

**5/6 Weather**  
Highest temperature yesterday...59  
Lowest temperature last night...39  
Forecast for southwest Oregon:  
Unsettled, probably local rains to-  
night and Wednesday; normal tem-  
perature.

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### ARMED FORCES GUARD POLLS AS CHICAGO VOTES

**5,000 Policemen, Machine  
Gun Squads and Secret  
Officers on Duty.**

### SHOOT FIRST, EDICT

**Gang Leader Slain on Way  
to Jail—Three Rival  
Mayorality Seekers  
Are Confident.**

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
CHICAGO, April 5.—A burst of election violence and a flood of ballots today marked Chicago's bitterest mayoralty contest with prospects for a record vote of upwards of 1,000,000.  
Bombing of two Democratic political clubs on the north side early in the morning, long before the polls opened, and the killing of Vincent "Schemer" Drucel, beer gang leader of the north side late yesterday, apparently reached the peak of turbulence in pre-election hours, but not the end.  
Four hours after the polls had opened a polling place in the 28th ward, a negro district on West Lake street, was fired upon. Three men speeding past the "Thirty-Second precinct voting place in a roadster emptied their revolvers, shattering windows but injuring no one. An election worker ran out and fired at the fleeing car and reported he believed he had wounded one of the occupants.  
Drucel was killed by a detective after he had been taken into custody. He quarreled with Detective Daniel Healy, who killed him en route to the criminal courts building. Drucel was armed.  
When hours passed after the opening of the polls with little of the expected violent outbursts anticipated as a result of the bitter campaign, in which racial and religious issues were used in addition to patriotic appeals, flag-waving and uproarious campaign noise-making, the police did not relax their watchfulness.  
Officials declared the killing of Drucel had had a wholesome effect on hoodlums.  
Joseph Bauer was wounded mysteriously but he refused to disclose whether he was a victim of election trouble.

### NO TRACE FOUND OF LOST AIRPLANE AND 2 OCCUPANTS

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, April 5.—Search for Pilot Edward Neher and Alfred Schaller, and the missing air mail plane, which disappeared Sunday enroute from Fresno to San Francisco, was scheduled to center in three distinct areas today. Crews had been discovered indicating that the aviators might either have crashed in Livermore valley or in the swamps of northern Contra Costa county, or have nose-dived into San Francisco Bay.  
Seemingly reliable reports declared that a plane had been heard in those three localities early Sunday, and plans for the search were laid accordingly. Officials of the Pacific Air Transport company announced intentions of asking police and United States coast guard officials to drag the bay for the plane.  
Scouting the surface of the waters with airplanes yesterday failed to reveal wreckage giving a clue to the airman's fate. Residents of the Livermore and northern Contra Costa county sections were scheduled to continue the search for the plane. Searchers had lost much of their early confidence that flyers would be found alive and uninjured.  
The air transport company learned last night that the plane had been seen at Patterson Pass near here, by four persons at 4:45 o'clock Sunday morning. They identified it by its red and white pilot lights. It was flying west.

### ROTARIANS WILL PRESENT PROGRAM AT FORUM MEETING

The Roseburg Rotary club will have charge of Wednesday Forum Luncheon at the Hotel Empress and the members of the service club as well as all who are interested in the work of the Chamber of Commerce are urged to attend. The luncheon starts at 12 o'clock noon. The musical program for tomorrow's luncheon will be under the direction of W. E. Ott. The Rotarians have arranged the following program for the meeting: DeWitt Barnes—"Wool Industry in Douglas County."  
Carl Lingram—"Comparative Prosperity of Douglas County and Other Counties."  
Henry Booth—"Bank Deposits and Banking Conditions, 1925-27."  
Al Creason—"Investment Conditions in Douglas County compared With Other Sections."  
Foster Butler—"Broccoli and Future Possibilities."  
A. R. Moore—"Cement Industry in Douglas County."  
Chas. McElhinny—"Selling Your Home Town."  
Guy Gordon—"The Bootlegging Industry."

