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Generally fair today; Slightly cooler. Max. tem-perature Friday 71; Min. 47! River -1.4; Part cloudy; No rain; Wind west.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

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(Saturday) - (AP) -Official eir-

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BERLIN, July 19 .- (AP)-A

report received here today from

MOSCOW, U. S. S. R., July 20. --

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Salem, Oregon, Saturday Morning, July 20, 1929

# SUPERSTITION

by Confessed Slayers of Woman, 75

KALAMAZOO, Mich., July 19-(AP)-Admitting they killed Mrs. eye," on their 17 year old daughter, Eugene Burgess, 53, and his

slaving.

Witchcraft Related In his confession, to officers ing belief in spells and latter-day witchcraft reminiscent of the

Burgess and his wife blamed Mrs. Fairchilds for the ill health by Foreign Minister Shidehara. of their daughter. Eugenie, and also for a spell which they believed at the Burgess home they said she annihilate whomever she chose.

year for the past 25 years. Mrs. the situation in Manchuria. Burgess said the woman had a long list of persons she claimed were victims of her "evil eye," inent Kalamazoo citizens. Method of Murder

their home last night, and beat her its junction with the Sungari. with a lead pipe and a hammer.

was at the home of a neighbor of Progranichnaya. when the slaying took place.

# BANDITS GET LARGE

NEW ORLEANS, July 19. -(AP) - Masked bandits stole an the Chang Chung terminus where armored money truck containing \$42,000 in cash and negotiable checks off the streets of New Orleans early today and disappeared.

lice had been unable to find any trace of either the robbers or the motor car. The only clue they

over their heads and black rain- here. coats. As they sprang on the run-

turned the sedan, which was stol- Quentin penitentiary. escaped.

## American Legion Headquarters To EXPENDITURES

Armory in Preparation for Big Meeting Of War Veterans Early in August

Headquarters of the American Legion convention commission will be opened this morning in the officers' rooms at the armory, by H. G. "Fod" Maison, executive secretary of the commission. He will be on duty there all day from now until the convention is over.

Establishment of convention headquarters is a reminder that the big convention is less than three weeks away. The dates are August 8, 9 and 10.

Reports on Chinese-Russian Crisis Studied by Cabinet at Tokyo

TOKYO, July 19-(AP)-The Japanese cabinet was understood today to have decided that posi-Burgess coolly revealed an amaz- tive Japanese measuses as yet were unnecessary in the rupture of diplomatic relations between Russia and China over the Chinese Eastern railway. The cabinet heard a report on the crisis

Meanwhile a policy of strict neutrality and watchfullness will the entire family to be under. Yes- be maintained. Several diplomats terday, when Mrs. Fairchild called called on the foreign office today including counsel for Edwin L. boasted of a "mental power." to Neville of the American embassy and representatives of the Brit- ground floor of the Klett building. They said she told them she had ish and Italian embassies. killed more than 100 persons a was understood that all discussed armory.

Official quarters doubted rumors of frontier skirmishes relay- of Capital Post No. 9, next Tuesed by Japanese correspondents at day night. This will be the last cluding her husband, and promin- Harbin, none of which was con- meeting before the convention, viet airplanes had made demon-Burgess is said to have told of- strations over border towns and ficers he came on the woman from also that Soviet gunboats frad

The Japanese general staff es-Then he and his wife wrapped the timated that the Russian concenbody in a rug, weighted it, and tration opposite Manchuli was equivalent to one division with Eugenie became ill last April calvalry while an army corps. while visiting her uncle and grand- based at Habarovsk, was moving parents in Detroit. She was its main strength in the direction

Military authorities persist in their belief that war will be avoided, but admit the possibility of border skirmishes growing out of the proximity of opponents, some of whom are none too well AMOUNT IN HOLDUP disciplined. It was learned that no measures have yet been taken for the protection of Japanese in disciplined. It was learned that north Manchuria who were estimated at 5,000 in the Chinese Eastern railway zone exclusive of

