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THE WEATHER
OREGON: Fair tonight
and Sunday; moderate
temperatures; gentle
winds.

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15 PRIZES
AWARDED TO
ESSAYISTSYellow Cook
Shot In Row
At MidnightFracas, Laid to Too Much
Liquor, Lands One in
Hospital and Another
in Jail.

A drunken row, which terminated when one of the yellow-bellied pulled a gun and shot Kinga cook in a local hotel, in the foot, disturbed the peace in Chinatown last night about midnight, police officers report today. King is in the Grande Ronde hospital recovering from his injury and Jim Wo, about 60, is held in the city jail on an open charge. Another Chinaman, by name Li Him, is being sought in connection with the fracas.

The police are uncertain as to just what caused the row but declare that liquor had quite a bit to do with it. Only one shot was fired. Whether Jim Wo or Li Him or someone else fired the revolver is unknown but police strongly suspect either Jim or Li.

This is the first disturbance in the Chinatown quarter that has come to the attention of the police for many months.

The police reported just before noon today they had learned that a telegram had been sent to Portland for some "interpreters." The committee for the Portland Chinamen when they arrive.

COVE WARNS
CHERRY MENCooperative Association
Advises All Members to
Spray Trees Early This
Season.

Due to the advanced season, the Cove Cooperative Cherry Growers' association is preparing a circular letter to be sent to the association members, advising them to spray early this year. If the trees are sprayed too late it will leave spots on the cherries and such cherries cannot be accepted by the association, according to the letter. The spray for the slug should be applied during the next week.

For cherry maggots, the first spray should be applied when the Royal Anne cherries first start to show colors, followed by another in 10 days and another in a week. Also a spray must be applied after every rain during the spray season.

According to members of the association canners lost a little.

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PAPER PREDICTS
STANFIELD WILL
WIN IN PRIMARY

The North Powder News, a weekly publication issued at North Powder, Ore., today publishes an unsigned frontpage story forecasting the nomination of Senator R. N. Stanfield in the primary election of next Friday.

The story continues: "Alfred E. Clark will probably carry Multnomah county and Stewer should carry Umatilla county and possibly two or three Willamette valley districts. Stanfield should win the contest in all real Eastern Oregon counties and also have a fair margin to his credit in other counties east of the Cascades."

50 Merchants To Take Part
In Community Sales Day, May 26A
Used
Car

A GOOD car, too, is seeking a happy family for a chum.

The tires say so, the point says so, as do the top, the motor and the speedometer. It's the car you want at the price you want to pay. This good car, asking to make your family a happy family by getting them out in the open, where they can enjoy life. Buy that car NOW while it is the open season for enjoyment.

Many of them are listed today in "The Observer's" Classified columns, where more good people meet more good people. In a trading mood, regularly, than any other time or place. This is because automobile dealers with a good reputation know well "The Observer's" complete coverage, not only in La Grande but in the vast adjacent territory.

"Observer Advertising—A Merchandising Service."

George Noble Freed
Of State's Charges

A charge against George Noble of driving while intoxicated was dismissed by the state this morning, when Dr. C. S. Moore declined to testify on the witness stand that the defendant was drunk when he examined him. The physician was called in to make the examination by A. G. Dunn, state traffic officer, who arrested Noble about a week ago.

BERT E. HANEY IN
EASTERN OREGON;
VISITS LA GRANDE

Bert E. Haney will address the Men's Forum at the Methodist church at 10 a. m. Sunday on the subject of food government according to word received from Haney late this morning. Women and the public are invited to hear Mr. Haney.

Bert E. Haney, ex-member of the United States shipping board, and at present a candidate for the democratic nomination for the United States in the May primaries, paid a brief visit to La Grande yesterday afternoon.

In company with Jno. Hodgins, Mr. Haney spent his time here yesterday visiting leading democrats of La Grande. He stated that he was sorry that his itinerary would not permit him to deliver a speech here but expressed the hope that he would be able to spend a short time in La Grande in the near future.

From here Mr. Haney went to Baker where he will speak tonight. Monday night he will be in Pendleton.

Williamsburg, Va., May 15. (AP)—President Coolidge received a radio message today from Lincoln C. Ellsworth on the Norge saying "Trans-Polar flight successful."

LA GRANDE
TAKES LEAD
IN PRELIMSBaker Qualifies Nine
Men While La Grande
Qualifies SeventeenPROSPECTS OF A
VICTORY BRIGHTSherwood, Zundel and
Lyman Likely to Bear
the Brunt of the Battle
This Afternoon.

