

Revived "Dead" Man Still Lacks His Reason

LONG BEACH, Calif. — (AP) — Melvin E. Hewitt, 27, revived by heart massage 15 minutes after his "death," has not regained his reasoning powers and may be transferred to a mental hospital if his condition does not improve.

This word came from the doctors treating him at Veterans hospital. They said Hewitt's equilib-

rium is none too good but he can walk and eat normally.

The doctors said they had not determined definitely whether permanent damage was done to the brain while Hewitt's heart was stopped.

The navy veteran's heart quit beating during a fight outside an El Monte, Calif., cafe Oct. 4. Physicians cut his chest open and massaged the heart until life returned. Hewitt was in a coma for a month afterward and has been hospitalized ever since.

ENJOY INEXPENSIVE PRIZE-WINNING ORANGE MARMALADE

It's Easy to Make Anytime with This Simple Recipe

6 Medium Sized Oranges (2 lbs. sliced)
6 Cups Water
1/2 Cup M.C.P. Lemon Juice (About 6 lemons)
1 Package (3 1/2-oz.) M.C.P. Jam and Jelly Pectin
9 1/2 Level Cups Sugar (Measured ready for use)

1. Cut oranges in cartrwheels with very sharp knife to make slices thin as possible. Discard the large flat peel ends. Sliced fruit should weigh 2 pounds.
2. Put sliced fruit in 8-quart kettle. Add the water and lemon juice.
3. Bring to a quick boil, boil gently for 1 hour (uncovered). If peel is not tender in 1 hour, boil until tender.
4. Measure the cooked material. Due to boiling, the volume will be reduced. Add water to make total peel and juice exactly 7 level cups.
5. Put back in kettle. Stir in M.C.P. Pectin; continue stirring and bring to a full boil.
6. Add sugar (previously measured). Stir gently until it has reached a full rolling boil, and BOIL EXACTLY 4 MINUTES. Remove from fire; skim and stir by turns for 5 minutes.
7. Pour into jars. If you use pint or quart jars, seal hot and invert jars on lids until Marmalade begins to set. Then, shake well and set jars upright. This keeps the peel evenly distributed throughout.

NOTE: This recipe works equally well with Naval Oranges or Valencia. When either variety is overripe and peel is soft, use 1/4 cup lemon juice instead of 1/2 cup. (Be sure to discard any seeds.) Recipe Orange Marmalade. (Cut out and keep this recipe.)

Silver Beaver Awarded Teacher For Scout Work



Earl Ladd, above, principal of Riverside school, is one of two Douglas county men who received Boy Scout Silver Beaver awards — the highest council award that can be earned for distinguished service to boys — at the annual Scout planners' conference at Springfield Sunday.

The other man was Tony Giovinini of Drain, who has had 16 years of service in scouting both at Drain and at Oakland.

Ladd was a Boy Scout of Eagle rank. He received recognition for winter and snow camping while serving as a scoutmaster in the Cimmaron valley council, Oklahoma. He has had a continuous service record in scouting for 20 years.

Ladd is advancement chairman for Douglas district. He lives at 1414 Willow St., is married and has two daughters, Patricia, 11, and Barbara, 9, and is kept busy dividing his time between camp Fire Girls and Boy Scouts, it is reported. He plans to continue giving service to scouting.

Presentation of the awards was made by another Douglas county man, William Gerretsen of Roseburg, national council representative, who also holds the Silver Beaver.

Douglas county was represented at the conference by 60 scouters. Troop 29, Oakland, received the "good turn" ribbon for helping organize a cub pack. Troop 133 received ribbons for having an outstanding number of courts of honor during the coming year.

Activities for the coming year and goals were outlined at the conference, it was reported.

Builder Of First Road Of Concrete Dies At 80

FORD LAUDERDALE, Fla. — (AP) — The man who built the world's first concrete road, Robert Douglas Baker, 80, died here Tuesday after a heart attack on his boat.

The first concrete stretch he laid was in Detroit, on Woodward avenue.

He spent 60 years in the road-building business in Michigan, invented several types of automatic road-building machinery, headed the R. D. Baker company and Michigan Asphalt Paving company, and was board chairman of the Peerless Cement company.

Attack On Allied Ships Off Korea Thought Reds' Plan

By C. YATES McDANIEL
WASHINGTON — (AP) — The navy is tightening its guard against an apparently increasing possibility of a Red air assault on U. S. and Allied ships off the east coast of Korea.

The navy has taken pains in recent days to report the increasing numbers and boldness of enemy jet planes over the east coast area, until now the sole domain of planes from U. S. task force 77.

