

Shrapnel Hits Refugee Boat

Ten-Mile Trip Made, no Protection Except American Flag

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and then fled. Machine-guns and falling bombs menaced the area. During the entire day the waterfront was a scene of frenzied activity as the British and Americans were evacuated.

Splintered fragments of anti-aircraft shells were falling steadily, endangering everyone, bursting bombs and the thunder of cannons frequently shook the air. As the tenders pulled into the customs jetty the women and children struggled to get aboard. One baby was carried aboard the American tender in an incubator. It was a strange scene of farewell. Goodbyes were said restrainedly, but the noise of the steady artillery bombardment and the cries of those in the crowd struck by falling shell splinters charged the atmosphere with the poignancy of the danger all were facing.

There was no panic. There was no fainting. The women and children had to go and they went, leaving husbands and fathers behind.

To identify the Dollar line tender as a neutral refugee ship, officials stretched a large American flag across an upper deck like a canopy.

It was the craft's only protection on its perilous trip downstream to Woosung.

Big Appropriation Bill Passes House

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board's fund was overridden finally by a vote of 125 to 112.

The house cut much of the red tape out of its complicated parliamentary rules, speeding up business so that it may adjourn Saturday. Right-of-way to the floor tomorrow was obtained for low cost housing legislation, the only additional measure on the program which leaders expect to enact before adjournment.

Some members still fought today for action on wage and hour legislation. Representative Dougherty (D-NC) called a caucus of house democrats. In response to a petition signed by 33 of them, to consider what, if anything, can be done to ease the labor adjustment bill from opponents holding it in the house rules committee. The caucus was set for Thursday. Most leaders agreed, however, the wage-hour measure was destined to join court reorganization, executive reorganization, control and regional planning on the list of administration proposals falling of enactment.

Jason Lee Sunday School to Picnic

The Jason Lee Sunday school will hold its annual picnic Saturday afternoon, August 21, at the Dallas city park according to announcement made by H. B. Carpenter, superintendent.

People with cars are asked to meet at the church at 1:30 p. m. and 6 p. m. to help children and adults without transportation to the park. Dinner will be served at 6:30 p. m. Ice cream will be furnished free for children during the afternoon.

Games and swimming will be enjoyed under the direction of the recreational committee. All folk interested in the Jason Lee Sunday school are invited to attend the picnic.

The Call Board

GRAND
Today—Shirley Temple in "Rudyard Kipling's Most Famous Story" with Willie Winkie and Victor McLaglen.
Saturday—Ralph Bellamy, Betty Furness and Raymond Walburn in "It Can't Last Forever."
STATE
Today—"Cafe Metro" with Tyrone Power.
Friday—Eastern circuit vaudeville and Jane Withers in "Angels Holiday."
ELGINORE
Today—Clark Gable and Jean Harlow in "Saratoga."
Thursday—Double bill, Marion Davies and Robert Montgomery in "Ever Since Eve" and Ann Harding in "Love From a Stranger."
CAPITOL
Today—Double bill, Miriam Hopkins in "Woman on a Chassis" and Charles Starrett in "One Man Justice."
HOLLYWOOD
Today—Richard Arlen in "Silent Barriers."
Friday—Double bill, Joe E. Brown in "When's Your Birthday" and Bob Allen in "Unknown Ranger."

Rich Helium Deposit Reported



Raising her arms to thank God for her good fortune, Mrs. Jose Bishop is pictured on her property, near Cantil, Cal., which was recently reported to be rich in radium bearing pitchblende, and according to Mrs. Bishop, assaying at \$7000 a ton. Nine days later Mrs. Bishop was informed a large deposit of helium gas had been discovered less than half a mile from the previous rich strike. The woman said she was too excited to make immediate plans for the future.—HN photo.

Safety Parley at Portland Opened

PORTLAND, Aug. 17—(AP)—President Roosevelt opened the western safety conference through Governor Charles Martin today with a plea for all communities to organize in reducing the number of deaths from accidents.

