PRICE FIVE CENTS

BY BIG MARGIN

Last Year's Record for Sa-

lem Day Exceeded by

7500 Persons

Huge Crowds Turn out to see

Governor's Derby Run

Under Fair Sky

All records for attendance

at the Oregon State fair were broken Wednesday,

Salem day, it was determ-

ined by officials in charge of

checking up on the turn-

stiles, late that night when

they reported that 40,000

persons had passed through

This is a startling increase

over the Salem day attend-

ance in previous years. The

crowd a year ago, setting at

that time a new high mark.

numbered only 82,500. The

previous record had been es-

tablished in 1926, and was

31,850. In 1925, 26,930 per-

sons attended on Salem day;

The increase this year is

attributed partly to favor-

able weather, which has been

lacking during fair week in

With Salem and Governor's Day

he Oregon State Fair came in-

to its own as it has never done

before. All day, in the flawless

sunshine, the throngs poured into

filled the exhibit buildings until

hurrying was impossible, and at

that had come to witness the Gov-

Even as the program got under

way, all through the first band

concert, people kept pouring in.

filling up the terrace in front, and

trying anxiously to find some place

A swirl of dust around the

bend, the deep "oh" of the audi-

ence, and Boy Friend, bay geld-

ing owned by D. Dennison, of Cal-

ifornia, nosed in first at the tape

to win the Governor's Derby, the

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LINEN MILL OUTPUT

IS DOUBLED TODAY

New 8-Hour Shift Will be

Added to Increase

Production

Doubling of the production of

inished linen at the Oregon Linen

Mills, forecast recently for the

first of next year, became an ac-

tuality much sooner than was ex-

pected, and today the plant will

begin operating a second eight

hour shift, according to an an-

nouncement made Wednesday by

Production with one eight hour

shift has been 1000 yards of linen

daily, and by the first of the

year it will increase to 4000 yards

Much of the increased demand

which is bringing about this in-

creased production has come about

through the use of Salem made

linens throughout Oregon, Stores

in 30 cities of this state are now

daily, Col. Bartram believes.

Col. W. B. Bartram, manager.

Boy Friend Places First

In Governor's Derby

ernor's Derby.

to squeeze in.

the last several years.

in 1923, 26.140.

the gates.

40,000 ARE PRESENT AT FAIR

Pantages Jury Effects Compromise

Woman Found Guilty on Lesser Charge: Long Deliberations

Defendant Breaks Down as Verdict is Told Court Before Crowd

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 25. -(AP)-Mrs. Lois Pantages, wife of Alexander T. Pantages, who recently sold his vaudeville theatres for \$15.000,000, was convicted of manslaughter tonight in connection with the death of Juro Roku-June 16.

A jury of five women and seven men returned the verdict at 8:15 robbed. late yesterday by Superior Judge had been placed in their hands Carlos S. Hardy. Mrs. Pantages collapsed as the

verdict was read, and was removed to an adjoining room where physiclans joined her. Judge Hardy granted the wom-

an her freedom under the \$50,000 bond, posted at the time the charges were filed, pending pronouncement of sentence at 2 p. m. penalty for slaughter under California law is from one to ten years imprisonmont in the state penitentiary. Legal Battle for Freedom Promised Joe Ford, a member of the de-

plead for probation and a new trial Friday. He forecast a bitter le-(Turn to Page 2, Column 4.)

gense counsel, announced he would

LINDY AND WIFE

Air Mail Trail Marked Over Coasts of South America in Plane

PORT OF SPAIN, Trinidad, Bept. 25-(AP) - (By Radio)out of jungles and tree-bound rivers deltas of coastal South Ameri- quences. ea today to mark another trail for the air mail, this time retracing

Colonel Lindbergh pushed his mail and passenger bearing plane over the 586 mile hop, making aerial miles through fair and inelement weather. With him were his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Juan T. Trippe, beside the ship's crew. Mr. Trippe is president of Pan-

ing late tomorrow upon the com- since. paratively short flight of 415 Mrs. Emma J. Bigler, his widair mail line through Venezuela. | survive him.

Salem to Reserve Water

Robbed



Milton Alter, New York brokermoto, Japanese gardener, after a see messenger, who disappeared collision of their automobiles on with \$512,000 in negotiable bonds and turned up again claiming he had been kidnapped and He later confessed that p. m., after the fate of the woman he had stolen the bonds at the instigation of another.

