

An immediate appointment is The body will lie in state at the W. T. Rigdon mortuary noon

Salem was in the atmosphere

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**Smokes Cheroot** 

ran through the crowd outside

the royal residence of the King

and Queen of Siam today as

Princess Svastl, mother-in-law of

the king, smoked a small cigar

as she entered an automobile to

The princess was carrying the small cigar, described by officials

as a "cheroot" as she left the

royal residence. State depart-

smoking of small cigars by wom-

en was customary in Siam and

that Her Majesty Queen Rambai

Al Smith Favor

the 1928 campaign. At 10:30 o'clock Mr. Hoover

Friday Morning

officials explained that

go to Mount Vernon.

ment

As Crowd Gazes

Queen's Mother

(AP) — Gasoline prices dropped down from 12% cents a gallon to Borah Assails

**ELKS CARAVAN TO** Three major oil companies reduced the wholesale price one cent a gallon but did not specify a retail price. Dealers said, however, the cut in retail prices was not

C. H. Kirkman, publicity man for the Elks' caravan which will pass through Salem July 4 on time. its way from Los Angeles to the national Elks convention in Se-attle, called in Salem Wednes- Plane Catches day, visiting the chamber of commerce and local Elks organiza-

Mr. Kirkman stated that the caravan which will be about 1000 cars trong and which will leave Los Angeles July 1 under police escort, will be the largest such motor traveling delegation ever to be assembled.

It is estimated that 176,000 gailons of gas will be used on the trip; 17,500 quarts of oil; and \$108,750 wH1 be spent for necessaries along the way.

The cars will travel in formation and will be decorated with the Elks colors. Forty-five towns will be passed through enroute and welcomes are being planned in these towns.

Governor Meler, a brother-Elk will welcome the caravan in a reception planned for the lobby of the state house the afternoon of July 4. Special decorations and welcome ceremonies are being planned for the afternoon in White House, Herbert Hoover, addition to the state house re- Jr., returned today for a visit ception.

British Flier Lost in North

MAMLO, Sweden, April 29.-(AP)—Two airplanes headed in-to the north today to looks for Augustine Courtauld, lost somewhere on the Greenland icecap and unable to effect a junction with the rest of the British expedition sent out last year to sur- king and queen of Siam came tovey an Angelo-Canadian air night with a state dinner in their

caused by the lower wholesale price. They expressed the opinion that the new price level probably would be meintained for some

> Fire, Two Men Die as Result

BRANDON, Man., April 29. the air above the airport here tonight, with the gasoline tank exploding, and two men lost their lives in the crash.

The men were William Clark, 21, owner of the plane, and William Britten, 27, pilot of Wawanesa, Man. Clark was the son of Colonel and Mrs. F. J. Clark of Brandon.

Hoover Junior

with his parents.

tain retreats.

Much Improved WASHINGTON, April 29. (AP) - Forty pounds heavier

**Result of Pact** WASHINGTON, April 29.-(AP)-Secretary Stimpson said today a "firm and lasting friendship" had been built between the United States and Japan as a result of the London naval confer-

cracy which will demand perma-

and taxation unless stopped by

"angry public opinion" was is-

The Idaho Republican said

large share of the blame should

be placed on the executive

branch of the government, he as-

sailed what he called "an effort

to put the sole blame on con-

**Better Friends** 

Japan, America

sued today by Senator Borah.

increases in expenditures

The relations between the two nations were praised by the secretary of state in a radio speech than during his last visit to the carried over the Pacific ocean to Japan as part of the celebration of the 30th birthday anniversary of Emperor Hirohito.

All who saw him remarked how well he looked after six **Decides Volume** months rest and adherence to a health-building regime in moun-

gress.'

Hoover Greets Siam's Royalty

league and the American birth control league of New York, a federal jury here today declared Dr. Johannes Rutger's book, "The Sexual Life in its Biological Significance," was not obscene and should not be barred

from the country. It was the first test in the United States of censorship provisions of the 1930 tariff laws.

ELYRIA, Ohio, April 29 .-

eriously, when a National Air

Transport tri-motored passenger

and mail plane from Chicago to

Cleveland crashed in making a forced landing about five miles north of here late today. Five

WASHINGTON, April 29.

Mrs. Edward Everett Gann today

won recognition as the official

hostess of Vice President Charles

The state department official

**Hostess Rights** 

## Poling, Pioneer Pastor Returns to Church Here Five Hurt When **Plane Crashes**

henor at the White House.

WASHINGTON, April 29 .-

(AP)-The culmination of the

nation's official welcome to the

Rev. C. C. Poling, for 51 years | dent and minister, and as superinin the service of the Evangelical | tendent and president of the colchurch and most of that time in lege. (AP)-Three passengers and two pilots were injured, the latter

Oregon, has returned to Salem to He was licensed to preach in become for the second time pas- 1880 by the Pittsburgh, Pa., con-Oregon, has returned to Salem to tor of that denomination here. He ference, and served two years comes here from Portland, where each at Brookville and Trinity he has been serving his third ap-pointment to the East Side Evan- of which he was ordained minisgelical church there, which he ter. Following marriage, and in founded. spring of 1884 he came to Oregon

passengers escaped injury. The plane was badly damaged. Rev, and Mrs. Poling are busy and was one of the eight men locating in the parsonage near who organized the Oregon conthe new church on Summer and ference of the Evangelical church Mrs. Gann Wins

the new church on Summer and Marion streets. "It seems like home to be back here, for we have always liked Salem and when appeal was made for me to return here I could not turn it down," Rev. Poling commented last night. He will preach his first sermon Sunday morning. He succeeds Rev. A. P. Layton, who has gone to Milwaukie after a. three-year service here. Rev. Poling's service to the Curtis, her brother.

