

# Pope Pius XII Suffers Paralyzing Stroke

## YANKEES WIN, 7 TO 0

New York—(UP)—The New York Yankees kept their World Series hopes alive today when they routed Lou Burdette, who had beaten them four consecutive times, in a six-run sixth inning and won the fifth game of the series, 7-0.

A crowd of 65,279 in Yankee stadium saw Bullet Bob Turley avenge his second-game loss. He held the Milwaukee Braves to five scattered hits and struck out 10. He had been beaten by Burdette, 13-5, in the second game at Milwaukee.

Gi McDougald was the hitting star for the Yankees as they cut their series deficit to two games to three, and made a sixth game in Milwaukee necessary for Wednesday. Tuesday will be an off day for travel.

McDougald broke up a scoreless pitching duel between Burdette and Turley when he led off the Yankee third inning with a home run. Then he hit a ground rule double in the midst of the sixth-inning rally.

Yogi Berra, Yankee catcher, set a new all-time series record for total bases—97 total bases in series play—one more than the previous mark established by the late Babe Ruth.

Play by play:  
Braves first: Bruton walked. Schoendienst sacrificed. Mathews and Aaron flied out. No runs, no hits, no errors, one left.  
Yankees first: Bauer struck out. Lumpe flied out. Mantle struck out. No runs, no hits, no errors, none left.

## California Brush Fires Reported Nearly Controlled

Monrovia, Calif.—(UP)—Fire fighters expected to bring under control today the last of a series of disastrous brush fires which have killed one man, destroyed eight homes and an estimated 40 mountain cabins and blackened thousands of acres of southern California foothills.

High humidity and cooler temperatures were forecast for today as some 1,000 weary men fought to control a 12,000-acre blaze in the foothills east of here.

**Started by Boys**  
The fire was started last Thursday by two small boys playing with matches. It has been the most stubborn and most costly of a series of fires which broke out in the heat-baked brushlands.

An Indian fire fighter, Leonard Dennis, of Orabi, Ariz., was burned to death Sunday fighting a blaze near Newhall, Calif. He was believed to have been trapped by a sudden wind shift. Dennis was one of 400 Indians flown from Arizona and New Mexico to help combat the fires.

Dozens of other fire fighters were treated for burns.

**Jacksonville Sets Planning Meeting**  
Jacksonville—An organizational meeting of the newly appointed Jacksonville city planning commission was held recently at the city hall.

Officers were elected for the commission with E. W. Hannen, president; F. M. Patterson, vice president; and R. J. Tetreault, secretary. The other members, all appointed earlier by Jacksonville Mayor John Keaveney, include Woodrow McCormack, A. E. Reinke, F. W. Edens and J. C. Weter.

Regular meetings of the commission are held the first Thursday of each month at 8 p.m. in the city hall. Mayor Keaveney reported that the meetings are open to the public and the commission encourages Jacksonville residents to present their problems and to make suggestions for city planning at the meetings.

The first meeting will be held Nov. 6. The agenda will cover city zoning and the city building code.

**Permits Needed Yet for Burning**  
Central Point—Central Point Rural Fire Protection district officials, taking note of Fire Prevention week, reminded residents of the district that permits are still needed for debris burning.

Fire danger is still critical, Assistant Chief Jim Scott pointed out. He said that there are cases nearly every day of people doing unauthorized burning.

To request a burning permit patrons of the district may telephone the main rural fire station here. The business number is NO 2244. Patrons are cautioned not to use the alarm system in seeking permits.

Salem—(UP)—Sales of public land in Oregon by the Federal government returned a total of \$26,866 to the state during the year ending June 30.

"Don't Let It Throw You, Bud, I Been Outta Style Forty Years"



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## Oregon Accidents Take Eight Lives

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At least eight persons died in traffic and miscellaneous accidents over the week end in Oregon.

Two-year-old Linda Skochenko, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Skochenko, Creswell, was killed instantly when she was run over by her father's car as he backed from the garage at his home.

