



PARENTS TERRORIZED — Mr. and Mrs. John Mowatt of Daly City, Calif., are shown left with the rope with which they were bound by their daughter's husband, an escapee from the Napa State Mental hospital. Michael Wiegner, the son-in-law, and Jesse

Eastman, 35, a fellow escapee, were captured in Colorado earlier this week. Wiegner and Clo Ann, the 17-year-old bride shown, at right, were seriously injured when their auto crashed during a chase by police.

Portland Council Seeks Check on Teamster Union

Portland — (U.P.) — The Portland city council voted unanimously yesterday to request a Senate investigating committee to come to Portland to check in to the activities of the Teamsters Union.

The approval was attached to a motion introduced by Commissioner Stanley W. Earl, who said afterward that he had not discussed the matter with other commissioners before the council meeting.

Operations Studied

The request was directed to Sen. John L. McClellan, chairman of the Senate permanent subcommittee on investigations. Investigators for the McClellan committee have been studying Teamsters Union operations in West Coast cities for nearly a month.

Earl told his fellow commissioners: "The city of Portland in the last eight months has been subjected to a number of charges and countercharges concerning various persons within the Teamsters' organization and without."

He added, "The people of Portland are entitled to a full and complete airing of any and all charges."

UNATTACHED ALARM

New York — (U.P.) — Frank Gonzales, a distributor for a portable burglar alarm firm, bought one of the gadgets for his apartment but kept putting off the installation. Thursday burglars ransacked Gonzales' apartment, taking a portable typewriter, radio and a vacuum cleaner.

Parents Meet Kidnaped Bride; 'I Still Love Him,' Girl Says

Denver — (U.P.) — Denver authorities indicated today they were willing to turn over to California police two escapees from a mental institution and the young bride of one of them who was reported to have been abducted at gun point Monday night from her Daly City, Calif., home.

Two of the three, including the girl, were in Denver General Hospital with serious injuries received in an automobile accident that climaxed a 15-minute police chase. The other member of the trio was in Denver City jail.

Kidnap Claimed

Clo Ann Wiegner, 17, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W.

Mowatt, claim she was kidnaped by her husband and the other escapee from a mental institution at Napa, Calif., was under treatment for a fractured left arm and fractured ribs.

Her husband, Michael Wiegner, had a ruptured spleen and a punctured lung.

The Mowatts flew to Denver Thursday night and were taken to their daughter's hospital room by a nephew, Ross Ager, who had met them at the airport. There they tearfully greeted their bandage-swathed daughter and planned to return to her room today to "talk over a lot of things we have to discuss."

Captured in Stolen Car

Jesse Eastman, 35, a Sioux Indian who escaped with Wiegner from the institution Monday, was captured at Brighton, Colo., just north of here, driving a car stolen in Denver earlier in the day. He had avoided capture by fleeing afoot after the police chase that sent the Wiegners' car crashing through a barricade and over a 15-foot embankment at the end of a dead-end street here.

Mrs. Wiegner told police from her hospital bed Thursday that she was not kidnaped. Instead she said she accompanied her husband and Eastman willingly. "I really love him. I love him very much," she said.

But her parents said upon their arrival here Thursday night that their daughter "certainly did not" leave her home voluntarily.

"She went with a gun at her head. The Indian had the gun," they said.

Mowatt said he and his wife had filed for an annulment of their daughter's marriage to Wiegner, but he indicated it may be dropped if Clo so desired. "We have a lot of things to talk over with her" before we reach a decision on the annulment, Mowatt said.

Bonneville Makes Power Available

Portland — (U.P.) — Bonneville Power Administration announced yesterday that it is making available 250,000 kilowatts of power through Jan. 1 for interruptible industrial power consumers in the Pacific Northwest.

The added power will replace about half of the interruptible loads now being served by non-federal steam and hydro generation and by provisional Hungry Horse power.

Administrator William A. Pearl said "general region-wide rains and mild temperatures of the past week have brought nearly all Pacific Northwest hydroelectric plants to maximum or near-maximum generating capacity."

Pearl explained that Columbia river flows well above median and light power loads had added some 700,000 average kilowatts to current federal resources.

The 13 industrial consumers in the Northwest-electro-process industries—have maintained full production since Dec. 8 through use of costlier non-federal steam and hydro resources totalling 250,000 kilowatts. Another 250,000 kilowatts were supplied under a provisional agreement calling for replacement of released storage.

New Snow Makes Chains Necessary

Salem — (U.P.) — Up to one foot of new snow fell in Oregon mountain areas making chains a requirement for travel at Timberline Warm Springs junction, Santiam Pass, Willamette Pass and Meacham, the State Highway Department reported today.

Highway officials advised motorists to carry chains for travel to Government Camp, Green Springs, Prospect, Sisters, Chemult and Austin.

A foot of new snow was reported at Timberline, 10 inches at Santiam Pass and six inches in Willamette pass, but all highways were open.

Spots of ice were reported on Wilson river summit.

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