

The Weather
Highest temperature yesterday... 78
Lowest temperature last night... 56
Forecast for southwest Oregon:
Fair tonight and Saturday; no
change in temperature or humidity.

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BONE DRY PARTY PUTS TICKET IN THE 1928 RACE

W. F. Varney of New York
and J. A. Edgerton of
Virginia Named.

HOOVER O. K. FAILS

Resolution Adopted Seeks
Return of Law Putting
Ban on Home-Made
Intoxicants.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
CHICAGO, July 13.—An insurance man and a farmer-salesman will head the national ticket of the prohibition party this year.
William F. Varney, Rockville Center, N. Y., was nominated for the presidency on the second ballot at the party convention last night following a persistent attempt by a sizeable minority to nominate or endorse Herbert Hoover.

Gov. Alfred E. Smith of New York was placed in nomination by delegates who opposed the Hoover support, which continued until the final balloting, when Varney received 66 votes to Hoover's 45. On the first roll-call Varney had 42 and Hoover 42.

Lively scenes preceded the actual voting, including several manifestations of dissension within the prohibitionist ranks following the rallies for Hoover and Smith.

In the demonstration over the sentiment toward Hoover, who was characterized as one who had expressed no clear-cut opinion on the prohibition question, two delegates created excitement by nominating Smith, an avowed exponent of prohibition modification. Both voted for him on the first ballot.

Hoover Sell-Out Charged

Delegate John H. Hammond, former chief of police of Des Moines, Iowa, gave vent to his anti-Hoover wrath by throwing his badge on the table, declaring that the party had been betrayed, and walked out. He charged that the officers of the convention had "sold out" to Hoover.

A resolution was adopted by the (Continued on page 2.)

LADY CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR CITES MIGHT OF GIDEON

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
HOLYOKE, Mass., July 13.—Warnin' the ruling political "gang" of the city that befell the 16,000 Philites who were caught napping and smitten by the 300 righteous Gideons, Mrs. Elizabeth Towne, Holyoke's first woman alderman, and an ordained minister of the New Testament movement, has declared herself a candidate for mayor on a policy of a new and a square deal all around.

"Even the liquor interests will get a square deal from me, no matter what they may be able to grab off or from anybody else in power now or in the future," she says in her declaration of war on the "gang" in the saddle that had ridden rough shod through every administration.

"They say I cannot be elected because I shall have all the old machine groups against me. Well, they may be right. But I remember a Bible story about Gideon and his little band of 300 who were right, and who with 200 pitchers and 300 candles, put 10,000 aid was horses to rout."

N. Y. Will Send Rival Olympic Team

Five Athletes Who Failed to Qualify in Try-Outs Will Compete as Protest Against Committee's Alleged Unfair Selections, Including Paddock.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
NEW YORK, July 13.—The New York Athletic club has decided to send an Olympic team of its own to Europe as a protest against the decisions of the American Olympic selections committee. Five members of the winged foot organization who failed for various reasons to qualify for the team will be sent abroad at the expense of the club in an effort to have them included in the team.

The five men are Roland Locke, former University of Nebraska sprint star, Weems Baskin, crack hurdler from Albany Poly; Matt McGrath, veteran hammer thrower; Fait Elkins, Indian decathlon star who was injured during the tryouts at Philadelphia and was unable to compete the ten events, and Norton Jackson, a wrestler.

Paddock Ruling Irks
The fight for places on the team will be under the supervision of Matthew Halpin, chairman of the Winged Foot athletic committee. In addition to the protest against what he claims were improper choices by the selections committee, Halpin announced that he would decline to serve as an official at the Olympic games as a protest against the recent ruling in favor of Charley Paddock on the question of eligibility.

All of the five N. Y. A. C. athletes who will attempt to gain places on the team are well known performers who failed to make the grade in the tryouts. According to Halpin the committee's selections were unjust because these men are better than the ones chosen.

No Evidence Submitted
STEAMSHIP PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, Enroute to Amsterdam, July 13.—Apparently the last word on the Paddock case so far

WOMAN MANAGER OF IDAHO TURKEY POOL COMING HERE

Mrs. C. J. Brink, manager of the Idaho Turkey Growers' Association, will be in Douglas county on the 30th and 31st of July to meet with the growers of that vicinity.

According to word received by J. C. Leedy, county agent, Mrs. Brink has made an exceptionally fine record in the cooperative marketing field as a result of the success of the Idaho pool. Starting with an organization handling three carloads of birds, the association has grown until last year it had 70 carloads of turkeys from Idaho and Eastern Oregon.

