

# Train Wreck In Oklahoma Fatal To One

ARMSTRONG, Okla., April 2 (AP)—The Missouri-Kansas-Texas (Katy) Texas special passenger train and a freight train engine sideswiped here today, killing one person and injuring several others.

The dead man was Louis Hansen, engineer of the passenger train.

A. T. Ballard, fireman of the passenger train, was critically injured and taken to the Katy hospital in Denison.

A witness at the scene of the wreck first reported Ballard dead.

Sydney Johnson, the ambulance driver from Denison who took Ballard to the hospital, estimated there were 20 to 30 injured. He described the wreck as "terrible."

Ambulances from as far away as McAlester, 70 miles northeast of Armstrong, were called to the scene and the injured were rushed to Durant, Okla., six miles away.

The M-K-T offices at Durant and Denison reported the name of the dead engineer was Louis Hansen of Denison. He was between 50 and 60 years old. The passenger fireman was A. T. Ballard.

**Cause Unknown**  
The accident occurred about 7:10 a. m. There was no official announcement of the cause of the wreck, but those investigating believe a missed or defective signal block might have been the reason.

A M-K-T official said that the freight train was going south just before the accident, then started backing north into a siding as the passenger train bore down. Only the engine remained on the main track as the passenger engine struck it.

The engineer of the freight train was C. G. Brown and the fireman was J. E. Wilson Jr. of Denison.

## RC Drive To Continue

Red Cross chairmen are still on the job and the 1947 drive will be continued until everyone in Klamath county has been contacted, information from Red Cross headquarters advised today.

Due to extensive illness throughout the county these contacts were not able to be made during the time originally allotted for the drive, and many firms, rural communities and churches have not been heard from.

At the latest report, contribution figures stand at \$15,250 toward the goal of \$25,000 for this county.

Communities which have sent in their reports and are over the top of their quotas are Bonanza, Chemult, Chiloquin, Fort Klamath, Henley, Keno, Langell valley, Poe valley, Weyerhaeuser camps four and six, Midland and Mac's store.

City Delivery Service, Ph. 8417.

# MALIN Fireman's New Truck DANCE

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## Stamp-Licking Abolished



Byron Diskin, Klamath Falls postal clerk with nine years of service behind him, is shown here saving time with the new postage meter, which prints a label with the exact amount of postage for a package, plus city postmark and date of mailing.

## Postage Meter Used Here

Weary tongues will no longer waggle from licking stamps in a mailing rush at the Klamath Falls post office. Recently added to the equipment is an electric postage meter, guaranteed to save hours of time at the parcel post window.

The machine is a neat, compact item with more interesting points than a glamour girl. After a parcel is weighed, the amount of postage computed and fee collected, the clerk touches levers on the electrically-operated meter.

Out pops a small printed label, gummed and automatically moistened, complete with postage of exact total value, plus city postmark and date of mailing. The label is slapped on the package and the transaction is over. Letters may be slipped through the machine and receive the stamp right on them.

Time spent waiting in line is halved and unsanitary stamp-licking is abolished.

## GI's File For Yakima Land

YAKIMA, April 2 (AP)—Fifteen hundred and one veterans entered their names in the drawing for 28 farm units to be given away by the Reza division of the Yakima reclamation project, the homestead office said today.

Applications closed yesterday with Richard E. Grazer of Tillamook, Ore., beating the deadline by seconds to deliver his papers.

Of 670 applications already checked, 76 have been rejected because of insufficient capital, experience or incomplete entries. The remaining names were to be checked today.

Seventeen hundred acres of land are involved in the drawing with the 28 units ranging in size from 40 to 100 irrigable acres.

The drawing will be held later this month.

**Indians May Get Plywood Buildings**

PORTLAND, April 2 (AP)—The Celilo Indian village will be rebuilt with surplus plywood buildings if congress will appropriate the \$50,000 needed for labor cost.

E. Morgan Pryse, regional Indian service chief, reported 30 buildings and the needed materials have been purchased to eliminate the flimsy and unsanitary shacks used by the Indians during their fishing seasons.

**Helicopter Survey Proves Successful**

PORTLAND, April 2 (AP)—Inspection of Bonneville power transmission lines by helicopter is proving satisfactory, BPA Maintenance Supervisor Lee Murray reports.

Murray and helicopter pilot John Steen, Monroe, Wash., flew over Portland yesterday on the last lap of a 2200-mile trip and Murray said lines which normally require two days to check by ground crew were inspected in minutes from the air.

For good insurance see Hans Norland, 123 N. 6th St.

## SA Offers Aid In GI Burials

The Salvation Army will assist with re-burial of war dead in every way possible, according to Major Roswall, local Salvation Army officer. Just what the Army will do will depend upon individual need, but service will be rendered in every way possible to facilitate re-entombment and to lighten the burden placed upon family and friends.

Offers of ministerial services where no regular minister is designated to officiate, is one of the services offered by the Army whenever and wherever officers are called upon.

