

# TWO DIE IN ACCIDENTS HERE

## In The Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS  
On this morning of Armistice Day 1952, I'd like to direct the attention of the few oldsters who can remember that far back to the morning of Armistice Day 1918.

It was perhaps the most joyous day since the world began. WORLD WAR I HAD JUST ENDED. No longer did Death stalk the dark forests and the muddy, bloody trenches of Western Europe. In EVERYONE'S mind these thoughts were uppermost: THE MEN IN UNIFORM WHO ARE STILL ALIVE ON THIS BLESSED DAY CAN STAY ALIVE. The women and the children and the old men who are at home can answer the doorbell or the telephone without the agonizing heart-stopping fear that THIS IS IT—this is the message that ends the world for us.

The war is OVER! NEVER will there be war again. The whole Western world exploded with joy. People were delirious with it. Nothing was too crazy to do. The crazier the better. The war was over. The world has learned its lesson. Never will there be war again.

So much for 1918. Let's return now to 1952. An Armistice Day dispatch from Korea this morning says: "In many ways, Flanders Field and the river of Northern France are not as far away as they seem. Here again (in Korea) are the trenches, the barbed wire, the riven trees, the mud and the rain, the scarred slopes, the battered hills and the Rendezvous with Death."

Why is there still war? Well, SOMEHOW mankind has failed to get LEADERSHIP of the world.

As the only answer I can think of that seems to fit the situation. In the news this morning the wild and grisly story of the Katyn Forest comes back to life. It was in the Katyn Forest (along midway in World War II) that the bodies of some 5,000 or more Polish officers were found in one great grave. The first stories hinted strongly that these Poles had been slain BY THE RUSSIANS. But it would never do for us to be allowed to believe that. The Russians were then our allies. So, in one way and another the story was twisted around so that we were made to believe it was the wicked Nazis who had done this mass murder. The Nazis were our enemies, so it was all right for us to regard them as fiends in human shape.

Well— It now finally appears that it WAS the Russians after all who committed these mass murders in Poland. The Poles who were slain were the kind of Poles who never could have been converted to communism. So they were purged.

Why is it bad that this deed was so camouflaged with propaganda that we came to believe it was done by the Nazis and not the Russians?

It is like this: If we had KNOWN THE TRUTH, it would have aroused our suspicions as to the true nature of communist Russia. If we had known the true nature of communist Russia, we wouldn't have disbanded our mighty military force in 1945, for it would have been clear to ALL of us that these communist rulers of Russia were not fit to be trusted. If we had stayed strong in 1945, we wouldn't be in the terrible fix we're now in. If our leaders had told us the truth then, we wouldn't have permitted ourselves to become WEAK.

Another prayer — for Armistice Day. Dear Lord, give us leaders in the critical years that lie ahead who will TELL US THE TRUTH instead of feeding us with propaganda. If we are given the TRUTH, we can guide ourselves intelligently in the years that face us.

## Boy Wounded In Hunting Accident

A 17-year-old Medford boy, Dennis Faulkner, was shot in the leg in a hunting accident this morning, and was taken to Klamath Valley Hospital for treatment. He wasn't considered seriously hurt. He is the son of F. R. Faulkner of Medford.

