

MEIER CANNOT ACT ON DEBTS

Washington-Yamhill County Delegation Heard but Nothing Promised

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depressions." Governor Meier said, "but prosperity always has returned."
State Board Has Policy of Leniency
Governor Meier avowed that the state land board long ago adopted a lenient policy in dealing with its loans, and that worthy borrowers have been granted extensions of time in which to meet their obligations.

James Stewart, special investigator for the land board, said that a somewhat similar policy had been adopted by the federal land banks which hold many mortgages on farm property in Oregon and other northwest states.
"If I were you men," Governor Meier continued, "I would go to the men from whom I borrowed the money and place my cards on the table. I would tell them of conditions, and ask for further time in which to pay them. I am sure that in more than 90 cases out of 100 the requests would be granted. The loan companies do not want land under the present setup."

It was brought out at the conference that the state land board has no questionable loans either in Yamhill or Washington counties. The further statement was made that none of the borrowers in that section of the state have been threatened with eviction because they have not met their obligations. This statement was in connection with loans approved by the federal land banks and large loan companies.
Governor Meier declared that as far as he knew the executive department has no authority to grant a moratorium of private debt.

FIRST SCHOOL WILL OPEN NEXT MONDAY

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tracts before school starts, they will receive no pay from their districts until the contracts are registered as required by law.
A large number of schools will open September 14. An equally large number are scheduled to start September 21 while the bulk of the schools will be under way the last Monday in the month, September 28. Only one school has announced it will start at a later date. This is the Rock Point school which has set October 5 as its starting time.

The dates of opening and the schools which will start according to records in the county's superintendent's office are:
September 14: Whiskey Hill, Grassy Pond, Sidney, Scotts Mills, Mehama, Gervais grades, Stayton, Mountain View, Woodburn, Taylor, Auburn, Salem Heights, Mill City, Broadacres, Monitor, Silverton, Aumsville, Fern Ridge, Hubbard, Aurora, Belle Pass, White, Independence (Marion county).

September 21: Middle Grove, Richey, Marion, 240, Cambridge, Central Howell, Hazel Dell, St. Paul, McKee, Lake Lahish, Bethel, Talbot, Raybell, Lahish Center, Gervais high, Mt. Angel, Oak Glenn, Pratom, Butteville, St. Louis, Johnston, Liberty, Swegle, Turner.
September 28: Hayesville, Oak Ridge, Clear Lake, St. Paul, Arbor Grove, Pringle, Fairfield, Looney Butte, Bethany, Hazel Green, Thomas, Protopet, Four Corners, Center View, Keizer.
On September 8 the Sublimity school is scheduled to open. The opening date at Jefferson is set for September 11.

MONTREAL, Aug. 24—(AP)—Stanley Stasick, 240, Cambridge, Mass., defeated Einar Johannessen, Norway, two falls to one, in a wrestling match here tonight. The time, Stasick 20:30; Johannessen, 7:50; Los Angeles, George Vassil, 205, Los Angeles, defeated Louis Loew, France, fall in 12:25.

GRAND

Today Only
THOMAS
MEIGHAN
Dorothy
Jordan

YOUNG SINNERS

Wednesday
Thursday

Woman Hungry

LILA LEE
SONNENBERGER

LOOK TWICE



There's nothing lacking to complete this picture of charm in the pretty, snappily garbed person of Gertrude Vander Pool, of New York, as she swings along at the popular Southampton Beach Club, Southampton, L. I. Certainly it would be permissible to turn around for a second look if Miss Vander Pool should happen to wander by.

The Call Board

By OLIVE M. DOAK

HOLLYWOOD
Today—Lois Wilson and John Boles in "Seed."
Wednesday—Ed Wynne in "Following the Leader."
Friday—Ken Maynard in "Alias, The Bad Man."

ELGINORE
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Wednesday—Paul Lukas and Eleanor Boardman in "Young Sinners."
Friday—Charles Ruggles in "The Girl Habit."

GRAND
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Wednesday—Fred Kohler, Lila Lee in "Woman Hungry."
Friday—Buck Jones in "The Avenger."

