

THE WEATHER

Humidity 5 p. m. yesterday 73
Highest temperature yesterday 91
Lowest temperature last night 54
Precipitation for 24 hours .0
Precip. from Sept. 1, 1935 .25.18
Excess since Sept. 1, 1935 .246
Fair; rather warm and dry.

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TOWNSEND SUED

That's big news, especially when linked with a contempt citation. You'll be interested in the hearing and outcome. Both will be promptly chronicled in the NEWS-REVIEW.

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VICTORIES SPLIT IN SPANISH REVOLUTION

Editorials
on the
Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS
SOMETHING important is happening in Spain, but just what it is remains clouded because of censorship. A fair guess is that the more conservative elements have risen in revolt against the "leftist" (radical) government.

The government announces that it has completely crushed the revolution, but cautious observers will note that a rigid censorship is still maintained.

When rigid censorship exists, it's pretty hard to believe anything you read.

IN THE political news from Europe, the words "rightist" and "leftist" occur quite frequently.

A "rightist" is a conservative, in the language of European politics, and a "leftist" is a radical. In the European legislative bodies, the conservatives sit on the right of the room and the radicals sit on the left. The middle-of-the-roads sit in between and are referred to as "centrists."

Hence these words that sprinkle the political news from overseas.

NOTE, please, that whatever is going on in Spain (largely shrouded from our eyes by the veil of censorship) is undoubtedly an effort to change the government by FORCE.

We've done a lot of things in this country that must cause the founders of our republic to turn uneasily in their graves, but whatever we do let's not go to the length (as has been done extensively in Europe) of changing our government by force of arms instead of by votes.

That is one foreign importation

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MAHONEY SAYS 3RD
PARTY MOVE WEAK

PORTLAND, July 22.—(AP)—The third party movement is only a gesture lacking any far-reaching support, William Mahoney, Klamath Falls mayor and democratic nominee for U. S. senator, said upon his return last night from the Townsend pension plan convention in Cleveland.

Mahoney said "no one" took the movement seriously and asserted that the Townsends did not endorse presidential candidates at the convention.

The mayor assailed Father Coughlin, Detroit priest, for his attack upon the president, calling it "vicious and un-American." He said the addresses of individuals before the convention were regarded merely as individual expressions rather than Townsendite sentiment.

Election of a congressional bloc which would make a "strong showing" was predicted for the Townsends at the November elections by Mahoney.

FLASHES OF OREGON EVENTS

MEDFORD, July 22.—(AP)—A formal investigation of the death of Warden Bowden brought to a decision today that the Portland man, youth plunged down the wall of the Crater lake rim because of "disregard for park regulations and personal safety."

Testimony indicated Bowden and two companions started down the precipitous wall in bathing suits and that Bowden slipped while "dog-trotting," striking his head on a rock before falling to a ledge far below.

PORTLAND, July 22.—Mrs. Samuel Lisham, 64, died from ill health at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Naomi Burke. Eight hours later her husband died. The couple lived at Woodland, Wash.

SALEM, July 22.—Nine hundred and ninety-nine prisoners ate breakfast at the Oregon penitentiary yesterday morning, setting a new record in population, but by noon the number had been reduced to 954.

Three young first offenders were

GOV. LANDON
TO GIVE VIEWS
ON PROBLEMS

Acceptance Speech Will Be Made Tomorrow Night; Opposing Victory Claims Voiced.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—(AP)—As Topeka blossomed out in its finest hunting today for Governor Al H. Landon's acceptance speech tomorrow night, republican leaders continued to predict a sweep, and a democratic campaigner, Governor Paul V. McNutt of Indiana, declared "ill-omened elements of our society" are back of Landon.

The Kansas governor's speech, to be delivered about 8:30 p. m. (CST) after the notification ceremonies, will cover a wide range of subjects, advisers said. One of them indicated that in addition to probable emphasis on farm relief, unemployment, federal spending and taxation, and the constitution, Landon will outline his opinions on governmental attitudes toward organized labor.

Support Assailed
Speaking in Indianapolis last night for the democratic national committee, Governor McNutt declared that the personality ascribed to Landon by his managers "inevitably suggests an individual particularly susceptible to the influence of stronger minds and more ruthless will."