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LOS ANGELES, July 19. car, firing their pistols as they (AP).—Ben Getzoff, in whose fied young Cudahy was driving of the firemen, policemen and solsped away. No one was wounded. Spring street tailor shop criminal on the wrong side of a street on Apparently the robbery had indictments have charged five ser- the night of July 12. His car colbeen carefully planned. The les of bribes were passed to for- lided with another driven by Chas. 2,000 persons homeless. One pertruck was making its daily rounds mer District Attorney Asa Keyes B. Lang. Neither driver was inat the branches of the Hibernia and his deputies, today obtained badly damaged. Cudahy was arbank and Trust company, when permission from Superior Judge badly damaged. Cudahy was arother bodies believed to be in the PACIFIC AIRPLANE. Bank and Trust company, when permission from Superior Judge it was forced to the curb by a Hartley Shaw to move to Chicago rested and taken to a hospital smoking ruins. grey sedan, out of which jumped on the grounds he received nu- where he was given a sobriest test. three bandits, wearing black hoods merous threats against his life Police Surgeon C. A. MacDonald

Getzoff was convicted with ning board of the truck, they fired Keyes and E. Rosenberg, fremer their pistols. The guards were Julian petroleum fraud case dethrown out as a bandit grabbed fendant, of bribers conspiracy, and was admitted to probation. The One bandit chased the guards others were sentenced to serve the restaurant, another one to fourteen years in San

en, crosswise in the street, another Getzoff later appeared as blacked a cross street with a sec- state's witness against Harold L. ond machine and all of them Davis, former chief deputy dis-boarded the armored truck and trict attorney, recently meted a similar sentence for bribery.

## **Hoover Adopts Policy of Naming Commissions For** Specific Investigations

cial commissions for inquiry the best method for determining the facts on any public question and fare. Secretary Wilbur appointed he intends to pursue a policy of a commission of outstanding edunaming such groups throughout cators to study education. Secrehis administration.

Replying today to a question of a newspaper correspondent wheth- irda fruit fly menace, and Secreer he proposed to name any more tary Lamont' appointed 14 busicommissions, the president re- ness men and economists to help

plied:
"I certainly do." He added howinquiries in mind at this time.

this method of fact-finding since population, manufacturers and un- dance has been worked out. Cetthe administration took office. employment in connection with the fee and ice cream is to be President Hoover has named a decennial census.

WASHINGTON, July 19- (AP) | commission to study law-observ-President Hoover believes spe- ance and enforcement and another to inquire into child weltary Hyde named a body of plant specialists to inquire into the Florfirst national census of distribuever, that he had no more specific tion in 1930. Mr. Lamont also rangements have been made for plans to appoint three other com- the exclusive use of the park for

**Boost in Appropriations** Next Four Years

\$300,000,000 Rise to Put Expenses Up Above Four Billion Mark

WASHINGTON, July 19-(AP) -An increase in governmental expenditures of approximately \$300,000,000 during the next four years was forecast by the White House today after a study of ap-

The increase, if it materializes will send the total government expenditures out of ordinary receipts above \$4,000,000,000 for the first time since the years of heavy war expenses. For the fiscal year closin- last June 30, the total government expenditures aggregated \$3, 848,463,189, while the increase for this year was estimated at

The report of the investigation total \$300,000,000. \$150,000,000 Will Go For Farm Relief

in the three divisions of government activity was expected to total

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# Arrangements are now being

Carelessly Flung Cigarette Accomplishes Genuine Improvement

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 19 .-(AP)-Fate, with the aid of a remain to be completed before the strong wind and a cigarette carelessly thrown into a lime depot, today completely wiped out the old unsavory quarter of Angora, capital of the new Turkey, known as the fish bazaar. It accomplished in eight hours what officials have been struggling with

Beginning at 1 a. m., 500 Tamshackle wooden houses, shops and ancient bazaar booths, one hotel. three khans and one mosque were whole Angora plain was lighted up, bringing distant villagers and the entire population of the cap-

The most serious aspect aside butcher shops and vegetable mar- today. young wife, to whom he was mar- kets, causing a temporary food ried about three weeks ago in shortage.

