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The Oregon Statesman

"No Favor Sways Us; No Fear Shall Awe" From the First Statesman, March 28, 1851.

WEATHER
Unsettled today, with probable rains; slightly cooler. Max temperature Tuesday 54; Min. 48; River 1.6; Rain .12; Wind south.

SEVENTY-EIGHTH YEAR, NO. 304

Salem, Oregon, Wednesday Morning, March 6, 1929

PRICE FIVE CENTS

\$2,000,000 IN AUTOS, PLANES TAKEN BY FIRE

Flames Sweep Huge Show Tents; 2500 Persons are Placed in Danger

Wind Fans Flame; Nothing Saved Out of Huge Elaborate Exposition

LOS ANGELES, Mar. 5.—(AP)—Damage estimated at \$2,000,000 or more was done by a fire which swept the automobile show here this afternoon...

Witnesses said that sparks from either an electric wire or an airplane engine set fire to the wing of a monoplane and the tent above was soon burning.

Most of the automobiles lost was covered by insurance, also the airplanes were not so protected.

The most expensive motor car destroyed was a Lincoln Brougham, valued at \$7,900.

TRAFFIC COPS NOW CHASE COW THIEVES

Important among the legislative bills signed by the governor Tuesday was one introduced by the livestock committee...

New Hotel Will Have 60 Stories

NEW YORK, Mar. 5.—(AP)—Plans for a 60 story hotel, the tallest resident structure in the world to cost \$8,000,000 and to be constructed on Columbus circle...

Bossies Eat Mash; Kick Up Heels and Then Turn up Toes

TACOMA, Wash., Mar. 5.—(AP)—The bromide "gas and sunshine will not mix" can be stretched a bit. It now becomes "milk and moonshine will not mix well, either."

Stenogs and Clerks Cost State Large Sum for Session

The expense of employing stenographers and clerks in the senate during the current session of the legislature was \$24,796.50, according to the report of the per diem committee...

MURDER WARRANTS FOR RUM PEDDLERS

Death of 16 From Poisoned Liquor Laid to Two Men and Two Women

PEORIA, Ill., Mar. 5.—(AP)—Two men and two women were named in murder warrants issued today as a 16th person died apparently from the effects of poisoned liquor...

The two couples were ordered held by Coroner William B. Elliott on conclusion of his inquest into the death of Clarence Hoppe.

Testimony disclosed Hoppe had obtained liquor from C. O. Guffin, reputed bootlegger, who was named with his wife, Nita, in one of the warrants.

The other warrant named Maurice Mansfield and his wife, Jesse, who were reported to have provided Guffin with liquor.

PRISON POPULATION AT HIGHEST POINT

With 729 prisoners at the Oregon state penitentiary Tuesday, the highest enrollment mark in the history of that institution was reached...

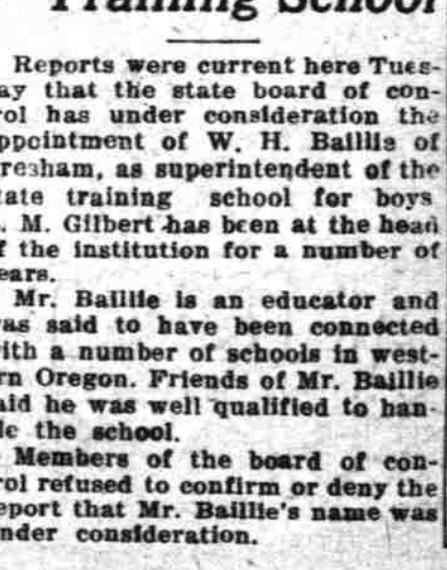
STEAMER STRANDED WORSE THAN EVER

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Mar. 5.—(AP)—Wind and waves were doing their utmost to defeat all efforts to free the stranded transmarine steamer, Sujameco...

Baillie Held As Possible Head of Training School

Reports were current here Tuesday that the state board of control has under consideration the appointment of W. H. Baillie of Gresham, as superintendent of the state training school for boys...

