Local and Personal

Trash Burning – Firemen were summoned about 7:30 p.m. yesterday to a reported grass fire on Sage rd. They found the fire confined to trash along the side of the Timber Products company mill pond.

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In Hospital – Mrs. Albert Brennen, box 558, McCloud, Calif., and Bruce C. Stewart, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Stewart, box 142, Shady Cove, were listed as medical patients at Sacred Heart hospital yesterday.

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Permits Issued – Building permits were issued by the city building department Tuesday to Paul Kurvosky for a $3,000 addition to the residence at 1048 West 11th st., and to Dan Patch to erect a $12,000 residence at 673 Ellen ave.

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Goats Loose – Five goats owned by Roy Francis Boats, 2813 North Pacific highway, were reported loose Tuesday afternoon and eating shrubbery at 2739 North Pacific highway, according to police reports. A city police officer, assisted by several small boys, returned the animals to their pen and notified the owner to keep them off the road.

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Dog Abandoned – Florence Elizabeth Cardinal, 200 Tripp st., called city police Tuesday evening to report that a tan colored cocker spaniel puppy had been abandoned in the area. Police attempted to take the animal to the county dog pound but were unable to contact anyone there. One of the police officers took the dog to his home until it is claimed, according to reports.

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Mother Dies–Lindsay Vinsel, 373 Holmes ave., Medford, went to Phoenix, Ariz., earlier this week to attend funeral services for his mother, Mrs. Mildred Vinsel, who died July 25. She was survived by four sisters, a brother, and the Medford son. Although Mrs. Vinsel made her home in Arizona, she had spent some time in southern Oregon.

Surgery Patients – Mrs. Ed Putchino, 519 Union st., Medford, and Mrs. Glenn A. Dunning, route 2, box 205, Crescent City, Calif., were listed as patients at Sacred Heart hospital yesterday.

Portland Girl, 15, Dies in Swim Pool

Portland –(UPI)– Terrie Kay Ardrey, 15, Portland, died Wednesday afternoon while swimming in a private swimming pool at the home of H. E. Canright of Portland.

The girl was dead on arrival at Bess Kaiser hospital.

The accident occurred at a swimming party attended by 17 youngsters. The youths were supervised by three adults, including Mrs. Canright, the sheriff's office reported.

Exact cause of death was not immediately determined.

Births

MURRAY – To Mr. and Mrs. Maurice W., 2072 Buckshot rd., Medford, July 26, 1960, a boy, 4½ pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

BROWN – To Mr. and Mrs. Earl N., route 2, box 18, Jacksonville, July 27, 1960, a boy, 8 pounds, at Sacred Heart hospital.

SMITH – To Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Jesse, 39 South B st., Eagle Point, July 27, 1960, a boy, 7¾ lbs., in Rogue Valley hospital.

GRUBB – To Dr. and Mrs. Richard G., 1538 Webster, Ashland, July 28, 1960, a girl, 7½ lbs., in Rogue Valley hospital.

A FIRE DOG

Kansas City, Kan. – Mrs. Geraldine Mayer has a gadget that contains matches and lights them when they are pulled out. Her beagle puppy got hold of it and was playing with it in the basement. Firemen put out a blaze in the dog's bed.

FESTIVAL PLAYS

Tonight: "Richard II"
Friday: "Taming of the Shrew"
Saturday: "Julius Caesar"
Sunday: "The Tempest"
Curtain time 8:30 p.m.
Bus leaves Medford hotel at 7:30 p.m., and Jackson hotel at 7:35 p.m. for Festival plays.

Weather

FORECASTS

Medford and vicinity: Continued hot and humid with afternoon and evening thunderstorms through Friday. Low tonight 60. High Friday 100.

Western Oregon: Mostly clear over interior. Cloudy nights and mornings with a little drizzle on coast through Friday. Isolated afternoon thundershowers over southern mountains. Little temperature change. Low tonight 52-64. High Friday 90-100 in interior, 63-70 on coast.

Northern California: Fair in north portion and partly cloudy in central California tonight and Friday. Scattered thundershowers in mountains. Fog on coast. Little temperature change.

LOCAL DATA

TEMPERATURE: Mean yesterday 83; above normal 9.

Record high this date 102 in 1958, 1923.

Record low this date 45 in 1959.

PRECIPITATION: 24 hours to midnight, .07 inch. Midnight to 10 a.m., none.

Total this month .08 inch, .09 inch below normal.

