

Armadillo Is Moving North Into Oklahoma

Ada, Okla. (AP)—The armadillo, that bony, burrowing and bustling animal that began a northern migration many years ago, apparently has found Oklahoma to its liking.

Making it across the Red river, armadillos are sauntering into Oklahoma from Texas in increasing numbers. They have been spotted as far north as northern Pontotoc county, about 75 miles from the border.

Some folks predict the armadillo in a few years will be as common as the cottontail. Others are a bit dubious figuring the weather and availability of insects will determine whether the strange-looking mammal settles in these parts.

"He's coming on fast since the Red river was dammed," said Jack McPhetridge, Pontotoc county trapper. "When I'm trapping, I see him and his tracks all over the south part of the county. But he's in the north as well as south sections, too."

The armadillo, which resembles a miniature tank on stilts, is a native of Argentina and obviously has been on the move northward for a long time. It has migrated in great numbers into Texas from Mexico and can be found scattered about the Southwest.

Its long, relatively enormous body is encased in an armor of small bony plates. When it is scared, it can fold its shell like an accordion and roll into a ball. Devoid of the armor, it reportedly makes a good meal. South Americans consider him a delicacy.

Two beady eyes peak from an odd triangular head and he has large ears, sharp claws and a long, bone-padded tail. He can move fast, but not for long, and despite the long claws, he's no fighter.

The armadillo, whose burrowing could put a mole to shame, does not fight for animal meat, but is contented to eat roots and insects, which probably accounts for the fact that he now is practically toothless.

Strontium-90 Found in Teeth

St. Louis (AP)—A dental research team here has found that teeth of children born in 1956 and bottle-fed as infants have accumulated 16 times as much strontium-90 as bottle-fed children born in 1947.

The researchers said, however that the amount is still much below the level considered dangerous. The research team includes Dr. Harold L. Rosenthal, Dr. John E. Gilster and Dr. John T. Bird of Washington University School of Dentistry. Their study will run for three more years. The research is done on baby teeth donated by parents.

The researchers say that data already on hand indicates that the research will produce the information needed—whether teeth can be used as a measure of the body's burden of radionuclides. Doctors say strontium-90, a long-lasting isotope, which is found in fallout from nuclear tests, replaces calcium in bone and teeth.

The St. Louis tests show an increase in the amount of strontium-90 from 0.15 micromicrocuries per gram of tooth calcium of children born in 1947 to 2.50 micromicrocuries in teeth of children born in 1956.

Shrimp Boats Idle In Coastal Ports

Brookings (AP)—Shrimp-boats were idle here today in a dispute between fishermen and buyers about prices. Boats also were tied up at Crescent City and Eureka in Northern California.

The boats have been idle since Sunday when fishermen rejected an offer of 10 cents a pound for shrimp from buyers. They want 12 cents a pound. Sixteen boats are involved. Six of the boats were at Brookings. The California shrimp season opened Friday. There is no designated season in Oregon.

Eight boats were fishing out of Coos Bay at the buyers' price.

TOO MUCH SPEEDUP
Claremont, S.C. (AP)—Police Chief Buren Grant said he didn't mind reading water meters, starting the waterworks pumps every morning and repairing streets in addition to keeping the peace. But he resigned Wednesday when city fathers told him he would have to start cutting the grass around city hall and hauling garbage.

Tiller Man Reported In Fair Condition

Alvin Lee Drake, 21, of Tiller, was reported in fair condition yesterday at Rogue Valley hospital after his car struck a dump truck Tuesday on the Tiller-Trail highway.

Drake suffered head and chest injuries, and was reported in critical condition when taken to the hospital.

The truck was driven by Anthony Joseph Miller, 49, of Trail.

FLORAL DOUBLE-DUTY

New York (AP)—Two perennial favorites, the camellia and gardenia, serve double-duty as both house plants and boutonieres.

Yuba City Couple To Be Co-Owners of Chalet Motel Here

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rehans of Yuba City, Calif., have been selected to be managing co-owner partners of the 50 unit Chalet Motel under construction at 56 North Riverside ave., Medford, Joseph J. Amoroso, president of Hyatt Chalet Motels, Inc., Sepulveda, Calif., has announced.

The Rehans will be co-owner managers under the Hyatt Chalet Partnership program. All Chalet Motels are partially owned by the resident manager who shares proportionately in the profits of the business.

The Yuba City couple will be trained in Chalet Motel operations under a company training program which will be conducted in the Chalet at Reedsport.

Land Acquired for Tugman State Park

Salem (AP)—The Oregon Highway department has acquired 460 acres around Eel lake in Coos and Douglas counties—the new William M. Tugman state park.

The park will feature fishing, swimming and picnicking. It lies east of the Coast highway, eight miles south of Reedsport.

The park is named after the late William M. Tugman, former editor of the Eugene Register-Guard, and publisher

of the Port Umpqua Courier at Reedsport. State Highway Engineer Forest Cooper said \$33,000 has been allocated for construction of a boat ramp and parking facilities as well as picnic areas and access roads. A swimming beach also will be developed.

Cooper said the Game Commission has been rehabilitating Eel lake, and it will offer visitors to the Tugman Park excellent fishing.

in the Rio Rancho Motel in Marysville, Calif., for the past five years and has been active in the Marysville Lions club for 10 years. Mrs. Rehans has been a medical assistant in Marysville for 15 years and is a member of the Rideout Memorial auxiliary.

Construction of the new Chalet is expected to be completed in July. The local Chalet will be the fourth in the Hyatt Chalet national chain, which is less than a year old, Amoroso said.

By September, 1962, the Chalet Medford will be linked via a free reservation system, with motels being built in

Tarzana, Fullerton, Needles, Long Beach, and Thousand Oaks, Calif.; Las Vegas, Nev.; Flagstaff, Ariz.; and Amarillo, Tex.

Now In Operation
Two Chalet Motels are now in operation in Pasadena and Pomona, Calif.

The Chalet Medford, typical of all Chalet Motels, follows a continental flair in architecture and furnishings. The exterior is highlighted by a bold A-line roof which houses the vari-textured stained glass office. To the rear of the office will be a garden type landscaping area highlighted with a large heated swimming pool

and a putting green. All first floor units will have individual private patios. The rooms will be furnished in a Contemporary Swiss decor accented by rich teakwood paneling, Amoroso noted.

NAMES NEW ENVOY

Washington (AP)—President Kennedy nominated Matthew H. McCloskey, 69, of Philadelphia, former treasurer of the Democratic National Committee, Wednesday to be U.S. ambassador to Ireland. He will replace E. Grant Stockdale, who resigned effective July 6.

Multnomah County Pay Hike Proposed

Portland (AP)—A pay raise has been proposed for the 2,000 employees of Multnomah county.

The proposed 1962-63 budget contains a pay hike of about 4 per cent. County commissioners said it would cost about \$400,000. The raise would be effective July 1.

The board of commissioners said it expected the proposal to be accepted by the Tax Supervising and Conservation Commission. Ontario has a lake and river area estimated at 80,000 square miles.
























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