

The Weather

Highest temperature yesterday...78
Lowest temperature last night...51
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normal temperature.

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PARALYZED VET WALKS AGAIN AT SIGHT OF BYRD

Verdun Victim Inspired as
if by Miracle by Visit
From American.

"HUSKS" MADE HAPPY

Levine Seeks French Pilot
to Bring Him Back to
New York; Balchen
Plans Flight.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

PARIS, July 6.—There was almost a touch of the miraculous in the visit of Commander Byrd and the crew of the trans-Atlantic plane America today to the Hotel Des Invalides, home of France's war wounded.

For the first time since he was brought down at Verdun in 1918, Captain Charles Legendre, paralyzed French aviator, stood straight on his feet and walked.

"Your courage, despite overwhelming odds, and your splendid exploits have given me renewed courage," Captain Legendre told Commander Byrd, his emotion plainly visible. "I will accompany you."

He arose hesitatingly, groped for a moment for support, and then with the most obvious effort of will took a faltering step forward. Another followed, and the war hero, his arm resting lightly on the shoulder of the trans-Atlantic flyer, walked slowly but surely toward the entrance of Napoleon's tomb.

Incident Brings Tears

It was the most moving incident of the stay of the American aviators here. Tears glistened in many eyes as the little party, with Lieutenant Noville, Bert Acosta and Berni Balchen hovering anxiously about the faltering French ace, visited the tomb and then returned to the grounds of the Invalides, where anxious hands pushed a wheel chair forward for Legendre. The Americans went to the Invalides at the invitation of the Altes Briseses—"broken wings"—an organization of war wounded birds to whom Rodman Wanamaker had sent a warm letter of sympathy in Commander Byrd's care.

They were received by General Marlaux, one-legged war hero, director of the Invalides, and M. Raffalovitch of the Altes Briseses, who told them simply but feelingly how happy their success had made their broken comrades of the air and how keenly they appreciated the fact that the Americans were willing to steal an hour from the busy day for men who were "left only husks of themselves."

Honor Cross Awarded

Premier Polinac pinned the decoration of the Legion of Honor on the breast of Commander Byrd this morning. The ceremony took place at the ministry of finance, in the presence of Sheldon Whitehouse, American charge d'affaires, Captain White, the personal attaché, and H. A. Gibbons, personal representative. (Continued from page 3.)

DIAMOND LAKE EGG PRODUCTION THIS YEAR IS LARGEST

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

SALEM, Ore., July 6.—Fish spawned at Diamond Lake this year average from 2 1/2 to three pounds, says a report to Governor Peterson from Matt Ryckman, superintendent of the state hatcheries, and the grade of eggs was better and larger than in previous years. The egg take was about 18,000,000.

The shipping of eggs from Diamond Lake began June 15. The department is holding 6,500,000 eggs at Short creek which will not be ready to ship until late this month because of the temperature of the water. A million eggs are being hatched at Diamond lake for liberation in the lake, and arrangements also have been made for fry to be hauled to the lake from the Klamath hatchery. Indications are that there are more fresh fish in Diamond lake this year than ever before.

Large shipments of rainbow trout eggs are reported from Diamond lake to the McKenzie, Canyon creek, Union creek, Delph creek, Willamette, Hood River, Battle falls and Tumalo hatcheries. Rainbow eggs have been shipped from Klamath to the Delph creek hatchery, steelhead eggs from Mohler to the Hood River hatchery, cutthroat eggs from Nevada to the Bandon hatchery, rainbow eggs from Klamath to the Lakeview hatchery and steelhead eggs from Tillamook to the McKenzie hatchery.

Fall-Doheny Oil Case Going To Trial Again

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, July 6.—The Fall-Doheny bribery indictments which grew out of the leasing of the Elk Hills naval oil reserve, were sustained today by the supreme court of the District of Columbia.

Under the ruling, Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior; E. L. Doheny and E. L. Doheny, Jr., must stand trial on the charge that the Dohenys gave Fall a bribe of \$100,000 to gain the lease for Doheny's company. Under a law enacted by the last congress an appeal to the higher courts cannot be entertained until after the case has been heard in the lower courts.

The defense attacked the indictment on the contention that Fall, acting under a presidential order afterwards found to be invalid, could not be guilty of the charge against him.

Justice Hitz ruled that the executive order of President Harding transferring control of naval oil reserves from the navy department to the interior department had the force of law until revoked or found invalid.

Fall and the elder Doheny already have been acquitted of a conspiracy charge in which the \$100,000 transaction figured largely.

