

KF WIFE KILLED, HUSBAND JAILED

Clouds Hide Fishwheel Strike Area

By FRANK JENKINS
DO you ever read the market reports in this newspaper?

If not, you're missing something. There is a lot of human nature there. Human nature has a lot to do with what happens from day to day.

FOR example:
In Chicago stockyards this morning a carload of prime steers sold for \$41.80 PER HUNDRED POUNDS. That's 41¢ per pound, on the hoof — INCLUDING THE HOOF, which nobody is going to eat.

Pretty high, eh? I'll say it's high. It's only 10¢ per hundred under the ALL TIME HIGH BEEF PRICE, which was paid last year before the boom went over the hill.

HOW come, you ask?
Well, it's like this: Those steers (only ONE carload of them) weren't just common eating beef. They were the cream of the crop. They had been pampered in every way that a cow-brute on feed can be pampered.

The feeder of them wasn't aiming at just eating beef. He wasn't interested in common things like that. He was shooting for big, thick steaks, tender enough to be cut with a fork, with just the right amount of fat wrapped around them to give the flavor demanded by an epicure. That and standing rib roasts.

He wasn't much concerned about the rest of the carcass.

WHO buys such millionaire meat? You know who buys it, and where—and why. We ALL do it, from time to time. When we buy that kind of food, we are doing it for a splurge, or we're doing it to put on a show. In the case of a splurge, we tell ourselves we're entitled to a binge now and then and in the case of a show we're probably entertaining somebody—in which event the thing to do is to order the highest priced item on the menu with the idea of proving to your guests that the best is none too good when you're asking them to put on the nosebag with you.

That is how—and where, and why—such meat is sold. It is sold at specialty places, for special purposes, and these places come into the market and bid for the best that is to be had—with price no object.

IN this same market, where ONE carload of steers brought a fantastic price for splurge and show purposes, utility grades of beef animals sold for \$18.90 per hundred. These utility grades are good enough for all the common business of everyday eating. "Canner" cows sold for a top of \$18.90. If health and strength are all you are eating for, you can make a mighty good stew out of canner cow meat. It will provide as much nourishment as the fanciest steak.

So don't look at this sale of ONE carload of top-bracket, hobnob steers and how about the cost of living and what it is doing in these days when costs are supposed to be slipping off. That kind of stuff never was cheap and never will be. Its price is set by what the traffic will bear—and that kind of splurge-and-show traffic will bear a lot.

A LONG time ago somebody said wisely and philosophically: "It isn't the high cost of living that hurts so much as the COST OF HURT LIVING."
That is still true.

Climber Falls On Mt. Hood; May Be Dead

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 29 (AP)—A mountain climber plunged 1500 feet down a precipitous slope on Mount Hood early today and a companion said he was unconscious or dead on a glacier.

A party of three Portland climbers was within 300 feet of the summit ridge on the 11,240-foot peak when Den Welk lost his footing in an icy chute and fell.

Bob Buscho, who was with Welk and his sister, Alice Welk, reported the accident at Timberline lodge this morning. Lodge Manager Jim Caswell said he gave this account: The three started up the mountain from the lodge at 11:30 a. m., climbing the south side which is the most popular route and frequently used at this time of year.

Slipped
While nearing the top of a rocky, ice-covered chute—a narrow, deep "V"—Welk slipped. He slid swiftly down the chute and out onto the head of a glacier an estimated 1500 feet below.

Buscho said he climbed down to Welk, found him unconscious but could not say definitely that he was dead. He went to the lodge for help while Miss Welk remained at the scene.

Salem Police Deny Setting Racial Bars

SALEM, Oct. 29 (AP)—The case of a Negro, who charged he was ordered out of town by a Salem policeman, was settled today, as far as the police department was concerned.

Police officials promised at a hearing yesterday that Negroes could come here whenever they wished. Assistant Police Chief E. C. Charlton said the police department "has no feeling of race prejudice."

Alderman James, who brought the complaint on behalf of his Negro employee, said they were satisfied that the case should be closed.

Two Versions
The principals in the controversy disagreed about what actually happened. Ward Jackson Sr., 51-year-old Portland Negro, said in a sworn affidavit that he was awaiting his farm wages when a patrolman approached.

"He ordered us to move out toward the curb," Jackson said in the statement filed with the state fair employment practices advisory commission. "We all started to move, then the officer beckoned to me."

"He said, 'What's your business here?' I explained. He said 'When you get your check you be—sure you catch the first bus out of here because I don't want you hanging around.'"

Denial
A Salem policeman who was on duty at the point in question denied that.

Officer Arch Wilson said he merely asked a group of people "not to congregate so as to block traffic."

Authorities Report Gains In Cancer Control Battle

NEW YORK, Oct. 29 (AP)—Some of America's leading medical authorities now see hope in the future for complete control of cancer.

