

Foreign Briefs

THOUSANDS HOMELESS IN SAIGON
Saigon, South Viet Nam—One of the worst fires in Saigon's history burned itself out early today, leaving an estimated 30,000 to 40,000 persons homeless.

The fire which began yesterday in the Khanh Hoi slum district, destroyed an estimated 4,000 houses. Rescue workers said they found two bodies. A total of about 150 persons were hospitalized.

SOVIETS SEEK DEAL WITH BRITISH
Moscow—The Soviet government last night repeated its desire to sell oil to Britain in exchange for machinery and ships.

The government newspaper Izvestia dismissed as "non-sense" a campaign in Britain against buying Soviet oil.

FOUR DROWN IN BOATING ACCIDENT
Veracruz, Mexico—An overloaded pleasure boat sank in the Gulf of Mexico near here Monday, drowning four of the six men on board, it was announced today.

Naval authorities said the two survivors swam ashore at nearby Anton Lizardo. Three of the dead were brothers. Port authorities said the boat had not been properly cleared for use.

WEST GERMANS GRANT CREDIT TO SOUTH VIET NAM
Bonn, Germany—West Germany has granted South Viet Nam a \$3.77 million credit to buy medicines, insecticides, fertilizers, spare parts and machines, an economics ministry spokesman announced yesterday.

Stocks Recoup Part Of Early Losses; Close Shade Lower

New York—Stocks recovered part of their early loss in the late afternoon today, closing a shade lower at worst in routine trading.

The news background continued to improve. First there was relief over indications that the Securities & Exchange commission report to Congress on the securities industry may not be as "hostile" as feared; then followed an improvement in short interest, news of record February durable goods sales and orders, and a number of favorable first quarter earnings reports.

DOW JONES AVERAGES
New York—Dow Jones closing stock averages: 30 industrials 875.57 off 1.55; 20 rails 151.28 off 0.18; 15 utilities 135.61, off 0.29; 85 stocks 240.01 off 0.49. Sales Thursday were about 3.22 million shares as compared with 3.89 million shares Wednesday.

Thursday's prices on selected stocks:
Allied Chemical 43 1/2
Alum Co Am 51 1/2
American Can 45 1/2
American Motors 29
A. T. & T. 120 3/4
American Tobacco 31 1/2
Anaconda Copper 48

Armo	52 1/2
American Standard	51
Santa Fe	26 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	30 1/2
Boeing Air	36 1/2
Brunswick	18 1/2
Caterpillar Corp	35 1/2
Chrysler Corp	89 1/2
Coca Cola	82 1/2
C. S. S.	51 1/2
Columbia Gas	28 1/2
Continental Can	44
Crown Zellerbach	30 1/2
Cruible Steel	18 1/2
Curtis Wright	30 1/2
Dow Chemical	38 1/2
Du Pont	37 1/2
Eastman Kodak	115 1/2
Exxon	34 1/2
Fort	43 1/2
General Electric	78 1/2
General Foods	63 1/2
General Motors	63 1/2
General Portland Cement	18 1/2
Georgia Pacific	45 1/2
Greyhound	26 1/2
Guil Oil	71 1/2
Idaho Power	22 1/2
Int. Paper	28 1/2
Johns Manville	54 1/2
Kennecott Copper	70 1/2
Lockheed Aircraft	52 1/2
Martin	30 1/2
Merck	81 1/2
Montana Power	38 1/2
Montgomery Ward	34
National Biscuit	48 1/2
New York Central	18 1/2
Northern Pacific	42 1/2
Pac Gas Elec	32 1/2
Penn. J. C.	46 1/2
Penn. RR	15
Perma Cement	14
Phillips	48 1/2
Proctor & Gamble	72 1/2
Radio Corporation	39 1/2
Richfield Oil	42 1/2
Rockwell	42 1/2
Sears	79 1/2
Shell Oil	37 1/2
Soco Mobil Oil	64 1/2
Southern Co.	54 1/2
Sperry Rand	13
Standard California	83 1/2
Standard Indiana	83 1/2
Standard N. J.	83 1/2
Stokely Van Camp	18 1/2
Sun Mines	9 1/2
Texas Co.	95 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulfur	14
Texas Pacific Land Trust	21 1/2
Thiokol	24 1/2
Trans America	47 1/2
Trans World Air	12 1/2
Tri-Continental	44 1/2
Union Carbide	105 1/2
Union Pacific	34 1/2
United Aircraft	48 1/2
United Fruit Lines	34 1/2
U.S. Plywood	33 1/2
U.S. Rubber	44
U.S. Steel	45 1/2
West Bank Corp	34 1/2
Westinghouse	33 1/2
Youngtown	90 1/2

Medford Man Pleads Innocent to Charge

Donald Calvin Imhausen, 26, of 178 DeHague ave., Medford, pleaded innocent in Medford court this morning to charges of failure to leave information at the scene of an accident and having an altered operator's license.

