Peiping Front Has Spotlight

Two Chinese Armies Are Sent North to Stop Nippon Thrusts

(Continued from page 1) north China campaigns were unt standing developments today as conflict continued savagely over council said. most of the 2000-mile Chinese war

The Japanese reported they had plunged further into Shansi province, bombed its capital, broken Chinese armies south of Peiping. threatened to smash China's cen-

tral Hopeh defense lines. On the Shanghai front the Chinese asserted they had recaptured Lotien. Cholera became a graver peril to Shanghai's millions.

Japanese warships and planes continued to harry the south China coasts, but the Chinese claimed - without independent confirmation-their airforce had struck back with punishing effect, sinking one enemy cruiser and damaging other vessels. Japanese planes bombed Canton's airport. According to Japanese, General Count Juichi Terauchi's command extended its advance south and southwest of Peiping, where the

capture of Kuanhsien Wednesday

split the Chinese lines.

Calvalry, tanks and infantry from Kuanhsien, 30 miles south of Peiping, was approaching Chochow on the Pelping-Hankow railway, 40 miles below Peiping. Capture of Chochow would make the railway useless to the Chinese north of Paotingfu, their main base 80 miles southwest of Peiping and apparently the main objective of this Japanese drive. Sixty thuosand Japanese were

engaged in this operation against eight Chinese divisions, about 100,000 men. Commanding the retreating Chinese was General Japanese army spokesmen said

still larger battles were in prospect, with domination of all Hopeh province at stake.

Military observers believed the Japanese, unless checked, would extend their advance west of the Peiping-Hankow railway toward the borders of Shansi, into which another fast driving Japanese column has penetrated from the north. That column, largely composed of veterans from Japan's Manchurian garrison, reported its capture of Huaijen, 20 miles southwest of Tatung, chief railway center of north Shansi.

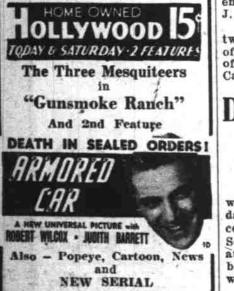
Heavy rains slowed the Shanghai fighting. The Japanese heavy mechanized units were mired. But Japanese spokesmen said their forces there, under command of General Iwane Matsui, would undertake shortly operations to drive the Chinese inland.

Lindy to Become Britisher, Claim

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flier's spokesman at the time Charles Lindbergh, jr., was kidnaped and slain in 1932. Breckinridge said:

"The only person who can confirm that is Colonel Lindbergh himself. No one else has a right to speak for him that I know of." In Detroit, Lindbergh's mother, Mrs. Evangeline Booth Lindbergh, refused to see or speak to



"JUNGLE JIM" COMING SUNDAY TWO FEATURES

Laurel and Hardy 'Way Out

Walter Brennan "The Affairs of Cappy

Children Lacking Shoes Are out of School, Is Claim

PORTLAND, Sept. 16.-(AP)-W. K. Patrick of the Oregon Theory Security Cannot Workers' Alliance today charged relief agencies are responsible for children staying home from school because they have no shoes.

The charges, made before the city council, will be relayed to state and county agencies which some great effort those in control are in charge of relief funds, the

Patrick alleged relief agencies refused to act when shown the their aims, the court has proved need of shoes for school children. ot be as James Madison expressed He also asserted some children are the hope and belief it would prove undernourished and not receiving 'an impenetrable bulwark against

Munitions Halted At LA, Revealed

(Continued from page 1) out for Manila, by way of Honolulu, Wake and Guam, on our regularly advertised voyage."

The military planes and pistols were listed on the manifest as consigned to Hong Kong "on or- tion, all judgment, together with der," there being no listing of ownership.

These materials will be stored on the docks at San Pedro pend- tinued, "we began wrong 150 ing further orders from the shippers.

The Wichita is the first steamer carrying war materials to This theory would write 'lie stop here since the decree of across the face of the declaration President Roosevelt, issued earlier this week, forbidding govern- across the federal constitution. ment-owned merchant vessels to transport implements of war to and has been proven to be false the far eastern war zone.

GENEVA, Sept. 16-(AP)-China's appeal to the League of compatible with but are essential Nations to halt Japan's inva- factors in economic security. sions today was turned over to eastern advisory committee, of which the United States was only a consultative member.

It was decided to send invitations soon to Washington and capitals of 22 other nations which held places on the original committee to reconvene to consider the latest oriental crisis. Hence the question of the American attitude toward further .collaboration with the league on far eastern affairs became a vital matter in Geneva.

