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Weather Northern California - Heavy rain in north, heavy snow in mountains and showers locally heavy today, diminishing tonight; cloudy Friday; cooler; strong south winds today.

Klamath Falls and vicinity - Showers and partial clearing tonight. Partly cloudy Friday. Low tonight 28-34; high Friday 40-44.

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An Informed Source in Argentina (an "informed source" is somebody on the inside who can speak into a private ear without disclosing his identity) says Argentina's latest eruptions of violence, which have been making the headlines during the past few days, were actually spearheads for a widespread movement by die-hard Peronists.

Hmmmmmmmm. This particular "source" might be right. Peron was a dictator. His government was a dictatorship. Dictators and dictatorships die hard. The dictators, when thrown off, want to get back onto the gravy train. That means grief and bloodshed for everybody - especially the poor who fall down on the bottom, who are the pawns in the game of dictatorship.

Hitler and Mussolini were dictators. Between them, they brought on World War II. Personally, they got what was coming to them. Hitler died in his heavily fortified underground bunker in Berlin. Mussolini died violently in Northern Italy while running for cover after his dictatorship had collapsed.

That was a good thing for the world. But - Unfortunately -

Out of the ashes of the holocaust that destroyed Hitler's and Mussolini's dictatorships, there arose, like the fabled Phoenix bird of Egyptian tradition, a dictatorship that was infinitely worse than Hitler's and Mussolini's - the COMMUNIST dictatorship that aspires to rule the world.

Question: What's a dictatorship? Basically, it is TOO MUCH POWER HELD IN TOO FEW HANDS TOO LONG. Most of mankind's most grievous troubles have arisen out of too much power held in too few hands too long. Anyway - Let's hope the Peron crowd doesn't get back into power in Argentina. We have too many dictatorships in this world already.

Shucks! Let's get closer home.

Over in Coos Bay, they've torn down an old building that covered quite a space of ground in the city's business district. The World, Coos Bay's newspaper, thinks it would be wonderful if this space could be converted into a downtown park, but doubts if that will come about. It says: "The property, now a rubble site, will no doubt be developed as a retail store or stores, most probably with some parking. This seems inevitable in the cards for the location. . . . Yet it is impossible not to contemplate what a boon it would be to the public . . . if it became a grassy square, neatly landscaped, perhaps with benches for weary shoppers to rest a while, and with a fountain to boot. It would add a cohesive quality to the downtown section, which it lacks at present."

That brings to mind our own Veterans Memorial Park here in Klamath Falls. The area it presently occupies, bordering on Lake Ewauna, was acquired with that exact idea in mind. We haven't done too much with it yet, which is quite in the original pattern. The thought was to have it ready when the time comes when we can afford to develop it as it ought to be developed, taking full advantage of our downtown lake. The opportunities for such development are limitless. What Lake Merritt is to Oakland, Lake Ewauna can be to Klamath Falls. Veterans Memorial Park is a neat egg. Let's keep sitting on it. It can hatch out into something very wonderful and very delightful at some time in the future.

Peronists Get Blame

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina (AP)—A source close to the armed forces said today Argentina's latest violence - rebel attacks Wednesday in Rosario and Tartagal and sabotage bombings in Buenos Aires suburbs - were actually spearheads for a widespread movement by diehard Peronists.

The short-lived rebellions, put down by government soldiers, were aimed at preventing President Arturo Frondizi's government from reaching its goal of restored political and labor peace, the informant said.

The official casualty toll listed three loyal army men killed, along with Julio Barredo, second in command of an attack on a Rosario military garrison. Several others were listed as wounded. Witnesses earlier had said the dead numbered at least 10 and the wounded 30.



TWO KLAMATH FALLS women, Mrs. Eric Majors, left, and Mrs. Hagan A. Moore, are devoting much of their time prior to Christmas in preparations to make the holiday season a happier time for those several thousand persons, children and adults, who are in mental hospitals in Oregon.

