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The ORLEOCH ETATESHAM, Sales, Oregon Treads, Monning, September 5, 1939 The OREGON STATESMAN, Salem, Oregon, Tuesday Morning, September 5, 1939



Volunteer searchers for Bobby Ethell, 8. and Bobby Hillman, 7, Salem lads who disappeared last Thursday afternoon, considered the possibility that the two boys might have found their way to Portland.

An unidentified transient, who saw a picture of the Ethell lad in a local paper Sunday, declared that he had seen the same lad on Third street in Portland on Saturday afternoon. He was able to describe the child without reference to published lists of his attire. Portland police were notified, and searchers left at once to follow up the clew.

Parents Thank Help Parents of the boys, Adolph Hillman, 2170 Berry street, and Kenneth Ethell, route 5, worn with the fatigue of searching steadily since Friday, expressed their thanks yesterday to volunteers who have assisted in the quest but indicated that they were deeply perturbed by the lack of news.

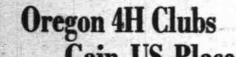
Ethell yesterday conferred with federal bureau of investigation authorities in Portland, who were reported to be assisting in the case. Local police units have meticulously searched county roads, the beds of streams flowing through town, the state fair grounds, and other likely spots without finding trace of the two missing lads,

Turner Lead Fails A lead furnished by a Turner boy, aged 12, who reported that he walked with "two little boys from Salem" on Saturday afternoon was investigated last night, but failed to offer much assistance.

All police authorities have been informed of the search, and other agencies have placed volunteer searchers on the alert.

PORTLAND, Sept. 4-(AP)-Portland police and Multnomah county sheriff's deputies were asked tonight to aid in the search for a pair of Salem youngsters missing since Thursday.

The youngsters-Bobby Ethell, 8, and Bobby Hillman, 7-disappeared after visiting the circus interest." grounds at Salem. Their parents believe they might have "hitched" a ride to Portland or some other point.





King George VI of England, in this picture radioed from London to New York, is shown as he appealed to his people to "stand calm and firm" in the face of a war in which "It is unthinkable that we should refuse to meet the challenge."

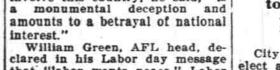
Classy Silver-Decorated Saddles of US Trouble First Labor Chiefs Say

Green, Lewis Ask Settling of Domestic Problems, ing, where the posse's horses were also housed.

not Aiding Europe

By the Associated Press Leaders of organized labor's rival functions denounced war between nations in Labor day adiresses.

John L. Lewis, CIO president, declared in a broadcast from Ogden, Utah, that "labor in America wants no war or any part of war.' The idea that war in Europe will involve this country, he said, "is a monumental deception and



elect a successor to the late Althat "labor wants peace." Labor derman Frank E. Loose at their is opposed, he added, "to the inregular session tonight, before volvement of our nation in Eurothey join with the citizen mempean or other foreign wars. bers of the budget committee for Lewis said the nation's states-

the first official consideration of men, rather than worrying over the 1940 budget. the European situation could bet-Possible nominees for the vater spend sleepless nights devis-

To Cut \$10,000

withdrawn.

allowed by law.

yearly.

Alderman Choice, **City Budget Due** \$3500. The pommel is a massive M. C. Fleming. silver piece, engraved and em-bossed with riding scenes. Rubies, set sometimes as centers of orna-Successor to Vacant Job, mental figures and sometimes as to Be Filled, Three eyes for horse heads embossed in the silver, add to the luxurious-**Held Candidates** ness of the saddle.

San Francisco Posse Worth \$75,000

No Hamleys City councilmen are expected to Many eastern Oregon visitors

The fancy saddles are used oncant third ward seat were indispecial occasions. For workformally announced their neutraladay police duties the sheriff's erica's workers to get jobs at cated yesterday as Emil Stribling, mittee of the city council at its possemen use less striking equip- first meeting tonight was strongity today by repeating decrees similar to those all three adopted ment and less heavy. The show ly indicated by Lawrence Brown 25 years ago. saddles average from 60 to 70 and Harold Pruitt, sole members, Chile, on the Pacific coast, also pounds. nounced definitely that he has of the council's airport committee lecided on neutrality today. yesterday. Before any of these nations an-Should the council provide for Councilmen indicated that few Air, Land Forces nounced their neutrality the Britcommitments had been made for resurfacing of the field, the civil ish cruiser Ajax struck the first aeronautics authority will then a particular candidate, and that blow of the war in South Amer-**Go Into Action** install 50 to 60 headlights along ican waters by sinking the Gergroups had been formed to obthe runways, thus providing faman cargo boat Olinda 50 miles cilities necessary to put the local (Continued from Page 1) north of Montevideo and within field on a par with fields in largsight of the Uruguayan coastline, dy Gate"-a passageway between er cities. The budget meeting, which will succeed the regular session, will This was the understanding which D. J. Mackie, Seattle, of the Vosges and the Alps, just north of the three-cornered juncundertake as its main chore the MADRID, Sept. 4-(A)-The gov-ernment tonight officialy declared tion of France, Germany and the aeronautics authority gave to paring of some \$10,000 off the the committee when he was in Switzerland. At the same time a main blow Salem recently. He declared that Spain's neutrality in the Eurowas delivered at the southern end in order to bring the local field pean war. of the frontier, these sources said. The Burgos official bulletin will up to the requirements of his and it was believed a supplemendepartment, landings must be publish a decree tomorrow signed possible on the field from any tary attack was begun along the by President Francisco Franco Moselle valley at the northernangle. This is not the case at the saying: \$14,000 for construction of a new most end of the French-German present time. "There being officially recordcity warehouse, or in the fire deborder. Also attending the meeting ed a state of war which unfortupartment estimate, which asked **Terse** Communication were Alderman C. F. French, F. nately exists between England, eight additional men, at an in-No. 1 Is Released E. Bates, representing the WPA; and Harold Davis, city engineer. France and Poland on one hand creased expenditure of \$12,000 "Operations have begun involvand Germany on the other hand. ing the entire land, naval and air Should the appropriation be al-I order the present decree to all forces." was all that the war min-That the budget will be finally lowed by the council, and the Spanish subjects to maintain the passed at the meeting tonight was field clearing be made a WPA istry's No. 1 communique said. strictest neutrality in accordance considered doubtful yesterday. Shortly before the communique project, it was understood from with existing laws and principles was issued, 181/2 hours after members of the committee that of international law." France's declaration of war yesinstallation of the lights would **British Convoys**

