

Stream of 'Weekend Prospectors' Floods Into Bakersfield Area To Hunt Uranium

Bakersfield, Calif. — (U.P.)—A stream of "weekend prospectors" swelled the ranks of uranium-hunters Saturday and the sheriff's office sent reinforcements to guard against possible claim-jumping violence. Hundreds arrived in cars, trucks, jeeps, helicopters, airplanes and on foot to take part in California's first major uranium boom. Most planned to return Monday to their regular jobs in aircraft plants, groceries, department stores and even civil service.

One grizzled miner who had searched a lifetime for precious metals in the Sierra foothills of the San Joaquin valley claimed the invasion was composed of "greenhorns who don't know what they're looking for." Map Shows "Hot Spot"

The stampede was touched off earlier this week when the Atomic Energy Commission released a map showing three "hot spots" in Eastern Kern county. Hordes of prospectors, mostly amateur, flocked to the area, including two unidentified men who cleaned out an East Palo Alto, Calif., research laboratory of more than \$3,000 worth of Geiger counters and other uranium-hunting devices in a burglary Friday night.

Six additional deputy sheriffs were ordered into the area to watch for any of the lawlessness that went with the California gold rush of a century ago.

So far most claim differences have been ironed out without trouble, officers said.

Mrs. Ina Adkins, postmistress in the town of Caliente described the rush as the "biggest

thing that has ever hit Caliente." "Biggest Thing on Map" "We've been asleep for the last four years," she said. "Now you'd think we're the biggest thing on the map what with all these people coming here." She said all the stores in town (six) were doing "a landslide business. We'll be sold out of everything soon."

Highway patrolman John L.

Benson Announces Plan To Promote Wool Consumption

Salt Lake City — (U.P.)— Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson announced Saturday that agreements have been signed to inaugurate a unique, government-aided program to promote consumption of lamb and wool. The promotional and advertising campaign, costing more than \$2,000,000 a year, will be designed to raise America's production of "the vital fiber of wool" to 300,000,000 pounds a year, a goal set by the last congress.

Subject to Approval An agreement between the government and the American Sheep Producers Council, which includes representatives of seven major groups of sheep raisers, is subject to approval by producers at a referendum to be held this summer. No exact date has been set.

Kegg, who was dispatched to patrol traffic along Highway 176 near Caliente for the first time in history, remarked dryly: "The only thing I have ever herded along this road was sheep. Today though the chore is about the same. Cars are bigger than sheep but the drivers are beginning to act like them."

Stewart Patterson, resident engineer for the Miracle Mine Co., California's first uranium ore producer, reported he was having more trouble with news-reel and television camera crews than prospectors. "I've had to chase those birds off about 10 times already, he said. 350 Claims Filed

So far about 350 claims have been filed since the AEC unveiled its map Tuesday. AEC officials said about 2,000 persons had jammed the local office to study the map.

Mining Attorney Alfred Siemon said most of the uranium hunters were doomed to disappointment because "the hot spots are located on federal reserves."

"The AEC wants everyone to find mountains of uranium," he said. "At the same time, other government agencies are worried about forest and power reserves. It's going to take a lot of congressional action to clear up the matter to allow mining in these areas."

News About Servicemen

ON LEAVE James Ray Goin and Dan Roy Goin, both Army privates, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Franklin Goin, Phoenix, are visiting on leave with their parents after completing basic training in the Army. Both entered the Army Dec. 27, 1954, and both formerly attended Phoenix schools.

Dan Goin will report to his new station at Ft. Knox, Ky., on completion of his two-week leave. He will be a member of the 3rd armored division there. James Goin will go to Ft. Lewis, Wash., where he is assigned to the quartermaster corps with the 2nd infantry division.

OPERATION SPRINGBOARD Frank M. Hayes, a Navy chief aviation electronics technician, son of Martin A. Hayes, of Medford, is participating in "Operation Springboard," in the Caribbean area. The operation is a winter training session conducted annually to maintain individual units in readiness and to insure effective coordination of units which function together as teams.

AT PROVING GROUNDS Marine Cpl. Bill H. Day, son of Mrs. Robert Force, Route 1, Box 970, Medford now is at the atomic energy commission proving grounds at Camp Desert Rock, Nev. He has been there for the latest series of atomic tests. While there he will participate in an air-ground exercise. He is a member of the 3rd Marine Corps provisional atomic exercise brigade which was flown to the desert site to participate in the atomic attack problems. Day's wife is the former Miss Alice Hale of Central Point.

Local and Personal

Radiator Stolen —James W. Rolls, 512 Summit ave., told city police Friday that an automobile radiator had been stolen from his residence.