"Just who are the people to whom he is willing to be obligated in the unlikely event of his election?" McNutt asked. "Can they be other than the group of which the Dr. Post Liberty league is characteristic, and William Randolph Hearst, whose first visit to and endorsement of Governor Landon has been justly described as the kiss of death?"

House Victory Forecast
A statement that the republicans' chances of gaining a majority in the house of representatives, increasing daily, came from Rep. Chester C. Bolton of Ohio, in launching the party's drive for western congressional seats. "Practically all the territory we lost in 1932 and 1934 is leaning strongly republican," Bolton said.

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GOV. HOLT BEHIND
IN MONTANA COUNT

HELENA, Mont., July 22.—(AP)—Representative Roy E. Ayers had a lead of about 1,500 votes over Gov. Almer Holt today for their race for the democratic gubernatorial nomination, as Senator James E. Murray continued ahead of Representative Joseph P. Monaghan in the United States senatorial primary.

Returns from 710 out of Montana's 1,237 precincts gave Ayers 23,095 and Holt 21,295.

Tabulations from 647 precincts gave Murray 25,076 and Monaghan 22,754.

In the republican senatorial race, T. O. Larson was slowly pulling away from the field. With returns compiled from 294 precincts, he had 5,330 votes to 4,165 for L. Ray Carroll; 3,450 for Hugh Egan, and 3,265 for Jess H. Stevens.

Frank A. Hazelbaker was gaining heavily in the contest for the republican designation as governor. He had 11,713 votes from 430 precincts compared to 3,964 for Robert Pauline.

transferred to the boys' training school at Woodburn during the day, making six penitentiary prisoners now at that institution. Two others were discharged at noon after completing their terms.

GRANTS PASS, July 22.—(AP)—Frank Ernest, Salem, became the new governor today of Oregon's 20th club through a consolidation of the state's two districts. Larry Manuel, Grants Pass, formerly was governor of one district.

PORTLAND, July 22.—(AP)—The first case of sunstroke of the summer occurred here Tuesday when Will Jones, 32, trying to acquire a coat of tan, was overcome and sent to a hospital.

ESTACADA, July 22.—(AP)—A pledge of support for completion of a Portland-Bend highway which would be built along the Clackamas river from here and over the divide into eastern Oregon came from Congressman W. A. Eckwall at a meeting here of 100 citizens.

King's Assailant



Relayed from London to New York across the Atlantic by radio, and thence transmitted to Cleveland by soundphoto, this International Illustrated News photo gives a closeup of George Andrew McMahon, the eccentric middle-aged journalist who attempted to assassinate King Edward VIII of Great Britain.

O.-C. LAND GRANTS
TO BE DISCUSSED

A thorough discussion relative to problems connected with the Oregon and California grant lands is to be held during the next few days at Portland, Guy Gordon, attorney for the association of Oregon land grant counties reported here today.

At an executive meeting of the state planning board in Portland Friday representatives are expected from principal lumber companies, federal department, land grant counties and other interested agencies for a general discussion of policy.

Monday and Tuesday of next week, representatives of the department of the interior will be present to meet with the same agencies for a further conference, and particularly to discuss a bill now before congress to place the O. and C. lands on a sustained yield basis.

There is also a proposal being considered, Attorney Gordon states, which would take administration of the lands from the department of the interior, which now controls them through the land office, and to transfer the lands to the national forests.

"The land grant counties are not interested in what is done with these lands or who administers them," Gordon declared today, "but these counties demand that their tax equities be protected."

"They contend that they are entitled to payments equal to and in lieu of taxes, and that such payments be made certain in amount and date of payment."

ST. PAUL, July 22.—(AP)—Tom Brown, suspended St. Paul police officer and a former chief of the force, denied from the witness stand in federal court today that he received \$25,000 of the \$100,000 William Hamm Jr. ransom money.

He testified as a defense witness in the trial of John (Jack) Peltier, former night club operator, on kidnap conspiracy charges.

Byron Bolton, principal government witness, had related on the stand last week that \$25,000 was "set aside" for Brown and \$10,000 for Peltier.

Bolton testified Brown was paid for informing the kidnappers of police activities following the July 15, 1933, abduction.