The governor read the message, adding that "we must drive hard and fearlessly for definite objectives."
"Tapes are sounding today for 111,000 Americans losing their lives in the last 12 months and all of these deaths were preventable," the governor said.

Dr. Charles A. Howard, president-designate of the eastern Oregon normal school, said the public must be stirred to stop accidental bloodshed.

Hannah Martin, member of the legislature, pointed out that 38,000 persons lost their lives last year through accidents in the home.

Radio Softballers Win at Mt. Angel

Square Deal Radio went to Mt. Angel last night where they defeated an all-star team 12-7 to avenge a win by the same team over Square Deal last year in the first round of the state softball tournament.

Mt. Angel men were baffled by the speed displayed by Jackson, Square Deal hurler. Elliott hit the circuit for the Salem radio men.

Portlanders Buy Amity Business

AMITY—Robert Wyss and John Dahsen of Portland have bought the Massey super service station and garage operated by Orval Deuel who has returned to Sheridan. They will have charge of both the service station and garage. Lloyd Massey, who has had charge of the garage, is now employed in McMinnville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simpson and Mrs. Etta Day spent Friday at Neakowin.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Torbet spent last week at Brietenbush Springs. Mr. Torbet is vice president of the Bank of Amity.

Murder Theory Probed In Finding of Body in Wilds of Dutch Canyon

HILLSBORO, Aug. 17—(AP)—County authorities probed a murder theory today in connection with the body of a man found in the wilds of Dutch Canyon last week.

The victim is tentatively identified as Sven Lundstrom, 55, who disappeared in 1934. The body was a mile away from his cabin. The cause of death has not been established.

Ever-Growing Army Battles

Vow Taken to Push Foes Back Into Sea; Some Gains Are Claimed

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ties between the Japanese warships stretched along the Whangpoo and a Chinese army of 30,000 or 40,000 entrenched on the flats and factory district of Footing, just across the river from the heart of Shanghai. It ushered another night of fear-some waiting for the Americans remaining here.

They remained indoors, all the usual night life having been abandoned.

At least 100,000 men were locked in the battle which twisted along the Whangpoo from the Yangtze estuary to far south of Shanghai. Yesterday the Chinese armies, including at least four of the Japanese best divisions, were estimated at 70,000. Their numbers were steadily growing as more regular and irregular units arrived to increase the pressure from all sides of the Japanese positions, facing both ways from the Whangpoo.

This pressure was strongest along the Hongkew-Chapel sector, just north of the city, where the Chinese drove toward Japanese headquarters, in Yangtze, the eastern edge of the Japanese land positions, and in Footing across the river.

First of Traffic Signals in Place

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Boiler said. As soon as the cable is pulled through the conduits and connections made with the master control, the police station the signals will be ready for operation.

The master control, to be installed soon at the police station, and the six individual controls which permit separate operation of signals at any of the intersections either automatically or manually are here and ready to be installed.

R. R. McClure, engineer and factory representative of the Eagle Signal corporation, manufacturers of the signal units, is in Salem advising the Boiler company in installing the signals.

Trunk Murder Is Speedily Solved

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Living together about three months.

Ogden told Captain Mullins he and Sinecal had quarreled twice in Salem during the last week and that Sinecal had beaten him, the captain said.

The trunk was taken to the express office at the Pennsylvania terminal by two men in a taxi cab who assigned it to "Joseph Mena" in care of the American Express company at Memphis, Tenn.

They said at the time it contained silverware worth \$300 and that the \$3 shipping charge would be paid by the receiver in Memphis.

Report of "Jobs For All" Refuted

Claims that all persons who desire to obtain jobs in Oregon may do so is not borne out by the records in the state department here.

The records of the secretary of state show more than 2,000 applications for various jobs. In other state departments reported a similar condition.

Lyons Folk Join Family Gathering

LYONS—Mrs. Della Westenhouse, Holley and Charmaine attended a family reunion at Mrs. Westenhouse's mother's home in Jordan.

