



AUSTRIA JAMMED WITH REFUGEES—Hungarian refugees who have crowded into this small village of Andau near the Austro-Hungarian frontier surround a Belgian Caritas relief organization truck to receive cigarettes and candy. Austrian officials reported that more than 87,000 Hungarians have fled into Austria since the Hungarian uprising started Oct. 24.

### Man Bitten 65 Times By Snakes Careful of Bees

New Orleans, La. —(U.P.)— A Floridian who has been bitten by snakes 65 times says, "I gotta be careful, a bee sting could kill me."

Bill Haast, told New Orleans doctors his fantastic story during one of his many trips from his Miami laboratory with life-saving cobra serum.

He has been bitten so often by snakes and has immunized himself to such an extent with injections of snake venom, that the delicate balance of natural antibodies within his system has been upset.

"It's not actually the venom itself, that hurts me," he said. "It's the protein contained in the venom."

Allergic to Protein  
"You see, I've immunized myself to such an extent that I'm allergic to the protein. I used to inject rattlesnake venom into my system every other day, and cobra venom every three months."

"I overdid it, the doctors said. And now I have to be very careful. A bite from a small water moccasin, say — that wouldn't even hurt you—maybe just cause swelling or discomfort—that probably would kill me."

"The doctor told me that a bee sting could kill me, if I were allergic to the protein in his venom."

Haast said he developed his own serum in his laboratory in Miami. He seeks venom to laboratories to make serum. He said he was so well immunized in 1955 that when a cobra bit him he didn't even treat it.

"He got me pretty good, but I didn't even bother with it. I had taken my "booster" shot of venom about a month before and I knew I was immune."

About July of 1956, the slim lithe man, whose burned blond hair belies his 45 years, found out he was "overdone."

"A big diamond back rattler got me in the hand," he explained. "As usual, I didn't even bother with it, because I thought I was immune."

Everything Got Gray  
"But about two minutes later everything got gray. Then I got terrifically hot. I ran to my laboratory, then went to the hospital. The doctor said I was lucky to live through it. I was in a bad way for a while."

"That's when they told me I had over-immunized myself. That's when they told me the next time would be fatal."

"And for a guy who makes his living handling snakes, a diagnosis like that is terrible."

But Haast thinks he has a way out of the predicament. He has started immunizing himself again by injecting venom in his arm every other day. He expects to be completely immunized again in three years.



TO INDIA—President Eisenhower has named Ellsworth Bunker (above) as the new United States Ambassador to India. Bunker is the retiring president of the American Red Cross.

### THE PRESIDENT REGRETS

South Haven, Mich. —(U.P.)— An envelope containing an autographed photo from President Eisenhower and 35 cents arrived the morning of Sharon Jensen's ninth birthday. The enclosed note said Mr. Eisenhower was sorry he wouldn't be able to attend Sharon's splash party at a nearby swimming pool and he was returning her campaign contribution. He suggested she donate it to the local party headquarters. She did.

### Portland-Salt Lake Bus Service Crippled

Portland —(U.P.)— Bus service on Northwest Greyhound lines between Portland and Salt Lake City remained crippled today following a walkout by drivers yesterday.

The walkout followed the discharge of a driver.

E. G. Phipps, Portland superintendent of the company, said there had been no change in the situation and that the company had turned "life matter over to its attorneys in Seattle. A company spokesman earlier termed the walkout a violation of the union contract.

Service on other routes or lines was not affected.

A white elephant is not white. It is generally a pale yellowish-gray, with pink spots.

### WASTED TIME

Caro, Mich. —(U.P.)— A would-be diamond thief came up with a poor haul at the Caro Fair. The thief pushed a long wire through a wire fence and managed to lift what he thought was a diamond ring out of a box. The real diamond was safely locked in a safe in the manager's office.

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### Deschutes Pulp Mill in Plans

Bend —(U.P.)— Plans for construction of a pulp mill in the Deschutes plateau area and for modernization of the lumber mill at Bend were announced today by officials of Brooks Scanlon Inc.

John M. Hollern, Brooks Scanlon president, said at his headquarters in Minneapolis that the pulp mill would strengthen and stabilize the forest economy of the Deschutes plateau and improve its competitive position with relation to other forest areas.

