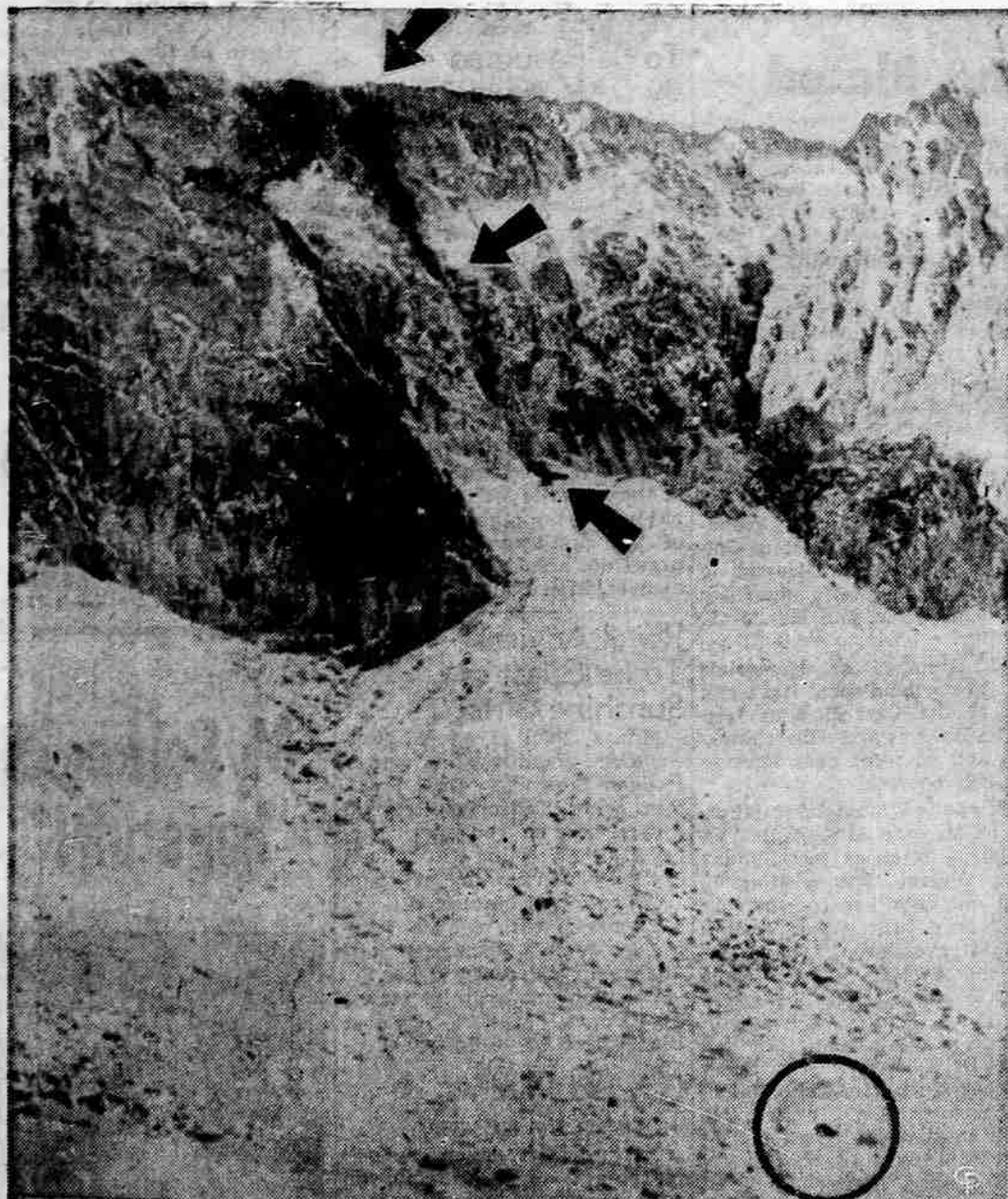




CRASHING AGAINST MOUNTAIN, United Air Lines plane is demolished with loss of 66 lives. Top arrow indicates point of impact against Medicine Bow peak, west of Laramie, Wyo. Middle arrow points to ledge where most of bodies and large part of debris came to rest. Bottom arrow is where wing and three bodies were found. Circled is tire hurled from plane when it struck 200 feet below the mountain peak. (International Soundphoto)

Climbers Remove Bodies From Scene Of Plane Crash

Laramie, Wyo. — (U.P.) — Mountain climbers hope to bring out today the last of the bodies of 66 persons who were killed last Thursday when a United Air Lines plane crashed against Medicine Bow peak in the worst disaster in the history of U. S. commercial aviation.

