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Americans Gather Today To Honor The Resurrection

By United Press International

Americans gathered across the land today under the first rays of the morning sun to mark Christianity's greatest celebration — the resurrection of the Prince of Peace.

From a carrier deck off California to a cave in Maine, from a Colorado mountain top to a giant convention hall in Chicago, from a gigantic cross on Bald Knob mountain near Alto Pass, Ill., to Denver's Red Rocks park, persons of the many Christian faiths planned to rejoice at the cry: "Christ is risen."

For many sections of the nation, sunny and seasonably mild weather was predicted for the Easter services and the numerous Easter parades that will follow.

April Arrives

But, newly-arrived April shook a soggy coat of snow and cold rain over other parts of the nation yesterday and forecasters said fur coats and umbrellas would be the fashion in these areas.

Snow squalls and below freezing temperatures were reported over the Great Lakes and into mountains of Pennsylvania and Virginia. Phillipsburg, Pa., measured four inches of snow.

Heavy rains fell across New England with Concord, N.H., and Boston measuring .76 of an inch and Portland, Maine, recording nearly an inch. The rain was scheduled to turn into sloppy, wet snow during the night.

More rain was reported in the Pacific Northwest and in the Rockies.

Four Deaths

At least four deaths were blamed on the weather. Four persons died in a two-car collision in Wisconsin when visibility was reduced by blowing snow.

The newest of the Easter observances in the United States was planned at Chicago's McCormick place, a new convention hall on the shore of Lake Michigan. But the oldest service was to be at the parade ground of the old Fort Hamilton at Brooklyn, N.Y., where Robert E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson once reacted to the glory of Easter.

The Fort Hamilton service has been an annual sunrise event since 1802. But the service this year might be the last at the site, which is in an area now being cleared for construction of a new bridge.

Other long-time services include Denver's Red Rocks park which features the Capello choir of Carthage (Ill.) college; the national park service-sponsored 26th annual event atop Hot Springs mountain in Arkansas; the Hollywood bowl where a reading by actor Howard Keel will be the feature, and other California gatherings such as Pasadena's Rose bowl and a hilltop at Montecito near Santa Barbara.

USAF Gets Charge Of Satellite Group

Washington — (UPI) — Defense Secretary Robert S. McNamara Saturday named the Air Force to operate all U.S. reconnaissance satellites in a move designed to bring major advances in the gathering of military intelligence.

In a related step, he divided the Pentagon's vast military map-making activities among the three services. His aim here is to prevent duplications and to save money. Generally he assigned land, sea and air space areas respectively to the Army, Navy and Air Force. He also charged each with doing certain mapping work for the others.

McNamara's satellite announcement was historic in the sense that it was the first assignment of an operational military mission in space as distinct from long-standing research and development work on a variety of space vehicles.

Auto Crash Kills Linfield Student

Delano, Calif. — (UPI) — A 25-year-old Linfield college senior from Japan was killed in a one-car accident near here early Saturday. The victim was identified as Tsuyoshi Endo.

Tom Chow, 20, also a Linfield student and the only other occupant of the car, was not seriously injured. Chow is from Formosa.

But two of the more celebrated services of past years were cancelled this year.

Icy roads brought a halt to the worship atop 1,530-foot Cadillac mountain in Maine, which claimed to be the first service in the nation each year because the sun's rays reached the mountain top ahead of any other east coast spot.

South Dakota's traditional Mount Rushmore Easter service also fell victim to the weather. Adverse weather for four straight years caused sponsors to make a change — rescheduling the sunrise observance to vespers this year.

North Front St. Properly Picked For New Mission

The board of directors of the Medford Gospel Mission has taken an option of property on North Front st. across from the Medford fire station for a new mission the Mail Tribune learned Saturday.

Clarence Wilson, president of the Gospel Mission executive board, announced that the property was made available for purchase by the mission through the joint efforts of the Medford Chamber of Commerce and the Gospel Mission officers.

The mission had announced plans early last month to purchase the old Esquire theater building on East Main st. and renovate it for a new mission. Opposition was voiced regarding the site's proximity to Hawthorne park.