Riverside, Cal., sat beside Cudahy diers for six hours.

The catastrophe made nearly commission.

### testified that Cudahy was "quite **GEORGE PETE LOSES** drunk and unsteady on his feet. TO INDIAN GRAPPLER EUGENE. Ore., July 19 -

pler, emerged as junior middleweight champion of the world, from tonight's wrestling match

possession of liquor. Hibbert was ed the upper valley with the ex-

Joe won the first fall in minutes when he clamped a dou-Hibbert was shot by Deputy ble arm scissors on the cham-Sheriff Haskins last week in a pion. Pete took the second fall with one of his famous airplane

## Some Extra Money

A little "extra money" coming in each month would be mighty handy, wouldn't it? Maybe you have an extra room you can turn into extra money.

Always there are people looking for rooms. Offer yours through the ad columns of The Statesman. Low cost to reach many readers. Phone your want-ads.

Call 500.

## Babe Ruth Forced Out of Lineup For

(AP)—Injuries sustained by Babe Ruth in the first of today's games between Cleveland and New York, will keep the home run hitter out of the Yankee lineup for the rest of the series here, and perhaps the rest of the season, Miller Hug-

## JOHN BAER JAILED

Possession and Sale of Intoxicants Confessed by Garage Man

John Baer, 39, Salem Heights garageman spent Friday night in Aircraft corporation, sponsor of jail and will remain there until he the flight, said it would be an either provides \$1000 in bail or endurance test for the motor and pays the fine which is to be im- not an attempt to set a new the White House showed that ad- posed on him July 22 by Judge world's record. Brazier Small before whom Baer Flyers Claim They pleaded guilty Friday to the Want New Record charge of possession and sale of intoxicating liquor.

Baer's arrest Friday afternoon by Deputy Sheriffs Barber and note. Of this amount farm relief was Haskins and State Officer Zimexpected to account for at least merman who followed a tip that \$150,000,000 while the increases, liquor was being sold there. Baer would ."shoot it out" with any

> Officers found a loaded revolver on the shelf in the garage with the liquor, but Baer offered no resistance when the raid was in pro-

months.

the charges filed against him sentence was held up until July 22 to permit the prisoner time to seek legal counsel.

## Indians Are **Kept Under** Observation

ASTORIA, Ore., July 19 .- (AP) -After having been barred from fishing grounds on Peacock Spit Wednesday by a group of embatleveled by the conflagration. The tled collegians working for the reported that potato prices led Columbia River Packers' associatribesmen from the Quinault res- of 15 per cent. ervation, are reported to have landed their scows and fishing At his preliminary hearing to- from individual losses was the equipment on Sand Island, near day in municipal court, young fact that this district houses all the mouth of the Columbia river,

Fishing grounds on this island are operated by the Barbey Pack-Gahzi Mustapha Kemal, presi- ing company under lease from the at counsel table. Before the mar-dent of the republic sped by au- U. S. government, but the land riage she was Muriel Evans, tomobile from his residence in is on the Oregon side of the river Tachankaya, newest section of An- channel. H. J. Barbey, head of gora, and reached the fire at 3 a. the fishing concern, said tonight m., to remain in personal direction the Indians will face action both out a license from the Oregon Fish

# LANDS AT TACOMA

TACOMA, Wash., July 19 -(AP)—Completing a non-stop flight from Los Angeles, Lieut. Harold Bromley brought his huge monoplane. The City of Tacoma, (AP)-Sonora Joe, Indian grap- pal airport at 6:40 p.m., today. From the same field he is scheduled to take off within the next few days on a non stop flight oveceive his sentence today at 10 with the defending champion, or the Pacific ocean from Tacoma to Tokyo, Japan.

