

SUPPORTS ONE WING

Car Aids Landing Of 1-Wheel Plane

NORFOLK, Va. (AP)—After it was over, weekend pilot Manning Rooks could "hardly believe it happened." And no wonder.

Caught aloft in a light plane with a damaged landing gear, Rooks had just brought his craft safely to earth by landing it with one wing atop a moving automobile.

It wasn't a lucky accident. It was planned that way, not by Rooks but by veteran flier Ed Hornbaker, from whose company Rooks had rented the plane.

Rooks, who has 160 hours of flying time, had taken off from Municipal Airport for a routine spin yesterday when the airport control tower radioed that his right landing gear was "dangling unless under the plane."

The crash area at the airport was alerted and Rooks, 150 feet above, figured things "looked bad." He'd never made a crash landing.

On the ground, Hornbaker had an idea. Climbing into a hard top sedan with two other men, he drove out on the field.

The CAA told Rooks that Hornbaker would try to make the car act as wheels for the plane if Rooks could land with one wing on top of the auto.

Rooks made several passes at the runway to gauge speed and

distance. On the fourth pass, he set the plane's left wheels on the runway and the right wing on top of the car. While Hornbaker drove, the car's other two occupants held the struts of the plane so it wouldn't slip off. Gently, Hornbaker applied the brakes and stopped.

"He's some guy," said Rooks of Hornbaker. "I'm just glad he thought of it."

Ethel L. Brosig Rites Wednesday

SILVERTON (Special)—Funeral services for Mrs. Ethel L. Brosig, 64, will be held Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. from the Memorial chapel of Ekman Funeral home.

Mrs. Brosig was the widow of Frank Brosig. She died Sunday in an Oregon City hospital after two weeks illness following a heart attack.

Final rites will be at Maple Grove cemetery at Scotts Mills and Rev. I. M. Nelson, will officiate.

Mrs. Brosig was born Aug. 11, 1892 in the Scotts Mills area and had lived all of her life in this area. Her home in Silvertown was at 4th South 2nd St. She was a life-long member of the Christian church and a member of the Royal Neighbors lodge.

Survivors are daughters, Mrs. Estella Kay, Mill City; Mrs. Nelma Moberg, Clatskanie; Mrs. Twila Parker, Bend; sons, G. R. Brosig, Healdsburg, Calif.; Orville, Silvertown; Joe Brosig, Detroit, Ore.; 13 grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Two sisters are Bertha Veelder, Sandy, Ore.; and Annie Ferguson, Scotts Mills.

Young Democrats Appoint Secretary

ROSEBURG (AP)—The executive board of the Young Democrats of Oregon, meeting here Sunday, approved the appointment of Phil Frost of Portland as executive secretary.

He succeeds Al Hoffard, also of Portland, who resigned to become press secretary to Sen. Wayne Morse.

The board announced plans for a regional Young Democrats' conference in mid-January at Boise.

Russian Tanks in Budapest



Russian tanks and armored cars line street near the Petefi statue in Budapest as Soviet armor opposed Hungarian women who staged demonstrations against the Russians and puppet government set up by them. The women were attempting to honor their dead—those killed in the October uprising. (AP Wirephoto)

Little Garden Club Winner At Hazel Green Yule Show

HAZEL GREEN (Special)—Top honors were won by the Little Garden club of Salem Heights for the second time in a row at the Lash Meadows Garden club Christmas show at Hazel Green held over the weekend.

Mt. Angel Garden club was second in the club entries and South Hill club of Salem placed third.

Tables in Gold Green
The Salem Heights club entry was a table in gold and green. Four gold candles in a bed of greenery, decked with gold balls, centered the green cloth-covered table.

Gum Drops Used
John Gilbert, 9, using a big sugar-pine cone decorated with small colored gum drops to represent a Christmas tree won the blue ribbon in the junior division. Mary Lowery was second and Larry VanCleave, third.

A foot-high Christmas tree built of pine cones and dusted with "frost" was the Mt. Angel motive. Individual cones formed the decorative note on individual cards on the Mt. Angel table.

An attractive tea table covered with a hand-woven pink cloth, centered with pink vigil lights in wrought-iron holders, at which coffee and hot spiced tea with Christmas cookies, was a popular spot during the two days of the show.