Total since Sept. 1, 15.92 inches, 2.04 inches below normal.

HUMIDITY: Lowest yesterday 26%, highest this a.m. 88%.

CITY	High Yesterday	4:00 a.m. Low	24-hr. Prec.
Brookings	62	51	T
Klamath Falls	91	57	T
MEDFORD	101	63	.07
Portland	91	60	
Seattle	88	59	
Spokane	96	62	
Yakima	99	56	
Eureka	58	50	
Red Bluff	105	75	
Sacramento	101	—	
San Francisco	59	51	
Los Angeles	88	66	
Phoenix	103	86	T
Denver	95	66	
Chicago	81	71	
Miami Beach	88	73	.10
New York	76	66	2.35
Washington, D. C.	84	67	.37

German Commies Denounce Nixon

London (UPI) – The East German Communists denounced Vice President Richard M. Nixon today as a "sworn enemy of peaceful coexistence between East and West."

And the Communist ADN news service said his choice of Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge as his running mate meant that the U. S. government will be run by "two of the most wicked foreign policy firebrands" if the Republicans win in November.

ADN recalled that Nixon played a considerable part in "shooting down an influential foreign official by the name of Alger Hiss" and attributed this to Nixon's "blind hate of everything progressive."

Kennedy Offers Congratulations

Hyannis Port, Mass. – (UPI) – Sen. John F. Kennedy today congratulated Vice President Richard M. Nixon on his nomination as the Republican standard bearer and said that with Henry Cabot Lodge as the GOP running mate, the Democrats would face a vigorous fight in the fall.

"I think both parties have pledged themselves to great goals," Kennedy said in an interview in front of his family's summer home. "And I think both parties accept these goals."

The question for the voters, Kennedy said, was which party by its action in the past has given evidence of acting toward growth and handling of such issues as unemployment.

Bodies of Fliers Are Recovered

Twisp – (UPI) – The bodies of two fliers killed in the crash of their B-25 plane Tuesday were removed from the scene of the accident 10 miles east of here Wednesday.

Killed were George Kelly, 35, Wenatchee, and J. C. Brehm, 25, Bellevue.

They were helping to fight a 450-acre fire in the Beaver lake area of the Okanogan National Forest when the accident occurred.

The fire was brought under control just before noon.

The plane was a converted bomber based at Wenatchee.

Portland Asks A-Ship To Call

Portland – (UPI) – The federal government has been asked to make Portland a port of call for the N-S Savannah, world's first nuclear-powered merchant vessel, which embarks on an around-the-world maiden voyage next year.

The request was contained in a resolution adopted by the Portland city council Wednesday. The resolution was directed at the Oregon Congressional delegation and several federal officials.

OBITUARIES

GENEVA HORN

Mrs. Geneva Horn, of Brookings, Ore., died this morning in a local hospital. The body was forwarded to Crescent City, Calif., for services and interment, with local arrangements by Conger-Morris, funeral directors.

Mrs. Horn was born Oct. 24, 1903, in Klamath, Calif. She was married Aug. 15, 1929, in San Francisco, to James Horn, who survives.

Other survivors include a daughter, Laura Ann Horn, Brookings; a brother, Charles Webber; and three sisters.

MRS. KATHERINE ELLIOTT

Mrs. Katherine Elliott, 66, died in Ashland nursing home yesterday. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Perl Funeral home.

BYRON N. ELLIS

Funeral services for Byron Nelson Ellis, of the Ellis Market, 820 Crater Lake ave., who died Sunday, will be held at Hillcrest Memorial chapel on North Phoenix rd. Saturday at 11 a.m. The Rev. Escil Hiser of the Church of the Brethren will officiate. Masonic services will be conducted by Medford Lodge AF&AM. Committal will be in Hillcrest Memorial park, with Conger-Morris, funeral directors, in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Ellis was born June 9, 1901, in Snider, Tex., and had lived in southern Oregon since 1944, coming from San Diego. He was a member of the Elks lodge, the Eagles lodge, Medford lodge AM&AM, the Scottish Rite in Medford, Hillah Temple AAONMS at Ashland, and Roxy Ann Grange.

He was married Nov. 2, 1922, in Ontario, Calif., to Ivra Hastings, who survives. He owned and operated the Ellis Market since 1944.

