

The Journal leads in comic strips—seven of them a day that are the very best the market affords. Their followers increase in number every day.

# Oregon Journal

SUNDAY  
WITH HER  
SHE FLIES  
OWN WINGS

Portland and vicinity—Sunday, generally fair, warmer; westerly winds. Oregon and Washington—Sunday, generally fair, warmer; moderate westerly winds.

## SENATE TO PASS TARIFF BILL ON SATURDAY; PARALYSIS THROUGH TENS COAST RAIL TRAFFIC

### AGREEMENT IS REACHED ON MEASURE

Senate Adopts Consent Provision to Force McCumber Bill Over Not Later Than Aug. 19.

Republican Members Pledged to Take Up Bonus Monday Following; Passage Predicted.

(By Universal Service)  
Washington, Aug. 12.—The senate will pass the Fordney-McCumber tariff bill next Saturday, August 19, at 4 p. m. under the unanimous consent agreement reached late today.

On Monday following the soldier bonus bill will be taken up and kept before the senate until voted on. The Republican members are pledged to take up the bonus after the tariff is disposed of. Senator Curtis, the whip, says he is confident the soldier bonus bill will be passed speedily.

The final vote in the senate on the tariff bill will come under the unanimous consent agreement, exactly 122 calendar days after it was taken up on April 20, and made the unfinished business.

CONCEDE ITS PASSAGE  
The unanimous consent agreement, of course, provides only for a vote on the bill next Saturday afternoon, but leaders on the Democratic side concede its passage by a safe majority.

PREPARED BY M'CURBER  
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Scranton, Pa., Aug. 12.—(U. P.)—A crowded dancing pavilion at Lake Wewaka, near here, collapsed tonight, hurling a score of dancers into the lake.

### Sees Menace In Situation In Germany

Fear of European Blow-Up, Declares World in Grip, Declares Homer Cummings.

"Business conditions are better, but they are held back by the fear of a blow-up socially, economically and politically in Germany," said Homer Cummings of Stamford, Conn., former chairman of the national Democratic committee, who was in Portland yesterday.

Accompanied by Mrs. Cummings, the former chairman was en route to San Francisco to take depositions in a will case that is pending in the East.

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### CROWD WAITS THROUGH RAIN FOR COOLIDGE

Hundreds Gather at Station to Catch Glimpse of Vice President, Who Arrives Hour Late.

Distinguished Visitor Frankly Discusses His Worries Over Coal Strike After Arrival.

PROGRAM FOR STAY  
How Vice-President Coolidge and party will spend their time in Portland:  
Sunday afternoon—Informal automobile ride about the city.

Hundreds of people waited in the rain Saturday night at the Union station. Some were committee-folk. Some were solid political leaders not on committees.

COAL STRIKE WORRIES  
Rapidly spreading strikes on the nation's railroads do not rouse fears in the west.

Three Salt Lake Youths Stranded On Yosemite Cliff  
Yosemite, Cal., Aug. 12.—(U. P.)—Chief Ranger Forest S. Townley and Ranger Charles Rich, accompanied by hikers, were scaling the cliff on the right hand side of Yosemite Falls tonight in an effort to rescue Ivan L. Anderson, Robert Hone and Clifford Freese, of Salt Lake City.

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### Vice President Coolidge CALVIN COOLIDGE, vice president of the United States, photographed on his arrival in Portland last night for a three days' visit.

He was accompanied by Mrs. Coolidge and their two sons and Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Stearns of Boston.



### BUYERS SPEND OVER MILLION PARTY ACTIVE

Sixty Per Cent of 1710 Outside Merchants Purchase in Excess of \$500 Each in Portland.

Continued high-pressure buying by merchants and purchasers from 18 western states who gathered here for the tenth annual Buyers' week sent the percentage of those who signed for more than \$500 worth of Portland goods well above 60 per cent of the total attendance Saturday night.

Train Hits Truck; Four Are Killed And 21 Are Hurt  
St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 12.—(U. P.)—Three persons were killed and 21 seriously injured when Sop Lins train No. 107 hit an oil tank truck at Anandale, Minn., late today.

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### S. SCENTS CONSPIRACY IN RAIL ROW

Attorney General Urges Assistants to Look for Evidence That Interstate Commerce Blocked

President Fails in Another Attempt to Effect End of Strike; Holds White House Confab

Washington, Aug. 12.—(U. P.)—The federal government tonight took steps to check the complete breakdown of transcontinental train service, seriously threatened by the walkout of big four brotherhood members in the Far West.

CONFERENCE HELD  
The president today received from leaders of the strikers and the railroad executives their replies to his latest proposal that the strike be terminated by submitting the priority question to the railroad labor board.

Historic Bridge Over Deschutes Is To Be Replaced  
The Dalles, Aug. 12.—The historic old bridge spanning the Deschutes at Sherar's, 26 miles southeast of The Dalles, is to be replaced with a modern steel-girder type, the county court announced today.

Benicia Arsenal On Fire; Explosion Heard Many Miles  
Benicia, Cal., Aug. 12.—(U. P.)—Following a fire in a munitions wrecking dump here this afternoon in which two men were severely burned, U. S. arsenal No. 1 blew up early this evening.

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### Thunder, Lightning Mark Rain

City Gets Full Quota of Summer Moisture in One Day; Downpour Torrential.

Within the space of three hours Saturday afternoon, Portland received almost its whole summer quota of thunder showers, three of the electrical disturbances having passed over or around the city between 3:30 and 6:30 o'clock.

Mayor Baker Makes Talk From Elephant's Back  
The Dalles, Aug. 12.—From the hurricane deck of the greatest elephant parade in the Dalles, Mayor Baker, George L. Baker, mayor of Portland, and 2000 residents of the Dalles and vicinity all about the 1922 exposition.

Skidding Machine Turns Over; Man Injured in Wreck  
Swerving quickly to avoid striking another machine which was skidding from the wet pavement into the ditch, Louis Andrews of Meadowdale, Wash., overturned his automobile 12 miles from Portland on the lower Columbia river highway late Saturday afternoon.

50 Firemen Are Overcome at Fire  
New York, Aug. 12.—(I. N. S.)—Fifty firemen were overcome by smoke and fumes in a mysterious four-alarm fire which swept the New York Central railroad's freight pier at the foot of West 66th street and a section of the adjoining yard today.

Aborigines to Pick Berries Take Squaws and Papposes  
Goldendale, Wash., Aug. 12.—Hundreds of aborigines have passed through Goldendale since August 1, accompanied by their squaws, papposes, dogs, ponies and tribal paraphernalia, bound for the high altitudes of the Columbia national forest reserve.

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### \$50,000,000 FRUIT CROP FACES RUIN

Strike of Trainmen in California Ties Up Transcontinental Systems; Traffic at Standstill.

Walkout Threatens to Spread to Pacific Northwest; Conferences Aiming at Peace Fail.

San Francisco, Aug. 12.—The Pacific coast tonight was face to face with the most serious transportation crisis in its history.

Symphony Orchestra Will Present Six Celebrated Artists  
The Portland Symphony orchestra has engaged six distinguished artists to appear at its concert next season as soloists, it was announced Saturday by Mrs. Donald Spencer, business manager.

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