Rev. Poling's service to the next he was sent to Yamhill counly fixed her status, making a rulchurch has been especially active, and includes not only ministry but presidency of a church college ment he held at the age of 29 Longworth over social prece-

Bureaucracy as 929" The wage reduction was ordered to avoid any major reduction in personnel, he said. Headed to Ruin

WASHINGTON, April 29. The wage-cut for Portland Genthe new cottage at the state eral Electric employes will apply to those in Salem and vicinity, AP)-A warning the federal home for the feeble minded. Fosgovernment is building a bureau-

ments is materially less than in

ter L. Odom of Salem submitted the low bid of \$30,490. Awardaccording to the announcement. ing of the contract was deferred until a future meeting of the Bertha Albrich board. R. E. Boatwright, Salem, was low bidder for the excavation job at \$555.

**Dies Following** Brief Illness J. A. Bernardi of Salem sub-

mitted the low bid of \$4872 for the plumbing and heating, while the Eoff Electric Company, Inc., Mrs. Bertha Albrich, 53, daugh-ter of the pioneer Huffman famalso of Salem, was the low bidily, died at the residence, 640 der on the electric wiring. This Marion street, Wednesday even-ing, following a three days' ill-054.64.

The bids aggregated \$36, ness. She was the daughter of 971.74 or approximately \$8000 John A. Huffman and born on the family donation land claim under the estimates on which the north of the state fairgrounds. budget for this improvement was She had lived in Salem all her based a year ago.

She is survived by her husband Argues Against Frank; eight children; John of Portland and Mrs. Eva Henann, Dr. Joe Albrich, Teresa, Winifred, Mary, Clara, and Frank, all of Salem.

The remains are at the Ter-williger Funeral home.

**Council Agrees To Check Names** 

SEATTLE, April 29.- (AP)-A member of the city council to-day said that body would provide for the \$1000 expense in checking

Is Not Obscene the recall petition against Mayor Frank Edward and the work was begun, while the mayor and his supporters launched plans for a legal attack on the movement.

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Briefs

ASTORIA VS. MEDFORD PORTLAND, Ore., April 29 --(AP)-Astoria and Medford high school debate teams will meet here

Thursday night to determine the

western Oregon high school de-

Prineville high school has won

the championship of eastern Ore-

gon and the winner of the debate

Thursday night will meet Prine-ville for the state championship.

PLANS FOR POLICE PORTLAND, Ore., April 29 --(AP)--Dispatches from the Oregonian's Washington cor-respondent said today Major General Smedley D. Butler will leave Washington May 13 for Oregon to direct organization of the new state police depart-ment

EXTORTION TRIED

bating league championship.

BURN TO DEATH CLARKSVILLE, Tenn., Apri 29 .- (AP)-Five negroes locked their rooms in a dormitory at

the Montgomery poer farm, lost lished in Rumania their lives in a fire that destroyed the ten-room frame structure early today. mentary regime."

**Final Debates Loom up** 

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., April 29-(AP)-Secretary of Com-merce, Robert P. Lamond, ad-dressing the United States cham-Trans Caucasia Takes Big Toll ber of commerce today, counseled the nation's business leaders MOSCOW. April 29-(AP)-A total of 392 persons were known tonight to have perished against wage cutting as a solution of their problems. Instead, he said the most prosin the earthquake which struck perous periods is history have

three districts of the Soviet rebeen those "coincident with high public of Nakiechevan in transwages and shorter hours."

Wage Reduction

Carol Tired of Dictator Talk

BUCHAREST, Rumania, April 29. - (AP) - King Carol told a group of foreign newspaper men today he was "tired" of rumors that a dictatorship would be estab-

The king added he was "faithful adherent of the parlia-

by 60 expected. Under the law the demembers representing all of the Seventeen bids were received puty treasurer has no authority local unions in the county, an unby the state board of control to act in case of the decease of usually large number for this an-Wednesday for the general conthe treasurer. As the office must nual event. Thirty-two were from function in the receipt and dis-bursement of public funds it will tract involving construction of Salem.

The officers are Mrs. Helen be necessary for an appointment to be made immediately, and the governor is expected to act (Turn to page 2, col. 6)

promptly. **Extortion** Plot Against Clara Bow is Alleged

LOS ANGELES, April 29. (AP)-Following extended questioning today of Allen Hunter, former circulation manager for a weekly journal published by Frederick Girnau, members of the sheriff's office here announced that they had been given information concerning "a \$100,000 extortion plot" against Clara Bow, the film actress.