Survivors, besides his wife, include four sons, Carl Ellis and Harold Ellis, Medford; Richard Ellis, Glen Burnie, Maryland; and Bobby Joe, at home; three brothers, Jack T. Ellis, Las Vegas, Nev.; William Ellis, Imperial Beach, Calif.; Kenneth Ellis, Dallas, Tex.; five sisters, Mrs. Alma Riando, King City, Calif.; Mrs. Hazel Warren, Yosemite National park; Mrs. Ruth Blue, Lemon Grove, Calif.; Mrs. Lula Jeans, Del Mar, Calif.; and Katherine, Del Mar, Calif.

Honorary pallbearers will include Dick Klein, Bill Edwards, N. S. Thames, Fred Stevens, and Ken Shaw.

Active pallbearers will include Carl Verstigan, Oscar Nordstrom, Jens Myhre, Ed Owens, Orville Nichols, and Leland Goff.

NICHOLAS A. BENTON

Funeral services for Nicholas A. Benton, 79, of 203½ North Holly st., who died Wednesda:, will be held at Hillcrest Mortuary chapel on the North Phoenix rd. Friday at 9:30 a.m. The Rev. Glenn McKerrow of the First Christian church will officiate. Committal will be in Hillcrest Memorial park, with Conger-Morris, funeral directors, in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Benton was born Aug. 22, 1880, in Lebanon, Mo., and had lived in southern Oregon for the past seven years. He was married Oct. 30, 1958, in Medford, to Roberta Williams, who survives.

Other survivors include two sons, Oren D. Benton, Fredricksburg, Va.; and Charles B. Benton, San Rafael, Calif.; two daughters, Mrs. Harry Lewis, Medford; and Mrs. David Santee, Ashland, Kans.; a brother, Henry B. Benton, Medford; six grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

MGM To Shoot Movie in Vernonia

Vernonia (UPI) – This western Oregon community has been chosen as the site for a motion picture to be produced by Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stone for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer.

The announcement was made by Louis Towne, Vernonia, who has been negotiating for the site for the Stones.

The picture, as yet unnamed, will portray a fire that occurred several years ago in Hinkley, Minn., Towne said. Shooting is slated to begin Sept. 3 and last for about 30 days.

11 Fires Reported In Willamette

Salem–(UPI)–U.S. forest officials reported today that 11 small fires in the Willamette National forest east of here have been contained. All were believed set by lightning.

Smoke jumpers were parachuted in and several of the fires were immediately put out.

The Mill City district reported three of the blazes. There were four each in the Cascadia and Detroit districts.

Portland Livestock

Portland —(UPI)— USDA—Livestock:

Cattle 50; not enough offered for a full market test; scattered sales steady; choice steers earlier 27-27.25; good and choice heifers 22.50-25; few canner and cutter cows 11-13; utility cows 14-15.

Calves 10; good and choice vealers Wednesday 21-25; no early sales today; good and choice light weight stock calves 24-26.

Hogs 50; one lot mixed 1, 2 and 3 grades around 200 lb. butchers about steady at 20; U.S. 1 and 2 lot 20.25-20.50; sows quotable 14-17.

Sheep 250; trade slow, steady to weak; good and choice 62-80 lb. feeder lambs 13.50-14; few cull and utility ewes 2.

Portland Produce

The following price quotations are from the agricultural marketing service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture in Portland.

Eggs: Prices to retailers, cartons, X large AA 54-57; large AA 50-54; large A 48-51; medium AA 44-48; small AA 34-39. Prices to producers: X Large AA 43-45½; large AA 41-43½; large A 34-36; medium AA 33-35½; small AA 23-27½.

Butter: Price to retailers, No. 1 prints delivered, AA and A 67, B 65.

Poultry: Prices to retailers delivered, for grade A quality, fryers, whole 39-41, cut up 44-46; light type hens, whole 26-30, cut up 31-34; heavy type hens, whole 41-43.

Wall Street Observes Margin Requirement Cut

By ELMER C. WALZER
UPI Financial Editor

New York –(UPI)– The stock market vaulted today as Wall Street celebrated the cut in margin requirements from 90 to 70 per cent.

The margin cut in effect means that stock buyers must put up only 70 cents in cash for every $1 of securities purchased and can borrow the rest from a broker or banker.

The majority of issues scored widely in the initial trading in response to the news.

The action of the Federal Reserve board was attributed by observers to the cooling of speculative fever among investors in recent months. The long-awaited margin cut is viewed by many Wall Street prophets as the "pep pill" which for the moment at least could prevent a further sharp selloff in stock prices.

