

The Weather

Highest temperature yesterday... 43. Lowest temperature last night... 39.

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Today

Another Lindbergh Day. Rockefeller's Idea. Don't Be a Dim Bulb. Thin Prosperity.

By Arthur Brisbane

(Copyright 1927 by Star Company) HODGE, Calif.—Lindbergh world's champion flyer, landed in Mexico City Wednesday afternoon.

Other governments, knowing that Lindbergh is typical of American youth, and that there are 10,000 Lindberghs ready to run American machines.

Lindbergh's flying example is making converts here in California rapidly. J. L. Stack, who used to play polo and follow the hounds at Chicago's Onwentsia Club.

Other men, giving up polo should "retire" to a flying machine, not to an easy chair and encourage aviation.

The United States Gypsum company, with offices in twenty cities and twenty-two mines and mills in fifteen states.

John D. Rockefeller had that idea many years ago. One of his local managers, pointing proudly to a desk loaded down with papers, said to him, "A lot of detail, but I shall get through it all by night."

Learned professors in the University of Southern California, say that slang, within reason is good. It makes students select their expressions instead of using them automatically.

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SEVEN CARS OF TURKEYS SENT OUT OF COUNTY

Growers Will Receive More Than \$60,000 This Season.

PRICE 35 CENTS TODAY

Cars Being Loaded at Oakland, Yoncalla and Roseburg—Retail Market Unstable.

Douglas county turkey growers have already received approximately \$60,000 for the birds placed on the Christmas market.

In addition to the shipments by freight there have been two auto truck loads, approximating 30,000 pounds each sent out to Portland, Tacoma and Seattle markets.

While the price has been a disappointment to growers, yet there has been considerable profit this year.

Some contracting was done earlier in the season at 33 cents, but on the open market the bulk of the buying has been at 35 cents.

Owing to the uncertainty of the retail market the buyers this year have been very wary. Several times buyers started to purchase birds only to be called off by the wholesalers they represented.

Portland Market Down. PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 16.—Turkey prices on the local wholesale market took a decided setback today following the sale of several carloads at Roseburg yesterday.

Butter and egg prices are unchanged today on the dairy exchange board as much as demand picking up a bit.

The onion market is quiet although prices are firm between \$2.00 and \$2.25 for best U. S. No. 1 quality.

Cabbage is moving in large volume and the price is somewhat easier. Late frosts have not damaged crops as much as was feared.

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FIRE VICTIMS NOW NUMBER THIRTY-SIX

(Associated Press Leased Wire) QUEBEC, Dec. 16.—With the recovery today of the bodies of three more children, the death toll of the Hospice St. Charles fire reached 36.

BADGES OF SHAME

(Associated Press Leased Wire) CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—"Badges of shame" have been suggested at a meeting of the public school safety league for every motor car held responsible for an accident.

HOLD MAN FOR DEATH OF GIRL IN AN ACCIDENT

Had Tried to Keep Her From Leaping From Car Which Was Wrecked.

LIQUOR IN AUTO

Burnett Had Been Held Before Following Death of Another Girl—Seems Puzzled.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 16.—J. R. Burnett, Portland Hotel, was held by police today following the death of Miss Billie Cottrell, 21, killed last night on Terwilliger Boulevard when Burnett's car overturned as she was driving.

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EUGENE TAX LEVY WILL BE TESTED (Associated Press Leased Wire) SALEM, Ore., Dec. 16.—Validity of a special tax levy by the city of Eugene for maintenance of public playgrounds will be tested in an original proceeding in mandamus filed in the supreme court today.

Miss Dorothy Busenbark arrived here this morning from Eugene, where she is attending school and will spend the holiday season with her parents at Melrose.

SOVIETS ARE HARASSED IN SOUTH CHINA

Consulate Raided and Inmates Are Marched Off to Jail.

MANY PERSECUTED

Terrified Russian Girl Leaps Two Stories as She Sees Countrymen Being Taunted.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

HANKOW, China, Dec. 16.—Chinese authorities raided the Soviet consulate here this morning.

All Russian and Chinese occupants were arrested. The authorities then proceeded to round up all those suspected of being communists throughout the city.

Even dancing halls frequented by Russians were visited and it was estimated this morning that virtually every communist or suspect had been rounded up.

Later information from Canton says that eight Russians were known to have been executed including probably the Russian vice-consul.