One week ago, two Russian-made MIG-15 jets jumped a flight of American naval attack planes, damaging one in a running fight. The number of sightings increased steadily until 13 Russian jets made a fast sweep over Wonsan, the east coast Korean port and transportation center which has been under Allied bombardment daily for many months.

The increase in Communist flights over the east coast is taken to mean one or both of two enemy intentions:

1. To contest U. S. navy domination of the air over the northeast coast just as the Reds have challenged Allied air supremacy over Northwest Korea.
2. Some officers here hold that the intrusion of Red air fighters over the northeast may be aimed at reading Red pilots for the first serious attack on Allied surface ships.

Wonsan is about 140 air miles from the nearest Communist air base across the Yalu river. Task force 77 and ships of the U. N. bombardment force along the east coast of Korea have been organized primarily for specific missions in direct and distant support of the ground troops. The task force is formed around two 35,000-ton carriers of the Essex class. These carriers have acted primarily as floating airfields.

Prudential Co. Denies Big Fund To Break Strike

NEW YORK — (AP) — A union spokesman declared that Prudential Insurance company of America has pledged to spend five million dollars to break a nationwide agents' strike, the first walkout of its kind in American history. The company denied the charge.

The charge against Prudential was made by Max Shine, secretary-treasurer of the Insurance Agents International union (AFL). Shine said:

"We have learned that Prudential has pledged to spend a \$5,000,000 fund to break the strike. Our people are distributing pamphlets saying that if that \$5,000,000 had been placed in the negotiating pot, maybe we would have come to some kind of agreement."

A Prudential spokesman called Shine's statement "a complete, unadulterated falsehood."

"We don't spend any money for breaking this or any other strike," he declared.

The walkout began Friday midnight with the agents trying to enforce their demand for a \$20 increase in weekly base pay to \$55.

The union claims to represent 15,500 of Prudential's 18,000 agents. Strikers began picketing company offices in 32 states Monday.

At Prudential's home office in Newark, N. J., the union said a 24-hour picket line is being maintained.

Prudential says its agents average \$100 to \$110 a week, with some making as much as \$10,000 a year.

The company has asked its policy holders to make payments directly to the district offices, either by mail or in person.

The agents are insurance solicitors and premium collectors. Their pay is based on commissions and collection fees.

Countering the agents' demand for a \$20 hike in the weekly guaranteed pay, the company offered \$3.45 in higher commission rates and \$3.14 in company-paid pensions.

The Prudential company is 76 years old. It has 1,300 field offices in 400 cities.

NW Communication Line Defense Head Named

SEATTLE — (AP) — L. G. Fitzsimmons, Seattle, has been named to set up a northwest communications system under the federal civil defense administration.

Fitzsimmons is retiring assistant vice president of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co. His appointment was announced by Roger E. Dunham, CDA regional director.

Fitzsimmons will serve as communications officer in the regional CDA office.

Dunham said that the communications network will cover Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana. It will utilize all existing communications facilities including amateur radio.

Livestock Report

Submitted by the Douglas Farmers livestock market at Sutherlin. Quotations per CWT.

Lambs, \$28.50 to 29.50; aged ewes, 7.50 to 13.50.

Canner and cutter cows, 16 to 20; medium stocker cows and calves, 205 a pair; stocker calves, 28 to 32.50; cull to common cows, 18 to 24; no good quality calves offered.

Top weight hogs, 20.60; smooth sows, 18.25 to 20.10, and weaner pigs, 5 to 11.

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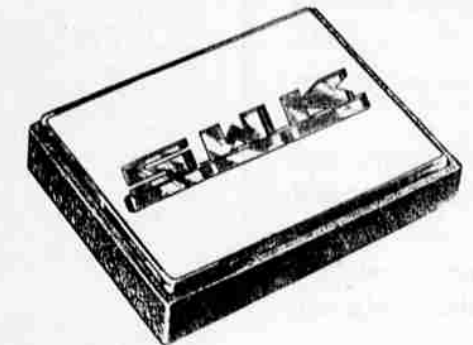
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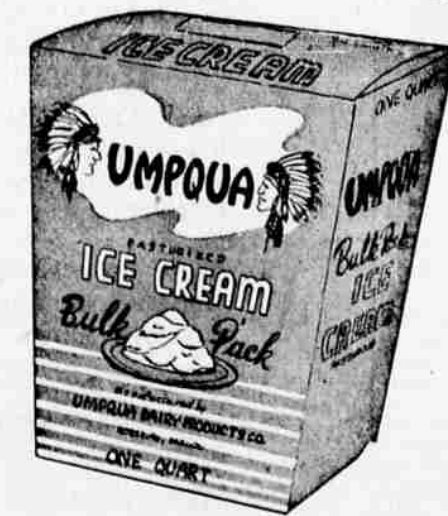
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