

Rep. Kelsay loses life in crash on U.S. Highway 97

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Forecast Cloudy through Sunday, with occasional showers and some clearing. Lows, around 40; highs Sunday, 55-60°

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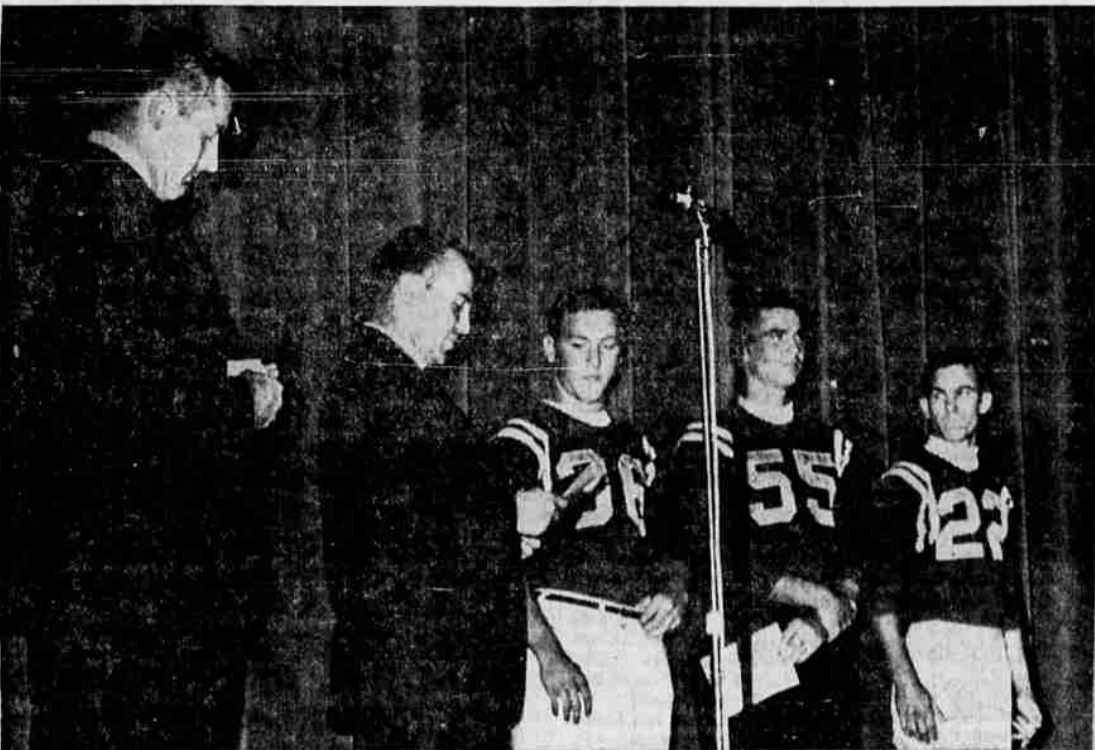
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BRUIN BENCH AWARDS—Three Bend football players from the senior high school were named by the local Quarterback Club as winners of the weekly Bruin Bench award for outstanding play. The awards were presented Friday morning at an assembly by Hugh McNair, left, and Gary Hermann, officers

for the local organization. Awards were given to Harvey Hillis, No. 36, for his effort against Mac Hi. Clyde Smith, No. 55, was selected for his performance against Pendleton, and Mike Clark, No. 22, for his play against La Grande. The Bruin Bench meets every Monday night at the high school.

Lawmaker's death one of 3 in Oregon

By United Press International

State Rep. William O. Kelsay, D-Roseburg, was killed in a two-car collision on U.S. Highway 97 about 35 miles north of Klamath Falls Friday night.

He was one of three persons killed in Oregon accidents late Friday and early today.

State police said Kelsay, 50, died instantly when his car went out of control. It left the highway, jumped back onto the pavement, then went into a roadside skid and was struck by an oncoming vehicle, according to police. The accident occurred about 8 p.m.