At the annual meeting of the gospel mission March 18 the board agreed to postpone a decision on the move for a reasonable period. Working with both the Chamber and Gospel Mission officials has been H. D. Christensen, chairman of the Jackson county public welfare commission.

Wilson said that a 60-day option has been taken on the property which is 75 by 150 feet. He explained that the board felt that this site is much suited for the mission's location than near Bear creek. Three old houses, two of which have been torn down, were on the property. He said that the site will provide ample parking space for the mission when built.

No construction plans have been made, Wilson explained since the property is costing \$10,000. He said that plans are now under way to obtain the \$4,000 down payment. The property is owned by Dr. R. P. Mortensen.

Second Year

The Medford Gospel Mission, which recently observed its second anniversary is now located on South Front st. During its existence it has worked closely with and had been commended by the officials at the Veterans Administration domiciliary at White City, by parole officers, the welfare commission, the Red Cross, Salvation Army, police department and the Jackson county sheriff's office.

In commenting about the recent news stories following the announcement of construction plans for the mission, Wilson said that officials have been "amazed" at the public's response in helping the mission.

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...The Rogue Valley Blooms...



THAT TIME, AGAIN—Warm days and nights in the Rogue River valley recently have quickened the blooming of thousands of acres of pear trees, which should be at their "showiest" about the middle of next week, according to most estimates. The picture above, taken Friday at 401 orchards in the northeast part of the valley, shows a block of D'Anjou that bloom several days earlier than other varieties. So far, orchard heating has been necessary only once since the bright weather came along. The current high-pressure area that suddenly brought "spring" to southern Oregon is expected to be replaced around the middle of the week with somewhat cooler air and some precipitation, but another "high", now about 1,800 miles off the coast, is likely to be here by the week end, bringing sunshine for Saturday's Pear Blossom festival activities. —(Bob Vroman photo)

Old Peerless Auto Raised From Lake

Bayview, Idaho — (UPI) — The mysterious appearance of a Peerless automobile in 50 feet of Lake Pend Oreille water was solved Saturday when a group of Spokane area skin divers were successful in raising the 35-year-old car from the lake floor.

The car, discovered near here two weeks ago in water about 250 feet from the shore by skin divers on a pleasure outing, was suspected to belong to a Boise, Idaho, man's brother who mysteriously disappeared between 1918 and 1920 with a similar car.

The Peerless found in the lake March 18 by members of a skin diving club from Fairchild Air Force base near Spokane, Wash., apparently was almost new when it was driven or dumped or fell into the north Idaho lake.

The divers failed in attempts to raise the car from the bottom last Saturday but work during the week made it possible to bring the car to the surface yesterday.

Found inside the car were several large jars apparently used for whiskey or alcoholic beverages. Indications were that the car might have been engaged in "rum running" during the prohibition days and when the federal authorities closed in on the illegal liquor traffic the car was "cooled off" in the lake.

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Communist Vietnamese Invade Laos; Capture Strategic City

Vientiane, Laos — (UPI) — The government Saturday announced that Tha Thom, a key defense bastion only 85 miles from this capital, had fallen to a massive assault by Communist North Vietnamese infantry bolstered by paratroops dropped from 13 Soviet transport planes.

The key Communist victory was said to be part of a general offensive in eastern and southern Laos in which a total of 14 North Vietnamese battalions, or 7,000 men, are taking part with native Laotian rebels.

Nine of the Vietnamese battalions were deployed against outnumbered royal Laotian troops at Tha Thom, Bouavang Norasing, information minister for the pro-western government here, reported.

Three other Vietnamese battalions are situated at the town of Khamkeut and two more at Mahaxay nearby, he said.

The government defeat at Tha Thom was announced following an urgent cabinet meeting. Bouavang said the cabinet was considering declaration of a state of siege in view of the new developments.

The government said it threw four of its six rocket-firing American-built T-1 planes into the battle for Tha Thom but they were unable to stem the advance of the Red

Johnson Takes Trip To Africa, Europe

Washington — (UPI) — Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson left Saturday on his first overseas mission for President Kennedy — a trip that will take him to Africa and Europe.