The Douglas county association, which was recently formed and which is to be perfected at a meeting in August, is patterned after the Idaho association, with certain modifications to take care of local conditions and to provide for the future of the industry.

Many of the turkey growers of the county have been exceedingly anxious to hear Mrs. Brink, but heretofore it has been impossible to secure her as a speaker. This month, however, she is visiting the Idaho association's district in Eastern Oregon and will be at Redmond on the 28th. The extension service of the Oregon State College has arranged to have her extend her trip to Douglas county and she will speak at Oakland Monday night, July 29, Roseburg Tuesday afternoon and Yoncalla Tuesday night.

Immediately following this trip Mrs. Brink will go east to make a study of market conditions.

There is considerable sentiment among the Douglas county turkey growers favoring cooperation between the Douglas county and Idaho growers in forming their pool and seeking bids. This matter will probably be taken up in more detail with Mrs. Brink when she visits the county.

EX-GOV. PIERCE AGAIN SAYS HE SUPPORTS AL SMITH
(Associated Press Leased Wire)
LA GRANDE, July 13.—Former Governor Walter M. Pierce last night reaffirmed his intentions of supporting Gov. Alfred E. Smith, of New York, democratic candidate for president, in the coming campaign. Pierce also intends to make a vigorous campaign for a seat in congress, he told Union county democrats at an organization meeting here.

Whether Pierce will carry the Smith campaign outside the second congressional district is not known. He indicated, however, that he has made arrangements for several eastern Oregon speeches, primarily in his own behalf.

SEVEN KILLERS PAY PENALTY IN ELECTRIC CHAIR

Law's Hand Deals Justice to 4 Whites, 3 Negroes in Kentucky.

TWO 21 YRS. OF AGE

All on Verge of Collapse as Hour of Death Nears But Blacks Regain Their Nerve.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
EDDYVILLE, Ky., July 13.—Seven men, convicted murderers all, were electrocuted between midnight and 1:20 o'clock this morning at the state penitentiary here.

Seven wooden coffins later today were placed on trestles near the prison gates awaiting disposition of relatives of the executed ones whose bodies, in death house garments, rested within the uncushioned boxes.

Four white men, three of them very young, and three negroes made up the seven whose deaths in the electric chair set a record for Kentucky. Sullen, defiant and prayerful by turns and during their stay in the death house, the condemned men were reduced by fear to a condition bordering upon collapse as midnight approached.

Chills Despite Heat
Although there was no clock going to sound the hours, the prisoners sensed the time and all talk died away long before the death march started at 12:15. With heads supported in cupped hands, they sat silent, their bodies shaken by chills despite the intense heat in the squat stone house that had been their home in the prison. In plain view was the execution chamber and the chair.

There was no sombre darkness in the place. Instead, there was brilliant light and shadow and polished steel.

The white men went to the chair first. Those executed were: Milford "Red" Lawson, 35, who murdered a neighbor in his mountain country; Orlando Seymour, 21, convicted of the murder of a Louisville merchant; Hascue Dockery, 21, charged with slaying two women and a man; Charles Miltz, 23, convicted with Seymour; Wilham Moore, 45, negro; James Howard, negro, and Clarence McQueen, 38, negro.

Negroes Raik
The negroes, apparently crushed earlier in the night by the nearness and certainty of death, recovered their spirits to a greater degree than the white men before the time came for them to pass down the corridor of steel.

Howard entered the chamber singing "Sweet Lily of the Valley" and, as he sank back in the chair, waved his hand saying "gentlemen, how are you all feeling tonight?"

TWO BANDITS AND DEPUTY KILLED IN CALIFORNIA CHASE

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
EUREKA, Calif., July 13.—Charles Carpenter, 40, a deputy sheriff, and two unidentified bandits were shot and killed at Salyer creek, east of here this morning when four sheriff's deputies and four bandits engaged in a running gun fight following the robbery of a store on Willow creek.

Posed led by peace officers from Humboldt, Shasta and Trinity counties were hunting for the three bandits who eluded the deputies after the fight.

The four robbers, in a small automobile, appeared suddenly at Willow Creek, about 25 miles east of here. They robbed the Bizard store and took a small safe with them. Four deputy sheriffs from Burt Ranch met the bandits at Salyer creek and opened fire. Carpenter was killed instantly and one of the robbers was shot and killed. The robber's companions threw him out of the car and drove on. Another bandit jumped from the machine and escaped in the woods.

Carpenter leaves a widow and five children.

