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THE EVENING NEWS

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THE WEATHER
Tonight and Sunday, Fair.
Highest temp. yesterday.....77
Lowest temp. last night.....56

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MURDER SUSPECTS ARRESTED TODAY

Two Youths Accused of Murdering Leuthold Girl Are Held at Bandon.

EVIDENCE NOT POSITIVE

Colonel May Resigns From Head of Oregon National Guard Owing to Numerous Protests of Returned Overseas Soldiers.

(By Associated Press.)
BANDON, August 2.—Harold Howell, aged 15 years and Carrol Worden, aged 18 years were arrested today by Sheriff Gage charged with being connected with the murder of Lillian Leuthold, a high school girl, whose body was found by her father Monday. The Sheriff says that all the evidence is circumstantial and points strongly to the guilt of the arrests. A 22-calibre rifle bored out to a .25 calibre was found in the possession of Howell. The boys were seen in the vicinity of the murder on Sunday afternoon. J. B. Worden, the father of one of the suspects declares that his son was eating dinner home on Sunday evening at 6 o'clock when the murder was alleged to have been committed.

COLONEL MAY RESIGNS.

SALEM, Aug. 2.—The resignation of Colonel John May from the command of the Third Oregon Infantry was reported filed last night in Portland, and is expected by Adjutant-General Staffin today. Staffin said, the resignation was due to the protests made by returned overseas men against the colonel. Only ten companies of the Oregon regiment so far have been federized due to the failure of the officers of some of the other companies to qualify. As soon as all are qualified the captains will call an election and elect a colonel to succeed May. Colonel Abrams of Salem has been mentioned for the position.

Governor Olcott this afternoon received a message from the adjutant general saying that Colonel May had requested that he be relieved from the command of the Oregon National Guard. The colonel has been urged to wait a few days before taking any action, to which suggestion he has consented. He will be asked to reconsider his action.

NEGROES START FIRE.

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—An incendiary fire was started early today by the negroes, the police declared. The terrific fire swept the district near the stockyards which is inhabited by Polish and Lithuanian employees of the stockyards. The property loss is estimated at \$200,000.

BLOCKS THE CROSS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—By refusing unanimous consent for consideration of his resolution, Representative Igoe, a Missouri democrat, blocked the efforts to have the House recess two weeks until the House acted on his measure for the investigation of the high cost of shoes.

GOVERNOR HAS IDEA.

DES MOINES, Aug. 2.—Governor W. L. Harding started a campaign to reduce the high cost of living in Iowa by sending orders for all county attorneys to meet here Friday to discuss ways and means of fighting the profiteers.

BUYS SUMMER HOME.

Miss Madge Miller, daughter of Dr. K. L. Miller, this afternoon purchased 80 acres of the Bert Dellbene farm at Fall Creek and will have a modern summer home constructed there.

WILL SECURE CARLOAD PURE BRED CATTLE

Mr. C. O. Garrett of Glendale, Oregon, will start back to Iowa next Monday to secure a carload of pure-bred cattle for Douglas County farmers. Mr. Garrett is being sent back by the County Farm Bureau organization. Most of the shipment will be young heifers, three of them going to Mr. Jacob Jones of Roseburg and the remainder of the car going to Glendale and vicinity, and Mr. Garrett expects to secure a herd bull for his own herd during his visit to Iowa.

AIR PATROL UP TO ROSEBURG PEOPLE

Larger Aviation Field and Shed Must Be Provided Before Planes Will Be Sent.

PLANS ARE ARRANGED

Purchasers Dodge Car.

SPECIAL TRAIN WILL CARRY ELKS

Those Wishing to Travel by Rail Can Do So by Making Reservations Now.

HAVE ENTERTAINMENT

Roseburg Bills Will Attend in Force—Many Vaudeville Stunts to Be Staged in the Open Air Amphitheatre.

SALEM, Ore., August 2.—Six or eight planes, eight aviators and daily patrol service are included in the tentative organization formed here yesterday afternoon by F. A. Elliott, state forester; R. H. Chapler, federal forest examiner; Governor Olcott and Lieutenant Thiel and Sergeant McKee, for the protection of the forest areas of western Oregon.

It is considered a certainty that one of the patrol stations will be located in Salem while the other will be at Roseburg in the event the residents of that city provide a landing field satisfactory to the aviators. The present site there is considered too small and otherwise fails to meet government requirements.

Patrol Courses Outlined. In case four or six planes are approved by Colonel H. H. Arnold, department air service officer for the western division, two planes will leave Salem and Roseburg each morning. One of the Salem planes, if found feasible to follow the course outlined here today, will fly in a southerly direction to Mehama, a distance of 20 miles, thence south to Foster, 25 miles, southwest to Eugene, 35 miles, where stop will be made for lunch and gasoline. The return trip will be made by way of Prairie Mountain, Mary's peak and Bald Mountain, the entire route covering a distance of about 175 miles.

Trips to Portland Provided. The other plane leaving Salem will start in a westerly direction, circling to the north and arriving at Portland at noon. On its return the plane will make an eastern circle, arriving in Salem late in the afternoon.

