Soldier Describes Chinese 'Health Operation' Torture

TACOMA, Wash. (AP) — A Ft. Lewis soldier who says he and 22 other American soldiers were subjected to "health operations" by the Chinese has been freed of charges he collaborated with the Communists while a prisoner of war in Korea.

The charges against Sgt. Alan B. Robertson were dismissed Wednesday by order of Brig. Gen. Paul L. Freeman Jr., post commander, the Ft. Lewis public relations office admitted after Robertson had announced the action.

The dismissal still is subject to review by Sixth Army headquarters in San Francisco.

Robertson told of weird operations by the Chinese in which "pickled lungs and livers from chickens and goat eyes and pig hearts were placed in incisions in our sides and then sewed up."

He said the Chinese claimed the operation "was a cure-all that had been proved in Russia."

The 30-year-old soldier from Phoenix, Ariz., said the inch and a half incision festered and the foreign matter came out. This, he said, was the only thing he would call torture during his 34 months in prison camps except for the "usual beatings and lack of food and clothing."

He said the operations occurred about eight months after he was captured near the Yalu River during the big Communist break through of late 1950.

"I dropped from 200 to 100 pounds by the time they operated on me and by that time I didn't give a damn."

One man, Robertson related, "refused to be operated upon and they sent him back to the compound. He got no medical aid from then on."

Robertson admitted he had signed a peace petition while a prisoner, and explained:

"The sick and dying were raised up by the Chinese and a pen put in their hand and they signed. Every man Jack of us signed."

He said he had been confident he would be exonerated because he knew "the Army's method of justice. You know you are innocent but it makes you sweat. I have a wife and six children to think of."

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6:05 Our Miss Brooks
6:30 Two For The Money
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7:05 Gene Autry
7:30 News
7:35 Gunsmoke
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8:05 Mitch Miller Show
9:05 Edgar Bergen
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KFLW—CBS & ABC, 1450 KC

Sunday, Oct. 16

8:00 Hymn History
8:15 Church of Christ
8:30 Salt Lake City Tabernacle CBS
9:00 Voice of Prophecy ABC
9:30 Invitation to Learning CBS
9:55 Music
10:00 Weekend News ABC
10:05 Negro College Choir ABC
10:30 Weekend News ABC
10:35 Pilgrimage ABC
11:00 It's Time ABC
11:05 Romance in Music ABC
11:30 First Presbyterian Church
12:00 World Music Festival
1:00 Woolworth Hour CBS
2:00 News CBS
2:05 On A Sunday Afternoon CBS
2:30 Greatest Story Ever Told ABC
3:00 Hour of Decision ABC
3:30 Theater of Hits
3:45 Phil Norman CBS
4:00 Old Fashioned Revival Hour ABC
5:00 Hollywood Music Hall CBS
5:30 CBS Newsroom
6:00 Vignette CBS
6:05 Our Miss Brooks CBS
6:30 Two for the Money CBS
7:00 News CBS
7:05 Gene Autry CBS
7:30 News
7:35 Gunsmoke
8:00 Sunday News Feature CBS
8:05 Mitch Miller Show CBS
8:55 News CBS
9:00 Music
9:05 Edgar Bergen CBS
10:00 10 PM Edition News
10:15 Family Album
10:30 Revival Time
11:00 Sign Off News Summary
11:05 Sign Off

Monday, Oct. 17

6:00 Minute News Summary
6:01 America's Favorite Music
6:15 Minute News Summary
6:16 America's Favorite Music
6:30 Minute News Summary
6:31 America's Favorite Music
6:45 Minute News Summary
6:45 America's Favorite Music
7:00 News — Breakfast Edition
7:15 Dugan and Meet Show
7:30 Frank Goss CBS
7:45 Harry Babbitt CBS
8:00 Breakfast Club ABC
9:00 Blue Skies
9:15 Better Living
9:30 Helen Trent CBS
9:45 Our Gal Sunday CBS
10:00 Wendy Warren CBS
10:15 Ma Perkins CBS
10:30 Young Dr. Malone CBS
10:45 Guiding Light CBS
11:00 Stop 'N' Shop
11:10 Music
11:15 Perry Mason CBS
11:30 Nora Drake CBS
11:45 Aunt Mary CBS
12:00 Noon Edition News
12:15 Payless Sidewalk Show
12:30 House Party CBS
1:00 Arthur Godfrey Time CBS
2:30 Hank Henry Show
3:00 Second Mrs. Burton CBS
3:15 Miller's Matinee
3:25 Stop 'N' Shop
3:30 Ruth Ashton
3:40 Music
3:45 Ted Malone ABC
4:00 Whispering Streets ABC
4:20 Basin Briefs
4:30 Today's Top Tunes
5:00 Edward R. Murrow CBS
5:15 Bill Stern ABC
5:20 Easy Listening
5:40 Weather Roundup
5:45 Frank Goss
5:55 Hometown News
6:00 Today's Sports Highlights
6:15 Lowell Thomas CBS
6:30 Amos 'N' Andy CBS
6:55 News CBS
7:00 Godfrey Talent Scouts CBS
7:30 News CBS
7:35 Jack Carson Show CBS
8:00 News CBS
8:05 Tennessee Ernie CBS
8:30 You Were There
8:45 Bing Crosby CBS
9:00 Lee Zimmer Show ABC
9:30 Voice of Firestone ABC
10:00 10 PM Edition
10:15 Johnny Dollar CBS
10:30 Time for Relaxation
11:00 Sign Off News Summary
11:05 Sign Off