Returning From Meeting

Kelsay was returning home after a two-day meeting at Klamath Falls and Yreka, Calif., where he served as a member of an Oregon California legislative interim committee set up to study the interstate mule deer herd. He was chairman of the Oregon Interim Wildlife Committee.

A Eugene couple in the other car were hospitalized at Klamath Falls. Mrs. Mildred May, 52, was listed in critical condition and her husband, Homer, was reported in serious condition at Klamath Valley Hospital.

Kelsay, a sawmill operator, was elected to the 1957, 1959 and 1961 state legislatures. He was a graduate of Oregon College of Education.

Kelsay is survived by his widow, two sons and a daughter.

During the 1963 session Kelsay was chairman of the Fish and Game Committee, and served on Highways, Rules and Resolutions, and Taxation committees. He was born at Oakridge, and was active in the Masons, Scottish Rite and Shrine, the Elks, Eagles, the Roseburg Country Club and Rod and Gun Club.

Bend Man Killed

Chester Guy Morrill, 45, Bend, was killed early today in a one-car crash five miles west of that city on Cascade Lakes Highway.

Grace Lundeen, 29, Winchester Bay, died in a two-car accident three miles south of Reedsport Friday night. State police said her car went off U.S. Highway 101 and rolled over several times.

Ellen Burnett, 79, Reedsport, was killed in a two-car collision on State Highway 38, 17 miles east of Reedsport Thursday. She was a passenger in a vehicle which was struck from behind while attempting to turn.

SALEM (UPI)—Gov. Mark Hatfield today praised the late State Rep. William O. Kelsay, D-Ore., who was killed in a traffic accident Friday night.

"Rep. Kelsay, with his service to the state above all considerations, was held high in the affections of those who were privileged to be his friends," the governor said. "May I extend the condolences of a grateful state."

House Speaker Clarence Barton, D-Coquille, said, "Of all the members of the legislature, I know of no one who served with more distinction and devotion. He was a great Oregonian and we shall miss him both professionally and as a colleague. My deepest sympathy to his family."

RAISES SOME DOUBT

LONDON (UPI)—A truck owned by the Reliable Transport Co. went out of control Friday, careened off a parked car, knocked down a lamppost and stopped after crashing through a wall.

Hurricane Flora expected to turn toward mainland

Chester Morrill dies in one-car accident

A Bend man, Chester Guy Morrill, 45, who was headed west over the Cascade Lakes Highway early this morning, apparently on his way to hunt deer, was fatally injured when his car left the road.

The body was found in the roadside brush, near the car. Hunting equipment and other articles were scattered over the area.

First word of the accident was brought to Bend by Walter Foley of Albany, who reported to city police about 2 a.m. that he had seen a car upside down on the Cascade route five miles west of Bend, with its lights still burning, Foley said he could see no one in the car.

Oregon State Police investigated, and found the body near the vehicle. It apparently had been thrown out.

The Bend man's 1956 station wagon left the road at an angle, traveled 250 feet and rolled over several times. The car came to rest on its top.

Morrill was alone in the car when the accident occurred. Time of the accident was not determined, but investigating state police said it apparently occurred after 1:30 a.m. today. Traffic over the route was light at the time.

Surviving Mr. Morrill are his widow, Hazel; a daughter Connie and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank O. Morrill, all of Bend. Staff Sgt. Dolores I. Dolan, Fort McClellan, Ala., is a sister. Another sister, Mrs. Louis Krueger, lives in Medford. Also surviving Mr. Morrill is a brother, Harry, of Roseburg.

Mr. Morrill, who was born in Astoria on April 28, 1918, was a veteran of World War II, having served in the U.S. Navy. He was a Brooks-Seaton faller.

Funeral services have not been arranged. The Niswonger & Reynolds Funeral Home is in charge.

