

MORE YANKS GOING TO THAILAND

Capitulation of Agriculture To Estes Charged

Washington—(UPI)—Sen. Karl E. Mundt (R-S.D.) today charged the Agriculture Department with "complete capitulation" to Billie Sol Estes on cotton allotments. The department denied it.

Mundt said department officials revoked cancellation of Estes' cotton allotments after the Texas financier met with them and two Texas congressmen.

Lester McFall, Eagle Point, Dies Of Crash Injuries

Lester McFall, 45, of 324 South B st., Eagle Point, died Thursday as a result of injuries received in a two-vehicle accident Sunday morning.

Two other persons were killed in the collision, and a fourth is reported in critical condition at Sacred Heart hospital.

Killed Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Delroy Brown, Eagle Point, who were passengers in the McFall vehicle. In critical condition is Mrs. Sharon Lee Bennett, 20, of route 1, box 396, Gold Hill, a passenger in the other vehicle.

Reported in fair condition at the same hospital are Mrs. Lester (Laura) McFall, 40, also Eagle Point, and Mrs. June Marie Coburn Ryland, 28, of 2511 Crater Lake highway, driver of the car in which Mrs. Bennett was riding.

The accident occurred at the intersection of Crater Lake highway and Agate rd.

Two 4-H Members Named for Trip

Two Jackson county 4-H members have been awarded trips to the National 4-H Congress in Chicago, and a third has been named an alternate, according to the state 4-H office in Corvallis.

Winning trips are Georgia Hubbard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hubbard, and Alice Woolfolk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Woolfolk. Ron Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Anderson, was named an alternate. All are from the Antelope club.

Twenty-six outstanding 4-H club members from Oregon will attend the national congress in November. Selection of delegates is based on 4-H projects and activities, 4-H leadership and personal development.

Miss Hubbard won the dairy award for achievements in the project area and her contributions to others as a junior leader. Miss Woolfolk was named winner of the girl's leadership award, designed to encourage the development of leadership qualities. Anderson was selected as an alternate in the beef award division.

All three club members are in their ninth year of 4-H club work. Anderson and Miss Hubbard are seniors at Eagle Point High school, and Miss Woolfolk is employed by the Bank of Oregon.

WEATHER
FORECAST: Mostly cloudy to night and Saturday morning, becoming partly sunny Saturday afternoon. A few light showers at times and snow flurries in mountains above 3,500 to 4,000 feet. Low tonight 43. High Saturday 60.

Lowest Yesterday	74
Highest This Morning	74
Lowest Tomorrow	43
Highest Tomorrow	60

Our Skies Tonight
Sunset today — 7:29 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow — 6:47 a.m.
Moonrise today — 6:11 p.m.
Full Moon tomorrow — 6:22 a.m.

VISIBLE PLANETS
Mercury, sets — 8:45 p.m.
Venus, follows Mercury
Jupiter, rises — 2:04 a.m.
Saturn, low in south — 4:42 a.m.
Mars, rises — 2:44 a.m.

NEWS BRIEFS

U. S. TO MAKE VOICE HEARD
Washington—(UPI)—President Kennedy said Thursday night the United States would continue to make its voice heard on European security matters as long as it supplies men and dollars toward the common defense.

INDONESIAN PARATROOPERS DROPPED
Hollandia, West New Guinea—(UPI)—The local Dutch government reported today that 60 more Indonesian paratroopers were dropped on the New Guinea south coast in recent days.

NUCLEAR WARHEAD LAUNCH CONSIDERED
Washington—(UPI)—The United States today was reported considering the launching of an Atlas intercontinental ballistic missile carrying a nuclear warhead for detonation in the Pacific testing area near Christmas Island.



CHOSEN—Cherie Lynne Viggers, above, has been selected by students at Wilson High school in Portland as their Rose Festival princess. The 18-year-old beauty is five feet, three inches tall, weighs 107 pounds, and has dark hazel eyes. (UPI)

Voter Turn-Out In County Slow, Check Indicates

A comparatively light voter turnout was reported from a spot check of downtown Medford and Ashland precincts this morning as Jackson county voters went to the polls to nominate candidates for the November general election and decide three issues, two state and one county.

Polls in the 123 precincts in the county will be open until 8 o'clock tonight.

One factor which may have contributed to a slower voter turnout than some political observers expected was threatening weather.

Voting at precincts at the Jackson county courthouse up to 11 o'clock this morning was light. A total of 145 people had voted at the four polling places.

Three Polling Places
Some 87 people had cast ballots at three precinct polling places in the Red Cross building, Medford, by mid-morning. Voting at Medford High school was reported steady, but not spectacular.

Voting at precincts at Hedrick and McLoughlin Junior High schools was reported from slow to average for a primary election.

By 10:50 o'clock this morning, 140 people had voted at four locations at McLoughlin Junior High school, and 172 had voted in four precincts at Hedrick Junior High.

In Ashland, a check showed that 66 had voted in three precincts at Walker school by 11 o'clock.