WOUNDED MAN OF 55 ARRESTED FOR MURDER OF GIRL

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

OAKLAND, Calif., July 6.—Charles Schlenker, 55, steamfitter, who says he worked recently for the American Can company at Sacramento and came here Thursday or Friday, was held for observation today in connection with the murder of Mabel Mayer, 15-year-old school girl, whose body was discovered Sunday in the back yard of a vacant house a few blocks from her home.

The girl was beaten with a 2x4 scantling, and Schlenker, whose face was cut and scratched, and who has a long gash on his head, said he had inflicted the head wound himself by striking himself on the head with a 2x4 stick. Dr. C. A. Deppner, who examined the prisoner, said the head wound could not have been self-inflicted.

Schlenker, who had slashed his wrists in a suicide attempt, was unable to account satisfactorily for his movements Saturday night, the night of the murder. He said he had been lying under a freight shed since Sunday morning. He was without a coat or hat, and bloodstains on his shirt, he said, came from his own wounds. Police found under the examined the prisoner, said the head wound could not have been self-inflicted.

The prisoner said he left Sacramento because people there thought he was "queer." He was arrested when he went to the emergency hospital to have his wounds dressed.

FORUM LUNCHEON MEETING TODAY

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

An interesting discussion of the Deer Creek bridge question was held at the Forum luncheon meeting today with Mayor Houck explaining the proposed lease of bonds to be voted upon at Friday's election. Sentiment at the forum meeting seemed to be unanimously in favor of building a new bridge. Al Creason spoke favorably on the question, declaring that Roseburg faced an emergency and should build the bridge as an economical measure, thereby avoiding possibility of damage suits.

Miss Catherine Carroll Smith, Chautauqua worker gave a very entertaining talk to the luncheon session and Mrs. Frances Lintott played a beautiful piano solo.

PRAYER REVISION VOTED

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

LONDON, July 6.—The proposed revision of the book of common prayer of the Church of England was approved by the church assembly in session here today. The vote was 517 in favor of the revision and 133 against it.

COOLIDGE SEES GENUINE RODEO IN DAKOTA TOWN

Reproduction of Western
Life of Past Decade
Lively Scene.

FAVORITE WINS RACE

President, in Ten-Gallon
Hat, Smiles Answer to
Cowboys' Greeting
"Hello, Cal."

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

RAPID CITY, S. D., July 6.—The tumult of one of the west's greatest rodeo shows still reminding him of the pleasures which belong to this country of his summer residence, President Coolidge turned to more quiet things today, as he resumed the routine of his life in the Black Hills.

Before the end of the week, Mr. Coolidge will have had the opportunity of learning the latest developments in Mexico, as Ambassador Sheffield was expected late tonight as a guest at the summer White House.

While the government once more engaged Mr. Coolidge's attention, he carried in the background a remembrance of his experience at the Belle Fourche roundup yesterday which brought him one of his most lively and unusual days. He saw a reproduction of western life and pleasure as it was about a decade ago before good roads, automobiles and other modern conveniences had pushed the frontier beyond these foothills of the Rockies.

Favorite Wins Race

One of his happiest moments seemed to come when his favorite entry, Dakota Clyde Jones, who has charge of the Custer state park rangers rode to victory on a bucking broncho and later captured the wild horse race.

The whole show was a spectacle of western skill at riding, steering, broncho busting, trick riding and "bulldozing."

President and Mrs. Coolidge sat in their box with Senator Norbeck of South Dakota, and Mrs. Norbeck, who made the trip with them from Rapid City, and Secretary and Mrs. Everett Sanders and other members of the presidential party. Mr. Coolidge wore the big ten-gallon heaver hat which roundup officials had given him when he was invited to Belle Fourche and Secretary Sanders also succumbed to the western headgear.

The entire gathering of many thousands was in a holiday mood and laughed with the president whenever a cowboy rode past swiftly and shouted, "Hello, Cal."

S. P. WOULD QUIT BRANCH TO AIRLIE

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, July 6.—The Southern Pacific railroad asked the interstate commerce commission today for permission to abandon the 28-mile long Airline branch line in Polk county, Oregon. This territory is served adequately by other portions of the Southern Pacific system, the application said.

DEATH BARS WEDDING; HOUSEKEEPER ASKS COIN

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

PORTLAND, Ore., July 6.—Contending that she had served as housekeeper for the late Willard H. Seaton for 15 years and that she delivered to his safekeeping \$70 a month which she earned at other employment, Clara Burke today filed suit in circuit court to recover \$15,530 from Seaton's estate.