Nester Kiiske, 72, died Sunday in Good Samaritan hospital in Portland of injuries received when he was struck down while crossing an Astoria street. Police said the driver of the vehicle, James Franklin Culp, could not stop in time.

**Missed Curve**  
A one car accident Saturday took the life of George B. Leed, 46, John Day. State police said Leed was a passenger in vehicle driven by John Peter Nutson, 54, John Day. The car apparently failed to make a turn and crashed off a 10-foot embankment.

One person was killed and two others injured in a one car crash in Portland Saturday night. Richard Ford, 35, Portland, was dead on arrival at Providence hospital after being shot through the forearm yesterday.

State police in Grants Pass said the youth evidently had been wounded when a bolt-action 22 caliber rifle discharged accidentally as Morris's brother was removing the gun from the rear seat of a car parked in front of their home. Morris and his two brothers, Colton, 26, and Joe, 16, had just returned home from a hunting trip.

Mike Shreeve, 21, of 734 Alder st., Medford, accidentally shot himself in his right leg, according to state police, while hunting with a group in the Barnes valley near Bly. He shot himself when he tried to holster his pistol, officers said.

Walter Mallette, 32, Central Point, accidentally shot himself in the hip.

**Dorris Youth Dies In Jeep Accident**  
Dorris, Calif.—(UP)—A 15-year-old Dorris youth was killed and his companion was seriously injured Saturday when the two, both students at Hill Military Academy, Portland, Ore., were thrown from a jeep while they were on a hunting trip.

Authorities said Byron (Butch) Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson of Dorris, was killed when the jeep overturned near Oklahoma Flats 10 miles east of Dorris. His 15-year-old companion, Donald Dysart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dysart of McDoel, Calif., suffered serious injuries, but still managed to summon aid when he found his companion pinned under the jeep. Police said the Wilson youth apparently was killed outright in the accident. They said the driver apparently was blinded by the early morning sun, and the jeep missed a curve and overturned.

**Portland Youth Found In Tillamook Burn Area**  
Portland—(UP)—The employees of Donald Shimmer, 20, Portland, were notified today that the youth, missing while on a hunting trip, had been found in a canyon in the Tillamook burn.

## U.S. May Halt Convoys As Reds Stop Bombing

### Seven-Day Halt In Attacks on Isle Announced

### Reds To Refrain From Interfering

Washington—(UP)—The United States indicated today it will suspend conveying supplies to the Chinese Nationalist offshore islands if Red China stops bombing the outposts.

"If there is no further bombardment, there would seem to be no further need for conveying," a State Department spokesman said.

The Chinese Reds Sunday announced a seven-day halt in their bombardment of Quemoy and said they would refrain from interfering with Nationalist shipment of supplies if the United States stops escorting the supply ships.

The Reds stopped the bombardment today.

**Answer Declined**  
State Department spokesman Lincoln White has asked how long the bombardment would have to be stopped before the U.S. would determine there was no need for convoys.

"I can't answer that," he said.

He declined to say whether an order had been dispatched to Formosa to stop conveying immediately.

White's comment came in response to questions by newsmen about a formal statement issued by Acting Secretary of State Christian Herter.

**Intentions Welcomed**  
Herter's statement said in part:

"Whatever the Chinese Communists' motivations, the United States welcomes their declared intentions to suspend bombardment of the offshore islands for one week and hopes this foreshadows a permanent cessation of their armed attack.

"Should this prove to be the case, there would seem to be no further necessity for the convey of supply shipments to the offshore islands positions. This question is being given careful consideration."

In Taipei, Vice Adm. Roland K. Smoot, senior American military commander on Formosa, said U.S. convoys were continuing.

## Sentencing Set For Frank DeCosta

Franklin DeCosta, 20 1/2, Lincoln Ave., Medford, is scheduled to be sentenced this afternoon by District Court Judge James M. Main on a charge of obtaining Oregon state unemployment compensation benefits by false statements and misrepresentation.

DeCosta, who entered a plea of guilty to the charge in district court earlier this month, was released from Jackson county jail on \$250 bail.