Board Canvasses Rural School Vote

The Jackson county rural school board this week canvassed school election results. Official returns from the May 7 election show the rural school levy passed 1,479 to 738.

James H. Grieve, only candidate for board member from Zone 3 (Eagle Point, Prospect and Butte Falls) received 40 votes. There were three write-in votes.

Jeannette P. Grove, route 3, Medford, candidate for Zone 4 (Phoenix and Applegate) received 319 votes. Twelve write-in votes were cast.

John Spangler was elected member-at-large by 1,987 votes. There were 19 write-ins.

The resignation of James McDonald, county curriculum materials center director was accepted by the rural board. He will report to the Lane county school superintendent's office July 1 to start organizing a curriculum materials center there.

'International' Mishap Reported in Ashland
Ashland—Motorists from Canada and the Philippines met in Ashland Thursday, but in a somewhat unexpected manner. Their autos collided.

Americans Will Be Driven Out, Khrushchev Says

Plans To Resume Nuclear Tests Told

Obnova, Bulgaria—(UPI)—Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev said today that American forces sent into Thailand "will be driven out."

"It is only a question of time," Khrushchev added.

Speaking at a welcoming ceremony as he arrived in this collective village on his Bulgarian tour, Khrushchev also said the Soviet Union will resume nuclear testing.

It was "stupidity," Khrushchev said, to send U.S. troops into Thailand.

Reference to Decision
"The President Kennedy has ordered American troops into Thailand," Khrushchev said in reference to the American decision to help defend the borders of Thailand against any Communist encroachment from neighboring Laos.

"However, the Americans will be driven out of Thailand. It is only a question of time. They are afraid of not only losing Laos but also losing Thailand. The best thing the United States could do is to give up playing the role of international policeman."

Khrushchev did not say who would drive the Americans out of Thailand, but the implication appeared to be that this would be done by the Thais.

Blood Being Shed
"In Viet Nam," Khrushchev said, "the French fought for seven years and the Americans are, blood is being shed. But they will get out of there."

"In North Viet Nam where the people are in power, creative work is done. In South Viet Nam, where the Americans are, blood is being shed."

Of Kennedy's decision to send American troops to Thailand, Khrushchev said: "This does not bespeak a great mind. It is an unreasonable decision. . . . Blood will be shed there."

On nuclear testing, he said: "We have exploded a certain number of nuclear weapons; a certain number has been exploded by America."

"The Americans have just resumed nuclear tests. Therefore, we will resume the tests."

Oregon Man, 28, Gets Prison Term

Cleveland—(UPI)—U.S. District Judge James C. Connell today sentenced Edward W. Edwards, 28, Portland, Ore., to 15 years in prison on his guilty plea to an Akron bank robbery.

Edwards robbed the Arlington Plaza branch of the First National Bank of Akron of \$8,000 last Jan. 16, while his pregnant wife, Marlene, 19, sat in their car, apparently unaware that her husband was robbing a bank.

The couple was arrested in Atlanta, Edwards, while awaiting trial, apparently intended to attempt to escape from the county jail. Authorities said they found a rope made of 19 sheets in his cell.

Telephone Directories Now Being Delivered

Delivery of the 1962 telephone directory this week signals the start of All Number Calling (ANC) for Medford, Central Point, Gold Hill, Jacksonville, Phoenix and Talent July 15.

"Since DDD is not effective until July 15," Creager said, "the instructions on pages four through nine do not, of course, take effect until that time."

Another instruction that doesn't take force until July 15 is included in the explanation of calling in the "local area and to nearby towns" on page two of the introductory section.

Of the 36,500 Medford directories printed, some 24,100 will be delivered initially. The remainder are kept for replacements during the year, for distribution to new customers or to other telephone companies throughout the United States and Canada.

Directories for the telephone company's Ashland customers will be delivered at the same time as those for Medford and the other communities. The Ashland directory will list all the new All Number Calling telephone numbers. Ashland changed to the ANC type of numbers last year.

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Combat Troops Leave Hawaii For Buildup

Nations Indicate Readiness To Help

By United Press International
Nearly 500 more American combat troops were disclosed today as Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev said that U.S. forces sent into that Southeast Asian nation "will be driven out."

A Honolulu announcement said between 450 and 500 more American troops — combat specialist and combat support troops — flew from Hawaii Thursday in Air Force transport planes to join 2,800 American troops already in Thailand. Another 500 troops were scheduled to depart early next week.

Seis Up Headquarters
Gen. Paul D. Harkins, the newly appointed commander of U.S. forces in Thailand, flew into Bangkok today to set up his headquarters. He immediately began a round of conferences with U.S. Ambassador Kenneth Young and senior Thai military staff officials.

As the American military buildup continued, Thai Prime Minister Sarit Thanarat was reported to have told his cabinet that "every SEATO pact nation except France has indicated its willingness to send a token military unit to join U.S. troops in Thailand."

