

The Weather
Highest temperature yesterday... 84
Lowest temperature last night... 59
Forecast for southwest Oregon:
Fair tonight and Friday; warmer
Friday.

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BOURBONS TOLD TO MAKE STAND ON PRINCIPLES

Farm Aid and Prohibition Issues Calling, Says Ex-Senator Lewis.

EVASION IS DECRIED

Party Opposed to National Liquor Law, He Asserts on Eve of Leaving for Houston.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
CHICAGO, June 21.—The democratic party was advised by former Senator James Hamilton Lewis today to "avoid trick phrases" and take a clear stand on the issues of farm relief and prohibition. Mr. Lewis addressed the Press club of Chicago on the eve of his departure for the democratic national convention at Houston.

The former senator condemned what he called "seduction of votes by misunderstanding and misrepresentation."

"The republican party managers at Kansas City," he said, "evaded the farm issue, and to catch votes of the unwary, announced false principles to escape responsibility for a clear statement of their intentions. The democratic party in certain sections now gives promise of a similar deception. It is proposed to condemn President Coolidge for the use of the veto for the pretended farm relief bill. Democracy must not descend to the trick of arousing prejudice by an un-American position to gain misled votes."

"Democracy sincerely opposes national prohibition," Mr. Lewis said. He denounced the 13th amendment and advocated its repeal; if democracy favors the amendment, it must demand its enforcement, he added.

"There must be no avoidance of issue by presenting doctrines of modification of the Volstead act," he declared.

At His Own Spoke
HOUSTON, Texas, June 21.—Denying he was speaking for Gov. Alfred E. Smith in a statement issued last night, Norman E. Mack, national committeeman from New York, pointed out that he was expressing his own views when he said Governor Smith stands for state's rights and personal liberty for the individual.

"I was not talking for Governor Smith," said Mr. Mack, "but for myself. In my statement I was expressing my own convictions. I have so stood all along."

He said he had had no consultation with Governor Smith and his views were not those of Smith, but his own.

George R. Van Namee, pre-convention manager for Governor Smith, also issued a statement saying no one here is authorized to speak for the New York executive on prohibition, the League of Nations or any other subject.

SECRETARY WORK TO QUIT CABINET TO HELP HOOVER

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
WASHINGTON, June 21.—Secretary Work announced today that he would resign the interior cabinet post before the end of June in order to conduct the republican national campaign for which he has been named national chairman.

The executive committee of the republican party today announced the following officers in addition to Mr. Work:

Vice chairman, Ralph E. Williams, Oregon; Mrs. Alvin T. Hart of Kentucky; Daniel E. Pomeroy, New Jersey.

Franklin W. Fort, New Jersey, secretary.

Joseph R. Nutt, Ohio, treasurer.

HELENA, Mont., June 21.—Dr. C. M. Lanstrum, republican national committeeman from Montana, died suddenly in his office here last night. He was 58 years old and came to Montana in 1895.

Legal Action Threatened To Halt Movie Depicting Al Smith as Wet Leader

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
NEW YORK, June 21.—Friends of Gov. Alfred E. Smith today threatened legal action to prevent the use of a news reel of the governor in a film dramatization of two prohibition books by Professor Irving Fisher of Yale.

The picture, titled "Deliverance," was made for Professor Fisher and Robert E. Corrydini, research secretary of the world alliance against alcohol. It is being booked by the Young Men's Christian Association for showing in Y. M. C. A. and churches throughout the country.

George B. Graves, secretary to the governor, has written all news reel companies which have taken pictures of Gov. Smith warning them against permitting improper use of their films. Counsel has informed him that a picture cannot be used for commercial purposes without the governor's permission.

FEDERAL FARM LOAN MEETING TO BE HELD SATURDAY

Members of Southern Oregon Associations to Attend One-Day Session at Moose Hall.

Plans are now practically completed for the meeting of the Southern Oregon Regional District association of Federal Farm Loan associations, which will be held in Roseburg on Saturday, June 23rd, according to Miss Sylvia J. Brown, secretary-treasurer of the association. This meeting is to be held in the Moose Hall, the opening session to commence at 10 o'clock in the morning.

Among the officers of the Federal Land Bank of Spokane who will be present at that time will be Mr. E. M. Ehrhardt, president; Mr. R. E. Shepherd, and Mr. A. S. Goss, directors. Mr. Hugh Sprout, director who represents the associations of Oregon and southern Idaho, will be present. The Spokane Federal Land Bank Stockholders' association will also be represented at the meeting by Mr. Walter Fiscus.

There are twenty-one Federal Farm Loan associations in the southern Oregon district, which include Klamath, Jackson, Josephine, Coos, Curry and Douglas counties. All stockholders (borrowers from the Federal Land Bank of Spokane) who are members of national farm loan associations are invited to attend the meeting.