The mountain climbers, university students for the most part brought out 24 more bodies yesterday, by using a long nylon rope and pack horses. The 24 brought down yesterday raised the total recovered to 36.

All of the remaining bodies except 10 have been sighted. These 10 may be under wreckage, though it is possible that some were disintegrated by the explosion after the crash and can never be found.

Recovery work is slow because it is cold on the mountain, the air is painfully thin and night comes about 3:30 p.m. In addition to that, the workers are constantly endangered by pieces of wreckage and stones shaken loose by the wind.

More Than 100 Here for Conclave

More than 100 delegates had registered up to noon today for the joint conventions of the Knights of Pythias, grand lodge of Oregon, and the Pythian Sisters.

The conclave is the 71st annual convention of the Knights, and the 59th for the Sisters.

At a joint session this morning, Walter Gleason, Portland, grand secretary, reported on the Oregon-Washington Pythian home in Vancouver, Wash. This afternoon business was to include plans for conducting the 11th annual national speaking contest on highway safety, sponsored by the KPs, and an outline of the grand chancellor's program, by Deputy Supreme Chancellor Nelson L. Leland, Bend.

Several social events started the convention festivities yesterday, and a banquet will be held in the Elks temple in Ashland this evening, followed by a ball. Concluding sessions will be held tomorrow.

High Court To Rule On Communists' Jobs

Washington — (U.P.) — The Supreme Court today agreed to hand down a sweeping ruling on the job-rights of Communists in private industry.

The high court accepted for review an appeal by the independent Bio-Lab Union of Cutter Laboratories, Berkeley, Calif., from a state court decision that employment of Communists is "against public policy."

The high court will soon schedule arguments on the case and later hand down an opinion.

The California Supreme Court upheld last January Cutter's firing of Mrs. Doris Walker, president of the Cutter union, in violation of a collective bargaining agreement.

Neuberger To Study Diversion of Canada Water To Northwest

Portland — (U.P.) — Sen. Richard L. Neuberger (D-Ore.) said today he would undertake a study for the Senate Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs on the effect of possible Canadian water diversion on Pacific Northwest power and irrigation projects.

Neuberger, a member of the committee, said he had received instructions from Sen. James E. Murray, committee chairman, to make a preliminary inquiry into "Canadian plans for storage and upstream diversion of Columbia basin water." Murray told Neuberger that "these reported plans, coupled with fact that negotiations for additional water storage across the international boundary are stalemated, would have a major impact on legislation now before the committee."

Neuberger said he planned to talk informally with government officials, members of the Canadian Parliament and other persons in western Canada, particularly in the vicinity of the proposed upper Columbia river storage projects on the Canadian side of the border.

"This is a life-and-death matter to the economy of the Northwest," Neuberger said. "Diversion of the upper Columbia river by Canada might leave our multi-purpose projects on the Columbia river virtually stranded."

"On the other hand," Neuberger said, "wise development of Canada's vast upland storage potentials can increase the power output of every federal project on the American side of the boundary at a very favorable cost per kilowatt-hour, with the best possibility of maximizing economic benefits for the whole Columbia river basin in both nations."

Faure Maps Strategy On Algerian Policies

Paris — (U.P.) — Premier Edgar Faure called in his new defense minister today to chart strategy for a National Assembly assault on his Algerian policies.

Faure survived a vote of confidence Sunday on his handling of Morocco but he was harassed by a wave of violence by Algerian nationalists in France and a 24 hour strike by French colonists in Morocco.

Defense Minister Pierre Billotte made a flying inspection trip to Morocco and flew back to Paris for today's meeting with the premier.

Billotte brought with him the welcome news that he did not think it would be necessary to order further recalls of reservists to fight the outbreak of guerrilla warfare in Morocco.

It was good news for France where 500 angry draftees continued in Rouen when the army tried to ship them to North Africa and where resentment was fast undermining Faure's position.

But resentment against the handling of Algeria — legally an integral part of France — erupted into violence Sunday and police killed at least two rioters at the northern steel town of Douai.

The Algerian nationalists, tightening the screw on the still shaky Faure government, staged organized riots throughout the nation and threatened others.

Shoe Shine Booth To Aid United Crusade

The United Medford Crusade fund raising campaign will be aided Saturday, Oct. 15, when 20-30 club members will conduct a shoe shine booth on downtown Medford streets.

The booth will be at the corner of East Main st. and Central ave., at the United States National Bank building. Betty Miller, 1955 queen of the Catfish derby, will assist club members at the booth.

The club annually conducts a shoe shine project to assist the UMC fund drive.