Because of the close contact throughout war years with soldiers on all fighting fronts, the Salvation Army feels a keen interest in the return of our hero dead. Not only did many Salvation Army officers serve throughout the war as chaplains, but through the many USO clubs operated by the Salvation Army in this country, they came into close contact with many thousands of veterans.

Major Roswall states that letters have been sent to all patriotic organizations in Klamath Falls expressing the Salvation Army's desire to assist, and all funeral directors have been notified of services available. Any one desiring assistance of the Salvation Army may call at the local office at 400 Klamath.

## Wandering Bus Driver Doesn't Know Why Yet

HOLLYWOOD, Fla., April 2 (AP)—The irrepressible spring-time impulse that prompted William Lawrence Cimillo to take a 44-passenger bus on a solo odyssey of 1350 miles along the Atlantic seaboard has left the 37-year-old New Yorker with one major worry.

What will his wife and children think? "I have a swell family, a wife and three kids," the bus driver from the Bronx, N. Y., said yesterday, "and I don't want to hurt 'em."

Cimillo's journey began last Friday when he left his regular bus route in the Bronx on a sudden impulse and headed south. It ended in the jail of this south Florida seaside resort. "I just wanted to get somewhere," Cimillo told reporters.

## Flashes Of Life

### INFLATION NOTE

KANSAS CITY, April 2 (AP)—William T. A. Cully, director of the Swope park zoo, learned that it's going to be harder to knock down a good bargain in the giraffe market.

A New York animal import firm (Meems Bros. and Ward) wrote him that prices are spiraling from \$4000 to \$20,000 per giraffe.

With zoos in South America and Europe in the market again, hunters in East Africa have raised their price for a good animal in the "bush" by about 500 per cent, the importers wrote.

**SAWBUCKS PLENTIFUL**

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., April 2 (AP)—"Anything smaller" asked Bert Hershey, toll collector on the Missouri river bridge after a motorist handed him a \$10 bill. "Don't you know," the motorist replied, "that farmers don't have anything smaller than \$10 bills these days?"

The collector took the bill and gave the farmer his change.

**UNGRATEFUL GUEST**

UTICA, Mich., April 2 (AP)—A larceny warrant has been issued against the man who came to dinner, stayed a week and then left with some of the host's clothing, jewelry and silverware. Theodore Mulyk, who signed the complaint, said his dinner guest, and a woman companion he brought with him, took advantage of Mulyk's hospitality for one week. When they finally left, he said, they took a quantity of "souvenirs" with them.

**Few Port Patrol Officers Retained**

WASHINGTON, April 2 (AP)—Customs Commissioner W. R. Johnson said today he will retain about 421 of 1340 port patrol officers given dismissal notices since the house voted a \$3,500,000 cut in the bureau's operating funds.

Johnson told a senate appropriations subcommittee, which has protested the mass firing that a revision of his plans will allow retention of skeleton port guards "at those seaports where experience indicated there is the greatest smuggling hazard."

The customs head said this includes the ports of Portland and Seattle.

## Tulelake Men To Buy Stock Cattle

TULELAKE, April 2—N. C. Wilkinson of Tulelake and Theron Jones, Merrill, will go to Burns this week for purchase of stock cattle. The two men have just completed a deal involving 1700 head of young Herefords which will be grazed this summer near Marysville. Some may be sent to the Big Klamath marsh. These animals were bought in Surprise valley.

Headquarters for the stock buying operations are at the Niles hotel in Alturas.

## Portland Zoo Director Named

PORTLAND, April 2 (AP)—Jack L. Marks, Seaside, has been appointed temporary director of the Portland zoo to succeed Dr. Arthur M. Greenhall who resigned to direct the Detroit, Mich., zoo.

Marks, a native of Albany, has worked under Dr. Greenhall and was recommended by the resigned director.

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## Crash Survivor In Berkeley

BERKELEY, Calif., April 2 (AP)—Paul Vick, 18-month-old sole survivor of a plane crash in which his father, mother and 23 others were killed near Hankow, China, was being cared for in a Berkeley home today before journeying to his grandparents' home in Rochester, N. Y.

The child arrived here by air yesterday and was met by Dr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Knudsen, who said he was in good health.

Paul's father, the Rev. R. A. Vick of Rochester, saved the boy's life by jumping from the plane before it crashed two months ago. He ordered Paul sent to the boy's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vick of Rochester. The father died two days after the crash.

Classified Ads Bring Results.

## Grocery Clerk Robbed, Beaten

EUGENE, April 2 (AP)—Two unarmed men choked and struck a woman clerk with a bottle yesterday as they robbed the McKee grocery here of an undisclosed sum of cash and fled in an automobile.

Police Chief L. Pittenger said Mrs. C. E. Miller, alone in the store, reported the men entered the store and bought tobacco, they returned an hour later. As she checked their grocery purchases, one man leaped the counter and began choking her and then struck her with a syrup bottle.

She told of regaining consciousness just as they fled the store and drove off in a black Chevrolet.

## Notice

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