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SLACK PERIOD AT CANNERIES WILL BE BRIEF

Raspberries and Cherries
Nearing End, Loganberry
Supply Smaller

PEARS COMING IN NEXT

Shipments from Medford Will Arrive Sunday, Says Dispatch; Slight Hiatus for Canneries Taking Pears

The Salem canneries are pretty busy yet; on loganberries, black and red raspberries and Royal Ann and black cherries. But the end of the cherry crop is very close, and so is the black raspberry supply, and the tonnage of red raspberries is shading off fast. There will be some loganberries for a number of days yet. But the supply is diminishing each day.

Robert Paulus of the Paulus Bros. Packing company said last night that the tonnage of loganberries of the men supplying their cannery will not be more than 65 per cent of their early estimates.

What Next? There may be a few days or several days, of slackness in the Salem canneries between the end of the loganberry crop and the beginning of the evergreen blackberry crop. But there will not be much of a hiatus for the canneries that will put up a large pear pack. Dispatches from Medford yesterday said the shipment of pears to California and Willamette valley canneries will begin about the 15th. That means Sunday; next day after tomorrow.

Small Pack of Blacks The indications now are for a rather light pack of evergreen blackberries. There will be a large crop, including the berries from the wild vines. The prices for the wild berries may be so low, however, that not many pickings after the first supply will be made—not many after the berries on the vines begin to grow small.

The supply of evergreens will start soon after the beginning of the harvesting of the pear crop. This means Bartlett pears, of course. The Medford dispatch refers to Bartlett pears, too. The ripening of the Bartletts in the Willamette valley comes a little later than in the Rogue River valley, in which Medford is located. Prune canning will come on not very far behind the beginning of the arrival of the evergreen blackberries.

LOCAL CONCERN GETS T. B. JOB

BARHAM BROS. BID \$94,000 ON STATE HOSPITAL

Anderson-Van Patton, Also of Salem, Get General Work on Printery

Of the 12 bids submitted to the state board of control for construction of the proposed state tuberculosis hospital at The Dalles, that of Barham Brothers of Salem was the most satisfactory. The local concern's figure was \$94,000, just \$30,000 less than the highest bid of \$124,000. Bids were opened here yesterday.

The M. J. Walsh Electric company of Portland, with a bid of \$5818, was low for the electrical work.

Hastorf-Lord, Inc., of Portland, submitted the low combined bid of \$21,990 for the plumbing and heating.

The bids did not include refrigeration and electric light fixtures. Members of the board of control said the combined bids were \$10,000 under the architect's estimate. A bid of \$48,669, submitted by Anderson and Van Patton of Salem, for the general construction of the Steiner and Jarman building which is to house the state printing office and state motor vehicle department, was approved by the board of control.

The Koff Electric company of Salem, with a bid of \$2292, was low on the electrical work.

Joseph Barnard of Salem submitted the low combined bid for heating and plumbing. Under a contract entered into between the owners of the building and the state board of control, the state can take over the structure at any time.

Contracts for the new buildings probably will be awarded early next week. Mrs. Emma Murphy Brown with a bid of \$118, received the contract for erecting a play shed at the state home for the deaf. The new state tuberculosis hospital will be three and four stories high and of reinforced concrete construction. It will have a capacity of 75 beds.

MINISTERS STAR AS BACKSLIDERS

32 MAKE ASCENT OF MOUNT HOOD; ONE FROM SALEM

Turner Youth Turns Back, Caught by Avalanche but Escapes Injury

A party of Oregon preachers made the Mount Hood climb on Wednesday. There were 39 in the party of ministers that made the start, including three women and 32 reached the top of the mountain, including three women, a minister's wife, a minister's sister, and a friend.

The start was made from the Legion camp at 20 minutes to 10 in the morning, and the party arrived back to this camp at 20 minutes to 4 in the afternoon. Just 12 hours for the round trip.

Salem Man Along Two Crag Rats from Hood River gave their services as guides.

Mr. Jesse, a young man from Turner, Oregon, having attempted the climb and not being able to hold out, turned back and was struck by an avalanche which sent him sprawling for five to 10 feet towards a glacier; but he righted himself and suffered no injury.

Clark Aydelott, assistant minister of the first Christian church of Salem, was one of the 32 who reached the summit. The weather was cold in the wind. In the wind breaks, it was hot, in the blinding snow. His eyes were badly sunburned, despite the usual precautions.