Medford Boy Killed In Auto Accident

Dufur, Ore. — (U.P.) — Three-year-old Donald Lewis Palacios, Medford, was killed instantly early Sunday when the car in which he was riding plunged over an embankment two miles south of here on highway 197.

The boy was riding in a car driven by his father, Fernando Q. Palacios, who was not injured. State police said the Palacios vehicle hit the soft shoulder, veered across the highway pavement and went over the bank.

Fernando Q. Palacios is employed at Ross Lumber company in a planing mill. He was off work because of Ross Lumber company's close-down. His address has been listed as 2520 Merriman rd.

Atomic Tests Planned In Nevada Next Month

Washington — (U.P.) — The Atomic Energy Commission announced today that it will conduct a series of "safety" tests with atomic weapons at the AEC's Nevada proving grounds starting Nov. 1.

The tests will be conducted at the Nevada Test Site, near the town of Primm, about 65 miles from Las Vegas.

The tests will be conducted by the Air Force and the Navy, and will involve the use of atomic bombs and other nuclear weapons.

Snow Slides Close Pass in Washington

Olympia — (U.P.) — Chinook Pass was closed to traffic today because of snow slides, but the State Highway department said it expected to have the route open again in a couple of days.

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Diplomats Assure U.S. Wants To Be Sure That Others Are Dropping Arms

Secretary of State Addresses Legionnaires

Miami, Fla. — (U.P.) — Secretary of State John Foster Dulles said today the United States will not disarm "unless we can be sure that others are doing the same."

While emphasizing that he hopes the world is moving into an "era of peaceful change," Dulles said that nevertheless the United States does not "intend to be reckless" in respect to disarmament.

He noted that the United States had disarmed after World War I and World War II only to have to rebuild a third time for the Korean war.

Wants Assurance

"This time we do not propose to disarm ourselves unless we can be sure that others are doing the same," Dulles told the American Legion's 37th annual convention.

"That is not because the American people have gone militaristic," he added.

"It is because we have learned the hard way. The Soviet Union itself, in Korea, helped to teach us that disarmament, if it may prove to be one-sided, does not produce peace."

To Compel Relaxation

Dulles also said in his greeting to some 50,000 American Legionnaires that the force of world opinion will compel Russia to relax its grip on East Germany and other satellites.

He said there are skeptics who doubt that such changes could be brought about peacefully but said history does not justify this conclusion. He noted that Austria recently was liberated primarily because of world opinion demanding such a step.

The Legion's convention was confronted with the issue of "UNESCO."

Eruption Expected Later

An internal dispute over the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization probably will not erupt until later this week but the fuse was already lit as the mammoth convention got underway with a round of welcoming speeches.

Dulles came to Miami just before his scheduled departure for the foreign ministers conference at Geneva. He will make a quick trip to Denver for talks with President Eisenhower on recent world developments before his departure for Geneva.

Humphrey Raps Agriculture Pamphlet

Washington — (U.P.) — Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey (D-Minn.) has called for an investigation of the Agriculture Department's distribution of what he called "pure, unadulterated political propaganda."

Humphrey said Sunday that the Agriculture Department's new pamphlet entitled "Facts Important to Farmers" contains "misrepresentations and half truths, improperly circulated at taxpayers' expense."

The department distributed 3,000 copies of the fact sheet last Thursday to its regular mailing list.

Hitler's Valet Tells of Burning Bodies Of German Dictator and His Mistress

Berlin — (U.P.) — A Nazi major who served Adolf Hitler as valet said today he himself poured gasoline on the bodies of the self-slain dictator and his mistress and watched their bodies burn.

The day was April 30, 1945. Hitler's 1,000-year Reich was collapsing in ruins between the Allied and Red armies. Berlin was in flames, shattered by Allied planes and Soviet artillery.

Mistress Takes Poison

The ruined dictator stepped into a bedroom of his underground bunker and sent a bullet crashing into his brain which had conceived the 1,000-year Reich. His mistress, Eva Braun, took poison.

"I can confirm to the whole world that Hitler is dead and that I saw his corpse burned," the Nazi major, valet Hans Linke, said in an interview.

Linke returned to West Berlin Saturday with other prisoners freed by the Russians and gave the world the first eye-witness account of those final hours.

Sees Successor's Death

He also said he had witnessed the death of the mysterious Martin Bormann, the man chosen by Hitler as his successor. The No. 2 Nazi burned in a tank as he tried to flee the Red armies, Linke said.

