

in The Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

From London: The British medical journal *Lancet* says today that recent intensive publicity about the alleged harmful effects of smoking hasn't changed people's smoking habits much.

Lancet bases its conclusion on a survey conducted in Edinburgh, Scotland. It says that despite a sweeping anti-smoking campaign in the city the proportion of non-smokers did not increase, and the ratio of heavy smokers to light smokers remained unchanged.

Hmmmmmm.

People are alike the world over. They tend to do the things they LIKE to do and not to do the things they DON'T like to do.

That goes for you and me and everybody else.

From Texas:

Vandals STUCK TACKS in two famed paintings at the McKay Art Institute in San Antonio the other day. The mutilated paintings are the 115-year-old "Prairie Fire" by Charles Deas, which is on loan from the Brooklyn Art Museum, and "Rosalia" by French post-impressionist artist Raoul Dufy, which is part of the San Antonio Art Institute's permanent collection.

Police estimate the damage at \$7,000.

Comment?

There are people in this world we could do without.

And—

The list isn't confined to Russia's Mr. K. Red China's Mao and Cuba's Fidel Castro.

Attempt Fails To Save Leg

HAYWARD, Calif. (UPI) — Some day Billy L. Smith will be able to tell his children that he almost took part in an unprecedented near-miracle of surgery.

In fact, a tiny nerve was all that barred the 25-year-old metalworker from a chapter in the book of medical history.

Smith was repairing a furnace in a foundry last July when he was struck by the heavy steel hook of a moving crane. His right leg was crushed so badly just below the knee that doctors said it would ordinarily have been removed "with two snips of the scissors."

However, surgeons at Eden Hospital decided to take a long chance. They removed a two-inch section of shattered bone and flesh and sewed the leg back on.

For a time, it appeared as though the operation would be a success. Never to the knowledge of doctors here, had a leg so completely severed been restored successfully.

Last week the hospital announced that the leg healed fairly well—but the main nerve never did function and infection developed. Smith's leg was amputated.

The young man—an avid swimmer, bowler, golfer and softball player before the accident—accepted the decision of the doctors calmly.

"From all I hear about artificial legs they can make now," he said, "a person who has enough will power can do just about anything he wants with one."

A STRANGE YARN

WATFORD, England (UPI) — Leonard Shave, 13, won the local school knitting contest Thursday. His competitors included 67 girls and 71 boys.

Scientists Bounce Beam Off Old Sol

STANFORD, Calif. (UPI) — American scientists have made an "epochal achievement" by bouncing a radar signal off the sun, it was announced today.

The feat marked the first direct radar contact with the sun in history and it is hoped the experiments will allow prediction of radio communication trouble caused by the sun.

The experiment was carried out by Stanford scientists Prof. Von R. Eshleman, Lt. Col. Robert C. Barthle and Dr. Philip B. Gallagher at sunrise on April 7, 19, and 12, 1959.

It was reported in today's issue of "Science," a professional journal. A radio signal was broadcast to the sun and its faint echo recorded.

The delay in reporting the achievement was caused by the fact that it took electronic computers more than six months to analyze and verify the data.

Prof. Eshleman said that another series of radar impulses were shot at the sun at the autumn equinox last September, but that the computers are still working on the data and it is not yet possible to determine whether or not these shots succeeded.

Radar shots have been previously made to the moon and to the planet Venus and the echo recorded, but the sun shot was much more difficult — not only because of the greater distance, but because of the intense output of radio energy sent in this direction by the sun.

Eshleman said the Stanford radar signal was sent out in 30-second bursts at an average power of 40,000 watts. The sun itself sends back 40,000 watts of radio energy for every square inch of its surface.

When the Stanford signal reached the sun, Eshleman said, it was only 100 watts. By the time it got back to California, it was reduced to a power of .0000000000000001 of a watt.

The problem, he said, was something like lighting a match in a forest fire and trying to measure the increase in illumination.

Egypt Cites Israeli Move

CAIRO (AP) — Heavy movement of Israeli troops to the Egyptian frontier in the Negev was reported in Cairo today.

Press reports here said Israeli troops were moving southward in the Beersheba region to counter Egyptian troop concentrations in the Sinai Peninsula — scene of Israel's big drive toward the Suez Canal in 1956.

The Egyptian movements were announced earlier this week following the eruption of fighting on the Syrian-Israeli frontier.

BULLETIN

LA PAZ, Bolivia (AP) — Fifty-nine persons aboard a Lloyd Aereo Boliviano airliner were killed today when the plane crashed near Cochabamba.

The DC4 airliner crashed a few minutes after takeoff at Cochabamba en route to La Paz.

Officials of the airlines said they did not know the cause of the accident.

The airline reported, however, that all persons aboard perished. There were 55 passengers and 4 crew members. The passengers included 45 adults, and 10 children. Among the latter were five babies.