Due to the fact that the meeting will not continue for more than one day, it will be necessary that all questions or complaints from stockholders be placed in written form and handed to the secretary before the opening of the afternoon session.

This is one of a series of such meetings being held throughout the twelfth federal land bank district. At these meetings delegates are chosen to represent their respective districts at a meeting to be held at the Federal Land Bank of Spokane in July.

There are a large number of farm loan members throughout the southern Oregon district and it is hoped that a large number of them will take an active interest in this meeting by attending as far as possible.

JUSTICE McBRIDE BADLY INJURED AS AUTO IS DITCHED

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
SALEM, June 21.—Justice T. A. McBride of the Oregon Supreme court, is confined to his home a few days with a splintered rib, cut on the head and bruises as a result of an automobile accident on the Pacific highway near Amity Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. McBride was not injured. The McWalla where they had attended McBride were returning from Walla Walla commencement exercises at Whitman college when their machine was crowded into the ditch by a passing car. The McBride vehicle was overturned but was driven to Salem by another driver, the McBrides making the trip in the machine.

HUDKINS OUTWEIGHED

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
CHICAGO, June 21.—Mickey Walker weighed 158 pounds, two under the middleweight limit at 3 p. m. today, for his title fight with Ace Hudkins tonight.

Hudkins tipped the weight at 155 pounds.

DEPUTY KILLER OF JUGOSLAVIA CALM IN COURT

Ratchitch, Who Shot Down 6 in Parliament, States "Task Fulfilled."

READY FOR PENALTY

Tragedy Paralyzes Traffic and Business; 10 Hurt in Resultant Riot in Croatia.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, June 21.—Punica Ratchitch, Montenegrin deputy, who shot and killed two deputies and wounded four in the Yugoslav parliament yesterday, lost none of his nerve when arraigned before a magistrate today, on the charge of murder.

"I am ready to be taken out immediately and shot without trial," he exclaimed. "I have fulfilled my task."

When Ratchitch previously had tried to see the minister of the interior, Father Korosetch, the latter said:

"I receive no murderers. Surrender to the gendarmes in my ante-room."

Ratchitch was asked why he carried a revolver in parliament and replied: "Oh, everybody in the Balkans carries a small arsenal in his belt, why not I?"

Business Stilled
All Yugoslavia is mourning the victims of yesterday's tragedy. The peasants in the districts in black borders. Many stores, the theatres, moving picture houses and cafes are closed; tram cars and trains have ceased to run temporarily.

The peasants, among whom the dead and wounded men were held in high esteem, are in a state of dangerous agitation; there are mutterings and high tension.

Thus far only the democratic members of the cabinet have resigned, but it is believed that those remaining cannot long continue in office in the present highly wrought state of public mind.

Step to Prevent Riots
The government is taking the utmost precautions to prevent outbreaks. It has forbidden more than three persons to congregate in one place and has confiscated the "retch," the organ of the radical peasants for vitriolic attacks. The bodies of the dead deputies will be removed to Agram and buried there tomorrow. The ministers have been requested not to attend the funeral for fear of provoking the incensed peasants.

The government has offered pensions to the families of the victims, but the peasant party has refused to accept them, saying that the bereaved families would be cared for by the peasants.

Riot Echoes Tragedy
SEAGRID, Croatia, June 21.—Ten persons were injured, four seriously, in a clash between police and demonstrators who had gathered in sympathy for the Ratchitch fol-

WOMAN AND BOY HURT IN MAKING ESCAPE FROM FIRE

Mrs. Anna Deardorff and her small son received painful although not serious cuts shortly after midnight last night in escaping from their home on South Pine street after fire was discovered in the building. Mrs. Deardorff was awakened by the noise of the flames in the attic, and found the house so full of smoke that she was unable to make her way to the front door. She broke out the window pane in her bedroom, and helped out her son, who was in the room with her. The two daughters, sleeping in a front room, were awakened and were able to escape unaided.

Mrs. Deardorff's left hand was quite badly cut by glass and the boy was cut on the leg and arm. They were treated by Dr. Wade.

The fire apparently started from spontaneous combustion in the attic and had obtained a good start by the time it was discovered and an alarm sounded. Considerable damage was done to the roof and attic, while water injured the household furnishings to some extent.

The loss is partially covered by insurance.

EUGENE O'NEILL'S SECOND WIFE IS DIVORCE SEEKER

NEW YORK, June 21.—Mrs. Eugene O'Neill, wife of the noted playwright, today announced she had engaged counsel and was planning a trip either to Reno, Nev., or Sonora, Mex., to obtain a divorce.

She said her counsel and her husband's lawyer had arranged questions of finance and custody of their children, and that she would seek the divorce on grounds of desertion or incompatibility.

