Tale of Modern Catacombs game today when the Sonators ance and Mystery

LABYRINTH DISCOVERED

Much Speculation Made on wonday, neither team but uled for a Sunday game. Origin-Some Suggest German War Plot

st section of the city. Sophisated to a point wher it can should sweep against the Athletics. s off without batting an eye he most choice scandals congress an offer, Washington neverthefrankly admits excitement the underground passages. eculation has evoked many ries. Some credit German sys, while still others describe as the rendezvous of unscrupu- all three of their scheduled games. ous plotters. But Washington waits the explanation.

This much is known—the tunals were discovered yesterday then a truck wheel broke a hole what appeared to be just in" earth. Some one entering s hole found it dropped into a sageway about four feet wide ad seven feet deep. The passageweral yards only to end in a rete barricade which appardoor that once opened on a ter-race. Another passageway several ards in length comes to an abrupt it when it approaches the founation of an apartment building. apparently this passage then de-cends but is blocked with rubsish and debris.

A third tunnel starts near the ear basement door of a private welling. It can be traversed bout 10 yards when loose earth and bricks prevent further passage. A passageway leading from t also is filled with debris. The wner of the dwelling said the unnels were there when he purchased the property about 18 months ago. He added he had never explored them extensively, and had filled up one of the pas. ages to prevent entrance to his

Engineers inspecting the tunnels said the masoury was the finest construction and must have st thousands of dollars. A date, "1913," was found on one piece of cement block.

Give Up Hope for Ship Lost on Lake Huron

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept. 27 .-Hope for the safety of the Whaleback freighter Clifton and her crew of 28 was vanished. Her ereabouts tonight were known ence here since Wednesday. only to Lake Huron where, it is Action of the "select number" storm Sunday and Monday and church trial of the case, is re- other party organizers, on the arlike many other lake mysteries, garded as final and the report rangement of future itineraries

Two hydroplanes were sent out was explained, is a mere formal-others speaking in the interest of from Mount Clemens, Mich., to- ity. lay to patrol the east and west shores of Lake Huron but late tonight no word from them had been received. Neither had they heard from the commander of the tug Manistee which was sent out from Port Huron to search the Canadian side for traces of the vessel nor from the numerous beach pa-

ZANNI GOES TO FOO CHOW the Associated Press); - Major in preparation for the Oregon the world flier, hopped off here at 7:23 o'cleck this morning for on the campus, the students ser- into shape during the last week Foo Chow.

THE WEATHER

OREGON: Fair and warmer; moderate northeast to north winds.

LOCAL WEATHER

(Friday) Maximum temperature, 67, Minimum temperature, 38, River, -.6; rising. Rainfall, none. Atmosphere, clear,

Wind, north.

SITUATION GETS MORE TENSE AS THE END NEARS

Still Undecided Which Clubs are to Meet in World's Baseball Series

NEW YORK, Sept. 26 .- Wash ington's lead in the American league was reduced to one ful! Beneath United States faltered on the threshold of their Capitol Savors of Rom- first major league pennant and lost to the Boston Red Sox, 2 to 1. while the Yankees were winning from Connie Mack's Athletics

With three games yet to be BY MEREST ACCIDENT played by each team, it is certain the pennant cannot be decisively won by either team now before Monday, neither team being sched-

If Washington should win its full slate of three games yet to be played with the Red Sox it cannot little mystery all of its own—the Yankees may yet slide under the discovery of a network of under- wire ahead. The Senators cau ground tunnels or a labyrinth of still lose one game to the Sox and mbs in the exclusive north- break even with the Yankees if the American league champions

The situation in the National league remained constant today, neither the Giants nor Brooklyn being scheduled to play. The Dodgers are hanging by a proverbial thread, one defeat sending them down into the ruck without Proposed Amendment, Later ales with building the works; a chance of doing better than getthers connect it with Civil war ting a tie with the Giants if the National league champions lose

inel leads in one direction for No Credit Is Asked for Re- in disputes between countries, parations Outline Bearing His Name

> ST. CLOUD, Minn., Sept. 26 .-Credit for success of the reparations settlement plan was disclaimed by Charles G. Dawes, republican vice presidential candidate here tonight in this German center of Minnesota.

