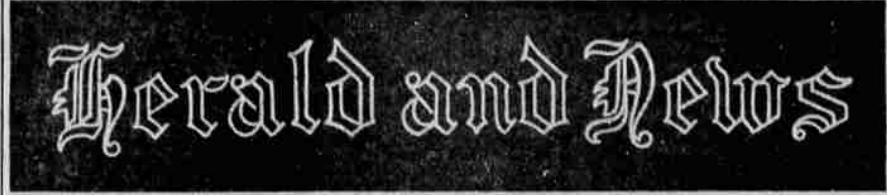


"Undue Speed" Blamed For Los Angeles Railroad Wreck



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Rumor Says Crack San Diegan Going 71 Around Curve

By ALEX KAHN
LOS ANGELES (UP) — Police impounded the speed tape today of the ill-fated commuter train that hit a curve too fast during its engine's "black out" and plunged off the track killing 29 persons in California's worst rail tragedy.

Cattle Props Eyed

WASHINGTON (UP) — The White House and the Agriculture Department agreed today to explore the possibility of some form of immediate, emergency price supports for cattle and hogs.

The action was announced by the White House after a meeting with the Iowa congressional delegation.



JIM MISFELDT

Agriculture Group Plans Quick Help

The emergency steps will be studied in the next few days and a report made back to the White House. The congressional delegation said it does not believe that legislation will be needed.

Carvalcade To Be Held Here

The third annual Carvalcade will be held Saturday and Sunday in the Klamath Falls Armory under the sponsorship of the Toketeo Lions Club, announced Jim Misfeldt, chairman, today.

Gen. Burke B. Hickenlooper (R-Iowa) said that among the immediate emergency steps discussed were "some types of support and production limitations."

Flood Curb Measures Get Credit

WASHINGTON (UP) — Lt. Gen. Samuel Davis Sturgis Jr., chief of the Army Corps of Engineers, estimates that federal flood control projects saved 100 million dollars in property damage during the recent California floods.

He pointed out that the national flood problem, despite "substantial progress," is far from being solved. Potential average annual damage along the nation's rivers and tributaries is estimated at about 900 million dollars, he said.

Weather

FORECAST—Klamath Falls and vicinity: Clearing Monday night but increasing cloudiness Tuesday. High Tuesday 35-40, low Monday night 22-27.

Lost River 'Near Normal'

Last weekend's heavy rainfall apparently did not extend to high enough elevations to produce new floods on the Lost River, J. Pitts Elmore, Klamath Reclamation Project manager, said today.

Water is now being pumped from the Tulake Sump back through the Lower Klamath area to the Klamath River, he said. Some of this water, and irrigation water, made the land adjacent to U.S. Highway 97 from Worden to Midland appear flooded, but he said that the surplus water was not due to the weekend rain.

Railroad Wreck History Listed In Top Category

NEW YORK (UP) — The 10 most serious major railroad disasters in the United States: July 9, 1918, Nashville, Tenn., 101 killed.

Disease Hits Cattle Herd

PORTLAND (UP) — State officials warned cattlemen Saturday that the disease, mucosal, has appeared in another herd of cattle in Eastern Oregon.

Crater Lake Has Big Snow

Thirteen inches of new snow fell at Crater Lake National Park in the 24-hour period ending at 8 a.m. today bringing snow depth to 125 inches. This compares with 89 inches in 1955, 123 inches in 1954, 106 inches in 1953 and 162 inches in 1952.

Maximum temperature Sunday was 33 degrees, minimum, 18, and 20 degrees at 8 a.m. today.

More Cable Cars Go On Block

SAN FRANCISCO (UP) — Six more of San Francisco's venerable red and gold cable cars have been put up for sale.

CAIRO, EGYPT (UP) — U.N. Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold said Monday his meeting here with Prime Minister Nasser has confirmed his "continuing optimism" that the Arabs and Israel ultimately will settle their Palestine conflict.



MARCH OF DIMES EVENTS highlighted last Saturday in Klamath County. A polo dance at the armory Saturday night was the climax of the anti-polio fund drive for that day.

Klamath County March Of Dimes Drive Progresses Many Weekend Events Held

Klamath County residents went about last weekend in their drive to raise funds for the March of Dimes anti-polio campaign, announced Jay Kroksh, drive chairman, today.

Friday members of the U.S. Air Force from the Klamath Falls air base manned a polo booth at the corner of Eighth and Main streets. The airmen collected 75 dollars under the direction of M-Sgt. Edward Vashik, chairman of the event.

Worst Blizzard Hits Goose Bay

ST. JOHNS, Nfld. (UP) — Five thousand American and Canadian airmen at the Goose Bay air base in Labrador are still digging out after the worst blizzard in the history of the base.



LEARNING TO USE GUNS SAFELY is one of the many useful subjects taught members of the Gra-Y Fun Club, the 9 to 12-year old division of the Klamath Falls YMCA.

Norblad Asks 70-Mile-Hour Speed For Cars

WASHINGTON (UP) — Automobiles would be limited mechanically to top speed of 70 miles an hour if Rep. Norblad (R-Ore) has his way.

Weather Balloon Reaches Oregon

YOKOSUKA, Japan (UP) — A huge weather balloon entered the United States at the Oregon-California border today after a jet stream flight from Japan that took just a little more than two days, the U.S. Navy announced.

Channel Islanders Can Now Own The Dogs They Want; If They're Males

SARK, Channel Islands (UP) — A dog limit law, long observed on Sark, has been exposed as a legal ghost.

Removes Bodies

Arms and legs stuck out grotesquely from the wreckage. Trained coroner's aides used slings to pick up the remains and take them from sight of the rescuers.

The toll estimate was revised a few hours later by a coroner's estimate to 47 fatalities and then revised downward.

FBI AT SCENE

The Federal Bureau of Investigation sent a detail of agents to the scene to check into the crash, presumably for federal agencies interested.

SCENE OF TERROR

A scene of terror followed as the surviving passengers tried to claw their way out windows that were high and small.



IDA'S TAILOR SHOP at 125 North Eighth, was the site for the 9 o'clock special today when the Herald and News camera caught Mrs. Ernestine Zamboni (left) of 2303 Carraway and Mrs. Joe Reginato, 3047 Boardman, about ready to start the day's work.