



FAMILY ESCAPES FUMES—The six Collins children, along with their mother, were hospitalized at Wichita, Kan., when they were partially overcome by natural gas fumes in their home. A neighbor found the family and they were all violently sick from the fumes. Shown in their hospital room are, from left, Jimmy, 9; Nelson, 5; Connie, 6; Lettie, 10; Delores, 8, and Gerald, 7. All are said to be recovering.

(UPI Telephoto)

Journalists Offer Challenge to Young People at Meeting

(Editor's note: This is another in the series of articles written by Jim Frake, Medford High school senior who represented the Oregon Newspaper Publishers association at the Ford National Teen-Age Press conference in Detroit and Dearborn, Mich., recently. The articles were written and submitted in competition for five scholarships.)

By JIM FRAKE
 Detroit — What greater challenge could anyone have than the privilege of seeking out the truth?
 This question was offered some 150 teen-age journalists at an opening session of the Ford National Teen-Age Press conference here Wednesday evening. Mrs. Jo Caldwell Meyer, executive secretary for Theta Sigma Phi, a national fraternity for women in journalism, posed the question during a journalism careers program.

Wall Street Chatter

New York—(UPI)—A clear-cut textile recession is now in the making, according to Prentice-Hall, Inc.
 After a false upturn in May, mill production has resumed its decline and is now near its low for the year, the publishing house says. Industry profits are also beginning to falter as second quarter returns dropped below a year ago for the first time in two years.
 P-H reports that selected textile securities will soon offer good opportunities for cyclical capital gains.
 Clark, Dodge & Co. believes it most unlikely that the market lows will hold more than just temporarily and it is entirely possible that the \$20-550 area will be reached before the election rather than after it.
 S. B. Laurie of Josephthal & Co. says that next year's earnings of Deere & Co. may double the \$2.50 a share that seems likely in 1960. There's a potentially big replacement market in farm equipment, he says.

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 by PHILLIP WYLIE
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Campaign Quotes

By United Press International
 Sen. John F. Kennedy: (In Barrington, Ill.): "The fact of the matter is that the administration has refused to make this matter (government report on U.S. prestige abroad) public."
 "The reason is that it shows the administration and Mr. Nixon are wholly misinformed about our position in the world."
 "If people around the world get the idea that Russia is the strongest power, how many will stay with us? It is time for us to pick ourselves up and go forward again."
 (In Geneva, Ill.): "I have not detected any note of urgency in the speeches of Vice President Nixon. Is it your judgment that this country can afford to proceed as it has? Do you really accept the word of Mr. Nixon?"
 (In Elmhurst, Ill.): Nixon has "misstated the facts (about the prestige report) either because he chose to misinform the public or because he was uninformed himself."
 "Mr. Nixon has seriously misled the American people about his survey and its results in at least four important ways."
 Vice President Richard M. Nixon:
 In nationwide TV speech from Cincinnati: "Kennedy shows dangerous and erroneous judgment on Quemoy, Matsu, the U2 incident and Cuba."
 In text of TV speech but not actually spoken: Kennedy was "utterly unknowing and irresponsible" in saying the Eisenhower administration tried to persuade Chiang Kai-shek to withdraw troops from Matsu and Quemoy.
 Administration officials talked to Chiang "not about abandoning Quemoy and Matsu but only about how best to relate the defense preparations on those islands to the over-all objective of maintaining the security of Formosa and the Pescadores."
 (In statement on U.S. space accomplishments): "The Eisenhower administration has just about closed an inherited space gap. We have been hard at work on the related problem, the so-called missile gap—likewise inherited—and we have achieved great success."
 "We have surpassed the Soviet lead in space competition in all respects but that of rocket thrust, where the failures of the last administration handed the Soviets a several-year lead; and even that lead is soon to be surpassed."

Charge Filed in Hit-Run Death

Hillsboro—(UPI)—Dean Fisk, 37, Cornelius, has been charged with negligent homicide in connection with the hit-and-run traffic death of a Hillsboro teenager Saturday night.
 Fisk, a salesman, who gave himself up to Washington county sheriff's officers earlier in the day, was released on \$5,000 bail. A hearing will be set in Washington County District Court.
 Killed in the accident was Gene L. Morse, 18. Morse was struck while riding a motor scooter on the Hillsboro-North Plains road and died three hours after being taken to a Hillsboro hospital.
 Fisk surrendered to authorities in the company of his attorney.

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