

WEATHER FORECAST: Unsettled, with probably local rains Wednesday. Maximum temperature yesterday, 64; minimum, 51; river, -1.7; rainfall, .01; atmosphere, clear; wind, northwest.

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SEVENTY-SIXTH YEAR

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PRICE FIVE

STOCK JUDGING AWARDS TAKEN

Alex Cruickshank Wins First in State Fair Ton Litter Contests

COMPETITION IS KEEN

Grand Champion Jersey Bull Honors Go to Mrs. Edna Knight's Exhibit, From Willows, Calif.

One of the proudest exhibitors at the state fair yesterday was Alex Cruickshank, McMinnville when he was awarded the first prize in the special class for "ton litters" in the swine department.

This prize was perhaps the most sought after of any and was for one litter of pigs to weigh not less than one ton at 180 days or age. They might be any breed and the contest was open to young and old exhibitors alike.

It is evident that all of the competing entries would not be exactly 180 days of age so a handicap rule was adopted that reduced the actual weight if they were over 180 days of age.

The second prize in the class was won by C. F. Sargent, Scio, with a nice litter of Chester Whites, while third place went to Pence Bros., Rickreall, with Durocs with a corrected weight of 2276 pounds.

SUGAR PRICES ADVANCE

CANNING SEASON CREATES A HEAVY RETAIL DEMAND

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—(AP.)—A general increase in the price of refined sugar to 6 cents a pound, the highest level of this year, took place throughout the country today as refiners, pressed by a heavy retail demand, scrambled for supplies in the raw sugar market.

Raw sugar also commanded the highest price of the year—4.67 cents a pound after the payment of duty—with 350,000 bags of the Cuban products sold in the New York market, an unusually heavy turnover.

RANCH HOME DESTROYED

YOUTH ON CRUTCHES UNABLE TO SAVE BELONGINGS

BEND, Sept. 28.—(AP.)—Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the F. H. Cox ranch home near Prineville this afternoon. The property belongs to Sanders Logan of Long Beach, Wash., and it is not known whether it is insured or not.

A son of the Coxes, who was recently injured in the hayfield and is as yet unable to walk without crutches, was asleep in the house when the fire broke out. The fire awakened him but he was unable to save anything.

SENTENCING POSTPONED

WILLOS AND KELLEY TO GO BEFORE COURT AGAIN

Re-sentencing of James Willos and Ellsworth Kelley, convicts, who were convicted of first degree murder in connection with the slaying of Milton Holman and John Sweeney, guards, during a break at the Oregon state penitentiary here in August, 1925, has been set for Thursday morning.

Four Horse Show Firsts Awarded Aaron M. Frank

Marguerite Dethrones Shikara, Mrs. Edward C. Grelle's Entrant of Long Championship Standing, by Winning Harness Stake

By AUDRED BUNCH Aaron M. Frank, Portland merchant, is the new luminary in the 1926 horse show at the Oregon State Fair. In a single night, Mr. Frank captured four first prizes. Mr. Aaron's mount, Marguerite, dethroned Shikara, Mrs. Edward C. Grelle's horse of long championship standing, by winning the fine harness stake, of \$100.

A crowd decidedly larger, and more enthusiastic than on the night preceding, witnessed Tuesday's events as follows: The opening attraction of the evening was the four-hand draft team competition. The Portland Damascus Milk company, a Monday night winner, won again last night.

COMMITTEE DISCUSSES TAX LAW AMENDMENTS

LEGISLATURE WILL RECEIVE RECOMMENDATIONS

Earl Fisher Tells Investigators of Increases Found in Many Other States

Legislation looking to the taxation of intangibles occupied the attention of members of the state tax investigating committee which held a meeting in the executive department here yesterday. The committee was created at the last session of the legislature for the purpose of recommending amendments to the tax laws now operative in this state.

A rough draft of a bill which would tax moneys and credits was submitted by the attorney general for consideration of the committee. It was decided to defer action on the bill until November 3, when two members of the committee will file a report dealing with the tax laws in operation in the state of California. A report on the disposition of the state income tax bills now before the voters of Oregon also would be available at that time, it was said.