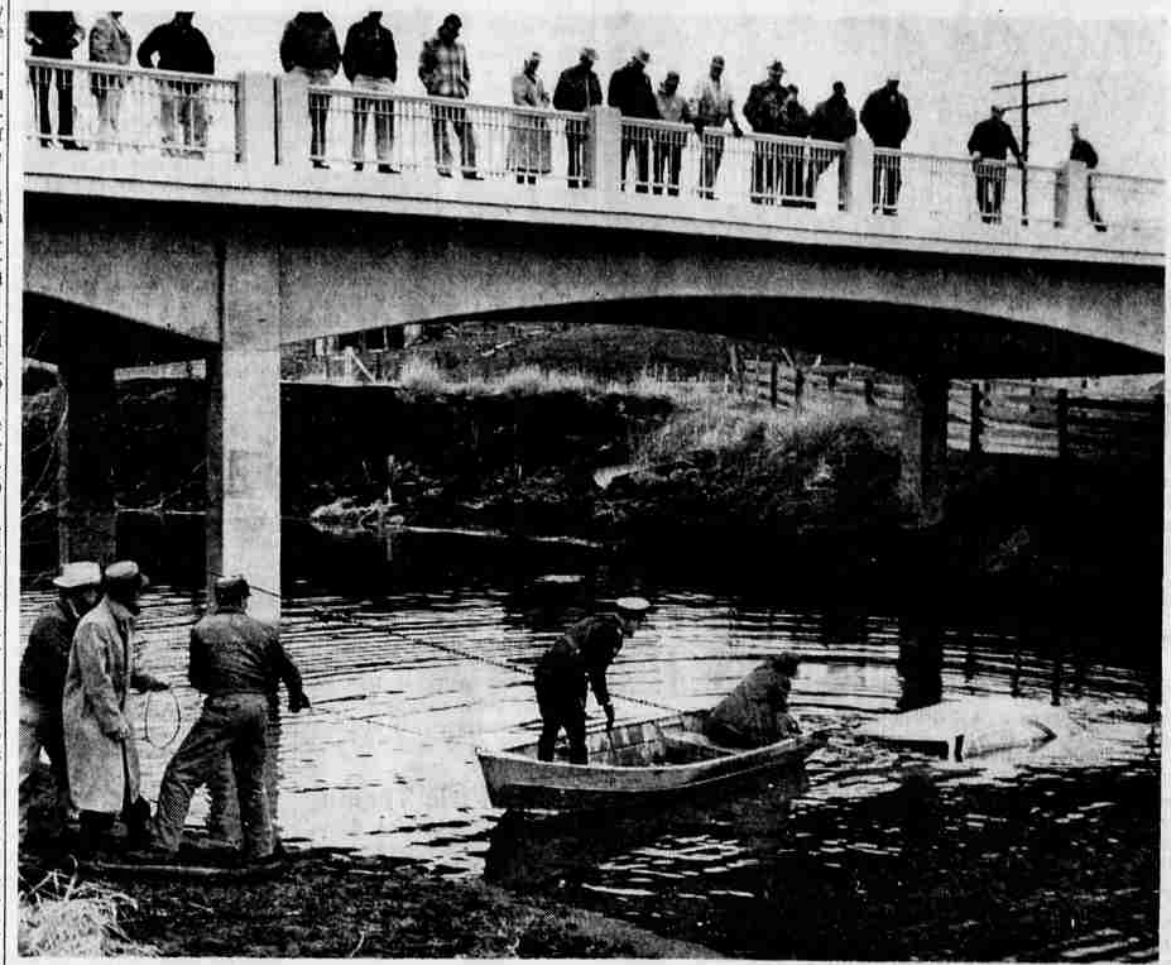
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POLICE DISCOVERED a man's body in this car almost completely submerged in Lost River two miles north of Merrill. The victim was tentatively identified as Jack Murphy, an

ex-convict. State Patrolman Robert Troutman and Deputy Coroner Keith O'Hair are in the boat. The body was discovered about 2 p.m. yesterday.

Public Opinion To Determine Further Sales

Conrad D. Shelland, acting officer in charge of the Klamath Tribal Sales Office and Klamath Agency, reported today that public opinion will determine whether or not additional units of the Klamath Indian Reservation sustained yield areas are put up for public bid.

He informed the Herald and News Friday morning that Don C. Foster, area director, Portland Area Office, Bureau of Indian Affairs, has been advised by Roger Ernst, assistant secretary of the Interior, that the request of the Specialty Gas Products Corporation of San Francisco, for an extension of time for submitting bids on the North Marsh and Modoc Point Klamath sustained yield units is denied.

The management plans approved by the chief of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, which were submitted by the company at the January 20 bid opening, are being returned to the company. However, the announcement continued, "If the Department of the Interior received sufficient responses before February 23, 1960, that show there is substantial interest in bidding, then the department will seriously consider re-advertising for bids."

