

# Argentine Navy Men Said Insisting on Removal of Peron

Editor's Note: United Press-Motion Picture Camera Al Waldron has come out of Buenos Aires with the first uncensored account of conditions inside Argentina since the revolution. He reports that while Juan D. Peron still is president, he may not have won the revolution after all.

By AL WALDRON  
Montevideo, Uruguay—(U.P.)—Argentine navy leaders aboard battleships and cruisers in the River Plate off Buenos Aires today were reported insisting on the complete elimination of President Juan D. Peron from the Argentine government.

A three-man military council was reported negotiating with the navy men when I left Buenos Aires at 3:30 p.m. Wednesday. The army men, according to widespread reports, are exercising the inside power in the government and want to keep Peron in and work out a change gradually.

Here, I believe, is the first uncensored account of conditions inside Argentina to come out since last week's revolution. The news of Peron's excommunication by the Roman Catholic Church has not been printed in Buenos Aires nor has it been broadcast over the Argentine radio.

However, many have heard it on the broadcasts from Uruguay and the church has been seeing that it was well circulated by word of mouth.

**Admiral Blamed For Revolt**  
Chief blame for the revolution may be placed on Vice Admiral Benjamin Gargiulo. Gargiulo shot himself at the Ministry of Navy building last Thursday afternoon when the army won out.

One of the first steps of the new look in government was to cut out all the big photographs of a smiling Peron doing this or that on almost every page of the official press. The official radio stopped talking about "Eva Peron passing into immortality" at 8:25 p.m. as it has done nightly since her death at that hour three years ago.

When the foreign correspondents noticed the omission they sent long stories about it

through the Argentine censorship. The next day one small picture of Peron was ordered printed in each official paper and the reference to Evita's immortality was put back on the air.

That was thought by some to be an indication of the army's desire to keep surface indications unchanged.

There were reports that the revolt had three civilian leaders. One of them was said to be former Radical Deputy Miguel Angel Zavala Ortiz, who flew in a navy plane to Uruguay and later acted as spokesman for the navy fliers in Montevideo.

Another was reported to be Americo Chidli, well-known Argentine Socialist leader who is a refugee in Uruguay and has been for some time. The third, it was said, would be some political figure from the Conservative Party.

**Return To Normal**  
Outwardly in Buenos Aires, things are returning to normal. On Wednesday morning, troops were sent back to their barracks.

Trolley buses were running behind the government house and some offices in the government house itself had been opened for business. But there won't be complete tranquility about the location and intentions of the Argentine navy, now rumored 20 miles off Buenos Aires.

The two newest cruisers of the five in the Argentine navy are "Ninth of July" and the "Seventeenth of October," both purchased for a song from the United States in 1951. Many of the people to whom I talked believed that if Peron had time he could work his way out of his present difficulty.

They described him as a smooth, extraordinarily able man who might be able to play off opposing forces to his own advantage as he has done so often in the past. Other persons thought his dictatorial powers never would return.

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## Longtime Teacher Here Dies in East

Funeral services will be held at Washington, D. C., Friday, June 24, at 1 p.m., for Ray Henderson, 72, longtime Medford teacher, who died there Wednesday as the result of a fall last Monday.

Mr. Henderson taught at the Medford Junior High school and retired from teaching several years ago. Last fall he left Medford to live at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Sterling G. Mead, the former Miss Lela Henderson, at 5101 38th st., N. W. Washington, D. C. He had been a resident of Medford for about 35 years.

Hysongs Funeral home, 1300 N. st., N. W. Washington, is in charge of the funeral services.

Mr. Henderson is survived by a niece, Mrs. James Shoemaker, 1030 Jasper st., Medford, and two brothers in Portland, John C. Henderson, and Maurice L. Henderson. Mrs. Henderson, a former Jackson school teacher, died several years ago.

## George Simmons New State DAV Officer

George Simmons, 606 Valley View dr., a past commander of the Jackson county chapter of the Disabled American Veterans, was elected senior vice-commander of the state DAV at the recent state convention in Tillamook.

Mrs. Simmons was elected junior vice-commander of the state auxiliary. She is a past-president of the local auxiliary.

Simmons, a veteran of World War II, served as state junior vice-commander in 1953-54, and on the state executive committee during the past year.

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## Prison Officials Awaiting Details Of Michigan Escape

Ionia, Mich. —(U.P.)—A 19-year-old confessed killer who escaped Michigan State Reformatory by hiding in a shipping case was scheduled to be questioned today about the details of his story-book flight.

Prison officials said they did not question James Vincent Ecker, Saginaw, Mich., immediately after he was recaptured Wednesday night because he was "too exhausted" by his rigorous attempts to throw police off his trail.

**Spotted in River**  
Ecker surrendered meekly after a prison clerk, E. N. Wakefield, spotted him standing in water up to his neck in the Grand River a half mile from the prison.

Ward Karlvac, an assistant deputy at the reformatory, said authorities had no trouble apprehending Ecker because he was surrounded "while in the water and 'couldn't do a thing'."

While he was being returned to prison, Ecker told his captors he had walked in circles all night and slept in a wheat field. He said he had lived on wild berries and was "starving and dead tired."

