

Dallas Twins Resting After Kidney Surgery

Portland, Ore. (UP) — Two 12-year-old identical twin girls today are resting comfortably in the University of Oregon medical school hospital here, recovering from a four-hour operation Friday in which one of the girls received a kidney transplant from her sister.

Charlene Hamilton, Dallas, Ore., who has suffered from chronic glomerulonephritis, commonly known as inflammatory Bright's Disease for six years, received a kidney from her sister in the rare operation. The disease stops the kidney from functioning.

Simultaneous Surgery
Charlene and her sister, Charlotte, underwent surgery simultaneously in two rooms. A team of surgeons headed by Dr. Joseph E. Murray, clinical associate in surgery at Harvard university, and Dr. Clarence V. Hodges of the University of Oregon medical school, performed the delicate surgical task.

A hospital spokesman said the operation was apparently a success, although the final outcome of the transplant would not be officially known for several days.

The girls are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hamilton of Dallas, Ore.

Salem Girl Admits Hit-Run

Salem (UP) — A 15-year-old girl admitted between hysterical sobs that she was the hit-and-run driver that killed a 3-year-old boy on the outskirts of Salem Friday afternoon.

State police Sergeant Wayne Hussman said the girl, Helen Tamara Banks, was traced to her home through her car and picked up for questioning.

Dead was Donald Arndt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Arndt.

The girl told officers she felt the car hit something in the road, stopped and looked back and then panicked and drove off.

A youth saw the car stop and got the license number. Hussman said the child apparently wandered into the path of the car.

No charges were filed, but a coroner's inquest was scheduled Saturday.

The girl was sent home in the custody of a 19-year-old sister. The girl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alan P. Banks were on a hunting trip, Hussman said.

Neuberger Wants Higher Gas Tax

Portland (UP) — The federal gas tax should have been increased to 4½ cents per gallon as recommended by President Eisenhower, Sen. Richard L. Neuberger (D-Ore.) declared Friday.

Congress trimmed Eisenhower's 1½ cents hike request to one cent, bringing the total federal tax on each gallon of gasoline to 4 cents.

"I certainly don't agree with Mr. Eisenhower on all issues by any manner or means, but I believe he is right about the wisdom and desirability of paying for these expensive roads as we go," Neuberger said.

Neuberger introduced legislation as early as last March backing Eisenhower's 1½ cent increase request.

Dallas Fire Chief Gets Inside Look

The Dallas (UP) — Fire Chief Charles Roth, first-aid chairman for The Dallas Dam dedication Saturday, kept a close eye on the five first aid stations he had set up to handle emergencies.

While making an inspection tour yesterday morning, he walked into a post, bloodied his nose and became their first patient.

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BACK TO WORK—After an eight-day walk-out was halted temporarily by a court order, dockworkers were back at work unloading cargo off a ship in New York City Friday. More than 7,000 dockworkers put

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News and Notes From Camp White

By WALTER TOWNSEND
The regular MMP meeting was held at Camp White Friday. There was a good attendance, with 12 full tables at building 246. The winners East and West were Mrs. Dorothy Perl and Walter Humes. North and South, Alto Pruitt and Mrs. Jo Todd, were winners.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Harder, of Lake City, Fla., were visitors at Camp White Sunday. Mrs. Harder visited her brother, M. P. Jackson. She had not seen him in 39 years.

Driving, the Harders came through northern Wisconsin. Returning, they will go to Seattle, after visiting Crater lake. They also plan to visit in Los Angeles, Tucson, Ariz., and Texas.

At the end of the trip, Mrs. Harder will have visited two brothers, E. F. Jackson, Spokane, and his children; M. P. Jackson; and M. P. Jackson's wife and children in Seattle. She will also see one sister, Martha Jane Knop, Janesville, Wis. They plan to visit Harder's sister, Mrs. Lilla Swaney, Milwaukee, Wis.

