

The Oregon Statesman

The King of Italy has been away from Rome on a vacation but the chances are that Mussolini was able to look after things during his absence.

WEATHER FORECAST: Generally fair; temperature above and humidity below normal in the interior; gentle variable winds in the interior; moderate west and northwest on the coast; maximum temperature yesterday 87; minimum 54; river 1; atmosphere clear; wind northwest.

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BROADER VIEW TO SOLVE ILLS SAYS SPEAKER

Keynote of Chiropractors' Convention Sounded by President Peebles

URGES HIGHER STANDARD

Association Advised to Build For Itself, Not Seek to Advance by Criticizing Other Health Agencies.

The keynote of the convention of the Oregon Chiropractic association was sounded yesterday morning, with the address of the president, Dr. Roy A. Peebles, to the delegates assembled in the chamber of commerce rooms.

Physio-therapy, the use of natural agents in healing, he stated, is essentially sound. Healing, however, cannot be limited to any one field, and the work of any group, whatever it may be, so long as it brings about healing, must be recognized as worth while.

Dr. Peebles traced the development of the present modes of chiropractic therapy, and made a number of recommendations to the association for work to be followed in the future.

A basic law which is essentially fair to all schools of practitioners, he declared, must be secured. Along this line, he urged that the association strive for higher standards in its chiropractic school, so that in all ways it will compare favorably with any medical school in the amount of preparation necessary for entrance and the work required for graduation.

School Support Asked. With this in mind, he recommended that every member stand behind the school and give it full support. He detailed the advance made in the school during the past years, and expressed confidence in its future.

Third, he recommended that the association continue its policy of confining its efforts to its own advancement, rather than adopting that of criticism of others.

Ethics Code Urged. Last, he recommended that the national code of ethics of chiropractic be officially adopted by the state association. This code includes among other things a statement of the responsibility of the doctor to consider first and above all the needs of the patient, to refrain from undignified and misleading forms of advertisement, and to assure only such patients as are qualified.

EARTH TREMBLES AT BAKERSFIELD

THREE DISTINCT SHOCKS FELT; NO DAMAGE RESULTS

Dishes Rattle and Chandeliers Swing; Auto Drivers Feel Tremors

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., July 7.—(AP)—An earthquake coming in three distinct shocks in rapid succession, was felt in Bakersfield and at other points in Kern county at 4:47 this afternoon. The tremors were also felt in the Kern river oil fields, six miles north, and at Fellows in the northwest, it was reported by L. E. Foust, superintendent of the Associated Oil company.

The shock in Fellows, 50 miles northwest of here, was pronounced, but the quake was not noticed at McKittrick, a few miles north of Fellows, according to information received by the oil company official.

Dishes rattled, chandeliers swung back and forth, and some buildings shook as if hit by a truck, according to reports. In the Kern river oil fields, no damage was reported, and many persons did not notice the shock.

One freak of the quake, was the shattering of a heavy soda from a parking place downtown for 15 feet along the curb.

Several automobile drivers felt the shock as if an impact had been received from another machine in the rear.

WAR OF WORDS NOW FORESEEN

STIFF CONTROVERSY AMONG EDUCATORS EXPECTED

Resolution Urging Popular Choice Education Boards May Evoke Fire Among Teachers

SEATTLE, July 7.—(AP)—A proposed resolution urging popular election of state, county and city boards of education on non-partisan ballots tonight gave indications of furnishing a controversy in the closing sessions of the National Education association convention, here.

The resolution, generally regarded as having been inspired by an address of Dr. Henry Suzzallo, former president of the University of Washington, will be presented to the association by the resolutions committee at one of the final meetings tomorrow.

In addition to recommending election, rather than appointment of educational boards, the resolution "deposes" the passage of laws which direct that certain subjects shall or shall not be taught in the public schools.

Opposition to the first plank has been expressed by several delegates, who recall that Dr. Suzzallo was removed as head of the university by an appointive board of regents. Passage of the resolution, in the opinion of those opposed to it, would constitute "meddling in Washington state politics."

