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It's a good world in Oregon. The sunshine is glorious and spring is here. Who couldn't be happy with such a condition.

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SEVENTY-NINTH YEAR, NO. 2

Salem, Oregon, Friday Morning, March 29

WEATHER

Fair and cool today; Northwest wind; Max. temperature Thursday 59; Min. 43; Rain 31; River; Part cloudy; Wind south.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

HUNT FOR EGGS ENLIVENED BY 51 FINE PRIZES

Lions Club Gets Merchants Cooperation in Big Event Sunday

Kiddies From 1 to 12 Eligible for Big Hunt at Fairgrounds

It isn't alone the fun of finding the Easter eggs hidden in the grass on the fairgrounds lawn...

For this year the Lions have added a new feature...

Within the wrapping paper which contains the egg...

Final plans for the event will be discussed at the Lions club luncheon today.

The hunt will open officially at (Turn to Page 2, Column 2.)

\$200,000 POSSIBLE FROM LEGION MEET

McKay Asks Realty Board to Help Put Convention Over

With approximately 20,000 delegates and visitors expected in Salem for the American Legion convention in August...

Mr. McKay's appearance before the realtors was a part of the Legion's visitations to civic organizations to ask their cooperation...

Mr. McKay told of the manner in which the convention is being financed and said because the Legion commission has done for the city...

The commander pointed to the service the Legion has done for the city, and especially the program for the youth...

Oregon Highway Body Will Hold Meeting Today

PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 28.—(AP)—Bids will be opened tomorrow on a number of highway jobs...

The commission of H. B. Vanduzer, chairman of the road group, expires and Governor Peterson will reappoint him for another year...

Among the jobs to be let tomorrow is a section of the central Oregon highway...

AGGIES WIN DEBATE CORVALLIS, Ore., Mar. 28.—(AP)—The Oregon State college debating team defeated the University of Wyoming tonight...

Principals of California are heartily in disagreement with Bishop on the measure...

Background of Tragedy At Monitor Farmhouse Is Not Told at Inquest

Legislature Asks Data on Smoking By College Girls

LANSING, Mich., Mar. 28.—(AP)—A legislative investigation to find out whether there is any truth to a rumor that University of Michigan co-eds smoke cigarettes...

Contents of a well-known brand were mailed recently to hundreds of university students, co-eds and men alike...

CONGRESSMAN NOW IN LIQUOR SCANDAL

Representative Michaelson of Illinois Indicted by Federal Grand Jury

TAMPA, Fla., Mar. 28.—(AP)—The Tampa Tribune will say tomorrow that Congressman M. Alfred Michaelson, of the seventh Illinois district, was indicted last October by a federal grand jury at Jacksonville...

The indictment charges, the newspaper will say, that Michaelson landed at Key West from Havana, his baggage being put through an "expedito order" from Washington...

CHICAGO, Mar. 28.—(AP)—Comment on the indictment of Representative M. Alfred Michaelson of Chicago, congressman from the seventh Illinois district...

MIGHTY ICE GORGE SLOWLY BREAKS UP

BISMARCK, N. D., Mar. 28.—(AP)—After having defied all efforts of army engineers for nearly a week, one of the mightiest ice gorges on record in this section of the Missouri river showed signs of weakening tonight...

This development, O. W. Roberts, federal meteorologist said, indicated that the break up of the gorge had started.

The bill is being sponsored by Assemblyman Roy Bishop, of Alameda county, and is now before the senate for consideration.

California High Schools May be Allowed to Have Frats; Principals Opposed

OAKLAND, Cal., Mar. 28.—(AP)—Branding secret fraternities in high schools as subversive to the principles of democracy which they claim should prevail in the public educational system...

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Mrs. Charles Stetter Declines to Testify on Events Leading up to Dynamite Blast Which Slew Husband and Children

WOODBURN, Mar. 28.—(Special)—When Lucille Stetter, her otherwise pretty face marked by lines of grief at the tragic death of her husband and two children, shook her head with its covering of bobbed brown hair and declined to testify at the coroner's inquest here tonight, the story of the marital difficulties which caused Charles R. Stetter to take his own life and those of Gladys, 6, and Charlie, 4, remained locked in her own troubled memory...

The tragedy occurred at the Stetter home, a quarter of a mile west of Monitor, at 8:45 o'clock this morning.

Martin Jensen Stays Aloft More Than 35 Hours, Beating Thomas

ROOSEVELT FIELD, N. Y., Mar. 28.—(AP)—Martin Jensen set a new solo endurance flight record of 35 hours, 33 minutes and 21 seconds today, beating the time of the late Royal V. Thomas by eight minutes and 21 seconds.

Earlier in the day it was learned that the quarrel which was probably the immediate cause of the tragedy, occurred Tuesday night when Mrs. Stetter, 13 years her husband's junior, wanted to accompany a group of friends to a skating rink in Salem...