His first assignment will be to attend independence ceremonies of Senegal, the former French African colony, as Kennedy's official representative.

Enroute home, he will visit Paris, Geneva and Spain. At Paris, he will obtain first hand information on the North Atlantic Treaty Organization; in Geneva, he will discuss progress of the nuclear test ban talks with Russia; and in Spain, he will inspect American military bases.

Cuba Government Arrests Catholics

Havana — (UPI) — The Cuban government Saturday arrested scores of Roman Catholics who took part in a record-sized Easter procession in Havana and re-enacted the Passion Play in nearby Guines.

At the same time, reliable sources said the government had broken up a fourth navy counter-revolutionary plot by 300 anti-Communist sailors and naval officers, most of whom fled the country in PT boats or other craft when the plot was discovered.

Meanwhile, the government controlled press reported the arrest of a Cuban-born man as he was about to embark for the United States carrying a large sum in Cuban bank notes, and about \$200 in U.S. currency.

CP Police Arrest Burglary Suspect

Central Point — Central Point police are holding David Melvin Coshow, 50, of Sunny Valley, Ore. on charges of burglary not in a dwelling.

Police obtained a district court warrant for Coshow's arrest following questioning about two burglaries occurring in Central Point early Wednesday morning. Police Chief Wallace Bowen said \$1,136.15 in cash taken from the Crockett hardware store and the Corner club has been recovered. Exact figures on the amount taken from each business haven't been determined yet, Bowen said.

Bing Crosby's Wife Announces Pregnancy

Houston, Tex. — (UPI) — Kathy Grant, wife of singer Bing Crosby, took time out from campaigning in behalf of father who is running for the U.S. Senate last night to announce she is expecting her third child in November.

Miss Grant's father, Delbert E. Grandstaff of West Columbia, Tex., is among the 65 Texas candidates actively running for the Senate seat vacated by Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson.

2 More Nominated For School Board

Petitions nominating two Medford residents for election to the Medford school district board have been filed with Clerk Wilson Slater.

They are for LeRoy J. Smith, 1015 Whitman ave., Medford, and Gerald M. (Gerry) Gastineau, 2647 Eastover Terrace dr., Medford.

They are the second and third candidates seeking the position being vacated by Board Chairman Edward Branchfield, who said he did not wish to seek reelection.

Previously, Dr. David C. Boals, 34 Glen Oak ct., Medford, filed his acceptance as a candidate for the post.

The election will be held May 1. Friday was the last day petitions and candidates' acceptances could be filed.

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Russia Answers British Proposal; Asks Conference

President Kennedy Calls Announcement "Useful Next Step;" Others Agree

Moscow — (UPI) — Russia Saturday agreed with the West that there should be a cease-fire in Laos, but it did not say when and attached conditions to its acceptance. The Soviets also demanded an international conference this month on the crisis.

Nevertheless, Western diplomats were optimistic that a major East-West crisis could be settled peacefully. President Kennedy in Palm Beach called the Russian announcement a "useful next step."

British officials said they were "encouraged."

The Soviet Union acted as communist-led rebels in Laos advanced through the mid-section of the Indochinese kingdom in what was described as a twin-pronged attempt to cut the country in two.

Soviet Premier Nikita S. Khrushchev called in U. S. Ambassador Llewellyn Thompson for a 90-minute conference in the Kremlin.

Katanga Troops Capture Manono From Lumumbists

Leopoldville, The Congo — (UPI) — The U.N. command Saturday airlifted 500 tough Indian Gurkha troops into Katanga province in defiance of warnings by Katanga president Moise Tshombe that it would be an act of war.

A U.N. spokesman said there was trouble when the Indian troops, vanguard of an 800-man Indian force, arrived at Kamina base in the secessionist province.

Despite Tshombe's stern words, observers doubted he would send his Belgian-trained army against the United Nations troops.

The Indians were sent in to deal with increased tension following the capture of Lumumbist-occupied Manono in North Katanga by Tshombe's troops. Nine men were killed in the fight.