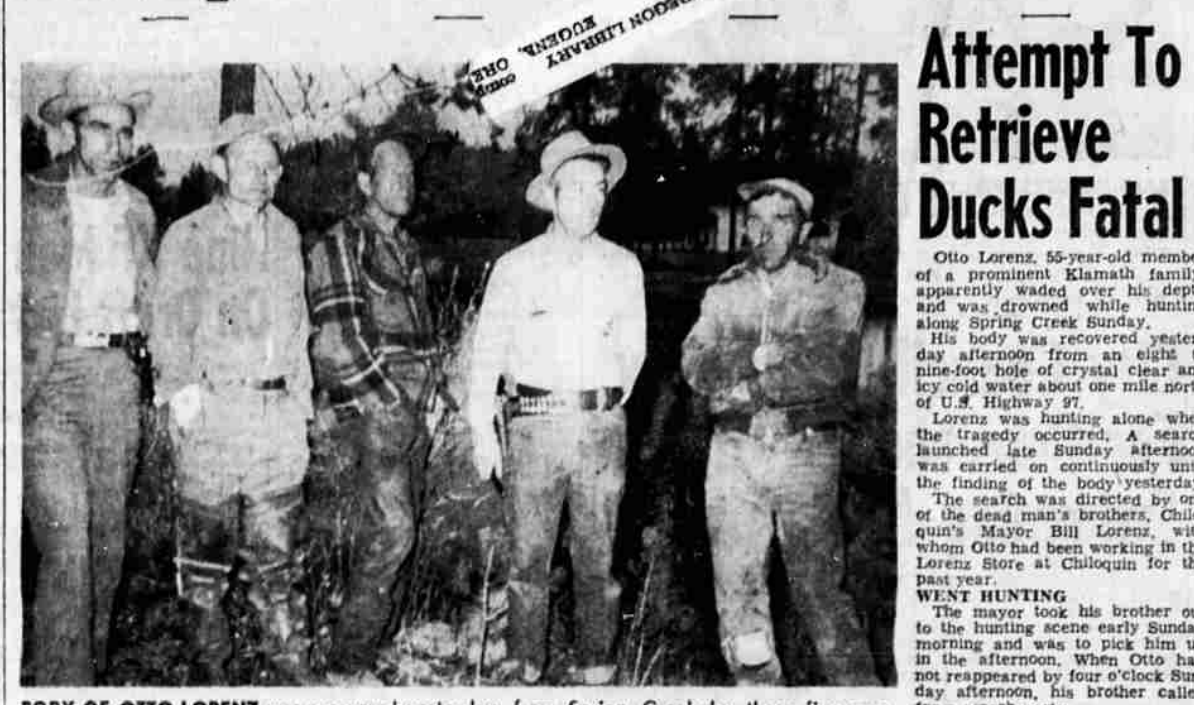
## Huge Pageant At Modoc Field Will Usher In Christmas Season For KF

Klamath youngsters and adults alike are to be treated to something brand new in the way of Christmas Season programs Nov. 28 when Santa Claus comes to Klamath Falls by air—by helicopter. This year's program tops a series of annual projects provided by the Klamath Merchants' Association and cooperating agencies during recent years, and this time an attempt has been made to eliminate all commercial aspects and yet give the community an outstanding program. Modoc Field is to be the site of the first big modern Christmas pageant to be put on here. "Christmas is For Giving". It is partly the story of "Why the Chimney Rang", an old Christmas story to be given new life in the presentation. The pageant has been written by Mrs. Florence Pfeike, a teacher at Riverside School. Elaborate sets and extravagant costuming arrangements are being made now, and a stage set is planned on the field measuring 90 feet in length.

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## Body of Hunter Found



BODY OF OTTO LORENZ was recovered yesterday from Spring Creek by these five men (l to r): Walter Wentz, A. M. Cadina, Ray Hobbs, Indian Officer Don Campagna and F. A. Ohles. Two other men, Sandy Miller and James Chipman, mayor-elect of Chiloquin, discovered the body.

OTTO LORENZ, 55-year-old member of a prominent Klamath family, apparently waded over his depth the creek and was drowned while hunting along Spring Creek Sunday. His body was recovered yesterday afternoon from an eight to nine-foot hole of crystal clear and icy cold water about one mile north of U. S. Highway 97. Lorenz was hunting alone when the tragedy occurred. A search launched late Sunday afternoon was carried on continuously until the finding of the body yesterday. The search was directed by one of the dead man's brothers, Chiloquin's Mayor Bill Lorenz, with whom Otto had been working in the Lorenz store at Chiloquin for the past year.

## Hillah Temple To Hold Annual Winter Ceremonial Here Saturday; Crowd Of Thousand Or More Seen For Big Show

About a thousand out-of-town and out-of-state visitors are expected in Klamath Falls Saturday for the annual winter ceremonial of Hillah Temple of the Shrine. Between the presence of a good many visiting hunters here for waterfowl shooting and the Shrine, practically every hotel and motel room in town has been tied up by reservation.

## Storms Hit Oregon Area

PORTLAND (AP) — A mild storm brought moderately heavy rainfall to most of Oregon Tuesday, with only a few scattered points east of the Cascades remaining dry. The Weather Bureau issued a storm warning for the Oregon-Washington coast, calling for southwesterly winds of 30 to 40 miles per hour off the coast Tuesday, diminishing Tuesday night and becoming southerly 25 to 35 miles per hour Wednesday.