He is charged with applying for state unemployment compensation benefits last July during a period that the state alleges he earned \$50.

**WEATHER**  
FORECAST: Fair and mild to night, becoming partly cloudy Tuesday. Low tonight 45. High Tuesday 58. TEMP. PROMINENT STARS Altair, high in south—6:37 p.m. Capella, low in northeast—9:14 p.m. VISIBLE PLANETS Saturn, low in southwest—7:43 p.m. Mars, rises—8:26 p.m.



## Juvenile Study Institute Slated For October 10, 11

A number of persons from Jackson county are planning to attend the Oregon Study Institute on Juvenile Needs which will be held in Eugene Oct. 10 and 11.

Those planning to attend from Jackson county include Circuit Court Judge Edward C. Kelly, Juvenile Director Mrs. Kay Crowell, Mrs. Lawrence Buoncorno, James McGoodwin and perhaps others, Mrs. Crowell said.

Purpose of the institute is to give those people interested in youth problems reliable, basic information and a chance to hear the ideas of various authorities on the subject, a spokesman explained. Those interested in attending should make reservations with the institute committee at the juvenile center, 400 Patterson rd., Eugene. Mrs. Crowell said.

Speakers and their subjects include The Rev. David H. Fosselman, president of the Oregon Juvenile Council, who will speak on "The Nature and Extent of the Juvenile Problem in Oregon," Dr. G. Benton Johnson, assistant professor of sociology at the University of Oregon, "Cases of Juvenile Delinquency," Andrew Juras, assistant administrator of the Oregon State Public Welfare commission and former state child welfare service director, "Prevention Cases," W. J. (Jack) Billings, chairman of the Washington Citizens' council, "Role of the Layman," John C. Schapps, "1958 Survey of Oregon Juvenile Court, Probation, Detention and Juvenile Correctional schools," Schapps is director of the western division of National Probation and Parole association, San Francisco, Calif.

James McGoodwin, Medford, will be moderator of a panel discussion on the "Role of the Advisory Council." Others are Mrs. Lawrence Buoncorno, Medford, Richard W. McDuffie, Robert Davis and William Pond, all lay advisory council members.

**Firemen Prevent More Serious Fire**  
Minor damage resulted from a fire in packaged stock at Western Auto Supply company, 101 South Riverside ave., on Saturday, firemen reported.

Firemen credited early discovery with preventing a more serious blaze. They said the cause was not known. The alarm was turned in about 5 p.m.

## Blasts Demolish Tennessee School

Clinton, Tenn.—(UP)—The Atomic Energy Commission turned an abandoned elementary school at nearby Oak Ridge over to the bombed-out students of racially integrated Clinton High school today.

Federal and state investigators, meanwhile, sifted for clues in the shell of Clinton High school, torn by three rapid-fire explosions early Sunday. Segregationists were blamed for the bombing.

The 26-classroom building is owned by the AEC which operates the vast atomic energy research and production center six miles west of here. Oak Ridge schools, federally operated, are integrated.

The explosions, timed off at three-minute intervals in foggy darkness, turned the interior of the 20-classroom Clinton school into a shambles of collapsed walls, twisted lockers and buckled floors and roof.

Damage was estimated at \$300,000.

About 12 hours after the blast, FBI agents entered the investigation of the vandalism which authorities unanimously blamed on segregationist forces. Many Clinton citizens

## Assault Charges Being Investigated

Medford police continued their investigation today of an alleged assault with a dangerous weapon against Marjorie Joan Whitlock, 20, at her home, 1225 Withington st., Friday night.

Miss Whitlock reportedly told police an unidentified male assailant forced her from her bed around midnight. She said he threatened her with a knife, blindfolded her with a soiled towel and after holding her captive for nearly half an hour, led her outside toward the back fence.

She told police she escaped her captor at the fence and ran to a neighbor's house. Her alleged assailant disappeared.