Twenty thousand persons were gathered at the field to welcome the flier home after his absence of weeks in Burbank, Calif., where the special Lockheed monoplane with which he will attempt to span the Pacific was built for him. National guardsmen were called out to police the field and

## Salem Woman Badly Injured In Auto Crash

ROSEBURG, Ore., July 19-(AP)-Mrs. F. E. Emmit, of Salem, was critically injured this afternoon when the car driven by one was injured. her husband, was struck by a pital.

Jackson and O'Brine Seeking to Beat Reinhart and Mendell in Plane

Two Aviators Announce Their Intention to Remain up For Three Weeks

ST. LOUIS, July 19-(AP)-Approaching the end of their seventh day in the air, Dale Jackson, and Forest O'Brien piloting the endurance plane "St. Louis Robin," continued to cruise over the city tonight. At 8:17 p.m., central standard time, they had been up 157 hours.

In notes dropped today, the fliers said they were out to beat the world's endurance record of 246 hours, 43 minutes and 32 seconds, established July 12, by Loren Mendell and Roland Reinhart at Culver City, Catif., when the plane took off Saturday.

Officials of the Curtis-Obertson

Jackson and O'Brine said, however, that they hope to stay up three weeks. "We are feeling man for tobacco, while Carl Wilalso appointed to the board will

A sister endurance plane, the "Missouri Robin," which went up at 10:33 a.m., Wednesday, also was said to have declared that he was still going strong tonight after having been in the air 58 hours at 8:33 p.m. It is piloted by Joseph Hammer, and Gentry Shelton, who hope to outlast the crew of the "St. Louis Robin."

HOUSTON, Tex., July 19 -(AP)-The fifth refueling of Houston's endurance plane, "Bil-In court Friday afternoon Baer lion Dollar City," was successadmitted that he had been selling fully executed tonight after 52 liquor and said he had marketed hours in the air. The fliers G. 50 gallons in the last three L. Loomis and Joe Glass, signalled to refueling pilots that the mo-

## RETAIL FOOD PRICE SHOWN ON INCREASE

WASHINGTON, July 19-(AP) -The retail price of food in the United States increased one per cent between May 15 and June 15. and has advanced 58 per cent since June 15, 1913.

the department of labor, which the advance during the month tion, Chief Big Charley and 65 ending June 15, with an increase

> per cent, and oranges jumped six per cent to take third place. The greatest decrease was reported for cabbage, which was

hens, and flour two per cent. During the month increases were reported in 44 of the 51 cities from which statistics were obtained. Butte and Detroit led the advance with three per cent.

## HEAVY STORMS END EXTENDED DROUGH

WINNIPEG, Man., July 19-AP) -Thunder storms in many sections of the prairies somewhat alleviated the long spell of drought that has practically ruined thousands of acres of wheat during the past few weeks. Too late to be of benefit in some cases, the rain will generally brighten the crop

Meteorologists of the section reported today that nearly every district will have some rainfall by tommorrow. The intense heat in Alberta and

Saskatchewan continued today despite the showers. In Manitoba the weather was considerably cooler, htermometers reaching not higher than 80 de-

### Hit-Run Driving Charged Against Salem Resident

Charges of hit-and-run driving have been booked against C. R. Thatcher, 1625 N. Liberty street, who was arrested Friday night. The accident occurred at High and State streets Friday afternoon. No

Thatcher's car collided with one art, of Seattle, The Emmit car left | Oxford street. When brought bethe highway and crashed into a fore the police, Thatcher admittelephone pole throwing the Salem | ted being in the collision and dealer, "and now comes a regulatwoman through the windshield. driving on, thinking the accident ing ordinance which is entirely Mr. Emmit was also quite badly was not worth bothering over. He needless. We are not using our hurt and both are in a local hos- | will appear in municipal court | radios in any means to create this afternoon.

## Farm Board Russians



be representative for cotton.

