

THREATENED SHUTDOWN OF MILL AVERTED

Rain and Co-operation of Water Users Bring up Level of Log Pond.

CAMP CREWS ARE AGAIN AT WORK

Mt. Emily Lumber Company Expects Usual Operations to Continue During Rest of Season.

Several things combined over the weekend to avert a threatened shutdown of the Mt. Emily Lumber Company. The log pond, which had been dropping rapidly, was brought back to a normal level by rain and the co-operation of water users. The city is furnishing as much water as it could, but with water users on the river exercising prior rights, it was impossible to keep the level of the pond at the required height.

Water Users Cooperate. Then, through a rain that permitted some of the river water to close their headgates, the diverting the water into the log pond—and through cooperation of the Ore Dred Canal company and also of water users in the city, the obstacle was hurdled and over the weekend the pond gained 10 inches in depth. Fair and cloudy weather reduced the use of city water to nearly a minimum and it was possible to sell the lumber company a larger supply of water over the weekend.

"Everything looks rosy," Aug. J. Stange, president of the Mt. Emily Lumber company said this morning, adding "our camp work is starting up again today." The situation had become so bad last week that it was necessary to curtail operations in the woods.

Pond Still Below Normal Level

Although the pond is still 18 to 24 inches below its normal level, there is enough water in it at present for a week's operation. Stange believes that it will be possible to continue on through the season unless some extremely dry weather makes conditions bothersome again. He stated that the water in the Cavanaugh ditch which has rights to a considerable amount of water, told him that the mill could have this water the rest of the season. Mr. Stange is very appreciative of the cooperation extended by both business and professional men's organizations and the water users in helping to avert a shutdown.

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Boy Scout Camp At Anthony Lake Closed Sunday

Awards are Made at Court of Honor Held Saturday Night—35 Attend Final Week.

One of the most successful scout camps held by the Eastern Oregon council since its inception after two weeks of camping at Anthony lake, high in the mountains near North Powder. All the boys left yesterday afternoon except those who remained to complete the closing of camp.

Barn Destroyed By Fire; Hundred Chickens Burned

A spectacular fire, which destroyed a wooden barn at 1511 Jackson street, called out the fire department at 9:10 o'clock last night. Although the building, owned by Paul Stiles, was too far gone to save, firemen prevented the flames from spreading to nearby buildings, although they were handicapped in their work by crowds of people who rushed to the scene of the fire. Twelve persons were placed under arrest by the police department because they hindered the work of the firemen.

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WEATHER YESTERDAY

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WEATHER AUG. 9, 1929

Maximum 92, minimum 63 above.
Condition: clear.

ACCIDENTS IN NORTHWEST FATAL TO 9

Weekend Tragedies Also Cause Injuries to a Score Persons.

FIVE BURNED TO DEATH IN SOUTH

Six-Room Cottage Fire Takes Lives as the Victims Sleep—Two Others Hurt.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 11 (AP)—Nine persons lost their lives, and more than a score injured, three possibly fatally, in automobile and train accidents and drownings in the Pacific northwest over the weekend.

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PLANE DROPS BOMBS ONTO PROVIDENCE

Mining Town in Kentucky Bombarded by Nine Missiles From Air.

NO DAMAGE BUT MUCH EXCITEMENT

Government to Investigate; Bombs Aimed at Coal Mines, Some Fail to Explode.

PROVIDENCE, Ky., Aug. 11 (AP)—An airplane today dropped bombs into this coal mining section torn by labor troubles for several months. The bombs, estimated at nine in number, created intense excitement, but injured no one and did no property damage.

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INTRODUCING "MISS UNIVERSE"



Dorothy Bell Giff of New Orleans was the judges' unanimous selection as "Miss America" and later as "Miss Universe" at Galveston beauty pageant.

Dr. Spears Will Be At Banquet Here Tuesday

Dr. Clarence W. Spears, known throughout the football and sports world as "Pat" Spears, will make his initial visit in La Grande tomorrow evening, and will be a guest of the Oregon alumni and students organizations at a dinner at the Sacramento Hotel at 6 o'clock.

PAPER BOX PLANT DESTROYED TODAY

F. C. Stettler Company in Portland Figures Five Loss at \$750,000.

PORTLAND, Aug. 11 (AP)—Sweeping the entire plant of the F. C. Stettler Paper Box company at an early hour today, fire destroyed the plant and caused a damage estimated by the owner at \$750,000.

