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Tuesday fair; moderate north-westerly winds.

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ROY GARDNER GETS AWAY

MEDFORD MEN DIE

LABOR DAY IS CELEBRATED AT DULLUM PLACE

Silverton Local of Loyal Legion Puts On Picnic Draw-Enjoyable Feature

PRESIDENT COLEMAN IS SPEAKER OF DAY

Business Houses Close And Automobile Parties Motor To Picnic Grounds

SILVERTON, Or., Sept. 5.—(Special to the Statesman.)—The Labor day celebration given today by the Loyal Legion of the Dullum picnic grounds was a huge success. It is the first time any celebration of just this kind has been attempted by any organization at Silverton, but it is reported that it will be by no means the last.

Weather Is Perfect
The weather was exceptionally favorable and many of the Silverton business houses closed between 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., thus permitting a large crowd to motor to the grounds.

Contest results at the picnic grounds were as follows:
Race for boys under 12—Don Steward, first; J. Steward, second.

Race for girls under 12—Olive Banks, first; Claudine Matthews, second.

Flat man's race—Charles McCloud, first; no second award.

Women's race—Mrs. George Benson, first; Mrs. O. W. Goodside, second.

Race for boys under 15—Ronald Massey, first; Kenneth Bennett, second.

Free-for-all race under 21—Lowell Hoblitt, first; Dwight Kiefer, second.

Tug-of-war—Won by team composed of Bert Swanson, Oscar Benson, W. Benson, Henry Storli, Carl Sprecht, and Charles McCloud.

Greased pig—Caught by Ted Hansen.

Log rolling contest—John Roberts, first; the second, second.

Race Puller, Ted Hansen, Orville Howe and Clyde Swanson all essayed to climb the greased pole, but none succeeded.

President Is Speaker
The speaker of the day was Norman F. Coleman of Portland, president of the Loyal Legion of Loggers and Lumbermen. Two selections were sung by Maybelle Ford.

All business houses at Silverton closed for the event, and the attendance was large.

Music was furnished by the Ness orchestra of Silverton, and lights for the dancing pavilion were furnished by Oswald Bros. of Mount Angel.

TWO OREGON MEN AMONG VICTIMS OF LOST ARMY PLANE

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Sept. 5.—The bodies of four of the five members of the crew of the government Martin bombing plane No. 5, from Langley field, Va., were found today on the north side of Twenty-Mile creek, 10 miles southwest of Summersville, and the fifth aviator is enroute to Charleston in a serious condition, according to information received tonight by Major Davenport Johnson, in charge of the army air forces here.

The dead are: Lieutenant Harry L. Speck, pilot, Medford, Ore. Lieutenant W. S. Fitzpatrick, observer, Medford, Ore. Sergeant Arthur R. Brown, Kentucky. Private Walter B. Howard, San Francisco. Seriously injured: Corporal Alexander C. Hazelton, Wilmington, Del. Little chance for the recovery of Corporal Hazelton was expressed by physicians.

Wreck Located
The wrecked airplane was discovered by Ben Hughes after a two-day search participated in by hundreds of residents, as well as airplanes.
Hughes reported to Major Johnson that he had heard groans while searching in a heavily wooded and rugged section. Following the direction of the sounds, he said he discovered the wrecked machine, the nose of which had buried itself in the ground.
The bodies of three victims, Hughes said, were suspended head down, in mid-air, held in their cockpits by foot straps. The fourth body discovered hours later was caught in the wreckage. The injured man had crawled several yards from the wreck and was found face downward. Hughes partly revived Corporal Hazelton by giving him a drink of water. He then set out for help. At the arrival of several more searchers Hazelton was carried more than a mile to an automobile and taken to Summersville.

Those who examined the wrecked machine expressed the opinion that the crash had been followed by an explosion of gasoline which enveloped the plane in flames.
At 11 o'clock the building in which the crash had been held was a mass of flames, and could be seen from the city proper. The exact number of negroes in the building at the time of the meeting has not been determined.

Police here are held ready to answer any call from Gretna, which is across the river from the city proper. The sheriff of Jefferson Parish has sent every available deputy to Gretna with orders to shoot to kill, in the event that mob violence is threatened, according to reports.

Shots Are Fired
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BOYCOTT OF PHONES IS GRANGE MOVE
SHERIDAN, Ore., Sept. 5.—(Special to the Statesman.)—Unless the Sheridan Telephone company grants its users a general 75 cent rate, members of the local Grange will boycott the company's service according to a decision reached at a recent meeting of the grange. The organization, which took up the consideration of the local rates some time ago, has made a written demand to the telephone company here and has also informed the public service commission of the action.

Telephone rates now in effect here are considerably advanced over those of a year ago. Sentiment about town favors immediate action and several meetings to consider methods of lowering rates have been held.

Grange members declare that unless the decrease is made they will remove the phones and install temporary lines rather than use the local telephone system under the prevailing scale.

ARMED WHITES MARCH AGAINST COLORED BAND

Hall Where Indignation Meeting Is Held Is Set On Fire And One Negro Is Reported Killed

NEW ORLEANS, La., Sept. 5.—Armed with shotguns and rifles, more than 50 white citizens of Gretna, a suburb, tonight marched on a negro hall where an indignation meeting in protest against the beating of several negroes this afternoon was held. One negro is reported dead.

