

**WEATHER**  
Highest yesterday ... 68  
Lowest last night ... 42  
Tonight and Saturday  
Fair; light frost morning

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## TEXAS TORNADO CAUSES DEATH OF TEN AND LOSS OF HALF MILLION DOLLARS

Buildings Wrecked—City of Oak Hill Suffers—Four Members of One Family Killed at This Place—Seven Mile Swath Is Cut—Many Are Injured.

(By United Press.)  
AUSTIN, Texas, May 5.—Tornadoes which swept Austin late yesterday took a toll of ten lives, injuring fifty and caused property damage exceeding a half million dollars.

Cuts 7 Mile Swath.  
AUSTIN, Texas, May 4.—Nine dead, 38 injured, two probably fatally, and property damage estimated at \$400,000 was the toll of death and destruction in the wake of a tornado which late today swept thru the west side of Austin and out of the city of Oak Hill, eight miles southwest, according to a check of the situation late tonight.

The dead are:  
Mrs. John Bargaley, Sr.  
Miss Aida Bargaley.  
Mrs. J. S. Thompson, Sr.  
Mrs. J. S. Thompson, Jr.  
John S. Thompson, Jr.  
Eight months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Padgett, and three negroes.

Most All Deaths at Oak Hill.  
With the exception of the Padgett baby, all the deaths occurred at Oak Hill. The other white victims were in one house when the tornado struck it. All of them were killed instantly except Mrs. Thompson, Jr., who died at a hospital.

The Padgett baby died from injuries received when it was picked up by the tornado and carried across a road and then dropped. Its parents also were carried a short distance by the wind but were not injured seriously. Other persons were injured in the Oak Hill community but information from there tonight was meager and the exact number could not be learned. The two persons reported fatally injured are J. S. Munnett, Jr., and Mrs. W. F. Woodman. Both were injured at Penfield by flying planks. The other injured persons are expected to recover.

Most Damage at Penfield.  
Most of the damage was caused at Penfield, a suburb. There the storm struck the Woodward Manufacturing company's plant, a woodwork establishment, and demolished it, killing an employe and injuring 15 other employes, none seriously. About 78 other employes escaped, having taken flight when they saw the storm approaching. Some were carried

## IRISH INSURGENTS IGNORE THE TRUCE

(By Associated Press.)  
DUBLIN, May 5.—The barracks at Castle Pollard, West Meath, were blown up by the irregular forces who destroyed the Mullingar barracks on Wednesday. The irregulars were pursued from Mullingar to Castle Pollard by the provisional government forces and the barracks blown up to prevent their occupation.

Bitter Feeling Exists.  
DUBLIN, May 5.—(U. P.)—Feeling against the insurgent De Valerites is running high today, as the result of the killing of three free state soldiers when the rebels ambushed them at Newton-Cunningham. The free state troops were observing yesterday's truce, which was supposed to last until next Monday, when the rebels opened murderous fire upon them.

## CLAIMS LOWDEN MEN GIVEN APPOINTMENTS

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, May 5.—Senator Harrison, democrat, in attacking the nomination of Nat Goldstein as internal revenue collector at St. Louis, because he accepted \$2500 from the Lowden presidential campaign managers, said that several other Lowden delegates had been given administrative appointments.

## PLANNING TO MAKE LOAN TO GERMANY

(By United Press.)  
NEW YORK, May 5.—J. P. Morgan and George Whitney of the J. P. Morgan and Co., will sail for Europe May 13th to discuss an international loan to Germany, they announced today.

## PORTLAND WHEAT PRICES.

(By Associated Press.)  
PORTLAND, May 5.—Wheat was today quoted at \$1.25 and \$1.28.

## INJUNCTION WILL CONTINUE IN EFFECT

(By Associated Press.)  
PORTLAND, May 5.—The temporary injunction against the longshoremen picketing was continued in effect until next Thursday by the circuit court today when Seneca Fouts, the longshoremen's attorney, informed the court that he had not received a copy of the complaint upon which the order was issued Monday.