Hollern also announced that Brooks Scanlon Inc. would sell controlling interest to Powell River Company Ltd., which operates the world's largest newsprint mill at Powell River, B.C.

He said the large investment to be made in the central Oregon enterprise by Powell River Company and the technical and management skills of its personnel give assurance of strong financial backing and know-how for the mid-Oregon project.

Modernization of the Bend pine plant will include installation of barking and chipping facilities to allow utilization of sawmill waste in the pulp mill.

There was no announcement as to location of the pulp mill.

### Toiletry Aids to Please Every Man

Toiletry and good grooming aids will please every man on your gift list! He'll really be delighted with a new electric razor in a handsome case.

His favorite refreshing after-shave lotion and cologne, in an attractive gift package, will make a hit. If he likes to try something new, there are many famous name lotions and colognes to choose from.

Popular club style or military brushes with plastic, wood or metal backs are always useful. A manicure set, complete for good grooming with scissors, file and tweezers in a leather case, makes a handsome gift.

New on the market is a moderate priced dry skin cream and lotion, made especially for men. It will be really appreciated during the cold chapping, winter weather.

A gift box of shaving needs: lather, blades, razor and lotion... is a gift to please him for months.

A large size shower bath soap on a nylon cord will save tempers and slips.

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Door and desk signs with name in gold are useful, ornamental and informative.

A thought-tied, wooden cover guest book with their name engraved on the cover, will be really appreciated by new home owners.

Luggage and key chain tags with name and address make an unusual and thoughtful gift.

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A large size, all metal, portable personal file complete with indexed dividers can be used at home, or for business.

Shop at your local stationery store for these and many more attractive and practical gift items.

### Money From Timber Rental, Sale Divided

Salem —(U.P.)— Revenues totaling a record-breaking \$9,422,817 from federal forest reserve rentals and sale of timber were apportioned to Oregon counties today by Secretary of State Earl T. Newbery.

Newbery said the money was for the fiscal year which ended June 30. He added that the distribution exceeded the 1955 figure by more than \$3 million.

Oregon law provides that the money be divided 75 per cent to the road fund and 25 per cent to county school funds.

Lane county received the largest amount of \$1,898,037 while Douglas followed with \$1,205,129.

### Education Board Eyes New Budget

Corvallis —(U.P.)— An aggressive campaign to get the 1957-59 "shock" budget of the State Board of Higher Education through the state Legislature is being planned, according to Chancellor John R. Richards.

Dr. Richards told the Corvallis Rotary Club yesterday that the support of all outstanding citizens in the state would be sought to give weight to the budget program.

The budget, which he said was a shock not only to the Legislature but also to other citizens, calls for a 44 per cent or a \$14 million increase in state funds to the system for the biennium.

Richards pointed to the 10 per cent trimming done to the budget by the last Legislature and to the rising prices that have hit the purchasing department, plus the predicted and unpredicted growth of the system.

The last budget was based on an anticipated enrollment increase of 16 per cent but the actual growth was 23 per cent.

Richards predicted that the present enrollment of 18,000 students would climb to 32,000 in 10 years.

### Deeper Columbia Channel Said Needed

Portland —(U.P.)— Two government officials were told last night that there is need for a deeper and wider Columbia river channel.

Robert E. Merriam, assistant director of the Budget Bureau, and Col. John L. Person, assistant chief Army engineer for civil works, attended a dinner meeting along with business and shipping men from Portland, Astoria, Vancouver and Longview, Wash., and St. Helens.

Capt. Ralph F. Caples, president of the Columbia River Pilots Association, and W. L. Williams, president of the Port of Portland, said a channel not less than 40 feet deep and 75 feet wide was needed to take care of future shipping needs.

Caples said there had been two groundings within the past month and said his organization has asked steamship men to limit drafts of their vessels during low-water periods.

JAMES REJOINS  
Washington —(U.P.)— Halfback Dick James re-injured his knee in a practice session on Wednesday and will be unable to play Sunday when the Washington Redskins play the New York Giants in Yankee Stadium. James' injured leg will remain in a cast for at least a week.

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