Members of the family present included Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schwind and three children, Mr. and Mrs. E. Jungwirth and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Shindler and two daughters, Miss Mary Schwind and Julia who are sisters, Agnes and Barbara of Oswego, who were honor guests of the day, Francis, Fred and Clarence Schwind and Mrs. Anna Schwind.

Parade Feature of Cole Circus



The circus day parade has been a rarity in recent years but it is still a feature of the Cole Bros. circus which comes here Saturday, August 28. Here are the elephants parading in characteristic fashion past throngs of interested spectators. Clyde Beatty's animal training act and Ken Maynard's wild west specialties are the outstanding features of the circus.

Centennial of Lee Mission Founding To Be Celebrated With Interesting Program Next Sunday at Champoege

A large and interesting event of next Sunday is to be the centenary celebration at Champoege of the 100th anniversary of the founding of the Oregon mission by Jason Lee on July 18, 1837.

The centenary, expected to be the mecca for a large crowd, is sponsored by the Methodist conference historical society, with Dr. William Wallace Youngson, president.

On August 22, 1837, exactly a century before this coming Sunday, Jason Lee and Ana Marie Pitman, together with Cyrus Shepard and Susan Downing were on a double "honeymoon" traveling over what is now the Salmon river trail to the Pacific ocean.

Noted speakers who will be present at the centenary to make addresses include Dr. Bruce Baxter, president of Willamette university; Rev. J. M. Canse, D. D.; and Dr. Youngson.

Three full vested choirs will provide music, with famous anthems to be sung. A male quartet from a Salem church will also present a number.

The program Sunday will open at 3:30 p. m. and includes the following: "America"—Audience—Robert Klemple director. Hymns: "When All Thy Mercies"—Herbert Benson; "Across the Sea of Life"—Herbert Benson; "Prayer for the Father"—Herbert Benson; "The Lord Is My Strength"—Herbert Benson.

Invocation—Walter Skjvorth, D. D. Anthem: "Remember Now Thy Creator"—Herbert Benson. The Jason Lee Church Young Men's quartette.

The 90th Psalm. Rev. J. B. Jeffrey, Pastor, Oregon City Hymn: "Watchman Tell us of the Night"—Herbert Benson. Anthem: "The Oregon Mission Centennial"—Herbert Benson. Anthem: "The Lord Is My Strength"—Herbert Benson.

"Are Ye Able"—Koschet. Leslie Church Queen Esther Vested choir. Anthem: "The Homestead Trip of the Lee's and Shepard's"—Rev. William Wallace Youngson, D. D., L. L. D. Hymn: "I Will Sing You a Song"—Herbert Benson. Anthem: "The Oregon Mission Centennial"—Herbert Benson. Anthem: "Remember Now Thy Creator"—Herbert Benson. Combined Salem and Newberg choirs. Robert Klemple, director. Benediction: The Rev. Louis Magin, D. D.

California People Join Reunion Near Quincy

ELDRIDGE—Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Girod and daughters Linda and Shirley attended the Girod family reunion held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Girod near Quincy.

Mrs. Mabel Robertson has charge of the Quincy general merchandise store, having purchased the business from Walter Anderson who operated the store the past few years.

SALEM SAT. 28 AUG. MADISON ST. GROUND COLE BROS. CIRCUS

with CLYDE BEATTY and KEN MAYNARD
3 R. E. TRAINS
200 ACTS
60 CLOWNS
500 HORSES
WILDERNESS 200
\$7.50 DAILY EXPENSE
STREET 11 A.M.
PARADE 11 A.M.
THREE DAILY 2 & 8 DOORS OPEN 1 & 7

Rudyard Kipling's Most Famous Story SHIRLEY TEMPLE

with WILLIE WINKIE and VICTOR McLAGLEN

GRAND

Received and Admission Tickets on Sale Circus Day at Central Pharmacy, 410 State St.

