

Three Hurt in One Of Three Crashes During Holiday

Three people were injured, none seriously, in one of three Christmas day traffic accidents reported to city police.

Doris Hardrath, 45, of route 3, box 66, Coker Butte rd., Medford, is in Rogue Valley hospital with a fractured pelvis and a broken ankle, according to city police. She was a passenger in a car involved in a one-car accident on Crater Lake ave. near the intersection with Delta Waters rd., at 11:51 a.m.

Police said that a car operated by Allen Warner Hardrath, 27, of the same address, struck a concrete slab along Crater Lake ave., then traveled another 100 feet before coming to rest on its side. Hardrath, and another passenger, Kenneth Edwards, 21, of 1541 Oregon ave., were also taken to Rogue Valley hospital by Medford Ambulance Service and treated for face and head cuts.

Released Later Both Edwards and Hardrath were released shortly after being treated according to police, but Doris Hardrath is still in the hospital where her condition is pronounced as fair.

Another accident at 10:30 p.m. happened at the intersection of Court st. and McAndrews rd., when a car operated by Bobby Dale Holt, 18, of route 3, box 236, Medford, hit the rear end of a car operated by Ted Edward DeFord Jr., 19, of 2533 Sandy Terrace. Police cited Holt for following too close.

A car backed into the front of a parked car registered to L. H. and Pearl McCollum, Jacksonville, at 12:30 p.m. in front of 29 South Front st., then left before it could be found out who the driver was, police reported. The McCollum car suffered minor damage to the grill, they said.

OLD STRUCTURE Santa Fe - Claimed to be the oldest public building in the U.S. is the Palace of Governors located in this city. It is more than 340 years old, according to New Mexico historians.

Livestock cars on some railroads are painted with aluminum on top to cut down hot rays of the sun during the summer.



FIVE KILLED—Five persons were killed early Friday when the car in which they were riding crashed through an unfinished bridge and into the icy waters of Currituck Sound near Kitty Hawk, N.C. The picture shows the car being pulled from the water shortly after the accident. All five victims were from Brooklyn, N.Y.—(UPI Telephoto)

Honeymoon for De Gaulle, Parliament May End in 1960

Paris - (UPI)—The new year may mark the end of the honeymoon for President Charles de Gaulle and Parliament, sources close to the chief executive said Saturday. They gave two reasons: —De Gaulle is irritated by what he feels is parliamentary "sniping" at his programs for the "salvation" of France and may try to call a popular referendum to end it.

—De Gaulle feels the legislators have returned to the rambunctious ways of the old Fourth Republic, which ended when he took office.

It is believed unlikely that de Gaulle would try to bring about new parliamentary election since he could hardly expect to get another legislative body with such a huge majority in his favor.

He has won confidence votes with ease in the national assembly. His Algerian "self-determination" policy was approved by a 441-23 vote. And a motion to censure his ban of pensions for able-bodied war veterans got only 109 votes last month, with 277 needed.

Policies Protected However, some members of his majority have deserted him to protect his Algerian and veterans' policies.

In addition, a concerted parliamentary campaign forced de Gaulle to withdraw a bill aimed at gradually ending

the home-distilling of alcohol. And similar action by the legislators forced him to change his bill for increased state aid to parochial schools and give the church school advocates more than he wanted.

Many legislators also have been hostile to his policy of

granting independence to African member states of the French community.

Invitation to Nikita And others are unhappy with his invitation to Soviet Premier Nikita S. Khrushchev to visit France in March.

Under Article 16 of the New Constitution, the president has the right to "take the measure imposed by circumstances," including dissolution of parliament, but only when "the republican institutions, the territorial integrity or the carrying-out of international commitments are gravely and immediately menaced."

But sources close to de Gaulle believe he more probably has in mind a change that would cut off parliamentary debate of an issue for the remainder of the legislative session once it has come to a vote.