La Grande men who qualified at Pendleton this morning: Sherwood, Zundel, Keown, Lyman, McKinnon, Keffer, Charlton, G. Duff, Hines, Staley, Wright. Pendleton men qualified: Jones, Hamilton, Allen, Sullivan, Johnson, Gnyll, Hamilton. Hermiston men qualified: Smith. Imbler men qualified: Hamilton. Umatilla men qualified: Kender, R. Kender. Union men qualified: Caspar, Brown, Fugit, MacLaughlin men qualified: Hufford, Henderson.

PENDLETON, Ore., May 15. (AP)—Seventy-five athletes of eight Eastern Oregon schools are competing here today in the annual Eastern Oregon track and field championship. Baker, La Grande, Pendleton, Imbler, Union, Milton, Umatilla and Hermiston high schools have teams entered.

Those who qualified in the morning events were:

100-yard dash: Sherwood (L), Brown (U), Zundel (L), Hufford (M), McCord (B), Kender (Umatilla), Keown (L), Jones (P).

Pole vault: Lyman (L), Simonson (P), G. Duff (B), Hamilton (L), Henderson (M).

Broad jump: McCord (B), Allen (P), R. Kender (Umatilla), Hines (B), Sullivan (P), Caspar (U).

High hurdles: Zundel, McKinnon and Lyman (L), G. Duff (B), Allen, Johnson (P).

High jump: Zundel and Lyman (L), Allen and Gnyll (P), R. Kender (Umatilla).

220-yard dash: Sherwood (L), Staley, McCord and Wright (B), Jones (P), Hufford (M).

Shot put: Smith (H), Sherwood (L), Fugit (Union), R. Kender (Umatilla), Halton (P), Jones (P).

Discus: Keffer, Charlton and Sherwood (L), Halton (P), Fugit (Union), Hines (B).

Low hurdles: Zundel, Sherwood and Lyman (L), McCord and G.

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Wealthiest Man in All
Germany Called Beyond

BERLIN, May 15. (AP)—Prince Christian Kraft zu Hohenlohe-Schillingen, duke of Ujest, head of the noted Hohenlohe family, died yesterday on his estate in Hungary, where he was spending his declining years. He was 79 years old, and rated the wealthiest man in Germany.

Spectacular Campaign
In East Nearing End

PHILADELPHIA, May 15. (AP)—A spectacular campaign for republican nominations for senator and governor in which national issues are figuring, ends with the primary next Tuesday.

Confidence in their nomination is expressed by Senator George Wharton Pepper, Congressman William S. Vare and Governor Gifford Pinchot, opponents for the republican nomination for the U. S. senate and John S. Fisher and Edward E. Beideman, republican gubernatorial candidates. No statements have been issued by Congressman Thomas W. Phillips and John K. Tener, the other republican aspirants for the governorship, both of whom are running independently.

REVOLUTION
IN POLAND
IS SUCCESSMarshal Pilsudski Is Re-
ported to Be in Com-
plete Control TodayWARSAW BURYING
UNCOUNTED DEADGhostly Calm Reigns over
City Where Bloody
Battle Occurred During
Rebellion.

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 15. (AP)—More than one hundred people were killed and several hundred were wounded during the fighting in Warsaw between Pilsudski revolutionaries and loyal federal troops, the state department was advised late today by the American legation in Warsaw. No American was found among the dead or injured.

The military revolution in Poland appears to have succeeded. Marshal Pilsudski is not only in complete control of Warsaw, but advises received in the capital indicate that the majority of the troops throughout the country have gone over to his cause.

News of these developments came today in the first direct dispatch received from the Associated Press correspondent in Warsaw for the last 48 hours.

Censorship lifted.

The fact that the dispatch filed at the Warsaw post office telegraphic station was allowed to come out of the country is significant in itself, showing the restoration of the wire facilities, which have been under drastic censorship.

The fighting in Warsaw which began Wednesday afternoon, the dispatch said, ended late yesterday afternoon with the capture by the rebels of the Belvedere palace, in which the members of the government had taken refuge.

President a prisoner.

Some of the members of the cabinet were able to escape from the city, but President Wojciechowski was taken to Marshal Pilsudski. The marshal has reportedly declared that his movement was not aimed at the president but at the Wilton cabinet.

Developments outside the capital are still somewhat obscure. Vienna hears that one military force loyal to the government is holding out south of Warsaw, but that other troops have been dispersed.

Messages reaching Prague, Czechoslovakia say anti-Pilsudski demonstrations have occurred at Cracow, Lodz, Lemberg and Posen.

Sensational unconfirmed reports in Prague and Lemberg say the Russian army is concentrating a strong division near the Polish frontier and that the Lithuanians have seized the opportunity to attempt the re-annexation of Vilna. The latter report is denied by the Polish telegraph agency's Berlin.

