remains which Mountain States should absorb so that no question of overcharging will arise.

### Portland Attitude on Daylight Saving Hit

Portland (AP)—Lee C. Stidd Jr., chairman of the Committee for Daylight Saving Time, will present to the City Council Wednesday surveys which he says show a big preference for fast time in the Portland area.

Voters approved standard time throughout the state at the November elections. But City Attorney Alexander G. Brown has ruled that the council can set its business day one hour ahead.

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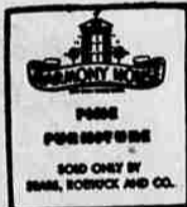
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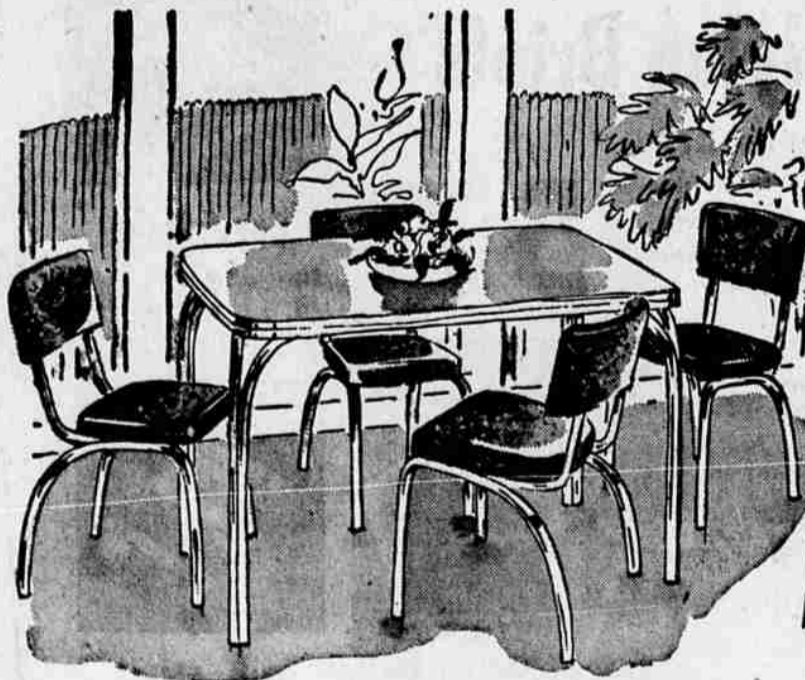
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