**Bragged About Escape**  
Despite his fatigue, the youth bragged about his escape, the first break from the reformatory in several years.

The fugitive confirmed the authorities' belief that he had escaped by hiding in a packing crate which was shipped out of the prison by a private trucking firm. He said he cut his way out of the crate with a knife and jumped off the truck a few blocks from the prison.

"He was too exhausted to question immediately so we just locked him up and let him sleep it off," Deputy Warden George Kropp said. "We'll question him about the details of his escape when he wakes up."

**PRODUCTION GAIN**  
New York—Margarine output in the U.S. was 1,364 million pounds in 1954 and only 426 million pounds in 1942.

**CANCER TOLL**  
About 3,500 children under age 15 died of cancer in 1954.

## Simultaneous Fires Burn at White City

Two simultaneous fires in the White City area kept crews from Central Point Rural Fire district and the Veterans Administration Fire department at Camp White busy late yesterday afternoon.

The Central Point Rural Fire department was called to extinguish a grass fire near the White City Cafe on Crater Lake highway, and when equipment arrived, a fire in sawdust and grass at R. L. Cowden property on Crater Lake highway was reported.

The Veterans Administration Fire department, of which Bill Cody is chief, extinguished the grass fire at White City cafe, while Central Point Rural district equipment was dispatched to Cowden's property east of the Ross Lumber company.

No damage was reported, although the fire on Cowden's property threatened the residence because of unfavorable wind conditions.

## Nehalem Youth Dies In Mill Pond Mishap

Nehalem, Ore. —(U.P.)—A 17-year-old Nehalem Union high school athlete drowned yesterday in a mill pond less than two hours after he started working at the Crook Creek Shingle Mill nine miles from here.

The victim was Ronald Manke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Manke of Nehalem. He was to have been a senior student at high school next fall.

Body of the youth was recovered from the pond five minutes after he was discovered missing. He was rushed to a Wheeler hospital, but was dead on arrival.

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MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—ELEVEN

## Advertising Said Far Behind Production

Portland —(U.P.)—The president of the Advertising Association of the West says the business of producing merchandise is 50 years ahead of selling it.

Clair Henderson of Denver, who arrived here last night to make plans for the association's annual convention starting Sunday, said: "Advertising is, or should be the power of marketing or selling, but in our effective use of that tool we are 50 years behind our counterpart in production."

He said he believed industry was going to have devote more thought to selling products which new techniques can turn out in greatly increased volume.

## Hornbrook

Hornbrook—Week end guests at the Edward C. Smith home here were their son, Dr. E. M. Smith, and Dr. William Whetmore and wife of Davis, Calif.

On June 15 Smith and Whetmore received their degrees in veterinary medicine at Davis and were returning from Portland, Ore., where they took the Oregon state examinations.

Guests at the L. E. Jeter home here were his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Shriveley, Glendale, Calif.

The knitting club met June 21 at the home of Mrs. Marshall Horn. Members present were Mrs. H. H. Chapman, Mrs. J. W. Hodges, Mrs. L. C. Walsh, Mrs. L. E. Jeter, Mrs. L. E. Breceda and the hostess, Mrs. Horn.

James Herr of San Francisco is spending summer vacation at the home of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. L. Breceda.

## Bomber Crewmen Hurt in Crash

Anchorage, Alaska —(U.P.)—The entire crew of a Navy Neptune patrol bomber escaped death late yesterday when the twin-engined plane crashed and burned on St. Lawrence Island less than 50 miles from Soviet Siberia.

The exact number of crewmen were not known, nor was it known how many were hurt in the crash, according to Maj. Glade Halse, public information officer for the Alaskan Air Command here.

However, there were injuries, Halse said, and rescue operations were underway. A Neptune bomber ordinarily carries a crew of 11, he said.

The bomber was based on Kodiak and was on a routine patrol mission when it crashed, the officer said.

## Two Cars Collide On Table Rock Road

Sheriff's officers and state police reported a two car accident about 8 p.m. yesterday on Table Rock rd., near Hamrick rd.

Drivers of the vehicles were Verdel Granville Cox, 27, route 2, box 163-A, Central Point, and Sam Huston, 23, route 2, box 163-A, Central Point. Some \$50 property damage was done to a fence owned by Robert D. Pech, route 2, box 259, Medford. It was reported there were no injuries.

Huston was cited for having no operator's license.

## Mining Claims Filed With County Clerk

Three quartz location notices were filed with the county clerk yesterday.

F. L. Bradfield Jr., route 1, box 350-A, Gold Hill, filed claims to be known as Planet No. 1 and Planet No. 3, both in the Foothills Creek mining district. Tungsten was listed as the mineral.

O. F. Wright, Blythe, Cal., filed a claim "Lucky Finis" in the Steamboat mining district, naming gold and other minerals as the strike.

## Professional Engineers Schedule Ladies Night

The Rogue Valley section of the Professional Engineers of Oregon will hold their annual "ladies night" meeting tomorrow at 7 p.m. in the Pioneer room of the Jackson hotel, according to Bob Lee, president.

Dr. Edwin G. Ebbinghausen, science professor at the University of Oregon, will talk on rocket travel, Lee said. Dancing for those who wish will follow. Approximately 60 people are expected at the once-a-year program.

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