The main story came from Linke and it began on the evening of the 29th when shells were falling on the bunker and

Weather

FORECAST: Cloudy and cool through Tuesday. Rain again Tuesday afternoon and night. Low tonight 41. High Tuesday 60.

Highest yesterday — 66
Lowest this morning — 50
To 10 a.m. today — 54

Wants Disarmament Assurance; Ike Leaves Room

Molotov Believed Headed for Discard By Soviet Triumvirate

Washington — (U.P.) — U. S. diplomats believe Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov may be on the way out as one of the triumvirate that has been regarded as wielding the most power in Russia in recent months.

Diplomatic sources said Sunday that a new struggle for Russia's top leadership may be under way.

They interpreted Molotov's dramatic public "apology" as the latest step in a behind-the-scenes battle to succeed the late Josef Stalin as Russia's No. 1 boss.

Molotov's "sin" was to say that Russia has built only "the foundation" of a socialist system instead of following Communist dogma that this goal already has been achieved. This could be a fatal error in Russia.

Picture Attempt From Helicopter Mars Porch Trip

Film Said Seized By Secret Service

Denver — (U.P.) — President Eisenhower got out of his hospital room for the first time today and enjoyed half an hour in the sun that was almost marred by a low flying helicopter from which cameramen tried vainly to get pictures.

The helicopter, containing a Columbia Broadcasting System man, caused a furor in the temporary White House and brought a heated denunciation from Press Secretary James C. Hagerty.

Secret Service men were reported to have seized the film but Hagerty ordered them not to keep it. The only CBS man in the helicopter was Coy Watson, a cameraman from Los Angeles.

There was not enough room for Andy Willoner, a sound man who stayed at the airport. In any case, Watson did not get pictures of the President, on the eighth floor sun terrace at Fitzsimons Army hospital, because he had been pushed back inside.

Hagerty ordered the Secret Service to check on the helicopter and find out if any aeronautical regulations were violated.

The aroused press secretary immediately summoned all newsmen at the temporary White House at Lowry Air Force Base and said he would not let public opinion be the punishment for anyone who tries to disturb the President's recovery in any way.

Recovery Important

"I think you and the people of the country and the world will agree that the recovery of the President is the most important thing right now," Hagerty said.

He said Mr. Eisenhower would be deprived of his needed sun and fresh air if such incidents occur.

The health and recovery of the President are far more important than any sneak photograph and I believe that the nation will feel the same way," Hagerty said.

Mrs. Eisenhower joined the chief executive on the terrace.

Before the President left his hospital for the first time, it was announced that Vice-President Richard M. Nixon had postponed a projected good will tour to the Near East next month.

Death-Free Days At Oregon City, Vancouver Ended

By UNITED PRESS

Oregon City and Vancouver, Wash., marked up their first traffic fatalities of 1955; while a three-year-old boy was shot to death in Prineville and a 34-year-old The Dalles man fell to his death in week end fatal accidents.

Miss Ella Hixon, 76, Oregon City, was pronounced dead on arrival at a hospital after being struck by a car during a heavy rainstorm yesterday evening in Oregon City. Police said she apparently stepped into the path of a car driven by George David Hunter.

Gun Kills Boy

Larry Lee Turner was shot Saturday night in the bedroom of his uncle's home in Prineville while playing with a nine-year-old cousin, according to Crook County Coroner Merrill Druke.

Eldon Jones, The Dalles, plunged to his death yesterday from a Bonneville Power administration tower near Golden-dale, Wash. Exact cause of the accident was not determined immediately. He was working with a crew changing lines on the tower.

Pedestrian Killed

Oscar McCoy, 83, Vancouver, Wash., died in a hospital yesterday after being struck by a car. Police said the driver was John J. Araway, 48, Portland.

It was the first traffic fatality in Vancouver since Oct. 10, 1954.

In another mishap, Howard C. Johnson, 61, Eugene, was found dead in the back seat of his parked car at Burns, Harney County Coroner Harold E. Olsen said Johnson apparently suffocated from a fire in the trunk of the car and had been dead several days. Police found evidence of fire in camping equipment stored in the trunk and theorized that matches in the camping gear somehow ignited and started a small fire which asphyxiated Johnson while he slept.

Pasadena, Calif. — (U.P.) — A major earthquake somewhere in the South Pacific area was recorded today by seismographs at California Institute of Technology.

OREGON COAST GETS DRENCHING

Portland — (U.P.) — The Oregon coast already buffeted by a week end storm, may be in for another serious blow tomorrow, the weather bureau said today. "Rivers in western Oregon were rising but no flood crisis was expected."

Southerly winds may reach up to 50 miles an hour along the coast. More rain is expected.