Mrs. Harder said she was delighted to see her brother, Marshall Purvine Jackson, who is well known at Camp White.

Dr. S. D. Earhart left for his annual deer hunt, going to Klamath county this week end.

"I always get a deer," he said. His method is to sit on a rock or a log, and wait. It always works for him. He gets a deer every year, and has, for the past 20 years.

Arthur Ricketts, employee in Section A, donated two text books to the Writer's club last week. The books, he felt, would be of considerable value to the members of the club. One was on fiction writing, and another one covered news reporting.

Marysville Butte is the smallest range of mountains in the world, according to Forrest C. Dinnell, domiciliary file clerk. Dinnell was born in Marysville, Calif., and his family—from France—

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Grange News

Shady Cove Grange
Shady Cove Grange met Saturday, Oct. 3, in the band room of the Shady Cove school with Master Phil Motesbacher presiding.

The following committee reports were given. The agriculture committee reported on weeds, mainly on scotch broom, how it got started and its rapid spreading.

The insurance agent reported that another Grange hall had burned down.

The new bridge on Long Branch is being built.

A report of the Booster Night program was given by the Lecturer.

The next meeting of the HEC will be a 12:30 p.m. luncheon in the Bert Clark home on Butte creek.

A card was read from Ed Strother that Mrs. Strother had left the Portland hospital

and was staying with their daughter for a few weeks before returning home.

Pomona will meet at the Shady Cove Grange Oct. 24.

Master Motesbacher reminded members that the first meeting in November would be elections.

The lecturer's program was a spelling bee. The words were taken from the Manual of the Grange.

The second part was a debate. The subject was, "Which is the most important in keeping house, the broom or dish cloth." The ladies on the team had the broom and the men the dish cloth.

The next meeting will be a potluck supper on Oct. 17.

The serving committee included Mr. and Mrs. Ed Houston and Mrs. Agnes Brown.

GOLD HILL GRANGE

The annual booster night of Gold Hill Grange will be held Monday, Oct. 12, at 8 p.m. in the Grange hall. All persons in the community are invited for a program, officers reported.

Women of the Grange are to bring sandwiches, and other refreshments will be served. Cards and dancing are planned for those who wish to participate.

HAPPY PRISONERS

Ventura, Calif. (UP)—Sheriff's deputies at the county honor farm got suspicious last week because they had so many happy prisoners. When they investigated, they discovered the inmates had been making home brew with potato peelings, sugar and water.

One-Car Accident Kills Estacada Man

Oregon City (UP) — A one-car accident on Fulton rd. near Estacada Saturday took the life of 21-year-old Ernest Richard Nicholls, Estacada. Two teen-age girls were injured.

Clackamas county police said the driver of the car, Clarence Edgar Ramsay, 20, also Estacada, was in the Clackamas county jail charged with negligent homicide. Police said he was driving without a license.

Injured were Connie Nicholls and Mona Linn, both 15, of Estacada.

Hunch Results in Clearing Up Thefts

Oregon City (UP)—A deputy sheriff's hunch resulted in arrests and the clearing up of a series of burglaries in Clackamas and Multnomah counties Friday.

Clackamas Deputy Robert Wampler stopped Raymond Harold Blum, 19, Portland, on a routine check early Friday and found some bolt cutters in his car which proved to be stolen.

Under questioning Blum confessed about one dozen burglaries. One of the break-ins was at Reed College.

Three other Portland youths with Blum were charged with vagrancy.

Officers said all four lived at the same address and a quantity of loot was recovered at their house.

FORCES SPEND MILLIONS

South Ruislip, England (UP)—U. S. armed forces in Britain spent more than \$213 million during the fiscal year ending June 30, the Third U. S. Air Force headquarters has reported. The most expensive single item was maintenance. Servicemen and their families spent \$74,999,611 for rent, food, heat and other household needs.

There are about 74,000 fire trucks in the United States.

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