

GUILTY VERDICT RETURNED AGAINST KIEL

WHO DOES WHAT
By Paul Jenkins



GEORGE LUCAS is pictured as he prepares to lubricate a car on the hoist at Adair's Associated station and parking lot on Main street.

A former aviation machinist mate, George has been at Adair's since leaving the Navy last spring. Married and with two children, he and his family live at Roseburg Auto Park.

TURKEY SHOW DATED

Four Days Judging, Talks Banquets, Entertainment Booked For Annual Affair

Four days of judging, educational talks, banquets and entertainment will be offered participants in the annual Northwestern Turkey Show, Inc., to be held in Roseburg Dec. 6-9.

In the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS
HERE'S a little story to mull over in your mind: "A team of scientists at Argonne national laboratory of the atomic energy commission has revealed that they CREATED GOLD OUT OF MERCURY two years ago during the course of a "random" experiment. Just like that!"

Christmas City Of The USA Will Glow Again Tonight At Bethlehem, Pennsylvania

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Dec. 3.—(AP)—The "Christmas city of the U. S. A." will glow tonight with this steel city's symbol of peace, good will toward all men.

The Weather
Partly cloudy today and Sunday, with showers tonight and Sunday.
Sunset today 4:38 p. m.
Sunrise tomorrow 7:28 a. m.

Established 1873 ROSEBURG, OREGON—SATURDAY, DEC. 3, 1949

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CATANIA, Sicily, Dec. 3.—(AP)—Flery lava from erupting Mt. Etna today threatened the little Sicilian town of Maletto but an official source at noon (6 a. m. EST) said the burning flow had "slowed down" considerably several kilometers from the town of 3,600 inhabitants.

The police chief at Catania, who reported on this most advanced of several flows from Mt. Etna, said the pressure of the eruption appeared to have decreased because new craters were acting as "safety valves."

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Former Officer States Hopkins Gave Russia Aid

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—(AP)—A former army officer said last night that wholesale lots of secret U. S. documents and material that Soviet officers called uranium "bomb powder" were flown to Russia under wartime pressure from the late Harry Hopkins for secrecy and speed.

Hoover Report Is Fine, But Delays Seen, Cordon

PORTLAND, Dec. 3.—(AP)—The Hoover report is fine, but don't expect it to go into effect soon.

Navy Strategy To Include Atomic Weapons, Submarines

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 3.—(AP)—Admiral Forrest P. Sherman has disclosed that the Navy is shaping new strategy calling for the use of atomic weapons and guided missiles in submarine warfare.

Imprisonment For Life Is Recommended

Verdict Returned After Nine Hours Deliberation Sentencing Set Monday

A unanimous verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree with a recommendation for life imprisonment was returned late last night against Joseph Louis Kiel, 42, for the strangulation murder of Stanley James Tucker.

The jury of four women and eight men deliberated nine hours and 10 minutes before reaching the decision.

Only a handful of people was in the court room at the time the verdict was submitted by Foreman F. A. Becker. Mixed reactions marked the faces of the spectators as the verdict was read by Judge William G. East, Eugene, Mrs. Ethel Krause, sister of the murder victim, seemed visibly moved after the court room was cleared.

The defense attempted to prove that Kiel was insane at the time the crime was committed. The defendant was represented by James McGinty, Myrtle Creek attorney.

The second count of the indictment, charging the murder had taken place during the commission of robbery, had previous.

Four Are Injured In Head-On Crash

Cecil Bernaski, Drain, was seriously injured Friday night when he was thrown from a car driven by Donald E. Hagquist.

Turkey Signing Pact With U. S.

ISTANBUL, Turkey, Dec. 3.—(AP)—The Istanbul newspaper Tan said today Turkey is signing a military alliance with the United States. Foreign Minister Necmeddin Sadaq's own newspaper, Akşam, quoted Sadaq a short time later as saying the pact was unopposed "from end to end."

Scorched Earth Result Of Southern Drouth

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 3.—(AP)—Vast patches of scorched earth scarred the Gulf Coastal region today as firefighters scanned the skies for rain that would snuff hundreds of forest fires.

Another Pacific Typhoon Launched At Philippines

MANILA, Dec. 3.—(AP)—Another Pacific typhoon today coked an 85 mile an hour punch at the central Philippines' Visayan region, where two storms have claimed 1,442 lives since Oct. 31.

Govty Fact Rom

Postpone that annual dream of a white Christmas. Concentrate on a prayer for an urgent necessity: RAIN. Perhaps Santa will oblige prior to his scheduled visit.