The trouble started at a ball game at which a number of white persons were spectators.

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STREAMS DRYING UP
HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. 5.—Lakes and rivers are drying up in the regions of Nova Scotia where forest fires have been burning for several days and residents of the province are praying for rain to break a drought which is one of the longest on record.

GIRL WALKS IN SLUMBER, IS DROWNED

Norma McKain, Daughter of Tourists From Kansas City, Meets Death in Night

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 5.—Norma McKain, a 16-year-old girl, is supposed to have walked in her sleep last night and fallen into the Necanicum river and drowned. Her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. McWain of Kansas City, Mo., are touring by automobile and were camping by the river.

The child's absence was discovered from the camp this morning, search made and her body recovered from the river.

BRYAN SCORES RETAIL DEALERS

Meat Reduced In Price Only In Amount Paid Consumer, Says Commoner

CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—W. J. Bryan, a branded retail profiteer as the chief obstacle in the way of the country's return to normalcy in a speech today at a mass meeting under the auspices of the Chicago Federation of Labor.

He said that the fault was not with labor, which was willing to do its share in effecting a readjustment but with the men who perpetuated the inflation of living prices, making it impossible for the working classes to live on reduced wages.

"Labor's chief difficulty in readjustment," he said, "is in the fact that retail prices have not come down as they should. This makes readjustment impossible. It is difficult to reduce wages while living expenses remain at war-time levels. Woolen goods are now selling at retail 100 per cent above the price they were before the war. Meat on the hoof which the butcher buys, has reduced, but meat on the block which the butcher sells, has not been reduced. The laborer's family must suffer, and it is this which is the chief cause of labor unrest."

Post Office Robbers Are Held In Jail At Toledo

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 5.—Three men, convicted of conspiring in the million-dollar postoffice robbery here February 17, and awaiting trial for alleged robbery in the same case, escaped from the Lucas county jail this afternoon.

The men are John Urbaytis, George Lewis, and George Rogers and C. S. Schultz. All are declared by postoffice authorities to have been actual participants in the robbery.

JAPAN NOTIFIED

TOKYO, Sept. 5.—Newspapers here publish reports from Vladivostok saying that the government there has notified Japan of its opposition to its holding a conference between representatives of Japan and the Far Eastern republic.

M'ARTHUR COMMENTS ON BIG MEASURES BEFORE CONGRESS

There are two outstanding big measures that have been hurried along in record time for a new administration," said Congressman "Pat" McArthur, who was a Salem visitor on Labor day. "These are the tariff bill and the budget bill—the measures to set and then economically to spend the national money."

TRAIN ROBBER, FAMOUS FOR CLEVER BREAKS TO LIBERTY, ESCAPES FROM FEDERAL MEN

RHILEY TAKES LEAD IN CLIMB

Nebraska Driver Narrowly Escapes Death In Making Turn, Is Favorite

COLORADO SPRINGS, Sept. 3.—King Rhiley of Grand Island, trophy in the annual Pike's Peak automobile hill climbing contest today, driving the twelve miles and two thousand feet in 19 minutes 16 1/2 seconds. The record was established by Ralph Mulford in 1916 with 18 minutes 22 seconds.

The trophy was offered to the car making the best time, irrespective of size, additional prizes being offered for first and second place in each of three classes, based on engine piston displacement.

Fifteen cars started, five being forced out by engine trouble. A crowd estimated at 10,000 viewed the race from vantage points along the course.

Only 31 2-5 seconds separated Rhiley and Otto Loesch of Connersville, Ind., who took second place. Rhiley narrowly escaped death on the first turn when his car struck a soft spot in the road and skidded to within six inches of a deep gulch. Rhiley was the favorite when the race started.

League of Nations Opens Session With Optimism

GENEVA, Sept. 5.—The second assembly of the League of Nations opened today in an atmosphere of optimism. It was demonstrated that the popular branch of the league was meeting free from a pre-arranged program.

The assembly heard the opening address of Dr. Wellington Koo of China without having any idea as to who might be selected permanent president.

The only business transacted in the morning was the election of a committee on credentials and it was not until the luncheon recess that the delegates could exchange notes as to their choice of presidential officer. South America came forward with Dr. Gaston Da Cunha of Brazil and Dr. Juan Carlos Blanco, Uruguayan minister at Paris, while there was an important movement in favor of H. A. Van Karnebeek, Dutch minister of foreign affairs, who was eventually elected.

Boy Raids Melon Patch Shot By Owner, He Dies

BILLINGS, Mont., Sept. 5.—Burlin Leonard Clark, 13 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Clark, of Huntley, Mont., died today from gunshot wounds received Thursday night when he was alleged to have fired on with a shotgun by Gus Glock a rancher, while raiding a watermelon patch. Glock was held in the county jail until Saturday night when he was released at the request of the boy's parents.