## Russian Explosion On Sunday Revealed

Washington—(UP)—The Atomic Energy Commission announced today that Russia exploded another nuclear weapon Sunday in its fifth test since Sept. 30.

A brief AEC announcement said the detonation again took place north of the Arctic Circle and was smaller than the others detected by the U.S. in the current Soviet test series.

## Condition Said Improved After Urgent Treatment

### Spiritual Leader Given Last Rites

Castel Gandolfo, Italy—(UP)—Pope Pius XII suffered a paralyzing stroke today and received the last rites of the Roman Catholic church. Despite grave fears for his life, a second medical bulletin of the day said he had rallied noticeably after treatment.

The medical bulletin issued at 6:30 p.m. (9:30 a.m. PST) said the Pope's condition had "sensibly improved" after "urgent treatment."

The nature of the Pope's illness was made known to the world in an earlier announcement.

**Circulatory Disturbance**  
A medical bulletin signed by three attending physicians said the 82-year-old spiritual leader of the world's 450-million Roman Catholics suffered a "cerebral circulatory disturbance" at 8:30 a.m. (11:30 p.m. p.s.t. Sunday).

This meant there had been damage to the blood circulation system of the brain, in layman's language, a "stroke." The Pope was unconscious for a time and two reports said that as of noon he had not yet recovered his power of speech.

**'Slight Improvement'**  
Msgr. Angelo Dellacqua, assistant Vatican press-secretary of state, told newsmen here at midday that the Pope's "general condition" showed a "slight improvement." But he added "it naturally remains a grave case."

At 4:45 p.m., Dellacqua reported that the Pope's condition was "unchanged" as regards "this morning."

Dellacqua said the Pope had not recovered his speech as of noon. The Italian news agency Italia quoted one of the Pope's doctors as saying the same thing. But other Vatican sources insisted the Pope was speaking again.

**Church Leaders Gather**  
The sacrament of extreme unction, given to those who are dying or in danger of death, was administered to the Pope after the stroke. Later, he received holy communion.

Although there was word of "improvement," there was no discounting the gravity of the attack in a man of the pontiff's age.

Three of the Pope's nephews—The Princes Carlo, Marcantonio and Giulio Pacelli—and a host of high-ranking church dignitaries gathered immediately at the papal country retreat in the Alban Hills 15 miles south of Rome.

Eugene Cardinal Tisserant, dean of the Sacred College of Cardinals, was summoned back from a vacation in France and all other cardinals throughout the world were notified of the Pope's condition.

A convocation of the College of Cardinals would be held shortly after the death of the present pope to choose a successor.

## Policeman Pinched Jailing Prisoner

A Medford policeman was pinched last night after placing a prisoner in the main cell of the city jail.

Officer Keith Van Horn started to close the cell door behind the new inmate and ended up closing it on his left thumb. He suffered a torn thumb nail.

## Justice Frankfurter Blasts Arkansas Actions

Washington—(UP)—The Supreme Court opened its 1958-59 term today and Justice Felix Frankfurter blasted Arkansas for interfering with school integration.

Immediately after the tribunal's brief formal opening ceremonies ended, Frankfurter issued a separate opinion on the Little Rock school case which was decided by the court in a special summer term.

The court has barred any delay in carrying out its integration orders at Little Rock's Central High School and unanimously reaffirmed its historic 1954 decision that racial segregation in public schools is unconstitutional.

Frankfurter said that he joined unreservedly in the court's opinion but deemed it appropriate "also to deal individually with the great issue here at stake."

## Four Monkeys Escape In Jacksonville Sunday

Jacksonville—Four monkeys escaped from their cages Sunday afternoon at a pet shop operated by Mrs. Edith F. Jones, 110 California st., Jacksonville, according to Jackson county sheriff's deputies.

One of the monkeys, considered to be vicious by its owner, was shot by deputies. The other three were still at large this afternoon.

Salem—(UP)—Crook county will receive \$18,493 from the Federal government under the mineral leasing act for the six-month period ending June 30.

# Medford Stores Will Be Open Until 9 O'Clock Tonight