Alienists Present Testimony For Earl Peacox at His Murder Trial

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Sept. time he admittedly killed his wife. helpless to stay his own hand Every Possible from squeezing out the life of the Precaution Taken woman he loved, even as he slew

question which took more than an | cal units were organized, and dehour in the reading, and on the tails of men were sent out to bring basis of that and an earlier ex- in reports from the probable area amination of the prisoner in jail following the storm. they expressed the opinion that Meanwhile, the upper Bahamas during the period of his attack on | felt the last of the winds, with the Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh out- his wife he was unable either to British steamer Domira helplessly maneuvered intermittent squalls control his actions or to realize aground on Great Abaco Island, their nature or their conse- the lives of her crew of thirty in

his aerial progress from Paramari- virtually identical. They said faced death although only a bo, Dutch Guiana, to Port of Peacox had a psychopathic per- stone's throw from shore. Raging Spain. The Colonel set his plane sonality and that when the excit- seas and the character of the shore flown here at 1:10 p.m., today, ing factors of his quarrel with his prevented use of the lifeboats. concluding the first leg of the wife on the first anniversary of homeward journey in his 7,000- their marriage were superimposed To Ground Higher Up mile aerial tour of the West In- on that pesonality he became for dles, South America, Central Am- a brief period, "legally" insane, though not insane as it is defined Reversing his trip of Monday, by physicians.

Dies Wednesday

John M. (Pappy) Bigler died American Airways, sponsors of the at his home at 946 South Libnew mail and passenger route ov- erty street, Wednesday night at of the disturbance or predict prob-The Lindbergh party planned to to Salem 46 years ago and has that it apparently was attended by tay here tonight before embark- made his home in this district hurricane winds.

miles to Maracay, Venezuela, and ow, and one sister, Mrs. Hannah his subsequent inspection to an Osman of Greenville, Michigan,

John Bigler, 91,

the age of 91. Mr. Bigler came able wind velocities, other than

late last night or early today. For Own Use Despite Any **Act by State Commission** Regardless of any ruling by the | showed that the city of Salem is

state reclamation commission on the location of a number of the application of Edward J. manufacturing plants and that ap-O'Neil, for permission to develop proximately 8,000,000 gallons of an \$800,000 water power project water would be required daily to mer major and minor league inon the Santiam river at Niagara, meet the present demands. The fielder was convicted of second dethe city of Salem will reserve 40 city's filings on the waters of the cubic feet of water per second for Santiam river also were read in-

This agreement was announced ments. City's Written Protest

Is Read Into Record A written protest submitted by

Fred A. Williams, city attorney,

to the record.

R. D. Cooper, engineer in the at the hearing of the application employ of the city, testified that August 3. The verdice was returnheld in the state engineer's office he recently conducted an inveshere Wednesday. The proposed tigation of the project, and had development contemplates the ap- found that the proposed developpropriation of 650 second feet of ment would reduce the flow of water from the Santiam river, the Santiam river north of Niconstruction of a dam 80 feet agara. On cross-examination high, erection and maintenence of Cooper said the city could obtain a power plant and other improvements.

A glaustone nandag was lost left no indication of his motive at the state fairgrounds Wedness and other valuable for suicide. He had been special of fieldglasses and other valuable at the state fairgrounds Wedness and other valuable for suicide. He had been special of fieldglasses and other valuable at the state fairgrounds Wedness and other valuable for suicide. He had been special of fieldglasses and other valuable for suicides lying on the floor as he route four, was buried in Lee Mission of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after and other valuable for suicides. He had been special of fieldglasses and other valuable for suicides lying on the floor as he route four, was buried in Lee Mission of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late of the late Bishop Johnstein and May after late ficient.

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Weather Bureau Warnings Tell of Terrific Gale Approaching

Every Possible Precaution Is Made by People to **Avert Disaster**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25 .-AP)-A prediction that a tropical gale probably of hurricane intensity, headed for Florida from the Bahamas would not strike the east Florida coast before daylight tomorrow was made tonight by the weather bureau.

MIAMI, Fla., Sept. 25 .- (AP) The Tropical Radio announced tonight it had been unable to communicate with Nassau, Bahaman capital, since mid-afternoon.