KFJI—MBS & DLBS, 1150 KC

Sunday, Oct. 16

7:30 Oral Roberts
8:00 Klamath Temple Hour
8:30 Back to God
9:00 Radio Bible Class
9:30 Youth Soldiers for Christ
9:45 Frank and Ernest
10:00 Newspaper of Air
10:15 Christian Science Heals
10:30 Lutheran Hour
11:00 Haven of Rest
11:30 Wings of Healing
12:00 Sunday Favorites
12:30 Jimmie Fidler
12:45 Basin Bouquets
1:00 Comic Weekly
1:30 Sunday Favorites
2:00 Bill Cunningham
2:15 Sunday Favorites
6:00 Walter Winchell
6:15 Local News
6:25 Hollywood Highlights
6:30 Rin Tin Tin MBS
7:00 Wild Bill Hickok
7:25 Evening Melodies
7:30 Hopalong Cassidy
8:00 Counterspy MBS
8:30 City Editor
9:00 Newspaper of the Air DLBS
9:15 Bob Considine DLBS
9:30 Tomorrow's Front Page Headlines
9:45 Chamber of Commerce
10:00 Hawaii Calls
10:30 Sign Off

Monday, Oct. 17

6:00 Sunrise Serenade and Late News
6:30 Sons of the Pioneers
6:45 Farm Reporter
7:00 Hemingway MBS
7:15 Breakfast Gang DLBS
7:30 Todays Best Buys
7:45 Morning News
8:00 Cliff Engle
8:15 Morning Melodies
9:15 Kraft Newscast
9:20 Morning Melodies
9:45 Basin Bouquet
10:00 Newspaper of the Air DLBS
10:15 Tello Test DLBS
10:30 Visit to Dons
10:35 Quickie Quiz
10:40 A Visit To Dons
10:45 A Visit to LaPointes
11:00 Kraft News
11:05 Musical Manor
11:30 Queen For A Day DLBS
12:00 Tips From The Town Shop
12:15 Noon News
12:30 Best On Record
12:45 Town and Country Time
1:00 Western Roundup
1:30 Matinee Melodies
4:00 Tello Test
4:15 Hemingway
4:30 Here's the Answer
4:45 Sam Hayes
5:00 Traffic Jam
6:00 Bob Green DLBS
6:15 World of Sports
6:25 Hollywood Highlights
6:30 Local Evening News
6:45 Sam Hayes
6:55 Harry Wismer
7:00 Sports Report
7:10 Timber Tales
7:15 P.S. Program
7:30 Bob and Ray
8:00 John Steele
8:30 True Detective Mysteries
9:00 Gabriel Heatter DLBS
9:15 Fulton Lewis Jr. DLBS
9:30 JJ Jamboree
11:00 Sign Off

KBES—TV Channel 5

CBS, NBC, ABC

Sunday, Oct. 16

11:00 Pro Football-49'ers vs Lions
2:00 The Christophers
2:30 Dawn of America
3:30 This is The Life
4:00 Sunday Matinee
5:00 College Hour
5:30 Jackson Cty Pbc Health
6:00 Shinways
6:15 In The Mood
6:30 It's A Great Life
7:00 Private Secretary
7:30 Arthur Murray Party
8:00 The Ed Sullivan Show
9:00 G. E. Theater
9:30 Weekly News in Review
9:45 Musical Magic
10:00 Loretta Young
10:30 Break The Bank
11:00 News
11:05 Sign Off