Minister Who Confessed to now being drafted. Poisoning Wife Is Expelled From Church

CARBONDALE, Ill., Sept. 26. Lawrence M. Hight, of Ina, Ill., confessed poison slayer of his wife, Anna, and instigator of the poisoning of Wilford Sweetin, alto of Ina. was expelled from the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal church this evening. Expulsion was voted by the "select number" of the southern Illinois conference of the church in confer-

believed she sank during the a committee that conducted the democratic neadquarters, and the secret may never be knon. to the conference tomorrow, it for the national candidates and



SENATOR COUZEN'S SPECIAL COMMITTEE WHO WILL

INVESTIGATE SECRETARY MELLON'S DEPARTMENT

Withdrawn, Would Affect

Immigration

even if the world court of justice

previously had ruled that the dis-

mestic jurisdiction of the states

The situation is delicate be-

Japanese amendment which was

subsequently withdrawn, as refer-

ring to the problem of immigra-

tion and hence especially interest-

ing to such countries as the Unit-

ed States, Canada, Australia and

Withdrawing the amendment,

Belgium said that in conse-

quence of the attitude of the dis-

anese was called for late tonight

in an endeavor to reach a com-

LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 26 .-

presidential nominee, left here

late today for Chicago where, to-

coln Dixon, in charge of western

Governor Bryan Getting

involved.

New Zealand.

Private arrairs of individuals | Senator Couzens. They are, left | ico. | Back row, the two attorneys be knocked from its supreme and corporations shown on their to right, front row, Senators Will- employed by the committee are L. perch despite a similar perfor a income tax returns, heretofore iam King of Utah, R. P. Ernst of C. Manson of Wisconsin and Earl washington. Sept. 26.—The ance by the Yankees over the held inviolate, are to be thrown apital city hummed tonight with Athletics, but if the Washington open to inspection by a corps of New Mex- er Assistant Attorney General. unrestrained sentiment over a foot slips again in Boston the senatorial investigators headed by igan and A. A. Jones of New Mex- er Assistant Attorney General.

Nomination of Present Gov-

ernor for Re-Election

Made Unanimously

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 26 -

The convention, the first in

state convention today.

tions in his career.

forth thunderous applause.

DINTY MOORE, SPEEDY RACING DOG, IS CHAMP

Washington Canine Places First Nine Times Out of Nine Tries

EUGENE, Or., Sept. 26 .-'Dinty Moore," speedy setter today was declared the champion all-age field dog of the Pacific coast at the close of the final event in the western international GENEVA, Sept. 26 .- A somefield trials here. Dinty is owned what delicate situation has arisen by Phil S. Fredson of Shelton, in the peace discussions at Geneva Wash, and is handled by H. K. growing out of a proposed amend- Reed. This dog, only three years ent to the protocol of arbitra- old, placed nine times in nine ention offered by the Japanese. This tries since the first derby race.

in effect called upon the council of the league of nations to en-deavor to conciliate and mediate in disputes between countries, putes have arisen over matters which were solely within the do-

Six Machines, Coming From San Francisco, Land Day cause the delegates interpret the Ahead of Fliers

EUGENE, Or., Sept. 26 .- Six army airplanes as advance guard of the world fliers who are due to arrive in Eugene tomorrow afternoon flew to Eugene From M. Adachi, the Japanese minister Crissy field, San Francisco, today, arriving about 3 o'clock. The planes were piloted by Lieut. Col. armament commission he would F. H. Lohm, Maj. D. C. Emmons, have to make express reservations Lieut, F. K. Hockett, Lieut, G. B. concerning the whole of the pro- Benton, Licut, Haynes and Licut. tocol of arbitration and which is R. C. Moffett. It is expected they will leave Eugene for Seattle be-A private meeting of several of fore the world fliers reach Euthe delegates, including the Jap- gene tomorrow afternoon.

