

WEATHER
Tonight and Thursday
Uncertain weather.

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DAILY TEMPERATURE
Highest yesterday 84
Lowest last night 58

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POLICE WORKING ON TRUNK MURDER CASE

Man Believed to be Murderer Thought to be Hiding in Mexico.

NEW CLUES ARE FOUND

Woman Says Murdered Girl Was to Become Mother—Positive Identification Has Been Made of the Body.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, July 27.—Eugene LeRoy, of Detroit, sought by the police in connection with the murder of the woman whose body was found in a trunk shipped to this city, probably in Mexico or some South American country, Assistant District Attorney Speed, of Detroit, said today, after a preliminary investigation of the case.

The Detroit district attorney said his investigation led him to believe jealousy was the motive for the alleged crime, as Mrs. Leo Trumbull, wife of a Detroit policeman and a friend of Mrs. LeRoy, had told him LeRoy had often quarreled with the woman over her attentions to Allen A. Tatum, in whose name the mystery trunk was shipped here.

Mrs. Trumbull arrived tonight. She it was said, will not be taken to the morgue, to identify the body until tomorrow, when her husband is expected to arrive.

Identification is Made.
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 27.—Positive identification of the woman known as Mrs. Eugene LeRoy, whose body was found in a trunk in New York was claimed today by the Birmingham News. The newspaper declares that the woman was Mrs. Katherine Jackson, aged 19, whose maiden name was Katherine Lou Frazier and that her home was in Streets, Miss.

The dead woman's husband was Kim McCoy Jackson, a young farmer who has never been inside the ring despite his name, the newspaper declares.

After the death of her mother in 1915 the young wife disappeared, the News says, to be heard from later in Birmingham, Nashville and other cities. So far as is known, the other cities, she never returned to her husband or obtained a divorce.

Was To Be Mother.
DETROIT, July 27.—A statement to the police by Mrs. Leo Trumbull, wife of a patrolman, that Mrs. Eugene LeRoy, victim of Detroit's trunk murder mystery, had confided to her that she was about to become a mother, injected a new theory into the case today.

Pollie today divided their attention between the hunt for LeRoy, husband of the slain woman, and a second trunk believed to contain the vital organs of the body and which is known to have been sent from the Harper avenue apartment house where the LeRoy's lived.

Mrs. Trumbull was to go to New York today to view the body. The police declared today they had established that Mrs. LeRoy planned an attempt at suicide before her death.

A call has been sent to every express office in the country to check over un-called for baggage in an effort to locate the second trunk.

Merry Picnic at Winstons Sunday

An enjoyable picnic was held Sunday, July 25, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Agoe at Winstons. About thirty Olalia residents motored to Winstons for the occasion, which was in the nature of a return picnic for the one held at Olalia on the preceding Sunday. At noon a bountiful dinner was served on the banks of the river under large maple trees. The afternoon was spent in the water by a great many of the "picnicers," and some daring water feats were held which in the opinion of those present would have done credit to professional swimmers. Many Dilard, Brockway and Winstons people were in attendance at the picnic in addition to the Olalia residents.

Arrested For Branding Employe

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 27.—Alvin Stegerwald, dairyman and member of the city council of Washington, and Homer Maulding, employed by Mr. Stegerwald, were arrested by Sheriff Johnson of Clarke county late today, charged with assault and battery on Dr. Walter Groth.

ARCTIC EXPLORER DROPS INTO NOME

Believe to be Outfitting For Dash In Attempt to Reach Pole.

SEARCH FOR BERGDOLL

Draft Evader Believed to Have Been Seen on Seattle-Spokane Train

(By Associated Press.)
NOME, Alaska, July 28.—Roland Amundsen, who some years ago made the dash to the South Pole, arrived here last night from Sledge Island, where his ship, Maud, is sheltering from the storms. All members of his exploring expedition are in good health.

Opportunity Given To Procure Seed

The County Agents office is now in a position to take orders for vetch and gray oats for fall seeding. These grains are obtained direct from the farmers a short time after they are threshed. Farmers and orchardists who desire to put in cover crops or do fall seeding are now given an opportunity to obtain seed for that purpose. This seed will be secured from the Willamette valley and as soon as the threshing of the same has been completed, samples of the grain will be on exhibit in the County Agent's office in the Federal building.

Douglas County Cets Ready Money

SALEM, Or., July 27.—A total of \$366,099.72, representing funds derived from the market road tax bill which was approved by the voters at the special election held on June 3, 1919, was today apportioned among the various counties of Oregon by Sam A. Koser, secretary of state. The amount disbursed represents funds received from the 1-mill tax levied on all assessable property in the state for market roads for the first six months' taxpaying period of 1920. Under the apportionment each county receives an amount at least equal to its contribution, but no county can receive in excess of 10 per cent of the total amount raised in that county in any one year.

In order for any county to participate in the distribution of this fund, it is required under the law to provide uniform levy on all taxable property of the county for the specific purpose of market road construction, such an amount as may equal the amount apportioned to said county by the state highway commission.

The law also provides that all market roads constructed with the funds disbursed by the secretary of state today, shall be constructed under the supervision and control of the county court of the respective counties, in compliance with plans and specifications furnished by the state highway commission.

Will Support Move For a Sanitarium

WILBUR, Ore., July 28.—At a mass meeting assembled at Wilbur last evening of the citizens and taxpayers of Wilbur, Winchester and vicinity, it was resolved by a unanimous vote that we will lend our moral and financial aid and efforts to promote and assist in any manner the building of a Hospital and Sanitarium at Winchester, Oregon, as a benefit to the state and community in general.

Further: We are fully convinced after due investigation, that the gentlemen backing these institutions will fully comply with all the laws regulating said institutions and to guard the community in every way.