"I Take This Woman" now showing at the Elsinore theatre is the love story of a carefree, selfish, petted girl used to luxury and the glitter of smart New York, who flirts with and marries a rugged, devil-may-care ranger. Disinherited because of her mad act, she tastes the bitterness of hopeless struggle on a barren western ranch. Discouraged, she throws it all away and returns to her father's home. There she renews her life of gaiety and luxury, but without zest. She discovers that she had tied herself to her plainsman husband with bonds more lasting than those of law.
The picture is well acted by a superior cast, and the direction intensifies its poignant, emotional theme. In these days of easy love, easy marriage and easy divorce, this picture is timely and pertinent. This girl reckoned on an easy out, divorce, after her hair-brained marriage grew wearisome; she didn't reckon on the uncontrollable force of love. You will enjoy this picture. Its varying backgrounds are fascinating, from the rowdy night club to the vast Wyoming ranch, to the luxurious Park Avenue home. And it is one picture with a wall up as big as its title.

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To start the Fall vacation season, we will hold another great "Dollar Day" sale for the Labor Day holidays. Roundtrips to all places on our Pacific Lines for approximately 1c a mile (\$1 for each 100 miles). Good on all trains, in coaches or in Pullmans (plus usual berth charge).

LEAVE THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY
Sept. 3-4-5
BE BACK BY MIDNIGHT, SEPTEMBER 14
Remember that Monday, Sept. 7, is Labor Day, making a 3-day week-end. Or you can take as many as 12 days for your trip.

EXAMPLES OF ROUNDTRIPS

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Eugene	\$ 1.40
San Francisco	\$15.05
Los Angeles	\$23.40

Southern Pacific

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WHEAT PARLEY STRIKES SNAG

Chinese and U. S. Agencies Divergent in Ideas On Payment Date

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stench is almost unbearable. Hordes of mosquitoes attack the unclad refugees, spreading malaria and other diseases now rampant.
Fifty Chinese and foreigners have formed a branch of the national flood commission, headed by Bishop Logan H. Root, of the Episcopal mission. An official estimates the cost of food and shelter alone to alleviate the most extreme suffering will require \$1,500,000, exclusive of the cost of medicines, during the next two months.
The national flood relief commission's finance committee decided today to ask Washington for more favorable terms on the rate of interest and length of credit offered China for the purchase of wheat held by the United States farm board.
Nanking reports that President Hoover had offered 30,000,000 bushels without interest charges the first 10 years have been found incorrect.

RUMOR LINDBERGH UNDER SUSPICION

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his wife were compelled to land as near as possible to them three times before completing the \$97 mile flight to Nemuro today.
NEMURO, Japan, Aug. 25—(Tuesday)—(AP)—A worried birdman and his wife, Charles and Anne Lindbergh, retired early last night and had what was described by observers as "one big sleep."
At 9 o'clock this morning (7 p.m. Monday EST) they were still sleeping and Kikuno Nakamura, keeper of the inn in which they were lodged, and his wife were tiptoeing about, admonishing their many children to "keep quiet."
Meanwhile, in accordance with an ancient Japanese custom, reposing in a shoe rack at the entrance of the hotel and the cynosure of the eyes of all early callers were Anne's high-laced boots, size three and a half, and the colonel's number twelve.

M'EWAN HELD FOR FAILURE TO REPORT

Charged with failing to appear in justice court when cited, for driving a car with alleged last year's license plates, C. D. McEwan, Silverton, last night was taken into custody at the Woodburn cannery where he was working, and brought to the city jail here, by Farley Mogan, state traffic officer. Mogan carried a warrant for McEwan's arrest and allowed his release only if he was able to post \$250 bail.
McEwan was arrested last week on the last year's plates charge, and showed Mogan a driver's license which later proved to belong to someone else. The warrant for his arrest was issued this afternoon when McEwan did not appear before Miller Hayden, justice of the peace at one o'clock. He is on leave of absence until August 31 from the U. S. Marine corps.

SOLONS ARE CALLED
BATON ROUGE, La., Aug. 24—(AP)—Gov. Huey P. Long tonight issued a call for a special session of the legislature for tomorrow night to consider passage of a statute prohibiting the planting of cotton in 1932.
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 24—(AP)—In a fit of pique because of a scolding, four year old Mavis Bean yanked a tack from her shoe, swallowed it and choked to death today.