Scouts Decline To War Against Lady Smokers

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
NEW YORK, July 13.—Use of Boy Scouts in a campaign to halt smoking by women, as proposed by the Cleveland scout council, has been repudiated by the executive board of the Boy Scouts of America.

The Cleveland council recently adopted a resolution condemning advertisements tending to induce women to smoke cigarettes, and the Scouts were urged to adopt as another "daddy good turn" the erection of sentiment against smoking by women.

James E. West, chief Scout executive, in a letter to Floyd A. Rowe, president of the Cleveland council, took the latter organization to task for acting in a matter which is not in the province of a local council and which involves "misunderstanding as to the real aims and purposes of the Boy Scout movement."

"To us here," the letter said, "it is most unfortunate, and indeed absurd that a suggestion should be made by any representative of the Boy Scout movement that Boy Scouts would approach women smoking in houses and ask them to give up the habit."

"It is not within the province of the local or even the national council to undertake to pass resolutions or legislate on any of the many problems before the American public. We are obligated by our constitution to avoid participation in controversial and political questions."

LOCAL AIRPORT IS PRAISED BY FAMOUS PILOT

Martin Jensen Says Roseburg Field One of Best Visited.

CITY CONGRATULATED

Early Development Will Put Roseburg on Air-map and in Line for Benefits.

BEER RUNNER OF DETROIT RIDDLED AT WHEEL OF CAR

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
DETROIT, July 13.—Joseph Tallman, 29, was shot and killed at the wheel of his automobile early today in what police believe was the outcome of a liquor feud.

Tallman was cut down by a hail of bullets from guns fired by four men in another car, his companions, Harvey Smith and Max Wuester, told police.

Smith and Wuester said they were driving with Tallman when the other car drew alongside and the occupants opened fire.

A motorcycle officer a block away heard the firing and hurried to the scene, arriving after the attackers had fled. He found Tallman dying from four bullet wounds and Smith and Wuester crouched behind the automobile.

Tallman, according to police, had supplied Detroit-made beer to a large section of the east side and had been arrested eight times since 1923, although he was never convicted.

CARPENTER GETS \$11,276 AWARD IN MEDFORD COURT

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
MEDFORD, July 13.—A jury in the circuit court early today returned a verdict for \$11,276 in favor of R. B. Holloper, in his damage suit against Charles W. Palm. He asked for \$15,300. Holloper, a carpenter, was injured while working on a building he is owning to Palm in May, 1926. The case involved the Workmen's Compensation Act. When the construction started Palm filed notice that he rejected the provisions of the act. The industrial commission claimed that he was under its provisions until July 1, 1926, despite the rejection. Judge A. R. Walker of McMinville ruled that Holloper was not under the Compensation Act.

The accident occurred May 15, 1926. The case will be appealed to the state supreme court.

FIVE MORE OF ITALIA'S STRANDED CREW RESCUED

STATUS OF ITALIA'S CREW AND RESCUE PARTIES

(By the Associated Press)
Italia's Crew

Known dead—Dr. Finn Malmgren, meteorologist, died attempting to reach land; Vincenzo Pomella, motor attendant, killed in crash, May 25.

Rescued—General Umberto Nobile, commander, and seven of his crew, including Natale Ceccioni, motor chief.

Missing, and believed dead—Six of staff of Nobile, including Lieut. Arduno, navigator; Prof. Ponnyemoli, Schenetta, and Dr. Ugo Lago, journalist.

Missing Rescuers
Party of Roald Amundsen, Norwegian Polar explorer, who left Tromsø, Norway, in French plane and disappeared June 10. Party included Lieut. L. I. E. Dietrichsen, Norwegian Arctic explorer; Commander Rene Gilbaud, French pilot, and three other men.

Party afoot which tried to make way over ice to Italia survivors: Includes three men.

Rescuers Marooned
Crew of Russian plane from Krassin marooned near Capt. Platov. Includes pilot Chukhnovsky and four others.

RUSSIAN ICEBREAKER KRASSIN PLOWS THROUGH ARCTIC SEA AND PICKS UP VIGLIERI GROUP

Motor Chief Ceccioni Has Fractured Leg But Condition Not Regarded Serious; Search Resumed For Several Other Groups Scattered in Frozen Wastes

Fresh Signals Received by Krassin Believed to Have Been From Alpine Chasseur Sora and Norwegian Guides—Amundsen Party With 6 Drifters of the Italia's Crew, Moscow Theory.

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MOSCOW, July 13.—Spurring on relentlessly in what now appears to be a winning fight against the Arctic, the powerful Russian icebreaker Krassin has rescued five more of the crew of the dirigible Italia and was pounding on today to make further rescues.

