

Waldo Klum Takes Life

Waldo Klum, 67, retired railroad conductor and former resident of 415 Hillside, Klamath Falls, committed suicide at his home in Ashland yesterday afternoon.

Ashland officials said that Klum had been dependent recently and that about 2 o'clock yesterday he went into an upstairs bathroom at his home and locked the door.

Shortly afterward a shot was heard and his wife, Ruth, rushed into the room and found him dead. He had apparently placed the muzzle of a 303-cal. deer rifle in his mouth and pulled the trigger.

Klum worked for the Southern Pacific here for a number of years and was well known in Klamath Falls. His wife, Ruth Fink, is a former commercial teacher at Klamath Union high school. The Klums have a summer home on the east side of Lake o' the Woods.

Litwiller funeral home in Ashland is making arrangements for the funeral which will be held in Ashland Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

OBITUARIES

JOSEPH NASON
Joseph Nason, a resident of Swan Lake district for the last 34 years passed away in this city on Thursday, December 6, 1945 at 9 p. m. following an illness of one month. He was a native of Tekapo, Wis., and at the time of his death was aged 81 years 1 month and 15 days. Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Leslie Deal of Dorris, Calif., one son, Merion Nason of Dorris, Calif., seven grandchildren and three great grandchildren. The remains rest in the Earl Whitlock funeral home, Pine at 6th. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Earl Whitlock funeral home, Monday, December 10, 1945 at 1:30 p. m. with the Rev. Lester Hufman of Madocod, Calif., officiating. Commitment services and interment Lakewood cemetery, Madocod, Calif., at 3:45 p. m. Monday. Friends are invited.

WILLIAM HENRY MILLER
William Henry Miller, a resident of Merrill, Ore., for the last 10 years passed away at his late residence on Thursday, December 6, 1945 at 1:30 a. m. following an illness of seven months. He was a native of LaPorte county, Indiana and at the time of his death was aged 87 years 11 months and 11 days. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Margaret Miller of Merrill, Ore., seven sons, Bryan, Clair, Frank, James and Bill Miller all of Merrill, Ore., Robert H. of Phillipsburg, Kan., and Crozier W., of Simla, Colo., three daughters, Mrs. Annie Taylor of Lartimer, Wyo., Mrs. Helen Glover of Kutch, Colo., and Mrs. Ida Jacklich of Matheson, Colo., one sister, Mrs. Annie Calhoun of Phillipsburg, Kan., 27 grandchildren and four great grandchildren. The remains rest in the Earl Whitlock funeral home, Pine at 6th. Notice of funeral to be announced at a later date.

WILLIAM FRANCIS BRYAN CHASE
William Francis Bryan Chase, a resident of Klamath county for the last 46 years passed away in this city on Thursday, December 6, 1945 at 4:30 p. m. following an illness of one month. He was a native of Lin county, Kansas and at the time of his death was aged 80 years one month and 26 days. Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Joseph A. Mahoney of this city, one sister, Mrs. Beattie Woods of Martinez, Calif., and one brother, Charles A. Chase of Lakeview, Ore.; 11 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. The remains rest in the Earl Whitlock funeral home, Pine at 6th. Notice of funeral to be announced at a later date.

Hans Norland Fire Insurance, 123 N. 6th St.

RAINBOW
Doors Open 8:45—
★ ENDS TONITE! ★
"WHAT A BLOND"
AND
"FRAMED FOR MURDER"
★ SATURDAY ONLY ★
Continuous 12:30
Ride the Danger Trail with
WILD BILL ELLIOTT
as the
LONE TEXAS RANGER
AND
Story of a WOMAN who loved a THRILL!
THE GREAT FLAMARION
ERIC VON STROHEIM
MARY BETH HUGHES

Last Chance Attempt To Save 27 Men

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lantis' limbo Wednesday with 13 men on board.

Falling Plane
One was word from a passing ship, the SS Gaines Mills, that it saw an explosion at sea off New Smyrna Beach at 7:50 p. m. Wednesday, and what appeared to be an airplane falling. That may have been the fate of the PBM search craft.

The other clue was a report by the airport weather station at Miami that a large area of turbulent air rolled out of a storm centered over Georgia, swept over Jacksonville about noon and reached Miami by nightfall.

A meteorological freak—squalls on the surface, 40 mile winds at 1000 feet, and full hurricane of 75 miles an hour at 8000 feet—was recorded at 4 p. m. Such a development could easily have carried the torpedo planes miles out of their practice area.