Persons or firms having a substantial interest in bidding should contact Conrad D. Shelland, acting officer in charge, Klamath Tribal Sales Office, 139 South Seventh Street, Klamath Falls, or at the Klamath Indian Agency, Klamath Agency, Oregon.

They may also contact the Area Director, Portland Area Office, P.O. Box 4097, Portland 8, Oregon.

When bids were opened at the Tribal Sales Office on January 20, the Specialty Gas Products Company indicated that some tax problems were unresolved and had requested that the opening of bids on two units be postponed until April 20.

Fantail Fantasy

LONG BEACH, Calif. (AP) — The destroyer USS Benner was rolling easily at sea last November and two buddies were sitting on the fantail, shooting the breeze.

That's when Carlyle Stanley, 23, and Marvin Fritchel, 30, discovered a coincidence. Their wives had the same name — Peggy Lucille.

The two sailors laughed, slapped each other on the back and reached for their wallets. They stopped laughing then. The pictures they produced were identical.

Fritchel, husband No. 2, was the first to act. He obtained an annulment last December. Stanley got a divorce Thursday after relating his shipboard discovery in Superior Court.

Submerged Car Yields Body Of Tule Resident

A man's body was removed yesterday afternoon from a car almost completely submerged in Lost River two miles north of Merrill.

The victim was tentatively identified by Tulelake Police Chief J. T. Ternes as Jack Murphy, 29, Tulelake. State police said identification was not positive, and that fingerprints may be taken off the body.

MURPHY was paroled from the Oregon State Penitentiary January 25 after serving most of a three-year term for larceny. He was sentenced from Klamath County. Only the top four inches of the

car, a 1952 Mercury sedan, showed above the water. The car had hit the bridge and plummeted into the river, but cause of the accident was not known.

Neither was the cause of the victim's death known today. The district attorney's office said an autopsy may be ordered.

Officers said the car was discovered about 2 p.m. yesterday by Robert Troutman, a Merrill druggist who was feeding sheep on his father's farm. The farm, owned by Dr. F. E. Troutman of Merrill, spans both sides of state Highway 39.

Robert Troutman called Marshal Dal Reed of Merrill, who in turn called state police. It was only after officers arrived that the body was discovered inside the car.

The head and upper part of the body had been forced through the windshield, and clothing was caught on broken glass.

POLICE SAID the car had catapulted completely over two fences before landing in the river 150 feet from the road.

The car was registered in the name of S. A. Congdon, a Newell rancher. Apparently no other persons were in the car at the time of the accident.

Ternes said he came upon the scene while officers were removing the body. He identified the victim as Murphy through appearance. He said he had known Murphy through numerous scrapes with the law in Tulelake.

Police said the accident occurred between 2 a.m. and 8 a.m. yesterday. Murphy was last seen in Tulelake about 2 a.m.

The body was removed to O'Hair's Memorial Chapel in Klamath Falls.

Doctors Report Mac Recovering

NEW YORK (UPI) — Gen. Douglas MacArthur is making a more rapid recovery from his urinary ailment than doctors anticipated, it was reported Thursday.

Further laboratory tests will be made today which "should give further indications of some degree of progress," a medical bulletin from the hospital said.

MacArthur, who was hospitalized a week ago with a prostate condition which caused a urinary block and some kidney involvement, was sitting in his armchair for an hour twice daily.

De Gaulle Cabinet Strengthened

PARIS (AP) — President Charles de Gaulle strengthened his Cabinet today by promoting steadfast supporters of his Algerian policy and firing Jacques Soustelle, leading spokesman of the French colonialists in Algeria.

Soustelle, once touted as the strong man of De Gaulle's supporters, was ousted from the post of minister of the Sahara, atomic energy and overseas possessions because of his identification with the Algerians who unsuccessfully defied De Gaulle last week.

Another casualty was Communications Minister Bernard Cornut-Gentille, who had wanted to compromise with the rebellious French settlers.

A brief announcement from the President's press office said that De Gaulle had approved the departure from the Cabinet of Soustelle and Cornut-Gentille.

Defense Minister Pierre Guillaumat was demoted to minister-delegate charged with atomic research, part of Soustelle's former duties. He had been severely criticized because the army let the settlers' revolt in Algiers drag on for eight days instead of nipping it at the start.

Michel Maurice-Bokanowski, long a Gaullist, and secretary of state at the Interior Ministry, was moved up to head the Communications Ministry.

Information Minister Roger Frey was promoted to a minister-delegate. His duties were not immediately announced, but it was believed he would replace Robert Lecomte in charge of relations with the French Community.

1 Dead, 5 Missing In Tragedy At Sea

NORFOLK, Va. (AP) — A Navy destroyer racing full speed toward a ship's graveyard rolled sharply and was struck by an ocean swell Thursday. One man was killed aboard the vessel. Five more are missing in the icy Atlantic.