Earl Fisher, state tax commissioner, told members of the committee today that taxes in California had increased rapidly during the past five years, and were higher than taxes in this state. A similar report dealing with the state of New York was submitted to the committee by Thomas Kay, state treasurer.

OPPOSES ARMY FUND CUT

U. S. SAYS BUDGET IS NOT MEASURE OF ARMAMENT

GENEVA, Sept. 28.—(AP.)—Brigadier General Dennis E. Nolan today told the military department of the disarmament commission that the American delegation was unable to accept the proposal that national budgets for defense afforded a true measure of armaments.

MARIE TO VISIT CAPITAL

WHITE HOUSE WILL RECEIVE ROUMANIAN QUEEN

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—(AP.)—The state department was advised today by the American legation at Bucharest that Queen Marie of Roumania will come to the capital immediately on her arrival in this country next month to pay her respects to the president.

The legation added it was informed the queen was looking forward with pleasure to her reception by the President and Mrs. Coolidge.

WASCO KILLING PROBED

JURY INDICTS RANCHER ON MURDER CHARGE

THE DALLES, Ore., Sept. 28.—(AP.)—Dewey A. Simons, rancher, was indicted today on a first degree murder charge by the Wasco county grand jury as an aftermath of the fatal shooting of Harry Zahniser, farmer of Eight Mile, and the serious wounding of his wife. The shooting took place last Wednesday night.

LESLIE CHOSEN SCHOOL'S NAME

Tuxedo Park Building Will Honor Early Methodist Circuit Rider

DETAIL PLANS OUT SOON

School Board Will Call for Bids for Construction on October 20, Lockers to Be Installed

Leslie junior high school is the name of the new school building to rise soon on the Tuxedo park property, it was decided last night by the school board on motion of Dr. C. A. Downs. No other names were considered, the name Leslie being adopted because of evident favor given it by the public.

David F. Leslie, for whom the new school is named, was an early Methodist circuit rider of this region. The policy of naming local schools after early ministers was first adopted in the naming of the J. L. Parrish junior high school in honor of a pioneer clergyman.

No report was made by James & Bartholomew, architects, who are working on plans for the building, but it is expected that the plans will be complete in a short time. The board expects to call for bids from contractors October 20.

William Gahlsdorf of this city was awarded the electric light contract for the new junior high school with a bid of \$150.

The board authorized calling for bids on 40 or 50 new lockers needed in the senior high school building. A proposal from the Moore Music house to install a Kimball piano in the new music room at the high school was referred to the supplies committee.

The cost of putting a new roof on the Highland school had amounted to only \$291, it was reported by Nelson Brothers, who had been given the contract with a bid of \$634. The roof had been found in better repair than at first believed, hence the lower cost.

FOLSOM PRISON BURNING

UNABLE TO GET INFORMATION BY TELEPHONE

SACRAMENTO, Calif., Sept. 28.—(AP.)—Fire broke out tonight in Folsom prison. Efforts to get information by telephone has been unsuccessful.

APE-MAN SKULL FOUND, REACHES INTO HISTORY

"MOST IMPORTANT DISCOVERY SINCE 1802," CLAIM

Represents Nature's Discarded Experiment in Forming Humans, Claim

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—(AP.)—Interest and importance attached to the discovery near Trinil, in Central Java, of a complete skull of the Pithecanthropus Erectus lies in the fact that it represents to scientists the farthest reach of the genus homo of which man is the only living representative, into antiquity.

Scientists at the Smithsonian institute, who were deeply interested in the reported discovery, explained that Pithecanthropus had lived approximately half a million years ago and was not man or a direct ancestor of man. They regard him as a biological cousin of the human race many degrees closer than any of the man-like apes of the present, and frequently characterized as one of "nature's discarded experiments in making man."