In today's session the delegates cast their ballots for officers to the association. Miss Cornelia S. Adair, of Richmond, Va., was named president; Henry Lester Smith, of Bloomington, Ind., treasurer and Dr. Francis G. Blair, retiring president, was selected as first vice president. All were unopposed.

Selection of the 1928 convention city, with Minneapolis virtually assured of it, will be made late tomorrow by the directors of the association. More than 8000 delegates are attending the convention here.

ONE IN FIVE HAS CAR

Total of 27,650,267 Automobiles Operating in World

WASHINGTON, July 7.—(AP)—The United States has one automobile in operation for each five of its citizens, the automobile division of the department of commerce announced today, basing its figures on a recent survey.

Statistics for the world as a whole, showed 27,650,267 machines in operation at the beginning of the year, or one for each 66 population.

In Canada and Hawaii, there is one machine to each 11 of population, while New Zealand has one to twelve, Australia and Denmark one to 17, Great Britain, 1 to 43; Argentina, 1 to 45, and France 1 to 46.

CHILEAN CADETS KILLED

Military Students on Way to Celebration Involved in Wreck.

BUENOS AIRES, July 7.—(AP)—Many cadets of the Chilean military academy, on their way to Buenos Aires to take part in the ninth of July Independence day celebration, were killed or injured when their special train collided with a regular passenger train today at Alpataca, Mendoza, a station on the Pacific railway.

MRS. HARTLEY INJURED

Washington Governor's Wife Hurt in Automobile Crash

SEATTLE, July 8.—(AP)—Mrs. Roland H. Hartley, wife of the governor of Washington, was injured in an automobile accident eleven miles south of Seattle, late last night. She was brought to a hospital here early today.

EXPLOSION KILLS SIX

Property Damage in Brussels Blow-up Believed Slight.

BRUSSELS, July 7.—(AP)—Six persons were killed in an explosion in a dynamite factory today at Arendonck, near Turnhout. The property damage was slight.

BYRD MAPS OUT GREAT PROGRAM OF AIR FLIGHTS

Flier Expects to Explore South Pole, Arabia, and Brazilian Jungles

PRAISE STILL UNABATED

Compliments Continue to Fall on Atlantic Conquerors; Expect To Start Home Tuesday on Leviathan

PARIS, July 7.—(AP)—Unaffected by the near tragedy of his trans-Atlantic trip, Commander Richard E. Byrd already has considered tentatively plans for aviation efforts even more spectacular. The south pole, Brazil's wide jungles and the Arabian desert, are included in areas which will bear the thrust of his propeller if the "program" of the America's skipper is followed.

Will Devote Many Years. The next seven or eight years would be devoted to these comprehensive schemes for aerial exploration of the less known sections of the world.

Meantime Byrd and his companion fliers keep up unabated the strenuous life demanded of public idols. Today they had lunch at that place, dinner somewhere else, and attended receptions in between times. They listened to thousands of words of praise from many tongues, cheers from tens of thousands of throats, and as they went along following their program they collected compliments and kisses, medals of bronze, silver and gold.

Leave Tuesday. Tomorrow will be their last full day in Paris. They are leaving

DUBY MAILS RESIGNATION

Highway Commissioner States Retirement Not Requested

BAKER, Ore., July 7.—(AP)—William Duby, chairman of the Oregon state highway commission, will mail his resignation to Governor I. L. Patterson tonight, effective when his successor is named. Duby stated that Governor Patterson had not requested his resignation, and had expressed no desire for a change. Duby was appointed to the commission by Governor Walter M. Pierce, April 19, 1923, and was elected chairman at once.

CHURCH DRINKING CITED BY YOUTHS

KANSAS BAPTIST TESTIFIES TEMPLE USED AS CLOAK

Young Peoples' Union Hears Delegate Say "Girls Tempt Boys to Drink"

PHILADELPHIA, July 7.—(AP)—Instances of drinking in church and among young churchgoers were cited tonight by delegates to the convention of the Baptist Young Peoples' Union of America, after prohibition had been defended by Congressman Grant M. Hudson of Michigan, as having brought about improved conditions.

The discussion took place in an open forum on law enforcement. Congressman Hudson had urged the young people to work against the election of "wets" to any public office.