Binoculars Missing —City police said Saturday a pair of binoculars, owned by Emmet M. Tucker, 543 Tucker st., Ashland, had been reported stolen from his car while it was parked near the Medford post office.

Dog Bites Boy —Gary Spafford, 9, was bitten by an unidentified dog on West Jackson st. Friday, his mother, Mrs. Margaret Velma Spafford, 437 Ross lane, has reported to city police.

Billfold Lost —Avery John Monckton, 200 Ashland st., Ashland, lost a billfold containing \$18 in downtown Medford Saturday, he reported to city police.

Bike Licenses —Phoenix bicyclists may purchase licenses for their vehicles each Monday between 3 and 5 p.m. at the Phoenix City hall, the city recorder there announced Saturday.

Rummage —Medford Lions club members will sponsor a rummage sale Tuesday and Wednesday, March 22 and 23, at 106 North Ivy st., from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., each day. Those having rummage to donate are asked to deliver it by 7 p.m. Monday, March 21, to the Ivy street address, or call A. M. Perkins, telephone 2-7103, for pick-up service.

Bike Stolen —Stephen H. Shorey, 706 Beekman st., reported to city police Friday that a girl's bicycle had been stolen from the residence at that address.

In Hospital —Harry Ropp, 407 Beatty st., was admitted for surgery, and Mrs. Clara Bjork, 1405 West Main st., for medical treatment, at Osteopathic hospital Saturday, the hospital reported.

Falls From Ladder —Lee Cook, 28, of 121 Walden lane, Talent, fell from a ladder at the Phillips orchard, on Fern Valley rd., Saturday morning, according to Medford Ambulance service attendants who took him to Community hospital for treatment. The hospital reported him in good shape yesterday afternoon.

No Representative —City police have received a letter from Margaret Burnham's Candies, Oakland, Calif., which indicates the firm has received reports that someone in the Medford area is representing himself as an agent of that company. No such authorized agent is in this area, the letter said.

Property Sold —Sale of the property of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Morehead at 1429 East Main st., to Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Gay was announced Saturday by Bill Kerr of the Fidler-MacKenzie agency. The Moreheads are taking a suite at the Medford hotel for the present.

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Obituaries

NEWTON SHARPLES

Servicemen for Newton A. Sharples, 85, of 16 Chestnut st., who died Friday, will be held in Conger-Morris chapel Tuesday at 1 p.m. with Maurice Tisdell of the West Main Church of Christ officiating. Committal will be in Siskiyou Memorial park.

The deceased was born May 15, 1869, in Harrodsburg, Ind., and had lived in southern Oregon since 1930. He was a member of the West Main Church of Christ.

Survivors include two brothers, J. F. Sharples, Zurich, Mont., and Thomas, Clinton, Mont.; and four sisters, Mrs. David E. Wilson, Central Point; Mrs. A. J. Keckham, Bloomington, Ind.; Mrs. Gayton Armstrong, Havre, Mont.; and Mrs. C. H. Smith, Fort Benton, Mont.

LULA SAYLOR

Private services for Mrs. Lula M. Saylor, who died Friday, will be read by a Christian Scientist in Conger-Morris chapel Monday afternoon. Interment will be in Siskiyou Memorial park.

The deceased was born June 22, 1886, at Lincoln, Ill., the daughter of Thomas B. and Bertha L. Rimmer. On Oct. 12, 1911, at Lake Creek, Ore., she was married to Claude L. Saylor, who survives. She had been a resident of southern Oregon since 1910.

Other survivors include her mother; a daughter, Mrs. E. Clair Stearns; five sisters and three brothers in Peoria, Ill., and a grandson, Fellow.

LELA HANGAS

Mrs. Lela Y. Hargas, 58, died Friday at her home in Gold Hill. Conger-Morris has charge of the funeral arrangements.

ADELARD DALLAIRE

Funeral services for Adelard Dallaire, 76, Route 3, Jacksonville, who died March 18, will be held at the Sacred Heart Catholic church at 9 a. m. Tuesday, with the Very Rev. N. J. Deis officiating.

Interment will follow in the Jacksonville cemetery. Recitation of the holy rosary will be held at the Perl funeral home at 7:30 p. m. Monday.

Mr. Dallaire was born in Canada on Dec. 2, 1878, and had been a resident of southern Oregon for the past 38 years.

He leaves his widow, Agnes, Jacksonville; five sons, John F., Raymond B. and Phillip A. Dallaire, Medford; Victor J. Dallaire, Rome, Italy; and Thomas D. Dallaire, Hayfork, Calif.; a daughter, Mrs. Mary French, Paradise, Calif.; four brothers, Victor, Jacksonville, Ariz. and Joe, New York; and Tressley, Alberta, Canada; and a sister, Mrs. Anna O'Neil, Canada.

