

Battle-Scarred Vessel Becomes Inferno Of Oil

VANCOUVER, B.C. (AP)—A battle-scarred freighter, sunk twice by the Germans in World War II and later refloated, burst into a blazing inferno of burning oil at the entrance to Vancouver harbor Friday.

The Norwegian freighter Ferngulf and her 38-man crew survived again, but five of her crew were lying badly burned in a hospital. Two of them were near death.

An explosion in the engine room shook the 7,500-ton Oslo ship as she steamed out of the harbor about 2:30 p.m. PST, bound for the Fraser River port of New Westminster to pick up the remainder of a cargo of lumber for the Atlantic seaboard.

One by one the oil-blackened crew members, some with large shreds of burned skin hanging from their backs and shoulders, were put into waiting ambulances and taken to the hospital.

Hansen, 18, told a reporter: "I was lying down in my two hours off duty. The whole cabin exploded. I couldn't find my way out because it was filled with smoke immediately.

"The first thing I tried to do was open the cabin vents to let in some air. When I finally got out I saw that most of the cabins amidships were wrecked."

Capt. Alicher, wearily surveying his blackened ship early Saturday, said damage would run to at least \$250,000, probably more.

Friday's mishap recalled the disastrous explosion here in 1945 of the Vancouver-built freighter Greenhill Park. Eight men died and 19 were injured in four blasts aboard the Greenhill Park as it was loading munitions and chemicals.

Back Income Taxes Paid By Gentleman's Gentleman

DETROIT (AP)—George Alfred Smith, a thrifty gentleman's gentleman, settled his case with the U.S. government Friday and a lot of folks who heard his testimony wished they had bought American Telephone and Telegraph Co. stock in 1924 when salesmen peddled it from door to door.

"Nobody ever gave me a tip," said Smith whose employers included the financier J. Pierpont Morgan. "They'd say, though, George, do you have any shares of such and such a stock."

"I would say no and then they'd say, that's too bad—it's a very well-managed company."

Smith, 71, entered a plea of no contest before federal Judge Clifford O'Sullivan and was fined \$5,500 for not paying enough income tax for 1932. Four other income tax charges against him were dismissed after he paid \$16,469 in back taxes and penalties.

Smith, a butler for Wesson Seyburn, a Detroit financier, makes about \$4,000 a year in salary.

When a bystander estimated he must have realized \$200,000 in the last 10 years on the stock market, Smith replied coolly: "It would be more like \$400,000."

Born in Britain, Smith came to the United States in 1920. From his modest savings he began to invest.

Smith, impeccably attired in gray, peered mildly through horn-rimmed glasses as he told of remembering when AT&T was knocking on doors trying to sell stock. "I have quite a bit of that," he said.

Smith said he had no intention of trying to defraud the government. "It suddenly got too big for me," he said of his income tax return. "All of a sudden I found that with all the stock splits and dividends that I had lost track."



SHRINERS SKIED at the Mt. Shasta Ski Bowl Sunday, April 19. Over 200 Shriners and guests met there for cocktails and dinner served by the Siskiyou County Shrine. From left, these be-fazed skiers are Hugo Del Pero, Bernard Davidson, president of the Siskiyou County Shriners, and Robert Eiler, president of the Mt. Shasta Ski Bowl Corporation. —Photo by Stan Palmer

Longtime Sears' Employee Named Klamath Store Chief

C.E. (Chuck) Burman, a veteran of 24 years service with Sears, Roebuck & Company, arrived in Klamath Falls last Wednesday to take over duties as manager of the local Sears store.

He succeeds Bob Egge who has been transferred and promoted to manage the Yakima Sears store. At Yakima, Egge replaces Bill Knotts, who left Klamath Falls Sears store as manager a few years ago to head up the Yakima organization.

Knotts moves to Arizona as manager of the Mesa store which is the first in the chain to come to Klamath Falls.

Burman started with Sears at Fresno, then moved to Santa Barbara as assistant manager. At Saford, Arizona, he held his first position as store manager for the

Water Chief

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added after the effective date of the rate change would be at the present average rate of \$3.33 per hydrant. Under the old schedule, new hydrants are added at a rate of \$0.90, \$2.40, or \$2.65 per month, depending on the size of the hydrant, and whether on a new, or existing water main. This is an attempt to stabilize the rates as they now are, rather than have the rates diminish as new hydrants are added.