Dr. Alton Ochsner of New Orleans, elected president of the American Cancer society here yesterday, said new discoveries indicate that eventually even advanced cancer can be controlled.

New developments in hormones and chemotherapy—the treatments of disease by chemicals—show great promise, he said.

His hopeful opinion was backed by Dr. Cornelius P. Rhoads, director of the Memorial Cancer center here, who said that five years of research suggest that chemicals may be the cancer solution.

All repeated, however, that these hopes are for the future and that there is yet no cancer "cure."

3 Children Die in Car Wreck Blaze

SPOKANE, Oct. 29 (AP)—Three small children were burned to death early today in a flaming traffic accident on the Panchar overpass.

State Patrolman William Todd said a logging truck and a private car collided but no other details were immediately available.

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GAYNOR HUCK is carried off the field on the shoulders of enthusiastic Klamath rooters after the gun had ended the 39 to 21 victory over Grants Pass. Huck's sparkling runs, three for touchdowns, were the highlights of the game. Below, Joe Demetrakos, fullback for the Pels, drives in for a vicious tackle on Vern Craft, halfback ace of the Cavenem and a constant threat throughout the game. (Details of game on sports page).

'Big Steel' Blasted By Morse

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29 (AP)—Senator Morse (R-Ore.) today blasted the big steel companies for failure to settle the industry-strangling steel strike.

With negotiations deadlocked in both steel walkout and the equally important coal strike—and the nation's industry showing the effects—Morse called on steel producers to grant the 10-cent welfare package proposed by President Truman's fact-finding board.

Share Policy
The major steel companies have expressed willingness to put a pension-insurance plan into effect, but only if the workers contribute to it.

Federal Mediation Chief Cyrus Ching, calling three more steel firms into peace talks starting in Washington Sunday or Monday, reported no "tangible evidence" of progress toward ending the strike.

Similar reports came from coal talks, as negotiators put off further discussions until Tuesday. Meanwhile, government reports showed output shrinking and layoffs rising in the industries which feed on coal and steel.

Blame
Morse, a member of the senate labor committee, told a reporter: "United States Steel corporation must be blamed with major responsibility for the economic damage being done to the country."

"The American people should tell Mr. Fairless (Benjamin F. Fairless, president of U. S. Steel) and other steel industry leaders to start placing the public interest before their own blind stubbornness."

The republican senator declared it "most regrettable that the steel companies do not put the fact-finding board's recommendations into effect."

Cost
The bureau of labor statistics reported that strikes cost the country 6,350,000 man-days of production in September. That included the coal miners' walkout, which started September 18, but not the steel stop, which began October 1. The total was greater than for any month since the spring of 1948.

Fans Sleepy But Happy After Game

It was a sleepy, fog-bound town this morning as hundreds of Klamath Pelican fans struggled out of bed after sacrificing a good night's sleep in exchange for a thrilling football game and a long trek home from Grants Pass where they cheered as sweet a team as Klamath has ever sent into competition.

Nation's Football Results

Bowdoin	19
Bates	0
Colby	13
Maine	12
Fordham	42
Georgetown	0
Michigan State	62
Temple	14
Harvard	22
Holy Cross	14
Dartmouth	34
Yale	13
Penn State	33
Syracuse	21
Notre Dame	40
Navy	0
Pitt	22
Penn	21
Ohio State	24
Northwestern	7
Army	40
VMI	14
Tennessee	35
North Carolina	6
Princeton	34
Rutgers	14
Cornell	54
Columbia	0
Alabama	14
Georgia	7
Maryland	44
So. Carolina	7
Purdue	13
Minnesota	7
Michigan	13
Illinois	6

Car Wreck Fatal; Man Fights Cop

Klamath county's fourth fatal accident in a week last night took the life of Mrs. Maude M. Linster, 50, 4336 Winter avenue, and her husband is held in the county jail on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

Three other persons were slightly injured. The fatality brought the county's 1949 death toll attributable to automobiles to 14.

Probe
State police investigated the accident shortly after 11 p. m. at Summers lane and Winters. Henry August Linster, 49-year-old plasterer, was driving a 1938 pickup south on Summers lane and attempted a left turn onto Winters, but drove his vehicle into the path of an oncoming sedan operated by an Oregon Tech student, Clayton Elmer McCormick, 24.

The truck and car met head-on, state police said. Mrs. Linster received a fractured skull, a severe cut on her head and many other injuries and was pronounced dead on arrival at Klamath Valley hospital, and moved to 1949 Auto Ward's. Her husband Fatality was uninjured.

McCormick received a lacerated hand and a cut on his head which needed eight stitches to close; Kattie Juanita Clark, 5330 Summers lane, received a cut on her forehead and a dislocated thumb; and Patricia Lenihan, 703 Victory drive, received facial injuries. All three were brought to Klamath Valley hospital by Kaler's ambulance, treated and dismissed.

