

The Weather
Highest temperature yesterday...70
Lowest temperature last night...50
Fair tonight and Tuesday; moderately high temperature and low humidity.

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CONVENTION OF EDITORS TO BE HERE NEXT YEAR

Roseburg Selected for Next Meeting by Unanimous Vote of Association.

DATE NOT CHOSEN

Caravan to Bandon to Be Feature at Close of Next Year's Program—Officers Elected.

Roseburg was unanimously selected as the site for the 1927 convention of the Oregon State Editorial Association at the closing session of their meeting in Prineville on Saturday, according to B. W. Bates, editor of the Roseburg News-Review, who returned to his home in this city yesterday. Mr. Bates extended an invitation to the editors on behalf of the city of Roseburg and without a dissenting vote it was determined to bring the next convention to this city.

The attendance at Prineville was over 100, and it is expected that this will be doubled at Roseburg, as an urgent invitation is to be issued to all publishers and their families. The hospitality of the city has become well known throughout the state, due to the entertainment furnished for several conventions recently, and the editors are all looking forward with much interest to next year's meetings.

The date for the 1927 convention has not yet been set, but will probably be in July or August, the date being left to the executive committee, of which Mr. Bates is a member. No program has as yet been outlined other than the fact that a number of side trips to points around Roseburg are planned, while on the last day it is promised that a caravan will be run to Bandon, where the editors will frolic on the beach for the concluding event of their convention.

The coming convention is not only an opportunity for Roseburg to enjoy the fellowship of editors from all over the state, but it will be a benefit to the entire community, for much favorable publicity will result. The various organizations of the city, led by the Chamber of Commerce, have agreed to cooperate in making the event a success and it will be something to look forward to during the coming year.

The session was closed at Prineville was one of the most successful the association has ever held, and many interesting problems vital to the entire state, were considered by the assembled editors.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.

- Prineville, Ore., June 21.—Roseburg was chosen the 1927 convention city, and A. R. Mallory of the Tillamook Headlight re-elected president by Oregon newspaper men and women at their closing business session here Saturday. Hall Ross, of the Oregon City Enterprise, secretary of (Continued on page 8.)
- A school election for the purpose of selecting three directors started this afternoon at the high school building.
- Owing to the fact that only three candidates have filed petitions for the three vacancies, it is not expected that there will be a great deal of interest shown, or that the vote will be heavy. It is understood that there are several candidates being advanced by friends, who will write in the names of these candidates on the blank spaces provided on the ballot so that in view of the small vote expected the outcome of the election is a matter of conjecture.
- The polls opened at 2 o'clock this afternoon, and will close at 7 o'clock tonight.
- All qualified voters are entitled to vote at this election.
- There being no restrictions other than those imposed at primary or general elections, ownership of property not being a qualification required of voters except in bond elections.

Discus Is Closing Siege And Rebellion

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
DAMASCUS, June 21.—Desolation reigns in Damascus. The holy city of the near East, keeper of the tradition of Arab and Moslem, is in a state of siege from without, while rebellion is seething within. A triple row of barbed wire, block houses and dugouts bristling with machine guns and flanked by artillery encircling the heart of the city, have kept the dissident Druses from storming the Moslem capital of Syria. For six months, however, the dissidents have been holding the once luxurious garden virtually surrounding the city.

Barbed wire and barbed wire entanglements are at every important street corner and command every square in the very center of the city to within a hundred yards of the general staff headquarters of the French army. These defensive measures have maintained a relative calm among the inhabitants within the walls of the ancient capital, but have not completely stamped out rebellious elements.

The dissident forces holding the garden have been estimated at between 1220 and 2,000. They have no artillery save two small anti-tank guns.

Sultan Attrache, commander-in-chief of the Druse army, within the past few days, sent a message to the American people through the Associated Press in which he denied the violation of the rights of Christians in Syria and stated that the French in order to establish their own rights in their native land.

FARM AID AND LIQUOR FIGURE IN MINNESOTA

Candidates for Congress and State Jobs Being Made at Primary.

DEMOCRATS ARE UNIT

Maine Registering Vote on Proposed Law Barring State Support for Private Schools.

Magnus Johnson in Race

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
ST. PAUL, June 21.—Only a hint of such national issues as prohibition and farm relief stirred the surface of campaigning incident to today's state wide primary in Minnesota to nominate candidates for state and congressional offices.

OFFICERS BUY STILL AND JUG OF MOONSHINE

Deputy Sheriffs Conduct Successful Purchase of Liquor Outfit.

OWNER IS ARRESTED

Norman Ellis of Days Creek Says He Was Scared Out of Business by Visit in January.