"In our church, the west side branch Baptist church," asserted Edgar R. May, Kansas City, "we discovered not only that many of the young folks were catering to evil for financial purposes and using the church as a cloak, but that a drinking party was held in the basement of the church building."

"I made a tour of the southern states and when in Savannah, was introduced to young people supposed to be the elevating group in the Baptist church. I went on a party with them. I saw a young lady smoking cigarettes and another stirring a punch-bowl that had everything in it but punch. "When I refused to drink and smoke I was unable to secure a 'date' with any of the girls. The

VESSEL AWAITS HELP

Steamer Crescent City Grounded Off Santa Cruz Coast

SANTA CRUZ, Cal., July 7.—(AP)—The steamer Crescent City which went ashore four miles north of here this morning, was waiting tonight for tugs from San Francisco to pull it off the sand where it had been resting all day. The vessel and men are reported out of danger.

WOMAN PLEADS GUILTY

"Prophetess of Doom" Admits Assault on Fellow Pastor

LOS ANGELES, July 7.—(AP)—Mrs. Margaret Rowan, called the "prophetess of doom," after her prediction several years ago, that the world would come to an end, today pleaded guilty to assaulting Dr. B. E. Fuller, a fellow minister.

Dr. Fuller charged that the religious leader, with several colleagues sought to kill him because of church differences of several years standing.

COOLIDGE HEARS MEXICO REPORT

AMBASSADOR SHEFFIELD REPORTS TO PRESIDENT

U. S. Attitude Toward Oil and Land Laws Unchanged Says Sheffield

RAPID CITY, S. D., July 7.—(AP)—A first hand report on the troubled relations between the United States and Mexico, was given to President Coolidge at the Summer White House today by James R. Sheffield, ambassador to Mexico, but details were withheld pending further conversations.

The ambassador had indicated before departing from Rapid City to be a guest at the state game lodge, that in his opinion, there would be no change in the American attitude toward the Mexican oil and land laws.

Pressed for a statement regarding frequent rumors that he intended to resign, Mr. Sheffield declined to comment, saying that he would not discuss the Mexican situation in any way until he had conferred with Mr. Coolidge.

Reaching Rapid City shortly after midnight, the ambassador was driven immediately to the summer White House and retired without seeing the president. He arose just before Mr. Coolidge left for the executive offices, remaining in seclusion until the president's return at noon, when the two held their first conference.

At the executive offices, it was stated that some time before Mr. Sheffield's visit is over, he will make some announcement regarding his future plans and his impressions of the Mexican problems.

Aside from his conference with the ambassador, the first on foreign affairs he has had since his summer residence, Mr. Coolidge put in a busy morning at his desk and with Mrs. Coolidge, inspected the Rapid City Indian school—a government institution.

There he saw how the native American is being tutored in the ways of the white man, and was presented with a peace pipe of cherry wood, decorated gaily in beads, porcupine quills and buckskin.

DIES OF BROKEN NECK

Physicians Believe Honolulu Aviator Wasn't Drowned

HONOLULU, July 7.—(AP)—Lieutenant Charles Linton Williams, whose plane dived into the ocean yesterday as he was circling the liner Maui, probably died of a broken neck, and not by drowning. In the opinion of physicians here the impact of Williams' plane traveling 105 miles an hour, against the water would be fatal.

FIRE DESTROYS BEDDING PLANT DAMAGE \$30000

Stock and Machinery Total Loss; Blaze Breaks Out Second Time

STARTS SPONTANEOUSLY

Valuable Stock of Mattresses Gone; Office Records Only Thing Saved; Loss Partly Insured; Will Rebuild

Fire yesterday afternoon completely destroyed the plant of the Capital City Bedding company, at 1190 N. Capitol street, with a total loss of over \$30,000.

The flames were said to have started from "spontaneous" combustion in a picking machine, about 3:30, and were almost extinguished by the efforts of employees using a small hose and chemical extinguisher, before the arrival of the fire engines.

Breaking out of control, however, the flames quickly filled the frame building, with its extremely inflammable contents. Nothing was saved except the company's books and valuable papers.

The blaze was spectacular, with flames and smoke rolling high into the air. For a time several neighboring houses were threatened, and a building belonging to the Gowen and Ritchie service station was slightly damaged, but firemen and volunteers succeeded in keeping the flames' confined largely to the main plant of the bedding company.

