

FIRST SIX DAYS OF JUNE WETTEST FOR THE PAST 16 YEARS

Less Than One Week Gone But Normal for Month Has Already Been Exceeded.

Rainfall Is Expected to Be of Great Benefit to Orchards of the County.

Although the month of June has only reached its sixth day, the precipitation so far in the month is the wettest in the entire month of June for the past 16 years. E. H. Kuttner, local meteorologist in charge of the Roseburg station of the U. S. weather bureau, reported that the total precipitation for the first six days of June has reached 1.96 inches, as compared with a normal for the entire month of 3.70 inches.

The month of June in 1923 had a total precipitation of 5.27 inches for the entire month, and with nearly two inches recorded during the first six days of this year, the present month has a good start towards beating the record of 16 years ago.

The most rainfall ever recorded during the month of June was in 1888, a total of 9.54 inches. The lowest was .01 of an inch in 1853. There have been only 5 Junes in 51 years that have had heavier rainfall than has been recorded so far this month.

The weather bureau indicates that the record for this month has not yet been fully established, for more showers are forecast, unmet, with probable showers tonight and Friday with mild temperatures being recorded.

While the excessive precipitation is considered disagreeable by those who delight to be out of doors during the early part of the month, the rainfall is being received with delight by farmers and orchardists, particularly the prune orchardists, for the Umpqua Valley this year, from all indications, has the only normal crop of prunes on the coast, and the present rains are expected to prove of great benefit to the orchards, and will probably greatly reduce the amount of the summer drop and will also result in larger sizes.

HOOVER WANTS PROHI UNIT IN JUSTICE DEPT.

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I recommend that the congress appoint a joint select committee to make an immediate study of these matters and to formulate recommendations for consideration at the next regular session.

"I shall be glad to appoint a committee from the departments to cooperate with such a committee of the congress. The national commission on law observance and enforcement will also cooperate through their studies of the departmental organization.

"The subject involves the transfer of parts of various bureaus and agencies from certain departments to others and it includes as well the necessity for the unification and strengthening of our border patrol both in connection with prohibition and illegal entry of aliens.

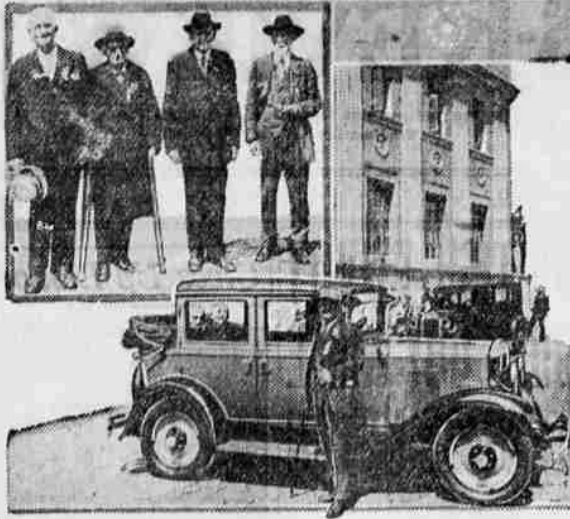
"As the question embraces numerous laws and regulations in several bureaus it is required extensive consideration which if given jointly by such committees of the congress and the departments prior to the regular session will save many months of delay."

Preliminary Study
A preliminary study of the many questions involved in the transfer of the prohibition enforcement forces to the justice department already has been made by experts of the two departments under the direction of James M. Moran, prohibition commissioner in consultation with Secretary Mellon and Attorney General Mitchell.

The problem involved is a rather extensive one and since it involves many changes in existing laws governing administrative provisions of the enforcement and Mrs. Hoover deemed it advisable to have representatives of the justice and senate take over the matter during the months intervening before the regular session.

As the program now is generally outlined it involves removal of the prohibition unit from the

"Tramp, Tramp, Tramp"



The familiar scenes of Civil War Days were re-enacted last week at the Civil War Veterans' Encampment held on the Pacific Coast. Memorial Day saw thousands of people honoring this fast diminishing group of heroes. Chevrolet owners proffered their cars for the use of the veterans in sightseeing trips at the encampment.

treasury department with the enforcement agents placed either in an existing division of the justice department or the creation of a new division under the direction of an administrative rather than a legal officer.