Collect Gifts For Unfortunates

A combination of the will to work and help from people of the Klamath Basin added to deep sympathy for the unfortunate will assure a Christmas gift for many a man, woman and child in Oregon mental institutions this year who otherwise might be overlooked. Small gifts that cost little, or are salvaged from about the home, if sent or taken to Mrs. Hagan (Clara) Moore, 324 South Fifth Street, will be sent to those in the Oregon Fairview Home where 3,000 young and old from all parts of Oregon are cared for, to the state hospital at Salem where there are 6,000, and other institutions. Mrs. Moore, chairman for the local Christmas Gift Project of the Mental Health Association of Oregon, is assisted by Mrs. Eric (Helen) Majors as co-chairman. Both women have assisted in this work for several years. Mrs. Moore, in announcing the need for help in this heart-warming undertaking, said that people of the Klamath Basin can contribute to the recovery of those under treatment by remembering them at Christmas. There is never enough candy, nuts, cookies and other treats to go around. Especially needed by Mrs. Moore are Christmas wrappings and ribbon. Gifts will be sorted for suitability, wrapped, marked and packed for sending by Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Majors. Checks also may be sent to Mrs. Moore to be sent on to the institutions. Some funds are used to provide Christmas decorations and party activities which mean much to those who have little outside recreation. Klamath County has twice received recognition for the most outstanding effort in the state for assistance given to the mental institutions. Help for the same people does not end with the Christmas season. Hundreds of garments are repaired and sent during the entire year by Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Majors.

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Kasavubu Shuns UAR

LEOPOLDVILLE, the Congo (AP)—President Joseph Kasavubu today broke off diplomatic relations with the United Arab Republic and ordered Ambassador Murard Ghaleb and all his staff to leave the Congo immediately. In a letter to U.A.R. President Abdel Gamal Nasser, Kasavubu said Ghaleb had plotted to overthrow the "established authority" in the Congo and sought to encourage "rebel elements"—meaning ex-Premier Patrice Lumumba. Ghaleb said he had not received the formal notification declaring him and his staff persona non grata but he said he would not issue any order from Kasavubu to quit the Congo.

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Russ Orbit New Space Ship

Michigan Governor Gets Initial JFK Appointment

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Big Search Is Slated On Saturday

PORTLAND (AP)—A mass search of the hills northwest of Portland will be made Saturday if no trace is found before then of the missing Beverly Ann Allan, 19, Washington State University sophomore. The girl has been missing since she went on a Saturday night date with Larry Ralph Peyton, 19, Portland State College student, whose battered body was found in his car in a lover's lane in the hills Sunday. Police believed he was killed by at least two men, who then carried off the pretty Miss Allan, whose home was in Port Townsend, Wash. There were signs of a fierce struggle outside and inside the car. Police got two possible clues Wednesday, but said they doubted either was connected with the case. One was discovery of a lipstick message, scrawled in the woman's rest room of a Eugene drive-in restaurant. It said, "I am being held in a brown 1951 Ford. Help." Police said they found two of Miss Allan's lipsticks spilled at the site where Peyton was found and doubted she had more. They said they were investigating, but thought the Eugene message a possible hoax. The other possible clue was discovery of a blood-stained knife near the Hillsboro Armory. It was a butcher knife, and police said it was larger than the one used in stabbing young Peyton. They speculated it was a hunter's knife and the blood that of a deer. Ard Pratt, sheriff's deputy, said up to 200 men may take part in the Saturday search. Some 50 of them may be on horseback. The Marine Corps Reserve offered up to 100 men. Helicopters were used in the search Wednesday but no trace was found of the girl. Metal detectors were used in the area around Peyton's car in a search for the knife that was used on him, but again there was no success.



SHOWN HERE during the all too brief period that she was able to leave her hospital home and return to her own home is Lillian LeFever, little "Miss Fortunate" of the United Fund Drive. She is 7 years old today and is back in the Doernbecher Hospital in Portland where she has marked her last five birthdays. When this picture was taken she was in Klamath Falls, providing a courageous spark for the United Fund Drive.