"The proposed rate schedule, while higher, retains the irrigation advantage for the period between the April and October meter readings. Bowen stated that there has been no change in the water rates in Klamath Falls since March 1, 1931, when* their present rates were established. Copies of the proposed change are on file at the water company's office where the public is invited to see them."



CHUCK BURMAN

4-H NEWS

This is a busy time of the year for 4-H Club members. Among other activities, they have an opportunity to compete for \$400 college scholarships offered by International Harvest Company.

International Harvester, a farm implement firm represented here by J. W. Kerns, is entering its 40th year of interest in 4-H Club work. It has supported a boys' agricultural program for almost three decades, which enrolled 919,000 boys last year.

In addition to the college scholarships offered on a nation-wide basis, International Harvester offers each state 4-H champion an expense-paid trip to the Chicago 4-H Congress and a gold-filled medal to each county winner.

MODOC TOLLERS

The April meeting of the Modoc Tollers was called to order with the flag salute and 4-H pledge.

The club decided to meet at 8 p.m. during Daylight Saving Time.

We decided to have a candy sale May 9. Mike Miller will head the committee.

We will observe 4-H Sunday, May 3, by wearing our uniforms to church.

Bill Whitaker showed slides of the fair, which we enjoyed very much.

Rita Williams, News Reporter

Government Hits Hertz U-Drive

NEW YORK (AP)—The government has accused the Hertz Corp. of throttling competition in car rentals throughout the United States.

In a civil complaint filed Friday in federal court, the government contends Hertz spent 40 million dollars in the last five years to acquire control of other auto and truck renting and leasing companies.

The government wants a court order requiring Hertz to sell these acquired assets, and a ban against acquiring any additional companies.

There was no immediate comment from the Hertz firm.

MAY GO TO ENGLAND

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UPI)—Rock and roll rager Jerry Lee Lewis, whose marriage to a 13-year-old girl caused a furor in England, may go back to Britain this fall.

Lewis' manager, Jud Phillips, said the 23-year-old piano-plunking star would go to London in September "alone, not with his wife," who gave birth to a son six weeks ago.

BILL CONSIDERED

CAPETOWN, South Africa (UPI)—The South African Senate had under consideration Saturday an apartheid bill which would prevent whites and non-whites from studying at the same universities.

The bill was sent to the Senate Friday after the National Assembly approved it Thursday night on its third reading.

INJURY SUIT

YREKA — Ree O. Bowen of Yreka filed a personal injury suit for \$35,000, on April 28, in the superior court at Yreka against Leonard Sloan, also of Yreka, charging him with responsibility for a two-car collision, a few miles north of Klamath, last September. In the complaint, filed by Samuel Friedman, attorney for the plaintiff, Bowen stated that he was riding south of Hornbrook-Copco road in a vehicle driven by Fredrick L. Pound, when the automobile was struck by Sloan's car. As a result of the accident, Bowen stated he suffered severe and serious injuries, which included lacerations and fractures.

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Police Give Protection To Accused Killer, Rapist

ALEXANDRIA, La. (AP)—A 23-year-old Negro accused of the rape-slaying of a white housewife is believed to have been lodged for safekeeping in a seventh-floor jail cell of a thick-walled and strongly guarded courthouse.

But authorities kept silent on the actual whereabouts of Ora Lee Rogers of Ville Platte in a security move to prevent any possible mob violence.

Officers locked the ground-floor door to the Rapides Parish (county) courthouse for the first time Friday night. An armed deputy sits just inside the door. His desk overlooks the locked elevator — the only way to get to the top seventh floor where 80 prisoners are kept under guard.

Rogers was arrested Friday shortly after the brutal attack on Mrs. Lumley Guillory, 36, in her husband's general store at Reddell, 50 miles south of Alexandria.

Dist. Atty. L. O. Fusillier of Ville Platte said Rogers admitted stabbing Mrs. Guillory. Fusillier said he planned to charge the man with rape and murder as soon as the Evangeline Parish grand jury could be called into session. He indicated the session might come Monday.