Ten sailors, some of them caught without warning as they took motion pictures of the destroyer Daly's wake through the rough water, were swept overboard. Rescue ships found only five. Hope was virtually abandoned that any more survivors would be found.

"All of a sudden everyone started yelling, and I could see them sliding off the deck under the life-line and into the water," said Seaman Apprentice David Formichella, 19, of 27 Van Dyke Place, Summit, N. J. "The next thing I knew I was there with them."

Formichella and John Buzzi, 33, damage controlman 1st class of Barrington, R. I., managed to make their way to one of the life rafts swept overboard.

The two were picked up by the tanker Alabama and transferred to the U. S. Coast Guard cutter Marion for the run here. They were admitted to the Portsmouth Naval Hospital in good condition.

Ships and planes continued searching the Atlantic 200 miles off Virginia's Cape Henry through the night and morning without spotting any of the missing men.

The Daly and two other destroyers based at Newport, R. I., the Young and the Cotten, were headed for the mothball fleet in Hampton Roads. The full-speed run was to determine whether repairs were needed before the ships joined the reserve fleet.

The Daly reported by radio that the full-power run had been under way for an hour and 40 minutes when the ship took a 65 degree roll, caused by an abnormal swell.

The time was 3:40 p.m. Three of the men swept overboard when water cascaded across the decks were picked up by the Daly.

Killed aboard the Daly was Seaman David Allen Dale, son of Viggo L. Dale of 74 Keller Ave., Kenmore, N.Y.

Listed as missing were: Fireman Nicholas A. Calaluca of Wesley Ave., Beacon, N.Y. Storekeeper 3rd Class Robert A. Carlson of 59 Holcomb St., West Haven, Conn.

Yeoman 2nd Class Charles E. Ellis of 121 Montclair St., North Madison Station, Madison, Ind. Fireman Paul J. Harvey of 46 McKinley Ave., Lodi, N.J.

Internal Communications Man Gerral J. Neher of 460 E. Broadway, Crystal Lake, Ill. Names of the three rescued by the Daly were not released immediately.

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Lawyers Seek Eighth Stay

TUCSON, Ariz. (UPI) — Caryl Chessman's attorneys appear before a federal judge today to seek a new full-scale appeal hearing which would postpone the conviction's date in the gas chamber Feb. 19.

Attorneys George Davis of San Francisco and A. L. Wirin of the American Civil Liberties Union's Los Angeles office hope to win the eighth stay of execution for Chessman. He has lived in California's San Quentin prison for 11 1/2 years and avoided seven execution dates through court maneuvers.

Chief Judge Richard H. Chambers of the 9th U. S. Court of Appeals will rule on arguments that the 39-year-old "red light bandit" from Los Angeles should be given an appeal hearing by the full court because:

Chessman's 11 1/2 years of imprisonment in San Quentin's death row constituted cruel and unusual punishment violating constitutional guarantees.

California's "Little Lindbergh" law under which Chessman was convicted in 1948 was changed in 1951 and that Chessman would not have been sentenced to death if he had committed his kidnapping crimes after that time.

Weather

Northern California — Clearing tonight. Mostly fair but possibly rain from Eureka northward late Saturday. Local fog in the valleys Saturday morning. Cooler tonight. Variable coastal winds 8-16 miles an hour, probably becoming southerly and 12-25 miles an hour from Fort Bragg northward Saturday.

Klamath Falls and vicinity — Fair tonight. Increasing cloudiness Saturday. Highs 38-46. Low tonight 20-28.

High yesterday 41
Low last night 23
Precip. last 24 hours trace
Since Oct. 1 2.39
Same period last year 3.10
Low in area, K. Falls 23

CRATER LAKE

High yesterday 31
Low last night 21
8 a.m. today 30
New snow 5.5"
Snow depth 73"
Last year 59"
Year before 138"

Raining at 8 a.m. Skiing conditions are wet. Chains are required on all winter roads in the park and from Annie Springs junction to the rim on Highway 66.



CHARTER MEMBERS of Klamath Falls Elks Lodge, No. 1247, were honored Thursday night at a special dinner and program. The local lodge was chartered on July 12, 1911, met for a time in a building at Second and Main, then moved to the Malheur Building on Fourth Street, and in 1915 into the present fine, classically designed building. Shown here, left to right, are Guy Merrill, John Martin, Wilson Wiley, Ed Chilcote, Bert Hall, first exalted ruler, and Major Underwood.



PELICANA STAFFERS are discussing budgets and fund raising campaigns for the annual KUHS-community variety show due in April. Here, Donna Schuss and Bob DePew, KUHS students, wrestle with the budget. Auditions are scheduled for the girls' gym late this month and early next month.