The Bride and Groom On the summit, they found the bride and groom of a few days, and gave them congratulations, and best wishes and appropriate yells. The groom is the forest reserve lookout on the mountain top, and the bride was Miss Eva Taylor, New York school teacher, before their wedding a few days ago on the summit of the snow-capped peak. The love match began there. They told the party of ministers that they have not been at all lonely. They served tea, made on an oil stove, to the members of the party, as is their custom.

Enjoyed the Trip Every member of the party enjoyed the trip, though some of them were about "all in" when they arrived back at camp. For their midday meal, each one was provided with an orange and a Hershey chocolate bar. Not sumptuous, but relished.

Even preachers climbing Mount Hood may become big game. Most of the members of this party did. At safe places, they slid down sections of the mountain, on the return trip.

The bride couple will spend the summer at the top of the mountain, the groom on his regular duties, and the bride as companion and helper, and hostess to the parties that venture the climb to the highest point in the state of Oregon.

SCOUTS DENY REPORTS

Campaign Against Feminine Smoking Not Contemplated

NEW YORK, July 12.—(AP)—The Boy Scouts of America today disavowed any attempt to use Boy Scouts in a campaign against feminine smoking by women, and in a letter to the Cleveland Scout council, expressed regret that such a campaign would be undertaken.

A resolution recently adopted by the Cleveland council, voiced strong disapproval of an advertising campaign it characterized as a "Seductive effort to entice America's girlhood to the habit of smoking." Cleveland Scout officials indicated that Scouts would be asked to approach women smoking in public and request them to stop.

James E. West, chief Scout executive, today wrote in a letter to F. A. Rowe, president of the Cleveland council, inviting his attention "to the fact that it is not within the province of a local or national council to take any action in a matter of this character, involving as it does misunderstanding of the real aims and purposes of the Boy Scout movement."

MOTHER OF 17 DIVORCED

Tired of Living With Brutal Husband, Mrs. Fregin Says

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 12.—(AP)—After bearing 17 children in 20 years of married life, Mrs. Anna Fregin of Milwaukee wants a divorce from her husband, Hans.

Fourteen of the Fregin children are living at home with their parents, their ages ranging from two to 19. Two are dead.

The husband is a cabinet maker, and although he makes \$150 a month, Mrs. Fregin does not complain that it is too little to care for 17 children. Her sole reason for desiring a divorce, according to her petition, is her husband's alleged brutality.

REJOICING IN MOSCOW

Whole City Enthusiastic Over Rescues by Icebreaker

SIGHT BY RADIO ACCOMPLISHED IN LABORATORY

Day When Device Will Be Commonly Used Now Declared Very Near

IDEA HELD PRACTICABLE

Improved Television Images Made Clear as Moving Pictures on Screen of Theater, Report Says

NEW YORK, July 12.—(AP)—The day when radio owners will be able to tune in on sporting events and other happenings of interest in any part of the country and see them, instead of merely hearing an announcer's description has moved one step closer.

The Bell telephone laboratories today demonstrated the first practical television apparatus which shows several full length figures as they move about an area roughly the size of a boxing ring. Previously television had been restricted to recording no more than a head and shoulders.

At today's demonstration a man served tennis balls, drove a golf ball, boxed with a companion and went through other motions on the laboratories roof, and on another floor every action was shown in perfect detail on a screen about two inches by three.

Defect Said Slight The television images were as clear as the movies and were marred only by what seemed to be a thin sheet of water moving slowly upward across the picture.

The fact that the electric eye of the television scans its field through holes in a revolving disc. Increase in the number of these holes, or adjustment of their position, they believed, would eliminate the trouble.

The new television makes use of sunlight in picking up the image it transports instead of the powerful beam of artificial light previously used, which had to be so strong that it was uncomfortable for the subjects of the experiment.

An improved photo-electric cell far more sensitive than those used before, made operation by sunlight possible.

Whether the improved apparatus could operate with Kilg lights such as the movies use, but which have not been tried yet but engineers today saw no difficulty in the way of such an adaptation.

Bell laboratories officials declined to make any prediction as to the future developments or applications of the invention but acknowledged that the developments demonstrated today illustrated the continued interest of their engineers in television as something worth working on.