## Forgery Trial Nearing End

The Circuit Court trial of Emmett Carl Alexander, 36, of Merrill, on a charge of forgery, probably will be concluded tomorrow. The trial started yesterday and was recessed for the Armistice Day holiday.

## Wife Helps, Puts Squeeze On Fish

SPOKANE (AP) — Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gill came up with one of the season's better fish tales Tuesday and came home with the fish to prove it. It seems that Carl hooked a big Kamloops trout in Lake Pend Oreille, Idaho last Saturday and pulled out a fool. The next time the fish got into position, Mrs. Gill leaned over and with one swipe grabbed the 25-pound trout by a front fin and pulled it aboard — all with a pair of pliers.

## Snow Closes Two Crater Entrances

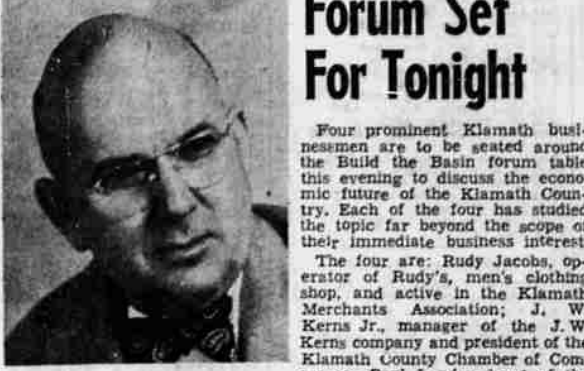
The north and east entrances to Crater Lake National Park and the rim drive have been closed by snow, park rangers report. There was a heavy fall yesterday. The closure so far is considered temporary but may be made permanent. It was the first heavy snowfall of the season to date. The next time the snow has fallen in previous days.

## Shooting Hours

NOVEMBER 12  
Open 6:23 a.m.  
Close 3:49 p.m.



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## Forum Set For Tonight

Four prominent Klamath businessmen are to be seated around the Build the Basin forum table this evening to discuss the economic future of the Klamath County. Each of the four has studied the topic beyond the scope of their immediate business interest.

## Bloodmobile Schedule Told

A reverse order on the distribution of Red Cross blood is announced this week by Virginia Dixon, secretary of the Klamath County Chapter.

## Corman To Head Logging Group

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Clyde Corman of Longview, Wash., an executive of the Weyerhaeuser Timber Co., was elected president of the Pacific Logging Congress at opening sessions of the 43rd annual meeting Monday. Corman succeeds Waldron Hyatt of Samoa, Calif.

## Deserters

BERLIN (AP) — U. S. officials report 106 deserters from the East German people's police fled to the West last week. The total for the past two weeks was 196, highest ever for such a period.

## Community Chest

You can increase the "value" of a dollar by giving it to your Community Chest.



KLAMATH SADDLE CLUBBERS raised \$242 for the George Adler Memorial Iron Lung Fund with a silver tea Saturday afternoon at the Willard Hotel. The amount put the iron lung fund over the top, allowing enough even to pay the freight bill. Rancher Carl Layne, Crystal Springs, boosted the Saddle Club fund with a \$50 donation. Above (l to r) are Beth Chase, chairman of the tea committee, and Vi Ruge, Saddle Club president. They are shown a few minutes before turning over the \$242 to Alice Vitus, trustee of the iron lung fund.

## Auto Wreck Claims One; One Gassed

Two more persons have died as a result of highway mishaps, at opposite ends of Klamath County, bringing the county's traffic death toll to 24 for the year.

The dead are Buck E. Hamlin, 35, a well-known rodeo rider from Jerome, Ida., and Frank Forrer, 49, 189 Harrison Street, Ashland.

Hamlin was a victim of carbon monoxide poisoning after a car in which he was riding was mired down in loose cinders on the shoulder of a new stretch of US 97 four miles south of Crescent.

His brother, James L. Hamlin, of Drew, Ore. (Douglas County), was overcome by the fumes and was taken to St. Charles Hospital at Bend.

Deputy Coroner Clarence Ward was attempting today to learn the approximate time of Hamlin's death. The men were known to have been in Chemult late Sunday night, and to have stopped at Diamond Lake Junction after leaving Chemult.