Nationalist Government to

State Its Position in

Manifesto Soon

The Kuo Min news agency today

release a Nanking dispatch say-

were said to believe the Soviet gov-

A statement by President Chi-

alist government.

is determined to reject any attempt by the League of Nations to mediate in the dispute between Russia and China. It was said the situation grow-James Stone, above, of Lexington, Ky., has been appointed vicechairman of President Hoover's Federal Farm Board and spokes-

ing out of seizure of the Chinese Eastern railway in Manchuria must be settled without intervention by a third party. The German press today pub-

lished a Pelping dispatch stating liams, below, of Oklahoma City, the government of outer Mongolia had announced it would support the Soviet government and it had taken precautionary measures to secure the Mongolian frontier against Chinese invasion. War Council Holds

Special Assembly

A Telegraph Union dispatch from Kovno tonight said a special meeting was held in Moscow by the war and revolution council. including chiefs of the red army general staff and the commander of the Leningrad military district. Defense of the Chinese border against possible Chinese or white Russian attack was discussed, but the decisions were not NEW YORK, July 19.—(AF) - published.

PARIS July 19 .- (AP) -- Coning that the nationalist govern- siderable anxiety began to make ment would state its position in itself felt in international circles the present situation in a manifes- today over the Manchurian situto to the world rather than make ation.

An indication of Europe's une any immediate reply to the Russian note breaking off diplomatic easiness was seen in the visit of Russian Ambassador Dovgalesky and Chinese Minister Kao Lu to Commercial circles of Nanking Foreign Minister Briand of France, M. Briand is one of the ernment had precipitated a grave situation that would injure for- principal forces animating the eign trade which had been de- peace moves of the League of Naveloping rapidly in view of the tions as well as the man who conceived the fundamental 'idea of growing stability of the nationthe Kellogg anti-war pact. Action By United

ang Kai-Shek that seizure of the Announcement that the Wash-Chinese eastern railway in Manington government had called to churia was an emergency measure the attention of both China and and that the abolition of unequal treaties would be sought through signatories to the Kellogg pact proper and peaceful procedure was held to disabuse fears held in some ing that the United States, as the was interpreted here as indicatquarters that the Manchurian acmoving spirit in the pact, was detion might lead to similar moves termined itself to take the initiaagainst other foreign interests in tive in event of violation. The announcement therefore was a matter of absorbing interest in in-

The first load of flax of the present year's crop arrived at the Other Signatories state flax plant at the penitentiary Expected to Approve Thursday, brought by Robert Hays, a grower near Albany, the approval of other signatories where there is a moderate acre- and was regarded as certain of beage in this crop this year.

harvest of the 4500 acre crop, ilar step. storing it in the sheds.

The harvest will likely yield around 9000 tons, and this will mean a distribution among the

growers of the central valley counties of around \$250,000; a

no mean contribution to the ac-

tivities of trade in this section.

This responsibility is incumbent on M. Adatchi, Japanese Ambasvalley sador to France, who as acting president of the council of the

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## **Outcry Is Raised Against** Ordinance Regulating Use

downtown places of business, during this week, swelled to a ment order issued." considerable outcry here Friday when a number of dealers in radio and other musical goods informalwhich they declared "foolish and

"We have altogether too many laws now," said one prominent public nuisance and if we were,

orous ordinance regulating the use sary to stop us from running these of phonographs and radios in instruments. The use of radios in places of business could be dewhich had been heard about Salem | clared a nuisance and an abate-

ers is one given first and second ly joined to attack the ordinance reading at the last session of the council and referred to the ordinance committee. Alderman Purvine introduced the measure. The proposed enactment pro-

vides that it shall be unlawful for any person or business in Salem to operate a phonograph or victrola

Although the pact provides no machinery for settlement of disputes political circles here see in the Washington announcement a sign that the American government has adopted the policy of inducing signatories to observe scrupulously the provisions of the

This move was expected to meet coming a great moral force for All the 45 flax pullers, that peace. It was felt that Washing-have been ready in the fields for ton's move might inspire the weeks, are now busy with the League of Nations to take a sim-Since Russia is not a member of

flax from the fields will begin to the league, the Geneva organizacome in such numbers as to keep tion would be confronted with a the forces busy weighing and delicate situation in attempting

## Of Musical Instruments Murmured opposition to a rig- no new ordinance would be neces-

The particular ordinance which has aroused the fre of radio deal-

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Etta. L. Fairchilds is Quoted as Having Boasted of **Deaths Caused** 

Etta L. Fairchilds, 75, because they feared the effect of her "evil wife Pearl wer ebeing held on a murder charge here today.