Miss Clark and Miss Lenihan were passengers in McCormick's car.

Trouble
At the accident scene a state police officer said he had considerable trouble with Linster, finally having to force him down and strap him to a stretcher to bring him to town. The officer said Linster was intoxicated and also placed a disorderly conduct charge against him. Linster was brought to Klamath Valley hospital for examination and then taken to the county jail.

Just at noon today Linster pleaded guilty to both charges against him in justice court and was fined \$154.50 on the drunk driving charge and \$25 for disorderly conduct.

Possible Felony
The district attorney's office is to make an investigation into the accident Monday toward a possible felony charge against Linster. District Attorney D. E. Van Vactor was involved in circuit court today and was unable to begin the probe immediately.

Truman Signs Big Military Funds Bill

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29 (AP)—President Truman signed the largest military appropriation in peacetime history today but impounded \$615,000,000 (M) it carries to build the air force up to 58 groups.

The measure carries a total of \$15,585,863,498 (B) for operation of the army, navy, air corps and marines.

In a statement the president said that congress' action in increasing funds for the air force above his budget recommendations "could have a serious effect on our ability to maintain balanced military forces in subsequent years."

Chinese Reds Arrest U.S. Counsel, Aides

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29 (AP)—The state department today received word direct from Mukden that Chinese communist authorities have arrested Consul General Angus Ward and four members of his staff.

The arrest was in connection with an alleged assault on a former Chinese employe of the consulate.

The message was sent from Mukden October 24. It said the arrest occurred two or three days before that—or about a week ago.

The only information on the affair previously available at the department was from communist press reports that the Americans were charged with beating up a Chinese employe October 10.



Meet the People
ANOTHER member of the popular Mid-morning Coffee club is Dick Reeder, Main street merchant, shown here in pleasant anticipation of a brimming cup.

'Der Bingle' Talks Turkey To Commies

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 29 (AP)—Capitalist Crooners Bing Crosby and Frank Sinatra have fired a broadside of eggs back at the Czech communist critic who belittled their style of singing.

Crosby, denounced by a Prague official as "a greedy American money-seeker who sacrifices his art for gold," replied yesterday: "I'll be glad to play Loew's Prague any time. And I'll split with that commentator 80-20—he's on the short end, of course. Where can I get a flak suit?"

Sinatra, who the Czech spokesman said was a "much better" singer, defended his fellow crooner. "Anybody who says Bing's singing makes them sick has got politics in the ear."

He offered to have the head of his Prague fan club look into the matter.

Crash Victims Identified

PONTA DELGADA, Sao Miguel, The Azores, Oct. 29 (AP)—Rescue workers today began identifying the burned and broken bodies of 48 victims killed in the crash of an Air France Constellation.

Hunters Bag 31 Geese; Fined \$1063

Three Arcata, Calif., men who found goose hunting good in the Tullake country yesterday, were fined a total of \$1063.50 in justice court here this morning.

They had 31 geese, 21 of them illegal, when arrested at the Wild Goose auto camp in Merrill.

The guilty men were: Antonio Francis Borges, 28; Raymond Phillip Gildardi, 37, and Elmer Jacob Sundstrom, 37. They pleaded guilty to illegal possession of geese over the limit. A 90-day county jail sentence for each was suspended and Justice of the Peace J. A. Mahoney confiscated the birds as well as their California hunting licenses.

State police and a federal officer arrested the Californians, who had been hunting in California but were staying at Merrill, and found the birds in their cabin. Sundstrom, a commercial fisherman, posted \$1500 bail for the party last night.

Their fines today amounted to \$350 and \$4.50 court costs each.

Road Blocks Set For Rustlers

MONTESANO, Wash., Oct. 29 (AP)—Road blocks to halt cattle rustling went into effect at strategic points this week, Sheriff Mike Kilgore said today.

It was the first large-scale attempt to choke off the transportation of stolen beef from rural areas to harbor and Puget Sound population centers.



Gayle Bachman
... Queen for a day

Homecoming Queen Named At Oretech

OTT—Gayle Bachman, wife of OTI student Richard Bachman, was elected queen of the homecoming festival to be held Nov. 11. One of five finalists, she received the honor Friday afternoon after being elected at a student body meeting, especially called for that purpose.

The four remaining candidates, Pat Wahl, Iris Crandell, Jean Rummelhart and Pat Boleyn, will be princesses. Barbara Knodell, chairman of the activities committee, has arranged a shopping tour for the queen and her court.

Mrs. Bachman attended Carlton Union high school in Carlton, Ore.

SEWAGE SUIT

PORTLAND, Oct. 29 (AP)—A test case on sewage pollution of Columbia slough will open in circuit court here November 7. The East St. Johns Shingle company and the Portland Shingle company seek \$140,000 from the city of Portland, contending that city sewage coats their cedar logs and causes loss of timber.