Great Britain already has assigned Sir John Pratt, British right to live your faith and worforeign office expert on Chinese affairs, as her representative on the advisory committee.

Early Pioneer of State Dies at 81

(Continued From Page 1) landmarks in Polk county until

razed in recent years. lamette university and taught school until her marriage to Louis Abrams, pioneer merchant and warehouseman of Lincoln, an ox team in '49.

moved to Salem, where she made her home with her son, Carle races, and faiths in ordered lib-Abrams, until her death, except for a few years at Roseburg and | who come within its jurisdiction, Eugene where she kept house for her daughter.

She was a life long Methodist. ister and two of her uncles, George and John Roork, also Methodist ministers, were instrumental in erecting the present First Methodist church in Salem. She was a sister of Mrs. J. D. Lee of Salem.

Mrs. Abrams is survived by two daughters, Letitia Abrams of Salem, and Lois Abrams Green of New York City, and a son, Carle Abrams, of Salem.

Dockmen Soon to Get CIO Charter

(Continued from page 1) without major developments today. All sawmills were closed except the Inman-Poulson and Southeast Portland, which operated on a limited basis. The number of employes thrown out of work was estimated at 3000. The city council shelved a communication from the commonwealth federation calling atten-

tfon to an asserted "reign of terror" after the mayor denied that such a condition existed.

The council empowered Mayor Joseph Carson to increase the personnel of the harbor police patrol and to rent additional boats if he sees fit.

DO YOU KNOW ---

That Roofs Don't Wear Out, But They Do Dry Out

> That is why the surfacing is so vital to roofing. It protects the asphalt from the powerful sun's rays. The rock or mineral so commonly used for the surfacing of the average roofing oxidizes and sluffs off, exposing the asphalts.

Vermont Slate Does Not Oxidize

Estimates on Flat and Steep Roofs

Also Cedar Shingles

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Sacredness Is Borah's Theme

Coincide With Liberty Assailed by Senator

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of the political forces of the nation have looked down upon the Bill of Rights as an obstacle to every assumption of power in the legislative or the executive,' and has furthermore resisted 'every encroachment upon the rights' which the people had stipulated in the constitution should never be disregarded or surrendered."

resignations last Ju w

Action in Courts

Proposed by CIO

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16-

(AP)-General Counsel Lee Press-

man of the CIO hinted today his

organization might seek to launch

contempt proceedings against the

AFL tegristers union for block-ading the San Francisco water-

front in a struggle for jurisdic-

to reinforce the longshoremen's

campaign of resistance, indicated

he would explore provisions of

the Wagner labor relations act

with a view to invoking it against

"Failure of an employer to bar-

gain with the recognized organ-

ization constitutes a violation of

the Wagner act," Pressman told

interviewers, "and would subject

that employer to all penalties,

labor organization that would act

in collusion or connivance of its

right to bargain, could and should

SEASIDE, Ore., Sept. 16-(AP)-

The Pacific logging congress, end-

ed its session here tonight, elect-

ed Walter Ryan of Tacoma presi-

dent, succeeding George Drake of

Gordon McNary of Skotia.

Paul Searles of Longview,

Wash., retained his world's log

bucking championship, defeating

Allen Heyd, British Columbia

champion, by severing a 32-inch

log in two minutes and 26 sec-

Hevd's time was two minutes.

employe from "labor racketeers."

Will Open Today

ASHLAND, Sept. 16-(AP)-P. P

distance by three miles. An 800-

foot tunnel is planned near the

end of the section to be opened

Helped, First Aid Car

Preston Hale, Star cannery em-

morning at 6 o'clock. Hale, who

had just driven to work, was un-

able to get out of his car as it

sat along side the cannery build-

ing. It took an hour and a half

of work by the first aid unit,

Obituary

Thomas W. Birk of Paxton, Ill.,

brother, William T. Birk, Salem.

September 16, at the age of 45

years. Also survived by two sis-

ters, Mrs. Goldie Trickle, Paxton.

and Mrs. Mable Ratliff, Council

Bluffs, Iowa; a brother, John

Birk of Kearn, Nebraska Funeral

announcements later by the

Clough-Barrick company.

Heart Attack Sufferer

Highway Section

at 8 a. m. tomorrow.

Calif., was named vice president.

"Similarly, any other person or

such as a contempt citation.

be held in contempt."

Shelton, Wash.

35 1/2 seconds.

onds.

Pressman, sent here by the CIO

tion over warehousemen

the teamsters if possible.