Moving Slowly

"Indications are that Flora will move rather slowly at about 7 miles per hour toward the northwest today," the weather bureau said. "This will result in the circulation of the hurricane being affected by the terrain of Cuba and a slight decrease in maximum winds should occur."

The weather bureau said all precautions against dangerous winds, high tides and heavy rains should be continued through central and eastern Cuba and northward through the Bahamas to the area from Acklins to Andros Island.

Merlin boy, 16, hunting victim

GRANTS PASS (UPI)—Kenneth Ray Floyd, 16, of Merlin was shot to death Friday by another youth on a deer hunting trip. It was the second gunshot death of the fall hunting season in the state.

The Josephine County sheriff's office said Floyd was shot in the chest when a .44 magnum revolver discharged while it was being held by David Gardner, 19, also of Merlin. The accident occurred in the hills south of Hellgate Bridge, 15 miles northwest of here.

Floyd, Gardner, Eddie Evans and Robert Gray, all of Merlin, had gone deer hunting Thursday night and spent the night in a cabin. Gardner and Gray flagged down sheriff's deputy John Bebb after the accident, but Floyd was dead when the deputy reached him.

Beating death brings charges for 5 juveniles

PORTLAND (UPI)—Five Gresham youths, aged 16 and 17, were arraigned in Multnomah County Circuit Court Friday on charges of conspiring to commit a felony.

The charges were in connection with the fatal beating of an elderly Japanese recluse, Benzo Oye, in his cabin near Gresham June 1. The youths were Arthur Clunie, Gary Luther, Paul Schoenborn, Charles Hancock and Lawrence Tibbett.

SIXTH MONK BURNS HIMSELF TO DEATH, police beat newsmen covering story

SAIGON (UPI)—A Buddhist monk burned himself to death in the central park square here today, increasing to six the number of such protest suicides since this country's "Buddhist crisis" began in May.

Reporters summoned to the scene by anonymous telephone calls saw the shaven-headed monk set fire to his yellow robe, which apparently had been soaked with gasoline. He sat on the pavement surrounding a traffic circle in the center of the square.

Thousands of Vietnamese rushed to the scene, while whistles - blowing police tried to keep newsmen and photographers away.

New York Times correspondent David Halberstam and two NBC men, newsmen Don Sharkey and television cameraman Grant Wolfkill, were beaten and kicked by police who seized Wolfkill's camera. Sharkey, who was hit over the head with a chair, suffered a scalp wound that it took eight stitches to close.

U.S. Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge protested to the foreign office about the beating of the newsmen.

Although the police succeeded in getting Wolfkill's camera, other photographers sped away in taxis, their pictures safe.

No reason was given for the Buddhist's self-immolation, but there was little doubt it was meant to protest alleged discrimination against members of his faith by the government of President Ngo Dinh Diem, who is a Roman Catholic.

It was the first protest suicide in weeks, and the first sign that Buddhist opposition to the regime had not been crushed by the government crackdown that began Aug. 21.

The nation's principal Buddhist pagodas have been sacked, and the government has arrested thousands of dissident Buddhists, students and others.

Saigon dynamite blast wounds 10 Americans

SAIGON (UPI)—Terrorist dynamiters believed to be Communists bombed a bar-restaurant Friday night in Vinh Long, about 60 miles south of here, wounding 10 U. S. servicemen and 10 Vietnamese men and women.

A U. S. military spokesman said today 6 of the 10 Americans were injured "painfully but not seriously." It was not clear immediately whether the four others were hurt more or less seriously than the six.

Vietnamese sources said two seriously injured Vietnamese girls were hospitalized in Can Tho, the city nearest Vinh Long. Indiscriminate bombing of public places was a method often used by the Communists in their war against the French, but such incidents have occurred relatively seldom since South Viet Nam became independent in 1954.

Authoritative American military sources said today the Reds have attacked Vietnamese government outposts with increased frequency in recent weeks, inflicting "the highest number of casualties on government forces since the beginning of the year."