Pithecanthropus possessed by no means the brain of man, but was a brainer creature than any of the apes, and the actual ancestor of man is believed to have been a creature very similar to Pithecanthropus, scientists hold. Dr. Ales Hrdlicka, head of the Smithsonian department of physical anthropology, who a year ago visited the upper water of the Solo river in search of pre-human bones, said the discovery, if as represented, is the "most important in the field of physical anthropology since Dubois' original discovery of the skull cap and thigh bones of Pithecanthropus in 1892. It was pointed out that since the

CHURCH SUPPORT POOR

INEFFICIENCY UNDERMINES WORK OF GOD, CLAIM

COFFEYVILLE, Kansas, Sept. 28.—(AP.)—Dr. W. S. Lockhart of Indianapolis, Ind., gave the following statistics in an address before the state convention of the Christian churches of Kansas here today:

Twenty-five per cent of the members are carrying the load of the Protestant churches; 90 per cent of the people of this country do not hear a Protestant sermon once a week; 10 per cent of the churches give 90 per cent of the missionary money; only 40 per cent of the Sunday school membership is being taken into the church membership; about 75 per cent of the church membership comes through Sunday school membership, and 75 per cent of the 40 per cent drop out of both church and Sunday school before they reach the age of 18 years.

"There isn't a business institution in the United States that could run 90 days on that kind of efficiency," the speaker asserted.

GREEN BATHING SUIT TIP GIVEN

Carmel Cottage Owner Saw Garment, Like Aimee's on Clothesline

HAT, GOGGLES, DISGUISE

Transcript of Conversation Between Mrs. Sclaff and Benedict Introduced by Prosecution

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 28.—(By AP)—Kenneth G. Ormiston, missing radio man and one of the seven persons charged with conspiracy to obstruct justice in the Aimee Semple McPherson case, plans another move in an effort to clear the evangelist in the Carmel cottage episode, according to a letter from him received today by Roland Rich Woolley, attorney for Mrs. McPherson.

The radio man in the letter, which was forwarded through Edward H. S. Martin, his Chicago attorney, and was signed by a typewriter, says that Ormiston will reveal the mysterious "Miss X" who occupied the cottage with him for 10 days beginning May 19.

Ormiston writes that a new affidavit to be sent the Los Angeles attorney will detail the radio operator's movements from May 19 to June 23, the movements of "Miss X" prior to May 19 and after May 29, so far as they are known to Ormiston. The letter was postmarked Chicago and although necessarily sent several days ago, was dated Sept. 28.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 28.—(AP)—H. C. Benedict, owner of the Carmel, Cal., cottage in which the state contends that Aimee Semple McPherson lived for 10 days with Kenneth G. Ormiston, during the time she claimed to have been in the hands of kidnapers, testified here today that he saw a green bathing suit, similar to the one the evangelist wore when she disappeared here May 18, hanging on the cottage clothesline May 20.

This testimony was given late on the second day's preliminary hearing of the evangelist, her mother, Mrs. Minnie Kennedy and Mrs. Lorraine Wiseman-Sclaff to obstruct charges of conspiracy to obstruct justice and preparing false evidence.

The Carmel house was occupied early on the morning of May 19 by a man who represented himself to be George McIntyre, and a woman companion. Ormiston later admitted that he was the man but that his companion was not the evangelist. Benedict testified that the woman was similar in appearance to Mrs. McPherson but that he could not be sure it was she because of the goggles she wore and a hat which hid part of

LOGGER'S BACK INJURED

LIMB OF FALLING TREE HITS ARTHUR DODSON

SILVERTON, Ore., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—Arthur Dodson was brought down from Camp 14 on Tuesday noon with an injured back. A limb from a tree fell, hitting him in the back. Mr. Dodson saw the limb coming and ducked his head just avoiding getting struck in the head.

GREEK PREMIER QUILTS

RESIGNATION IN HANDS OF PRESIDENT, UNACCEPTED

ATHENS, Sept. 28.—(AP.)—The resignation of General Kondylis, who assumed the premiership after driving out the Pangalos government, is in the hands of President Kondouriotis, but has not yet been accepted.

"God's Go-Getter"



MRS. McPHERSON

Aimee Semple McPherson, evangelist, looks worn and tired in this recent picture taken after the strain of shack story attack had begun to tell on her.

STATE EMERGENCY BODY GRANTS APPROPRIATIONS

LARGEST SUM PAYS IRRIGATION BOND INTEREST

Tuberculosis Hospital Awarded \$21,000 for Operating Expenses

The state emergency board at a meeting here yesterday authorized deficiency appropriations aggregating \$117,900. The largest of these appropriations was \$35,000, which was requested by the state treasurer for payment of interest on bonds by the various irrigation districts. Interest on these bonds was guaranteed by the state securities commission.