Dash for Freedom Is Witnessed by Superintendent of Government Prisons—One Killed and Another Injured in Attempts to Join Convict—Cattle Utilized as Aides—Outside Aid at Hand, Officials Assert

Roy Gardner, California mail bandit, escaped from McNeil's Island, federal prison this afternoon. Everett Impyn Camp Lewis soldier, recently sent up for life for assault on a nurse, was shot and killed during the attempted jail break in which he and Gardner and Lewardus Bogart, also doing life for the same offense as Impyn, participated. Bogart was shot and recaptured and is in the prison hospital, possibly fatally wounded. It is believed Gardner also was wounded, although this is not certain.

The escape occurred under the eyes of Heber H. Votaw, superintendent of federal prisons and brother-in-law of President Harding. Superintendent Votaw arrived at the prison this morning at eight o'clock on a trip of inspection, and two and a half hours later witnessed the dash for liberty.

The volley fired by the guards felled Impyn before he gained the fence. Bogart is in the prison hospital literally riddled with buckshot.

Warden Maloney and his deputies are confident Gardner has not escaped from the island unless he had confederates who were waiting.

The jail break came during the progress of a ball game this afternoon when more than 250 prisoners were standing around the prison yard watching the game. Gardner was among the inmate spectators. The three prisoners are said to have made a rush for the fence. Impyn was shot and killed almost instantly by the guards. Gardner cut his way through the fence.

COAST BASEBALL

Seattle 6-7, Frisco 0-10.
San Francisco, Sept. 5.—San Francisco made up for its morning defeat by winning the afternoon game today from Seattle 10 to 7, but found that Sacramento had approached one game nearer to first, the result of beating Oakland twice. Sacramento is now only three games behind the league leaders. The Seals took the lead in the second inning when Jimmie Foxx knocked his way into right field. The Seals were able to catch up in the eighth inning by hitting Bretton for three safeties that morning game 8 to 0.

First Game
R. H. E.
San Francisco 8 12 3
Sacramento 0 4 4
San Francisco and Sacramento Coach, Lewis and Agnew.
Second Game
R. H. E.
Seattle 7 11 3
San Francisco 1 2 3
Jacobus, Brenton and Adams, Spencer; Oboori and Yelle.

Sacramento 6-9, Oakland 5-1.
Sacramento, Sept. 5.—The Oaks were today the visitors while the first game by Sacramento here today, the first being won, 6 to 5, and the second ending in a tie, 3 to 3. The morning game was interesting with both of the twirlers used by the two clubs getting into right holes to be pulled out by spectacular fielding. A pitcher's duel between Jones and Koehler kept the fans hot during the afternoon contest. The first inning Sacramento knocked his second home run inside the lot. Two men were on. Dick got a home run over the right field fence.

First Game
R. H. E.
Oakland 5 12 3
Sacramento 3 3 3
Ten innings.
Jones and Koehler; Nicholas and Cook.

Angels 8-9, Portland 4-3.
Los Angeles, Sept. 5.—The 13-game series between Portland and Los Angeles was ended here today with a double header, both games of which were won by the Angels, the score being 8 to 4 and 9 to 3. Ten games of the series were won by Los Angeles.

First Game
R. H. E.
Los Angeles 8 12 3
Portland 4 3 3
Second Game
R. H. E.
Portland 4 3 3
Los Angeles 3 3 3
Stout, Hillson and King; Reinhardt and Baldwin.

Vernon 10-5, Salt Lake 8-10.
Salt Lake City, Sept. 5.—Vernon and Salt Lake City split a double header here today, the visitors winning the first game 10 to 8 and the locals the second 10 to 5. The Tigers won their game by pounding Bromberg in the early innings and the Bees did likewise to Mitchell in the second. The Bees took the series five games to four.

First Game
R. H. E.
Vernon 10 14 3
Salt Lake 8 10 5
Second Game
R. H. E.
Vernon 10 14 3
Salt Lake 8 10 5
Mitchell, Gross and Murphy; Kogler and Lyons.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS
San Francisco 95 64 501
Sacramento 92 67 278
Los Angeles 90 62 277
Seattle 86 69 253
Oakland 81 75 219
Salt Lake 72 92 147

ESCAPES WERE SPECTACULAR.
SEATTLE, Sept. 5.—Telephone

NEW TOWN OF GRAND RONDE IS BOOMING SAYS MR. HOLT

The new town of Grand Ronde, in the northwestern part of Polk county, will eventually be some town, according to U. G. Holt, manager of the logging department of the Spaulding Logging company.

Already it has a hotel as completely equipped as any modern hotel, several store buildings, a garage, and half a dozen homes already completed.
Much Timber Admitted.
The town is on the holdings of the Spaulding-Miami Lumber company which has recently acquired 30,000 acres of timber in the Grand Ronde district. The new town is nine miles from Willamina and is connected with that town by a common carrier railroad. For logging purposes, Mr. Holt says the company has constructed a railroad three miles west of Grand Ronde, and this fall and winter will construct another road five and one-half miles south of Grand Ronde where a logging camp will be established early next spring.
Road Owned by Company
To the people of Salem and vicinity, this large holding of the company which has recently acquired 30,000 acres of timber in

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