Dr. Frank Savoy Sr., Evangeline Parish coroner, said the assailant beat Mrs. Guillory, stabbed her in the chest, strangled her and sexually assaulted her while her husband was away driving a school bus. Her young daughter was sleeping in another room at the time.

State police arrested Rogers in a taxicab as he headed for a girl friend's home.

He was at first put in the 30-year-old jail at Ville Platte, then hustled under heavy armed guard to the parish prison at Alexandria.

Officers at the prison later said Rogers was questioned, then taken to a hideaway which they refused to disclose.

Savoy said Rogers would not have lived through the days if he had remained at Ville Platte, seat of the south-central Louisiana parish.

Rebellious activity apparently was partly sparked by the kidnapping last Saturday of Mack Charles

Funeral

HOLMAN
Funeral services for Heber Kimbal Holman will take place from the chapel of Ward's Klamath Funeral Home on Monday, May 4, at 1:30 p.m., the Rev. Dallas McNeill of the First Methodist Church officiating. Concluding services in Klamath Memorial Park.

BUSH

TULELAKE—Mary Luet Bush, 63, native of Hungary and resident of Tulelake for 23 years, died on May 1. Survivors include the widower, John Bush and a daughter, Mrs. Gilbert (Marie) Osborne, both of Tulelake; brothers, Steve of Tulelake and Martin of Lithaca, New York; three brothers in Czechoslovakia; also five grandchildren. Funeral services will be held from the chapel of Ward's Klamath Funeral Home at 3 p.m. on Monday, May 4, the Rev. Wayne Wattman of the Tulelake Presbyterian Church officiating. Concluding services in Klamath Memorial Park.

ANDERSON

CHARLIE ANDERSON, 72, native of Sweden, resident of Klamath Falls for 10 years, died here on May 1. Survivors include a brother and nephew in Sweden. Funeral will be held from the chapel of Ward's Klamath Funeral Home on Tuesday, May 5, at 1:30 p.m.

CARDELLINI

Cesare Cardellini, 67, native of Italy and resident of Klamath Falls for 36 years, died here May 1. Survivors include the widow, Mary (Angelina) Cardellini, and daughters Gina Groseclose, Irma Powers, Anita Mitchell and Norma Silva, all of Klamath Falls; a brother, Nello Cardellini of Tuolumne, California, and a nephew Sandrino Pinelli, Klamath Falls. He was a member of Klamath Falls Aerie No. 2090, Fraternal Order of Eagles. Recitation of the Holy Rosary will take place from the chapel of Ward's Klamath Funeral Home on Monday, May 4, at 8 p.m. Requiem Mass, Sacred Heart Church, at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, May 5.

SCOUT NEWS

DUNSMUIR—Twenty-four boys were advanced in rank at a Court of Honor held on the evening of April 28 by Troop 26, Boy Scouts of America in the social hall of the First Methodist Church.

Those who were welcomed as tenderfeet are James Vasquez, Mike Holland, Richard Terrell, Jack Leahy, Arthur Goodrich, Richard Mason, Mike McClain, Albert Wilson, Larry Shield and Joe Mueller.

Second class Scouts are Tommy Campbell, Denny Patterson, Jerry Sample, Courtney Stanley, Mike Dorrigan, Mike Slimmer, Raymond Welliver, James Stidham, Carl Walker and Burt Vasquez.

First class scouts are Billy Kelly, Wayne Crawford and Carl Stidham.

David Leighton became a Star Scout and was awarded three merit badges. Wayne Crawford also received a merit badge. These two boys and Billy Kelly were presented with three year pins.

R. J. Crawford, scoutmaster, conducted the court of honor. He was assisted by Joe Kelly, David Leighton, Beverly Mason, J. "Bud" Lackenmyer, Ivan Young and the Rev. O. E. Terrell.

A polka dance was held prior to the ceremonies. About 80 scouts and members of their families were present.

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QUEEN Virginia Birmisla, 13, of Mount Shasta gets her cloak of office, a ski parka, from Orbell Apperson Jr., editor and publisher of a Mount Shasta weekly newspaper. Queen Virginia was named for the part she played in a Ski School Carnival sponsored recently by Apperson's newspaper at the Mt. Shasta Ski Bowl. —Mt. Shasta Ski Bowl photo

Court Records

KLAMATH COUNTY DISTRICT COURT

Jacob Calvin Strong, violation basic rule, \$10.

