

Weather
FORECASTS: Decreasing shower activity tonight, becoming partly cloudy with widely scattered showers Wednesday. Low tonight 47. High Wednesday 75. Temp. High Yesterday 82. Lowest this Morning 54. Prec. to 4:30 a.m. Today .07

FOUR-YEAR EXTENSION OF DRAFT LAW VOTED

Exploration for Oil Moves Nearer; Group Presents Lease Plan

Sams Valley — Exploration for oil in Sams Valley, Beagle, Ramsey Canyon and Meadows districts in northern Jackson county came closer to reality last night after a Landowners committee reported the findings of a five-month investigation.

Big Steel Keeps Solid Front in New Wage Offers

Pittsburgh — (U.P.) — The steel industry, faced with a crippling strike threatened for midnight Thursday, kept a solid front today in offering the CIO United Steelworkers wage increases averaging 10 cents an hour.

The JAL proposal also was rejected. The industry's top producers met in simultaneous bargaining sessions with union negotiators in a down-the-stretch drive to head off a strike threatened among 600,000 steelworkers.

Paper Box Blast Reported Sunday

A newspaper box in front of 1650 Grand ave., Medford, was blown off its post early Sunday morning, sheriff's officers reported today.

One of Missing Fliers Located

Yokosuka, Japan, Wednesday (U.P.) — One of two missing U.S. Marine Corps fliers drifting on a fog-covered sea since their fighter-bomber crashed four days ago was sighted today by rescue aircraft.

Baseball

Table with baseball scores: AMERICAN Kansas City 5 14 2 Cleveland 7 6 0 Ditmar, Caccarelli (5), Sain (8) and Astrow, W. Shantz (8); Garcia, Narleski (6) and Hegan. Home runs: Doby, Cleveland; Simpson, Kansas City.

worked with the Natural Resources association of San Jose, Calif., in surveying the area. The committee, he said, reached an agreement with the brokerage association to have leases for 12,000 acres of land deposited for safe keeping until an oil company interested in drilling in the area is contacted.

James pointed out the leases will be placed in a safe deposit box in a Medford bank, and will be removed only when three committee members and an association representative are present.

From the date of the lease, he said, the association will have 18 months to contact an oil company financially secure, and have that company commence drilling. If at the end of 18 months, no company has obtained the leases, they will be removed from the safe deposit box and destroyed, he said.

However, if an oil company desires, and obtains, the leases and has not started drilling within the 18 months after the lease date, the company may be required to rent rights in lieu of drilling for \$25 per acre per year.

The leases are for five years, he said, and added that they will not be recorded in the Jackson county recorder's office until they are obtained by a company committee to decide.

James said the association will contact oil companies after leases for 12,000 acres are available. He pointed out the committee will have the power to decide which company it deems financially secure to develop the area, and will have control of leases until obtained by a company.

Midwest Tornadoes Kill Four Persons

By UNITED PRESS
A four-state rampage of tornado winds and lethal thunderstorms last night and early today killed at least four persons, injured almost 100, and caused more than half a million dollars' damage.



DESCRIBES ATTACK—Navy Airman J. F. Rump, Walden, Mass., radarman aboard Navy bomber shot down by two Russian fighters, shows other members of the crew how the planes came in from behind the bomber. (Left to right): Lt. (jg) D. M. Lockhart, co-pilot, Alameda, Cal.; Lt. R. H. Fischer, pilot, Del Rey Oaks, Cal.; Rump; Lt. (jg) G. T. Sloan, co-pilot, Oakland, Cal.; the men are shown at Kodiak, Alaska.

Dulles Doubts Attack on Plane Shows Russ Policy

Washington — (U.P.) — Secretary of State John Foster Dulles today deplored "trigger-happy" Soviet action in shooting down an American Navy plane last week. But he said he nevertheless hopes next month's Geneva "summit" conference with the Russians can begin "on the assumption that all of the four participants genuinely desire a secure peace."

Adenauer Warning of War Dangers Arouses German Lower House

Bonn, Germany — (U.P.) — Chancellor Konrad Adenauer told a tumultuous Parliament today that West Germany must rearm because the East German Communists were preparing an armed force of 150,000 men "for civil war against us."

Price of Haircuts Going Up 25 Cents

The price of haircuts will increase 25 cents on July 1, it was announced today by Al Bradford, secretary of Local 269 Journeymen Barber's union. The cost for adults will be \$1.50 and for children \$1.25 in union barbershops in Medford and surrounding towns, Bradford said. He said the increase is the first raise in price for children since 1946 and for adults since 1951.

Mining Claim Labor Affidavits Due July 1

Mining claim affidavits of labor must be filed in the Jackson county recorder's office prior to 12 noon July 1. The affidavits must list \$100 worth of improvements made to claims during the past year.

Forced Routing of Railroad Shipments Receives Study

Salem — (U.P.) — Forced routing of railroad freight shipments was studied here yesterday when the governor's emergency transportation committee held its first meeting to find a solution to Oregon's current boxcar shortage.

Foreign Aid Bill Comes Under Fire From Republicans

Amendment To Clip Request Sought
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