Their car, a 1949 Ford sedan, was seen off the road early yesterday morning. However, it wasn't investigated until late yesterday afternoon when State Police were notified.

Buck Hamlin was dead in the back seat, and his brother was unconscious outside the car. The vehicle had become mired down in the loose cinders and the exhaust pipe was buried in the ground.

Apparently the men had tried to rock the car out of the cinders and succeeded only in miring it deeper. Then they sat in the vehicle with the motor running, filling the interior with the deadly monoxide fumes.

COLLAPSES James Hamlin, the deputy coroner surmised, evidently discovered what was happening, and got out of the car to try to get his brother out of the back seat, but collapsed alongside the back door.

Buck Hamlin is survived by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hamlin, Brookton, Okla., and two other brothers, L. E. Hamlin and Darrell Hamlin, believed to live at Lewistown, Ida.

Almost 9 o'clock last night a 1941 Buick sedan failed to make a curve on Oregon 66 a mile east of Ellingson's Mill, and crashed into a tree.

Forrer was sitting on the right side in the front seat and apparently took the wheel as the car was trapped inside the vehicle for a time and was pronounced dead on arrival at Klamath Valley Hospital.

Kaler's ambulance brought Forrer to his wife, Florence, 43, to the hospital, then took Forrer's body to Ward's Funeral Home.

Forrer had suffered a skull fracture, broken jaw and arm and leg breaks. His wife received a bad shoulder injury but was reported resting well today at the hospital.

State Police believe she may have been driving the car, but Mrs. Forrer said another man, whom they had met in a bar here, was the driver. They were heading toward Ashland. Their car was towed here by Jim and Art's wrecker.

SIX DIE Six other persons died in Oregon Tuesday as a result of traffic accidents, according to the Associated Press. They were: Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Jeffers of Astoria, fatally injured in a head-on collision near Vernonia Junction on the Sunset Highway. Mr. Jeffers, 73, was killed outright and his husband, aged 78, died a few hours later at a Hillsboro hospital.

Chester Lee Walker, 22, of Hood River died of injuries received Saturday in a motorcycle accident near Mosier.

Fred Oberg, 31, Forest Grove, was killed when his automobile collided with a freight truck on the Rowan loop of the Columbia River Highway, 10 miles west of the Dalles.

Ben Leonard Rierson, 58, Remonte, Ore., was found dead on Oregon 42 near Myrtle Point, believed the victim of a hit-run accident.

Margaret Eva Vice, 21, of Lead, S. D., was killed near Roseburg when an automobile in which she was a passenger overturned.

## Weather

FORECAST—Klamath Falls and vicinity and Northern California: Cloudy Tuesday, scattered showers. Snow flurries Wednesday. High both days 50, low tonight 30.

High temp yesterday 54  
Low last night 28  
Precip last 24 hrs. 0.1  
Since Oct. 1 1.4

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## Bureau Of Reclamation On Way To Opening Rogue Job

BOISE (AP) — Plans are about complete for a portion of an irrigation and power development in Oregon's Rogue River valley to generate 28,000 kilowatts of power. Harold T. Nelson, regional director of the Bureau of Reclamation said Tuesday.

"We have complete local agreement and the feasibility report is about ready to be reviewed by Oregon state officials and the Reclamation Bureau in Washington," he said.

After that, he said, it will be submitted to interested agencies and then to Congress for action. No estimate of the cost has been made as yet, he said.

The plan for the Talent division, as outlined by Nelson, calls for construction of a new reservoir at Howard Prairie of 61,500 acre feet capacity, and enlargement of the Emigrant Reservoir from 15,000 to 45,000 acre feet.

As the water drops 1,900 feet from Howard Prairie and an existing reservoir at Hyatt Prairie to Emigrant Reservoir, it would be diverted through a 10,000 kilowatt power plant at Green Springs.

Nelson said that development of the 2,510 acres would be deferred to furnish 9,000 acre feet of supplemental water to the Medford and Rogue River Valley Irrigation Districts. He said current plans are to show the feasibility of the project with the 2,510 acres of dry lands, and then show that feasibility would not be jeopardized during the interim period while the 9,000 feet are sold as supplemental water.