GOVERNMENT SIGNS CUT-OFF CONTRACT

Tiller Road Construction Will Be Started Within a Very Short Time.

TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS

County, State and Government Will Each Supply Funds of Equal Amounts for Completion of Tiller-Trail Road.

FAMOUS LAND FRAUD CASES ARE REOPENED

Deputy United States Marshal for Oregon E. T. Mass, ex-sheriff of Clatskanie county, spent the day in Roseburg, according to an agreement reached at the conference. It is believed actual operations will not get under way before next week.

By the terms of the contract, the County, State and Government each appropriate the sum of \$21,000 the estimated cost of the improvement being \$63,000. This amount of money will complete the entire cut-off and will put it in shape for travel. There remains about 2 miles of hard surface construction, where the road must be blasted out of the face of a high rock cliff, but for the remainder of the distance the grade is practically established and needs only clearing and leveling for travel.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. Sweeney of Willbur was in the city today visiting friends and shopping.

Mrs. Sherman Lester, departed this afternoon for a visit with relatives at Gardiner.

Mrs. W. Satchwell of Yoncalla returned home this afternoon following a short visit in this city.

Mrs. W. Jones and Mrs. J. St. Orr of Drain spent the day in Roseburg shopping.

Mrs. E. A. Shney left this afternoon for a visit with friends at Drain.

Grace Taylor returned to Roseburg yesterday following a visit at Oakland.

Miss Edna Lough, of this city, has accepted a position in the Roseburg National Bank, during the absence of Mrs. Christina Thornton, who is at the present time enjoying a vacation.

SOCIALISTS ARE GAINING CONTROL

Bela Kun, Hungarian Dictator Resigns When Bad News Arrives From Front.

HAVE NEW GOVERNMENT

VIENNA, Aug. 2.—Bela Kun, Hungarian communist dictator, resigned, after being succeeded by the socialist government, a Budapest message states today. On receipt of news from the front that created consternation in Budapest, Kun at a meeting of the Soviet socialists became pale and with his back to the wall he declared: "Very well, if you demand it, I must resign. I made the best fight I could."

FRUIT UNION GOES OUT OF EXISTENCE

Oregon Growers Co-operative Association to Take Charge of Business Interests.

ARRANGEMENTS MADE

Arrangements were perfected this morning between the directors of the Umpqua Valley Fruit Union and representatives of the Oregon Growers Co-operative Association for a contract to be entered into between the two organizations relative to the purchase of the property and the transfer of the interests of the local concern to the new state-wide fruit association. At a stockholders meeting recently the directors were authorized to consider this agreement. This will mean that the Umpqua Valley Fruit Union will pass out of existence after the first of the year and that the Oregon Growers Association will henceforth handle the fruit crops of this district.

SOCIALISTS WANT PEACE.

VIENNA, Aug. 2.—The new socialist government of Hungary made overtures for peace with the allies, according to an announcement made today. Bela Kun, given safe conduct by the allies, is expected to seek refuge here.

SUFFRAGE RATIFIED.

LINCOLN, Aug. 2.—The Nebraska legislature today ratified women's suffrage unanimously. This is the 14th state to ratify.

RACE RIOTS CALM TODAY.

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Only one fist fight between the whites and negroes has been reported in the past 12 hours. Calm prevails the black belt. Street car service has been resumed, following the acceptance of a wage scale of 65 cents an hour for surface and 67 cents for the men on the elevated roads.

SALE STARTS MONDAY.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—The house leaders had hoped to suspend business for two weeks, but stated that if a recess was not taken the house would meet daily but would transact no business. The war department has announced a plan to dispose of all of the surplus subsistence commodities, instead of only canned goods, cured meats and vegetables, as first proposed. Sales of foodstuffs direct to the public will commence next Monday through parcel post, and sales will be made in case or carton only to buyers. To the cost of the goods the purchaser must add the cost of delivery by parcel post from the storage plants where the foodstuffs are being held.

WILL OPEN OFFICES IN PERKINS BUILDING

F. C. Heffron, for many years an attorney at Minneapolis, Minn., has taken offices in the Perkins building and will take up the practice at law in this city. Mr. Heffron recently came to this county on a tourist trip and was so well pleased with this vicinity that he purchased a large ranch near Oakland. He has now decided to remain in this community and will open offices on the fourth floor of the building. Mr. Heffron was one of the foremost attorneys of the city in which he formerly resided and no doubt will gain a large practice in this vicinity.

THE END OF A PERFECT DAY

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS AND COSTS

WILL OPEN OFFICES IN PERKINS BUILDING

The end of a perfect day... One hundred dollars and costs... Will open offices in Perkins building.

The illustration shows a scene of a car driving on a road, a field with a horse, and a horse being led by a person. Text boxes are overlaid on the illustration, including 'The End of a Perfect Day' at the top, 'ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS AND COSTS' in a box on the right, and 'WILL OPEN OFFICES IN PERKINS BUILDING' in a box at the bottom right.