Christmas music was played during show hours by Mrs. Ralph Gilbert and Mrs. Curtis Wright.

Russ Acts in Hungary Hit By Italy Red Heads N.A.M.

ROME (AP)—Open criticism of Soviet intervention in Hungary broke out Monday at the National Congress of the Italian Communist Party, the biggest in the Western world.

The verbal attack came despite endorsement of the Soviet line by Palmiro Togliatti, the tough party secretary who has bossed Italy's two million Communist Party members for years.

Antonio Giolitti, a Communist member of the Chamber of Deputies, spoke out for the critics. He said Soviet intervention in Hungary "cannot be reconciled with the principles of socialism."

"In Hungary and in Poland," he said, "the party was not defended by the comrades who kept silent, but by those who have spoken."

Giolitti also called for "increased democracy and freedom of expression, (which are) essential conditions for the tireless process of renewal inside our party. If it is impossible to correct men, one must change them."

This last phrase was taken as a suggestion that present party leaders be changed.

Giolitti's speech was heard in silence by the several hundred Communist delegates, carefully picked from all over Italy by the party Executive Committee. Then several rose to congratulate him.

SHOTGUN IN TOWN LOADED

CASPER, Wyo. (AP)—Johnny Shotgun was in town the other night—and he was loaded.

Police said, Shotgun is an Arapahoe Indian arrested on a complaint he was intoxicated and creating a disturbance at an auto court.



NEW YORK — Ernest G. Swigert, shown in New York City today, is president-elect of the National Association of Manufacturers. He is from Portland, Ore. (AP Wirephoto)

2 From Salem at St. Louis School

Two Salem residents are among 13,000 students enrolled in Washington university, St. Louis, Mo., for the 1956-57 year. Chancellor Ethan A. H. Shepley has announced.

Robert P. Wilcken, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Wilcken, 375 Faulk Ave., is enrolled in the graduate school of arts and sciences; Hillman William Fischer, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Fischer, 215 South 14th St., is enrolled in the graduate school of arts and sciences, philosophy division.

SKIN DIVER DROWNS

LOS ANGELES (AP)—A 15-year-old skin diver Richard Puskas, became tangled in his oxygen apparatus and drowned in the ocean

yesterday, sheriff's officers reported. Puskas died by the pier and brought into harbor.

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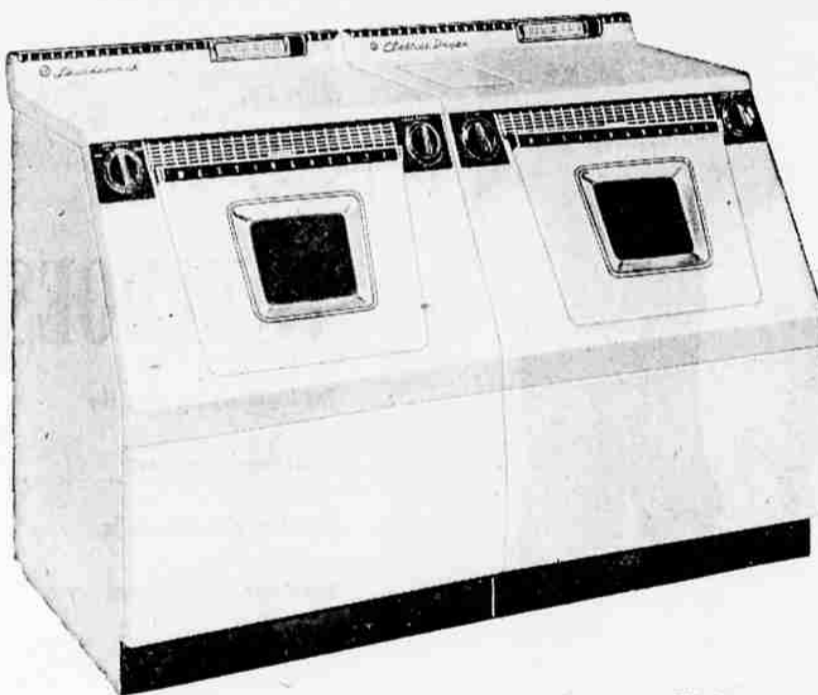
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