GOVERNOR CHARGES BRIBERY OF SOLONS

BATON ROUGE, La., Mar. 28.—(AP)—Governor Huey P. Long struck back today at those who are seeking his impeachment, and added bribery to the charges which have come into the flood light through activities of the Louisiana legislature.

These fresh charges staggered this capital, already agog with sensation over the charges against their governor, who is accused in the sole terms of the impeachment resolution of plotting murder and of eighteen official irregularities, large and small.

BOYS' CONFERENCE WILL START TODAY

Older boys of Marion and Polk counties will meet today at the Y. M. C. A. at 4:30 o'clock for registration for the sixth annual Older Boys' conference.

Ma Kennedy is Reticent About Her Testimony

PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 28.—(AP)—Mrs. Minnie Kennedy, mother of Mrs. Almira Sample McEwen, evangelist, telegraphed members of the assembly board of managers from Seattle tonight that she did not want to go north to take her deposition for use in the impeachment trial of Superior Judge Charles S. Hardy until after other witnesses have testified.

Klamath Indian Is Convicted on Murder Charge

PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 28.—(AP)—Perry John, 26, Klamath Indian, was found guilty today by a jury in federal court of killing William Ward, white, Chiloquin, Ore., logger, on the night of February 6 in the course of a canned heat orgy.

HUGE BLAST OF POWDER, BOMB STORE KILLS 5

One Girl and Three Mexican Soldiers Among Those Losing Lives

CALEXICO, Cal., Mar. 28.—(AP)—Three Mexican soldiers, a German bomb maker and the latter's daughter, were killed late today by the explosion of nine kegs of explosives and thirty aerial bombs stored in a brick ammunition building at the Mexican federal garrison at Mexicali, across the border line.

The soldiers killed were Mexican guards posted at the ammunition building, which was located on the Packard ranch of the Colorado river landing company, five miles east of Mexicali proper.

REBELS PREPARING FOR COUNTER DRIVE

NOGALES, Sonora, Mar. 28.—(AP)—Virtually every motor vehicle on the streets of this city, at least one of them owned by an Arizona firm, were commandeered late today and taken to rebel headquarters for troop transportation to some unannounced destination.

CUNARD LINER RUNS AGROUND OFF COAST

CHELBROUGH, France, Mar. 28.—(AP)—The Cunard anchor liner Transylvania, which went aground outside Cherbourg Harbor early today, was safe in the port of Cherbourg tonight and all her passengers, including many Americans, were en route to various destinations.

STOCKS RALLY STRONGLY AS CALL MONEY GOES DOWN 7 POINTS TO EIGHT PER CENT

NEW YORK, Mar. 28.—(AP)—Call money dropped today from 15 to 8 per cent and the stock market, which had passed through one of the most drastic reactions in its history when the rate was boosted to 20 per cent on Tuesday...

Firm's Official in Law's Toils on Fund Charge

PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 28.—(AP)—Accused in a formal complaint with obtaining money under false pretenses and charged in a civil action with converting to his own use assets and funds of the Oregon Auburn company, in the approximate value of \$10,000, John Gilkysson, 35, small recently secretary-treasurer of the firm, was arrested today.

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Young Herb at Work



Herbert Hoover, Jr., has accepted a place with a Los Angeles airplane transportation company. He is shown at his desk.

Ladd & Bush Has Its 60th Birthday Today; History of Institution is Notable

Bank Started by Asahel Bush Grows to One of Outstanding Finance Firms on Coast; Constructive Policy Pursued

Roll back sixty years of eventful history and today becomes March 29, 1869. A new business is ready to operate in Salem. Without a depositor but with \$50,000 in paid up capital, the new banking firm of Ladd & Bush will open its doors.

RECONSTRUCT THE SCENE! No pavements, no street lights, a scattered town, this now beautiful capital of the state.

ARMY DIRIGIBLE IS SEVERELY DAMAGED

NAVAL AIR STATION, Lakehurst, N. J., Mar. 28.—(AP)—Whirled by a high wind, the army's non-rigid dirigible TC-5, was badly damaged late today in a crash near the Lakehurst railroad station.

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LANZA BRYANT FOUND GUILTY AFTER 6 HOURS

Jury Recommends Sentence of Life Imprisonment; Deliberation Long

CORVALLIS, Ore., Mar. 28.—(AP)—Lanza Bryant, 20, charged with stabbing to death Lewis (Flip) Dickerson, Oregon State grid star, was found guilty of first degree murder tonight by the jury which deliberated more than six hours.

PAUL FARRINGTON FOUND DEAD IN BED

Reporter on Local Paper Sufferer from Nervous Breakdown

Paul Payton Farrington, 31, reporter for the Salem Capital Journal, was found dead in his bed at the Y. M. C. A. about 3:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

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