Inspiring Youngster Celebrates Birthday

By FLOYD L. WYNNE A courageous, inspiring youngster celebrates her seventh birthday today. Not in the usual manner, gaily running, jumping, playing games . . . with a big birthday party and happy noisy youngsters to give her gifts and add to her joy . . . but quietly, somberly in her hospital room where she has spent her five previous birthdays. Beyond the doctors and nurses who have been her constant companions these years, Lillian LeFever, with polio which affected both her legs. After treatment to control the nephritis and surgery to straighten her tiny legs, she was fitted with leg braces and crutches and transferred to the Waverly Baby Home, one of the 10 child care agencies of the United Fund. There she remained until she was able to be returned to her home in Worden this past June for a happy reunion with her mother, father and five brothers and sisters. But, her first chance at freedom and a normal life, following five and a half years of hospitalization, ended after only five months. Her nephritis flared up again and she was rushed back to the hospital in Portland. She will remain in Portland until spring at least to be near the medical facilities so necessary to her very existence. Plans are to place her back in the baby home or some other home near the hospital in Portland. An insignificant gift, yet one that has kept Lillian alive, has been the care provided for this cheerful, uncomplaining youngster by agencies who derive a major share of their support from the United Fund. This year's campaign has now reached about 85 per cent of its goal, or \$117,747. This leaves this fund about \$20,000 short of its minimum goal necessary to provide rock bottom budgets for the agencies which depend upon it for existence. We know that we speak for all our readers when we wish Lillian a speedy recovery, an early return home, and a very happy seventh birthday. Those who may wish to remember her can send their message to Lillian LeFever, University of Oregon Medical Hospital, Doernbecher Hospital, Portland.

Fever will not have her parents, her brothers or sisters, nor playmates to help her remember that she is now 7 years old. Symbol of this year's United Fund Drive, Lillian will observe her seventh birthday today in Doernbecher Hospital in Portland. Her parents in Worden are unable to be with her. Little "Miss Fortunate," as she was known during the drive, was placed in the hospital at the age of 11 months when her illness was diagnosed as nephritis, a kidney disease. A few weeks later, when still in the hospital, she was attacked by fever which had been reported, Portland.

MOSCOW (AP)—A third Soviet space ship carrying animal passengers was launched into orbit today. The Russians said the vehicle was shot aloft for research. Two dogs were aboard the 5-ton orbiting vehicle. Tass said. There was no word on whether Soviet scientists will try to bring either the dogs or the ship back to earth. Two canine passengers were returned from orbit in August. Laika, the first Soviet space dog sent up two years ago, perished in space.

The announced aims of today's vehicle, its equipment and even its weight was matched closely by the August space flight. A series of musical chimes, traditional for important announcements here, preceded a midday broadcast of the space-flight communique over Radio Moscow. The announcement also was carried in the overseas service of the Soviet news agency Tass. The 5-ton vehicle, Tass said, also carried other animals: insects and plants for Soviet scientists to study their condition via radio-television and other telemetering devices aboard. Its exact weight—not counting the carrier rocket that boosted into final orbit—was listed at 10,037 pounds. The dogs, listed in a series of Soviet canine space travelers starting with the space-dog Laika, were named Pchelka (Little Bee) and Mushka (Little Fly).

It was described as the "third space ship" by Tass. The launching was the first space exploit announced by the Soviet Union since Aug. 21 when the U.S.S.R. disclosed it had sent a 4-ton space ship into orbit and safely recovered its cargo of two dogs and some rats, mice, flies and plants. The two dogs, Belka and Strelka, were later exhibited in their space suits before newsmen in Moscow. The Soviets said the animals were catapulted from the space ship and were landed gently in a capsule at a speed of 13 to 18 miles per hour. The first Soviet space ship was put into orbit last May 15. Altogether the Soviet Union has placed seven satellites in orbit around the earth since she opened the space age 38 months ago. In addition it has a cosmic payload orbiting the sun. (The United States has orbited nearly 30 earth satellites and two satellites around the sun. In Washington a spokesman for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration said the agency could not make any official comment on the Soviet launching until it received more details. But he added that on first glance the Soviet project "does not look like anything new.")

