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Players Enter Valley Tourney

SALEM, Ore., Sept. 6 (AP)—Thirty-one players from various parts of Western Oregon and Washington have entered for the annual Willamette valley tennis tournament which opened here today. By tonight, it was said, the list will have narrowed to four singles players and four doubles teams, leaving only the semifinals and finals for Sunday.



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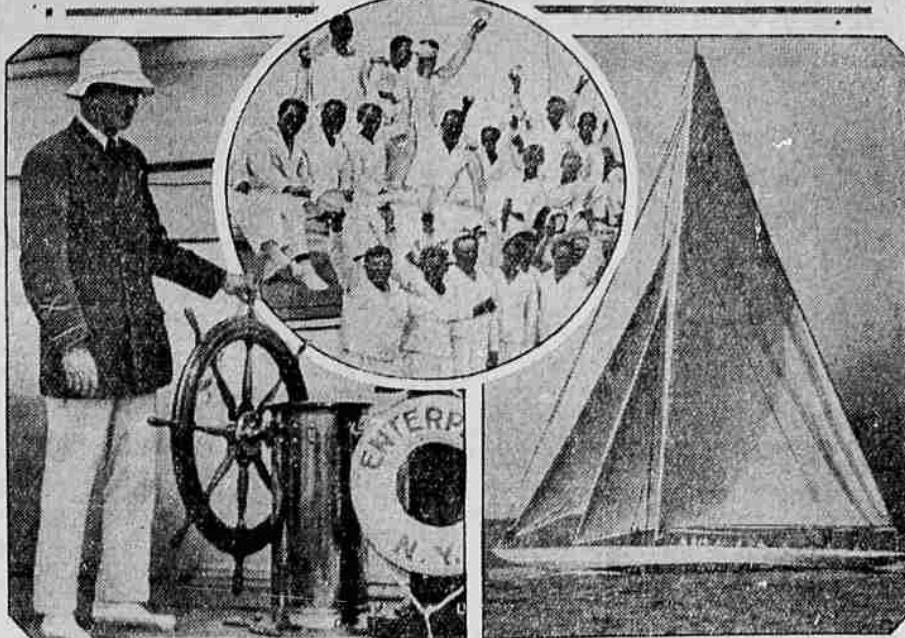
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AMERICA'S CUP DEFENDER, HER SKIPPER AND CREW



Here is the America's cup defender, Enterprise, while final preparations for the races with Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock were under way at Newport, R. I. Her skipper, Harold S. Vanderbilt, is at the wheel. Members of her crew are shown in inset. At right, the Enterprise is trying out her new mainsail.

HOSS FINALLY TALKS ABOUT RAFFETY JOLT

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would not approve. Rafferty suddenly changed and has wanted to fire these two men ever since they appeared before him in my office and made statements which seriously involved the chief.

"Second: I have affidavits on file wherein the chief is accused of attempts to frame one of the officers of the division, it being attested that certain officers were delegated to get this man into a position where I would have to discharge him. The chief feared this man was to replace him.

"Third: I have signed statements purporting to show that certain officers of the division, on the threat of losing their positions, went, at the instigation of the chief, to various points over the state, on state time, at state expense, and in state automobiles, to have certain influential friends intercede with me to save Rafferty's job."

Freeman Victor In Battle Over World Crown

CLEVELAND, Sept. 6 (AP)—They're hailing Tommy Freeman, the Arkansas brawler, as welterweight champion of the world today.

After nine long, tough years of fighting, Freeman won the title last night when he defeated Young Jack Thompson, of Oakland, Cal., in a 15-round battle fought in League park, Patsy Haley, of New York, referee of the bout, unhesitatingly raised Freeman's hand in victory. Haley figured Freeman won eight of the 15 rounds with five going to the dethroned titleholder and two being even.

Freeman, knocked down for a count six in the second round and with his knees buckling from a right that rattled off his chin in the tenth, came back to defeat the negro titleholder in his first defense of the title since he won it from Jackie Fields in Detroit just four months ago.

A crowd of 15,000 agreed with Referee Haley's decision. The spectators, first stunned at the change in championship, suddenly cut loose with a deafening roar in approval of the verdict. Thompson was the most surprised man in the ball park. He thought he had won, or at least had deserved a draw, but he made no protest.

ANDRE'S DIARIES NOT TO BE COMMERCIALIZED

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 6 (AP)—There is a growing opinion among members of the Swedish press that the diaries of Salomon August Andree are not to be the object of any deal.

The president of the Swedish Publishers' association said today: "The idea we should permit news agencies and newspapers to over-bid each other for them is absurd. On the other hand, the finders should have some reward which Sweden can easily afford. But this reward must not be necessarily in proportion to the vast sum said to be already on deposit with the foreign office."

The Associated Press was asked by Swedish officials about the proper disposition of the Andree diary, and advised a document of such worldwide interest should be made available for simultaneous use by the press throughout the world without commercial consideration. At least one other Andree diary news agency made the same recommendation.