## GENERAL WU IN CONTROL PEKING

Anti-Japanese Forces Are Victorious Over Troops From Manchuria.

## PEKING GATE RAMMED

Chang's Soldiers Use Locomotive in Attempt to Batter Down Massive Gate—Were Unsuccessful—Foreigners Excited.

(By Associated Press.)  
PEKING, May 5.—General Wu Pei Fu was in control of Peking at noon today. General Chang Tso-Lin, whose forces he routed yesterday in a fierce battle south of the capital, is reported fleeing to Mukden. Chang's army is retreating in disorder towards Tien Tsin. Observers believe Chang's collapse ends the hostilities. General Wu attributes much of his success to the initiative of Feng Yip Siang, the "Christian general," who commanded the operations which resulted in the retreat of Chang's army.

Last night crowds of Chang's soldiers gathered outside of the Peking walls clamoring for admittance. They used a locomotive in an attempt to ram the gate, but failed. The American section, just inside of the gate, was greatly excited by the ramming attempt. Guards on top of the wall dispersed the attackers with machine guns. 4 No foreigners were hurt.

VICTORY IS COMPLETE.  
SHANGHAI, May 5.—(U. P.)—General Wu's victory over General Chang's Manchurian forces has been smashing and complete, according to advices from all sections of the Peking battle front today.

The defeat of Chang's army took on the form of a rout today, with the Fu forces cutting off large detachments of the Chang forces at all points. The Chinese press is jubilantly declaring that Japanese domination of Manchuria has been dealt a severe blow by the Chang defeat.

BACKED BY JAPS.  
CHICAGO, May 5.—Rev. W. T. Hebart, dean of the theological school at Peking, China, in an address here today, explained the Chinese strife by saying that General Chang is backed by Japanese influences, while General Wu is anti-Japanese.

GUARD AGAINST VIOLENCE.  
WASHINGTON, May 5.—A detachment of American marines have been dispatched to Tung Chow, fifteen miles from Peking, to guard against possible violence to the foreign colonies when the General Chang forces retreat before the Wu advance. The marines reported everything quiet in the Tung Chow sector.

## TO ORGANIZE MIXED CLAIMS COMMITTEE

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, May 5.—Negotiations are under way between the United States and Germany for the organization of a mixed claims committee to pass upon the claims by American citizens of loss of property in the United States and Germany as a result of the sinking of the Lusitania. The committee will probably consist of three members, one American, one German and one neutral.

Here for Funeral Services—  
Mrs. W. J. Long and little daughter arrived here today from their home at Grants Pass. Mr. W. J. Long, who is the son of the late Mrs. Frances Long, has been here for the past few days. They will attend the funeral services which will be held in this city this evening at 7:30 at the Undertaking Parlors.

Arrived Here Today—  
Mrs. Frank Erickson arrived here today from San Francisco with the body of her husband whose death occurred in that city yesterday at the Southern Pacific hospital. Mr. Erickson was an employe of the S. P. company for 25 years. The flags at the station and round house were today hung at half mast in respect for the deceased member of the company. The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at the Undertaking Parlors.

A potato shipment from California was ordered returned the first of this week, when Fruit Inspector Armstrong and County Agent Cooney found the shipment to be infected with Tuber moth. This moth is quite prevalent in California and all shipments from the infected districts are barred. It is evident that this shipment slipped through inspection in that state and it is fortunate that it was found here as the escape of the Tuber moth in this district would result in a quarantine on all potatoes and cause much loss to growers.

## PRETTY YOUNG GIRL ASSAULTED AND KILLED

(By United Press.)  
MEXIA, Texas, May 5.—Poses and mobs, lead by bloodhounds, today sought the slayer of Eulia Osley, pretty school girl.  
The girl's body was found a mile from her home, with face mutilated and 30 stab wounds in the body. She had been criminally assaulted.

## ATTEMPT MADE TO BURN NEWSPAPER

(By United Press.)  
LOS ANGELES, May 5.—The police are investigating the attempt to burn the Los Angeles Record building last night.  
The paper has been conducting an editorial campaign against the night riders.  
The fire department was able to extinguish the flames.  
Two fleeing figures were seen in the dark and they were believed to be the firebugs.