In behalf of the theory that 'personal liberty has become incompatible with economic security," it is argued, he said, that: "The things to be done are so big, so vast, that they must be done by the government and the

citizens must yield up all discremost of his ancient privileges and his personal liberty. "If that is true," Borah con-

years ago. If that is true, Washington and Jefferson were wrong and Mussolini and Hitler are right. of independence and 'obsolete "But the theory itself is false

by all human experience. Personal liberty, the discretion and judgment of the citizens, are not in-"In those countries where the

the league's resurrected far people have been induced to give up their rights as free men and free women under the promise of economic security, they have lost Rights of People

"Will those who contend that Steiwer Speaker the constitution is not sacred go so far as to say that the right of the people to determine the form of government under which they live is not sacred, that liberty is not sacred, that to be free from arbitrary arrests and the torture chamber is not sacred, that the ship your God unmolested is not "If they will not go so far as

to say these things are not sacred. then let us remember that upon the exclusive power of the people to make their constitution and to keep it as they make it, or amend it, as they choose, all these sacred things depend. When the people lose control of their constitution, they have already lost control of their government! It is an old story that when the people lose power, they lose liber

"I may have the wrong conception of the word sacred. But I feel that an instrument of government, purchased by years of sacrifice and bloodshed upon the field, by weeks and months of arduous ef-In 1910 Mrs. Abrams again fort in counsel, which has held together people of all climes, erty, which gives freedom to all which makes the people sovereign and public officials their agents, is sacred by every rule which Her father was a Methodist min- measures the worth of human progress or human freedom.

56th Traffic Fatality Is Counted in Portland

PORTLAND, Sept. 16-(AP)-Portland's traffic fatalities for the police year stood at 56 today with the deaths of Sam Danna, 76, struck by an automobile Saturday, and Pete Stehlick, 54, injured in a collision Monday.

The Call Board

GRAND Today-"You Can't Have Everything" with Alice . Faye, Don Ameche and Ritz Bros. Saturday-Jane Withers and

Walter Brennan in "Wild and Wooly."

HOLLYWOOD Today - Donble bill, the Three Mesquiteers in "Gunsmoke Ranch" and "Armored Car" with Rob-

ert Wilcox and Judith Bar-ELSINORE Today-Double bill, Constance Bennett and Roland Young in "Topper" and

Fred Stone in "Hideaway." * CAPITOL Today-Double bill, Gary * Cooper and Jean Arthur in . "Mr. Deeds Goes to Town" . and Lewis Stone in "Man *

Today - Eastern circuit . Vaudeville, "Wings of . Morning" with Henry Fon- * da, Annabella and Leslie

Cried Wolf."



Internal Revenue Roundup Gets **Aides Resign Due** Record Crowd To Probe Dispute

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16-(AP)-A clash over the administration's Attendance for First Day recent investigation of "tax dodg-Greatest Since 1929; ing" split the internal revenue bureau wide open today. Morrison Amateurs Compete Shafroth of Denver, chief of the bureau's legal corps, disclosed he

PENDLETON, Ore., Sept. 16had resigned, along with his assistant, Russel J. Ryan of Indi-(AP) - Sun-browned, horny-handed sons of the saddle and the plow Rebelling at the idea of publitangled here today with "proeizing names of alleged tax evadfessional bucking horses as Pendleton's 28th annual rounders at a joint senate-house comup, the first strictly amateur mittee hearing, the two were given their choice of carrying out show in many years, yipped its this administration plan or reway into exuberant life.

A crowd of ranchers and "ten-They disclosed they had chosen derfeet," estimated by Round-up the latter course, submitting their Association Secretary Roy W. Ritner at 7000, the largest gate since 1929 jammed the grandstands.

The spine-tingling "games," the inheritance of the western man, got under way beneath cloudless skies, with a shrill whoop from a Cayuse Indian chief and a gracious nod from Queen Cathryn Collins No records were broken or

threatened, but the "amateur" performers from the range who the withdrawal of the professionals of the "turtles" organization, gave plenty of action. Majority Fall off

The bucking event found 11 of 23 riders sticking.

topped the bulldoggers with a pew, Galena, Ore., in the calf to Ross Henrie, Salmon, Idaho. in the steer roping, time 39 3-5 less this year. seconds.

FR May Request Black to Resign

(Continued from page 1) to influence the decision of the At Log Congress to influence the decision of the supreme court by appointing to it a majority of puppets of his own choosing-hillbilly Ku Klux wool hats from the forks in the

creek like Scnator Black." Fish's veiled attack on other members of congress was made in a statement in which he said responsibility for Black's appointment "rests squarely with the president."