The plaintiff alleges that Seaton had promised to marry her as soon as the objections of his family were overcome, and that he died unexpectedly without making a will in her benefit as he had promised to do.

The suit was directed against the Security Savings and Trust company, executors of the estate. The trust company denied the plaintiff's claim against the estate, the complaint states.

B. OF L. E. OFFICIAL IS FOUND LAX IN DUTIES

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

CLEVELAND, July 6.—C. E. Lindquist, secretary-treasurer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, was found guilty of "laxity, carelessness and indifference," in the conduct of the engineers' financial undertakings by a vote today of the triennial convention in session here. The convention was to decide on the penalty later today.

Chief Justice Taft Tells Why Position On Supreme Bench Is Preferable To The Presidency

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, July 6.—Untroubled by the maddening swirl of politics, William Howard Taft rounding out his seventeenth year of his daily work than he ever has been before, in or out of office.

As he looks back over the two score years of public service, the only man who has been both president and chief justice says quite frankly that he does not consider that he was "fitted" for the political arena, and that he would rather be where he is today than in the White House.

He is so well satisfied, and so greatly encouraged over the recent improvement in his health, that he has no intention of leaving the bench when he becomes eligible for retirement.

He will be seventy years old in September and if he chose could retire on full pay in 1931, when he completes ten years' service as chief justice. But he prefers to remain in the harness.

These disclosures were made to the Associated Press by Mr. Taft in a friendly and intimate talk just before he left Washington recently for his summer home in Canada.

A Refusal Explained

As he approached his comparison of the two great offices he has held, Mr. Taft made a passing reference to Theodore Roosevelt. Although he had never heard him in the years of his association with Roosevelt, the chief justice mentioned without a ruffle in his customary good nature the man who was his staunchest political friend and then his bitter opponent. He related how Roosevelt had offered him a place on the supreme bench. At that time Taft was governor-general of the Philippines and he refused the offer.

"I declined because it was not deemed wise at that time, from a Philippine standpoint to have a change in the office of governor," he said. "The people wanted me to stay, and I yielded, although it had pushed the frontier beyond these foothills of the Rockies."

Favorite Wins Race

With a smile that rippled into a hearty laugh, he added: "Not that I have no interest in such matters, but I am not fitted for the hustling and controversy."

Two Offices Compared

"The responsibilities of the presidency are nerve-wrecking," he continued. "If one is constituted



Chief Justice Taft

like an ordinary man, life in the presidency, while not requiring the same mental and intellectual labor that attaches to the chief justice, does enormously consume nervous energy, and is more trying than work on the bench.

"The difference between the exactions of the two offices is that in work on the bench you have the assistance of your colleagues, who share in the responsibility of the conclusions, the benefit of oral arguments by counsel and of briefs submitted on both sides of the controversy, and you have control of your time for careful study."

"In the presidency you often have to make a decision of a question on the instant or overnight, or in so short a time that the risk of mistake is great, and then you have not the benefit of argument on both sides, often no argument at all, and you cannot always consult your cabinet."

"Of course the presidency is the office that attracts in the sense of power one is supposed to exercise, and there are those who greatly enjoy its constant exercise. But even in the strongest it takes much out of a man, and the strain is felt long after retirement to private life."

"The character of work on the bench, its steadiness and the regularity with which you can order your life, if you do not overdo the social part, makes it consistent with long life, hard as the work is."

THREE AIRPLANES CRASH; FOUR MEN DEAD, TWO HURT

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

WATERTOWN, N. Y., July 6.—Captain Curtis Wheeler and Lieutenant Carl J. Sack, brother officers of the 27th division air service, in training at Pine camp, near here, were killed today when their plane crashed one and a half miles from the camp.

Captain Wheeler was a prominent wartime flier. He received during the World war the croix de guerre with nine palms, Order of Leopold and Distinguished Service Cross. He shot down three German planes.

Fatal Drop Into River

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., July 6.—Walter Shepherd and Paul Morgan were drowned this afternoon when their airplane dropped into the Ohio river at Cox's landing near here.

Shepherd, aged 18 years, was an automobile salesman here and an amateur air pilot. Morgan, 19, of Piney, W. Va., was attending Marshall College.

The victims it was believed, were trapped in the cockpit.

Two Escape Injury

LONGVIEW, Wash., July 6.—J. B. Story, 24, and A. B. Holden, 31, of Tacoma, escaped without a scratch here today when an airplane in which they were riding caught fire and crashed. The plane was destroyed.

