

Two Rescued Fliers Taken to La Grande

LA GRANDE — Two Kenwick, Wash., men who were forced to land Tuesday in a clearing of a snow-covered wilderness were brought here Thursday afternoon by a rescue party in a snow tractor.

Karl Singhrs, 29, the pilot, and Harry Rutledge, 42, were unharmed and did not require hospital treatment. They waited for their wives to take them home.

Singhrs said he had been making the flight to look after his trailer sales lots at Halfway and Baker. He used his own plane for such flights but said he is going to "close out" the lots because "life is too short."

Singhrs, who had about 100 hours experience in the air, said he would even give up flying if his wife asked him to.

He said he made the landing in the forest clearing some 10 miles west of here "when the weather closed in from front and behind all at once."

As for the two days and two nights in sub-zero cold and snow they didn't suffer at all, they said.

They found a cabin with a stove and rice and raisins. They cut wood, kept a fire going and never really were worried.

"Only thing," said Rutledge, "it got a little lonesome, and we were sure glad to see that party arrive."

Five men were in the snow tractor that brought out the two. Earl Snyder, director of the State Board of Aeronautics, flew above and led the party through deep snow and rugged terrain to the spot.

FBI Probes Columbia Land Transactions

MOSES LAKE — An extensive investigation by the Federal Bureau of Investigation into Columbia Basin land transactions is being completed, the Columbia Basin Herald said Thursday.

The investigation has been made in a search for possible violations of the Columbia Basin Act and hundreds of documents in the Grant County courthouse at Ephrata have been studied, the Herald said it has learned. The act limits the size of individual holdings and also includes an anti-speculation clause which prohibits the sale of farm units above their appraised value.

William B. Bantz, Spokane, United States attorney for Eastern Washington, said in a telephone interview from Walla Walla that "most of the evidence is now in my hands," the Herald's staff man at Ephrata said.

Bantz added, the Herald said, that he would make no statement until he has had time to evaluate the evidence. The investigation was reported to have extended into Franklin and Adams counties.

A spokesman at the Seattle FBI office acknowledged the investigation has been under way but declined any other comment, the Herald account said.

Police Report 2 Accidents

Three cars received moderate damage about 8:30 p.m. Thursday in two related accidents in the downtown sector of Market Street. One driver was involved in both, city police said.

Officers said the first collision was at N. Liberty and Market streets between cars driven by Edward Bolton Davis, 2277 Clute St., and Ernest Clifford Bearse, 2255 N. Liberty St. Moments later Davis' vehicle was in a rear-end collision at N. Front and Market with a car operated by Blaine William Cooper, 111 Chemeketa St., according to police. No injuries resulted from all the fender-banging.

Indians' Game Laws Attack Hearing Set

PORTLAND — An attack on Oregon's hunting and trapping laws will be opened in federal court here Feb. 22. Judge Gus Solomon set the date Thursday.

The attack is being made by Klamath and Umatilla Indians, who contend their reservations are exempt from hunting and trapping regulations.

Congress extended Oregon laws to the reservations in 1953. But the Indians insist that century-old treaties exempt them from any hunting and trapping bans.

Defendants are the Oregon State Game Commission, the state game superintendent and the attorney general.

In a pre-trial agreement the state authorities conceded that the Indians have hunted and trapped freely on their reservations "throughout time immemorial."

Suit Seeks to Stop Priest Rapids Dam

EPHRATA, Wash. — A suit was filed in Grant County Superior Court Thursday to stop the proposed construction of the 350-million dollar Priest Rapids Dam by Grant County Public Utility District No. 2.

The legal action was filed in the name of Paul G. Ellis, an Ephrata contractor, by the Seattle law firm of Bogie, Bogle and Gates. The action requests a temporary injunction, to be made permanent later, against any further steps by the PUD.

Ellis charges the huge plant on the Columbia River would have as its primary purpose the generation of electrical energy for sale outside the PUD district and the state and is "therefore illegal."

Ellis also said the PUD commissioners were hasty and gave inadequate consideration to circumstances in deciding to construct the power plant.

Robert W. Graham, attorney who filed the action, said "There is a substantial question regarding the power of the district to build the dam and it should be resolved before contracts involving hundreds of millions of dollars are entered into."