Woman in Car Burns Fatally

Open Container Catches Fire When Cigarette Is Lighted, Report

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picker on the Paul Singer hopyard near Donald. His son, Obbb New, was sitting behind the wheel but escaped unhurt, as did the elder New and Flannigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Flannigan had driven toward Donald from the hopyard but ran out of gas when about a mile away. They walked into Donald, purchased the gasoline and were about to return when Mr. New, ready to drive back to the hopyard, invited them to ride. The disaster occurred just as they were getting into the car to ride out to where their own machine had been left.

The Flannigans had been working in harvest in various parts of the northwest, but made their home at Everett, Wash., recently. Mrs. Flannigan leaves a sister, Mrs. Jessie Fraser of Mt. Vernon, Indiana. There are no children. The body was taken to the Aurora mortuary.

Deschutes Is Toughest Stream to Navigate so Californian to Try It

BEND, Aug. 17—(AP)—B. E. Fauqua of San Bernardino, Calif., arrived here today to inspect the roaring, rocky Deschutes river. He plans to travel down the stream in a canoe next year.

Fauqua came to the northwest in search of the "toughest" stream and he thinks now he has found it. The Deschutes is full of boulders and water falls.

Ramseyer Chosen Regional Officer Of Kiwanis Clubs

PORTLAND, Aug. 17—(P)—The northwest district of the Kiwanis club elected G. I. Griffith of Olympia its president today and named Tacoma the convention city for 1938.

Griffith succeeds B. Gengelbach of the Montavilla club of Portland.

One thousand members from Oregon, Washington, Idaho and British Columbia concluded their annual session today.

Eleven lieutenant governors are R. I. Wise, Bellingham; Frederick E. Baker, Seattle; Wilbur Daniel, Buckley; Harry Born, Olympia; J. C. Beeson, Clatskanie; Charles Nelson, Spokane; Charles Harlan, Lewiston; Jack Allen, Pendleton; Jack Godfre, Portland; Ben Ramseyer, Salem; and Everett A. Faber, Medford.

The delegates recommended recommended government legislation to regulate labor.

Truck Operators Fees' Total High

Trucking operators paid \$771,387 in fees to the public utility commission during the first half of this year, N. G. Wallace, state utility commissioner, reported Tuesday.

Fees for the entire year 1936 aggregated \$605,585. Receipts for the first six months of 1937 were \$361,850, or \$210,000 under this year's figure.

Wallace said the increased receipts reflected improved conditions in the motor transport industry. June receipts were \$104,609, the largest monthly total in four years.

ELSINORE Matinee 2:15 All Seats 25c

POSITIVELY ENDS TODAY
CLARK GABLE in "SARATOGA"
JEAN HARLOW

THURS. 2 BIG HITS
FRI. - SAT.

MARION DAVIES
HAIL! HAIL!
THE GANG'S ALL HERE!

EVER SINCE EVE

ROBERT MONTGOMERY

—AND 2ND BIG HIT—

Don't miss its starting climax! And please don't tell it to your friends!

HANN HARDING
BASIL RATHBONE

LOVE FROM A STRANGER
with BIRNIE HALE

CAPITOL Box Office Open 6:45
TODAY - THUR. - FRI. - SAT.
2 Big Hits
IT'S DAFFY!!

From their first free-for-all fight in the parlor to their last argument in a tree-top love nest, it's the dizziest, de-nuttiest comedy that ever blew out of Hollywood to make the whole world limp from laughing!

WILD, WILD WOMAN

Woman Chases Man

Miriam with Cool
HOPKINS - MCCREA
Charles Winninger

—And 2nd Hit—
PETER B. KYNES
"One Man Justice"
with CHAS. STARRETT

HOLLYWOOD FAMILY NIGHT 40c
with **BUENOS AIRES**
with **RICHARD ARLEN**
Added Cartoon—News— and Comedy

STATE THEATRE TODAY & THURSDAY 2 Days Only!
Loretta Young
Adolphe Menjou
Tyrone Power
ON THE BEACH
with **METROPOL**
A Twentieth-Century-Fox Picture

GRAND
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