Keith Funston, president of the New York Stock Exchange, said "It is to be hoped that the Federal Reserve Board will in the near future see the merit in establishing initial margins at a more normal rate of 50 per cent."

Margin is the amount one must pay down in buying stock on credit. At a 70 per cent margin, the down payment is $70 on $100 of stock. The remaining $30 can be borrowed, using the stock for collateral. At a 50 per cent margin, one puts up $50 on $100 of stock, and borrows $50.

For a long time the stock market has been slipping lower and lower. Market experts have held that the high margin was a factor in the lack of interest.

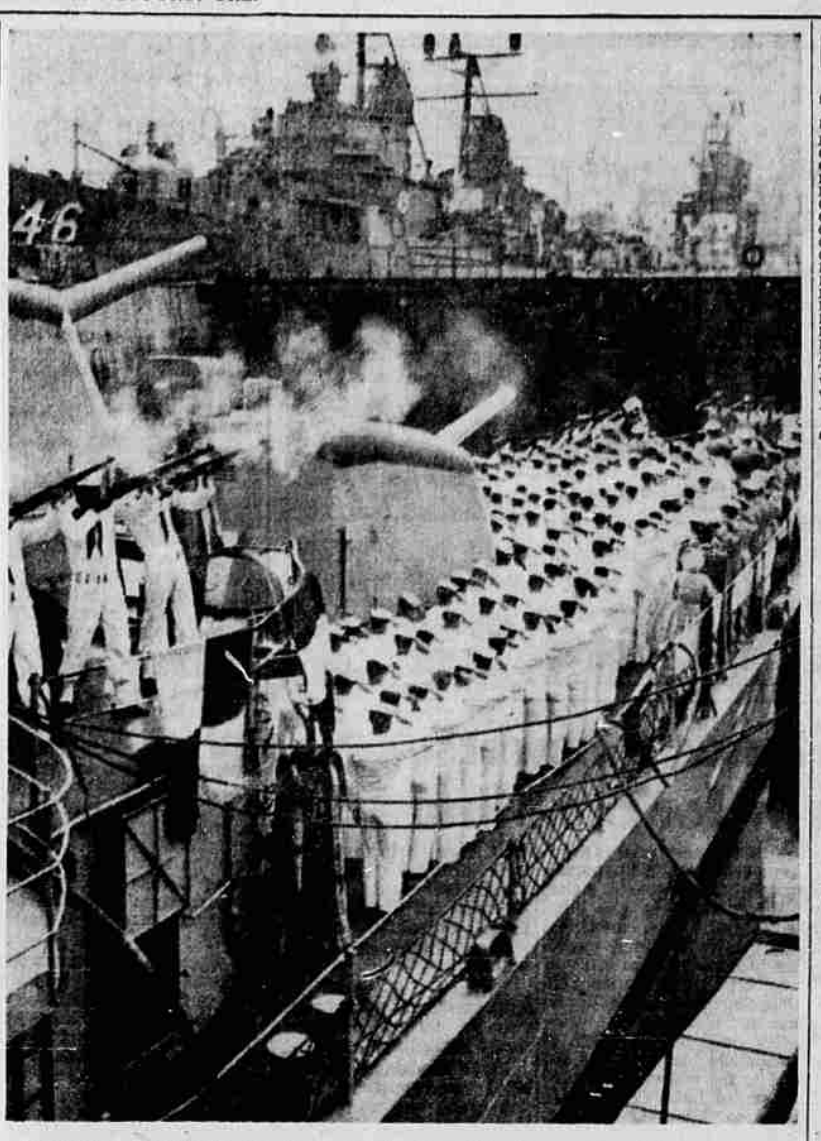
There have been many other reasons for the price decline, principal of which has been a profits squeeze which is being brought out in bold relief in the corporation reports for the second quarter of the year.

Also steel operations have been much lower–not much over half capacity–than the experts had predicted they would be. Construction has sagged in the housing section, a bulwark of the economy. Auto sales haven't held to the levels that had been hoped for either.

However, the economy has had other boosters to such extent that gross national product, national income, and employment have risen to record highs.

BARK AN ANSWER

Pensacola, Fla. – Don't be surprised if J. Wellington Muggs and his wife, Piddle, fail to answer your telephone call. They're dogs. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. McBee listed the bulldogs as a gag three years ago. They have appeared in every directory since.