YAQUINA BRIDGE
WORKER KILLED

NEWPORT, July 22.—(AP)—The first death since construction began occurred on the Yaquina bay bridge today. Ted McDaniel, 35, fell 110 feet to the beach while stripping forms from the understructure. He struck on his head and died instantly.

No one saw the accident but it was believed he tore loose a timber and went with it. He was married and had a four-year-old child. His widow and child had left here several days ago to establish a home somewhere in Washington, where McDaniel had obtained another job.

LEWIS NEARS
BREAK WITH
FEDERATION

Mine Workers' President Won't Obey Summons To Stand Trial For "Insurrection."

WASHINGTON, July 22.—(AP)—A disclosure that unionization of 1,000,000 workers was the aim of the present campaign to organize the steel industry was made today as informed sources said John L. Lewis, and the American Federation of Labor were near a parting of the ways.

Phillip Murray, active head of the steel organization campaign, revealed the figure, almost double the objective previously announced.

At a press conference, the chairman of the steel workers organization committee said the drive already had been carried into steel fabricating plants as well as the basic production mills. Between 400,000 and 500,000 men and women are employed in plants fabricating and processing steel, he said, in addition to approximately 500,000 workers who produce the metal.

The steel campaign is a major part of the general drive of Lewis' United Mine Workers and 11 affiliated unions to bring mass production workers in each industry into one big union, regardless of craft lines.

The fight on the issue between Lewis and the craft union-dominated A. F. of L. executive council appeared near a definite break.

Summons Denied
Angrily Lewis served notice on the council last night that members of his committee for industrial organization would not obey a council summons to stand trial for "insurrection."

This led labor leaders, generally to predict the council would vote at its next meeting, beginning August 3, to suspend the mine workers and their 11 affiliates.

This move would cost the federation one-third of its membership and one-third of its dues. But both the Lewis group and the craft union faction that dominates the A. F. of L. council were so determined that their respective policies should prevail that labor leaders generally felt any move toward reconciliation just now would be futile.

The craft faction, whose spokes-

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U. S. MAKING FIRST
LOAN TO INDIANS

WASHINGTON, July 22.—(AP)—The Indian bureau prepared today to make the first credit loan to a tribe, putting the Indian organization act into actual operation.

Officials said they were almost ready to approve an application from the Montana Flatheads for a loan of \$65,000.

The Flathead population of 2,964 voted last October to approve a constitution and by-laws submitted by the bureau and the approval of Secretary Ickes was given the same month. The tribal charter was ratified finally April 25.

With detailed routine of submitting constitutions and charters to the nation's tribes and their consideration well under way, the bureau announced 46 tribes with a population of 62,852 Indians had approved their new constitutions and all but three, ratified within the last month, had been accepted by Ickes.

A bureau tabulation showed the vote among these tribes was 11,560 for participation in the act and 4,019 against.

Besides the Flatheads, the lower Brules also have completed their second step in accepting the act.

DEMURRER FILED
TO GORE'S ACTION

MEDFORD, Ore., July 22.—(AP)—A demurrer to W. H. Gore's claim to \$88,000 for services in connection with the passage of the Oregon-California land grant tax refund bill alleged today that Gore's suit was not filed within the statutory time limit and that insufficient grounds for action were presented. The demurrer was filed by Jackson county.

SEARING HEAT
AGAIN SPREADS
IN CORN BELT

Southern California Death Toll in Torrid Wave 20; Eastern Oregon Has Sizzling Marks.

CHICAGO, July 22.—(AP)—A new heat wave, with temperatures from 100 to 105 degrees, will spread over the corn belt tomorrow, Government Meteorologist J. R. Lloyd predicted today.

Lloyd said the hundred mark would be exceeded in Kansas, Nebraska, western Iowa and northwestern Missouri. States to the east, he said, could expect the mercury to climb to the lower and middle nineties.

It was warming up today in Kansas, Missouri, Iowa, southern Nebraska, Illinois, Indiana and lower Michigan, he said.

There were no showers in sight for any of the north central states except in Michigan and the area immediately around the Great lakes, said Lloyd.

A cool wave from the north will bring lower temperatures tomorrow to the northern tier of central states, including northwestern Wisconsin, northwestern Nebraska, Minnesota and North Dakota, the forecaster said.