HONGKONG, Dec. 16.—The South China Morning Post today printed the following dispatch from Canton: "Five Red Russians, who were commissioned by Moscow to direct the spoliation and destruction of Canton have paid the extreme penalty for their crimes."

"Five times rifles spat their leaden charge. Five bodies in turn fell to the ground. Soldiers broke into the Soviet consulate Wednesday afternoon. It is reported they found that the consul general had left his colleagues to whatever fate the gods might have in store for them and had departed from Canton."

"Russians and Chinese, men and women, every one on the premises from the vice consul down to the clerks, was forced to accompany the soldiers to the bureau of public safety."

"It was a sad procession that marched along dusty roads where once the same individuals had ridden in state, honored as advisers, teachers and assistants to the high officials of the Kuomintang government. Their arms were now pinioned behind them, a line of soldiers flanking either side."

The paper adds: "Arrivals from Canton state that ten supposed Russian Bolsheviks were paraded around the town; placarded on their shoulders were the details of their crimes. The public was invited to do with them as they pleased. In consequence many a helpless prisoner was slashed with pen knives and spat upon as the group tramped their sorrowful way towards execution."

WOW! That's Emily's Beauty Rating



Emily Camp's a wow all right when it comes to looks. And think not that her fellow students at Limestone College, S. C., failed to appreciate it for they nominated her the prettiest of their number.

NO PROOF THAT FOUR SENATORS RECEIVED CASH

Senate Committee Hears Emphatic Disavowals to That Effect.

DESCRIBE DOCUMENTS

Members of Hearst Organization Tell of Getting Papers and Planning Front Page Smash.

(Associated Press Leased Wire) WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—With wives after witness on record as having the utmost confidence in the four United States senators mentioned in William Randolph Hearst's Mexican shush fund documents, the senate investigator committee tried today to clear up the mass of contradictions surrounding the authenticity of the material in its possession.

NEW TAX BILL PASSES HOUSE VOTE 366 TO 24

Placed in Hands Senate Finance Committee After Long Fight.

REDUCES REVENUE

Many of Its Provisions Bear Little Resemblance to Treasury's Original Recommendation.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—A product of clashing wills and freighted with controversy, the new tax bill stood today on the doorsteps of the senate finance committee.

As it faced the gamut of the senate committee and beyond that the troublesome senate itself, the measure would reduce the treasury's revenue by \$289,770,000.

The wide spread between that figure and the \$232,735,000 deduction proposed by the ways and means committee, which drafted the bill, and the \$225,000,000 maximum fixed by Secretary Mellon, was eloquent testimony to Democratic opportunism and a Democratic-Republican coalition that gained the upper hand in the final skirmishing in the house.

With many of its provisions bearing little resemblance to the treasury's original recommendations and differing radically in spots from the form in which it came from the ways and means committee, the bill now would deprive the government of \$64,770,000 more revenue than the treasury had proposed. It goes to the other end of the capital with a prediction from Representative Garner of Texas, ranking Democrat on the ways and means committee, that its reduction would be raised to a half a billion by the senate.

The print of Garner's long-experienced hand stands out among those of the many that jangled the bill's mass of figures. It was Garner, who, although speaking only for the minority, put through two of the three important amendments which at the last found Republican leaders fighting vainly to strike out.

Adopted earlier in the week under rules that prevented a roll call vote, the three changes were cemented into the bill yesterday with sufficient Republican support to carry the issue. The vote on the automobile tax repeal was 245 to 151, about a score of Republicans voting with the minority Democrats.

A similar coalition supported the Garner amendments, 212 to 181 on the corporation tax and 210 to 187 on the proposal to have corporations and their subsidiaries file separate instead of joint returns.

Instead of the flat rate of 11 1/2 per cent. tax on corporations with net taxable incomes of \$15,000 or less, as proposed by the committee, the Garner amendment established brackets of lower rates on income groups from \$15,000 down to \$5,000.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—With the tax bill approved and sent to the senate, the house today tackled its next big legislative task with the opening of debate on the long standing measure to return alien property seized during the war. The bill is almost identical with that which passed the house last session, only to be lost in the jam caused by the senate filibuster.

MAGRUDER SPOUTS OFF

(Associated Press Leased Wire) WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Attacking what he described as too many orders from Washington, Rear Admiral Thomas P. Magruder told the house naval committee today that officers afloat were given little discretion in planning their work.

He cited arrangements made for the flight last summer by Clarence Chamberlin in carrying mail to the Levian than while that ship was several hundred miles at sea bound for Europe. Magruder, then commander of the Philadelphia yard, said that he received orders given in minute detail arrangements for delivery to the plane of the amount of gasoline to put in it and other arrangements.