Monday, Oct. 17

3:30 Devotions
4:00 Feminine Fancies
4:30 Val Rogue
5:00 Uncle Bill Show
5:30 TV Question Box
5:45 Garden Home and Farm
6:00 Adventures in Literature
6:30 Musical Treasures
6:45 Shopping for Fashions and Gifts
7:00 Studio One
8:00 Topper
8:30 Badge 714
9:00 I Love Lucy
9:30 December Bride
10:00 Drive-In Theater
10:30 Weather
10:35 Best Theater
11:40 Sign Off

THE CAMERA CORNER

By BUD BUESING

Let's talk about money . . . prize money from photographic contests, that is. Each year in America close to a million dollars is paid out in photo contests. Why not try for your share? If you never win a prize, you'll still obtain valuable experience. If you win, well . . . drop around in your Cadillac and say hello.

In a photo contest the picture is the thing. The subject matter and the story it tells is more important than print quality and composition. One woman won a $10,000 prize for a snapshot of her baby made with a box camera. But don't let this mislead you into carelessness. Good subject matter plus good composition and good print quality stand a better chance than good subject matter alone.

Each photo contest has its own rules and requirements. Make sure you observe all the rules. Many contests originate for a commercial purpose. Include this favorable commercial message in your photo, or you won't stand a chance. Other contests demand only a good picture of certain subject matter or types of subjects. Keep in mind that the fellow who wrote the rules also controls the writing of the prize checks. That may sound commercial . . . but you're shooting for money.

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Reckless Drive Fine Levied

Joseph Patrick Casey was fined $25 yesterday in municipal court for reckless driving as the result of an accident Friday evening.

At about 10:50 p.m. Friday, an auto he was driving hit the north abutment to the South Sixth Street viaduct. The auto was badly damaged, police said.

Soroptimists Plan District Meeting In Klamath Falls

The second conference, District No. 2, Northwestern Region, American Federation of Soroptimist Clubs, Soroptimist International will convene in Klamath Falls, Saturday and Sunday, October 22-23. Headquarters will be at the Willard Hotel.

Expected for the session are Lily Quarnberg, second vice president of the district, Vancouver, Washington; Anne Sprague, governor of the Northwest region, Lakeview, and Margie Clark, director of the Northwest region, District No. 2, Ashland, and other dignitaries.

Theme of the conference will be "Soroptimism at Work In the Community."

Registration will start at 12 p.m. on Saturday. The session will be officially opened at 2 p.m. by Director Margie Clark, followed by the welcome to the delegates by Dena Backen, president of the Klamath Falls club. Greeting will be by Margie Clark.

The business session will continue until 5 p.m.

A hospitality hour will start at 6:30 p.m. in the Cedar Room of the hotel with the Klamath Falls club as hostess group. Kathleen Thompson will preside at the informal dinner at 7:30 p.m. Entertainment will be presented by the Ashland club.

Lakeview will host the 8:15 a.m. breakfast. The Sunday session will be called to order by Margie Clark. Talks on Soroptimism will be presented by the visiting officers.

The conference will adjourn at 11:30 a.m.

Committees appointed for the sessions include: Margaret Larkin, general chairman; Kathleen Thompson, toastmistress; Ruth King, publicity; Naomi French, mimeographing; Inez Kerron, banquet decorations; Crystal Cloake and Phyliss Slater, registration; Ruth Renie and Bea Bell, credentials; Eloise McIntyre, music; arrangements and flowers, Isabelle Brixner; room decorations, Dorothy Rogers; devotions, Maude Goeller and Polly Mann; press book, Ruth O'Harra and Olive Wilson; transportation, Jean Puckett, Doris Peyton, Barbara Carnini.

Sign printing, Catherine Brumbaugh; housing, Mary Bothwell; hospitality, board members and all members of the Klamath Falls club; presiding at the punch bowls, Mary Bothwell and Coral Sabo; songs, Dena Backes.

Dr. J. C. Hunt Rites Held

Funeral services for Dr. John C. Hunt, city milk and meat inspector for the past 22 years, were held Saturday, October 15 from the First Methodist Church. Dr. Hunt, identified with the civic and social progress of the city during his residence here died at Hillside Hospital on October 12. Final rites were in Klamath Memorial Park.

Active pallbearers for the service were Dr. J. M. Hilton, Mayor Paul Landry, Dr. J. F. Wedam, G. B. Rawlins, C. Frank Mills and Will W. Wood.