Nixon Gets Ike Backing

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Rocket Fragments Rain On Cuba; U.S. Is Blamed

HAVANA, Cuba (AP)—Military authorities at Holguin, in eastern Cuba, said early today parts of a U. S. space rocket fell near the city Wednesday afternoon. There was no damage. A military headquarters spokesman reached by telephone from Havana said rocket fragments, some weighing as much as 40 pounds, fell on a hillside about 10 miles from the center of the city, Cuba's third largest, at about 3 p.m. Witnesses reported the incident to authorities. They said the fragments looked like pieces of a falling airplane. Holguin lies near the north shore of easternmost Oriente Province, roughly 300 miles from Havana. A two-headed U. S. space rocket was fired from Cape Canaveral, Fla., at 3:30 p.m. The rocket was later destroyed in flight. A spokesman for the semi-official newspaper Revolution said markings on the fragments which fell clearly identified them as made in the United States. Sources at Cape Canaveral were concerned lest the rocket fall on Cuban soil and provide a new occasion for Prime Minister Fidel Castro's government to assail the United States for "aggression" against Cuba. The Cuban news agency said rocket debris rained on several settlements around Holguin, causing "loud explosions and great alarm." The incident seemed likely to provide ammunition for fresh attacks on the United States by Cuba in either the United Nations, or the Organization of American States, and possibly in both.

Electoral May Narrow

CHICAGO (AP)—Will the check of ballots in Chicago have any effect on the presidential election? That question loomed larger today in the wake of Gov. William G. Stratton's statement that the Illinois Electoral Board may not certify the state's 87 Democratic electors if "strong and tangible" evidence of vote fraud is presented. Stratton, a Republican, is chairman of the GOP-dominated board. The board's function is to canvass the vote reports from the state's 102 counties and make an official proclamation of the results. Reports from the 102 counties show President-elect John F. Kennedy is entitled to the electoral votes on the basis of his defeat of Richard M. Nixon by 8,849 votes.

Water Rising

TRAVERSE CITY, Mich. (AP)—Water rose higher and higher in the holds of a grounded freighter today, and her captain indicated concern over the plight of his ship and the 14 persons aboard. Twelve crewmen, Capt. Eduardo Trivizas and his wife, an expectant mother, have spent two nights aboard the Francisco Monzon in gale-lashed Lake Michigan. She piled onto the rocks at South Manitou Island about 10 miles northwest of the Michigan city Tuesday night.

1-3-9 SOON

Christmas Parade Slated Friday Is Growing

The annual Junior Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade is building quickly, and entries will be accepted until the parade leaves the starting point on Esplanade Avenue Friday at 7 p.m. Parade Chairman Wes Sine said Jaycees have received numerous float entries and entry applications from three bands and number of miscellaneous groups and individuals. The parade will form at about 6:30 p.m. Late entrants are asked to report to the truck being the public address system. Entries will be judged at the starting point before the parade begins. Winner will receive trophies. A trophy will go to the best marching, musical, fraternal and commercial entry, to the most comical one and to the grand sweepstakes winner. Each band participating will receive \$25 supplied by the Klamath Merchants Association. Knabe's business phone number is TU 2-4481 and his home phone number is TU 2-5069. Dimmitt's business and home phone numbers, respectively, are TU 2-3444 and TU 2-4241. Downtown merchants will cooperate with Jaycees that evening by remaining open until 9 o'clock for convenience of shoppers. Later during the month, many plans to stay open every shopping evening until Christmas. Santa Claus will be in town during the parade and after, dispensing gifts to youngsters. He will ride in the parade, then wander around Main Street. He was invited here by the Jaycees.

Sold Out! This advertiser ran the For Sale ad 20 days and now is sold out completely.

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