Believed Sufficient
Premier Sarit, the Bangkok Post reported, told his cabinet he feels Thailand's 80,000-man army plus the U.S. force is sufficient for the time being.

"There is no likelihood of war at present," the Thai prime minister was quoted as saying, "but the stationing of American troops (in Thailand) will be a deterrent to the Communists if they plan to commit aggression against this country."

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Council Postpones Action on Creek

The whole matter of making certain improvements along Bear creek adjacent to Hawthorne park, including providing off-street parking under the freeway viaduct, was tabled last night by the Medford city council.

Two new developments caused the council to feel it needed still more time to study the matter:

1. A letter has been received from the Oregon state highway commission which states the commission is satisfied with present conditions in the area under question. The letter said realignment of the creek channel next to the park was not considered necessary, nor was there any need for riprap.

2. The city park and recreation commission had a joint meeting with the council Tuesday and went on record, by an 8 to 1 vote, to recommend against paying for off-street parking facilities under the viaduct with park and recreation department funds.

Several councilmen made the point that the motion to table did not mean the proposed project would be allowed to die. Rather, it would allow time to meet with all interested parties and perhaps work out a compromise that would be satisfactory to all.

OPTOMETRISTS TO MEET
Gearhart — (UPI) — More than 100 Oregon optometrists are expected here for the annual convention of the Oregon Optometric Association May 25-27.

Council Amends Code To Permit New Grandstand

The Medford city council, after 1½ hours of discussion that bordered at times on outright confusion, last night voted to amend the city's building code to permit the construction of a new football grandstand at Medford High school.

The controversy hinged on interpretation of a provision in the building code which stipulates that grandstands employing combustible material may not exceed nine feet in height.

The stadium plans call for the use of three-inch wooden decking in the roof. On top of the decking would be a covering of corrugated steel.

Sheltered Seats
The difficulty arose when the designers planned to construct two rows of sheltered seats on the roof. Building Safety Director O. R. McNeel, supported by City Attorney William Mansfield's interpretation of the provision, held that this was not in conformance with the building code.

Since the building code permits no variance, an impasse was reached: Medford attorney Paul Haviland, representing the stadium builders, insisted the city's interpretation was wrong, and City Attorney Mansfield strongly advised the council that his interpretation was correct.

City Manager Robert Duff said the city administration "had no discretion in the matter." The building code had to be enforced. Selected parts of it could not be waived on request, he said.

Haviland called upon Fire Chief Gordon Barker to tell whether he thought the stadium would be safe from the fire standpoint if it were built according to plans.

The fire chief said he was

Space Launch Delayed



BEATING CHARGED—Teamster President James R. Hoffa, left, and Samuel Baron, right, field director of the Teamsters Warehouse Division, are shown outside Municipal Court in Washington, D. C. today. Hoffa was granted a jury trial on charges that he beat up Baron "like a man berserk." (UPI)

Hoffa Accused of Beating Union Aide; Trial Slated

Washington—(UPI)—Teamster President James R. Hoffa was granted a jury trial starting June 19 on charges that he beat up a union aid "like a man berserk."

Hoffa entered a plea of not guilty before Municipal Court Judge Thomas C. Scallely and requested the jury trial.

Samuel Baron, Hoffa's accuser, sat silently a few feet away from the stocky teamster's chief during the brief courtroom ceremony.

Baron's eyes were blackened. There was a long gash under his left eye which he said was result of Hoffa's blows in a scuffle Thursday morning in the Teamster president's office.

Refuses Comment
Hoffa refused to comment on the charges to newsmen. He said he would leave the matter to his lawyer, H. Clifford Alder, who appeared with the Teamster chief this morning.

Baron's apartment was guarded by two deputy marshals today following his charges against the union leader.

Baron, field director of the teamsters warehouse division, said "it would be absolute suicide" for anyone to testify against Hoffa on the charges that the union leader knocked him down twice and shoved him over a chair. If found guilty, Hoffa would face a maximum penalty of a year in jail and a \$15,000 fine.

Baron said "If anything happens to me, at least it will be publicly known who my enemies are."

Cut Over Eye
Baron had a cut over his right eye, a small cut on the right side of his nose and a severely swollen left eye.

Hoffa, 49, who was freed on \$500 bond, said "This is a court case and I will not say anything until I appear in court."

Baron, who was paid \$17,000 a year by the union, said: "I am not going back to the Teamsters." He said he would "do everything I possible can to convince members of the Teamsters Union they are locked in by the worst group with many exceptions — of trade unionists I have ever seen in my life."

He said he and Hoffa had been at odds since 1954. Baron said Hoffa called him into his office Thursday as he was preparing for a conference with representatives of a large nationwide furniture company on the possibility of a national contract.

Hoffa, Baron said, demanded to know "what you are doing." He said Hoffa repeated his demand three times loudly and "cut me off each time I tried to answer."

Hoffa was "like a man berserk," Baron said. He said he decided to leave and as he

"It's All The Work Of The Communists—Who Don't Exist Under Our Regimes"