### Warrant Needed In Liquor Search

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
SALEM, Ore., April 5.—A prohibition officer has the legal right to enter a private dwelling without a search warrant where he has reasonable grounds to believe that a still is being operated, seize the still and accompanying equipment and arrest the owner. An opinion to this effect was handed down by the Oregon state supreme court here today.  
The court bases its opinion upon the fact that operation of a still is legally classified as a felony. "That a search warrant is not required in order to justify an officer in entering a building where he has reasonable grounds to believe a felony is being committed, has been recognized from time immemorial," the opinion reads.  
The particular case on which the opinion was rendered came before the supreme court upon appeal from Washington county. James Yarde having been indicted upon such a charge and a directed verdict ordered by Judge George R. Bailey, who held that the search had been illegally made and that consequently no evidence could be introduced having to do with it. The appeal was taken by the state.  
After a considerable discourse on the admissibility of the evidence, however, in which the supreme court holds that it should have been allowed, the appeal is dismissed upon a technical ground, which will allow the defendant to go free in this case but which is expected to have an important bearing on procedure in future liquor trials. There is no legal provision permitting the state to appeal in such a case, the supreme court holds, giving this as the reason for dismissing the appeal and commenting, "However, since the case is here, we have deemed it fitting to make the observations above noted, although academic in nature." The opinion was written by Justice George Brown.

### RADIO CONTROL LAW PASSED BY CITY COUNCIL

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
An ordinance for the minimizing of radio interference by regulation and control of electrical apparatus which sets up high frequency oscillations was passed by the city council at the regular meeting held last night. The ordinance was drawn up by the Roseburg Radio club and the city attorney, embodying the chief provisions of similar ordinances now in effect in practically all cities.  
The new law provides that it shall be unlawful for any person to operate any high frequency apparatus between the hours of 5 and 11 p. m. unless such apparatus is so connected and shielded that it does not interfere with radio reception. The ordinance is particularly aimed at the violet ray devices which are to be found in numerous homes of the city, a radio club representative being responsible for the statement that there are over 200 of such coils in use in the city. The ordinance specifically mentions violet ray machines, machines using the Tesla coil or principle, X-ray machines or any machine including or incorporating a device producing high frequency oscillations.  
Any person desiring to operate such a device must file an application with the city council stating the character of the machine, together with its uses and the hours during which it is ordinarily used, and the place where it is kept. The council has authority to require information furnished in the application to be more specific if it is not felt that the application furnishes all of the data needed. A license fee of \$1 is required.  
The ordinance gives the city electrical inspector authority to enter upon any premises at all reasonable hours to inspect the installation and working of all apparatus covered by the provisions of the ordinance.  
The council has the right at any time to revoke a permit for the operation of any device or apparatus and any person failing to secure a permit or operating a high frequency device without a permit may be fined not more than \$100 or imprisoned not more than 15 days or both fine and imprisonment.  
Many People Affected  
The ordinance was sponsored by the Radio Club which has been working hard for many months to eliminate interfering noises. The ordinance is designed to place all broadcasting devices under regulations which will prevent their operation of coils which disturb radio reception during the specified time.  
Representing the radio listeners of the city, C. W. Clark, spoke briefly to the council last night regarding the measure.  
He stated that there are over 600 radio receiving sets in Roseburg at present representing a financial investment of more than \$90,000. By a conservative estimate of 4 listeners to each machine it is judged that there is an average of nearly 2,400 people listening in regularly to radio programs. The fact that so many people are affected is stressed.

### ROSEBURG COUNCIL OF COOPERATIVES MEET IN PORTLAND

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
PORTLAND, Ore., April 5.—The annual meeting of the Oregon Cooperative Council was held here today with representatives in attendance from nearly all the farmers' cooperative organizations and agencies in the state.  
Lloyd S. Tenny, chief of the bureau of agricultural economics, Department of Agriculture, was the chief speaker this morning. He explained in detail the work of his bureau and its benefits to the farmers in bringing about more orderly distribution of farm products and the growing of the proper crops.  
Other speakers at the meeting were A. P. S. Steele, manager of the Hood River Apple Growers' association; R. A. Ward, president of the Oregon council; C. J. Hurd, extension marketing specialist of the Oregon Agriculture College, and E. J. Dixon, manager of the Pacific Poultry Producers association.

### OREGON TEACHERS GIVEN NEW PLAN BY SUPT. HOWARD

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SALEM, Ore., April 5.—A new system of requirements affecting public school teachers throughout the state was announced this morning by C. A. Howard, superintendent of public instruction. Three alternative plans for reading circle work are submitted to the teachers as follows:  
1.—Completion of at least a three-hour course in a standard normal school or a standard college or university, either in residence or by correspondence.  
2.—Completion of any approved professional study course under the direction of local or county school authorities.  
3.—Completion of an approved individual project or professional problem.  
All teachers, including those in districts in the first class, must comply with the new requirements.

