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WEATHER

Fair and mild today; No change in temperature. Max. temperature Thursday 78; Min. 48; River 1.4; Part cloudy; No rain.

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SEVENTY-NINTH YEAR, NO. 98

FLYER'S LEAP IN PARAGHUTE PROVES FATAL

Nineteen Year Old Lad Lands in Columbia River Due to Strong Wind

Tragedy is Also Reported at Des Moines When Pilot Falls to Ground

PORTLAND, Ore., July 18.—(AP)—The first airplane ride and parachute jump Conrad Blatter, 19, of Kirk, Ore., ever experienced proved to be his last here today as he plunged into the Columbia river from a height of 2500 feet and was drowned.

DES MOINES, July 18. (AP)—Pilot Ross Arnold was killed late today when he fell from the cockpit of the plane "Greater Des Moines," just before it crashed in an attempt to make a refueling contact.

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9 CORPSES TAKEN FROM TRAIN WRECK

Collapse of Trestle Caused by Sudden Flood Brought on by Cloudburst

STRATTON, Colo., July 18.—(AP)—A dry arroyo coursing through the table land three miles west of here, suddenly turned into a raging swirling torrent by a wall of water, occasioned by a rain of cloudburst proportions.

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Probe Of Recent Railway Crashes In Salem Ordered

Public Service Commission Takes Step Upon Own Motion; Hearing Next Tuesday Will Sift Causes of Deaths at Crossings

INQUIRY into the serious accidents which have occurred at railroad crossings in Salem recently, has been called by the public service commission on its own motion for next Tuesday, July 23, according to information received by Fred A. Williams, city attorney.

The hearing will be held at 10 o'clock Tuesday forenoon, and all persons interested in the subject are invited to appear at the commission's offices in the state house. The most serious accident was that which occurred June 16 at the Market street crossing over the Southern Pacific tracks, when Mrs. Charlotte Hardy of Medford suffered injuries which resulted in her death July 2.

The question as to whether warning signals at grade crossings in Salem are adequate will probably be brought up at the hearing, together with an inquiry into the speed at which trains travel in the city. An ordinance was introduced at the last session of the city council proposing to limit trains to 25 miles an hour in the city, but it was brought out at the meeting that an ordinance is already in existence limiting them to ten miles an hour.

STANLEY QUAMME SERIOUSLY INJURED

Woodburn Resident Also is Victim of Accident as Car, Hits Bicycle

Stanley Quamme, 245 West Wilson street, suffered serious injuries of the spine and pelvis when a switch engine bumped into a string of cars on a siding at Liberty and Trade streets early Thursday afternoon, while Mr. Quamme, an employee of the P. E. P. company, was unloading fuel from one of the cars.

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WISNESSES reported that Mr. Mochel, riding down the highway, turned suddenly across to enter Lincoln street, without signaling. The rear wheel of his bicycle was struck by a fender of the car. The injured man was unconscious for several minutes. In addition to the head and chest injuries, his right arm was badly bruised.

Judge Halts Quiz Of Power Firms

NEW YORK, July 18.—(AP)—An investigation of electrical power holding companies instituted by the federal trade commission at the request of congress was checked today by Federal Judge Knox, who ruled that the Electric Bond and Share company need not produce its books in compliance with subpoenas.

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Both President Hoover, who has spent considerable time in China, and Secretary Stimson, who has dealt intimately with far eastern affairs for a number of years, are taking a keen interest in all developments. Official dispatches to the state department

HEARING UPON POWER RIGHTS IS AUGUST 21

Salem's Protest to Come Up for Consideration Before Rhea Luper

Filings in Cascade Region to be Argued, City Attorney Here Told

Hearing on the application of the Northwest Power company for rights to water power on streams and lakes in the North Santiam district, has been scheduled for August 21 by Rhea Luper, state engineer.

NEW KENSINGTON, Pa., July 18.—(AP)—Two men were killed and 11 burned, four seriously tonight in an explosion of bronze powder that wrecked one unit of the plant of the Aluminum company of America, at Logans Ferry near here. In addition to the 11 in hospitals, others were burned but were treated at the scene and sent home.

AMERICAN FARMER TOLD TO ORGANIZE

Federal Board Issues Statement Suggesting Way for Agricultural Aid

WASHINGTON, July 18.—(AP)—The federal farm board sent word to American agriculturists today to organize. In a statement, Chairman Legge and Vice Chairman Stone called on farmers to form a cooperative marketing movement.

INDIANS NOT ALLOWED TO CAST SEINES

ASTORIA, Ore., July 18.—(AP)—The story of how some 50 young Oregon collegians, armed with 12-foot oaken oars, repulsed a raid of 65 fish hungry Indians on the Columbia River Packers association seining grounds at the island tip of Peacock spit sands yesterday was related here today by W. L. Thompson, president of the Columbia River Packers association, who acted as generalissimo for college forces.

STRIKE SITUATION IS STILL AT DEADLOCK

NEW ORLEANS, July 18.—(AP)—The New Orleans street carmen's strike passed its seven-month day in stalemate with union leaders ready to make a major move at an open air mass meeting tonight to consider a general labor sympathetic walk-out.

MINES DEVELOPED IN CASCADE AREA

EUGENE, Ore., July 18.—(AP)—Diversified Mines, Inc., composed of eastern capitalists, purchased a group of claims in the Bohemia gold mining district in the Cascade mountains east of Cottage Grove and extensive development work will start at once. The claims include Musick, Champion, Helena, Sunset Evening Star and are said to be among the richest in the district.