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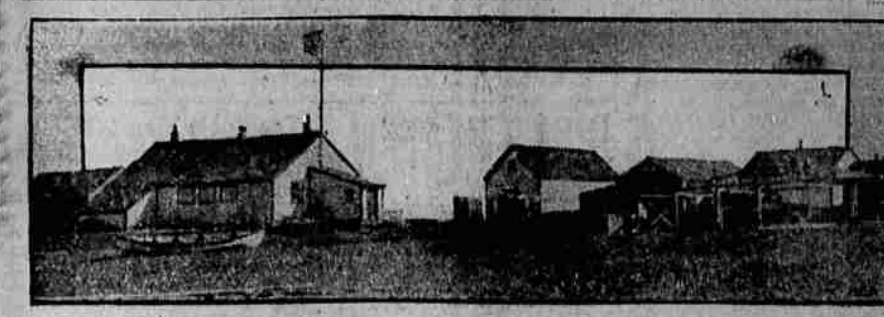
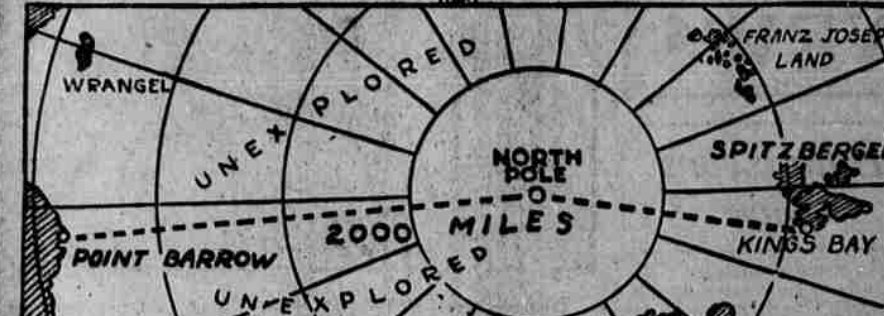
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Norge Arrives at Teller, Alaska Early Today



According to The Associated Press leased wire report today, the dirigible Norge arrived at Teller, Alaska, 50 miles northwest of Nome, early this morning. The Norge, carrying Captain Amundsen (center), and Lincoln Ellsworth (left), and Captain Noble, pilot (right), was nearly 50 hours overdue at Nome when it arrived at Teller. The map shows the Norge's route over the north pole and the lower picture shows the isolated settlement of Point Barrow.

CALLING BACK
RAIL WORKERSEnglish Railroads Expect
to Be Running on Regu-
lar Schedules by Mon-
day.

LONDON, May 15. (AP)—Most of the railwaymen and many other transport workers affected by the general strike are expected to be back at work Monday. One big railway system has announced normal services for tomorrow and it is believed Monday may see a pretty general resumption of passenger traffic on all lines, though it is thought freight traffic will be longer in reaching normal.

Hope is expressed that the negotiations for a resumption of work by the dockers and transport men, whose position is still unsettled, will lead to a satisfactory agreement during the week end.

Strike Held Illegal

Following the recent weighty legal opinions that the general strike was illegal and that employers are entitled to sue for compensation those persons responsible, it is now declared that members of trades unions who lost their employment through being compelled to obey the alleged strike order can recover damages against their leaders. This is the view "a high legal authority" printed anonymously in the Daily Mail today.

The people are working hard to give effect to Premier Baldwin's statement in the house of commons yesterday.

Baldwin Seeks Return

"The supreme necessity of the country requires that the largest body of men possible be brought back to work at the earliest possible moment," he said.

This statement, together with an agreement between the railway

TODAY'S GAMES

AMERICAN LEAGUE
PHILADELPHIA (AP) H. E. E. Detroit 0 6 2
Philadelphia 8 10 0
Batteries—Gibson and Manion; Grove and Cochrane.

NEW YORK (AP) R. H. E. Chicago 1 3 2
New York 10 16 1
Batteries—Faber, Thomas and Schalk, Grabowski; Penneck and Collins. (Babe Ruth hit his 12th homer of the season in the eighth with one on.)

BOSTON (AP)—St. Louis-Boston game postponed, rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
PITTSBURGH (AP) R. H. E. Brooklyn 0 6 0
Pittsburgh 2 3 2
Batteries—McGraw, O'Neil, Grimes and Hargreaves; Morrison and Good.

Bulletins

LONDON, May 15. (AP)—Sterling reached parity today for the first time in six years—\$1.86 1/2. Parity is \$1.86 1/2.

WILLIAMSBURG, Va., May 15. (AP)—President and Mrs. Coolidge left here early this afternoon by automobile for Jamestown and other points of interest in the vicinity after which they planned to continue to the Mayflower anchored at Yorktown and board her for the return to Washington.

BERLIN, May 15. (AP)—The Wolff bureau reports from Warsaw that Professor Edmund Dattel, of Lemberg university, has been entrusted with the formation of a new Polish cabinet.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15. (AP)—Walter McCord today tendered his resignation as manager of the Mission club in the Pacific coast baseball league, giving ill health as the reason. Walter Schmidt, veteran catcher, may be named to take his place.