Lieutenant Moffett has preceded Lieutenants Smith, Nelson and promise agreement satisfactory to Wade ever since they started from the Atlantic for the Pacific coast.

List of Dates Made Out WIRE TO COOLIDGE Governor Bryan, democratic vice

morrow, he will confer with Lin- Act of William R. Nicholson Disapproved By President of League

> PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 26 .-Joseph M. Steele, president of the law enforcement league of Philadelphia, tonight characterized as "very foolish move" the telegram sent by William R. Nicholson, secretary of the league, to President Coolidge, in which it was stated the league had evidence of political corruption by federal officeholders in Pennsylvania and which urged the president to use ported threatened dismissal by

Mr. Coolidge today directed atan early date.

NET CLOSES ON GARBUTT

PASADENA, Cal. Sept. 26.

SUCCEED IN ELIMINATING THIRD PARTY

Efforts of Anti-La Follette Forces to Legislate Him Out Meet Success

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26 .-The La: Follette-Wheeler forces in the state of California Aorfight said that every recourse of law had been used, without avail, to have the names of the La Follette-Wheeler electors placed on the ballot in California in November and that as a result the socialist ticket will have to be used by the La Follette supporters.

Franck R. Havener, director of the La Follette campaign in California, issued a statement tonight following the refusal fate today of the state supreme court to grant a petition for rehearing on its lecision of two days ago barring the La Follette electors from a place on the November ballot under an independent party desig-

Sinclair Oil Case Is Put Off Till Next Year

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26 .- On notion of government oil counsel, Ttlee Pomerene and Owen J. Roberts, trial of the civil action against the Sinclair oil properties in connection with naval oil leases was postponed today until January 6 next. Originally the trial had been set for October 7.

SLIGHTLY BETTER

(By the Associated Press) .- Governor Alfred E. Smith and the Condition of Confessed Murderess Shows Signs of entire roster of democratic state elective officials were renominat-Improvement ed unanimously by the democratic

SALEM, Ill., Sept. 26. - (By The Associated Press.) - Elsie ready tonight to leave San Fran- comed delegations of B many years that had not been marked by at least one bitter con- Sweetin, in jail here tonight par- cisco tomorrow morning at 9 clubs to the state fair, for Friday test, was the epitome of harmony, took of the first solid food since o'clock for Eugene, it was an- had been set aside for Booster It was a Smith demonstration her arrest and confession last nounced tonight at their head-day. The Umpqua Chiefs, from Roseburg, came up with a delay. governor provoking renewed en- poison to her husband at the inthusiasm. When the govornor ap- stigation of Lawrence M. Hight, peared in person the assemblage former Methodist Episcopal minister.

gave him one of the greatest ova-The morale of the prisoner was improved, and her physical condi- morrow. The governor in his address to the delegates promised he would tion also showed outward signs of wage a vigorous campaign. Praise betterment. The monotony of of John W. Davis, the democratic loneliness in the dingy jail was Mt. Shasta. Whether the fliers tives of the Royal Rosarians. presidential nominee as the ablest relieved today when relatives call- will pass Shasta on the east or Grants Pass Cavemen and Ashland democrat in the United States; ed on her to arrange for her decondemnation of the republican fense.

The happiest moment of her tonight. platform adopted at Rochester as the "most dishonest document" confinement is yet to come, Mrs. he had ever read, and denuncia- Sweetin remarked to the sheriff tion of the republican national today when she learned that her and state administrations brought three boys are to visit her Sun-

EXTRA DAY TO PAY HONOR TO FLIERS

If Round-the-World Aviators Can Land Here Sunday, State Show Will Hold Over-Board to Decide Early Today-Attendance Friday in Excess of Corresponding Day Last Year

If arrangements can be made for the round-the-world fliers of the United States army to stop at the state fair grounds tomorrow the state fair board will hold the fair over through Sunday, according to Miss Ella S. Wilson, secretary. The fair will not hold an extra day unless such an arrangement can be made. A definite announcement will be made early today.

