



CAROLYN MENCKE



JOHN FROHNMAYER

Local Students Win Leadership Contest

Miss Carolyn Mencke and John Frohnmayer, seniors at Medford High school, won the local division of the annual Elks lodge Youth Leadership contest...

Bids Called on County Projects

Two Jackson county Highway 99 freeway projects will be included when the state highway commission opens bids in Salem March 1 on projects totaling \$8,100,000...

Jacksonville Market Burglary Reported

Jacksonville - The Thrifty Food market at 106 West California st. here was burglarized sometime between 7 p.m. Tuesday and 8 a.m. yesterday...

Satellite Identity Remains Unsolved

Washington - The Defense Department said today that neither the Air Force nor Navy have been able to identify the mysterious "dark" satellite that is circling the earth in a near polar orbit...

Committee Views Proposed School Work

Members of the Medford school district budget committee yesterday afternoon toured five schools where construction and renovation work is planned this year...

and influence on others; citizenship appreciation; perseverance, resourcefulness and sense of honor; neatness and arrangement of brochure, and compliance with instructions for entering the contest.

Second place in the local contest went to Miss Patsy Charley and John Caster, seniors at Crater High school, Central Point. Honorable mention went to Darlene Palmer, Phoenix High school; Beverly Tresham and Madison Patrick, Eagle Point High school.

Winners will receive awards from the local Elks lodge May 5 during the observance of National Elks Youth Day. Brochures of the first place winners will be entered in the state contest, and the state winners will be submitted for national competition.

Fireman Injured In Trailer Blaze

A Medford city fireman sustained eye injuries last night after a can of paint tipped over into his face at a trailer-house fire he was helping to put out at 602 North Riverside ave.

Planners Suggest Denying Billboard

The Medford city planning commission recommended last night to deny a request for a zoning variance to erect a billboard on fairgrounds property at the south end of town.

Mystery Submarine In Argentina Bombed

Buenos Aires - Unconfirmed reports said that Argentine sea and air units attacked a mystery submarine as it surfaced in Golfo Nuevo Harbor early today but that it crashed without apparent damage.

Work at Jacksonville Will Include Stage for Multipurpose Room

Work at Jacksonville will include renovating a multipurpose room, where there are now storage facilities

Khrushchev Says United States 'Worn Out Horse'

Development Loan Agreement Signed

New Delhi, India - (UPI) - Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev today boasted of Russian rocket successes, accused the West of trying to step up the cold war and referred to the United States as a "worn out horse."

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Output Said Increased

Referring to the United States, Khrushchev said: "As the saying goes, 'There was a horse but it is worn out.' In the last six years the Soviet Union has increased her per capita industrial output by 71 per cent whereas the United States has hardly registered any increase."

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Appropriations Group Votes Interior Funds