Mattress Stock Lost. A \$20,000 stock of mattresses was completely destroyed, as was all the machinery, including a recently installed filling machine costing \$6,000, and other equipment valued at \$2,000. The building was valued at about \$3,500. The loss is covered partly by insurance, the owners said.

The Capital City Bedding company is owned by E. W. Muller and D. Poulin, and has employed a force of eight workers.

Building operations will start immediately to replace the plant, Mr. Poulin said, and every attempt will be made to catch up with orders as soon as possible.

The fire department was somewhat hampered by the fact that the closest hydrant was over a block distant. Three machines responded to the alarm.

REVOLUTION THWARTED

Arms and Ammunition Seized From Vessel About to Leave.

NEW YORK, July 7.—(AP)—The seizure of 350 rifles and 100,000 rounds of ammunition in a raid on a dingy little steamer about to warp out from an East river pier for ports in the Caribbean sea today, convinced federal agents that another Central American revolution had been "nipped in the bud."

Acting on a last minute tip, the government agents rushed to the dock and found the munitions secreted on board the freighters. Bales labeled "hardware" yielded the rifles, and the ammunition was found in the bales listed as "cotton batting."

DREW WEAKENS SLOWLY

Will Live Through Night Though Recovery Not Expected

SAN FRANCISCO, July 8.—(AP)—John Drew, 73, noted actor, who has been ill in a hospital here since May 31, slept most of the time today, and seemed weaker than he was yesterday. Dr. Lawrence Hoffman, attending physician, said tonight that the stage veteran was expected to live through the night, however, although hope for recovery had been practically abandoned.

REELECTED GRAND CHIEF

Alvanley Johnston Chosen Again to Head Locomotive Union

CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 7.—(AP)—Alvanley Johnston, grand chief engineer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the senior officer of the brotherhood under a reorganization plan, was unanimously reelected for a term of six years at the triennial convention, here tonight.

FORD DEPLORES INJURY TO JEWS

EXPRESSES REGRET FOR DEARBORN STATEMENTS

Detroit Manufacturer Says So-called Protocols Exploded as Forgeries

NEW YORK, July 7.—(AP)—The New York American in a copyrighted article says a Henry Ford has ordered the Dearborn Independent "to discontinue permanently all articles hostile to the Jewish people," has withdrawn from publication the pamphlet in which such items were being distributed and in a signed statement, has expressed deep regret for any injury or hurt caused by the series.

Mr. Ford's statement, according to the American, includes the announcement that "henceforth the Dearborn Independent will be conducted under such auspices that articles reflecting upon the Jews will never again appear in its columns."

"Let me add," this version of the statement concludes "that this statement is made on my own initiative, and wholly in the interest of right and justice and in accordance with what I regard as my solemn duty as a man and as a citizen."

The Detroit manufacturer was quoted as being "deeply mortified that this journal has been made the medium for resurrecting exploded fictions, for giving currency to the so-called protocols of the wise men of Zion, which have been demonstrated, as I learn to be gross forgeries, and for contending that the Jews have been engaged in a conspiracy to control the industries and capital of the world."

"Had I appreciated even the general nature, to say nothing of the details of these articles," Mr. Ford is quoted as declaring, "I would have forbidden their circulation without a moment's hesitation, because I am fully aware of the virtues of the Jewish people as a whole, of what they and their ancestors have done for civilization and for mankind, of their benevolence and their unselfish interest in the public welfare."

DETROIT, July 7.—(AP)—William J. Cameron, editor of the (Continued on Page 5.)

WILL TRY 3 TOGETHER

Motion to Quash Indictments in Adams Murder Case Denied

BENTON, Ill., July 7.—The prosecution today leaped over the second big legal hurdle placed in its way by defense attorneys of Charles Birger, gang leader, and two fellow gangsters, Art Newman and Ray Hyland, on trial here for the murder of Mayor Joe Adams of West City.

Circuit Judge C. H. Miller ruled late today, that the trio must be tried together, after Birger and Newman had each asked severance. Judge Miller, yesterday, overruled motions to quash the indictment.