Lisle's Wound is Reported Serious

The wound suffered by Charles J. Lisle, parole officer of the state training school, when his pistol discharged accidentally at Seattle last week, has proven more serious than was at first reported, and Mrs. Lisle has been summoned to the Seattle hospital where her husband is a patient.

New Talent in the Family!



Tito Schipa, Mrs. Schipa and Liana, who is by far the most important member of the family and who already opens her mouth just as the great tenor does, indicating singing talent. Photo taken at Schipa's Los Angeles home.

ARMY SQUADRON IS ASSURED VETERANS

Expert Stunt Flyers to Take Part in Dedication of Airport Here During Legion Convention; Bonds Posted Yesterday

The army's most expert stunt flyers will take part in the dedication of the Salem Municipal airport, August 8, in connection with the American Legion convention. A crack squadron of flyers and planes from Crissey field, San Francisco, will come here to put on an exhibition.

TWO PRESBYTERIES ARE CONSOLIDATED

ALBANY, Ore., July 18.—(AP)—One of the largest jurisdictions areas of the Presbyterian church of America, the southern Oregon and Coos Bay Presbyteries, was consolidated today by vote of delegates to the synodical conference of the Synod of Oregon which has been in session here the past two days.

VAN WINKLE SAYS CONTRACTS LEGAL

EUGENE, Ore., July 18.—(AP)—The legality of awarding the contract for the University of Oregon Fine Arts building by the board of regents to Ross B. Ammond, Inc., Portland contractor, without a second call for bids after changes in the plans were made, was upheld in an opinion by Attorney General Van Winkle today.

FALL IN MACHINE INJURES INMATE OF BOYS' SCHOOL

WOODBURN, July 18.—Wayne Parkenka, an inmate of the state training school here, is in critical condition at the Salem general hospital, as a result of falling into the machinery of a manure spreader at the training school farm Thursday afternoon.

The boy's leg was cut badly from the waist to the knee, and he suffered serious loss of blood while being taken to the hospital by Dr. Gerald W. Smith. His parents, who live in Astoria, have been notified.

GERMANS AGREE TO REPRESENT SOVIETS AND MANCHURIANS

Berlin Government Will Take Over Interests Of Both Countries; Reports Indicate Raid Into Chinese Area Repulsed

BERLIN, July 18.—(AP)—The German government tonight agreed to take over the interests of Chinese in Russia and Russians in China for the period in which diplomatic relations between those countries remain disrupted. It was emphasized on all sides that this was a certain indication of the absolute neutrality of Germany in the present dispute over the administration of the Chinese eastern railway.

Requests for its good offices came to the foreign office today from Russia through the German ambassador at Moscow and from China through the legation of that government here. Both Chancellor Hermann Mueller and Foreign Minister Gustav Stresemann were away which fact resulted in some delay in answering.

LOYD A. LEE WILL HEAD POULTRYMEN

State Association Elects Salem Man at Annual Convention

CORVALLIS, Ore., July 18.—(AP)—Lloyd Lee, Salem, was elected president of the Oregon Poultrymen's association just before adjournment of the seventh annual session at Oregon State college today.

Other officers chosen are: Fred Cockell, Milwaukie, vice president; J. A. Rusel, Corvallis and A. H. Dowsett, Gresham, members of the executive committee; F. L. Knowlton, secretary-treasurer.

A higher tariff on dried eggs was asked by the association as a means of encouraging the establishment of dryers in this country to absorb low egg grades. Chinese competition, members said, now prevents this.

CANNERIES ASSURED WORK YEAR AROUND

Reid Murdoch Plant to be Placed on 12 Month Basis Shortly

By R. J. HENDRICKS There will not at any time the balance of this year be a complete hiatus in Salem in canning and packing. There will be something doing all the rest of 1929; and it is likely that, beginning with the canning and packing season of 1930, next spring, there will be twelve month operations indefinitely here for that is understood to be the program of Reid Murdoch & Co., and no doubt by that time other plants will follow suit.

CANADA WILL HAVE LIGHT WHEAT CROP

OTTAWA, Ont., July 18.—(AP)—A light grain crop, due to lack of moisture, was indicated in a report issued today by the Dominion bureau of statistics. In all parts of Canada, the report said, rain is badly needed, while some sections of the Canadian west reported crops a total failure because of drought. In southern Alberta, where crop conditions were considered favorable until the beginning of July, it was reported that it will be impossible to realize the expected crop.

PIONEER SHOT

COUER D'ALENE, Idaho, July 18.—(AP)—William Colgate, pioneer citizen, was shot and seriously wounded late today by a deputy sheriff who said Colgate was the ring leader in an attempted jail break.

Right Kind of Snobbery is Needed by Youth, Woman Police Lieutenant States

PORTLAND, Ore., July 18.—(AP)—Snobbery, not personal, but sexual and intellectual snobbery was advocated here today by Mrs. Mina C. Van Winkle, director of the Women's Bureau of Metropolitan, police department, Washington, D. C., as a good habit for youth to cultivate to form a moral foundation.

"Young people should get a snobbish attitude on life," she said. "They should go with their own gang."

Mrs. Van Winkle, who holds the rank of lieutenant in the division, said the way to be good is to be a snob and the way to become a snob is to have the tendency cultivated from early youth. "If one brings a boy up from infancy to the age of 17 to like cleanliness, neat clothing and tidy fingernails, he will never be able to tolerate an unkempt personal appearance. Neither will the boy who has been reared properly turn out to be a thief or murderer," she asserted.