Story, head of the Story-Eagle Rock Sales company of Tacoma, was bringing the plane here to demonstrate to the new Longview Aero club.

The motor was missing, and Story started to bring the plane down near the new high school in a field with a narrow runway used for a landing. Story had cut out the motor, and when Holden warned him that two boys were in the runway, he cut in the motor and attempted to zoom up to avoid hitting the youngsters.

The motor pre-ignited and gasoline caught fire. Story panicked down in the field of uncut hay. Story, who is a Tacoma serial policeman, was also searching for robbers who yesterday committed a payroll robbery in Tacoma. The automobile of the robbers was reported to have passed through (Continued on page 8.)

MYSTERY SHROUDS MURDER OF WOMEN IN ST. PAUL HOME

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

ST. PAUL, July 6.—Two women were found shot to death in their home here early today and police turned to theories of jealousy or possibly gang warfare in seeking a solution of the crime.

Dead many hours, the partly clad body of Mrs. Teddy Dubois was found beside a bed, while nearby lay the fully clothed body of Miss Anne Grenville. Both had been shot through the head.

Police detained for questioning Charles M. Hutchinson, who, with a Finnish driver, discovered the bodies when they went to the house. Hutchinson said he knew nothing that could aid in solving the crime.

Mrs. Dubois, who was about 27 years old, formerly ran one of the smaller downtown hotels, and Miss Grenville, nearly 39 years old, was the daughter of a labor organizer, George Grenville, now believed to be in Harvey.

In searching the women's residence, the police found a gallon can of alcohol under a bed and a partly filled quart bottle. A small quantity of "near beer" also was found.

A. E. Beck, the taxicab driver with Hutchinson, said the latter entered the house when his ring went unanswered and went through the living room, kitchen and to the bedroom door, calling for "Anne."

Then, Beck said, Hutchinson ran back to him and told him to go and see what was the matter. When he saw the women's bodies, Beck said he ran to his cab and drove to a district police station, four blocks away, and reported the crime.

When police reached the house, Hutchinson, they said, was hysterical and could not be questioned for some hours.

85 TO TAKE BAR EXAM

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

SALEM, Ore., July 6.—Eighty-six applicants for admission to the Oregon bar will take the state bar examinations to be held in Salem under the direction of the state supreme court Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, according to Arthur S. Benson, clerk of the court.

MOVIES WIELD INFLUENCE ON GROWING YOUTH

Importance Is Stressed By
Educator at National
Convention

LEADS ALL FACTORS

Home Economics Study For
Boys Urged—Geography
Aids in Progress of
Civilization

(By The Associated Press.)

SEATTLE, Wash., July 6.—The motion picture is a serious factor in shaping the life of the youth of this country and should take its place beside the drama and the plastic arts as an object of study.

This was the statement of Ernest L. Crandall, director of Lectures and Visual Instruction of New York City, in an address today, at the National Education association convention here.

Speaking before the department of visual instruction of the association, he said:

"The motion picture with all of its merits and with all of its defects, stands up as possibly the most powerful, single potential influence for good or ill in the life of the young people of this generation."

"We as educators should be realistic indeed if we do not give earnest consideration to its possibilities for shaping the lives and conduct of our children."

"Coupled with this duty is the further duty not overlooked on this same program of weighing and appraising the possibilities of the motion picture in enriching and illuminating the teaching process in formal instruction and of determining just what place should be given it in sound educational practice."

Home Economics Stressed

Boys as well as girls should be taught the "all important business of home-making," the delegates heard today by Essie L. Elliott, head of the home economics department of Manual Arts high school, Los Angeles.

Miss Elliott, who spoke before the American Home Economics association branch of the convention, said: "It is foolish to train our girls exclusively" for home-making "since no home is a real one without 50 per cent cooperation on the part of the father."

"The chief aims of a course in home economics for boys," she declared, "should be to develop an appreciation of parental responsibility; to help boys to realize the duties of fatherhood, the need of clean wholesome living and to give them some knowledge of child psychology and child training; to study the financial basis on which a home is built; to learn some of the fundamental principles of food preparation; to develop a finer social sense through study and practice of the rules governing conduct, etiquette and correct dress."

"Twenty-four states offer boys some training in home economics and in some states the demand for such training is increasing," Miss Elliott said. "In some places the courses are compulsory."

Geography's Importance

The progress of civilization through the study of geography was predicted by Ernest E. Holmes, of the State Normal school at Lewiston, Idaho.