Bail set totalled \$85, and he was lodged in the Medford city jail.

According to Medford police, Imhausen was arrested about 9:15 p.m. Tuesday after officers were notified of a hit and run accident on South Central ave. involving a car operated by Frank McDonnell Wilson, 2517 Argonne Way.

Wilson and a witness to the collision in another car, Jerry Bennett, 42 North Ninth st., followed the other vehicle involved, forcing it to stop on Stewart ave. between King and Peach sts. Police were called to the scene and arrested Imhausen. It was then discovered by officers that the expiration date on his operator's license had been changed.

About an hour after he was lodged in the city jail, Imhausen and another prisoner, Joseph Vargo, were involved in an incident in which Vargo was struck in the right eye, according to police reports.



RE-UNITED WITH MOTHER—Little Beate Kerneke, 5, who, for the last two years resided with her maternal grandparents in East Germany, is shown here Tuesday after being reunited with her mother, Mrs. Irmgard Wirick and stepfather John at San Francisco International airport. Beate was the first East German to be released for emigration to U.S. since the wall went up in Berlin. The Wiricks reside in San Mateo, Calif. (UPI)



CONTAMINATED TUNA FISH—The death Wednesday of two Detroit area housewives from botulism poisoning is believed to have been caused by eating the contents of a contaminated can of tuna fish bearing the A&P brand label. The cans were part of a shipment from a west coast packer bearing the code numbers, "WY3Y2" and the bottom line "118X". The A&P food stores have removed all cans bearing this code but emphasized that the tuna fish has not definitely been determined to have caused either death. Housewives were urged to check their shelves for this brand of tuna fish bearing this serial number. (UPI)

Health Workers Continue Checks On Suspect Tuna

Detroit—A nationwide search for a killer, suspected of being lodged in a small can of tuna fish and causing the deaths of two women, continued today under the direction of the Food and Drug Administration.

Under voluntary action, all A&P brand tuna fish was removed from the food chain's shelves across the nation. The cans were subjected to close scrutiny by the teams of health inspectors.

Sought was the extremely rare Type E botulism, which is suspected of taking the lives of two Grosse Ile, Mich., women.

Mrs. Colette Brown, 37, died last Friday, and Mrs. Margaret McCarthy, 39, died Tuesday. They had eaten a lunch of tuna fish from a can bearing the A&P label, and became violently ill shortly afterward.

There is no conclusive evidence as yet that the suspected tuna was the real cause of the botulism poisoning, but it was being checked.

4-H Club News

Sewing Class
Mrs. Frank Heesacker has formed a 4-H sewing class for the seventh and eighth grade girls of Kerby elementary school. An organizational meeting was held last Thursday.

Mrs. John Alstrom will be an assistant. There is an active 4-H livestock and a 4-H horse group now active in Illinois valley.

Lake Creek Ranchers
Lake Creek Ranchers 4-H club members attending the Jackson county 4-H officer school in Crater High school were Cheryl Stanley and Laura May Noble, in the president's group; Linda Armitage in the secretary's group; Gloria Myers, vice president's group, and Mrs. John Noble, news reporter's group.

A talk by the officers will be given at the various 4-H clubs.

Three youths from Lake Creek placed in the third annual Quarter Horse parade in the State of Jefferson. They were Todd Crouse, Tom Perry and Laura May Noble.

The ranchers held a meeting recently at the home of Mary Ann Gardner. Demonstrations were given by Cheryl Stanley, Linda Armitage and Laura May Noble.

The 4-H club ribbons won by the club members were displayed at the Brownsboro store and the trophies at the Lake Creek store.

Linda Armitage, Reporter

The Happy Hemmers

The March meeting of the Happy Hemmers 4-H club was held at Mrs. Cornutt's recently.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Conny Varner.

Everyone brought a bar of soap and we painted designs on the edge then we put a picture in the middle, then they were dipped in hot wax. They were made for our community project and will be donated to a home in the valley.

The next meeting will be April 13, and it will be in the form of a field trip. We will go down town and visit some department stores and look at the different kinds of materials.