## ESCAPED MURDERER CAUGHT IN SEATTLE

(By United Press.)  
SEATTLE, May 5.—Encountered while hunting a job, John Koettler, aged 45 years, a machinist, convicted of murdering Mrs. Emma Kraft in Chicago in 1913 and who escaped from Joliet prison three years ago, was arrested and held for Chicago police today.

## FILE AMENDMENT TO STATE INCOME TAX

(By Associated Press.)  
PORTLAND, May 5.—The state taxpayers' league today sent the secretary of state an income tax amendment to the state constitution providing that half of the state's annual expenses be met by an income tax, half from the real and personal property tax. If adopted by the voters next fall it would become effective in 1924.

## SELECT CANDIDATES AT STORMY MEETING

(By Associated Press.)  
PORTLAND, May 5.—Newton McCoy, local attorney and T. M. Kerrigan, ex-service man, were chosen at a stormy meeting last night as candidates for the public service commissioners at the recall election on May 19th. The meeting was attended by 150 delegates, and presided over by Robert G. Duncan, who started the recall movement against Williams and Buchtel.

## SECOND WEEK OF MINERS' TRIAL STARTS

(By United Press.)  
CHARLESTON, W. Va., May 15.—The prosecution today entered the second week of its onslaught against the miners in the treason trials here, growing out of the Logan county mine war last summer. The case's outcome is still doubtful. Twenty-four witnesses have been called so far. The popular impression is that the prosecution has failed to prove that the miners in March "made an attempt to overthrow the state."

## CAMPAIGN BEHALF OF AERONAUTICS

(By United Press.)  
WASHINGTON, May 5.—To arouse interest in aeronautics, both commercial and military, Rear Admiral Fullerton, retired, will leave Washington shortly to tour the Pacific coast under the auspices of the Aero Club of America.

## DEMPSEY WILLING TO FIGHT CARPENTIER

(By Associated Press.)  
PARIS, May 5.—Jack Dempsey told the Associated Press today that it was almost certain that he would meet Carpentier again in London or Paris late this year, if Carpentier defeats Ted Lewis in London on May 11th and provided the purse is satisfactory.

## CONTRACTS ALLOWED

The county court this afternoon granted several of the road contracts submitted this morning. The grading of the Miller section was allowed to George D. Weaver and the graveling to Russell E. Harness. George Weaver also obtained the grading contracts on the Applegate and Rice Valley sections. The Bilger bridge the county decided to build for account. The contract on the Ireland Hill section is still under advisement.

## INVESTIGATION OF COAL STRIKE URGED

(By United Press.)  
WASHINGTON, May 5.—The house labor committee today reported out a bill calling for a thorough investigation into the reasons for the present coal strike and the creation of a federal agency compelling the operators to supply complete information on all costs entering into the production and distribution of coal.

## CANNERY FINDS NEED OF BERRIES

Strawberries Sufficient to Justify Canning Would Keep Plant Running.

## SHUT-DOWN NECESSARY

Gap Between Broccoli Season and Cherries Forces Plant to Lie Idle for Weeks When it Might be Bringing a Profit.

If growers of the Umpqua valley will give more attention to the growing of strawberries, and will produce a large crop of these popular berries, it will be possible to keep the Roseburg cannery operating practically the entire year round in the future. Manager Frank Norton stated today in discussing the plans for the local cannery. At the present time the gap between the broccoli season and the cherry season forces the plant to shut down for several weeks, while it would be possible to run on strawberries much of the time and maintain a steady payroll and at the same time give the growers good financial returns.

The canning season which started with broccoli last month has been interrupted and there is no activity now, Mr. Norton says.

A few employes are kept busy handling canned fruit which is being shipped out but no steady run will start until cherries come in during the month of June. Cherries will be followed by loganberries and blackberries and pears. This will keep the plant in operation until the apple season which will carry over into the first of next year. The cannery will spend between \$30,000 and \$40,000 for labor during this period, Mr. Norton estimates, and will spend probably \$50,000 for fruit and berries.