LOS ANGELES, July 22.—(AP)—Fatalities in an eight-day southern California heat wave reached 20 today, but cooling breezes brought relief to the coast line.

It was 119 degrees at Imperial valley points yesterday when nine persons were fatally stricken by

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BAND ANNOUNCES
CONCERT PROGRAM

The great crowd of music lovers turning out regularly for the week-by-week concerts by the Roseburg Municipal band will be favored with another fine program Thursday night at the library park.

Announcement by J. D. Gilmore, director, indicates. The band concerts, held each Thursday night, are being well attended and much appreciation is being shown by listeners.

The program for this week's concert is announced by Mr. Gilmore as follows:

March, "Then Basins," Huffine. Overture, "Light Cavalry," Suppe. Baritone solo, "My Old Kentucky Home," Goldman, played by Harry Mahoney.

Novelty, "All American," Lake. Waltz, "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," Friedman. Selection, "Folk Songs of America," Hildreth.

Popular number, "Boots and Saddles," Powell. Tap dance by Doris Williams; piano accompaniment, "The Doll Dance," played by Marybelle Beckley.

Finale, "Stand by the Flag," Stutz.

Strange things occur upon the sea that one would hardly think could be, in these days when the radio can carry voices to and fro, so that we learn about a ship at the moment that it's happening. It's difficult to understand just how a ship, that's fully manned, could disappear from human sight without some signal of its plight.

Before the days of Marconi, the ships would be put to sea and no one thought to hear from them before they came in sight again, so what occurred upon their decks, of mutiny or fires or wrecks, was quite beyond our power to know if, in their ports, they failed to show.

And even now, from time to time, through accident, or storm, or crime, ships disappear from the world's face and never leave a single trace, of floating spar or wreckage word, to tell of just what has occurred. Some mystery of the bounding main defies man's efforts to explain.

"FUN" MURDER
CHARGED TO 5
TERRORISTS

One of Black Legionnaires Named by "Triggerman" Recites Slaying of Negro War Vet.

DETROIT, July 22.—(AP)—Five men charged with killing a negro World war veteran "just for fun" during a Black Legion drinking party a year ago, stood mute today at their arraignment on murder and kidnapping charges.

DETROIT, July 22.—(AP)—Five Black Legionnaires, accused of killing an unoffending negro a year ago "to have some fun," faced arraignment today on murder and kidnapping charges.

The first, almost incredible account of the shooting of the negro came from Dayton Dean, confessor of Black Legion deeds of violence whose sanity has been questioned in court.

Prosecutor Duncan C. McCrea said last night, however, he had obtained a corroborating statement from one of the men Dean named.

That statement, the prosecutor said, came from James Roy Loran and, like Dean's account, named Harvey Davis, reputed Black Legion "colonel"; John Bannerman, Ervin D. Lee and Charles Rouse as the other persons present when Silas Coleman, 42-year-old World war veteran, was shot to death in a marsh near Pinckney, Mich.

The new charges were filed on the day that Dean, Lee and Bannerman, with 12 co-defendants, were to have gone on trial for the Black Legion "execution" of Charles A. Poole. That trial was postponed for at least two weeks. Dean has pleaded guilty in the Poole case, and is the state's principal witness.

Loran's statement, as made public by Prosecutor McCrea, said that he went to a cottage near Pinckney the night before the slaying.

"The next day," the statement said, "Lee Bannerman and I did some fishing and drinking. In the evening the others got there and Davis told us: 'Get your guns, we're going to have some fun.'"

On the way to the scene of the shooting, the statement said, Davis announced: "We got a negro that beat a white boy. We're taking him for a one way ride."

Dean's statement made no mention of any accusation of wrongdoing against Coleman. He said Davis had asked him to "get hold."

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FEDERAL OFFICIAL
SLUGGED IN HOME

LOS ANGELES, July 22.—(AP)—U. S. Commissioner David B. Head, slugged with a blackjack and brass knuckles in his home, was recovering today from injuries while department of justice agents hunted one or more mysterious assailants.

Whether the attack was perpetrated by some of the hundreds of dangerous criminals who have fared badly during his twelve years while department of justice agents hunted one or more mysterious assailants.

The federal official said he was assaulted as he entered his South Pasadena residence last night.