HUSBAND SLAYS
WIFE THEN TURNS
GUN ON HIMSELF

PENDLETON, May 15. (AP)—John Marshall, about 65, living six miles west of Boardman, 45 miles west of Pendleton, Friday morning shot and killed his wife several years younger than himself, made his will, notified the sheriff of Morrow county, left a note saying that he was tired of life and committed suicide. The first tragedy occurred about 9:30 Friday morning and about an hour later Marshall killed himself. It is stated by Boardman people that the couple were continually quarreling over the division of property.

Bank Resources Drop
Almost Billion Dollars

WASHINGTON, May 15. (AP)—A decline of almost \$1,000,000,000 in the combined resources of the 8,900 national banks on April 12, the date of the last call of the comptroller of the currency, as compared with December 31, was reported today.

Eastern Oregon Wool
Clip Goes to Portland

ONTARIO, Ore., May 15. (AP)—The largest single pool of wool in Eastern Oregon, the Nyssa pool, which is directed by J. P. Dunaway, of the Malheur county bank, or Nyssa, will go to Portland this year for storage and sale. The decision was reached today and the first shipment started rolling, comprising nearly a quarter-million pounds, and the balance will follow as fast as it is sheared from the sheep's backs. The wool goes to the bonded warehouse of the Western Wool Warehouse company.

Pleads For Unity.

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Discussing in this connection an "element of recent development," he said:

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PRINCE TAKES
OPENING RAGEE. B. McLean's Horse
Roms Home Ahead of
Dolly Bay; Style Show
Riot of Color.

CHURCHILL, DOWNS, LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 15. (AP)—The style show preceding the Kentucky derby burst in a flare of gorgeous colors as society had its day before beautiful women give away to fast horses at Churchill Downs this afternoon.

In club house boxes on the green in front of it, in the club house and on the brick area way between it and the track, the newest creations of Paris peeped through capes and top coats in all their daintiness.

Weather Cool

Downright cold weather—52 degrees at noon—made many uncomfortable.

The huge overhanging the field mingled with dark blue georgettes shot crepe streamers of green, yellow, powder blue, white, pink and beige satins, silks and woolsens.

At quarter past one, half an hour before post time for the first race all unreserved seats had been taken and boxes stepladders, camp chairs and benches were being

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Coolidge Pleds For National
Unity in Williamsburg Speech

WILLIAMSBURG, Va., May 15. (AP)—President Coolidge today called upon the states to discharge their functions so faithfully that there can be a contraction, instead of an extension, of the authority of the federal government.

Speaking at the sesqui-centennial observance of the adoption of the Virginia resolutions declaring for the independence of the American colonies, he said that by providing for the regulation of internal commerce of each colony by the colonial legislatures, the resolutions made "a plain declaration of the unsatisfactory fact that the states are the sheet anchors of our institutions."

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WASHINGTON, May 15. (AP)—A garbled radio message received here from the naval station on St. Paul Island in the Bering sea said that at 8:45 a. m., today a "terrible gale" was blowing from the northwest and that the airship Norge was "drifting."

NEW YORK, May 15. (AP)—The New York Times and St. Louis Globe Democrat announced today that the dirigible Norge had landed safely.

VANCOUVER, B. C., May 15. (AP)—Completing the first flight from Spitzbergen to Alaska over the north pole Captain Roald Amundsen's dirigible Norge arrived at Teller, Alaska 5 a. m., today, eastern standard time.

Definite word of the safe arrival of the airship put to rest an anxiety which had been felt for the expedition since it vanished behind a seemingly impenetrable wall of mist and interference two days ago.

The crew of the Norge were all well after their arduous expedition, according to news said it was an Alaska weather. The Norge has been brought to earth at Teller, or whether it was simply cast anchor there. Teller is 50 miles northwest of Nome, which was the intended destination of the voyage. The United States naval radio station at Cordova, Alaska, overheard the Norge talking to the Nome radio station at 6:—

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GALLOWES AGAIN
LOOM AHEAD FOR
RUSSELL SCOTT

CHICAGO, May 15. (AP)—The shadow of the gallows again looms for Russell Scott, who thrice was saved from the death walk in sensational last minute legal maneuvers. The erstwhile Canadian financier, who once handled million-dollar deals and ended as a petty stick up man seeking a few dollars in drug store hold ups, soon will be examined as to his sanity at Chicago hospital for the criminally insane and it found mentally sound he will be returned to Cook county to be sentenced to death.

A commission to make the test will be named by Judge C. M. Jenkins, state director of public welfare. The date has not yet been set.

Scott was sentenced to be hanged for the murder of Joseph Maurer, drug clerk.