Prices on all fruits and berries with the exception of loganberries will be better than last year, Mr. Norton believes. He has on hand orders which will more than take care of the cherry and berry pack, and it will be no trouble to dispose of the pears and apples, he believes.

On cherries and berries he has orders on hand for many more cases than the cannery will be able to put out and these will bring very fair prices. Apples are always in demand and there will be no trouble in disposing of them. Several of the large brokerage firms have written Mr. Norton regarding the pear pack, and from present indications contracts will be signed which will give very pleasing returns on pears.

The local company which is now being organized, has bought the Ruster holdings outright. Stock subscriptions are coming in nicely and the financial part of the project will be easily handled it is believed. The orders on hand justify an investment in cannery stock, while the support of the community is earned by the large amount of outside money brought in and paid out in the form of wages and returns on fruit purchased.

Mr. Norton is very anxious to see growers put in strawberries so that the operation of the cannery may be continuous. The Umpqua valley is admirably suited to the growing of strawberries but because of the lack of a cannery and suitable marketing facilities, few of these berries have been raised in the past few years. There is a great demand for them and they usually bring very good prices at the cannery. It is to be hoped that the results of this year's run will be profitable not only from the standpoint of the grower but to the community in general.

Mrs. E. G. Odell and two daughters, Theda and Opal, left here for their home at Yoncalia today after spending the past few days in this city visiting at the home of Mrs. Odell's brother, R. H. Hazelrigg.

County Clerk I. B. Riddle is keeping his force very busy getting election supplies ready for the coming primary election. The ballot boxes are being filled and will be delivered to the sheriff in time that he may get them out to all precincts. Two new precincts have been added at Reedsport making 51 election precincts this year. There are 26 precincts in which there will be two boards and counting will be carried on at the same time the vote is taken.

## CROP SHORTAGE EXISTING IN EUROPE; WILL BOOST EXPORTS OF UNITED STATES

Reports to Commerce Department Indicate Increased Trade—America's Wheat Surplus Will Be Drawn Upon—Foreign Conditions Cited.

By W. H. ATKINS  
(International News Service Staff Correspondent.)  
WASHINGTON, May 5.—Europe will rely heavily this year upon the United States, both for raw materials and foodstuffs. America's exports, therefore, will continue in as large a volume, if not larger than in 1921. The best estimates of American trade observers today revealed that Europe's crops are not up to predictions.

America's wheat surplus will be drawn upon to make up shortages in different European countries. While crops in the chief grain-growing regions of Europe are in fair condition there will be a deficiency in output because of poor results from the sowings last fall.

Competent experts abroad, reporting to the commerce department and other government agencies, agree that to make up the shortage in the larger producing areas, as well as the much larger deficiency will mean a steadier flow of American products to European buyers.

A more hopeful view prevails of Europe's ability to finance heavier purchases. Reports to the federal reserve board and other fiscal agencies indicate that European securities are being sold in large volume in the United States at the present time, and the result will be the establishment of new credit channels, through which larger foreign trade may be arranged.

Trade experts, reviewing Europe's food needs for the remainder of this year, cite the following facts:  
Foreign Conditions.

Rumania, one of Europe's great grain storehouses, offers bad prospects for next season's harvests. Intensive efforts are being made by England, France, Italy and Rumania to increase the spring plantings to make up part of expected shortages.

In Germany, the Netherlands and Poland the potato shortage, with accompanying high prices, has tended to stimulate larger acreages of potatoes at the expense of beet sugar acreage.

Conditions closer to normal appear to exist in Belgium, Scandinavia and Italy.

In war areas of Europe it is estimated that 50 per cent of the farm land will be under cultivation this year.

Heavy buying this spring already has restored partially the depleted grain stocks of Great Britain.