Stanley Bernard Tideman, violation basic rule, \$15.

Franklin Junior Long, one headlight, \$7.50.

Luis Neighbors, fail stop for school bus, entered plea of not guilty, trial without jury set May 5 at 10 a.m.; release on own recognizance.

Gerald Lee Newton, following too closely, \$10.

Leland Dean Seagr, fail display license, \$5.

Gerald Lee Newton, improper mufflers, \$5.

Thomas H. Barnhart, combination defective, \$7.50.

Robert Warren Bats, truck speeding, \$10.

Norman Dewayne Paup, driving suspended person's vehicle, \$7.50.

May 8 to enter plea; released on \$250 bond.

Thomas Stanley Horton Jr., petit larceny, dismissed, remurrer sustained.

Kenneth Wayne Stratton, passing in, \$12.50.

Carl Lee McClellers, violation basic rule, \$12.50.

Robert Lyle Lowe, parking on highway, \$5.

Tom Lane Smith, violation basic rule, \$12.50.

Richard Raymond Arch, improper muffler, \$5.

Cecil Charles Sellars, violation basic rule, \$10.

Boris Lee Freeman, fail dim headlights, \$5.

Ben Rex Thompson, violation basic rule, \$12.50.

Charles Lloyd Homexky Jr., violation basic rule, \$7.50.

Inez Juana Ketter, driving without license, \$5.

Terry Lloyd Gathwright, defective lights, \$5.

George Herman Brown, parking on highway, \$5.

Eugene Huffman, violation basic rule, dismissed.

Carl C. Smith, forgery, requested to waive preliminary hearing, ordered held to grand jury; bail set at \$2,000; remanded to sheriff.

KLAMATH FALLS MUNICIPAL COURT

Betty Lucille Catlin, failure to yield right of way to school, \$5.

Glenn Niles England, violation basic rule, \$15.

Richard Ralph Motth, excessive noise, \$5.

Randolph Clyde Martin, illegal turn, \$10.

Donald Rex Carroll, reckless driving, \$22.50.

Ralph Shaffer, meter warrant, \$15.

Raymond Leroy Jones, violation basic rule, \$15.

Hearing Waived On Check Charge

A farm laborer brought here from Arizona to answer a forgery charge was held to the grand jury Thursday after waiving a preliminary hearing in district court.

The action was taken against Carl C. Smith, 30, accused of forging a \$50 check cashed at the Farmers Club in Malin on June 22, 1958.

Smith was returned here from Yuma, Arizona, Wednesday by Deputy Sheriff Del Summers. Summers said he appeared in Phoenix to await signing of extradition papers by Arizona Governor Paul Fannin but after a delay of two days Smith waived extradition here.

After his appearance before District Judge D. E. Van Vactor Friday, Smith was returned to jail in lieu of \$2,000 bail.

Possibility Seems Remote Of Morse Senate Censure

WASHINGTON (AP)—The possibility appeared remote Saturday of any Senate censure of Sen. Wayne Morse (D-Ore.) for his actions in the controversy that led Clare Boothe Luce to quit as ambassador to Brazil.

Republican leaders indicated privately they want no part of a proposal by Sen. Homer Capehart (R-Ind.) that the Senate officially reprimand Morse for inquiring of Mrs. Luce's physician whether she had received psychiatric treatment.

Influential Democrats laughed off the Capehart suggestions as just another stanza in the running feud between the Indiana Republican and the Oregon Democrat.

Morse said he would welcome a censure attempt by Capehart. Radio station KGW at Portland, Ore., reported Morse said in a telephone call.

"This is an old forensic trick for Homer. He's perfectly free to offer such a resolution, and I'm perfectly willing to let the Senate be the jury, which under the rules they would be. I would welcome him trying it."

Capehart told a news conference Friday he believed Morse acted with "the height of irresponsibility" in calling Dr. Michael Rosenbluth of New York to ask about treatments directed for his patient.