As he passed from a hallway to the living room the dim outlines of what appeared to be two men rose up. The attack was so sudden he could not make out their identity.

For an hour Head lay motionless until he was discovered by his negro houseboy. Nothing had been taken from his pockets and no valuables were missing from the house, investigators said.

Head said he knew of no motive for the attack.

"DRUNK" TAKES NAP
AT RAILWAY TRACK

When Joseph E. Gay, a transient, "passed out" from the result of over-indulgence in strong liquor, he selected a very dangerous spot, arresting officers report. He was found lying beside the railroad track with his head only a few inches from the rails.

Taken into custody last night, he entered a plea of guilty in the justice court today. He was fined \$25 but the fine was suspended when he pleaded that he had a job waiting for him in Medford.

GOVERNMENT RECAPTURES
SAN SEBASTIAN; REBELS
SINK 3 SHIPS AT CADIZ

In Revolt Zone



Claude G. Bowers, above, U. S. ambassador to Spain, is getting an eyeful of the revolt in that nation. He is at present at San Sebastian, scene of some of the bloodiest fighting.

Earlier, dispatches had described an attack on the resort by 2,000 miners loyal to the government.

The town, summer residence of U. S. Ambassador Claude G. Bowers, was first held by two regiments of rebel soldiers.

A radio broadcast from Seville, Spain, picked up in Lisbon, Portugal, described the sinking by rebel planes of three Spanish ships bombarding Cadiz.

Spanish warships opened a heavy bombardment of the rebel stronghold of La Linea, aided by airplanes, an Exchange (telegraph) dispatch from Gibraltar, received in London, said.

Hours earlier, several Spanish warships had anchored in Gibraltar harbor, and it was believed they planned to bombard rebels in Algeiras.

U. S. Sends Warships
The United States battleship Oklahoma was ordered to sail for Huelva, Spain, at midnight tomorrow to pick up 40 American refugees. The heavy cruiser Quincy, now en route to England, was ordered to Gibraltar for the same purpose.

From Rabat, French Morocco, came a dispatch that loyal troops, backed by guns of the cruiser Leconte, were reported to have seized.

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Snake Caught
Milking Cow;
Gun Does Rest

JERSEYVILLE, Ill., July 22.—(AP)—A weird story of a snake caught in the act of milking a cow was told by an eyewitness at the Arthur Gwinner farm today.

Belief that there might be some truth in the antiquated cow-milking snake tales, said Gwinner, a Jersey county farmer, led to solution of the week-old mystery of his place.

Neighbors who doubted Gwinner's story were shown a huge blacksnake full of gunshots as evidence, and told that old bossy no longer comes in half-milked.

For a week the cow had been minus a portion of its milk at milking time, Gwinner stated. He decided a snake was responsible and armed Bud Skinner, a hired man, with a shotgun to keep watch.

Skinner said when the herd approached a spring for a drink the snake slid out of a stump, its head elevated, and wriggled toward the cow that was under guard. He said the reptile coiled about a hind leg and fastened its mouth to one of the teats.

The hired man beat the snake off with a club and then shot it.

Dr. Townsend Resumes Tour Under
Obligation to Return For Probe

CLEVELAND, July 22.—(AP)—Dr. F. E. Townsend was on an eastern speaking tour today but he was committed to return here in less than a month to answer more questions in a court battle designed to oust him and other officers of the old age pension movement bearing his name.

The Long Beach, Calif., physician stalked from a deposition hearing, entered his limousine and headed for Erie, Pa., yesterday.

It was three months to the day from the time that he walked out on a house of representatives committee still in hanging fire in connection with that march.

The Townsend party got as far as Capt. Cleveland yesterday when he was overtaken and returned to a court room.

Insurgent Army Aims
at Madrid; Terrific
Battle Rages at
Morocco Port.

(By the Associated Press)
A victory on land and a disaster on the sea for the leftist Spanish government were reported today to have come from bitter battles for supremacy between loyal and rebel forces from San Sebastian to Spanish Morocco.

The scene of a two-day struggle, the northern Bay of Biscay resort of San Sebastian was said by Reuters (British) news agency to have been recaptured from rebels who had held it since yesterday morning.

Earlier, dispatches had described an attack on the resort by 2,000 miners loyal to the government.

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