Lindy's Wrecked Plane After Accident



HOOVER'S DAY CROWDED WITH MUCH ACTIVITY

New President Pleased at Senate's Action in Rati-fying Cabinet

Many Delegations Call at Office; Total of 2,444 Hands Shaken

By JAMES L. WEST Associated Press Staff Writer WASHINGTON, Mar. 5.—(AP)—This first day in the presidency was a mighty busy one for Herbert Hoover...

His day's activities, extended all the way from a decision of major policy, that of non-interference with the present regulations regarding the shipments of arms into Mexico...

Between times he touched shoulders with the plain folk who called upon him by the hundreds; received members of the republican national committee in a group; chatted with the governors of several states who were here for the inauguration...

INJUNCTION SUIT'S SOURCE ANNOUNCED

The executive committee of the Oregon state grange is behind the injunction suit brought by W. A. Jones to prevent payment of five dollars per day "expense" money to legislators.

This was disclosed Tuesday night by Mr. Jones, and set at rest a vast number of rumors that have been in circulation ever since Saturday afternoon when the legislature was stirred by service of papers on the state treasurer and secretary.

EAKER TO FLY TO PANAMA ON FRIDAY

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 5.—(AP)—Arrangements for the take off Sunday of Captain Ira C. Eaker, in an attempt to make a dawn-to-dusk flight from Brownsville, Tex., to Panama went ahead here today despite troubled conditions in Mexico.

K. C. Prosecution Brings Hung Jury

LOS ANGELES, March 5.—(AP)—The municipal court jury trying Rev. Robert Shuler for criminal libel in connection with the alleged malicious publication of a spurious Knights of Columbus oath was unable to agree and the case was discharged shortly before 10 o'clock tonight.

Washington Texts Will be Freed of Propaganda Taint

OLYMPIA, Mar. 5.—(AP)—An amendment to the federal income commissioner's propaganda, the Washington inquiry into public utility state senate today passed by a vote of 28 to 10 a bill forbidding the use of textbooks in the schools "containing propaganda used in behalf of private interests."

TEACHERS PLAN TO ELECT NEW LEADERS

Nominations Will be Made at Meeting March 13; Reports Coming

The second open meeting of the year of the Salem Teachers' association will be held Wednesday afternoon, March 13, at the senior high school at 4 o'clock...

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INTERIM GROUPS TO EYE NEW SUBJECTS

Special Committees Take up Matters Pending Session 2 Years Hence

Several interim committees created by the 35th legislative assembly will have subjects of importance to the state to investigate and study during the next biennium. The subjects are: insurance code; state printing of text books; fish code; county salary equalization; administrative reorganization of state government; workmen's compensation code and automobile liability.

7 AMENDMENTS TO BE PUT ON BALLOT

The people of the state will have opportunity at the next general election to pass on seven constitutional amendments submitted by the 35th legislature. These are: a country-wide parking for establishment of a fund to be known as the Soldiers state loan fund. Two amendments permitting classification of property so that motor vehicles can be licensed on their value instead of on their weight. The object is to legalize a plan for reduction of license on old cars.

Publicity Committee for Legion to Tell State of Conclave Here in August

Indications of the prominence which Salem is to achieve throughout the state because of the holding of the department convention of the American Legion here August 8, 9, and 10, were discernible Tuesday night when the convention publicity committee, headed by Frank M. Moore, held its first meeting.

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Happy? 50 Years Prove It



Mr. and Mrs. J. Oliver who celebrated 50 years of married life Monday afternoon and evening at their home, 340 South Win-street. They were married in Jackson county, Ohio March 4, 1879. After 25 years divided between Nebraska, Colorado, and Missouri they came to Oregon and with but one year which was spent in Philomath, they have spent the rest of the 50 years in Salem.

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STRONG DRIVES UNDER WAY TO CRUSH REVOLT

One Campaign Made Against Sonora and Another Against Vera Cruz

Heavy Fighting Reported Near Monterey, Important Railway Center

By The Associated Press The first blood has been shed in Mexican revolution but both federal and insurgent yesterday still were more intent on mobilization and consolidation of positions than upon testing their strength in armed combat.

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