Crop Prospects In Nation Down Seven Per Cent

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11 (AP)—Crop prospects in the United States were reported today by the department of agriculture to have declined nearly seven per cent during July as a result of drought and hot weather.

Eagles Meeting In San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11 (AP)—Twenty thousand delegates from thirty-two states met today for the thirty-second annual international grand convention of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, opening tonight.

Negro Confesses Pendleton Killing

PENDLETON, Ore., Aug. 11 (AP)—James Jarnean, 55, a negro, surrendered to police last night and is being held on a charge of slaying U. S. Ruff, 63, white, with a heavy ax at his home in the west end of Pendleton.

Wheat Today

CHICAGO, Aug. 11 (AP)—Assertions from one of the foremost unofficial crop gauges of the country that the crop as a whole is in a deplorable condition and that the yield will be lighter than is generally expected.

Three Inmates Of Asylum at Large

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 11 (AP)—Three inmates of the state hospital of the insane were at large today after making their escape late Saturday night by prying open a second floor window in the main building. They were Vernon Pease from Lane county, Joseph C. Hirt, of Multnomah county, and James H. Blosquist, of Clatsop county.

Jackson, O'Brine Pass 510-Hour Mark In The Air

Fliers Less Than 50 Hours From Hunter Brothers' Endurance Record—Motor Runs Smoothly.

SEATTLE, Aug. 11 (AP)—Bob Wark and Edward Brown, en route to Tokyo by plane from Tacoma, were reported in special advices to The Times, here today to have crashed at Lander airport, a few miles from Vancouver, B.C., this noon. Wark was reported to have suffered a knee injury and Brown to have escaped unhurt.

ACTIVE WEEK FOR NATION IN POLITICS

Four States Preparing to Cast Their Votes—Some Races Bitter.

HEFLIN RUNNING AS INDEPENDENT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11 (AP)—The shadow of Alfred E. Smith, 1928 democratic presidential candidate, will loom large over three of the four state primaries to be held Tuesday, Oct. 15, this week.

PRISONERS IN LIMELIGHT AS HEROES TODAY

OSHSING, N. Y., Aug. 11 (AP)—Four convicts were today hailed as heroes for their rescue of two men and their wives from drowning in the Hudson river in front of Sing Sing prison.

Picking on Man Leads to Death Of The Attacker

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 11 (AP)—A. Winchester, 45, of Boring, Ore., was being held here today for a coroner's jury hearing, the outcome of the death Saturday night of Ulrich Gantenbein, 47, who Winchester killed with a handaxe.

Kills Daughters, Wife and Himself

NEW YORK, Aug. 11 (AP)—Salvatore Teseraro, his wife, Concetta, and their 18-year-old daughter, Emma, were found dead in their Brooklyn apartment today after neighbors had been aroused by shouts. Teseraro was shot through the head and his wife had died from bullet and stab wounds.

Father And Three Children Are Dead

BURNABY, B. C., Aug. 11 (AP)—Three little children and their father were dead today after the latter, Otto Zellar, placed them in a stump hole with him on a highway near their home and set off a charge of dynamite. The triple murder and suicide occurred last night.

Jealousy Leads To Double Slaying

GROTON, Conn., 11 (AP)—Stanley Smith Bogue, 45-year-old world war veteran, was arraigned today on a charge of murder for the ax slaying of Mr. Eva Jennings Roberts, 52, boarding house keeper, and Ole Ostberg, 48, who was her landlord, today for the next term of superior court.

BASEBALL

American League	
Chicago	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	3 1 0
Batteries: Faber and Tate; Walberg, Mahaffey, Rommel and Cochrane.	R. H. E.
Detroit	5 1 1
Batteries: Uble and Desautels; MacFayen and Conolly.	R. H. E.
National League	
New York	R. H. E.
Pittsburgh	5 12 0
Batteries: Mitchell, Chaplin, Pruitt and O'Farrell; French and Boob.	R. H. E.
Boston	2 6 0
Chicago	4 10 0
Batteries: Canswell and Cronin; Teahout and Hartnett.	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	2 6 1
Cincinnati	4 8 0
Batteries: Reinge and Rensau; Kolp and Gooch.	R. H. E.