

Mystery Still Shrouds Story Of Photographer Lost On Crater Lake Trip

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With the help of many of Klamath Falls' older residents, the story of the missing photographer is at last complete.

The search for facts in this case had its beginning last Saturday when a Mr. Norris Goode stopped in at The Herald and News office on his way north. Goode explained he had lived here for a time about 36 years ago. He had left on rather short notice and had not returned. This was his first visit in the West since 1911. One thing had perplexed him for all of those years and that was . . . what had hap-

Lilies Bloom At Brookings

BROOKINGS, Ore.—It is Easter lily blossom time in this Southern Oregon coastal area, and the welcome sign is out for all visitors, particularly during the week of June 30-July 5, which has been designated as Lily Blossom Week by the Croft Lily association. During this week visitors will be welcomed by the growers, who will show them over their fields, and blossoms will be given away to all comers.

The celebration will be highlighted on July 4 by a parade of beautiful floral floats and the dedication of the Sidney Croft memorial. This memorial is being established to honor Sidney Croft, who developed the Croft Easter lily which has put the national spotlight on this area. The memorial is being placed near the center of the area, on highway 101, and will be surrounded by many acres of lilies.

Summer is the normal blooming time for the Easter lily. The bulbs are harvested in the fall and then go to florists all over the country who force them to bloom at Easter time the next spring. Prior to the war, Easter lily bulbs were all imported, mainly from Japan, but the industry is now almost entirely domestic.

Goose Lake To Make Pres To Logs

ALTURAS, July 1—The Goose Lake Box company has received a carload of machinery for the making of Pres-to-Logs. The logs will be made from saw shavings and other waste material.

When in operation it will be used 24 hours a day, six days a week and will produce 9000 tons of firelogs per year. The machines will produce four logs per minute, four inches in diameter by 12 1/2 inches long. Each log will weigh eight pounds.

This new operation will employ approximately 50 men.

Alturas Forms Roping Club

ALTURAS, July 1—The Alturas Roping club, with over 60 members, has been formed and from the interest shown bids well to double its membership shortly.

Members will practice roping, bronc riding and bareback riding each Sunday at the rodeo grounds. Stock for the practice sessions have been donated by local ranchers. Bob Dorris is president.

POPULATION UP

ALTURAS, July 1—A prediction that Modoc county will have a population of 60,000 by 1960 was made in a report to Governor Earl Warren by Dr. Wilton L. Halverson, director of the state department of health.

The estimated population in 1946 was 15,259, as compared to 8713 in 1940, as enumerated by the federal census.

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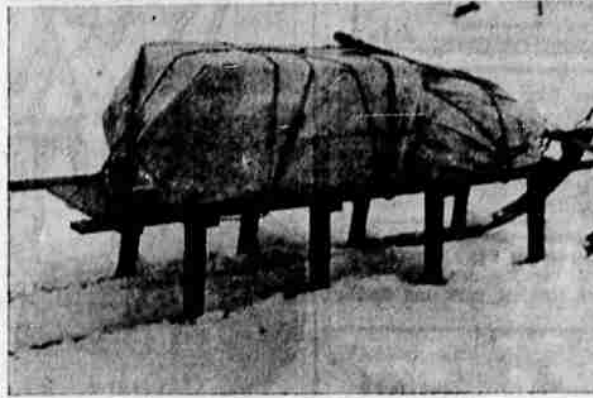


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Mystery Photographer Leaving City



Above is a portrait taken by B. B. Bakowski of B. B. Bakowski. This is the man whose identity has caused somewhat of a furor at The Herald and News offices. His disappearance 36 years ago still holds a few mysteries.



B. B. Bakowski, photographer who disappeared while taking pictures of Crater Lake in the winter of 1910-11 is shown setting out on his journey to the lake. He never returned.

Flashes Of Life

HOUSING PROBLEM SOLVED
PEARL RIVER, N. Y., July 1 (AP)—Chief Fred Kennedy of the Orange-town police recently put up a scarecrow to keep birds out of his strawberry patch.

Yesterday he found that wrens had nested in a pocket of the scarecrow's jacket.

MAN IN WHITE
NEW YORK, July 1 (AP)—Forty-eight years ago, Charles E. Orendonk stepped aboard a New York Central railroad train and began shoveling coal into the engine. He was wearing a crisply laundered white shirt and white collar.

Yesterday, he ended his railroad career at the age of 88, still wearing a white shirt and collar. His fellow workers said he was the only railroad worker they knew who worked as fireman, steam engineer and electric engineer and reported to work each day in a clean white shirt.

FISH STORY
NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 1 (AP)—State Rep. Irving Horowitz buys his fish bait in fruit stores.

A year ago he jokingly told a nephew to put a chunk of orange peel on his hook. The nephew did and caught two fish.

Horowitz says he now carries half

a dozen oranges for refreshment and bait when he goes fishing, and rarely comes home empty handed.

Among the Moors, midnight is the customary hour for a wedding.

The Mongolian plains have 500 times as many camels as the Sahara rarely comes home empty handed.

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AGENT DIES
SPOKANE, July 1 (AP)—Harley McClure Adkins, general agent for the Union Pacific railroad in Spokane since 1939, died Saturday of coronary thrombosis. He previously had worked for the line in Yakima, Heppner, Ore., Portland and Aberdeen. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Eleanor Ruth Nogle, Tacoma, and a brother, J. Albert Adkins, Cottage Grove, Ore.

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