STATE G. O. P. TO MEET

Twenty-Five Counties to Be Represented at Portland

PORTLAND, July 12.—(AP)—Representatives from about 25 of the state's counties will be on hand here tomorrow when the republican state committee is called to order to organize for the coming campaign. Proxies for the remaining counties will be carried by some of the committeemen.

The meeting will elect officers and there appears to be no opposition to the incumbents. Chairman Metchan will be renamed and Floyd Cook of Medford will be retained as secretary. Willis Clark will be continued as treasurer. The executive committee will be selected from the general state committee, probably by Chairman Metchan.

SEEK BIRTHPLACE OF MANKIND IN AFRICAN DESERT



Three Americans are leading an expedition into the Kalahari Desert of South Africa in search of the cradle of the human race. They are, left to right, Dr. W. J. Cameron, Dr. C. Ernest Cadell, and Prof. Richard L. Mammen. At the right is a primitive Kalahari bushman making fire with two sticks.

VALUE OF PEST CONTROL SHOWN

GOVERNOR WELCOMES PLANT QUARANTINE BOARD

Representatives of 11 States and Hawaii, Canada, Mexico in Salem

Appreciation of the work that is being done in preventing the spread of plant diseases, was expressed by Governor I. L. Patterson Thursday afternoon in his address of welcome to the members of the Western Plant Quarantine board in the opening session of their annual conference in the hall of representatives at the state capitol.

This work is comparatively new in Oregon, yet with an extremely small appropriation available, the potato bug was wiped out several years ago. The board of horticulture was not so fortunate in its war on the earwig, being handicapped by lack of funds, whereas with a sufficient appropriation many thousands of dollars could have been saved, the governor related.

Charles A. Park, president of the Oregon state board of horticulture, responded to the governor's address of welcome.

Representatives of eleven western states, British Columbia, Mexico and Hawaii, are in attendance at the conference. Wives of several of the delegates are also here, and special entertainment was planned for them. The visitors were all guests at the Elsinore theater last night.

The Thursday afternoon session was devoted to receiving reports from representatives of the various districts represented. Addressed on a number of vital topics are scheduled for today's sessions, both morning and afternoon. The business meeting will be Saturday morning.

That afternoon a trip will be taken to Clatskanie, the delegates visiting the state college.

CHINESE STAGE MUTINY

23 Ship Workers Become Troublesome at San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 12.—(AP)—A mutiny yesterday of 23 Chinese, members of the crew of the Panama mail liner Venezuela, at its dock here was reported today in a coast guard report.

It was said the Chinese refused to work or leave the vessel during a dispute over wages with the captain, Chester Gilbert and his officers. The Chinese consul general was called in to arbitrate. He told the men to go back to work.

The report said one went back to work but the other 22 attacked the consul general, beating him severely. Special police and coast guard officers subdued the Chinese.

YOUNG CHILDREN KILLED

Two Kiddies, Brother and Sister Die in Auto Crash

RED BLUFF, Cal., July 12.—(AP)—Viola Judith, 8, and her brother Wesley, 5, recently brought here from Yakima, Wash., by their father, Ben Judith, were killed today when an automobile driven by their uncle, Gus Jans, was struck by the Southern Pacific's Cascade limited at a crossing three miles south of here.

Jans and his wife leaped from the machine after it stalled on the track in front of the train. Police said railroad workmen declared the uncle and aunt made no effort to save the children.

The authorities said Judith and his wife separated the woman, keeping one of their three children. Judith arrived here with the other last Monday, and obtained work in a factory.

FLYER READY TO CROSS

Lieutenant Paris Going as Far as Brest Today, Word

PARIS, July 12.—(AP)—Lieut. Louis Jerome Paris, who purposed to fly seaplane to the United States, will take off at 4 a. m. Friday for Brest. He expects to leave Brest for the Azores on Sunday.

GERMANS GIVE PEACE TREATY ENDORSEMENT

First of 14 Nations to Whom Invitations Sent by United States

ACCEPT REVISED DRAFT

Favorable Reply From France Also Anticipated Within Next Few Days, Word at Washington Indicates

WASHINGTON, July 12.—(AP)—Germany's unqualified acceptance of the revised draft of the American multi-lateral treaty for renunciation of war was communicated to Secretary Kellogg today in form in which it was submitted to 14 countries by Kellogg on June 23.