Government casualties in September totaled 2,400 compared with 1,500 in August, the sources said.

WEST PLAINS, Mo. (UPI)—Ronald W. Hyde, 29, Flint, Mich., was in custody today in connection with the theft of two tape recorders, a radio and cash from three churches.

One of the recorders contained a taped sermon entitled, "Thou Shalt Not Steal."

Indian woman's visit curtailed

It was announced this morning that a change in plans has canceled all but one of the public meetings arranged to host Mrs. Ammu Swamina Dhan from Madras, India, who is on a 90-day tour of the country under sponsorship of the U. S. State Department.

The visitor will only be able to meet with Bend Girl Scouts on Sunday, October 6 at 7 p.m. in the Fireside Room of First Lutheran Church. All other activities are canceled.

Reason given for the cancellations was the failure of State Department officials in Portland to notify Bend of the change in plans.

Lopez taking tight grip on Honduras

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras (UPI)—Col. Oswaldo Lopez Arellano, new military ruler of Honduras, appeared to have the country well in hand today despite continued signs of tension. A citywide curfew remained in effect in the capital and soldiers patrolled the streets armed with rifles, machine guns and hand grenades.

Pan American World Airways ordered its planes to bypass Honduras, however, until the situation appeared more stable.

Lopez, who had been chief of staff of the armed forces, deposed President Ramon Villeda Morales in a violent military coup d'etat Thursday in which more than 30 persons were killed. Villeda was immediately exiled to Costa Rica.

Pro-Castro terrorists stage new wave of violence in Venezuela

CARACAS, Venezuela (UPI)—Pro-Castro terrorists of the Armed Forces of National Liberation (FALN) staged a wave of violence in Caracas and several interior cities Friday night that left at least five dead and 10 wounded.

Police and military forces made at least 200 arrests.

The Communist-leaning FALN terrorists, in an apparent effort to challenge the government's massive nationwide display of force in recent days, launched a series of coordinated hit-and-run attacks.

At one stage during the night, army patrol radios picked up an anguished cry of alarm from Pfc. Rafael Angel Castillo, who reported that the patrol truck in which he was riding was being ambushed while stopped in the Lidice area. Lidice is a low income apartment house development in the western section of the city.

Suddenly, the frantic cries for help stopped and all that could be heard over the radio was the chatter of machine gun fire.

Killed in Ambush

Fifteen minutes later, when reinforcements arrived, another soldier reported that Castillo had been killed in the ambush.

Almost simultaneously, reports began to come in to police headquarters from a dozen places in the city, where terrorists in speeding cars fired machine guns into crowds or at army or police sentries.

At one political meeting of the Accion Democratica, President Romulo Betancourt's party, four persons were wounded by machine gun fire at the workers' suburban development of El Valle.

Police stations in the Santa Rosa, Lidice and Casilla districts were fired on. There were at least a dozen cases where snipers were reported firing from rooftops throughout the city. One police officer was kidnapped by terrorists in a black and white Volkswagen while directing traffic on the main Avenida Urdanetis, within 300 yards of Betancourt's office in the Miraflores palace.

The shooting in the Lidice area continued until midnight, when army troops finally raided eight large 200-family apartment buildings and arrested suspects by the busload.

Lidice is a hilly section where multi-windowed buildings cluster around dark avenues. It has proved a death trap for the police many times in the past.

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Leaders talk students out of protest

PLAQUEMINE, La. (UPI)—Negro leaders talked high school students out of a threatened protest demonstration Friday night, but the students said they might stage a march Monday if their desegregation demands are not met.

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FIRE!

Let's hope this desperate cry will never be heard at your house! The best prevention, of course, is constant vigilance against fire hazards. Next week is Fire Prevention Week . . . a time to check your home carefully for any possible dangers. And there's no better time than now to re-examine your fire insurance protection. We'll gladly help analyze your coverage and bring it up to date, without obligation.

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