At Jefferson in the Willamette valley, the Santiam river rose to 13.9, nearly a foot over flood stage, and was expected to rise to 15 feet this afternoon. At that stage, low-lying farmland is under water. The Willamette river at Salem rose 5.3 feet in 24 hours but the stream had been low.

Slides were reported along some roads.

By UNITED PRESS

Drenching rains pounded the Pacific Northwest today and storm warnings halted U.S. "mercy lift" flights to flood stricken Tampico, Mexico.

Most areas in the Northwest got only a quarter inch of rain, but North Bend, Ore., registered 3.99 inches over a 24-hour period. Salem, Ore., has 2.65 inches and Brookings, Ore., 2.57.

Skies were fair over most of the rest of the country, but a new storm was building up in the southern bulge of the Gulf of Mexico and officials said it could "break up into deluges of rain" over the sodden coastline.

Rain Reduces Fire Danger; Will Allow Slash Burning Soon

General rain, measuring up to more than two inches in higher altitudes last night, has greatly reduced the forest fire danger in southern Oregon.

Lookouts from all forest service and state department of forestry posts were expected to be called down by tomorrow, but some stations probably would reopen in the event of an extended dry period.

Burning Permits

Ted Maul, district warden for the state department of forestry, said slash burning will be permitted as soon as there is enough drying. He urged loggers to get slash burning permits at the forest patrol office on Table Rock rd.

All but four state forest patrol lookouts have been called in. Two in Jackson county and two in Josephine county are expected to be called down today or tomorrow, Maul said.

Maul said chances are good that lookouts will not return to their stations, but he warned that fire restrictions have not been lifted. Gov. Paul Patterson orders the fire season ended upon recommendation of the state forester.

United States Forest service officials said lookouts have been taken off Rogue River National forest posts, but may return if there is another dry period. They said there still is some fire danger in lower altitudes.

Showers are expected to continue through southern Oregon today and tomorrow, the weather bureau said, with another general rain probably starting tomorrow evening.

Rainfall Varies

Medford airport reported .92 inch of rain in the 24-hour period ending at 4:30 a.m. today, but amounts varied widely with heavier rains in higher Cascade altitudes and along the coast.

Maul said the guard station at Prospect reported two inches, and at Butte Falls, 2.4 inches. Rain fell all night along the Green Springs. Union Creek reported about an inch of rain, which was general over the Rogue River National forest.

Brookings reported 4.45 inches of rain; Sexton Summit had 1.1 inch; and Grants Pass 1.36 up to 8 a.m. today.

Former Medford Man Dies In East

Dunbar F. Carpenter, 77, a one-time resident of Medford and the father and brother of Medford men, died at his home in Winchester, Mass., yesterday morning, it was reported today.

He was the brother of Alfred S. V. Carpenter, Medford, and Leonard Carpenter, formerly of Medford and now of Carmel, Calif., and was the father of Dunbar Carpenter, Medford fruitgrower and rancher. A daughter, Mrs. Bernard van Horne, Portland, also survives.

Harvard Graduate

Mr. Carpenter was born in 1877, and graduated from Harvard university in 1900, and from law school in 1903. He practiced in Colorado Springs, Colo., and Boston, for many years, and lived in Medford briefly around 1917. He had been retired for some years. Mrs. Carpenter died about a year ago.

Funeral services have been tentatively set for Wednesday. His son is leaving for Winchester this evening.

Drifting Barge Spotted in Pacific

Seattle — (U.P.) — The Coast Guard here said today a 75-foot barge, possibly loaded with gasoline, had been spotted adrift about 40 miles off Newport, Ore., by a commercial vessel.

The cutter Yaquina was en route from Astoria to take the navigation menace under tow. The Yaquina was expected to come on the barge about noon today.

The ocean-going tug Salt Air, meanwhile, was reported safe with its crew of four. The tug ran into heavy seas Saturday and almost sank, as the Oregon coast got its first big week end wind and rain storm of the season.

Reports that an unidentified schooner was adrift off Manhattan Beach near Tillamook, Ore., also were being checked by the Coast Guard.

Malenkov To Visit US At First Opportunity

Moscow — (U.P.) — Former Soviet Premier Georgi Malenkov said today "I shall go to America at the first opportunity."

Malenkov, who resigned as Premier eight months ago, was invited to "come to Texas" by Rep. Walter E. Rogers (D-Tex.), attending the same reception.

"There will be time for that," Malenkov said.

The congressman repeated the invitation. Rep. Oren Harris (D-Ark.), seconded it. Malenkov smiled.

"I shall go to America at the first opportunity," he said.