By The Associated Press Amply warned and resignedly ready for whatever eventuality, of the lower Florida east coast last night awaited the advent of a tropical cyclone roaring in from Weather bureau warnings,

boardcast by radio, telephone, and newspapers went to the remotest communities with word that the disturbance apparently of on the last leg of the flight. hurricane intensity, would largely strike the southeast Florida coast near Miami. The population hastened to make all necessity precautions to

25.—(AP)—Earl Peacox was pic- avert disaster if the storm should tured by two alienists today as a prove severe. With that done, man helpless before the buffet- there was nothing to do but wait, ings of an emotional storm at the and watch the descending barometers.

Preparations for the winds were The doctors were C. Floyd Hav- ants and householders boarded up iland, superintendent of the state windows and doors and set their hospital for the insane on Ward's properties in shape for a blow. Island and George H. Hutchins, Ships and boats sought the safest superintendent at the state insti- anchorage. Emergency relief tution for the insane at Utica, bodies were organized in Palm Beach county and facilities gather-They listened to a hypothetical ed for caring for refugees. Medi-

the balance. Outside ports were They were both called by the unable to come to their assistance defense and their testimony was with a breeches buoy and the men Many Residents Flee

Fearful that the storm might strike with force in the Lake Okeechobes region where a hurricane last September took more than 1,800 lives, many residents of the lake shore communities fled to higher ground. Officials of the Everglades Drainage association, however, saw little danger, since the lake level is said to be four

feet lower than last year. The weather bureau was unable to determined the exact intensity

From Havana, Father Gutierrez Lanza of Belen Observatory, said that the Bahaman storm had developed into a true cyclone with as much danger to the Florida coast as the big storm of last year. Both the Washington and Havana weather reports declared the

storm probably would move inland

Baseball Star Held Guilty on Murder Charge

HARRISBURG, Pa., Sept. 25 .-AP)-Samuel "Red" Crane, forgree murder tonight in connection with the slaying of his erstwhile sweetheart, Della Leter, whom he shot and killed on the night of ed by a jury of four women and eight men after slightly more than two hours of deliberation.

HANDBAG LOST AT FAIR is well known here.

Patterson Urged To Back Highway Between 2 Cities

A delegation of prominent citizens from various west side counties will call at the executive department here today and urge Governor Patterson to use his influence in establishing a super highway between Salem and Portland, by way of Champoeg Park. The visitors will contend that the proposed highway would reduce the distance between Salem and Portland, and that the road is badly needed because of

the increasing traffic.

Petitions also will be submitted to Governor Patterson showing that plans are now under way to obtain a federal appropriation for the erection of a memorial building at Champoeg.

OF LONG AIR RACE

Art Goebel Leads Three Other Machines on Next To Last Leg

WEWOKA, Okla., Sept. 25 ico City to Kansas City air derby vince. had arrived at the airport here at | Three Transports Are 5:55 p.m., from Dallas. They Captured by Chang will take off at 9 a.m., tomorrow

Verdeja, all Mexican pilots.

at Dallas tonight at 6:05 p.m., paign against Canton. not wanting to fly in darkness, he row morning before heading toward Kansas City. Purcell was not an official con-

estant as he abandoned at Brownsville this morning his inenter the race and decided to to the contrary, that the action of night at San Antonio.

Lieutenant Colonel Fernando Proal, who had been missing since ne took off from Tampico yesterday was found uninjured on the Mexican beach, 90 miles south of Brownsville late today by J. P. Squire, Mexican Aviation company His plane was forced to land when motor trouble devel-

LEAGUE OF NATIONS SESSION NOW ENDED Coming Gale

GENEVA, Sept. 25 .- (AP)-The representatives of 53 nations turned their faces away from Geneva tonight, convinced that the tenth session of the League of Nations assembly had recorded a tremendous advance in strengthening the cause of world peace before it closed today.

Never before in the decade since he league has been established have the nations gathered under its banner dealt such heavy blows at war and never has the spirit of concilation won such victories as in this assembly.

Such was the verdict of those who have watched the league since the beginning. The deliberations of the assema

bly were marked by harmony and good feeling which resulted from settlement of many of Europe's biggest post-war problems at the Hague reparations conference in Acrimonious conflict and nego-

tiations between individual states or groups of powers outside the assembly limits were absent, though they had been notable in previous assembly meetings.

