

Glider Pilot Dies In Sierra Crash

BISHOP, Calif. — (AP) — Dr. Karl Ovgard, 38, holder of Sweden's glider endurance mark of 21 hours, has crashed to his death in the Sierra Nevada mountains.

His body was found yesterday 45 miles south of here. Nearby was the wreckage of the glider in which he had sought a new altitude mark.

Searchers said the left wing of the glider apparently collapsed in the air. Ovgard still wore his parachute and his safety belt was broken. But evidently he made no attempt to escape from the aircraft. His altimeter recorded 36,000 feet.

Dr. Ovgard, professor of geog-

graphy at a university in Sigtuna, Sweden, had been missing since Tuesday. He had participated in flight research on the so-called Sierra wave, an air force project to study air currents over the Sierra Nevada.

Christmas Parties Ruined For 115 School Students

ELIZABETH, N. J. — (AP) — Vandals spoiled Christmas parties for 115 children in four classes at Theodore Roosevelt school.

More than 100 gifts, scheduled to be distributed to the children, were stolen yesterday and the pretty gift wrappings left strewn in disorder amid ransacked desks. Also missing was 15 pounds of candy which was to be distributed to 40 kindergarten pupils.

Eagles' Prize Winners May Claim Gift Awards

The boy or girl having No. 011472 on his ticket obtained at Western Auto store may claim his or her bicycle, the gift of the Roseburg Eagles lodge.

Also the person with No. 011752 may claim as second prize his or her story book doll. Third place winner was in the crowd at the time the numbers were called to claim the gift, a model airplane. Name of the winner was not obtained.

Tickets for the winner selections were obtained by the boys and girls without charge or money consideration of any kind. The gifts were donated by the Eagles in appreciation of the toys turned over for repair and redistribution to needy children for Christmas.

Winning numbers are posted in the window at the store.

Wife Left To Freeze; Mate Held For Hearing

JACKSON, Mich. — (AP) — A 44-year-old trucking firm executive was free on bond today to await examination Jan. 11 on a manslaughter charge in the death by freezing of his young bride in the driveway of their home.

Edward G. Spencer furnished \$5,000 bond yesterday following issuance of the warrant in the death of his wife, Loretta, 21.

Mrs. Spencer was found dying Wednesday morning in nine below zero weather. Prosecutor George Campbell said Spencer admitted he left his wife in the driveway "too drunk" to walk after an evening of drinking together at a tavern.

Mrs. Spencer had filed suit for separation last July, accusing her husband of giving her "a life of hell." They had been married in May. Later she withdrew the suit.

WINTER JUST ARRIVED

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Item of interest to those who have been battling below-zero temperatures, snow and ice in recent weeks:

The U. S. naval observatory says winter arrives officially at 11:01 a.m. (EST) today.

WOMAN SEES IEQUESGHURPHTH

Late yesterday afternoon Mrs. Mary Helen Clark, local housewife, reporting seeing an iequesghurphth in a busy section of the city. Investigation revealed that this iequesghurphth was the most conscientious in the area, which of course, is gratifying to all of us.

For clarity's sake it should be pointed out that "iequesghurphth" is a whimsical spelling for "expert." With all due deference to our complicated language, this is how it figures: "ie" stands for "e" as you will find from the first letters of "friend"; "ques" for "e" as in "ieques"; "gh" for "p" as in "hicough"; "ur" for "er" as in "hurt"; and "PHTH" stands for "t" as in "phthisic." The expert in question is one C. Wolf of Expert Furniture Cleaners & Upholsterers, directly behind Richie's Root Beer Drive-in on highway 99 north, who strongly urges that you educate your worn furniture. He says, "Bring it here for a 'spell.' The phone please 3-3191. It's an ad."

Italian Family Will Spend First Christmas In U. S.

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The long trek to the United States began five years ago when Italia became a war bride and left home. A year later her sister also came across to marry a soldier she had met in Italy.

It was not until this year that Vincenzo De Chiara, father of the

11-child brood, entered the country. After visiting a daughter living in Kentucky, he moved to Roseburg, June 28 and began working for the Roseburg Motor company.

Finally arrangements were completed and the remainder of the family — Mrs. De Chiara and eight children — arrived in the U. S. aboard the American transport "Constitution."

They, through Italia's interpretation, recount with laughter their trip from New York to Oregon. "We piled them all in somehow," Italia said. "It would have been better, though, if he car had been bigger," she reflected.

Two daughters remain in Kentucky and one son stayed in Naples because he was too old to come with the family. But they are confident he will soon gain entrance because the immigration quota was recently doubled.

Their other son, Edwardo, works with his father at the Roseburg Motor company.

Two of the girls, Anna, 21, and Elene, 17, are looking for jobs, preferably in a store. However, they would accept employment in a restaurant or office. Both speak some English.

What about Christmas? Hope baggage arrives. They are hoping that their baggage arrives before the holiday because they packed their festival foods in them. Fish takes the place of the American turkey in Italian celebrations.

"But if they don't get her, we will probably have turkey," Italia commented.

Mr. De Chiara expressed family sentiment when he said he was happy to have his family here and appreciated what Italia had done to get everybody here so all could be happy.

"I am happy to live in Roseburg, where I have found lots of friends who have helped me," he said.

He especially thanked Father Edmund Hyland, Catholic priest, Mrs. Mary Mortensen, from whom they rent, Roy Catching and Paul Jenkins.

"I hope I will still have help to find work for my daughters," Mr. De Chiara added.

Three Receive Sentences After Marriage Ceremony

MARION, Ill. — (AP) — The 46-year-old husband of a child bride and her father and stepmother were sentenced to prison terms of one year each yesterday on charges of contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

Margaret Meyers Trusty, 13, a seventh grade pupil, who was married to Jesse Trusty, a truck driver, was sent to live with relatives by Williamson County Judge A. R. Cagle.

Trusty and the girl were married Wednesday in Piggott, Ark., in a double ceremony in which Trusty's former wife, Gladys, 39, was married to Margaret's father, Fred Meyers, 55, a coal miner. It was the third marriage for Mrs. Meyers, who was divorced from Trusty last Tuesday. All live in nearby Poulton.

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