The large legal force now employed by the unit presumably would be placed under the assistant attorney general in charge of dry law prosecutions.

Many Angles Presented
In addition there are involved questions of administration and cooperation with the customs force and coast guard, which would remain within the treasury organization because their primary duties have to do with enforcement of the customs laws. Other matters to which the joint committee must give attention include that of permits for liquors for medicinal purposes, for industrial alcohol and the use of intoxicants for other purposes.

The permit system is regarded as of the highest importance since experience has shown that much of the illegal liquor now on the market has its base in industrial alcohol much of which, treasury officials believe, has been diverted from commercial into illegal channels.

The president disclosed in his message that it is proposed to set a border patrol which will bring together in a homogeneous unit prohibition, customs and immigration officers. This immediately brings into the picture the element of labor which has control of immigration on the borders.

Through the unification of three services, administration officials believe a much tighter rein can be kept on all illegal operations on the borders, including the smuggling of goods, including the smuggling of aliens. Many Chinese have been entering the United States over the Mexican border despite efforts of immigration officials to break up this practice.

Congress Willing
WASHINGTON, June 6.—Hardly had President Hoover's recommendation for a study by a joint congressional committee of the transfer of the prohibition unit to the justice department been received by the house and senate before a number of administration leaders indicated they were prepared to create such a committee immediately.

Senator Jones of Washington, author of the nation's newest and most stringent dry law, said he would be glad to offer a resolution in the senate for appointment of the commission.

It was generally agreed at the capitol that legislation would be necessary to bring about such a transfer.

Some senators indicated they regarded the recommendation as the forerunner of a general reorganization of the prohibition service with a view to making a gigantic and determined if undramatic attempt at enforcement of the law.

Senator Harrison, democrat, Mississippi, announced his willingness to support the recommendation for a joint congressional committee.

Senator Watson of Indiana, the republican leader, ordered a quorum call of the senate to obtain a full attendance for the reading of

TALLMAN SLIPS OUT OF LOCKED ROOM ON SHIP

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closet of a rooming house, in a section of the city far removed from the exclusive district where she had maintained her residence.

William Tallman, Oakland radio operator, wanted in connection with the murder was missing when the steamer, Admiral Benson arrived at San Francisco last night.

The finding of narcotics in Mrs. Patty's apartment, seemed to the police to bear out an expressed suspicion of her husband, Frank Patty, that his wife had become addicted to the use of stimulants.

He had previously told police of his wife's ill health, adding that they had resided in Los Angeles during several past winters on account of it. She had, Patty said, spent some time in Arizona for treatment of tubercular ailment, but Patty had understood, he said, that she had not suffered further symptoms, lately, and was apparently cured.

New Evidence Found
In their investigation of the rooming house apartment, yesterday police tabulated the following new asserted evidence:

A man's brown, blood spattered suit of clothes, bearing an Oakland trademark. The suit was found in a suit case, in which also was an Oakland newspaper dated May 18. Police said Tallman was known to have left Oakland May 19. Other articles of apparel, a razor, shaving brush and lotion were in the suitcase. Police said the shaving implements had yielded sharp specimens of fingerprints.

Chief of Detectives Herman Cline declared that the brown suit had been described by Mrs. Dora Scott, mother of the dead woman, as belonging to Tallman. She was well acquainted with Tallman, police said.

Principal's Past Life
The lines of police investigation reached into many sections of the country as they rounded up newspaper details in the life of Mrs. Patty.

Mrs. Scott, the mother, now living with a brother of the slain girl, Irving Scott, in Julesburg, Colo., is en route to Los Angeles to give what aid she can to the police.

Frank D. Patty, the husband, was graduated from the University of Nebraska in 1922. He had lived formerly at Fond du Lac, Iowa, with his father, a druggist there.

William Tallman was born in Rock Island, Ill., reports to the police here advised he had received technical radio training in Berkeley and had been employed at various times in Oakland and San Francisco.