The couple was arrested last night after officers called to the home on a "tip," discovered a blood spattered living room and later found the body of the woman in the cistern back of the house. Court action against the Bur-

gesses has been held up pending questioning of their son, Burnett, by Prosecutor Paul M. Tedrow, to determine whether the youth was in the house when the crime was committed and took part in the Amazing Belief In

"hex" murders in the vicinity of York, Pa.

Described to Officers

threw it into the cistern, he said.

After an all day search the po-

had was a description furnished by the bank guards, who were thrown off the truck by the bandits and chased into a restaurant, while the thieves escaped in the

# Be Opened Today WILL INCREASE

Effect of "Evil Eye" Feared Convention Commission Established at Local White House Announces Big

F. F. Ellis, representative of the firm which has contracted for the elaborate dec- propriations made by congress and orations downtown in connec- other mandatory obligations. tion with the convention, was in Salem Friday and announced that he would be here permanently beginning next Wednesday. At present he is in charge of decorations at Eugene

for the Sunset Trail pageant. The decorations here, according to plans previously outlined, will be probably the most elaborate \$91,800,000. ever arranged, featuring the American Legion emblem and pa- in to the probable increases in triotic insignia. In addition to federal expenses transmitted to the general street decorations and those at the armory and at the ditional expenditures for the milicapitol building where the busi- tary service, public works, postal ness sessions of the convention defciit farm relief and other govwill be held, a number of business ernment costs would in four years houses will arrange displays. Mr. Ellis will hold conferences with proprietors of these business

Registration Headquarters Transferred Friday It was announced Friday that registration headquarters have been transferred to the across Liberty street from the

made for the "whoopee" meeting

houses when he returns here next

firmed. Official reports did con- and will be held at the armory. At this meeting, duties of the docal legion members in connecbehind as she was eating dinner at moved down the Amur river to tion with the entertainment of convention visitors will be outlined, and plans will be laid for the carrying out of tasks which

Wednesday.

delegates begin to arrive.

LOS ANGELES, July 19 .- (AP) -Michael J. P. Cudahy, 21, son of the late John P. Cudahy, Kansas City meat packer, was held for trial in superior court today on a charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated. Cudahy offered no defense His

screen actress. Cudahy was released on \$5500 bail. Witnesses at the hearing testi-

# RECEIVE SENTENCE

Ernest Hibbert of Silverton will clock in the justice court on the George Pete of Eugene. charge, which he has admitted, of brought before Judge Small, Fri- press purpose of taking away day and pleaded guilty. His bail Pete's belt will leave tomorrow was set at \$1000 and being un- for Salt Lake City. able to furnish this, he was

placed in the county jail.

## serious but Hibbert has been confined to a local hospital for more Will Lure Crowd

night raid on his place at Silver-

on. The bullet wound was not

Between 400 and 600 persons are expected to gather for the anformulate plans for taking the nual Masonic picnic at Hazel Green park today and tonight. Ar-Both the chief executive and his mittees to aid the department in the afternoon and evening, and a cabinet members have followed obtaining information concerning program of picnic, games and by the committee.

## Indefinite Period

CLEVELAND, July 19gins, Yankee manager said

The sultan of swat pulled a muscle in his left leg while rounding the bases and was forced to retire. He did not appear in the second game, and tonight Huggins said that Ruth's absence

## from the game will be indefinite.

was made in a raid on his garage like fighting cocks," said one officers who raided his place of

While Baer pleaded guilty to tor was in perfect running condi-

Strictly fresh eggs ranked second, with an advance of seven

eight per cent cheaper. Onions dropped five per cent, and lamb,