No other woman would be named, she said. A tentative arrangement to have been drawn gives Mrs. O'Neill custody of their two children and the O'Neill estate "splithead" in Bermuda. O'Neill and his wife each have a child by former marriages.

Mrs. O'Neill is living in seclusion in a Park avenue hotel, and her husband is abroad, his exact whereabouts unknown.

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Lost in Arctic



Noted Polar explorer, who, with Rene Guilbaud, has been lost for three days, after starting from Norway for Spitzbergen in a French airplane to aid in the search for the Noble party. While Noble and five of his crew have been located, the three men who started afoot toward land after the Italia crashed, and the seven who remained with the dirigible and were borne away to the east when the gas bag, lightened by the loss of nine of its crew, rose again.

GREAT ACTIVITY IN REAL ESTATE AT SUTHERLIN

Secretary Chamber of Commerce Reports Several Recent Sales—Many Inquiries Received.

Sutherland real estate is booming and a great deal of activity is in prospect for the future months, according to E. G. Kingwell, of the Sutherland Chamber of Commerce.

One of the big deals recently completed was that of the Sutherland hotel to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Turner, formerly of Collespelt, Montana, who recently became residents of Sutherland. This hotel has 40 rooms with bath, five business locations on the ground floor in addition to a large lobby. It is one of the best planned hotel buildings on the coast. The replacement value of the property, fully furnished, is in excess of \$55,000. The new owners have had a good deal of experience in hotel management, having previously been in the business in Oklahoma and Montana. They have recently been residing near Klamath Falls.

In making the deal Ben Schmidt, the former owner, took in part payment a 400-acre irrigated ranch which has purchased the Banker residence for a paragonage. The property is in all cultivation and is fully stocked and equipped. Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt are taking immediate possession. They came to Oregon from the east about three years ago and are sold on the possibilities of this state.

Mr. Kingwell also reports that a deal has just been completed by John O'Mara, formerly of Nebraska, for the Waller property at Sutherland and will take immediate possession.

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NOBLE GIVES INSTRUCTIONS FOR HIS RESCUE

Communication by Wireless Is Re-Established With His Base Ship.

NEW SUPPLIES CHEER

Affectionate Message Sent to His Locators; News of Lost Amundsen Still Lacking.

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KINGS BAY, Spitzbergen, June 21.—Cheered by the 650 pounds of provisions dropped yesterday upon his camp off Northeast Land by Major Maddalena, Gen. Noble today sent further radio directions for the rescue of his stranded party.

The general and the five men with him, who have been short of food and in difficult straits ever since May 25, when the dirigible Italia met with disaster on its return from the North Pole, was in wireless communication with the base ship Clitta di Milano concerning the present situation.

He gave some instruction about what further procedure is to be followed in rescuing his party and gave details as to what were the conditions on the ice where he is stranded and the exact position of his camp.

Before giving these directions concerning the rescue plans, however, Gen. Noble expressed his gratification of Major Maddalena and the assistant pilot of the Savoia-Marchetti-55 as well as Major Mercanti, director-general of the Italian aviation department, who organized the relief expedition and gave up his seat in the plane so that more fuel might be secured.

In fact, the first words of Noble's message were:

"I kiss and embrace the two fliers and Mercanti."

No News of Amundsen
There was no further news today regarding Roald Amundsen, the famous explorer who took off from Tromsø, Norway, on Monday night and has been missing since. There were all kinds of speculation about him but no definite information whatever has reached here and there was no confirmation of yesterday's rumor that he was down on the ice pack.

The week of fine weather which has prevailed at Spitzbergen today was welcomed by the general and his party, which it was feared would prevent Major Maddalena from starting out again in search for the balloon party of seven men and three missing men who originally formed part of the Noble group.

France Sends Aid
PARIS, June 21.—The French (Continued on page 6.)

"SPOTTER'S" TRYING TO GRAB LOCAL DRUGGISTS

An attempt on the part of local police officers to capture Roseburg druggists by the use of a "spotter" was brought to light today. An undercover man called this week on a local druggist, stating that he had been sent there by a prominent physician of the city, and that he must have some grain alcohol or medicinal whiskey for his sick wife. The druggist asked him for a prescription, but the man said that he had none and that the doctor had told him that he needed none at that drug store. The clerk told him quite plainly that the store had never been engaged in the sale of illicit liquor and that it would not grant his request. The man was trailed and found to be a "spotter."

The drug fraternity of Roseburg is regarded as among the cleanest in the entire state. No complaints have ever been received by anyone regarding the sale of them of narcotics or alcohol unless prescribed by licensed physicians.

The tactics of officers in hiring "spotters" to spy on the Roseburg druggists is regarded as a serious insult to the integrity of the merchants and as one of them stated today, "We are engaged in a legitimate business and all of us have been citizens of this city for many years. To think that we would jeopardize our future by 'falling' for a stool pigeon is beyond me."

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