The German acceptance is the first to be received. Secretary Kellogg is awaiting answers from the other nations, including Great Britain and France who would be the original signatories of the war pact under the American program which developed out of exchanges with Paris during the last twelve months. Germany likewise was first on the four nations originally invited into the negotiations to signify readiness to conclude a pact in accordance with the United States' proposal.

"The German government has examined with the greatest care the contents of the June (June 23) and the revised draft of the pact which was enclosed," said the reply. "The government is pleased that the standpoint of the government of the United States of America as set forth in the note corresponds with the fundamental German conception as it was communicated in the note of April 27, 1928 (the original proposal)."

The German government also agreed to the changes in the preamble of the draft of the pact. "It is therefore pleased to be able to state that it takes cognizance of the statements made by the government of the United States of America contained in your excellency's note of June 23, that it agrees to the interpretation which is given therein to the provision of the proposed pact and that it is accordingly ready to sign this pact in the form now proposed."

A favorable reply from France will be handed to American Ambassador Herrick in Paris within a few days, probably on July 14, which is Bastille day, the French Ambassador, Paul Claudet, informed Secretary Kellogg late today. The Ambassador said the reply would be an acceptance of the explanations and interpretations of the proposed treaty contained in the secretary's note of

CARRANZA STARTS BACK

Mexican Good Will Flyer Takes Off Unexpectedly

ROOSEVELT, FIELD, N. Y., July 12.—(AP)—Captain Emilio Carranza, Mexico's good will flyer, took off tonight for return flight to Mexico City. He expected to reach his destination in 27 hours.

The Mexican ace made a secret take-off at 7:18 p. m. and only after a run of about half a mile down the runway.

The plane rose easily with 390 gallons of fuel, one of the heaviest loads a ship has ever carried along the historic Roosevelt Field runway. Those at the field said the weather was ideal for flying.

Carranza had announced a short time before he left that the take-off would be postponed, but when the field was cleared of spectators he climbed into the cabin, shook hands with the three who saw him go, and bade New York good bye.

NORRIS REFUSES FARMER TICKET

BOTH MAJOR PARTIES NEVER- THELESS CRITICISED

Present Convention System Declared to Deprive People of Voice in Election

WASHINGTON, July 12.—(AP)—Senator Norris of Nebraska declined today to accept the nomination for president given him last night by the farmer labor party at its Chicago convention. He rejected it in a long statement in which he criticized the presidential election machinery and continued his attack on "the power trust."

The senator declared his refusal was not to indicate that he was out of sympathy with those who are opposed to the presidential nominees of the major political parties. Instead he said, the "antiquated and illogical system of electing a president made it practically impossible for the people to elect any one who has not been nominated by one of the dominant political parties."

Much of the statement concerned what he called "the power trust" and the senator also arraigned both the republican and democratic parties for remaining "as silent as the grave upon the subject."

He described the question as one of paramount importance, and charged that the "power trust" was sufficiently strong to prevent action on the Muscle Shoals and Boulder dam projects.

"When special privilege controls machinery of both of these political organizations," he declared, "the people are practically excepted to express a choice between two evils."

"This system," he said, "must continue to grow even worse until the people become sufficiently aroused to demand that they have a direct voice and vote in the election of a chief magistrate. We lack one of the essential elements of a real democracy when we deprive citizens of our country of the right to vote directly for the president. . . . There is no way under our system by which the people can express their choice in a presidential contest."

"They vote for presidential electors and to run an independent candidate for president or to organize a new political party in order to contest it is necessary to organize and select hundreds of thousands of voters."

SETTLE AGAIN GRILLS HOOVER

G. O. P. NOMINEE ASKED TO "RECOGNIZE" PROBLEM

Republican Platform Not Satisfactory, Says Head of Farm Bureau Group

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 12.—(AP)—William H. Settle, president of the Indiana Farm Bureau Federation, today today repudiated the republican platform and called for a new platform to deal with the problem.

The message was sent to Hoover a short time after the directors of the Farm Federation had decided to endorse the nomination of any political party. A resolution, however, advised the Hoosier Agrarians to study the national platforms of both republican and democratic parties before casting their votes in the November election. The resolution then pointed out that the farm plank in the democratic platform was satisfactory and that the plank in the republican platform was unsatisfactory.