McWHORTER DAUGHTERS

The twin infant daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McWhorter, Trail, died at a Medford hospital Saturday morning.

Graveside funeral services will be held at the Medford IOOF cemetery at 2 p. m. Tuesday, with the Rev. George R. V. Bolster, rector of St. Mark's Episcopal church, officiating.

Perl funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

LONGAN INFANT

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Lee Longan, Sunset on the Rogue Trail, died at a local hospital Saturday morning. Funeral arrangements are pending, and will be handled by Perl funeral home.

GEORGE P. FOSTER

Funeral services for George Parker (Dutch) Foster, 46, a resident of the Applegate valley for the past five months who died at a local hospital Tuesday, will be held Wednesday at 10:30 a. m. at Perl funeral home, with Lt. George S. Johnstone, of the Salvation Army, officiating.

Interment will follow at Siskiyou Memorial park.

A native of Kane, Pa., he was born Sept. 1, 1908.

He leaves his wife, Katherine Foster, and four step-children, Jack Frederick, Medford, Robert Frederick, Compton, Calif., Mrs. Pauline Flint, Montebello, Calif., and Mrs. Mary Brighton, Bellingham, Wash.

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Wartime Red Hero, Marked for Death, Dies After Illness

London — (U.P.)— Deputy Soviet Defense Minister Marshal Leonid Govorov, one of the five Soviet leaders who were reported marked for death in Russia's so-called "doctor's plot," died Saturday.

The death of the defender of Leningrad and one of Russia's outstanding artillery experts, was announced by Radio Moscow in a broadcast monitored here.

Moscow Radio said the Marshal died after "a prolonged and grave illness."

The broadcast announcement was made by the Central Committee of the Communist party and the Council of Ministers.

Govorov, Deputy to Defense Minister Georgi Zhukov, also was a candidate member of the party's Central Committee.

The broadcast described Govorov as "one of the outstanding military leaders and builders of the U.S.S.R. armed forces, a famous hero of the great fatherland (Second World) war."

Govorov commanded the Leningrad front in January, 1943, when the city was saved from the invading Nazis.

He later commanded the Karelian offensive.

The Supreme Organization of the Soviet Union made the announcement of the Marshal's death "with great sorrow" and said Govorov had suffered a long and serious illness.

In January, 1953, Marshal Govorov was named as one of the five high officers of the Soviet Army who were supposedly slated for death at the hands of a group of Jewish doctors Premier Stalin accused of treason.

The "doctor's plot" was exploded and the doctors were exonerated after Stalin's death.

CHIROPRACTORS MEET Salem — (U.P.)—More than 100 chiropractic physicians and their wives met here Saturday for the annual tri-district convention of the Oregon Association of Chiropractic Physicians. The meeting will continue through today.

Man Surrenders in Douglas County After Holding Wife at Gunpoint for 24 Hours

Roseburg — (U.P.)— James Darrell Fenty, 28, who hitchhiked to Oregon from California in an attempt to regain the custody of his three young children, was in custody Saturday after police said he held his wife prisoner at gunpoint for nearly 24 hours.

Fenty, of Indio, Calif., was arraigned in Justice Court at Sutherlin Friday for assault with a deadly weapon. He was arrested at 6:05 a.m. at Oakland after officers had surrounded his wife's house and pleaded with him all Thursday night to surrender.

Asked for Children Fenty, an unemployed construction worker, said he first visited his estranged wife, Dorothy Alice, 21, Wednesday afternoon to ask for custody of their three children, aged two and three years and 10 months.

Mrs. Fenty refused, he said. He returned to the two-room cabin at about 7 a.m. Thursday with the pistol, which he had purchased in a Los Angeles pawnshop.

Later in the morning a baby-sitter and Alvin Maurice Cockrum, 31, Mrs. Fenty's landlord, came to the house and were held.

Mrs. Jerry Blalock, a sister of

Mrs. Fenty, went to the house at 3 p.m. to see why Mrs. Fenty had not gone to work, and persuaded Fenty to release the children and the baby-sitter. She then called police. Cockrum was released at 9 p.m.

State and county officers and police from Oakland and nearby Sutherlin, some 30 officers in all, responded to the call and surrounded the cabin. Officers pleaded through an open window with Fenty to release his wife, while the man held the pistol to the woman's head and

threatened to shoot her. Finally he threw the weapon through the window and surrendered.

Mrs. Fenty, nervous and exhausted from her ordeal, said, "It was hell."