Theatre Time Table

ELSINORE
"HELEN OF TROY" at 7:00 and 10:00. "TWINKLE IN GODS EYE" at 9:25.

CAPITOL
"DAY THE WORLD ENDED" at 7:30 and 10:25. "PHANTOM FROM 10,000 LEAGUES" at 8:45.

HOLLYWOOD
"COUNT THREE AND PRAY" at 7:00 and 10:25. "AFRICAN LION" at 9:25.

Hollywood's 'New Look' Gets Preview

HOLLYWOOD — Hollywood got a traffic-stopping preview Thursday of the \$7,500,000 facility with which it plans to glamorize itself.

Passersby stopped to gape as sidewalks assumed a gay checker-board pattern of tan and dark brown with turquoise borders.

The solid white stripes of crosswalks and traffic lanes were replaced with glittering silver stars. Turquoise and white benches for waiting streetcar riders replaced old eyesores.

For the preview, the colors were merely painted on the sidewalks.

Other features planned for the future, to make Hollywood look like Hollywood to its annual 3½ million tourist visitors:

Etched into the tri-colored sidewalks of the future will be caricatures of top film stars, with star-shaped frames of bronze.

Traffic islands will be landscaped with tropical plants.

Traffic containers will be gaily colored and newspaper vendors will have specially designed stands.

Street signs will be shaped like stars and have interior lighting.

Flood lights spaced along Hollywood Boulevard will make every night look like a premiere.

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Western CD Leaders Map Regional Plans

OLYMPIA — Planning for the movement of persons and supplies in the event of enemy attack was studied by civil defense representatives from eight Western states Thursday.

The representatives, meeting here in a two-day transportation conference, were handed a regional plan and urged to formulate state plans which could be integrated with it.

Daniel Barbey, Washington civil defense director, said the regional plan was in turn based on a national transportation plan.

Barbey said the aim of the conference is to work out a system whereby the transportation facilities of the Western states would be able to function efficiently in an emergency, providing mutual aid between states.

"What we are trying to do now is encourage state-level planning in the eight states," he added.

Also attending the conference were representatives of various phases of the transportation industry, transportation unions, federal agencies and the armed forces.

The conference is scheduled to wind up Friday afternoon.

Two Newsmen Dunked in Assault On Lighthouse

ASTORIA — A stormy sea repulsed a newspapermen's assault on Tillamook Rock lighthouse Wednesday.

Robert R. Chessman, publisher of the Astorian-Budget, and Les Ordeman, Oregon Journal photographer, got on the rock with breeches buoy. The others turned back.

As Chessman started back his breeches buoy missed a surf boat tossed by a heavy swell and he was dumped in the ocean. He was unhurt although chilled.

The trip was tried for news and photographs of the lighthouse in connection with a Coast Guard proposal to discontinue it as a navigational aid.

Bids Opened On Ice Harbor Dam Project

WALLA WALLA — The Guy F. Atkinson Co., of San Francisco, with an offer nearly two hundred thousand dollars under government estimates, was low bidder Thursday on the first step—cofferdam for Ice Harbor Dam on the Snake River.

The Atkinson bid was \$1,362,377.50. The government estimate was \$1,544,887. Seven other firms submitted bids, next lowest of which was \$1,525,679 by Johnson Western Constructors, Paramount, Calif.

The cofferdam will enclose 17 acres of river and adjacent shore land on the Walla Walla County side of the river. Inside this will be built the powerhouse, 7½ spillway bays and the south shore fish facilities. Bids will be called for these jobs later.

Col. Myron Page Jr., district Army engineer, said the bids will be studied but he expects a contract to be awarded soon.

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Oregon Press Meet to Open at Eugene Today

EUGENE — The 37th annual Oregon Press Conference will open here Friday morning for a two-day session.

Registration will be followed in the afternoon by the annual Eric Allen Memorial Address at 2 p.m. The speaker will be Bernard Kilgore, president of the Wall Street Journal.

The conference will wind up Saturday morning.

WSC Specialist to Head Weed Control

SACRAMENTO, Calif. — Henry Wolf, extension weed specialist of Washington State College, Thursday was elected president of the Western Weed Control Conference.

R. A. Fosse of Denver is the new vice president and William R. Furtick, Oregon State College agronomist, secretary.

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