"Can't tell weather over the Atlantic or Gulf of Mexico," the final message was reported to have said.

Today's vast search was a renewal of yesterday's hunt when planes scanned all of the Florida peninsula and a sea area reaching 150 miles from the coast. Today planes and ships were ordered to look at every square mile of sea from north of Key West to north of Jacksonville for a distance 250 miles out from the coast.

Main Jailed For Reckless Driving

William F. Booth, 26, of Oroville, Calif., a discharged marine, was jailed by city police last night on a charge of reckless driving after his car was involved in an accident at the East Main-Home intersection.

He was released this morning on \$50 bail and is to appear for trial in police court this afternoon.

Police said Booth was driving down East Main shortly after midnight last night and in attempting to turn into Home street smashed into a corner telephone pole. The piece of the pole fell through a window of a building at 515 E. Main, formerly occupied by the Milk Bottle. Questioned at the police station the ex-marine stated that he was driving about 40 miles per hour and had been drinking but was not intoxicated.

VITAL STATISTICS

BELL—Born at Hillside hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., December 6, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bell, Tulelake, Calif., a girl. Weight: 6 pounds 10 1/2 ounces.
YRIBARREN—Born at Hillside hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., December 6, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Yrribarren, Alturas, Calif., a girl. Weight: 8 pounds 4 ounces.
FINK—Born at Hillside hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., December 6, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fink, Tulelake, Calif., a boy. Weight: 7 pounds 9 1/2 ounces.

ESQUIRE
Doors Open 1:30-8:45—
NOW! Ends Saturday!
DOUBLE LAFF SHOW!
IT'S ONE HOWL OF A Honeymoon!
G.I. HONEYMOON
And More Lafls!
FUN ON THE RUN!
The MAN who walked Alone
with DAVID O'BRIEN
KAY ALDRIDGE
★ Sport • Late News

Sisemore Thanks Groups For Hospital Assistance

President L. Orth Sisemore of the Klamath County chamber of commerce today expressed appreciation to the various groups and individuals who assisted the chamber in securing a veterans hospital for Klamath Falls.

"At the time our brief was presented to Gen. Omar Bradley we had excellent endorsements

Byrnes Mum On Big 5 Confab

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 (AP)—Secretary of State Byrnes declined today to say anything about possibilities of a meeting of the foreign ministers of the United States, Russia, Britain, China and France.

Questioned about reports from London that such a meeting would soon be held in Moscow, Byrnes said he couldn't say anything at all about it.

Byrnes told a news conference Wednesday that a meeting of foreign ministers, following up the session which ended in deadlock at London in September, was not to be ruled out by President Truman's recent statement that he wanted more and more problems turned over to the United Nations.

Man Takes Life On Northbound Train

William Merrin Little, 53, thought to be a resident of Ellensburg, Wash., took his life in the men's washroom of northbound Southern Pacific No. 16 near Klamath Falls last night.

Klamath County Coroner George H. Adler said the man fired a 38 Marlin pistol through his temple. The train was stopped at Modoc Point and the body removed by Ward's. It was necessary to take off the metal door of the washroom to extricate the body. There was no reason given for the act.

Little's mother, Mrs. E. D. Miller, lives in Ellensburg, Wash. The man had in his possession a baggage check which indicated he was en route from Chicago to Klamath Falls. Little was a barber by trade and has one daughter, Dorothy, living in New York.

Zenith Batteries, Uhlig's, 1026 Main

Last Day DON'T MISS IT FOR LAFFS!
with JOAN DAVIS JACK HALEY
Philip Terry
Martha Holiday
TOWER Doors Open 8:45
★ SATURDAY ONLY! ★
THRILL-A-MINUTE DRAMA!
CONTINUOUS 12:30
WITHIN THESE WALLS
—THOMAS MITCHELL
MARY ANDERSON
EDWARD RYAN
MARK STEVENS
AND 2ND EXCITING HIT!
Buster Crabbe ★ Al "Fuzzy" St. John
in
"BORDER BADMEN"

Snow Delays SP Trains

Winter winds, rain and snow swept through the mountain area bringing a heavy snowfall to the northern Klamath country and sending the thermometer down to 29 degrees here. It was 20 at Chemult.