Radio Moscow Appeals For Peace on Earth

London - (UPI)—Radio Moscow appealed to Americans Saturday to pray for peace. The call highlighted a Soviet yuletide pledge of goodwill to men and peaceful co-existence on earth.

Mississippi county in Arkansas grows more cotton than any other county in the United States.

Russian Paper Lists K's Summit Agenda

Moscow - (UPI)—Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev will go to the summit meeting determined to start off where the Geneva foreign ministers' conference and the Camp David talks left off, the newspaper Izvestia said Saturday. Khrushchev accepted the Western invitation to the East-West meeting Friday, but made no mention of an agenda. The Western Allies want to discuss disarmament, East-West relations, and the Berlin problem when they

meet Khrushchev in Paris this spring. They oppose seeking an interim Berlin solution, preferring to keep the status quo. **Berlin Question** The official government newspaper made it clear that Khrushchev expects to resume the unsettled arguments of Geneva, where the foreign ministers failed to reach agreement on a Berlin solution.

His starting point at the Paris talks undoubtedly will be whatever progress was made at Geneva toward an interim agreement.

After his Camp David talks last September with President Eisenhower, Khrushchev agreed there would be no time limit set for Soviet demands that Western troops withdraw from West Berlin and give the Western sectors "free city" status.

Violent Opposition The eastern package agenda, worked out by the Big Four leaders at Paris last week, has met with violent opposition in the Soviet press since its announcement. The official newspapers have left little doubt that Khrushchev will insist on discussing Berlin separately from disarmament and whatever other problems the West brings to the summit.

Khrushchev's acceptance of the invitation came as no surprise to Western observers here. The press had foreshadowed it by a series of articles reacting favorably to the Western offer.

Khushchev Gets Credit Izvestia gave Khrushchev most of the credit for getting the four powers together.

The newspaper said the forthcoming summit talks are the result of "a series of important events, the most important of which was N. S. Khrushchev's historic visit to the United States."

Brahmanism in a form older than that practiced in India is the chief religion of Bali, east of Java.

Soraya Said Cool To Italian Prince

St. Moritz, Switzerland - (UPI)—Sultry ex-Empress Soraya of Iran, her ardor for Italian Prince Raimondo Orsini apparently cooled, Saturday rented a candle-lit lounge for a party and invited her new beau.

Only a day after Orsini cancelled his plans to join her for a skiing vacation, matchmakers at this Alpine resort were linking Soraya romantically with German industrialist Harald von Bohlen und Halbach of the Krupp empire. Friends said von Bohlen, 42, had accepted an invitation to her party Sunday night at a fashionable inn.

Orsini, 28, whose engagement to Soraya had been expected more than a week ago, flew alone to Beirut Friday night from Rome.

During a recent nightclub whirl in Rome, Orsini had wine, dined and kissed the 27-year-old Soraya, who lost her throne in Iran because she bore no male heir to the Shah.

The Shah, who married for the third time last Monday, is reported to pay her \$8,000 a month as part of her divorce settlement.

Russian Expedition Reaches South Pole

Moscow - (UPI)—The Soviet Antarctic expedition reached the American base at the South Pole Saturday at the end of a 1,660-mile overland trek that took three months, the Soviet news agency, Tass, reported.

Tass said Alexander Dralnik, leader of the expedition, reported by radio that the expedition made a "comprehensive investigation of nature" along the route.

Bob Hope Advised To Take It Easy

Anchorage, Alaska - (UPI)—Comedian Bob Hope, reported to have suffered two "dizzy spells" during a holiday tour of Alaska military installations, prepared to leave for Hollywood Saturday after being advised by his doctor to "take it easy."

Hope, apparently tiring from the trip, was reported in excellent shape otherwise. He was scheduled to depart for home Sunday night along with Miss Mansfield, McQueen, Miss Langford and Colona. Hope and Miss Mansfield talked by short wave radio Friday night to troops in isolated radar and Nike sites.

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