



SPACEWOMAN—Woman astronaut hopeful? Nope, just a process server, Margo St. James, wearing her sportscar driver's hair preserver. Miss St. James models a space helmet-like device which she constructed from two salad bowls to protect her beehive hairdo when she's driving around in her sportscar. The top of the car was stolen from her recently in San Francisco. (UPI)

Off-Duty Police Officer Slain in Sacramento Holdup

Sacramento—An off-duty Sacramento policeman was shot to death Tuesday night when he attempted to stop two holdup men at a supermarket where he was shopping with his family.

A lone highway patrolman arrested the two suspects minutes later—thanks to quick thinking by the victim's son and a suspicious citizen.

The police department identified the slain officer as Eugene Edgar McKnight, 38, a 16-year veteran on the force.

He was shot in the back of the neck in the parking lot of the supermarket.

The suspects were identified as James Leslie Turner, 30, and Harry Schader, 28, both prison parolees from Oakland, Calif. Police said they admitted the shooting.

Police officials said McKnight, in plain clothes, was standing behind Turner in the checkout line at the market when Turner ordered the checker to empty the till of almost \$1,000.

McKnight followed the two men out of the store, grabbed Schader around the neck with his left arm and covered Turner with his service revolver, which he held in his right hand.

Police said Schader wrenched loose, knocked McKnight down and shot him. The two suspects jumped into a car and sped off.

McKnight's son, Terry, 19, witnessed the shooting and took the license number of the car. Moments later, a suspicious householder reported to police that two men had hastily parked one car near his home and sped off in a red car parked in the lot of another market a few blocks away.

Highway patrolman Jack Morris spotted the red car on U. S. Highway 40 north of Sacramento and gave chase. The suspects stopped and surrendered to Morris without resistance.

Turner and Schader were booked on charges of murder, armed robbery and the theft of the getaway car.

Summer Storm Lashes Alabama; Tornadoes Strike

By United Press International

A severe summer storm lashed Alabama early today with hail, heavy rain and sharp lightning.

The Birmingham, Ala., weather bureau radar was knocked out of service by the lightning. A large tree was blown onto a two-story apartment building at Bessemer, Ala., 15 miles southwest of Birmingham.

The worst of the thunderstorms were in north-central Alabama. Trees were uprooted and power lines were down with one inch hail reported in the southeast sections of Huntsville, Ala.

Huntsville got 1.09 inches of rain in six hours, and Charleston, S.C., received .85 inches.

Two rare heat-caused tornadoes struck Port Arthur, Tex., on the Gulf Coast Tuesday night. One hit an old yacht club and sank one boat. The other turned over a trailer. Damage was placed at \$7,000.

Hailstorms slapped Georgia Tuesday afternoon. One-inch stones fell near Atlanta.

A tornado cloud was sighted in the Missouri river bottoms north of Jefferson City, Mo., earlier Tuesday during high winds and heavy rains.

Debris Cleared

Residents of Midland, Pa., cleared debris from a flash flood which sent up to seven feet of water surging through homes and business places early Tuesday.

For the 24 hours ending Tuesday night, Detroit, Mich., got 1.17 inches, Pittsburgh, Pa., .69 inches, Chicago, 42 inches, Little Rock, Ark., 40 inches, and Seattle, Wash., 41 inches.

In Wisconsin Gov. John Reynolds asked Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman to declare six more counties-making 27 in all-as drought disaster areas. He said crops have been cut up to 60 per cent.

Testimony Starts In Federal Court

W. J. Kesterson, Klamath Falls, the defendant in a suit brought by Capital Sky Park, a California company, testified as an adverse witness yesterday afternoon in the Medford term of U.S. district court, which opened in the post office building.

The court trial is a rescission case in which Capital Sky Park seeks to rescind or cancel a contract with Kesterson, claiming a defective title.

Kesterson is being sued as an individual and as head of the corporation, Pacific Truck Rental company. Fred Hale, Sacramento, also testified Tuesday.

Capital Sky Park, with headquarters in Sacramento, is asking cancellation of the contract with Kesterson and a return of money spent in keeping with the contract.

Two more attorneys were admitted to practice in federal court at the Tuesday session. They were Quentin D. Steele, Klamath Falls, and Bruce Kellington, Medford.

London—Detective Chief Superintendent John Du Rose, who smashed a London vice ring, will become chief of Scotland Yard's murder squad, it was announced Tuesday.

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