He suggested that "if Klan affiliations are to be a test of public office, it might be well to find out the status of the speaker of the house (Rep. Bankhead), who, like Black, hails from Alabama." Charles E. Cropley, clerk of

Sen. Frederick Steiwer, addressing the final banquet attended of office on August 19, thereby by 700 logging operators, supercomplying with the legal reintendents and engineers, criticiz- quirements for membership of ed the Wagner act for failing to the court. protect both the employers and

Walnut, Filbert **Crops Show Gain**

Whitmore, resident engineer, to-PORTLAND, Sept. 16-(AP)-A day announced 10 miles of new market survey here today said the Pacific superhighway from Ash-Oregon walnut crop is estimated land to near the Siskiyou sumat 2600 tons, while filberts are mit will be opened to traffic expected to run about 2100 tons. compared with 1400 and 1850 The new pavement, 20 feet tons, respectively, last year. wide, will reduce the present

California walnut production, the survey said, seems "set for an

Italy and Turkey is estimated at 8, due to San Francisco dock war-105,000 tons unshelled, the same fare. as last year. Spain is expected to have more filberts than last year, and a fair quantity of the old crop bertown, is due Friday to carry still is on hand. Volume of ship- a shipment to San Pedro, where ploye, was resusitated from a ments from Italy and Turkey to it is believed, officials said, the fuheart attack by the fire depart-Germany and England is uncer- ture cargoes can be handled. ment's first aid car yesterday tain.

September Heat Record Established for Baker

headed by P. L. Clark, to revive BAKER, Sept. 16-(AP)-Previous weather records fell here Wednesday afternoon when the mercury climbed to 95.4 degrees, an all-ime high. The previous maximum for the month was 94, established in 1931. passed away at the home of his

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A DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPERTY

Constitution not Inspired, Stated

The constitution of the United States was neither divinely inslickers" with selfish aims, Dr. Dexter M. Keezer, president of Reed college, said in a constitution day address here today. Both politics and economics entered into the document which was adopted for a working and an enduring government, the provisions establishing the rights of the people being added later by amendment, he said.

Assessed Values In Oregon Lower

PORTLAND, Sept. 16-(AP)-Ore- activities. gon's assessed valuations decreased 2.3 per cent this year over 1936, while in Washington, as- foregone, went on to predict vic- to be held next Monday. sessed valuations increased 13 62, tory for him in the November merce research department as which Mahoney said he now serted today.

had the field to themselves after cent. In Washington, eastern tion." counties increased 13.25 per cent,

041 per cent, according to the by as he went to the polls. Blackie Bryant of Walla Walle survey. The average of assessed valuation represented by taxes highly athletic, even at 62, is time of 27 1-5 seconds. First levied was 3.967 per cent in 1936. place money went to Lloyd De- 3.910 per cent, or .057 per cent union. less, in 1937. For eastern counroping with 23 2-5 seconds, and ties this average was .041 and for

Fire Hazard Still Great, Announced

Forests will remain closed longer than usual this fall bethere is on earth" and asserted cause of the high fire hazard, the the president "seeks the power state forestry department said Thursday.

A hazard existed throughout Oregon yesterday, although lessened somewhat by moist winds and fog on the coast.

There were only a few small blazes, all under control, in the state yesterday. They started during the low humidity period Monday and Tuesday when a hot wind blew down from the north.

Groat Is Held in **Auto Theft Case**

SILVERTON-Ray Groat was the supreme court, disclosed that bound over to the grand jury Black had taken a dual oath and George Balcom was disgoods under false pretense. L. M. Hendrickson was the complainant, charging that the men had taken his automobile. There was not sufficient evidence to hold Balcom. The case was heard Thursday afternoon before Judge Alf O. Nelson. Groat's bail was set at \$250 which he was unable to furnish this after-

Coos Bay Lumber Plant to Reopen

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Sept. 16 .-(AP)-Coos Bay Lumber company ofall-time high" with 57,000 tons ficials today said the big plant will reopen Monday with two full shifts The combined filbert crops of after being closed since September

More than 1100 men have been idle. The company ship, S. S. Lum-

KIM TAMIROF

Mahoney Wins Over Copeland PORTLAND, Sept. 16-(AP)-

spired nor the work of "city Tammany Takes Licking; Candidate Refuses to Admit it Yet

> (Continued from page 1) substantially as an anti-new dealer, although his forces softened their Roosevelt criticism toward the end. Victory for FR,