MEMORIAL SERVICES—An honor guard fires salute as bugler plays during memorial services Wednesday honoring the 11 sailors killed in a collision between two Navy destroyers last week. Ceremonies were held aboard the Ammen, one of the two ships, in drydock at the naval shipyard in Long Beach, Calif. (UPI Telephoto)

Prices Finish Below Highs

New York–(UPI)–The stock market got a lift today from the cut in margin requirements, but most prices finished below their highs for the session as the initial burst of enthusiasm petered out in the afternoon.

Most stocks reached their peaks during opening dealings, but by noon the gains were cut substantially and trading slowed down. The day's volume was at the heaviest pace in weeks, however. There was a brief rush of buying orders towards the end of the day but the list again settled back at the close.

DOW-JONES

New York (UPI) – Dow-Jones final stock averages: 30 industrials 605.67, up 3.91; 20 railroads 133.86, up 1.49; 15 utilities 92.17, up 0.54, and 65 stocks 201.04, up 1.46. Sales today were about 3,020,000 shares compared with 2,560,000 shares Wednesday.

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Allied Chemical	52
Alum. Co. Am.	73¾
American Can	37¾
American Mtrs.	21⅞
A. T. & T.	80
Anaconda Copper	47⅝
Armco Steel	61½
Bendix Av.	65⅝
Bethlehem Steel	43¾
Boeing Air	28¼
Caterpillar Corp.	25½
Chrysler Corp.	43⅝
Continental Can	36¼
Crown Zellerbach	40½
Curtiss Wright	18⅛
Dow Chemical	70
Du Pont	191½
Eastman Kodak	118
Firestone	—
General Electric	—
General Foods	126
General Motors	43½
Georgia Pacific	35⅛
Graham Paige	17⅛
Greyhound	21⅞
Gulf Oil	27¾
Homstake Mining	39¾
Idaho Power	31⅝
I. B. M.	509
Int. Paper	95¾
Johns Man.	52⅞
Kaiser Ind	—
Kennecott Copper	75¼
Katy	4⅛
Lockheed Aircraft	22
Montana Power	28¼
Montgomery Ward	39⅜
Nat'l Biscuit	60⅝
New York Central	19⅝
Pac G & El	65
Penney, J. C.	39½
Penn RR	12⅝
Radio Corporation	59¼
Richfield	74
Safeway	36⅝
Sears	53⅝
Shell Oil	32¼
Socony Mobil Oil	36⅝
Southern Co.	—
Southern Pacific	19⅝
Standard California	41¼
Standard Indiana	37⅛
Standard N.J.	40¼
Sun Mines	5½
Texas Co.	74
Texas Gulf Sulfur	16
Texas Pac Land Trust	16
Transamerica	26⅛
Trans World Air	11⅝
Tri-Continental	35½
Union Carbide	117⅜
Union Pacific	27⅝
United Aircraft	39⅜
U. A. L.	30¼
U. S. Rubber	49⅛
U. S. Steel	79⅜
Youngstown S & T	98½

Louisville, Ky. – A coon hunt took place in the dog warden's building. A racoon broke out of a cage and hid in the building. Three coon dogs located the fugitive and it was captured with a rope.

Investment Funds

Noon quotations on selected funds:

Fund	Bid	Asked
Bullock	12.26	13.44
Chem Fund	10.78	11.66
Colonial Ener	11.60	12.68
Eaton Howard Stk	11.52	12.52
Fidelity	14.68	15.88
Group Sec—Avia-Elec	8.83	9.46
Group Sec—Com Stk	11.85	12.98
Group Sec—Petr	8.57	9.39
Group Sec—Steel	8.71	9.54
Group Sec—Tobac	8.14	8.93
Keystone B-3	15.34	16.74
Keystone B-4	9.40	10.27
Keystone K-2	14.42	13.74
Keystone S-1	18.68	20.38
Keystone S-2	11.36	12.40
Keystone S-3	12.63	13.79
Keystone S-4	12.05	13.13
Mass Inv Grth Stk	14.05	15.10
TV-Elec	7.77	8.47
Value Line Inc	5.06	5.53
Wellington	13.72	14.96

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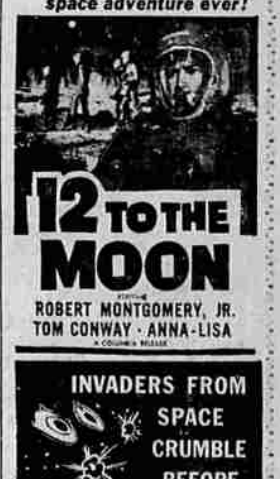

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