PINS NOTE TO DEAD MAN

Prosperous Farmer Found Murdered; Believe Maniac Guilty

ROCKVILLE, Md., July 7.—(AP)—Edward L. Mills, a prosperous dairy farmer was murdered today by a stranger who took time to pin a note to the body before escaping.

The paper was written in the form of a possible confession intended for Mills' signature. It was to the effect that he had been friendly with a married woman. The note contained no names and police are of the opinion that the slayer was a maniac.

PAPER SALE CONFIRMED

Atlanta Constitution Purchased by Colonel Luke Lea

ATLANTA, Ga., July 7.—(AP)—Verification of report of sale of the Atlanta Constitution to Colonel Luke Lea, owner and publisher of the Nashville Tennessean, and Rogers Caldwell of Nashville, who with Leg recently acquired the Commercial Appeal and the Memphis Evening Appeal, was made here tonight.

"CONNIE" TO FILE SUIT

Popular Film Star Will Seek Divorce From Captain Husband.

LOS ANGELES, July 7.—(AP)—The Examiner says Constance Talmadge, film star, twice disappointed in foreign marriages, will file suit for a divorce soon against Captain Alaster McIntosh, formerly of the British army and native of Scotland.

JAPANESE SEEK HEAVY TONNAGE OF SUBMARINES

Long Stretches Island Empire Need Protection Asserts Admiral

70,000 TON TOTAL ASKED

Demand Will Be Considered Probably in Formal Session Today; Concession May Be Made to Nippon.

GENEVA, July 7.—(AP)—Having lost her battle for the right to build an unlimited number of small submarines—"the wasps that sting"—Japan now has put forward a demand for a considerably increased total tonnage of submarines, for the construction of which she asks authorization under the projected tri-partite naval treaty.

Only private conferences took place today, but a formal meeting of the delegation has been called for tomorrow.

Tonnage Fixed. The American delegation proposed to the conference that the submarine tonnage for the United States and Great Britain be fixed at from 60,000 to 90,000, and that of Japan from 36,000 to 54,000.

Admiral Saito says he wants 70,000 tons of submarine for Nippon, because of the long stretches of Japan's island empire, and the necessity of defending the coast against invading warships. Japan, therefore, asks 34,000 more tons than contained in the American minimum proposal, and is clearly seeking a higher proportion of submarines than the 5-5-3 ratio established at Washington for capital ships.

Will Be Discussed. This demand will be taken as a basis in the discussion of the submarine question, and presumably Japan will be given some satisfaction in his direction.

In giving a new angle to the naval discussions, Japan has reverted to the declaration she had made on the opening day of the conference, that the status quo should be the basis of any arrangement at Geneva and that none of the powers should adopt the building program or acquire ships for the purpose of increasing their naval strength.

On this basis Japan estimates the British naval strength in cruisers and destroyers at 475,000 tons. She suggests that 450,000 (Continued on page 5.)

DROUHIN CHOSEN FOR OCEAN TRIP

FRENCH ACE WILL PILOT COLUMBIA TO AMERICA

Charles Levine Will Go Along as Passenger; Plans About Completed

PARIS, July 7.—(AP)—Charles Levine announced tonight that Maurice Drouhin, noted French flier has been selected to fly the Columbia to America, and had accepted. Levine will go as a passenger.

Clarence Chamberlin, Drouhin and Levine will fly to Cr6yden, England, tomorrow afternoon, so that Chamberlin can show Drouhin how to pilot the ship and enlighten him on certain of its peculiarities.

Drouhin does not speak English, but the owner of the Bellanca plane said he was taking a pocket dictionary with him for the trip, so he could keep up communication with the French pilot.

Maurice Drouhin is one of France's leading commercial aviators. He has been planning for a considerable time a Paris to New York flight and it was announced only a few days ago, that he was about ready for the attempt.

Drouhin was born in Paris in 1891. Three times he held the world's flight duration record, losing it a few months ago to Clarence D. Chamberlin and Bert Acosta.

On Wednesday, Drouhin had a long conference with Commander Byrd, from whom he got all possible information on routes, air currents and phenomena observed on Byrd's trans-Atlantic flight.