France, Belgium and the Netherlands must continue to purchase heavily of grains through the entire summer, experts declared.  
Most persistent demand comes from central Europe. This is due to

## Luncheon at Fullerton Home

Mrs. J. C. Fullerton and Mrs. Nathan Fullerton entertained a number of ladies at a 1 o'clock luncheon at the Nathan Fullerton home on East Cass street this afternoon. Scotch bloom was attractively arranged in one room where the luncheon table was centered with yellow and white narcissus, while at another table the center piece was a pretty cluster of pink tulips and the room was filled with decoration of pink bleeding hearts and flowering cherry blossoms. The hostesses, Mrs. J. C. Fullerton and Mrs. Nathan Fullerton, were assisted in serving by Mrs. Stanley Kidder, Mrs. Charles W. Wharton and Mrs. Irvin Brunn.

## Jailed Klansmen Willing to Testify

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., May 4.—After spending half the night in the county jail, where he had been incarcerated by Superior Judge T. N. Harvey for contempt of court when he refused to answer questions put to him in the grand jury investigation of the Ku Klux Klan here, E. A. Abbot, who admits he is a member of the Klan changed his mind and was willing today to testify.  
Abbot was taken before the grand jury at an early hour today, and after telling his story, which was withheld by the grand jury, was released.  
What was purported to be a statement from the Bakersfield chapter of the Ku Klux Klan was handed anonymously to a local newspaper today with the request that it be printed. No signatures were attached.

the exhaustion of native grain stocks, potato shortage, scant supplies of fodder as a result of the drought last autumn.  
Austria's import demands of flour alone probably will amount to 324,000 tons between March 1 and August 1.  
Germany is far from self-supporting in her foodstuff production and must continue to buy extensively of American exporters.

## Bess Clough For Strict Economy

Bess Clough, of Canyonville, is one of the few lady candidates in the state at the coming primary election. She is seeking the republican nomination for county representative and is making a whirlwind campaign. Her official announcement and platform is published elsewhere in this paper. She promises to work for a general tax reduction and a revision of the laws pertaining to motor vehicle license and tax, and in all affairs of state to work in the behalf of true economy.

## Salem Legion Hits Commission

SALEM, May 4.—Contending that the spirit of the bonus law is defeated by the refusal of the bonus commission to extend loans to ex-service men up to 75 per cent of the appraised value of property offered as security, attorneys for the Salem American Legion post presented their arguments for a writ of mandamus against the bonus commission before Judges Bingham and Kelly of the Marion county circuit court here Wednesday.

The case came to issue on a demurrer filed by the attorney general in reply to the complaint filed by the legion post. The case has been taken under advisement.

In order to test out the situation which is said to apply to more than 200 cases in the section, the legion post has filed mandamus proceedings against the bonus commission to compel the extension of a loan equivalent to 75 per cent of the appraised value of the property offered as security by Edwin Stephen Woodford, a Salem ex-service man. The commission had allowed a loan of only \$1000 to Woodford, who had applied for a loan of approximately \$2100, based upon the valuation of his property as fixed by the board of appraisers for Marion county, appointed by the commission.

## Reedsport Lumber Co. Case In Court

The motion to continue the receiver in the case of R. A. Annin against the Reedsport Lumber company, was overruled this afternoon by Circuit Judge J. W. Hamilton, after hearing a rather lengthy argument in the case. Suit was brought a short time ago by Mr. Annin an alleged creditor, who asked the appointment of a receiver to protect the interests of the creditor. A temporary receiver was appointed a week ago, to serve until the court could further investigate and determine the policy to follow. Evidence was introduced today and the motion taken up in detail. Other creditors appeared and after hearing the case thoroughly Judge Hamilton found that a majority of the stockholders were not in favor of continuing the receivership but were satisfied with the management under J. W. McIntosh. It was also held that the plaintiff's claim should be properly established before further action was taken, as the company contested the claim as set forth by the plaintiff.

## WORKING ON BALL DIAMOND

The American Legion baseball grounds committee started work today on the diamond leased from the Laurelwood company. Art March donated a Cletrac tractor and his services to assist in the work and this evening a gang of baseball fans appeared on the field prepared for action. They are bending every effort to place the grounds in condition for Sunday's game and the result will be announced tomorrow. The bleachers are being erected and a crew of carpenters worked all day today.