Mrs. Patty had been married twice. Her first marriage occurred in Sioux City, Iowa, to Arthur J. Williams. They had one daughter, Helen Dorothy, who now resides with her father and grandparents in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Patty secured a divorce from Wisniam and about four years ago married Patty. It was learned that Tallman's relatives in Oakland had retained Attorney Thomas P. White and Vincent Hickson of Los Angeles, to handle his case.

An inquest into Mrs. Patty's death has been set by Coroner Frank Nance for Friday.

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BAD WEATHER IS HANDICAP TO CARNIVAL WEEK

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The Umpqua and Grand hotels on Jackson and Cass streets, and will be led by the Roseburg Boys' band. The prizes offered are as follows:

Section 1—Best decorated baby carriage or go-cart, 1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.

Section 2—Best decorated tricycle or wagon, 1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.

Section 3—Best decorated doll buggy, 1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.

Section 4—Best Indian character, 1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.

Section 5—Bathing beauties, 1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.

Section 6—Best feature not included in above classes, 1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.

Another carnival feature is the flower show, which is to be held May evening and Saturday at

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the Lockwood garage. The Umpqua Squaws are arranging for the usual strawberry booth, but due to the uncertainty of the weather it has been decided to place the sales booth in the corner room of the Masonic building has been secured. The booth will be arranged today and will probably be open Friday afternoon. The ladies will serve strawberries, cream and coffee.

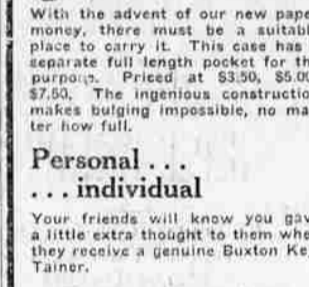
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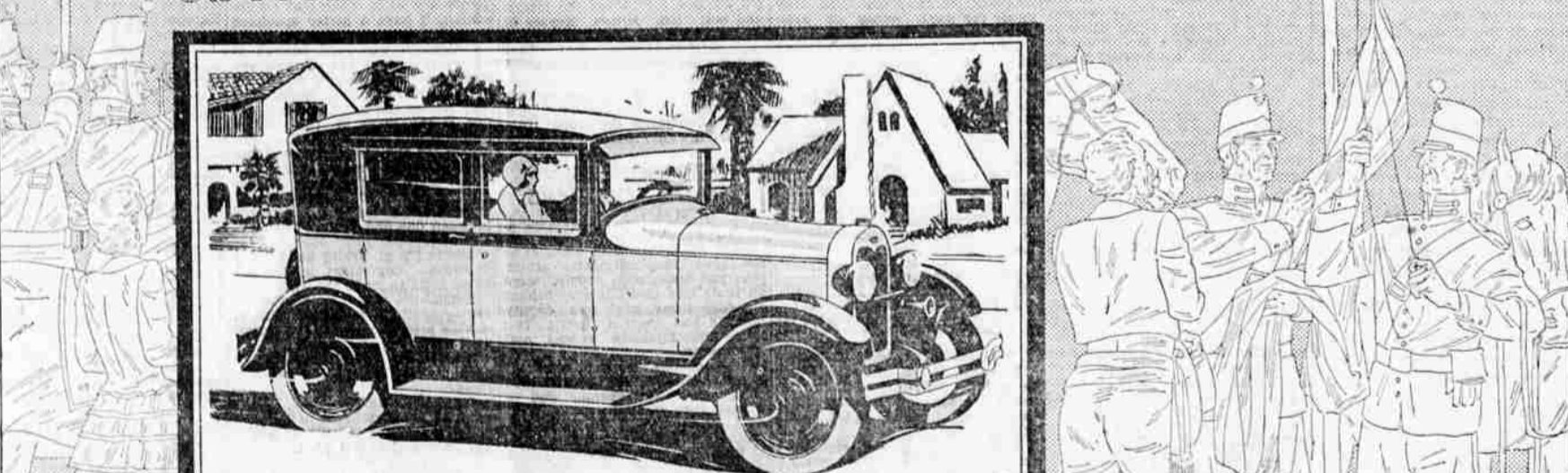
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