"Human progress has continued (Continued on page 6.)

OREGON EMBARGO ON BABY CHICKS TO BE CONTINUED

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

CORVALLIS, Ore., July 6.—Oregon has no intention of backing down in the matter of an embargo against diseased baby chick shipments from outside states, said Dr. W. H. Lytle, state veterinarian, in an address at the convention of the Oregon section of the International Baby Chick association, in session here.

Even should a court attack on the Oregon embargo be successful, congress doubtless will give additional control to the states this fall, as was done in plant quarantine matters, Dr. Lytle said. He denied that the Oregon embargo was aimed at any particular state.

Hatcherymen here generally condemned mail service on baby chick shipments as being flagrant violations of the law, as compared with express handling, though some fault was found with the latter.

The Oregon Poultry association annual convention opened today on the Oregon Agricultural college campus.

CALIFORNIA IN LINE WITH PRUNE MARKETING PLAN

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

SAN JOSE, Cal., July 6.—Acceptance of the new growers' association plan for the 1927 crop by 95 per cent of the packing establishments handling prunes was announced here last night by the growers' executive committee.

Under the contracts the packers will purchase all prunes controlled by the California Prune Marketing commission which is organized from directors of the present California Prune and Apricot Growers' association, controlling 50 per cent of the state's prune acreage, and the California Prune Producers, a second cooperative to be organized immediately.

A campaign for members under contract to the new cooperative will begin in October. The contract, drawn by the executive committee following its organization at a growers' mass meeting in San Francisco last December, was submitted to the packers June 30, and has been signed by 15 concerns.

INDIA AGAIN ON VERGE OF ANOTHER RELIGIOUS WAR

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

LONDON, July 6.—The Evening News' Allahabad correspondent says that religious unrest is reported from many parts of India and that despite orders to the contrary, mass meetings, attended by thousands of persons, are being held at Lahore.

The correspondent says that Syed Buhari, self-appointed leader of the Moslems, has asked every Moslem to carry a native weapon and to eat beef in order to gain muscular strength, while women have been invited to carry knives in preparation "for a fight to maintain Moslem honor."

An appeal has been made to the government to remove Chief Justice Sir R. B. Shadi Lal and to substitute an Englishman or a Moslem. This correspondent says that the support of the demonstrators' funds probably comes from the Khalifat committee.

The religious influence of the leaders was described as considerable with support of the Moslem masses for a Holy war. The police and military authorities were stated to be ready for eventualities.

A Reuter's dispatch from Calcutta tells of conflicting reports of deaths of Hindus and Moslems which have been received from Palashpur in the Nadia district of Bengal.

Sir Abdul Halim, the Moslem leader, has received a telegram stating that Hindus burned Moslem houses and mosques at the town, while another report says that Hindu houses also were looted. Bengal reports state that Moslems from other villages arrived at Calcutta on Sunday and attacked Hindu houses, one Hindu and one Moslem being killed in the subsequent affray and a large number injured on both sides.

LOCAL FREIGHT TRUCKS DAMAGED IN COLLISION

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

A couple of local freight trucks collided this morning in a peculiar accident near Saginaw. The trucks were proceeding north, according to the report telephoned to the local headquarters and met in a rear end collision on a blind curve. A hay rack was coming from the north followed closely by a light touring car and a stage.

The tourist went around the hay rack on the turn and the stage could not get back. He went out could not get back. He then cut in ahead of the freight truck which was travelling north, forcing the truck to come to a complete standstill. The driver of the other truck, following behind, was not able to see that the leading machine had stopped until he came around the curve and then it was too late to stop. Both trucks were quite badly damaged, but the cargo was not hurt. The trucks were insured for a sufficient amount to cover the greater part of the loss.

TODAY'S BASEBALL

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

At Philadelphia—National. First game—R. H. E. Boston—5 1 2 Philadelphia—6 10 2 Batteries: McQuillan, Edwards and Gibson; Kaufmann, Ulrich and Wilson.

FREDERICK HOLMAN DEAD

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

PORTLAND, Ore., July 6.—Frederick V. Holman, aged 76 years, president of the state historical society and widely known among pioneers of Oregon, died here today.

NAVAL PARLEY IS THREATENED WITH COLLAPSE

Deadlock Over Question of
Cruiser Tonnage Slash
Seems Unbreakable.

U. S. FOR REDUCTION

England Insists She Needs
70 Cruisers to Protect
Trade and Can't Keep
Within Limit Set.