Earthquake in

Girnau is in jail here, charged with sending "scurrilous and obscene" articles about Miss Bow through the mails.

fiscal year by borrowing money. Addressing the annual meet-

Hoover Will do deficit for the next fiscal year

The treasury faces a prospec-tive \$700,000,000 deficit for the present fiscal year ending June

will go to the telegraph room of Accuse Others the White House executive offices and press a button which will cause the doors of the Empire VALPARAISO, Ind., April 29. state building in New York to

(AP)-Possibility that Virgil swing open to the public for the Kirkland may accuse four other young men indicted with him of first time.

girl's murder got under way here

PRINCES BACK HOME

Former Governor Smith is an causing the death of his sweetofficial in the organization which constructed the building. heart, Arlene Draves, was indicated as the former Gary football star's second trial for the

Fighting on at Funchal, Word

LISBON, April 29-(AP)-Reports reaching here late to night from unofficial sources and Portugese government warships bombarded Funchal, Madeira aod landed forces on the island.

Butler to Leave May 13 **Threat Charges Faced Tunnel Work** is Begun North Bend electrician, was ar-

rested today on a charge of attempted extortion. He is alleged to have written a letter to Gar Imhoff, poolhall operator, de-manding \$1500.

POWER IS SOUGHT POWER IS SOUGHT ESTACADA, Ore., April 29-(AP)—The Portland Electric Power company has started building a four-mile tunnel through Oak Grove mountain here to bring water from the upper fork of the Clackamas river to the dam in the Oak river for the purpose of gener-ating electrical power.

FOREST FIRES START MEDFORD, Ore., April 29

to Spain to live, Alejandro Ler-

roux, Spanish foreign minister, said today. Newspaper reports from Berlin have said the exiled Russian wanted to come to Spain to live in Adalusia for reasons

of health and would not participate in political activities.

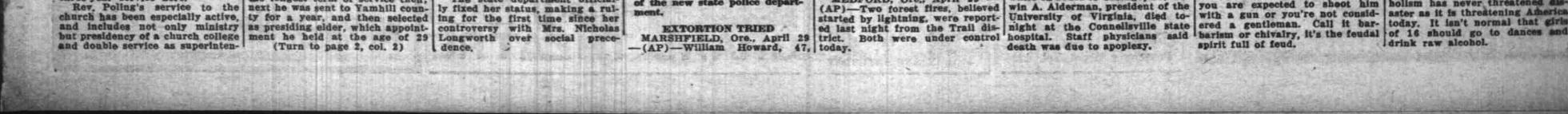
UNIVERSITY HEAD DIES.

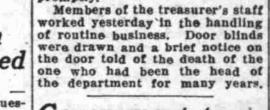
29.-(AP)-Stricken on a train while en route to Chicago, Dr. Edwin A. Alderman, president of the you are expected to shoot him

LONDON, April 29.-(AP)- "From one end to the other of Gilbert K. Chesterton, author, told this magnificent civilization there the Society for Preservation of is no such thing as a village. When Rural England today on his re-turn from the United States that an eyesore to anybody of Euro he felt as if he had "just return- pean tradition or instincts. The first things met are yellow, the advertisements, the buildings with frameworks of lead and glass and

tin shops and then, thank God, you are out of the town." In regard to prohibition, Ches terton said the law was threaten-

ing America with disaster. "There are no inns in America. he said, "but there is plenty to drink-far, far too much. Alco holism has never threatened dis-





Government to Borrow Money Official Avers

ATLANTIC CITY, April 29.-(AP)—Arthur A. Ballantine, as-sistant secretary of the treasury, said today the government would meet its deficit for the present

Barni smoked them occasionally. ing of the chamber of commerce of the United States, he added a

could be handled in the same way which would avoid a tax increase.

day morning will do a favor for Alfred E. Smith, his opponent in

Defendant May

Caucasia today. In the district of Gerussy 200

today.

were killed and 205 injured, while in the Sisiana region 192 were known to be dead and 600 Eighty per cent of the villages

in the Sangezur region were destroyed.

## **Police Revolt** Not Supported

WINDSOR, England, April 29 RIO DE JANEIRO, April 29.-(AP) - The Prince of Wales - No popular demonstraand his brother George, ending an tions followed the brief revolt of 18,000-mile trade mission to the police at Sao Paulo yesterday, South America, were joyfully welaccording to reports which reachcomed home today by King George ed here, and it was said complete and Queen Mary. quiet had been restored.

Regular army-troops, some sent from here, quelled the disturb-ance which was confined entirely

Leon Trotzky is welcome to come

ed from a different civilizationor barbarism, whatever you call

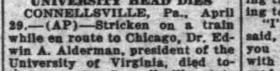
ing to Americans as to foreigners.

to police headquarters. Trotzky Likely To go to Spain MADRID, April 29.-(AP)-

Prohibition, "ugly" buildings and Tennessee's rigorous moral code impressed him strongest on his tour of America, he said, add-

ing that New York was as terrify-

"I've seen in Tennessee," he said, "where if a man insults you-



**America Terrible Place** Says Gilbert Chesterton