ACKERMAN STAFF TO HAVE THREE NEW TEACHERS

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and spent some time at teacher in the public schools of Winnetka, Ill. The Winnetka schools are noted for their development of a program of individualized instruction. Miss McCarter was invited to come there in order to study their program and to contribute to it. She will instruct the seventh grade of the training school.

Teachers who are returning this year are Miss Alma Whittier, supervisor of primary education, and the training teachers, Miss Lila Grace Allen for the second grade; Miss Edith Barber for the fourth grade and Mrs. Caroline Stevenson for the fifth.

Grades to be taught this fall are 1B, 2B, 3B, 4B, 5B and 7B. School starts Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

EX-PRESIDENT OF PERU ILL

LIMA, Peru, Sept. 6 (AP)—Ex-President Augusto A. Leguia, whose 11-year administration was overthrown in August by military leaders, was admitted in official circles today to be suffering from a severe nervous breakdown.

Facion Mariategui, president of the chamber of deputies, under Leguia, was arrested today after a six-day stop here. He promised he would not leave Lima.

RAIL DISPUTE IN HANDS OF COMMISSION

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stand that the Southern Pacific needs the V. & S. road more than does the Oregon Electric.

The Southern Pacific's Oregon lines, he said, are valued at \$125,000, and last year showed a net return of \$273,000. He asserted the Spokane, Portland & Seattle road was valued at less than \$100,000, but showed a net return of \$1,754,000 for the same period.

Shop said the Southern Pacific started negotiations for acquisition of the road long before the Oregon Electric obtained its option.

T. F. Sullivan, examiner for the interstate commerce commission, before whom the hearing was held, left today for San Francisco to conduct another railroad hearing.

Prohi Leaders To Endorse O'Neill

CHICAGO, Sept. 6 (AP)—The anti-saloon league of Illinois gave its endorsement today to Lottie Holman O'Neill as an independent dry candidate for the United States senate and issued a statement urging dry voters to disregard the state prohibition referendum at the November election.

CHICAGO, Sept. 6 (AP)—The independent senatorial candidacy of Mrs. Lottie Holman O'Neill was expected to receive today the formal endorsement of the anti-saloon league of Illinois. Dr. George Safford, state superintendent of the league, said there was slight doubt but the league would support her candidacy, lending itself to a statewide campaign in her behalf.

In a statement at Springfield where she has gone to file her petition as a candidate for the senate, Mrs. O'Neill expressed confidence she would win over Congresswoman Ruth Hanna McCormick, whose influence in republican politics Mrs. O'Neill has had occasion to challenge before, and over James Hamilton Lewis, the democratic candidate, avowedly wet.

Gallant Fox Gets Greatest Purses

NEW YORK, Sept. 6 (AP)—Gallant Fox became the all-time money winning turf champion today, capturing the Lawrence realization and \$29,610 at Belmont park to bring his grand total to \$317,065.

James Muller's Questionnaire, pace setter until the field of four hit the stretch, was only a head back of the three-year-old champion with A. C. Boettwick's Vain third.

In climbing to the turf's financial heights and passing Zev's record of \$313,630, the Fox, with Earl Sande up, covered the mile and five furlongs in 2:41 1-5, only two-fifths of a second above the Man o' War's track record. Gallant Fox was forced to the limit, however, to nose out Questionnaire, which set a burning pace from the rise of the barrier.

From the head of the stretch to the final stride, the two colts raced side by side, but in the end it was Sande's brilliant riding that fairly lifted the big red colt over the line.

INVESTIGATE FOR MURDER

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Sept. 6 (AP)—A 23-year-old Kansas oil worker, Harry M. Harmon, and a Mexican who backed his wife to death yesterday, are in custody today for questioning in connection with the murder of Lois Kentle, Los Angeles society girl, and her Monrovia, Cal., fiancé, Francis Conlon.

Harmon was arrested yesterday in Huntington Park, a suburb, when police noticed his automobile windshield was shattered as though by a bullet. On the front seat of his car a newspaper was found folded so as to display a story of the stabbing of Miss Kentle and Conlon.

SEEK AMENDMENT

ROSEBURG, Sept. 6 (AP)—An active campaign in behalf of the Rogue river closing amendment will be launched immediately by the Pacific Coast Sportsmen's association, according to Captain Frank Winch of Roseburg, president of the newly formed organization. Winch and R. J. Kirkwood, Portland, secretary, have been conferring by telephone and telegraph with members of the advisory board in Washington, Oregon and California, and they have unanimous sanction for an active fight.

A meeting will be held in Medford next week. Representatives of the three states are planning ways and means for definite action to obtain passage of the amendment.

CRUISER LEAVES

ASTORIA, Sept. 6 (AP)—The British cruiser Dauntless sailed for San Francisco today after a six-day stop here. The crew of the Dauntless staged a soccer game here yesterday for the entertainment of Astorians.