Tom E. Grae, chairman; E. H. Russell, secretary; H. E. Guernsey, Mrs. H. E. Guernsey, J. R. Wheeler, Mrs. J. R. Wheeler, T. E. Gray, Mrs. T. E. Gray, W. R. Kinsey, Mrs. W. R. Kinsey, J. L. Chapman, E. H. Russell, W. E. Russell, C. W. Frazier, W. T. Hart, B. Irving, Mrs. B. Irving, Mrs. E. Brown Walker, Mazie Walker, Mrs. E. Brown, Mrs. R. E. Brown, J. H. Clark, C. T. Grubbe, Charles Mead, G. W. Short, Mrs. Mary Short, Geo. Short Jr., F. P. Miller.

C. B. Kincaid, of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, came to this city last night from Eugene and will spend a short time attending to business matters.

Outlaws Elude All Efforts at Capture

(By Associated Press.)
PENDLETON, July 28.—At Duncan several miles south east of this city, a posse searching for the slayers of Sheriff Taylor fired upon two men believed to be a part of the gang escaping from the Pendleton jail at the time Taylor was shot. The two suspects dropped off from a freight train and took to the brush when the posse fired. Additional deputies and bloodhounds have been sent to the place to assist in capturing the men.

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In the vicinity of Meacham creek three men are alleged to have been seen who are suspected to belong to the gang who broke jail Sunday. Forest fires are raging in the Blue Mountains, and posse officials hope this fact will aid in running the murderers down. A cache of food supplies was discovered near Meacham which is believed to belong to the outlaws. Out side of these incidents no trace of the fugitive desperadoes has been found today that would indicate their presence in the country.

Farmers Cannot Get Bailing Wire

Among other shortages the farmers of the county are now facing a shortage of bailing wire. Farmers who have cut large hay crops are finding great difficulty in securing sufficient bailing wire to operate their baling machines. Dealers report that they have made several attempts to secure wire but that a sufficient supply is not obtainable at this time. A great deal of the wire is still in the stacks waiting for wire so that the baling machines may be put in operation.

Boys Earn Money For Vacations

POCATELLO, Idaho, July 28.—Waste paper and cast-off material of various kinds have provided about 25 youngsters of Downey, a town near here, with a vacation such as many "grown-ups" might envy. The boys are collecting the waste material and selling it, raised a fund of about \$500. With this they are defraying expenses of an automobile tour thru Yellowstone park.

Red Cross Caring Russian Children

TOKIO, July 28.—The American Red Cross of Siberia, directed by Dr. R. B. Teusler, of Tokio, has completed arrangements for the transportation of 761 Petrograd school children from Vladivostok to their former homes in Soviet Russia. The children, boys and girls, were expected to embark at Vladivostok for Riga on a chartered steamer, the Yemel-Maru.

Law Makers in Fight

TOKIO, July 28.—Further disorder occurred here in the house of representatives yesterday, when allegations that Baron Takahashi, minister of finance, and other members of his cabinet, had improperly used their offices by indulging in stock gambling were again discussed. Several members of the opposition rushed to the platform, followed by the governmental followers and a fist encounter started immediately when the two law making factions met on common ground. The disturbance was quelled by the interference of the guards.

Baise Money for Army

TOKIO, July 28.—The house of peers yesterday adopted an income tax bill which provides for increased taxes. It was also a provision of the bill that it be used in carrying out the program for army and navy extensions.

FUNERAL HELD TODAY

The funeral services of W. A. Smick, who passed away in this city Tuesday, were held at the Presbyterian church at 2:30 this afternoon. The auditorium of the church was filled with sorrowing friends and relatives of the aged pioneer, Rev. W. Warrington officiated, and beautiful special music was sung. There was also a profusion of floral offerings. A large number of people followed the body to its last resting place in the Masonic cemetery.

AIRCRAFT COMPANY MAY LOCATE HERE

Head of Big Concern in Roseburg Today to Meet With Local Business Men.

TWO PLANES PLANNED

Demonstrations Will be Put on at Myrtle Creek, Riddle, Canyonville and Glendale—Company Has Planes for Sale.

C. M. Aldrich, representing the Dudley Aircraft company, of Portland, owners of the plane which has been operating in this city during the past few days, arrived in Roseburg today and will meet with a number of representative business men in an effort to establish a branch agency with two planes in this city. This company, which is handling airplanes of the English training type equipped with Curtiss trainers, will put on a demonstration during the next few days at Myrtle Creek, Glendale, Riddle and Canyonville. These demonstrations will start the 29th at Myrtle Creek and will last for three days in each of the places named. Lieutenant Ayres, who is one of the most competent pilots on the coast, will fly the plane and passengers will be assured some real thrills. This company is selling airplanes and is also conducting schools for mechanics and pilots. At the meeting tonight the establishing of a branch agency with two commercial planes will be discussed and arrangements made for the handling of the business.

Children to be Given Quart Milk

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SELECTING SITE FOR NEW HATCHERY

M. L. Ryckman Superintendent Spends Day on Rock Creek Inspecting.

MUST STOCK STREAMS

Oregon Has World Wide Reputation for Fishing Streams and Attention Must be Given to Sustaining These Claims.

Matt L. Ryckman, for many years superintendent of the McKenzie river hatchery, who was recently appointed superintendent of all trout hatcheries in the state of Oregon, spent the day inspecting hatchery sites on Rock creek preparatory to the erection of an exclusive trout hatchery at that place. Mr. Ryckman has not yet resigned his position at the McKenzie hatchery but expects to do so as soon as the plans of the commission regarding the construction of exclusive trout hatcheries have progressed sufficiently to demand all of his time.

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