

# CRATER LAKE AUTO VICTIMS BROUGHT HERE

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morning after a party of three Crater Lake park rangers, headed by Chief Ranger David Canfield, stopped their automobile to examine peculiar skid-marks on the loosely graveled surface of the east entrance road, about seven miles west of the junction with The Dalles-California highway.

**Sight Car In Creek**  
In the bed of the canyon, lying in the creek, the coupe was sighted by Bernie Hughes, one of the rangers, after C. H. Simson, another of the party, had found a piece of glass and a bit of mirror near the canyon brink.

That was about 7:20 a. m. By 9:20, the rangers had climbed down into the deep canyon, located the bodies of the two Hollywood Cosmetics, and had driven to Fort Klamath, where Klamath county authorities and state police were notified.

**Recover Bodies**  
It was not until well in the afternoon that the battered and partially decomposed bodies of the women had been recovered from the canyon together with their personal effects found in and near the demolished car. It was not difficult to reconstruct the tragedy. The young women, it was recalled were last seen at Crescent at mid-morning on November 12.

They drove south on The Dalles-California highway toward Klamath Falls, where Miss Mardelle (Irene Streeter) was to visit her mother, N. M. Streeter, before continuing into California.

**Girls Left Highway**  
Probably hoping for a chance to see Crater Lake, they turned off the main highway at the junction with the east entrance road, driving around a sign noting that the road was closed by snow. They drove eight or nine miles toward the lake before deciding to turn back.

The road drops rapidly along the edge of Sand Creek canyon. Undoubtedly drifting along at a high speed, their car suddenly went out of control, probably because of a flat tire.

**Skids Over Cliff**  
They skidded 150 feet before going over the canyon rim, as the marks on the road plainly show. First they skidded away from the canyon for 50 feet, reaching a distance 7 feet from the center of the road. Then suddenly the machine careened across the road, and struck a ledge not ten feet from the end of a heavy log guard.

The car bounced down a steep incline to the edge of a sheer cliff. It glanced off a pinnacle, and into a sort of groove on the canyon rim. Then came a sheer drop of perhaps 60 feet, and a tumble down a lane between the trees. The battered machine came to rest upside down in the creek.

**Believe Death Instant**  
Both women were undoubtedly killed instantly. Both were thrown free of the car. The body of Miss Mardelle rolled to a stop about 30 feet up the canyon side above the car. That of Miss Sparks probably slid on down after the car. It slid under the front of the machine, and when found was lying under the radiator and between the car and the bumper.

The accident occurred at just after 12 o'clock noon, investigators believed. A watch on Miss Mardelle's wrist had stopped at



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# Win Table Tennis Crowns



The new king and queen of table tennis, crowned at the finish of the national tournament at Cleveland, Ohio, are Jimmy McClure, Indianapolis store clerk, and Ruth Aarons of New York. The two new title holders are shown above after winning their trophies. They unsated Jimmy Jacobson of New York and Miss Jay Purves of Des Plaines, Ill.

12:05 p. m. That checked with the time the girls stopped at Crescent.

**Injuries Fatal**  
Miss Sparks, according to Dr. George Adler, county coroner, sustained a broken neck, crushed skull, multiple fractures of the legs, and crushing injuries to the chest and abdomen. Miss Mardelle sustained multiple fractures of the arms and legs and her back was broken.

The clothes had been partially torn from the bodies of both women. Miss Mardelle's body was partially buried in snow. Inability of rangers to sight the lookout house on the peak of Mt. Scott led to the discovery of the bodies of the women, just three days after the east entrance road was opened.

**Find Tire Marks**  
Canfield, Simson and Hughes left government camp about 5:20 a. m. Thursday to get a closer view of the top of Mt. Scott. They drove to Fort Klamath, up The Dalles-California highway and into the east entrance. Going up, they noticed peculiar marks in the road and decided to investigate on their way back.

From farther up the road they could see through field glasses that the Mt. Scott lookout was intact. Returning, they stopped their machine and began examining the skid marks in the highway. There were only slight marks

used to keep the bodies from dragging against the cliff on their way up.

The scene in the bed of the canyon was a gruesome one. A suitcase, flung from the car in its fall, lay in the bed of the stream. Scattered about were cans of the cosmetics the women demonstrated. A spare wheel lay several feet upstream.

**Glove In Tree**  
A women's glove was hung in a tree up the canyon side. It had apparently been flung there as the car passed by on its tumble.