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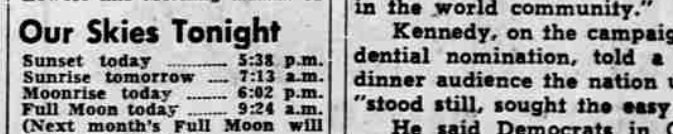
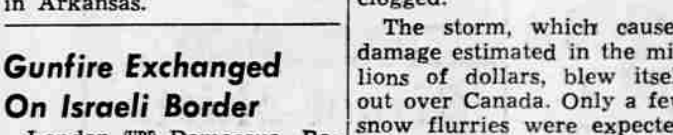
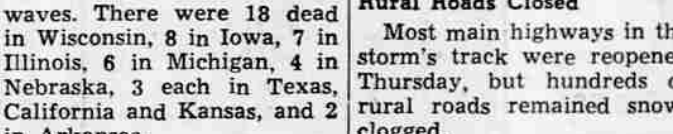
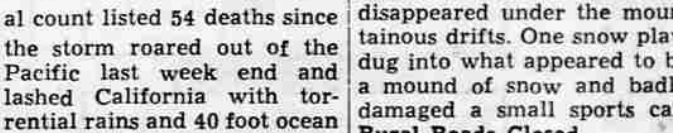
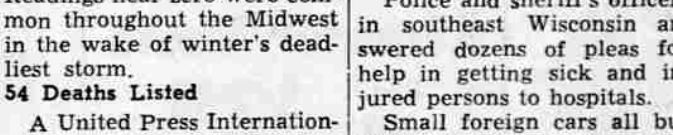
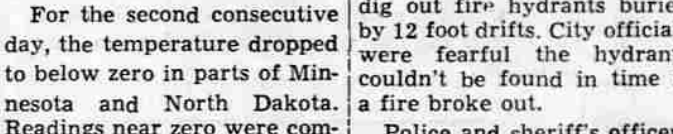
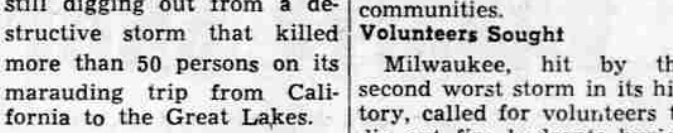
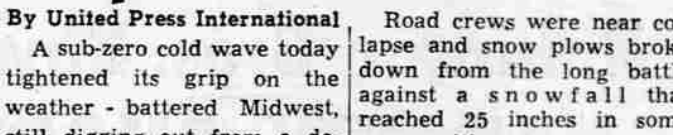
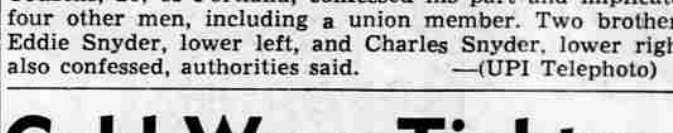
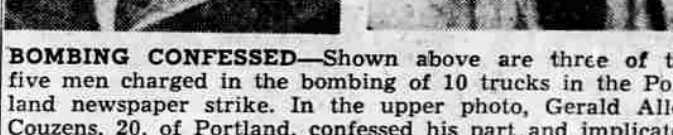
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5 Persons Held in Truck Dynamitings



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Arrested were Gerald Allen Couzens, 20, Portland; Levi McDonald, the union member, and three brothers, William and Charles Snyder, Borin, and Eddie Snyder, Portland.

Sheriff Francis Lambert said Couzens made a full confession, implicating the others, and that the brothers also had made admissions. The confession implicated McDonald, he said.

Bail on McDonald in Multnomah and Clackamas counties was raised to \$90,000 today. The others were held in lieu of \$10,000 bail.

The district attorney's office said all five were booked on charges of injury to property by explosives and that McDonald also was charged in Clackamas county with third degree arson.

Couzens' told authorities that he and the Snyder brothers were paid \$400 to carry out the dynamiting, according to Lambert.

The trucks had been used to haul newspaper and news papers for the Oregon Journal and Oregonian which were struck last Nov. 10 by the Stereotypers Union.

The sheriff said he received a tip-off on the case late Wednesday from an unnamed person. Officers then worked around the clock and the arrests were made Thursday afternoon.

Couzens, under questioning, said Eddie Snyder had spoken to him about the plan about three weeks before the dynamiting.

"He told me it wasn't dynamiting at first and he asked me if I would like to go in on it. It would be \$200 for each and there would be three jobs."

He said he understood at first the "job" would be fixing the trucks so they would not run.

He said he later met with the three Snyders and Lee McDonald who picked me up. They went to the places where the dynamite bombs were to be placed and then he and two of the Snyders returned to Eddie Snyder's house.

"We made the charges up that night in Eddie Snyder's garage, Eddie, myself, Charlie and Bill (William)."

Charles Snyder, an auto mechanic, said "I'm not mad at the Oregonian or Journal. I just did it for the money."

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Kennedy, on the campaign trail for the Democratic presidential nomination, told a partisan Jefferson-Jackson Day dinner audience the nation under Republican leadership had "stood still, sought the easy way and looked to the past."

He said Democrats in Congress had tried to fight administration programs for reducing armed forces, cutting military and space budgets and holding back missile programs. He added, "But we did not control the Defense Department, nor the Budget Bureau of the White House. In 1961 we will."