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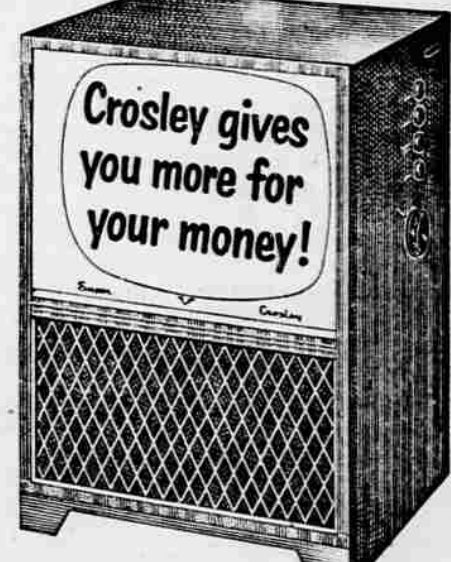
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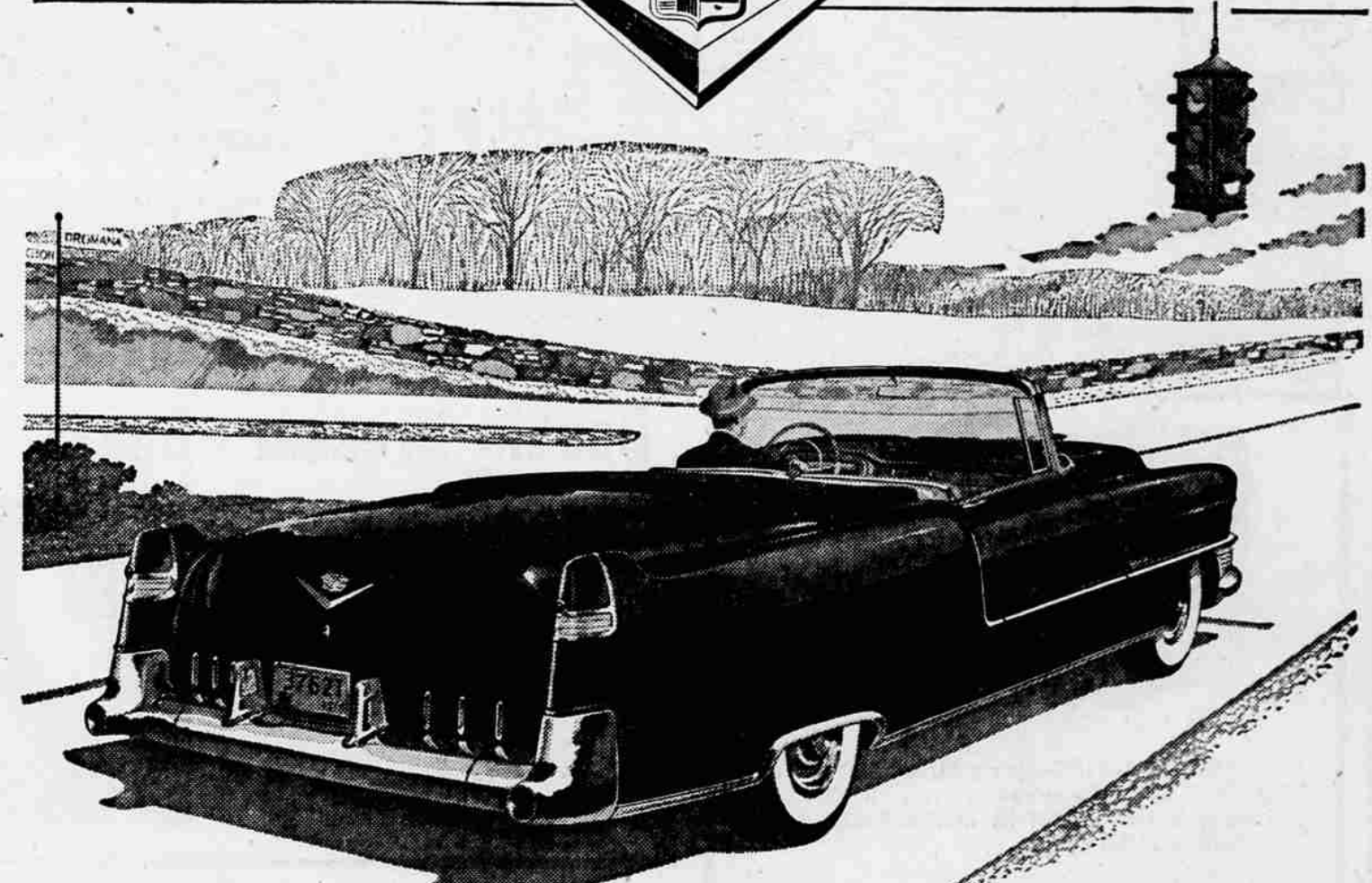
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