

Weather

FORECAST: Continued partly cloudy tonight and Saturday with light showers tomorrow. Little change in temperature. Highest Yesterday Temp. 46. Lowest this Morning 31.

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COOS BAY AREA LATEST TO END LUMBER STRIKE

AFL Spokesmen Say Most Mills Should Be Operating Within Week

(By United Press) End of the 10-week-old strike of 60,000 Pacific northwest AFL lumber workers appeared imminent today as mill after mill reported individual settlements with unions and workers returned to their jobs.

Spokesmen said most mills should be operating within another week. Latest settlement was reported in the Coos Bay area, where mill owners agreed to a 15-cent an hour wage increase.

Other labor developments included: Shipping—Four San Francisco locals of the International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's union indicated they would support ILWU President Harry Bridges' criticism of alleged work stoppages on troopships resulting from a strike of CIO and AFL machinists.

Bakers Wait Reply Bakeries—Major San Francisco bakeries awaited reply from striking AFL bakery wagon drivers to an offer to reopen plants "pending orderly negotiation of a new contract."

UAW ASK SURVEY OF NEGOTIATIONS

Detroit, Nov. 30—(U.P.)—United Automobile Workers union (UAW) officials today invited an "impartial" group of persons from public life to examine transcripts of union negotiations with General Motors corporation and recommend a settlement in the 10-day old strike.

The group was asked to meet next Tuesday and Wednesday in Detroit.

ELLSWORTH ASKS PROTEIN SUPPLY

Washington, Nov. 30—(U.P.)—Rep. Harris Ellsworth, R., Ore., today appealed to Secretary of Agriculture Clinton Anderson to overcome a critical shortage of protein meal in Oregon where he said farmers and poultry raisers suffered "substantial losses" because they lacked animal feed.

Low protein meals supplies, Ellsworth said, have resulted in refusals of dealers to take orders from his far-western farmers. He suggested a set-aside order on the meal or a consideration program.

He said he was informed a conservation order was being prepared by the Department of Agriculture "and could be put into effect unless the situation improves."

LABOR-MANAGEMENT CLOSING POSTPONED

Washington, Nov. 30—(U.P.)—The labor-management conference's closing session was delayed today until after noon to give the executive committee more time to try to salvage some agreement on deadlocked issues.

The session originally was scheduled for 11 a. m. At that hour Judge Walter P. Stacy, conference chairman, emerged from a meeting of the executive committee to announce that the session has been deferred until 2 p. m.

Victory Loan Drive "E" Quota \$525,000 "E" Sales to Date \$216,094 Remainder to sell \$308,906

Overwrought Widow Collapses in Court



(Acme Telephoto) Distraught as prosecution set forth brief but challenging accusations during murder trial of Mrs. Annie Irene Mansfeldt at San Francisco, Calif., the defendant collapsed as her own statement, "I was only trying to protect my children and home," was read aloud. Carrying Mrs. Mansfeldt from the courtroom are her defense attorneys, James MacInnis (left) and Vincent Hallinan.

DR. MANSFELDT'S 'CARRYINGS ON' WITH NURSE, TOLD

San Francisco, Nov. 30—(U.P.) The trial of Mrs. Annie Irene Mansfeldt, accused of the murder of Mrs. Vada Martin, was in week-end recess today after five patients and professional associates of the late Dr. John H. Mansfeldt said they had seen him kissing or embracing the attractive nurse.

Atomic Automobile Ready For Showing If Tubes Replaced

London, Nov. 30—(U.P.)—If somebody will replace his copper pipe and vacuum tube, inventor J. W. Wilson said today, he's ready to turn the first atomic automobile loose on the public.

WOULD HONOR LINDY

Washington, Nov. 30—(U.P.)—Rep. Noah M. Mason, R., Ill., proposed the distinguished service medal today for Charles A. Lindbergh for "risking his life" to demonstrate new techniques to army pilots.

Back the attack on inflation with Victory Bonds.

Hess In Sudden, Dramatic Climax Says Amnesia and Insanity Feigned

EX-NAZI DEPUTY READY FOR TRIAL HE TELLS COURT

Loss of Memory Simulated For Tactical Reasons—Court Mulls Sudden Turn

Nuernberg, Nov. 30—(U.P.)—Rudolf Hess testified from the war crimes witness stand today that his pretense of amnesia and insanity was a hoax and that he was quite competent and ready to go ahead with his own trial.