Under Wraps

The Indians, who had been kept under wraps since their controversial dispatch here last month, were flown into the big Kamina base, a former Belgian installation 210 miles southwest of Manono.

It was believed the Indians would be transferred into North Katanga from Kamina to head off feared new clashes between Baluba tribesmen and victorious Tshombe troops.

Despite the airlift, no new clashes were reported from the North Katanga area around Manono where a mixed force of Tshombe's African troops and white European mercenaries last Thursday ousted Baluba rebels.

Lumumbists had set up Manono as a rebel state capital.

A U.N. spokesman said Saturday that a total of seven Balubas were killed and two Katangese troops wounded in the fighting for Manono.

U.N. sources in Leopoldville said the United Nations forces had no intention of trying to push the Katanga forces out of Manono.

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The surging marchers, waving pictures of Jordan's King Hussein and United Arab Republic President Gamal Abdel Nasser, noisily punctuated the solemn preparations by nine to 100 thousand Holy Week pilgrims for a joyous Easter Sunday.

But the tourists and pilgrims watched the demonstrations undisturbed. And as if in anticipation of the joyous Easter celebration of Christ's resurrection, the sun broke through leaden skies to end a week of cold, rain and harsh winds.

A formal Soviet note was handed to British Ambassador Sir Frank Roberts in reply to a British note of March 23 proposing an immediate cease-fire in Laos, convening of the three-nation Laotian control commission established in 1954 and formation of a multi-nation conference on Laos.

Russia, in reply, did not say that it agreed to an immediate cease-fire. But it said:

"Just as the government of Great Britain, the Soviet government considers desirable the earliest termination of hostilities in Laos."

It called for convening of the Polish-Canadian-Indian control commission which would report to the co-chairmen of the 1954 Geneva Peace conference on Indochina. The co-chairmen are Britain and Russia.

Include China

A 14-nation conference, including Red China, would be convened in Phnom Penh, Cambodia, "as soon as possible" this month.

Red China spurned Western efforts to end the Laotian war and insisted "all foreign troops" must first leave the country.

A late Radio Peiping broadcast monitored in Tokyo accused the pro-Western Laotian government of border raids on the southern China frontier.

The Soviet note to Britain made it clear that while the West supports the regime of Premier Boun Oum, Russia and "other" nations support ousted nationalist Premier Souvanna Phouma, now visiting in Paris. A multi-nation conference as proposed by Prince Norodom Sihanouk of Cambodia would take up that internal issue.

Heart of the Soviet note was the statement:

"It is essential right now to agree definitely on the date and place for the convocation of such a conference and, for its part (Russia) suggests that it should be called early in April at Phnom Penh."

EP Jaycees Back Road Opponents

Eagle Point — A resolution supporting the policy of the Jackson County Home Owners Protective association opposing the proposed logging road by the Medford Corporation was passed last week by the Eagle Point Junior Chamber of Commerce.

In the resolution, which is being circulated to parties connected with the proposed road, the Jaycees said that the continuous operation of heavy log trucks over the route of Medco's present railroad will pollute the air with dust and diesel exhaust smoke. The group argued that private logging roads built in other communities have made homes along the right-of-way untenable.

In addition, the extreme amount of dust created by such a road makes pastures along such a right-of-way unpalatable to livestock, the Jaycees said. Members maintained that the proposed road would greatly increase the danger to the general public at the many crossing of public and private roads.

It was pointed out that an "adequate" public road system is already provided, and the city of Eagle Point will be come undesirable as a residence area.

According to the petition, the objects presented would tend to cause property values throughout the county as well as the immediate vicinity to diminish.

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WEATHER

FORECAST: Variable cloudiness and continued mild today. Mostly cloudy and a little cooler with possibility of a few showers Monday. High today 61. Low tonight 51. High Monday 62. Low Monday 52.

Spica, rises 7:55 p.m.

VIRILE PLANETS

Venus, sets 7:35 p.m.

Mars, sets 1:45 a.m.

Jupiter and Saturn, in the southeast 4:30 a.m.