NO SHORTAGE OF ACTION



The annual Gold Cup race, held off Montauk, Long Island, was a classic of speed and power as usual and, as in 1930, Hoty Toty, piloted by Victor W. Klierath (inset), won the speedy blue ribbon event of the racing season. The entries in the Gold Cup race, speeding by the judges' stand, while framed in flying spray are, front to back: The Californian, Miss Philadelphia, the Hoty Toty, the Red Banker and the Louisa. Miss Philadelphia was second and California placed third. Klierath is shown holding the coveted trophy.

STRANGLER LEWIS DEFEATS SARPOLIS

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 24—(AP)—Ed "Strangler" Lewis, Los Angeles claimant of the world's heavyweight wrestling championship, won two out of three falls from Karl Sarpolis, Cincinnati, here tonight.
Lewis, who weighed 233 pounds, used a series of headlocks and a flying mare to win the first fall in 22 minutes. Sarpolis who weighed 225, took a second with a body scissors in two minutes and five seconds.
Lewis won the third in seven minutes four seconds with a headlock.
Jumping Joe Savoldi, 202, Three Oaks, Mich., butted Don Oskovy, 210, Warsaw, Poland, to the mat in 12 minutes 26 seconds.

Early Request Santa Claus Asks For Pony

TACOMA, Aug. 24—(AP)—"Do your Christmas mailing early" has long been the plea of postal officials. At least one Tacoma lad has hearkened to the cry. Postal clerks here today received a letter, the first this year, addressed to "Santa Claus, North Pole" in which Santa was asked to "train a Shetland pony and bring him to me at Christmas."
"Well, I guess it takes time to train a pony," said the postmaster as he prepared to forward the letter to the north pole.

Meat Supply In Hankow Is Gone

HANKOW, China, Aug. 25—(Tuesday)—(AP)—This city's privation entered its second stage today when the meat supply failed. There was no hope of additional supplies until dealers are able to raft cattle down the Yangtze from above the flooded area.
The vegetable supply was exhausted several days ago, the population since depending on grain stores.

HOLLYWOOD

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—Unlike anything you've seen on the screen in years!

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STAN LAUREL and OLIVER HARDY
in their new M-G-M COMEDY
"OUR WIFE"

LABOR CABINET IS FORCED OUT

MacDonald Asked to Form Coalition Government For Great Britain

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When the second labor government passed out of existence today, it had been in office two years, two months and fifteen days. The recent publication of the May economic report, forecasting a deficit of approximately \$600,000,000 in next year's budget and the subsequent efforts of the prime minister and the cabinet to surmount this difficulty led directly to the administration's fall.
The prime minister was caught between objections of the trades union congress to a readjustment of the "dole" and the insistence of the conservatives that savings and not new taxes must be the essence of the government's proposals.

CAMPAIGN FOR AID FUNDS IS PLANNED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24—(AP)—A national campaign for local funds was announced today as the immediate objective of President Hoover's newly organized unemployment relief organization.
This was made known by Walter S. Gifford, national relief director, as he took over the task of mobilizing unemployment relief agencies.
Gifford said there are no plans at present for raising a national relief fund. The drive for funds, threatening to kill them and himself by wrecking it, was found undamaged in the bed of Dry lake four miles from here late today, and Billingsley, evidently by prearrangement, had fled in an automobile or truck with the boys. Billingsley is believed to have gone toward Los Angeles since the main highway from here leads back to Bishop, from which he fled. Automobile tracks from near the plane showed how Billingsley escaped. It was not considered likely an automobile would have been near the lake where he could commandeer it by chance and it was assumed he had a machine hidden there for use.
The plane in which Billingsley escaped with the boys was flown back to Bishop. He never had flown a plane before, and it was considered remarkable he landed without mishap.
At Bishop Billingsley's wife Rachel told authorities her husband, "nervous and desperate," arrived at her home about 10 a. m., and forcibly removed Junior, 5 and Gene, 8. As he drove away in an automobile, she said he called back that he intended to take them up in an airplane and "kill everybody." She said she believed he was armed.