"The ten district directors of the Indiana Farm Bureau Federation in session join me in thanking you for the recognition of the telegram I sent you July 6," Settle telegraphed Hoover. "We believe those engaged in agriculture are best qualified to analyze the problems of the great industry. The agricultural plank in the republican platform adopted at Kansas City fails to deal with the problem. In your speech of acceptance August 11, it is our wish that you recognize the problem and outline specifically a solution."

Settle telegraphed Hoover on July 6 requesting his personal opinion on the farm problem. Hoover replied yesterday that he would deal with the subject fully in the August 11th speech.

STAGEHANDS AT WORK

No New Developments in Disagreement Over Contract

No new developments appeared in the disagreement between the management of the Elsinore and Oregon theaters and the stagehands' union Thursday. Although the union had set 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon as the time before which the management must sign the new contract and Geo. D. Guthrie, owner of the theaters, had failed to sign it up to late last night, the stagehands were on duty as usual, it was reported.

SEVEN NOBILE ARCTIC EXPLORERS RESCUED AFTER 6 WEEKS HUNT

Five Men Who Were Left in Leader's Party, Yesterday Put Aboard Russian Ice Breaker Krassin On Its Way Back From Saving Two Members of Hiking Trio

8 NOW TOTAL NUMBER OF CREW

CARRIED BACK FROM ICE FLOES

Radio Report of Situation Sent Out to Waiting World as Expedition Accomplishes Final Purpose Toward Which Efforts Have Been Bent for Nearly Two Months Time

ROME, July 12.—(AP)—The Citta di Milano sent a radio message tonight saying that at 9 p. m. the Russian icebreaker Krassin had taken aboard the Viglieri group of refugees from Nobile's airship, the Italia. An official announcement of the rescue was made.

The Viglieri group of refugees from the polar airship Italia were five men. Their rescue brings to eight the number saved from the crew of 16 aboard the Italia when General Umberto Nobile steered the big dirigible for the north pole on May 25.

Of the others two, Dr. Finn Malmgren and Vincenzo Ponnella, are known to be dead. Six have been missing since the balloon part of the airship sailed away from the wrecked gondola on May 25 and are supposed to be lost.

PROHIS SELECT WILLIAM VARNEY

PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE CHOSEN BY DRY PARTY

Hoover Second With 45 Votes; Al Smith Supported By Two Delegates

CHICAGO, July 12.—(AP)—William F. Varney, New York, today was nominated by the prohibition party as its candidate for the presidency. Varney was declared nominated on the second ballot with 66 votes of 121 cast. Hoover was second in a field of six with 45 votes.

Varney's nomination was declared unanimously by a majority vote of the delegates, despite a demonstration by the minority. On the first ballot, in which Varney received 53 votes, lacking seven of a majority for nomination, and Hoover 42, Governor Alfred E. Smith received two votes.

The democratic candidate's nomination and his subsequent poll of votes precipitated a one-man attack by Delegate Clinton Howard, Rochester, N. Y. Howard marched up and down for four minutes in front of the speaker's platform, shouting, "This is a burlesque! Such actions as this make our party the laughing stock of the nation."

His activity delayed the balloting until a storm of protests from the delegates forced him to sit down. Smith received no votes on the second ballot.

CHICAGO, July 12.—(AP)—The promise of an active speaking campaign in the south in an attempt to gain an alignment of dry forces was made by William F. Varney, Rockville Center, N. Y., presidential candidate of the prohibition party immediately after his nomination today.

NEW YORK, July 12.—(AP)—William F. Varney, nominated for president by the prohibition party in convention in Chicago tonight, has been an active prohibition worker in this city and in New Jersey for many years. In 1919 he was the party's candidate for governor of New Jersey, and at the last gubernatorial election in New York, he declined the party's nomination for governor of New York.

In the ten years that he has lived in Rockville Center, N. Y., he has been active in civic and church work, and has been credited with part of the responsibility for recent raids on Volstead act violators in that vicinity.

Several years ago, while living at Woodbury, N. J., he was credited with inaugurating campaigns that resulted in the closing of 20 saloons in 21 towns. Previous to the passage of the Volstead act he was employed as a campaign speaker by the prohibition party.

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GIRLS GIVEN JAIL BED

Have Only \$2 Left and Over 700 Miles Yet of Journey

Two dollars left and over 700 miles to go—that was the prospect that faced two young women, one from New York City and the other from Springfield, Mass., when they arrived in Salem the other evening on their way to the San Francisco bay region.

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