Despite Hess' melodramatic assertion from the stand that his purported loss of memory was faked, the international tribunal withheld an immediate ruling on his mental condition.

Counsel Unconvinced His counsel, preceding Hess in a hearing for which the courtroom was cleared of the other Nazi defendants, pleaded that his client's claim to mental fitness was a part of the quirks of the mind that made him irresponsible.

After sitting through a tedious two and a half hours of the hearing on his case, Hess went to the stand to proclaim his clarity of mind and charge that the tribunal was "not competent" to conduct the war crimes trials.

The testimony provided a sensational climax to Hess' claims for more than three years that he remembered nothing of his doings as deputy chief of the Nazi party and one of the top dogs of the Hitler regime.

Hess began speaking slowly, in an even, controlled voice. "At the beginning I gave my counsel a note saying I believed the proceedings could be shortened if I were allowed to speak myself," he said.

He said he had intended to save the "surprise" until later in the proceedings, but gave no reason why he decided to spring it when he did.

Speaking from scribbled notes, Hess said solemnly: "My memory is again in order. The reasons I simulated a loss of memory were tactical."

He said he had hoodwinked his own counsel as well as a corps of 10 of the greatest psychiatrists the four allied nations had to offer.

Finished, Hess crumpled his note, thrust them into his pocket, sat down, crossed his legs, and surveyed the scene of consternation he had wrought. He smiled slightly.

BRITISH CURTAIL AIR COMPETITOR

London, Nov. 30—(U.P.)—The British government in a surprise move today ordered Pan-Am, splitting atoms in all directions at a cost of 20 cents every 1,000 miles. It won't bother about gasoline.

The grey haired doctor wanted to show off all nine horsepower of his "atomic" yesterday for Emmanuel Shinwell, who as minister of fuel and power must take the risk of finding out about such things.

Butte Falls Cow Steals Livestock Show With Calf

Los Angeles, Nov. 30—(U.P.) An Aberdeen-Angus cow brought here for the Great Western Livestock exhibition stole the show today by giving birth to a coal-black bull calf.

The cow, from the Rancheria Cattle ranch at Butte Falls, Oregon, was brought here by truck from Oregon. Both cow and calf will be auctioned Tuesday.

CAREENING AUTO CAUSES DAMAGE

Considerable damage was caused a car operated by Paul M. Sparks, Jr., route 2, last night in an accident at the Jackson street and Central avenue intersection, city police reported today.

GERMAN VETS IN MASS SUICIDE TRY

Stockholm, Nov. 30—(U.P.)—Former German soldiers interned in South Sweden attempted mass suicide and self-mutilation today when they were ordered out to be extradited by Russian ships waiting at Trelleborg.

Elliott's Mastiff Ordered Destroyed For Attacking Fala

Rhinebeck, N. Y., Nov. 30—(U.P.)—Blaze, the 130-pound English Bull Mastiff owned by Elliott Roosevelt, was destroyed Sunday for attacking Fala, spunky but underweight Scottish pet of the late President Roosevelt.

YAMASHITA IN DENIAL HE KNEW OF SLAUGHTER

Manila, Nov. 30—(U.P.)—Gen. Tomoyuki Yamashita looked today at a prosecution mark marking the sites where 60,000 Filipinos were slaughtered and denied doggedly that he ever heard of any of the killings.

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PROSPECT LOGGER HELD ON BAD CHECK CHARGES

Lester E. Madden, 21-year-old logger of Prospect, is held in the county jail on a charge of issuing worthless checks, sheriff's officers said this morning.

He was arrested at Prospect yesterday on a warrant. Madden pleaded guilty in justice court yesterday and signed his intentions of entering a similar plea in circuit court.

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Brilliant Object Believed Meteor Is Seen In Skies

Reno, Nev., Nov. 30—(U.P.)—A brilliant flaming object believed to be a meteor, which disappeared after alarming hundreds of northern Californians, probably crashed to earth in Nevada's desert wastes, an astronomer speculated today.

HURLEY INVITED TO TELL HOUSE ABOUT COMMIES

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