

WEATHER FORECAST: Partly cloudy, unsettled in the northwest portion; temperature below normal; moderate west and northwest winds. Maximum temperature yesterday 59; minimum 38; river 3.6; rainfall .45; atmosphere, cloudy; wind, southwest.

# The Oregon Statesman

Mexico, having had a few revolutions of her own, feels able to contribute expert advice as to how those of other countries ought to be conducted.—Washington Star.  
Latest definition of an internationalist: a man who is against his country's foreign policy whether it be right or wrong.

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## PRUNE MARKET MEETING PLACE WILL BE SALEM

Growers From All Sections of Valley Coming Here Next Tuesday

## SURVEY REPORT READY

Results of Investigation Conducted by Federal Division of Co-operative Marketing to be Announced

One of the most important meetings from the standpoint of persons connected with the production and packing of prunes ever held in Salem has been scheduled for next Tuesday morning, April 12 at 10 o'clock in the chamber of commerce rooms.

## URGE CAMP BETTERMENT

Williamson at Ad Club Says Money Spent Good Investment

"There is no better natural camp in the west than one here at Salem with its two streams," declared John Williamson, builder of the Hollywood theater, in an address before the Salem Ad club yesterday noon.

## EDUCATION WILL START EARLIER

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SPOKANE, Wash., April 7.—(AP)—School days will begin sooner and continue later for the younger generation ten years from now, it was predicted by Will C. Wood of San Francisco, formerly state superintendent of California schools, before today's session of the Inland Empire Education association.

## TAKES BLAME FOR FIRE

17 Year Old Boy Says Throwing Of Match Was Accident

PHOENIX, Arizona, April 7.—(AP)—John Thomason, 17, of Phoenix, a boat tender at Canyon Lake, Ariz., late today in a signed statement, said that he was the person who threw the lighted match on the oil covered waters of Lake Roosevelt yesterday noon.

## MARINES DEPART FROM SAN DIEGO

MERRY THROUGH OVERFLOWS PIER TO WISH BOON VOYAGE

Transport Henderson Loaded to Capacity and Planes Left Behind

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 7.—(AP)—Before a throng which taxed an 800 foot municipal pier to capacity and overflowed onto the bulkheads, the huge gray United States naval transport Henderson cast off its mooring lines and steamed from the harbor enroute to China, with the Sixth regiment of marines aboard.

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## CHIEF JUSTICE ON HONEYMOON

THOMAS ALLEN M'BRIDE MARRIES PORTLAND WOMAN

Will be 80 in November; Member of Oregon Supreme Court Since 1909

PORTLAND, April 7.—(AP)—Thomas Allen McBride, chief justice of the Oregon supreme court, and Mrs. Lottie May Chappelle, for many years a clerk in the registry division of the central post office here, were quietly married today by the Rev. H. H. Griffin in the parsonage of the First Christian church.

## PAPER FACTORY PLANNED

Five Million Dollar Plant Announced by Bellingham Firm

BELLINGHAM, Wash., April 7.—(AP)—Plans for a pulp and paper factory near their large saw mill, the ultimate cost of which would be \$5,000,000, were announced today by J. H. Bloedel, president of the Bloedel-Donovan Lumber mills. The building of the factory depends on the company's efforts to obtain the site in the harbor area south of their lumber mill and the assurance of sufficient water at reduced rates from the city, said Mr. Bloedel.

## INCOME FILINGS BURNED

Collector Huntley Has Over Ton of Returns Destroyed

PORTLAND, April 7.—(AP)—Under the direction of Clyde G. Huntley, collector of internal revenue for this district, a ton and a half of income tax returns from the years 1918 to 1921 inclusive were destroyed at the city incinerator today. The returns were those filed by taxpayers reporting on less than \$5,000 income and numbered 194,500.

## COOKING SCHOOL TO CLOSE TODAY

HOT SCONES RECEIVED AS SPECIAL TREAT BY GUESTS

Parties To Be Featured By Mrs. McLean At Demonstration Scheduled For Today

Today will mark the close of an exceedingly successful four-day cooking school which the Oregon Statesman and the Giesse-Powers furniture store have been sponsoring at the Grand Theater since Tuesday.

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## WALES WINS HORSE RACE

Prince Pilots Mare to Sweeping Victory in Steeplechase

OXFORD, Nottinghamshire, England, April 7.—(AP)—For the second time within a month the Prince of Wales won a point to point steeplechase, when he rode his mare, Lady Doon, to a sweeping victory in the South Notts race here over a three and a half mile heavy course.

## DE PINEDO TO GO EAST

Italian Abandons Plan to Visit West; New Plane Coming

PHOENIX, Arizona, April 7.—(AP)—Commander Francesco De Pinedo late tonight told the Associated Press that he had abandoned any further flight in the western portion of the United States.

## SEATTLE MURDER MYSTERY SOLVED

BUTCHERS WIFE KILLED WRONG MAN; CONFESES

SEATTLE, April 7.—(AP)—A three-year veil of mystery shrouding the slaying of Harvey C. Smart, Algonia butcher, was thrust aside here today when Mrs. Anne Longfield, wife of a farmer, confessed she had killed the wrong man when she went out gunning for her husband.

## INVESTIGATORS RETURN

Cherry Production Cost Survey to Be Started at Once

Investigators employed by the United States tariff commission were expected to reach San Francisco from China Thursday and to receive there instructions to begin at once on a survey of the costs of cherry production on the Pacific coast, according to word received by the Salem Chamber of Commerce from Senator C. L. McNary.

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## SOVIET HEADS INDIGNANT

Chinese Had Permit to Search Private Property But Exceeded Authority, MacMurray Tells Government

WASHINGTON, April 7.—(AP)—The Russian embassy had followed permission granted the Chinese authorities by the senior diplomat of the Boxer protocol powers, the Dutch minister, for a search of the privately-owned Dahl bank and the building of the Chinese Eastern railway, adjacent to the embassy compound for evidence of "subversive soviet agitation."

## MAY REMOVE EMBASSY

Soviet Representatives in China May Leave Hostile Zone

SHANGHAI, April 7.—(AP)—The possibility of the removal of the soviet embassy at Peking to Hankow, the death of the Cantonese, or national government, was suggested today by Wilhelm F. Linde, soviet consul here, as a result of yesterday's raid by northern soldiers on buildings attached to the Russian embassy.

## LUMBERMAN DISAPPEARS

Portland War Veteran Missing Since Saturday Night

PORTLAND, April 7.—(AP)—Police were asked today to search for Phillip Stanley McKenzie, 38, lumberman and world war veteran, who disappeared from his office here Saturday night.

## POLK JAIL CONDEMNED

Grand Jury Reports; Salem Man Indicted on Check Charge

DALLAS, Or., April 7.—(AP).—Polk county's ancient jail, built some time in the '50s, has been condemned in a report by the county grand jury, in session this week. It was pronounced unsanitary and unsafe.

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