Norman Ellis, a resident of the Days Creek vicinity, is under arrest charged with the possession of a still. He is said to have sold the still to two deputy sheriffs who negotiated the purchase not only of the moonshine manufacturing plant, but also of a 3-quart jug of moonshine.

A special deputy, who has been working on liquor cases for a short time, arranged Saturday with Ellis for the purchase of his still, paying two marked half dollars as first payment and agreeing to return in the evening with his partner, who was supposed to have the necessary \$14 to complete the purchase.

In the evening a deputy from the sheriff's office, disguised in dirty, worn overalls and coat, went with the special officer to Ellis' place.

They found Ellis at work in the yard, and without a question, the officers say, Ellis went down the road and dug up a copper wash-boiler and dome and a jug of moonshine. With these he returned to the car and dumped them into the machine.

U. S. ENGINEERS MAKE REPORT ON COQUILLE RIVER

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
WASHINGTON, June 21.—Interior Department engineers have found that development of 26,000 continuous horsepower at natural storage reservoir site on Coquille river in Oregon is possible.

POLICEMAN GOES THROUGH TRANSMOM AND GETS HIS MAN

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
PORTLAND, Ore., June 21.—Police Lieutenant William A. Barker climbed through the transom of a drug store early today and captured a man who had been seen to enter the store by the same route. Barker proceeded through the store several minutes before he found the intruder crouched in an aisle. The burglar, at Barker's command, threw his guns on the floor and hoisted his hands. The man gave his name as Jack Allen, 29.

7th Cavalry And Indians Meet At Little Big Horn Again After Fifty Years

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
CROWN AGENCY, Mont., June 21.—After a lapse of 50 years the seventh cavalry and the Sioux and the Cheyenne are again encamped overlooking the valley of the Little Big Horn.

Today they meet in a spirit of friendship and to renew the pledge of peace that has remained unbroken through the years.

On June 25, 1876, they met here in battle that resulted in the annihilation of five companies of the seventh cavalry, commanded by the dashing general, George A. Custer.

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week they will commemorate the 50th anniversary of the battle of the Little Big Horn.

ROBERT D. EVANS FORMER RESIDENT OF ROSEBURG DEAD

Fireman Killed in Train Wreck Near Albany Late Saturday Night—Sheep Are Lost.

ALBANY, Ore., June 21.—Robert D. Evans of Portland, fireman was killed when two Southern Pacific freight trains crashed together about half a mile west of Albany late Saturday night.

Evans was fireman on freight Extra 2378, switching on the main line siding. According to information here train No. 98 coming in off the main line struck the extra.

Evans jumped as the crash happened and a freight car which left the rails fell on him, crushing him. Clarence Mickle of Albany, fireman, suffer a fractured ankle. Sheep Are Killed

TRAVELER THINKS HE HAS DISCOVERED THE MISSING LINK

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
LONDON, June 21.—A dispatch to the Daily Express from Johannesburg, South Africa, tells of an unnamed traveler who reported having encountered in the northern Katanga district of the Belgian Congo a curious tribe of natives whose physical characteristics suggest "the missing link."

LABORER FOUND DEAD ON HIGHWAY; BULLET THRU HEAD

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
COLFAX, Wash., June 21.—The body of Alfred H. Carroll, aged 25, a farm laborer, was found on the Inland Empire highway near Steptoe Wash. last night with a bullet hole through the head. Some 250 feet away were a pool of blood and a pistol. Coroner W. R. Goodrich declared the body had been moved after the shot was fired, but that no signs of it having been struck by an automobile were found.

UNION OF WORLD CHRISTIANS IS POPE'S DESIRE

Message Given by Cardinal Bonzano to Catholics at Convention.

FIRST SERVICES HELD

Public Session Today Finds Assemblage So Big That Procession Cannot Enter Stadium.

CHICAGO, June 21.—

Thousands of worshippers, intent on approaching as near as possible to the altar and the prelates, halted the program of the first general session of the 25th international eucharistic congress of the Catholic church today. The remainder of the program was abandoned.

The communion had barely been ended with John Cardinal Bonzano, papal legate, celebrating the solemn pontifical mass, and the papal blessing had been said, when the rush came.

The abandoned program consisted of addresses by Cardinal Von Vauthaler of Munich, Germany; Archbishop Daniel Annix of Melbourne, Aus., and former Senator David I. Walsh of Massachusetts, but the enthusiasm of the crowds demanded the clearing of the field.

At 1:45 p. m., the announcers still were urging the crowd to keep away from the altar and "leave the field at once."

Grant Park, on the lake front, where the stadium is situated, was blocked with crowds and Michigan Boulevard, cleared of its ordinary traffic, was jammed for nearly two miles by the dispersing thousands.