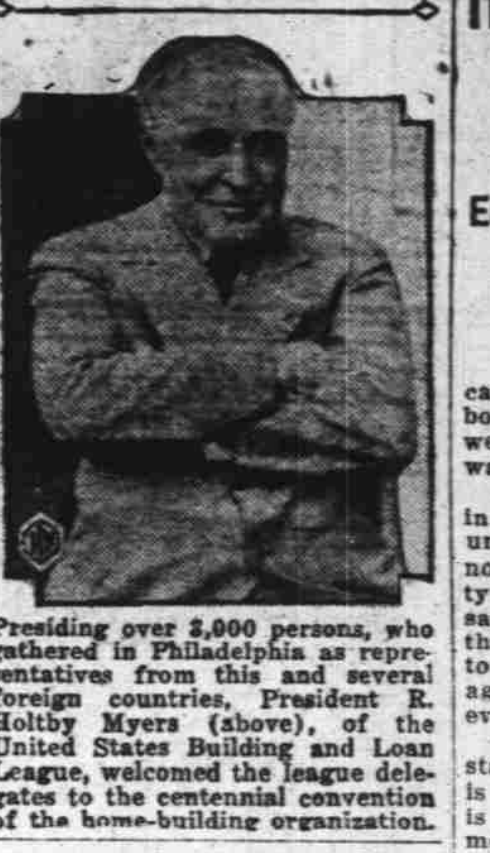
Secretary For Loan Firm Held On Theft Count

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24—(AP)—William G. McDiarmid, secretary of the Mission Building and Loan Association, was arrested here tonight on a charge of embezzling \$25,000 of the company funds.
The arrest followed an audit of the books which indicated this amount was missing.

Justice Holmes Better, Report

BEVERLY, Mass., Aug. 24—(AP)—Oliver Wendell Holmes, 99, associate justice of the supreme court of the United States, has been suffering from a cold during the past three days, but today was so much improved he left his bed. The cold was described as a light one.

BUILDER



Woman, Editor Of Home Paper Dies At Age 72

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24—(AP)—Mrs. Marie Evelyn Coo, 72, well known figure in American Journalism, died here today.
Mrs. Coo, who following the death of her husband edited the Nome, Alaska, Gold Digger for three years, was one of the first woman reporters in America. She was born in England.
Her body will be sent to Des Moines, Iowa, for burial beside her husband.

Monte Blue To Recover After Serious Burns

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., Aug. 24—(AP)—Physicians said today Monte Blue, film actor, will not be permanently scarred by scalds received from automobile radiator steam Sunday.
The sight of his left eye is slightly impaired but only temporarily, physicians said. Burns on his hands and face are superficial and will not leave scars.
Mrs. O. B. Keeler, wife of Bob Jones, "Boswell" is president of the Georgia Woman's Golf association.

HOPE SEEN FOR BUILDING MOVE

Employment Committee and Building Congress get Together on Plans

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cause the best class of skilled labor is available for small jobs as well as for large, and at reduced wages.
Judge Siegmund reported that in the road work the county has undertaken during the summer not a man from outside the county had been employed. Along this same line, Boyer stated his belief that the public must be educated to demanding its contractors to agree to hire local labor wherever possible.
One of the chief difficulties in starting the building roll is to convince the public that now is the time to build and invest its money in construction, members of the Building Congress' executive board asserted. Their effort by means of a full page advertisement run last week in The Statesman, setting forth actual facts in figures to demonstrate their contention, has brought them a host of favorable comments. Building organizations, Employment committees and finance companies have written to the local congress, commending its step, requesting information concerning its methods and urging that it continue the program of educational advertising.
Activities of the Portland chapter of the building congress, cooperating with other agencies, have resulted in the proposal of a \$9 million dollar civic improvement campaign there, including waterfront development and the projected construction of three 12-story office buildings. It was reported, "Give your neighbor a job" campaign is also being waged in the down-river city.
The local chapter of the congress is planning to invite the governor or his representative to participate in a coming meeting. The next session of the board of directors will be next Monday night and the next open forum for all members of the building industry will be Monday, September 14.

FIGHT IS DRAW

SALT LAKE CITY, Aug. 24—(AP)—Manuel Quintero, 112, Tampa, Fla., and Joe Cortez, 147, Boise, Idaho Mexican, battled to a draw in their 10-round main event here tonight.

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