An appropriation of \$21,600 was authorized for the payment of operating expenses of the state tuberculosis hospital. It was pointed out that this deficiency resulted from the opening of a new building which necessitated the employment of additional help and advanced the operating expenses.

Other deficiency appropriations authorized by the emergency board follow: State school for the blind, \$800; Eastern Oregon state hospital, \$18,000; biennial elections and printing of election pamphlets, \$18,000; state livestock sanitary board, \$1,000; for payment of salaries and traveling expenses of circuit judges, \$10,500; public printing, \$2500; for return of fugitives from justice, \$3,000, and for payment of 1925 legislative expenses, \$7500.

The Eastern Oregon state hospital and state livestock sanitary board were compelled to request deficiency appropriations because the ways and means committee at the last legislative session segregated their allowances instead of including them in one lump, as had been the practice previously.

DRIVER OF CAR INDICTED

CHARGE FOLLOWS ACCIDENT ON MCKENZIE HIGHWAY

BEND, Ore., Sept. 28.—(AP.)—A. L. Schick Jr. was indicted today by the Deschutes county grand jury on a charge of manslaughter. He was arraigned this afternoon and given until Monday, October 4 at 9 a. m. to enter his plea.

The indictment grew out of an accident on the McKenzie highway near Tumalo, last May, which resulted in the death of Mrs. Clara Grater. Schick was driving the car which struck Mrs. Grater.

WOMAN SEEKS DIVORCE

EMPLOYE IN COUNTY OFFICE WOULD BE RECORDER

EUGENE, Sept. 28.—(AP.)—Miss S. Eleanor Skeene, for 18 years employed in the county clerk's office here, today announced her candidacy for city recorder and police judge of Eugene at the election November 2. George A. Gilmore, incumbent, will be her opponent at the polls. Miss Skeene was urged today by a number of prominent business men to run for the office.

WASH TAKEN FROM LINE MRS. OSTLIND TO HANG HER WASH INSIDE NOW

SALEM GRAD STATE GRAD

Schools, Business Close for Local Governor's Day

EUGENE TO PARADE

Althea Hendricks to be Governor's Day Parade

With Salem schools, the city's business that residents may as hosts on Salem Governor's Day at the Fair, the largest week are expected to last through the day.

Dedication of the city building, at Eugene Radiators, by Althea Hendricks, crown the winner of Pierce derby to be Oak track, and by American Legion dr corps to compete with from all over Oregon are the features of the day.

While the Eugene parade will not take place, judging in all elements, judging of club booths in the building will be under way, while the Oscar Steelhammer morning, afternoon, there will be a concert and drum corps of Army of the Republic.

Afternoon inter about the racing at the Governor's Day a silver cup and a while the 2:08 race a \$2000 purse, the best horse action.

The night opened Monday night through expected to unusual attention, mented by visitors at large, who Salem on that day.

Twelve hours the first race program, the 2:30 five heats, for a seven, are expected second, the "Poli long, for a \$250 the Governor's Day and one-sixth mile the "Richard Dix" \$400 purse.

WEDNESDAY AT THE STATE

- SALEM DAY Morning 9:00—Judging continues stock departments 9:30—Concert by Eugene State Band and Oregon State Band 10:00—Viewing of Eugene pavilions 10:30—Concert by Eugene State Band and Oregon State Band 11:00—Address in building 11:00—Dedication of building 11:30—Canning attraction club in 12:00—Arrival of Governor's Day parade on Lewis 1:00—Concert band of Eugene 1:30—Band concert and address 2:00—Viewing of Eugene pavilions 2:00—Judging of horse races 2:30—Judging of horse races 3:00—Foot race 4:00—Concert band of Eugene 7:00—Concert band of Eugene 8:00—Night concert 8:00—Night concert 8:00—Night concert 8:00—Night concert

PLENTY OF MATERIAL, BUT GETTING IT OUT IS A DIFFERENT MATTER



POLITICAL FENCE STRADDLERS

WHY DON'T YOU GET IN THE GAME?

NOW IT'S TOO LATE TO BE DANGEROUS

THE COUNTRY

SCHOOL U.S. vs. WASHINGTON STATE DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND SO FORTH AND SO FORTH