Honorary pallbearers were Jerry McCartie, Ed Ostendorf, E. M. Chilcote, Bert Hall, E. M. Bubb, Elmer Harnden, Oliver Spiker, and A. B. Epperson.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Bess Hunt, Klamath Falls, his daughter, Mrs. Connie Whitt and two granddaughters, all of Klamath Falls; two brothers, a sister and several nieces and nephews, among them children of his brother, the late Dr. Warren Hunt of Klamath Falls.

Eugene Youth Shot On Hunt

EUGENE (AP) — The first hunting fatality of the season came Saturday, two weeks after opening of the deer season in Oregon.

James Allen, 14, Eugene, was shot fatally by his brother, Harvey, 17, a few miles west of Eugene, Sgt. Robert Baker of the state police reported.

The shooting occurred in the Bailey Hill area. Baker said Harvey Allen, shocked at finding his brother shot, took the body to his pastor, the Rev. Norman Wetther, Eugene, who called police. Olaf Thingval, an Oregon State College student, and a friend of Harvey, also was along on the hunting trip, Baker said.

The general deer season closed Friday, but an either-sex deer season began Saturday, and game officials said more hunters than ever probably were in the field.

Twelve persons have been wounded in the hunting this year. Another hunter died after a heart attack.

UN Association Offers Movie

The Klamath Falls Chapter of the Oregon United Nations Association in honor of the 10th anniversary of the United Nations has made available to the city and county schools a film "Workshop for Peace." The film was made at the United Nations in New York. It presents a guided tour through the U.S., the same tour as is given visitors to the U. N. This film will be shown in the schools during United Nations Week, October 17-24.

In keeping with the 10th anniversary the Oregon Educational Association has sent a synopsis of the past 10 years in the United Nations to all teachers in Oregon. This paper gives a simple concise picture of the first 10 years of the United Nations.

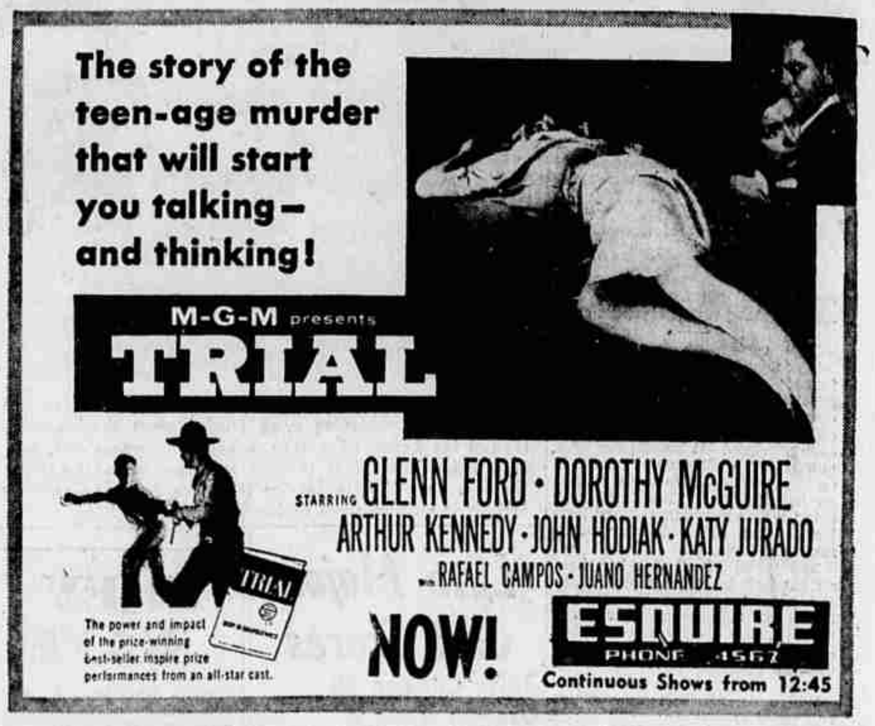
Thieves Enter Klamath Tavern

Athletic thieves crawled through a ventilator in the attic of the Spot Tavern, 2404 South Sixth Street, sometime early yesterday morning, broke through the celing and took $50 cash and some tobacco products, Klamath Falls police reported today.

A safe in the building was untouched. The money came from several vending, game and record playing machines on the premises, police said. In addition to the cash, 16 cartons of cigarettes and three boxes of cigars were taken.

Police said the thieves left through the front door, which had a spring lock. The incident occurred between 2 o'clock and 6:20 a.m. yesterday.

FIRE

PORTLAND (AP) — Fire swept through the Heat Treating Specialties Co. plant and garage near here Friday night, causing loss estimated at $40,000.

Firemen said the blaze started when hot metal was lowered into a tank containing oil.