On the canyon side was a memorandum book, the writing faded by the melted snow. In it was written the words to the song, "I Love You, California," ending with the line: "When I die I shall breathe my last sigh for Sunny California."

**Recover Suitcase**  
A second suitcase was recovered from the inside of the car with considerable difficulty.

Little water had penetrated its leather cover. Inside were clothing and other personal effects, believed those of Miss Sparks.

Included in the contents were several pieces of sheet music. On some were written the name Doris Blenkiron. Miss Sparks was an entertained. Apparently, her tastes ran to the better class and sacred music. "The Day's Begun," "Homeing," "Who Knows," "With the Wind and the Rain in Your Hair," and Samuel Liddle's "How Lovely are Thy Dwellings" were some of the selections in the collection.

N. M. Streeter, father of Miss Mardelle, arrived at the canyon rim in the afternoon. Streeter said he had been along the road at this point several times in his search for his daughter. Canfield said the rangers skied along the road last winter when hunting for the girls, but the marks and probably the bodies were covered with snow at that time. The bodies were taken to the Klamath funeral home, where

funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Streeter said his daughter was born in Boise, Ida., 23 years ago. She attended school in Seattle. She was an airplane pilot. He said he believed she must have been driving the car at the time of the accident.

Survivors of Miss Mardelle include her father, her mother, Mrs. Hallie B. Wars of Berkeley; a sister, Ethel Baldwin of Sacramento; a sister, Neva Streeter, of Sacramento. S. M. Streeter of Klamath county is an uncle. Streeter has engaged in a widespread hunt for his daughter. With the aid of Klamath county authorities, he has enlisted the support of the U. S. secret service and department of justice, and pictures of the missing women were sent throughout the country. Until Thursday's tragic solution of the mystery, Streeter clung to a belief the two women had been kidnaped.

Miss Sparks is survived by her mother, Mrs. Demole of San Francisco; a sister Mrs. Vivian Boener of San Francisco, and a brother, Vernon Blenkerson of South Gate, Calif.

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trial is permitted 12 peremptory challenges and the prosecution six. An indefinite number of jurors can be excused for cause.

**Cordon Here Sunday**  
Indicating that the defense is keeping a careful check on the record, Defense Attorney George M. Roberts Thursday presented an order denying the motion of defense attorneys for permission to "view and inspect" articles of furniture taken from the Manning law office after the death there of State Legislator Ralph W. Horan. Judge Duncan signed the order.

The defense made such a motion early in the case. Judge Duncan then indicated that unless defense attorneys could elicit authorities supporting their position, he would deny the motion. The authorities were not cited in the time set, but apparently the judge did not actually sign an order overruling the motion. Finally the defense lawyers themselves prepared such an order.

Guy Cordon, Douglas county district attorney - who will be special prosecutor in the Manning case - will arrive here Sunday. E. O. Heinrich, special state investigator who is expected to be a witness in the case, is not expected until Monday. A report has been making the rounds that possibly Judge Wilson will favor moving the Manning trial to some building where a larger crowd will be accommodated than can be handled in the circuit court room. There has been nothing definite to this effect, and attaches at the courthouse were scratching the building for a suitable building that would be available for this purpose.

# GREAT THROG GREET'S F. D. R. UPON RETURN

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Wirt." This also brought a laugh from the crowd.

"Newspapermen on the train coming up," Mr. Roosevelt said, "have been trying to get me to say that I hoped congress would soon adjourn."

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# BANDIT GANG ROBS POLICE IN INDIANA

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a few days after the delivery of Dillinger from jail at Lima, Ohio, during which Sheriff Jess Barber was shot and killed. For that slaying Harry Pierpont and Charles Makley await electrocution in the Ohio state prison, while Russell Clark is under life sentence.

**CROWN POINT, Ind., April 13.**—Judge William J. Murray today purged of contempt the six grand jurors who criticized him in their report on John Dillinger's break from the Crown Point jail.

The contempt citation was dismissed by Judge Murray after the six men had filed an answer in which they disavowed any intention of casting aspersions on the court.

**School Dispute Takes Two Lives**  
CHARLESTON, W. Va., April 13 (AP)—Rising from the faculty

table in the dining hall, James L. Hill, superintendent of the state school for negro deaf and blind, today drew a revolver and killed one faculty member, wounded three others and then shot himself. All are negroes.

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- CLOROX quart bottle 2 FOR 29c
- PAR, perfect concentrated Soap LGE. PKG. 27c
- HARMONY SOAP 10 BARS 27c
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