



**Mac McCollum honored on his retirement**

Wednesday was a day of memories for H. V. (Mac) McCollum. His fellow employees at Pacific Northwest Bell in Bend, and a number from other parts of the state, honored him at a retirement party. He has completed 34 years of service with the company.

McCollum started to work with the company in July, 1929, in Portland, a short time after coming West from Kansas, his native state. He came to Bend that November, and since that time, was transferred to three other Oregon cities, always interspersed with service in Bend.

In May, 1935, he went to Eugene, and was transferred back to Bend that December. In August, 1943, he was promoted to chief transmissionman at Klarnath Falls, then returned to Bend Oct. 1, 1944, in a similar capacity. He was wire chief at Pendleton from Jan. 1, 1951, to May 1, 1953, when he came back to home port again. He was named plant service foreman in Bend in December, 1956, and chief supervisor on Nov. 16, 1959.

McCollum and his wife live at 1375 Roosevelt Avenue. They plan to continue to make their home in Bend, and are thinking about a trip back to Kansas this fall.

At noon Wednesday, 10 of Mac's long-time associates honored him at a luncheon at the Pine Tavern. Then open house was held in the lounge at the Kearney Avenue building from 3 to 5 p.m.

Leo Derrington, Portland, division plant manager, presented Mac his retirement pin. Friends throughout Oregon gave him a new slim-line television set. Ken Buxton, switchman at the Bend plant, made the presentation.

**2 teen-agers take poison**

READING, Pa. (UPI) — Two teen-agers, flushed from a home where they had held a woman hostage, died Tuesday night apparently after swallowing potassium cyanide tablets to avoid capture.

Police said the youths, one of them described as a "model boy," had just been taken into custody near Fleetwood, 17 miles from here, when they collapsed. They were pronounced dead on arrival at St. Joseph's Hospital here.

The teen-agers were identified tentatively as Charles E. Montagna, 16, and Edgar Barrone, 18, both of Phillipsburg, N.J.

State police said the search for the boys started Monday after they fled their car following a "relatively minor" auto accident in Fleetwood. They were reported to be armed at the time, and Fleetwood police sought assistance from state police who combed the nearby countryside.

Detective Sgt. Leroy Lilly and Trooper Donald Holloway were in the area near the summer home of Dr. William Hamilton, a dentist, and stopped at the house to check on Mrs. Hamilton. The woman told them she was all right and had not seen anyone.

Police said later the youths had guns trained on both her and the state policemen at the time.

Police surrounded the house and ordered the youths outside after Mrs. Hamilton signaled to a neighbor through a window that the boys were upstairs. She then dashed outside to safety.

New Jersey police said Monday night that Barrone was a parolee from a 1960 auto theft conviction. They described Montagna as a "model boy" who was slated to graduate from Phillipsburg High School with honors and who recently received an award from the Civil Air Patrol.

**150 turn out for open house**

Some 150 Central Oregon residents turned out Tuesday to view exhibits and facilities at the State Highway Department's annual open house, according to Dean Swift, division engineer.

Visitors numbered about 25 more than those who came last year, Swift said. They received guided tours of the offices and shops, and were given refreshments of coffee and pastries.

Visitors had an opportunity to see one of the largest department shops in Oregon, where equipment from about one-fifth of the state is brought in for maintenance and repair.

**Joint appeal on Laos issued**

LONDON (UPI)—Britain and the Soviet Union today jointly appealed for an effective cease-fire in Laos, the Foreign Office disclosed.

In a joint message addressed to neutralist Laotian Premier Prince Souvanna Phouma, they appealed to him to "convey to all parties in Laos their appeal to them to come together without delay to reach agreement."

In the message the two chairmen stated that they fully endorsed the desire of the neutralist group on Laos as expressed in Souvanna's message for peace, concord and strict neutrality in the kingdom of Laos.

The message continued: "At the same time the co-chairmen expressed the earnest hope

that all parties in Laos will afford to the International Control Commission for supervision and control, established by the Geneva agreement, the fullest cooperation and facilities to enable it, in the strict conformity with the Geneva agreement and with the concurrence of the coalition government of Laos as provided in the said agreements, to supervise the settlement and carry out such inquiries as are necessary to inform the co-chairmen and the signatories of the Geneva agreement of the true situation in Laos."

The message also included a copy of a special report from the International Control Commission (ICC) in Laos. The co-chairmen said they "fully endorse the concern expressed in the report and

**Climbers may not lose toes**

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The danger that two U.S. Mt. Everest climbers, Barry Bishop and William F. Unsoeld, might face amputation of their frostbitten toes was lessened, it was reported here today.

A spokesman for the National Geographic Society, a chief sponsor of the expedition, said latest information from Katmandu was "there are no plans to operate."

He said both men have regained feeling in their toes and "this is an encouraging sign."

Bishop, a resident of Washington, D.C., and Unsoeld, of Corvallis, Ore., suffered severe frostbite after reaching the top of Everest.

**Children at Sisters in library reading program**

**Special to The Bulletin**  
SISTERS — The Bookworm Reading Program at the Sisters Public Library runs June 4-16. All children in grades one through four are eligible to participate. Children wishing to take part in the program must register, and those who do not have a library card are asked to get them.

With each book will be a slip to be signed by a parent and returned with the book when it is read. A record is kept of books read by each child. A bookworm card is given each child who reads twelve books, but the award will not be complete unless fifteen books are read.

Library hours are on the back of the library cards and posted on the door.

Mrs. Scott Wilkinson and Mrs. Marvin Sharp and son, Gerald, of Myrtle Point, and Mr. and Mrs.

Gordon Sharp and son, David, of Grants Pass were callers Saturday at the home of Mrs. Lillian Dudding. They are former residents of Sisters.

Mrs. Grace Aitken made a trip to Corvallis, Wednesday, when she was an overnight guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Fred Wiess.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Freese and daughter, Susan, and a friend, Joyce Wiggsmoen all of Seattle, arrived Friday night to spend the weekend visiting at the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Williams were overnight guests Saturday night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Williams in Gervais.

A visitor Wednesday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Painter was Charles Warner who

is home on leave from Viet-Nam where he serves in Army Intelligence. Warner formerly lived in Sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. White of Dexter arrived Monday to spend the week visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Sorenson.

Visitors Sunday afternoon at the

**HOPES FOR VISIT**  
WASHINGTON (UPI)—Despite the differences between the United States and France, President Kennedy hopes President Charles de Gaulle will visit America.

Press Secretary Pierre Salinger said Wednesday that no plans were being made for a visit here by the French leader, but that Kennedy "certainly hopes" De Gaulle will "pay a visit to the United States some time in the future."

home of Mrs. Lillian Dudding were Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Farleigh of Redmond and Tom Farleigh of Arizona.

Members of the Needles and Pines Home Extension Unit who managed the display of the craft at the Home-maker's Fair in Bend, Thursday, were Mrs. Norman Clow, Mrs. Fred Painter, Mrs. Don Baker, Mrs. Fred Craven, Mrs. Kenneth Evans, Mrs. Bob Jackson, Mrs. Charles Morris and Mrs. Pat Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Perit Huntington, Jr., and son, Johnnie, were guests from Sunday until Tuesday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McFadden and Mrs. Kenneth Clark returned home Thursday night after spending three days attending the Rebekah Assembly of Oregon at The Dalles as delegates from Sisters.

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