



HEART OF KLAMATH—Herald and News Photographer Wes Guderian was up in a plane the other day and caught this excellent view of the Klamath Falls business district from Third street northeast, showing the Hot Springs residential area in the distance.

Africans OK Paratroops

LEOPOLDVILLE, Belgian Congo (AP)—Thousands of residents including anxious relatives of a dozen soldiers assembled recently in the colony to see the first locally recruited paratroopers jump from a plane. Hitherto local residents had considered this mysterious power reserved for white use. When the grinning black faces of the troops silhouetted against the white parachutes neared the ground, the watchers went almost hoarse shouting encouragement. When the troops finally landed they were carried back in triumph to the town.

Pie-Throwing Back In Movies

LONDON (AP)—Movie Producer Arthur Dent thinks audiences still will laugh at somebody getting slapped in the face with a pie, just as they did back in the twenties. He has made free use of the old gag in his new film comedy, "Skinny in the Navy."

Hairless Calf To Have Sweater

HAR MILLS, Me. (AP)—Hairless Alice is just that kind of a pure-blooded Hereford heifer. Where there should be white hair, Alice's hide is pink; where brown should grow, it is tan.

PAY-OFF
GELSENKIRCHEN, Germany (AP)—A glassware factory here has promised a bonus of \$15 to each of its employees who marries another member of the firm's staff.

US Students To Give Ibsen

OSLO (AP)—Twenty-four American colored students will perform plays by Ibsen on Norwegian stages next fall. An invitation from the Norwegian government was issued through the Norwegian embassy in Washington.

Theatrical circles in Sweden and Denmark have also shown interest in the project, the Oslo "Daily Aftenposten" said. Norwegian cultural attaché Erling Christophersen got the idea when seeing students and faculty members of Howard university in Washington, D.C. perform "The Wild Duck."

Headed by Dr. Anne Cooke, professor of dramatic art at Howard, the group expects receipts to cover expenses in Norway, and travelling expenses are taken care of partly by the Norwegian government, partly by private gifts.

BOOK PUBLISHED
MOSCOW (AP)—Howard Fast's book, "The Road to Freedom" has been published here in Russian. Reviewing it "Culture and Life" said it, "has the force of an indictment of the whole social and political structure of contemporary America."

Washington Polio Cases Reported

SEATTLE, Aug. 10 (AP)—Twenty-four new cases of infantile paralysis were reported in the state last week, the state health department said Tuesday, compared to 16 the previous week.

The department listed eight new cases in King county, including four in Seattle. Seven reported in Snohomish county—one in Everett and the others in rural areas.

Other cases reported last week were: Asotin, one; Clark, two; Lewis, one; Yakima, one; Stevens, one; Pend O'Reille, one; and Pierce, two. The new cases brought Washington's total for this year to 144.

WHEE!
CROWN POINT, Ind. (AP)—Every night is July 4 here. Citizens have been shooting sky rockets, Roman candles, firecrackers and guns, trying to chase chattering flocks of starlings out of trees. The result: none.

Duke Studies Turn Up Some Proof Parents May Be Able To Choose Sex Of Offspring

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE
Associated Press Science Editor
DURHAM, N. C., Aug. 10 (AP)—Scientific evidence that parents may be able to choose between having a boy or a girl baby has been found in the Duke university department of surgery.

The choice has nothing to do with surgery, and it is not certain, but in the Duke studies the percentage is slightly over 55 in favor of having the sex you want.

A difficult part is for a woman to know for sure her fertile period, which is a matter of two or three days only, once a month.

In the Duke studies, conceptions in the early part of fertile period favor female birth. Conceptions late in the period seem to show a preponderance of males.

The Duke studies were made by Doctors Beryl Hart and James D. Moody, and are reported in the Annals of Surgery, a Philadelphia medical publication.

The idea comes from a number of facts collected by medical scientists in the last decade. One is the surprising results of 9489 artificial inseminations. The usual ratio in human sex is 105 males to 100 females. But in these inseminations there were 5676 males. This, says the Annals article, is a 48 per cent increase in males over the theoretically expected number. In artificial insemination, fairly exact knowledge of the fertile period is essential. Whether this series might have been due to luck, Drs. Hart and Moody do not say. They cite it as a possible result of timing. The series was reported by Doctors Francis F. Seymour and Alfred Koerner in the Journal of the American Medical Association.

The Duke evidence is both animal and human. Rats were bred with the timing carefully regulated. It is easier to know a rat's fertile period. The normal ratio of male rats was increased by late insemination by percentages varying from 140 to 255. At the most, more than twice as many males as females were born.

The human studies were made on 65,000 pairs of dizygotic twins, which means twins from separate ovum. These twins can be either two girls, two boys or a boy and a girl. Under the usual sex ratios of human beings, there would be about as many boys as girls among these twins.