It will be possible for a large number of the exhibitors to keep their exhibits on the grounds another day. For some it will not be possible for the reason that they are scheduled

at other fairs.

Globe Girdlers Will Hop Off for Eugene at 9 o'Clock This Morning:

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26 .-(By the Associated Press.)-Af- is in a better financial condition ter a day of rest during which but for the expenditures are considerlittle was done with the exception ably under those for the 62nd of examining planes to see that fair, and there is yet one day to all was in readiness for the next go. hop of their globe-girdling flight, the round the world fliers were Ideal weather conditions w

The filers will follow the Sacra- gation of more than 100. mento valley route after leaving ing their wives, and a drum and San Francisco and, according to bugle corps. Special stunts plans tonight, will pass over Red- staged in front of the grand stand ding approximately at noon to- between the races. The Cherrians

the west will depend entirely up- Lithians also on the grounds. A on weather conditions, it was said meeting of officials was staged in

Siskiyou mountains to Medford, ganized Oregon Hospitality club Or. The planes will not pass over were discussed. Grants Pass, but will cut in a straight flight from Medford to Roseburg. Eugene, the day's ob- and dog show departments was jective, will be reached about 3 completed yesterday, with W. O. p. m., Lieutenant Smith said to- Morrow of Independence taking night. The departure from San the most coveted award offered by Francisco will depend entirely up- the fair, that of sweepstakes over on information received tonight all dairy breeds, including a and early tomorrow from the handsome silver loving cup ofnorth on weather conditions, fered by the Fisher Flouring Mills Lieutenant Smith said if condi- company of Portland. The prize tions are not favorable to flying, winner was Golden Cicero's Happithe crossing of the Siskiyous ness, a grand champion Bersel would not be attempted.

La Follette Goes After Counterfeit 3rd Parties

OLYMPIA, Wash., Sept. 26 .-September 30.

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 26 .-The brakeman on President Coolidge's special, bearing the presi- the quarters. dent and his party from Philadelphia to Washington, was knocked from the train and killed.

* Cloudless skies Friday enabled the 63rd Oregon state fair to bit its stride, and when receipts were checked last night by J. E. Mo-Clintock, cashler, it was found that all departments had gained over the corresponding day last year. Friday a total of 15,890 paid admission to the grounds against 14,160 on the same day in 1923. Grand stand receipts showed 3100 persons at the races against 2900, while 2747 paid admission to the horse show in the stadium in comparison with the 1108 in 1923. While receipts are about \$10,000 under those for last year at this time, the fair board

Special Stunts Stages of Salem, Umpqua Chiefs, Prunar-From Redding the planes will lans of Vancouver, Wash, were follow north over Dunsmuir to out in uniform, with representathe afternoon at which time plans The planes will then cross the for the future of the recently or-

> Morrow Gets Sweeps Final judging in the livestoc

Dogs Win Awards

In the Willamette Kennel club exhibit, "Prince Boris III," a Russian wolf hound owned by N. Margaret Hanbury of Seattle was judged to be the best dog in the United States Senator Robert M. show, all breeds competing. The La Follette, striking a blow at award was made on points. "Con spurious La Follette parties in the nie's Highland Laddie," a collie state of Washington, through his owned by Mrs. Anna B. Conlon of managers, secured alternative Portland, proved to be the best writs of mandamus here today di- working dog in the show. Other recting the secretary of state, Mr. "best dogs" were "Sunny Jim." a Hinkle, to appear in the state su- terrier Airedale belonging to Wilpreme court and show cause why liam H. Braeger of Portland; a he should not refuse to certify toy Pekinese, owned by Miss Marie other than genuine La Follette Louise Jackson of Tacoma, and electors to county auditors for the "Tiny Fifty," a Boston terrier, general election November 4. owned by S. E. Jackson of Port-Hearing on the writs was set for land, the best non-sporting dog. Owners of the animals claimed their property late in the after-COOLIDGE BRAKEMAN KILLED noon and those who came to see the dogs early last night were disappointed, as not more than a dozen of the canines remained in

Campers Elect Election of officers and the an-(Continued on page 3)

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tice and accept our thanks.

