

The Weather
Fair today and Monday but cloudy on coast. No change in temp. Max temp. Sat. 82; min. 52. River -3.4 ft. North winds.

Football!
Football squads up and down the coast began drills yesterday. Read the latest football news in The Statesman sport pages.

EIGHTY-EIGHTH YEAR

German Leaders Hurl Defy at Great Britain

Schools Open Tomorrow

Fair at Close After Record Week Is Done

Climax Today With Free Program and Lowered Admission

Attendance Breaks Mark of 1937 by Several Thousands

Oregon's best attended state fair will come to a close today, with the climax to be a smashing vaudeville show at the grandstand this afternoon at 2 o'clock...

Maryland Primary In Finish Stretch

Charges, Counter Charges Hurlled by Candidates in Bitter Race

BALTIMORE, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Maryland's bitter new deal-ter primary roared into its finish drive today as President Roosevelt urged speed on approval of two PWA bridge projects in the state.

State Federation Head Has Illness

PORTLAND, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Stricken with a severe case of influenza, D. E. Nickerson, president of the state federation of labor, was confined to bed today, forcing a postponement of a conference of the federation executive board to elect new candidates for the November election...

Navy Officer Drowns

CHEFOV, China, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Lieutenant Benjamin W. Vitou, of the United States navy, formerly of Portland, Ore., was drowned accidentally today.

TELL-O-SCOPE

LOW FINANCE—Every time a harassed mother shooed her offspring away to the city playground — or perhaps it was a dotting mother who hated to let the young ones out of her sight, but thought it was for their best interests — it costs the community 2.8 cents.

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Senator Takes Time for Lunch



Senator Millard E. Tydings, one of those marked on the president's "purge" list, has been so busy campaigning for the democratic senatorial nomination in Maryland he has often snatched a lunch between speeches.

5000 Students Tuesday Begin Regular Study

Teaching Staff Attends Banquet as Kick-Off for Opening

Chancellor Hunter Says Educators Must Keep Democracy

School days of 1938-39 will begin in Salem Monday for more than 5000 boys and girls with half-day schedules of classes planned by the administration. Regular study work will be started Tuesday.

Wirewalker Hurt In 75-Foot Fall

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 10.—(AP)—William Crowson, international known wire walker, fell 75 feet to the ground today at the afternoon performance of the Hagombeck-Wallace circus, being possibly fatally injured.

He Couldn't Take The Cut With Him

An excited little boy appeared at the first aid station on the fairgrounds last night to seek some iodine for a nail cut.

Nine Balloons Trying For Bennett Race Win

LEIEG, Belgium, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Nine balloons will take the air tomorrow in the international James Gordon Bennett race.

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Britain Warns She Won't Be Neutral Power

Semi-Official Statement Assures British Views Get to Nazis

Britain Hopes Knowledge Will Forestall War From Fuehrer

LONDON, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Great Britain has warned Adolf Hitler himself that British neutrality cannot be counted on if Germany should start a major war over Czechoslovakia. It was reported in authoritative quarters tonight.

WPA Road Setup Political Fodder

Georgia Candidates Both Use Allocation for Political Fuel

ATLANTA, Sept. 10.—(AP)—A \$53,000,000 WPA road program furnished fresh fuel today for the Georgia democratic primary campaign which winds up Wednesday in a ballot box showdown on President Roosevelt's political blacklisting of veteran Sen. Walter George.

Italian Soldiers Claimed in Spain

WITH SPANISH GOVERNMENT FORCES ON THE EBRO RIVER FRONT, SOUTH CATALONIA, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Col. Juan Modesto Guillotto, 32-year-old commander of the government's Ebro army, estimated today that 85,000 Italian soldiers were being used in the insurgent drive to smash the government salient near Gandesa.

Corrigan Greeted At Starting Spot

LONG BEACH, Calif., Sept. 10.—(AP)—A hero's welcome was given today to shy, grinning Douglas Corrigan, who brought his \$300 "crate" back to the Long Beach airport for the first time since he took off July 8 on a flight that eventually brought him fame by "accident."

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FRENCH ARMY MOVES TOWARD 'FRONT'



Shock troops of the French army shown above on the march near Besancon, France, are among the many the French government is hastily moving toward its borders, particularly into the famed Maginot line, post-war fortification of concrete and steel, facing Germany.

Trains Bear Reservists From Paris to Frontier

French Army Ranks Swelled to 2,000,000 Troops as War Ministry Feverishly Builds up Weak Defenses Facing Swiss

PARIS, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Trains loaded with additional reservists called to the colors poured out of Paris today, swelling the ranks of the French army to an estimated total of 2,000,000 men.

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Whole Works

PENDLETON, Ore., Sept. 10.—(AP)—Rita Davis is the whole works in the Adams high school freshman class. She is president, vice-president and secretary-treasurer. Rita is the only student.

Warlike Talks Made by Both Hitler, Goering

Germany Said Invincible and Ready to Protect Sudeten Germans

Goebbels Joins Oratory by Pouring Scorn on Democracy

NURNBERG, Germany, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Field Marshal Hermann Wilhelm Goering and Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler today proclaimed Germany invincible and determined to protect her German brethren—the Sudeten Germans of Czechoslovakia.

Japanese Report Strong Advances

Troops Move on Toward Railroad Which Links Hankow-Peiping

SHANGHAI, Sept. 10.—(AP)—The Japanese today reported two sweeping advances toward the Peiping-Hankow railway, which they hope to cut north of Hankow, Chinese military capital, as a major tactic in their effort to capture the city.

Peace Is Sought In Clerks Strike

Mayor Rossi Expresses Hopes of Mediating Union Dispute

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Intermittent efforts took the spotlight tonight in San Francisco's department store strike, which dragged through its fourth day with little trouble around the picket lines.

Threaten Strikes For all Railroads

CINCINNATI, Sept. 20.—(AP)—Representatives of railroad unions were called today to meet in Chicago September 26 and a spokesman said their answer to rail management's proposal for a 15 per cent wage cut effective October 1 would be to "fit the date and the hour of a nation-wide strike."

Burge and Shattuck Teams Split Top Money for Show

Six-horse teams exhibited by D. F. Burge and L. S. Shattuck led for first place at the final horse show in the state fair stadium last night and first money of \$500 was given both.

Corvallis Banker Dies

THOMAS WHITEHORN, pioneer Oregon banker, died here today. He was president of the Coos County State bank from its origin in 1851 until its consolidation with the First National bank in 1888. He was president of the successor bank.