Morse has contended he sought to reach Dr. Rosenbluth's father, in the belief that the elder doctor was no longer Mrs. Luce's physician. He got the younger doctor, who informed him his father had died.

Capehart said Morse, a former law school dean, knew he was going "far beyond what any senator

Shriners Ski On Shasta

FORT JONES—Bernard Davidson, president of the Siskiyou County Shrine Club, was among more than 200 Shriners and their guests from Northern California who gathered at the Mount Shasta Ski Bowl April 29 for cocktails and dinner.

Guest of honor at the dinner was Hugo Del Pero, potentate of the Ben Ali Temple of Sacramento.

He spoke to the group about the work done by Shrine Hospitals for crippled children and of progress made in the crippled children program.

The Chico Shrine Oriental Band entertained during the social hour.

Prior to the meeting many of the Shriners and guests skied on the Bowl's ski slopes.

Canines Gain Champ Points

Klamath Falls dogs returned last week from dog shows in Washington with several additional points toward championship.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Starbuck, Kenosha, showed their 6-month-old collies, Star-Crest Sir Keltie and Star-Crest Mystic Moment, brother and sister, at Yakima and Richland. The dogs took first in their respective classes at both Yakima and Richland and the judges paid the young dogs some very nice compliments, Mrs. Starbuck reported.

Another youngster in the Klamath Basin dog population, "Duffy," year-old Welch Terrier belonging to Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Brooks, took best of breed in the Walla Walla, Richland and Yakima shows.

Mrs. Brooks accompanied Mrs. Tom Grigsby, past president of Klamath Dog fanciers, who showed her 3-year-old "Petie."

Petie, whose kennel name is Pan Pepper Petard, is a miniature Schnauzer. He earned two points at Walla Walla and Richland by taking best of winners at both shows and another point, for a total of five, for winners' dog at Yakima.

Local dog fanciers are planning for June shows at Portland and Longview and shows at Gresham and Salem in July.

22-Day-Old Strike Ends As Rubber Men Reach Pact

NEW YORK (AP)—The United Rubber Workers Union reached agreement with the U.S. Rubber Co., ending a 22-day-old strike. But workers are still out at plants of Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., and the B. F. Goodrich Co.

The fourth big firm, Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., averted a walkout of its 24,000 workers by reaching agreement with the union.

U.S. Rubber's 26,000 workers employed at 18 plants in 11 states, are expected to start returning to their jobs immediately. The agreement reached Friday must be ratified by union locals before it becomes formally effective.

Firestone employs 18,000 workers, Goodrich about 14,000. Workers in both firms walked out 17 days ago.

Wages were not an issue in any of the talks. Wage talks with the Big Four start this summer. Details of the U.S. Rubber agreement were not announced, but the union said the purpose of the strike was to gain for rubber workers the working conditions and welfare benefits enjoyed by union auto workers.

The talks involved pensions, insurance, hospital and surgical benefits, supplementary unemployment compensation and a general agreement covering working conditions.

Friday's agreement affects three U.S. Rubber plants at Naugatuck, Conn., as well as plants at Chicago, Los Angeles and Santa Ana, Calif.; Chicopee Falls, Mass.; Eau Claire, Wis.; Detroit; Indianapolis, Mishawaka, and Washington, Ind.; Providence and Woonsocket, R.I.; North Bergen and Passaic, N.J.; Painesville, Ohio and Philadelphia.

April Meeting Held In Church

MERRILL—The April meeting of the Ladies Aid of the Merrill Presbyterian Church was held at the church with Mrs. Warren Conner and Mrs. Frank Hunnicutt acting as hostesses. Mrs. Harriet Fotheringham, president, conducted the business meeting.

Appointed to serve the Merrill Lions Club dinner on May 4 were Mrs. Frank Howard, Mrs. Lloyd Henderson, Mrs. Harriet Fotheringham, Mrs. Paul Lewis and Mrs. Della Hodges.

It was voted to donate quilts on hand to the Gospel Mission in Klamath Falls.

Mrs. Harriet Fotheringham led the devotional program.

On The Record

KLAMATH FALLS BIRTHS

RUSSELL—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin P. Russell April 30 in Klamath Valley Hospital a girl, weighing 7 lbs. 7 ozs.

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