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STATE FAIR PROGRAM TODAY

FRATERNAL AND TRAVELING MEN'S DAY Morning

9:00-10:00-Concert at main entrance by Salem Cherrian band, Oscar Steelhammer directing. 9:00—Boys' games in horseshoe pitching contests.

9:30-Arrival of members of all fraternal organizations and traveling men from all parts of Oregon. 9:45—Concert on grounds by Hebel's Cherrybud band,

Charles Hebel directing. 10:00-Concert in main building by boys' band from Ore-

gon State Training School. 10:30-Concert in bandstand by Salem Cherrian band. Oscar B. Gingrich heard in vocal numbers.

Afternoon

1:00—Finish of boys' club games in horseshoe pitching 1:30-Racing program, "Lone Oak" track featuring stunts

between heats by traveling men and members of fraternal organizations.

1:30-Program in main auditorium. 1:30—Concert in main pavilion by Chemawa Indian School band under direction of George Bent.

1:30-Cherrian band in grandstand, under direction of Oscar Steelhammer. Capital City Quartette heard in vocal numbers.

1:30-Concert in main auditorium by Girls' Octette of Chemawa Indian School and school orchestra, under direction of Ruthyn Turney.

2:30-Concert by Hebel's Cherrybud band on grounds. 3:00-Informal art talk in art department.

4:00-Concert in main pavilion by Chemewa Indian School

5:00-Music by Oregon State Training School band.

Evening

6:30-Concert in bandstand by Salem Cherrian band, under direction of Oscar Steelhammer.

Webfoot squad, and the first line a sure quarter, although Easton hammer used in the slaying of 7:30—Final horse show in Stadium, featuring all classes shown in week's shows. Music by Salem Cherrian band and Capital City Quartette.

WILLAMETTE-OREGON GAME IS HERE TODAY

HONG KONG, Sept. 27 .- (By ette students was staged last night during the game. dro Zanni, the Argentine around game here this afternoon. After Rathbun has had a husky but practicing their yells and songs green bunch of material to lick public safety. of their yells and to visit the Gray Hartley, Findley, Faschnact, Mol-

Belle and the Spa. The game with Oregon at 2:30 Rhodes are available from last league suggesting that its responthis afternoon is looked forward year's team with a number of new sible officers confer with him at to with a great deal of interest, men showing promise. Last Satnot only to ascertain what the new urday's tryout showed a slow line Bearcat machine will do in its with need for some new developfirst game, but also to see what ment with the ends. Veteran ma-Oregon's new coach has been able terial in the backfield are Isham, to do. It is certain that Maddock Booth, Fletcher and Stolzheise, Identification of Harry Garbutt. has had the best of material to and Cramer from '22's team. alias Harry Connor, as the purwork with in the formation of the There is doubt in the matter of chaser of a small nickel plated up will probably be largely com. and Carter, new men, look good. Mrs. Clifton R. Hunn of Chicago. posed of letter men. He is bring- Wait and Post are promising new who was shot and beaten to death interject the majority of that

On the part of the Bearcats, strom, Sherwood, Stolzheise, and

A big "pep" rally of Willam- number in the lineup sometime his influence in averting the re-

Major Kendrick of Brig. General Smedley D. Butler as director of pentined downtown to give some and a haif. In the line Huston, investigate the charges referred to in the telegram and the attorney general immediately wired the

ing about 40 men, intending to material in the backfield, with in her home here a week ago, was interject the majority of that (Continued on page 5).