But the normal ratio didn't work. In 59 per cent of these twinnings, both babies were the same sex. This seems to bear out the idea that

more early conceptions are female, and more late are male.

"We plan," says the report, "to undertake similar experiments on other laboratory animals, and particularly cattle."

"We also feel that the time has arrived to apply to humans, in selected cases, the information so far obtained. Preparations for this are already under way."

The Duke doctors say there are several possible explanations. They make the guess that the reason is in the male sperm. And it also is known that one type fertilizing an ovum will result in a boy baby,

while the other type produces a girl. On this basis alone the division between boys and girls should be about fifty-fifty, which is the fact. The Duke doctors say it is easiest to attribute the apparent time difference in sex to differences in the ability of the two kinds of sperm to move rapidly, differences in their lengths of life and differences in their aggressiveness.

Women Envoys Go To Soviet Areas

MOSCOW (AP)—Women in recent years have been playing an important role in Moscow's foreign diplomatic life. First of the women ambassadors to the USSR was Madame Pandit, now Indian Ambassador in Washington.

She was followed by Golda Meyerson, first Israeli minister to the Soviet Union. Then came the young and pretty Ida Ganchev de Benavides, as charge d'affaires, for Venezuela. Latest of the women diplomats to Moscow is S. D. Blagayeva, new Bulgarian Ambassador.

Youth Brigades Aid In Warsaw

WARSAW, Poland (AP)—Youth brigades from Czechoslovakia, Bulgaria, Hungary, France, Austria, Norway and Sweden are working in Warsaw this summer. They are helping to clear away rubble to provide sites for new homes and buildings.

It Pays to Use the Want Ads!

Anita Palmer
Announces Purchase of
St. Francis Beauty Shop
4526 S. 6th Ph. 7407
Open Wed., Aug. 10, under the new management.
Competitive Prices!

Glidden Paints

Everywhere on Everything

TIME-TESTED

PRICES DROP!

FEW EXAMPLES

- ★ 1st Grade Exterior **550**
- ★ House Paint Reg. 6.40 **550**
- ★ Everon House Paint Reg. 4.75 **424**
- ★ Portland Cement **450**
- ★ Stucco and Concrete Paint **450**
- ★ Pure Botted Linsed Oil Reg. 3.50 **296**

Roper & Roper Paint Store

Esquire Theatre Bldg. "We Give 5 & H Green Stamps" Phone 9278

From Klamath's Finest Dairies..... come Crater Lake's Fine Milk!



Mr. Rex High, operating his fine, modern dairy on the banks of Lost River, is shown here with Mrs. High in conference with grandson, Terry Eugene. Terry's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor High, listen in. Small fry may not wear overalls yet, but just the same... has much to do with what goes on around the place.

Mr. Rex High, long active in public work, is Deputy State Grange Master in Klamath County; operates four ranches.



KLAMATH FALLS CREAMERY

HOME OF...
CRATER LAKE
DAIRY PRODUCTS



Edmund Nenz,
Dairy Mgr.

Come in and see FRIGIDAIRE'S SUPER VALUE SPECIAL!

FULL-SIZED, FULLY AUTOMATIC
with Cook-Master Oven Clock Control

NOW ONLY **\$23** DOWN
\$9.80 A MONTH
CASH PRICE **\$229.75**

Model RK-20 with Cook-Master

NOW—a completely automatic Frigidaire Electric Range at a sensational low price! Has all the basic features that have made Frigidaire Electric Ranges famous for corefree cooking, better, easier meals.

Look What You Get!

The amazing Cook-Master Oven Clock Control! It actually cooks meals while you're away. Turns oven on, cooks meal, turns oven off—all automatically.

Simpli-Matic Oven Control. Preheats oven in 5½ minutes, then automatically maintains heat at desired roasting or baking temperature.

Full-sized, Twin-Unit Even-Heat Oven that easily roasts a 25 lb. turkey—or bakes 4 big pies.

Frigidaire's exclusive Radiantube Cooking Units... fast, clean, economical heat on any one of 5 speeds—from simmer to high.

- Oven Signal Light and Interior Light • Signal Light for surface units
- Thermizer Deep Well Cooker • High Speed, Smokeless-type Broiler • Full-width Storage Drawer
- Roomy Upper Storage Drawer • Porcelain-inside and out—with acid-resisting porcelain cooking top • Appliance outlet • Cooking Top Lamp • Welded, all-steel chassis • Fibrous glass insulation.

See All These Features Demonstrated Today!

VERN OWENS' Cascade Home Furnishings Co.
124 No. 4th, Klamath Falls 601 First St. No., Lakeview