Pastor Hangs Himself From Woodshed Beam

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 25. -(AP)-The Rev. Robert Windsor, er lives in Rochester, N. Y.

Censorship Relaxes to Permit Confirmation of **Early Reports**

CHINESE CHIEF

Nationalist Army Again Gets Upper Hand in Severe Civil Warfare

SHANGHAI, China., Sept. 25-AP)-The Nationalist government tonight claimed that the insurrection in Hupeh province had been broken with the revolting Cantonese "ironsides" division surrounded at Lichow. At the same time censorship was relaxed to permit a flood of

press dispatches from Hankow which confirmed the reports of yesterday that General Chang Fak-Wei, commander of the "ironsides," had dealt Nationalist forces a severe blow before evacuating Ichang. The government statement to

night said that a serious defeat with heavy casualties had been inflicted on the soldiers of Chang (AP)-Led by Colonel Art Goe- when they were caught up with bel, four participants in the Mex- near the border of Hunan pro-

Close behind Goebel, whose on the Yangtse river below plane roared in over the heads of Ichang, capturing 5,000 Nationalhe shouting crowd at 5:26 p.m., ist troops and huge quantities of came Roberto Fierro, Captain Fe- amunition and rifles, fortified liciano Flores and Captain Luis with these suppleis, the "ironsides" crossed the Yangtse and Rex Purcell who joined the began a march to the south, ap-Mexico City-Kansas City air ra- parently for the purpose of joincers at Brownsville today arrived ing other reactionaries in a cam-

The Nationalist troops took ovdecided to stay there until tomor- er Ichang in the wake of the evacuating rebels and established martial law. The city was described as quiet today. Officialdom in Hankow tonight

appeared more optimistic as the Transport's passenger liner, "City tention to fly to Mexico City to result of a belief, despite reports come back north with the others. Chang Fak-Wei was an isolated ly this month, not even the most Another Mexican pilot, Lieut, rebellion and not a concerted astute news hound could see any Carlos Rovirosa will spend the move by numerous militarists direct hook-up with Salem. But against President Chiang Kai- now, as a result of that crash, the Shek and the nationalist govern- son of a Salem man has been apment. It was not believed that pointed to pilot a plane over that Chang revolted because his divi- route, from Clovis, N. M., to Winssion was ordered to Honan prepar- low, Ariz. The new pilot on the atory to disbandment, which was route is Frank M. Erickson, Jr.. distasteful to his military ambi- son of Dean and Mrs. Frank M.

> Despite reassuring reports that nan were not planning to descend five years ago, when the course leave Hankow for the north.

Is Observed By Experts

HAVANA, Sept. 25 .- (AP)-The Cuban national observatory and Belen Jesuit college station tonight closely watched storm developments which, according to late afternoon reports, excluded Cuba from danger but menaced territory between Miami and Palm Beach with terrific gales and drenching downpours before tomorrow morning. The following storm warning

was issued by Belen observatory "The cyclonic perturbation in

with increasing intensity, it will

probably strike Miami and north

shortly before midnight tonight. "The storm is advancing at about 8 to 10 miles per hour and | done in the Swiss town. gaining in force. It will probably strike the east coast of Florida with hurricane intensity and possibly more disastrously than storms last year. Cuban weather conditions continue good."

Woolpert Home

The residence of A. T. Woolpastor of St. Luke's Episcopal pert at 1197 South High street ed by a complete expose, which is church here for the last 22 years, was ransacked by a burglar early now acknowledged." hanged himself in a woodshed at Wednesday night. The intruder the rear of his home here. He was apparently frightened away A gladsfone handbag was lost left no indication of his motive by the Woolperts as he left a pair from Salem. Such an intake, he said, would be economical and eflice. Bateson was formerly a stu- Angeles diocese and chairman of tity or appearance of the burglar noon. Funeral services were held heart, another Aaron M. Frank ed, first to proud Marymine, endent at Willamette university and the board of examiners. His fath- were found, investigating efficers at 2:30 o'clock from the Terwil- Farms entry, won fourth. reported.

Dean's Son Pilots Plane



Frank M. Erickson, Jr., son of Dean Erickson of Willamette university, will pilot the new T. A. T. airplane that replaces the "City of San Francisco."