The southbound Southern Pacific trains, No. 15 and No. 17, were delayed because of deep snows in the Crescent Lake and Chemult areas. The railroad reported 36 inches of snow on the ground at Crescent Lake. It was snowing throughout the day and the minimum this morning was 26 degrees. At Mowich there was a depth of 37 inches and a temperature of 24 degrees.

Highways were reported dangerous for travel according to the state highway commission. There was 17 inches of new snow last night at Santiam junction and eight inches at Odell lake on the Willamette highway bringing the total to 87 inches at each place. Ice was reported on highways at higher elevations in this area.

The weekend forecast by the

Salvation Army Bells To Tinkle

Bells will tinkle on Main street Saturday, calling attention to the Salvation Army's traditional Christmas kettles.

Contributions to carry on the work of the Salvation Army for supplying Christmas needs to the less fortunate, will be gladly accepted by the lassies in charge of the kettles.

Donations to add this cause may also be mailed to Salvation Army headquarters, box 649, City.

Again the Salvation Army building at S. 4th and Klamath avenue will be the official community Christmas cheer center, and will be the clearing house for applications for aid.

OPENS SEASON
The Sacred Heart basketball team opens its season with a game with Malin high school tonight at Malin. The game starts at 8 o'clock.

U. S. weather man was "rain tonight but clearing Saturday."

Santa Won't Wait... WARDS WILL!
Santa Claus must fill his pack for December 25, not the 26th or next year. So if cash-on-hand is short, buy your gifts now on Wards Monthly Payment Plan! Convenient terms enable you to pay for purchases next year out of income!
Montgomery Ward

PINE TREE Continuous Daily Box Office Open 12:30
PHONE 3282
★ TODAY and SATURDAY! ★
THE TECHNICOLOR STORY OF ALADDIN and his wonderful VAMP!!!
EVELYN KEYES
PHIL SILVERS
ADELE JERGENS
CORNEL WILDE
Dusty ANDERSON
THOUSAND AND ONE NIGHTS
PLUS! SINGIN', SWINGIN' WESTERN HIT!
THE MELODY TRAIL TO
SADDLE SERENADE
starring JIMMY WAKELY
with White Johnny James Alan Foster
★ Extra Bugs Bunny Cartoon Latest News

Malin Man Reports Automobile Theft

J. O. Plumbe of Malin reported to city police yesterday that his car, a grey 1937 Chrysler sedan, was stolen from his residence in Malin Wednesday night.

The auto had a trailer hook on the rear and inside were an overcoat, hat and glasses.

Four drunks and one vagrant appeared in police court this morning, and six traffic tickets were paid.

Classified Ads Bring Results.

USBR Officials To Talk Lease Program

Four officials of the land use development and settlement division of the regional office, U. S. bureau of reclamation, will be on the project next week. E. Layton Stephens, superintendent of the local office announced today.

The men are Paul Nelson, D. S. Stoner, R. G. Howard and Paul H. Johnstone, who will discuss settlement and leasing programs with local groups December 11, 12 and 13.

For Commercial Refrigeration SALES and SERVICE See Karl Urquhart Refrigeration Equipment Co. 611 Klamath Phone 6455

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FOR INFORMATION DIAL 4572 OR 4547
Doors Open 1:30-6:45
NOW PLAYING! ★ ENDS SATURDAY
WHEN YOUR MAN HOWLS LIKE A WOLF IN GROOM & CLOTHING, IT'S TIME FOR...
LOVE, HONOR AND GOODBYE
Virginia BRUCE-Edward ASHLEY
Victor MARGOLIN-Nils ASTHER
Spider
with FAYE MARLOWE RICHARD CORTE

Starts Saturday Midnight!
"Honestly you'd think I was a child. all I did was KISS and TELL!"
"KISS and TELL"
A COLUMBIA PICTURE
Shirley Temple
as Carolee Archer
JEROME COURTLAND-WALTER ABEL
ROBERT BENCHLEY
A GEORGE ABRAHAM PRODUCTION
From the rib-wrecking stage hit that's rocked Broadway and the nation!

★ Starts Playing for You... Sunday! ★
"It'll make you hear sing!"
S'WONDERFUL
EMBRACEABLE YOU
I GOT RHYTHM
LADY BE GOOD
THE HEART LOVE
SUMMERTIME
DELICIOUS
SWANEE
★ Today Is FREE MOVIE DAY! Buy a VICTORY BOND at Any Klamath Theatre and SEE THE SHOW FREE! ★