Refreshments were served and the meeting was adjourned.

Sandra Mayfield, Reporter

Review of CD Budget Suggested in Report

Salem—Further review of the civil defense budget was recommended Tuesday by the legislative fiscal office in a supplemental report on the governor's budget requests.

The report recommended a review of \$22,000 requested for state aid to local government units for purchase of equipment.

The supplemental review covers the governor's requested \$410,000 CD budget for 1963-65. No mention was made of the alternate \$50,000 budget being considered by a Ways and Means subcommittee.

Salem—The House and Senate constitutional revision committees voted Tuesday to leave it up to the legislature whether it would change from biennial to annual sessions.

Two SF Men Charged With Lye Attack

San Francisco—An unemployed bowling alley clerk whom he had known for ten years, "I was mad," Lucero told police, "because Esther left me and was friendly with Goldman."

Albert Benjamin Lucero, 52, seized in San Francisco, told police he paid \$15 to Rudolph Hoskins, 17, to "rough up" Harry Goldman because of jealousy over a woman employee in his delicatessen. Inspector Gus Coreris said Lucero made a full confession.

Goldman, 48, was blinded in one eye last Wednesday when a young Negro entered his store and threw liquid lye into his eyes. Doctors are not sure whether vision in his right eye can be restored.

Bit Plaster
At City Prison, where he was booked for assault with a caustic chemical, Lucero bit his fingernails and mumbled, "all this over a woman."

He said the woman was

Esther Dumo, a matronly clerk whom he had known for ten years. "I was mad," Lucero told police, "because Esther left me and was friendly with Goldman."

Lucero told officers he had intended that both Goldman and Mrs. Dumo be "roughed up." He said "I didn't want them hurt bad, just slapped around, like it was a robbery, so it would be reported to police. This would be embarrassing to them."

He said he told Hoskins "he could keep what he might find in the till."

Picked Up
Hoskins, who has a criminal record including a rape charge, was picked up at the home of his mother in San Diego, where he was transferred to the custody of San Francisco officers Sgt. John Fotinos and Lt. Frank Gregg.

Fotinos said Hoskins told him he knew nothing of the assault on Goldman. "He doesn't recall when he left San Francisco, he just said he came here aboard a bus to help his mother," Fotinos said.

In San Francisco, officers said two acquaintances of Hoskins told them that the husky Hoskins had spoken of the attack on Goldman the day before it happened. They said he told them, "I'm going to do this guy in. I'm going to pop his eye out."

Lucero was picked up in San Francisco at about the same time Hoskins was seized in San Diego. Police, following a tip that a man of his general description had been seen in the neighborhood of Goldman's store the day of the attack, arrested him on a street corner.

Issued Plea
Coreris and Fotinos had been baffled by the apparent senselessness of the attack, and had issued a plea for public assistance in finding the assailant.

Police said that Lucero's only reason for jealousy of Goldman was that he had followed in his car several nights as the delicatessen owner drove his clerk home after work.

Mrs. Dumo, whose legs were burned by the lye, identified Hoskins from photographs as the attacker. Informed of Lucero's confessed role, she said, "If that's true then he's an animal."

Goldman's wife, at her husband's side in the hospital, said, "The man (Lucero) is obviously sick and needs help. It shows how twisted some people become in this world. It's so ridiculous."

Police later announced that they had arrested two juveniles in connection with an attack against Goldman four days earlier.

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his neck and had his clothes damaged by the solution mostly missed its mark. Police quoted youths as saying Lucero had hired them to do the job and had even mixed the lye solution for them.

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Governor Seeks Reorganization

Sacramento—Gov. Edward G. Brown Wednesday proposed an "extensive but cautious" plan for reorganization of state government to the 1963 legislature.

He called the program a "conservative and logical" extension of the first stage reforms put into effect by the 1961 legislature.

"I have no doubt they will arouse controversy," he said in a special message to the lawmakers. "It is, unfortunately, the nature of government to multiply rather than simplify its functions."

"But controversy must not divert us from answering positively the question that confronts government at all levels today: How can we serve the people more efficiently, more responsibly and more economically?"

One proposal was a sort of catch-all. It was a constitutional amendment granting the governor sweeping reorganization powers—subject to legislative veto.

Under this part of the program, Brown would be able to transfer any unit of government to another, consolidate functions within a unit, abolish part or all of the functions of any jurisdiction and abolish any unit whose functions are obsolete.

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