1500 DENTISTS AT PORTLAND ATTEND COAST CONVENTION

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
PORTLAND, Ore., June 21.—Dentists of the Pacific coast states and British Columbia gathered in Portland today for the first triennial session of the Pacific coast dental association. About 1,500 dentists had been registered, including many of the leaders of the profession in the United States.

Tell Truth In Advertising, Says R.R. Head

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
PHILADELPHIA, June 21.—Through their tireless efforts and continuous fight for "truth in advertising," Sir Henry W. Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, told the annual convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the world that his members had done more than any other factor to establish in the business world the faith of the buyer in the honest purpose of the seller. Proper advertising in its introductory aspect, the speaker said, was the foundation of successful business.

"Business," said Sir Henry, "has assumed a new aspect during the past quarter of a century. The days of bartering and trading have disappeared. New and more cordial relations exist between the seller and buyer and a new confidence in the integrity of each has developed. Business today, whether in the sale of brains in the industrial field or in the dispensing of that service which a railroad has to sell, is founded on integrity, fair dealing and truth, and to you who have become such an important factor in modern business affairs, I pay a well merited tribute."

Advertising which excites the reader to travel, Sir Henry declared, was inducing countless thousands to turn their faces toward the beauty spots of America and Canada.

"It is this advertising, backed by service and the efforts of those salesmen employed by the railroad," he said, "which has made a race of travelers on this continent."

Sir Henry said that no amount of advertising would create a permanent market for an inferior article.

BEIDLEMAN IS SILENT AT QUIZ ON "WET" FUND

Unsuccessful Aspirant for Governor Declines to Give Information.

NO PROGRESS MADE

Campaign Manager for Vare Replies to Questions, But Committee Not Enlightened.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
WASHINGTON, June 21.—Edward E. Beidleman, defeated candidate for governor in the Pennsylvania Republican primary, declined today to tell the senate campaign committee about the contest in Allegheny (Pittsburgh) county over the vote for governor.

EX-KAISER NOT DISPOSSESSED OF HIS ESTATES

German Election Fails of Purpose Because Only 40 Per Cent Vote.

LAW REQUIRES HALF

President Hindenburg Not With 28-to-1 Majority Registered at Polls for Confiscation.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)
BERLIN, June 21.—The vast landed estates and other properties of William Hohenzollern and other former German rulers are safe for confiscation. A national referendum to decide whether the properties should be expropriated by the state failed to bring out an affirmative vote on half of the eligible electors, which was necessary under the law.

It would have required an affirmative vote of about 20,000,000 to have taken away the holdings of the former ruling houses. The affirmative vote was 14,889,708, and the negative vote 542,311.

Fully 60 per cent of the eligible voters remained away from the polls while 35 per cent endorsed unconditional confiscation. More than 500,000 ballots were declared defective.

Bavaria and other nationalist strongholds rejected the confiscation proposal through abstaining from voting. In the industrial centers, such as the Ruhr and in Saxony, the proposal was given its chief support.

Hindenburg Against It. In President Hindenburg's hometown, Hanover, there was a vote of 156,584 in favor of taking away the properties. This was slightly more than half the number of the eligible voters. President Von Hindenburg was a bitter opponent of the measure to confiscate the royal properties and recently, in a personal letter, declared that the adoption of it would be contrary to all right and justice.

The defeat of the confiscation proposal was a blow to the political prestige of the socialists who strongly favored it and it is considered as likely to vitally influence that party's parliamentary attitude on the question of joining future coalition government, because of embitterment over their desertion by the Democrats and centrists. Both the initiative and referendum were financed with socialist funds.

TODAY'S BASEBALL

National League.	
First Game: (11 innings)—	
Brooklyn	7 14 5
Boston	8 16 0
Batteries: Vance, Ehrhardt and Hargraves; Mouridge, Baxton and J. Taylor.	
R. H. E.	
Philadelphia	3 6 2
New York	10 18 1
Batteries: Mitchell, Jonnard and Heinline; Scott and Florence, McMullen.	
R. H. E.	
St. Louis	11 14 2
Pittsburgh	15 14 2
Batteries: Rhem, Johnson, Reinhardt, Rothorn, Huntzinger, Hallahan and O'Farrell; Meadows, Yde, Kramer and Gensch, Spencer.	
American League:	
R. H. E.	
Cleveland	5 11 1
Chicago	2 8 0
Batteries: Shaute and Mynatt; Thomas, Edwards and Crouse, Grabowski.	
R. H. E.	
St. Louis	4 10 1
Detroit	5 11 1
Batteries: Wells and Manion, Woodard.	
(11 Innings)—	
R. H. E.	
Boston	6 15 1
Philadelphia	7 12 0
Batteries: Zachary and Buffin and Gaston; Elmke, Willie, Rommel and Cochrane.	