Mahoney Asserts Mahoney, flatly saying it was all over, went off to bed about a, m., after saying:

"This is a victory for Franklin D. Roosevelt, our great president, and the progressive liberal policies which have characterized all his administrative LaGuardia leaders, calling his

One of those who lost, in a western counties, 13.79 per cent. sense, was Alfred E. Smith, dem-Oregon taxes levied in 1936 ocratic presidential candidate of and collectible in 1937 showed 1928, who stumped for Copeland, an increase for the entire state of and exhibited a new brown der-

Mahoney, affable, spare and head of the Amateur Athletic

Soon after 2 a. m. (EST), Mahoney had 208,251 to Copewestern counties .073 per cent land's 118,679. In the republican primary, LaGuardia had 46,925 and Copeland 26,999.

Constitution Job Wearies Framers

(Continued from page 1) banded together for the appearance of unanimity although they never agreed on what it all meant.

Next day George Washington artillery officers and saluted headed his chariot carriage for Mount Vernon to watch field hands cut fodder. They were planting corn when he left more than four months before. The general had been formally

named custodian of the convention papers, subject to the order of congress "if ever formed under the constitution." Bitter Edmund Randolph



Ritz Bros. Last Don Amache in

Have Everything" #GRAND#

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Warner Schmidt

Leigh

and

Kemper

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stormed back to Virginia, sweari g nine states never would ratify, and Elbridge Gerry trembled lest his own Massachusetts fall into civil war over what Maryland's able Luther Martin ceedings.

denounced as "high handed pro-At last Benjamin Franklin, then 81, could talk to his heart's content. During the convention, when secrecy was desired, a member accompanied Franklin on nocturnal rounds of camaraderie to kick the garrulous old gentleman's shins when he told

Courthouse Issue **Petition Checked**

too much.

Names appearing on courthouse construction petitions were being checked for legality by employes of the county clerk's office yesterday preparatory to the nomination by the republicans first of two courthouse meetings

The clerk's office is checking the Portland chamber of com- general election—an election to whether names appearing on the petition are registered voters, pointed that there might be a and the petitions will then go The report said eastern Oregon "return of the city of New York to the assessor's office to decounties showed 3.4 per cent de- to a useful, efficient and pro- termine whether the signers were crease, western counties, 1.8 per gr. sive democratic administra- on tax rolls last year. The law requires of the petition that it contain names equal to 2 per cent of legal voters at the last gubernatorial election, and that these names appear on last year's tax rolls as well.

Monday's meeting will be necessary to comply with a law requiring such a meeting before an election for a new courthouse, at which time petitions containing about 600 names must be filed.

SHE COULDN'T BEND OVER HER **BACK ACHED SO!**

an-Tage Gave Her Relief From Sluggish Kidneys, Pains in Back, Stomach Gas, Constipation. "I Gladly Endorse It," She Says.

Mrs. Marie Siemens, of 2234 N. Watts St., Portland, is now adding her name to the long list of Oregon people who praise and endorse VAN-TAGE the Amazing New Medicine being introduced to crowds daily in this city at the Fred Meyer Toiletry and Remedy



Shop, 170 N. Liberty St. Mrs. Siemens has lived in Oregon for many years and has many friends not only in her home city, but here in Salem as well. Read what she says about Van-Tage. Her statement follows.

Severe Pains in Back Almost Stifled Her "My stomach was so gassy and

apset that everything I ate disagreed with me," said Mrs. Siemens. "Acidy foods were the worst of all, and my meals wouldn't digest or nourish my system propery and I kept losing strength until felt worn-out all the time. My kidneys were sluggish, causing such a misery all through my back and around my kidneys that can hardly even describe it. The sharp pains were something awful. I was so stiff and sore in my back that I could hardly take a step without flinching, and when' tried to stoop over, the pains would almost stifle me! My bowels were sluggish and I had to take strong physics and this sluggishness finally filled my system with poisons and made me feel sick all the time. "Finally I found Van-Tage and

this Great Medicine helped me from the very first. It had a wonderful action on my stomach organs and helped to clear out leads of that gassy bloating and now my meals agree with me just fine. I can even eat acidy foods without suffering and my meals are nourishing my system much better. It also flushed my sluggish kidneys and brought me blessed relief from those terrible sharp pains in my back, and now I feel fine in the mornings because the stiffness and soreness is relieved. My bowels are more regular thanks to the fine laxative action of Van-Tage. In short, I feel better than I have in ages, and I am here to say that Van-Tage is the finest thing of its kind I ever took and I will not hesitate to

21 Great Natural Herbs

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