The admiral scored alleged concentration of power in Washington, declaring there were too many bureaus in the capital administering naval activities.

SCHOOLS WILL NOT OPEN UNTIL FIRST OF YEAR

Board Decides to Carry on Home Study Course Thru News-Review.

WILL START JAN. 3

Churches Decide to Hold Only One Service on Sunday—Theatre Opens Today.

With the lifting of the infantile paralysis quarantine today Roseburg took on new life, and conditions were rapidly returning to normal this afternoon.

At a meeting of the ministerial board this morning it was decided to hold only one service in each of the churches tomorrow. There will be no Bible schools. The morning service will be held as usual, but it is recommended that only adults attend. There will be no meetings in the churches at night.

The school board met this afternoon to decide upon the matter of opening schools, there being considerable difference of opinion. It was felt, however, that opening for the one week before the Christmas holidays would hardly be justified, due to the fact that the attendance doubtless would be very small and that it would be necessary to go over the work again after the first of the year.

After a great deal of discussion the board decided not to reopen schools until January 3, but during the coming week lesson assignments will be carried on as during the quarantine period. It is believed that through this home study course it will be possible to continue to gain ground in the school work. It was decided to hold the students strictly to account for the home study work and on January 3 and 4 tests will be given in the high school and grades.

By this strict regulation, making it incumbent upon the students to be prepared in the lessons covered during the quarantine period, it is believed that the school work can be taken up again with little interruption and that it will not be necessary to continue the schools beyond the time already fixed for closing in the spring.

Daughter is ill—Mrs. H. F. Ogden, Eugene matron and formerly of this city, has been ill at her home and is now reported improved. Her mother, Mrs. T. E. Singleton, of this city, went to Eugene yesterday and will remain with her daughter until Sunday.

LINDY GIVEN HIGH HONORS BY MEXICANS

Central America Scheduled to Receive Visit From Famous Flier.

COOLIDGE IS CHEERED

Deputies Give "Vivas" for U. S. Officials—Lindy Presented With Another Medal.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 16.—Two new lengthy flights, Christmas in Mexico City with his mother and possibly a bull fight are now on the program of Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, just through his brilliant goodwill Washington to Mexico City flight.

The American air hero plans to fly from Mexico City to Guatemala, Honduras, Salvador, Panama, and Havana, Cuba, as one step of his swing home and then as the second step directly from Havana to his home city, St. Louis, Mo.

He expects his mother, Mrs. Evangeline L. Lindbergh, Detroit chemistry teacher, to come to Mexico City as the guest of Ambassador Dwight W. Morrow to spend Christmas with him.

Colonel Lindbergh, himself telling of his plans in an interview with newspaper correspondents, said that the order in which he will visit the four Central American countries had not been decided. In the interview, Colonel Lindbergh indicated that he might go to a bull fight Sunday. When asked about protests from the United States against his going to a bull fight he replied: "I think Mexico is perfectly capable of choosing its own national sport."

Protests from organizations in all parts of the United States against his possible attendance at a bull fight continue to reach the embassy.

About sixty all told have been received, including one from Miss Madeline Fisher, the actress. Colonel Lindbergh, who visited the American school here today where he was received with vociferous applause, told the correspondents that he believed a regular air line service would be established between the United States and Mexico and Central American countries before very long. "This would come, he thought, before a regular trans-Atlantic air service could be established."

"The American airman said that he did not believe trans-Atlantic air service was feasible as yet and added that he considered his flight to Paris more difficult than the one to Mexico City.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 16.—Central America is scheduled for the next air conquest of Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh unless present plans are changed. The American flying ambassador of good will intends to fly from Mexico City to Guatemala City, San Salvador, Honduras, Panama, possibly Nicaragua and then probably visit Havana.

The order in which the American airman, who so completely captivated Mexico on his arrival here Wednesday, will visit the Central American republics, has not been decided nor has the time (Continued on page 8.)

Our Weather Man. FAIR TONIGHT! Yep—an TEMPERATURE BELOW NORMAL! Get out your mittens and red flannels. Folk, Jack Frost is headed this way on a return trip and he's liable to do some dirt. The Office Cat agrees with Prophet Puhb. says: "COOLDER-NELL!" So put on the extra blanket cover up the hood of the fliver and crawl in—As we said before—IT'S GONNA BE COLD!