Erickson Pilot Of 1:30, the spacious grandstand was New T.A.T. Plane overflowing with the excited mob

Son of Willamette's Dean in Limelight As Aviator

When the Transcontinental Air of San Francisco" crashed in the mountains in eastern Arizona ear-Erickson of Salem.

Frank Erickson began his Feng Yu-Hsiang's forces in Ho- training in the army air service on Hankow, the Nationalist gov- was in little more than the formernment continued today to con- ative stage. From that time uncentrate forces in northern Hu- til July 1, 1928, he served two peh. Troop trains continued to weeks' annually as a reserve officer, but decided a year ago in July to again take the training course, and enrolled for a year at Kelly field, San Antonio, Tex. Since completion of the course he has been at the Crissey field, San Francisco, and is now on his way from there to take up work on the T. A. T. route to which he has been transferred. When the "City of San Fran-

cisco" crashed, Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, who mapped out this route for the T. A. T., joined in the search for the plane.

SHEARER ARE TOLD

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25 -(AP)-New claims of William B. the Bahamas is now approximate- Shearer as to his influence on the ly 120 miles east of Miami, Fla., fruitless Geneva naval conference moving in a westerly direction and of 1927 were laid before a senate committee today, as it continued tracing payments to him by the battleship builders other than the \$25,000 he received for the work A letter written to his employ-

ers by Shearer a year after the Geneva Fiasco was referred to by Senator Allen, republican, Kansas, who observed Shearer stated. "This advance campaign and th eaccuracy and authentic data

relased by me, automatically made me leader of the unofficial fight to the extent the American officials referred the press to me, as Entered by Thief cials referred the press to me, as the result that the attmept to deliver the United States was defeat-

FUNERAL HELD

Jaqulin Conrad, the infant child liger Funeral home.

FAIR PROGRAM

Thursday Afternoon 1:30 p. m .- Band concert by

Salem Military band, Oscar A. Steelhammer, director. 2:00 p. m .- 2.12 trot, first heat, Hawkins & Roberts, Inc., 2:10 p. m .- Band selections

and vocal solos by Montie Aus-2:20 p. m.-2:25 pace, first heat, Bligh's Capitol Theatre, 2:30 p. m .- Portland Veter-

ans' Fife and Drum corps. 2:40 p. m.-2:12 trot, second heat, formal stunts. 3:00 p. m.-2:25 pace, sec-3:10 p. m .- Lester, Bell &

Griffin, grotesque acrobatics. 3:20 p. m .- 2:12 trot, third 3:40 p. m.-2:25 pace, third

3:50 p. m.-Three Crazy 4:00 p. m .- 2:12 trot, fourth heat if necessary. 4:10 p. m.-Parade of prize winning live stock.

4:30 p. m .- 2:12 trot, fifth heat if necessary. 4:40 p. m .- Running race. 1 mile, Portland Day handicap. 4:50 p. m .- The Two Atenos, human gyroscopes on the 85-foot poles.

5:00 p. m .- Running race, 41/2 furlongs, Booster's Club purse.

Thursday Night Horse Show 8:00 p. m .- Hunters, amateurs to ride. 8:15 p. m.-Harness

es, over 15.2, tandems. 8:25 p. m.—Five-gaited horses, Geldings. (Turn to Page 2. Column 3.)

The September sales will be the

largest in the history of the in-Horse Show Stadium is Filled to Capacity by **Appreciative Audience**

handling this output.

Salem day at the Oregon State | were very fine. Perhaps no more fair carried over into "Oregon" perfect whipsman has even been day at the night horse show from in the Oregon State fair horse the looks of the crowd for the sta- show ring than driver of Victoria dium was filled to capacity. The and Victory entries from Oak audience was right on its toes with a discriminating applause for the good work which was done in the ring Wednesday night, and with pleasing regularity the judges and the crowd were in accord in the final judgments.

Light weight hunters brought the first honors home to Oregon by Allsie of the Aaron Frank stables, winning first; a California horse Kerkzumas, owned by Alex Sears, Roebuck and Co. for jun-

The tandem entries this year

Park, Illinois, by Mrs. Harry Goilitz. This tandem placed first with almost perfect performance so far as the audience was concerned; Sweet Pepper and Buckley Abie, entered by Carnation farm stables placed second, and Daybreak and mate owned by Bridgford Bros., of Joy, Illineis, third. In the \$500 stake sponsored by