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### Religion and Wetness Can't Beat Al Smith, But He Must Liquor Issue Alone, Senator Glass Says

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ASHEVILLE, N. C., April 5.—The Asheville Citizen today quotes Senator Glass of Virginia as saying that Al Smith can be elected president despite the fact that he is a Catholic and a wet, but he must let the prohibition issue alone.  
"I am sure that Al Smith understands that the presidency means nothing at all in the fight to modify prohibition," Senator Glass declared. "The president cannot change the constitution. He cannot even veto a joint resolution passed by congress submitting the matter to the states, and his influence with congress on such an issue would be negligible."  
Prohibition is not a party issue. It cannot be passed by the democrats or by the republicans but by men of both parties and with no regard for party lines. It was a moral issue.  
"So why in heaven's name should the democrats make the 18th amendment a party issue in the next national campaign as though electing a wet president would affect the prohibition law? I cannot believe that the sensible men in the party will try anything so foolish as this. They do, they might just as well take the presidency to the republicans on a silver platter and make them a present of it. They might just as well take their party out and dump it out on the scrap heap."

### TAX BODY LEAVES QUESTIONNAIRE TO COUNTY ASSESSORS

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SALEM, Ore., April 5.—The State Tax Commission this morning passed a resolution which in effect leaves it to the option of individual county assessors throughout the state whether the questionnaire printed under house bill 72 of the 1927 legislature shall be used by assessors. The action was taken by the commission following a number of protests against certain parts of the questionnaire, and threatened legal action with a view to submitting it to the people by referendum.  
Notices will be sent out to assessors this afternoon advising them of the action taken by the commission, and signifying that they may go ahead with their assessments under the questionnaire or may get the information required by an examination of the books of the firms being assessed or in any other effective way, and that the assessor is held responsible for carrying out the terms of the law under which the questionnaire was printed.  
Earl I. Fisher state tax commissioner, indicated his belief that the action taken by the board will have the effect of making tax budgeting possible in the future as in the past.

### BURGLAR BUSY IN PORTLAND HOMES

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PORTLAND, Ore., April 5.—A small-sized burglar looted a number of houses and apartments in the northeast section of Portland last night, and in two instances was declared to have attempted to attack women.  
A series of reports received by police, giving descriptions that coincided, caused them to believe that the same man was guilty in each case. In one instance he was reported to have been accompanied by a larger man.  
Small amounts of cash, and some articles of jewelry were reported taken from the homes which were prowled.

### JUDGE AND SHERIFF ASK PAROLE OF BOOTLEGGER

PORTLAND, Ore., April 5.—Governor Patterson was requested today by District Judge John A. Mears and Sheriff T. M. Hurlburt to grant a conditional pardon or parole to William Dugan, who is serving a year in the county jail here on a liquor charge. Judge Mears and Sheriff Hurlburt left for Salem at noon to confer with the governor. Dugan was fined \$2,000 and sentenced to a year in jail by Judge Mears. His health and family circumstances have developed since his incarceration and the county officers are now attempting to obtain his release.

### KIWANIS AT PROGRAM TODAY

The Kiwanis club was entertained today by motion pictures shown by Horace Bromley, Copen cameraman. Films depicting Babe Ruth's recent trip to Oregon, Sutherland mill harvest, arrival of de Autremont and numerous other attractions were shown on the screen, giving much pleasure to the spectators.  
Prior to the showing of the pictures a short talk was given by Maurice J. Newland, in which he stressed the importance of cooperation in the Chamber of Commerce Confidence promotion campaign.

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MEXICO CITY, April 5.—Tried by summary court martial for the kidnapping and murder of Edgar M. Wilkins, American electrical engineer, seven men have been down to death by a firing squad at Guadalajara.  
The guilt of the culprits was said to have been established at the court martial Sunday night, after the ten year old son of Wilkins had identified one of them, Mariano Calzada, as the leader of the band which captured his father and himself.  
Wilkins and his son were captured by the outlaws a week ago last Sunday. The boy was released with a note demanding a ransom of \$20,000 which he took back to Guadalajara. Federal troops were immediately sent out to capture the bandits, and Calzada said it was anger over the close pursuit by the troops that caused the band to murder the Americans.