Just a few hours after the brilliant rescue of Captains Alberto Mariano and Filippo Zappi, members of the Italia's walking party, the Krassin crashed through the ice floes to reach the Viglieri group which for 48 days had been stranded near Foyen Island off Northeast Land.

Amundsen Now Sought
With seven of the sixteen men of the Italia safely aboard, the Krassin immediately turned its attention to picking up several rescue groups which have become stranded themselves, and kept a sharp lookout for the missing group of Captain Roald Amundsen in the hope that the great drama of the Arctic, which has been in progress for the past seven weeks, might reach its climax in one fell swoop.

The Viglieri group rescued yesterday was made up of Lieutenant Alfredo Viglieri, Prof. E. Behonok, Giuseppe Biagi, Filippo Troiano and Natale Ceccioni. These men were in the Gondola of the Italia when the North Pole dirigible crashed on May 25 and constituted the main part of the Italia's crew for which hope had been held out.

General Umberto Nobile, leader of the expedition, was a member of this group until he was rescued on June 24 by the Swedish flier, Lieutenant Einar Lindberg.

Radio Saves Party
For more than a month the eyes of the world had been centered upon the little party off Foyen Island. Day after day Biagi, the Italia's radio operator, kept in touch with civilization and directed rescue efforts by means of his wireless equipment. It was he who first guided the rescuing airplanes to the camping place and kept the world informed of the party's position until the Krassin could pound its way through the ice to reach them.

Ceccioni has a broken leg but his condition is not considered serious. Signals From Others
The first intention of the Krassin is to proceed to Foyen Island

where several persons were sighted who as yet have not been identified. These men signalled to the Krassin and the icebreaker signalled back that she would pick them up on returning from the Viglieri rescue. It is believed that the men were Alpine chassours who were sent in search of Nobile's men six weeks ago. These men were the Italian Alpine chasseur, Captain Sora, and the Norwegian guides, Yarming and Vandorjan.

No word had been heard from this little group which started afoot for Foyen Island, for many weeks, and they were virtually given up for dead many days ago.

Flier Awaits Rescue
After this group is picked up the Krassin will continue back to the group of the Russian flier, Chukhnovsky, who with four members of his crew is stranded along North East Land. Chukhnovsky on Tuesday first sighted the Italia's walking party, whose leader, Dr. Finn Malmgren, Swedish meteorologist, had died, and notified the Krassin of their position.

Chukhnovsky, on his return flight to the Krassin, became lost in the fog and made a forced landing near Cape Platen. His landing gear was broken, but he and his men immediately set up a camp and by wireless urged the Krassin to rescue the two members of the Malmgren group who were in a starving condition.

After Chukhnovsky is picked up, the Krassin will proceed to Virgo Bay, where the pilot will establish a base for further flights in order to seek trace of Roald Amundsen and the six men who were carried (Continued on page 5.)

Oregon Never To Get Lower Rates Until People Rise Against Public Service Commission, Expert Says
(Associated Press Leased Wire)
PORTLAND, Ore., July 13.—Declaring that Oregon's public service commission "long ago ceased to function in the interest of the people," Kenneth G. Harlan, rate expert retained by the city of Portland, today issued a statement in which he said that if the people of Oregon ever secure lower power rates at the hands of the Oregon Public Service Commission, they will have to rise in their might and demand them. "The statement was made in comment upon the commission's order yesterday with reference to the valuation of the properties of the Portland Electric Power company. "Until Oregon secures a Public Service Commission that will protect its people rather than the public utility corporations there is little or no hope of obtaining sufficiently low power rates from the private companies to attract industries to the state," Harlan said. "Speaking of the commission's order yesterday, he continued: 'In this order the Public Service Commission re-affirms its 1916 and 1917 valuation of the properties of the company. "It is true that the commission indicated in the order a willingness to modify or alter the valuation on what it termed a proper showing, but that was merely an idle gesture. "Moreover, why should it be incumbent upon the city of Portland to make a showing that the commission's valuation is excessive. The commission was created to protect the people and not to favor the public utility corporations, and it is the function of the commission itself to correct the valuation. "Oregon's Public Service Commission, however, long ago ceased to function in the interest of the people. It is dominated by the public utility corporations and whenever the people present a complaint to it against any of these utilities the commission sits back and calls on the public to prove its case. "In conclusion let me sound this note of warning to the people of Oregon—that if they ever secure any lower rates at the hands of the Oregon Public Service Commission they will have to rise in their might and demand them."