Wages Will Not Be Lowered On Army Projects

By C. P. Williamson
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

BOARD OF ARMY ENGINEERS MISSEISSIPPI RIVER BOAT GENERAL ALLEN, Near St. Louis, Sept. 6 (AP)—Maintenance of the present level of wages for laborers on army engineering projects for the remainder of the fiscal year was ordered today by Secretary of War Hurley.

Simultaneously the war secretary directed Colonel George R. Spaulding, division engineer in charge of the Upper Mississippi, Ohio and Missouri rivers projects to investigate charges contractors were cutting wages on contract work let before the present deflation set in.

These two decisions were made by Secretary Hurley before landing at St. Louis to complete the first lap of his inspection trip down the Mississippi.

The order relating to the maintenance of the present standard of wages on work which the government is doing itself will remain in force until June 30, 1931.

UPWARD PRICE SHORTLIVED ON WHEAT MARKET

CHICAGO, Sept. 6 (AP)—Wheat prices were firm at the start of trading today despite lower quotations at Liverpool, but the upturn was short-lived and the market quickly reacted to below yesterday's finish. Selling by Chicago interests on advice of weakness at Winnipeg, and the action of corn brought about the start. Secretary of Agriculture Hyde's drought reports, issued after the market closed yesterday apparently had no influence on trading in spite of its bullish tone. Wheat started unchanged to 1/2c higher, but quickly fell to below yesterday's close. Corn started 1/2c lower, and continued to decline.

WINNEPEG WHEAT

WINNEPEG, Sept. 6 (AP)—Reports that trading on the Buenos Aires wheat futures market had been suspended because of political unrest in the Argentine capital were taken a bushel within an hour of the opening market today, and wheat prices shot up three and one-half cents a bushel within an hour of the opening.

The gain was the largest in weeks.

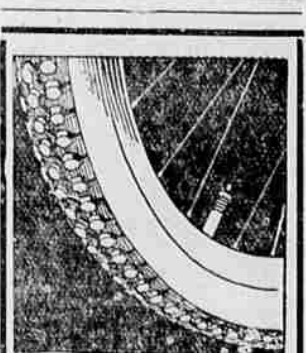
WHEAT CROP FORECAST

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6 (AP)—A world wheat crop of 2,337,139,000 bushels, an increase of almost 3 per cent over last year was forecast today by the department of agriculture on the basis of reports from 26 countries.

WEATHER OUTLOOK GIVEN

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6 (AP)—The rather outlook for the week beginning Sept. 7, is given as follows:

Far Western States—Unsettled, showery weather at the beginning of the week in Washington, Oregon and Idaho, otherwise fair weather with fog on the coast. Cooler at the beginning of the week and normal temperatures thereafter.



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Butter Grades Getting Higher Portland Price

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 6 (AP)—While top grades of wholesale butter were left unchanged in price today, the produce exchange advanced prime firsts and firsts 1 cent each to 37c and 35c respectively per pound. Retail demand was reported good and storage butter was moving into circulation.

Egg trade demand was reported fair with a firm price undertone though price quotations were irregular. Pacific cooperative poultry producers announced 1 cent advance on standard grades with other grades unchanged. Receipts were light in some quarters.

Highlights of the fruit and vegetable trade were reported by the U. S. D. A. market news service as follows:

The peach season is definitely over the hump. Prices have advanced about 5c per box in Yakima and similarly here. Elbertas are bringing 80c to \$1.00 per box and J. H. Hales \$1.10 to \$1.25. Lovells are practically out of the market, but the Salways are yet to come.

Sweet potatoes are in moderate supply and good demand. California Jerseys are selling 4 1/2 to 5 1/2c per pound.

Onions have advanced a few points. Walla Walla are selling mostly \$1.45 to \$1.75, with a few \$1.50. Lake Labish stocks have followed the trend, but some off-quality are bringing only \$1.40. Cauliflower from Marshall and lower, having dropped from \$1.50 to \$1.35 per crate. Tomatoes are plentiful with 40-50c per box representing the bulk of the movement and the top quality bringing 50-55 cents.

Share Prices Up As Trade Liven

NEW YORK, Sept. 6 (AP)—With their courage regained, bulls administered vigorous punishment to shorts in today's stock market, and share prices rose substantially, as trading quickened to the best Saturday pace since early August.

The monroe success of the bear campaign of the middle of week, resulting in a brisk covering movement yesterday, decidedly emboldened the speculators for the rise. U. S. Steel was bid up across 17 1/2 for the first time since the June crash, and nervous shorts hastened to buy back their shares.

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PORTLAND, Sept. 6 (AP)—Butter grades, cubed, extras 30c; standards 30c; prime firsts 27c, firsts 35c. Creamery prices: Prints 3c over cube standards.

Eggs: Standards higher; (prices to retailers) fresh extras 30c; standards 28c.

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