78th Fair Is **Opened Here** 29,000 Persons Clicking Turnstiles Set new **First-Day Mark** (Continued from page 1).

morning. The 4H home economics building was so crammed with exhibits they were overlapping. 208 Lose Selves With 29,000 persons on the

grounds the public address system furnished by the Portland General Electric company had a busy day. Announcer E. R. Fletcher put out 208 calls to locate missing children, missing parents and missing husbands,

Champions in livestock awards yesterday were:

Romney sheep-Champion ram, Eldon Riddell; champion ewe, Eldon Riddell.

Lincoln sheep-Champion ram William Riddell & sons; champion ewe, William Riddell & sons Hampshire sheep-Champion ram, C. M. Hubbard & son, Corvallis; champion ewe, Gath brothers, Turner. Cotswold sheep-Champion

ram, Jimmie Riddell, Independence; champion ewe, David Kirby. Romney sheep-Champion ram,

Eldon Riddell; champion ewe, Eldon Riddell. Ayreshire cattle-Champion

senior bull, Meadowland dairy; champion junior bull, C. L. Falk & sons, Halsey; grand champion bull, Meadowland dairy; reserve champion bull, C. L. Falk & sons; champion senior female, Wilkie brothers; champion junior female,

Meadowland dairy; grand champion female, Wilkie brothers; reserve grand champion female,

\$1500 in Budget at

Meeting Tonight

For Attack Tries

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Best at Rodeo

ELLENSBURG, Wash., Sept. 4.

(AP)-Gene Pruitt of Yakima.

Meadowland dairy. Fair-goers gazed in wonder at the expensive silver work Guernsey cattle-Champion on the show saddles of the San Francisco Sheriff's Mounted bull, senior, L. A. Miller & son, Posse, which were on display in the Future Farmer build-McMinnville; champion junior bull, Washington state herd;

grand champion bull, L. A. Miller The saddles, 24 of them, are all ornate in silver and embossed leather work and are estimated to have a total M. C. Fleming, Troutdale; chamworth between \$50,000 and pion senior female, Washington \$75,000. The most expensive, a state herd; champion junior fecreation on which it would be male, M. C. Fleming; grand chamimpossible to find an inch square pion female, Washington state space of undecorated leather, cost herd; reserve champion female

> **Airfield Lighting Request Planned**

Airport Committee to Ask

to the display asked if the saddles included any from the famous Hamley saddlery in Pendleton, but were disappointed. Nearly all of the saddles of the posse were made by the Visalia com-

for \$1500 to provide for the sur-facing of the Salem airport may be presented to the budget company in San Francisco.



Recognized as outstanding Future Farmers of America in Oregon are these three young men: Everett Struckmeier, Nestucca (left); Lee Hanson, Salem, and Harold MacHugh, Albany (right), who are exhibiting at the state fair. Judges who inspected more than 2300 farm homes decided this trio excelled with respect to home opportunities, improved farm products and knowledge of agriculture. At the fair Struckmeler is displaying a miniature farm, Hanson is showing seven head of dairy cattle and two swine and MacHugh is showing two registered Jersey heifers.

Army of 25,000 Hop Pickers Takes **Big Acreage Over in Salem Sector**

Nearly 40,000 hop pickers are moving into hop yards in Oregon this week to start the harvest of late clusters. Of these, about 25,000 are employed on the 14,000 acres of hops in the Salem trading district, it is estimated.

Picking will continue for about three weeks. Pay this year is a cent and a quarter a pound. Buying price has raised to 24 and 25 cents a pound from

recently.

Spain, Japanese Become Neutral that hops are in excellent handling condition. growers state

Several Other Countries three new driers constructed at Follow Suit; Many

Declaring Today

TOKYO, Sept. 4.-(P)-The Jap- driers which were burned earlier anese government asserted blunt-The driers are rectangular in ly today that it intended to keep shape, instead of the customary out of the European war and square plan. Each is equipped would continue to devote its at- with an automatic heating and hot air circulating unit, using oil tention to the war in China. for fuel.

BUDAPEST, Sept. 4.-(AP)-Three Balkan nations-Yugoslavia, Ru- UO Life Opening mania and Bulgaria-tonight officially signified their neutrality in Europe's war.

BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 4 .- (AP)-As widespread naval operations The possibility that a request brought Europe's war within

Eugene School Awaiting **Record Enrollment on Early Indications**

will not begin until Monday, Oc-

Freshman Week

Although no figures are avail-

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 4-(AP)-

yards at Brooklyn near here.

train.

last year, will be surpassed.

rorities opens.

ing will take place.

On September 21

Among the improvements made

in local yards this year are the

the T. A. Livesley company yard

at Lakebrook. Built with a new

plan of construction, these three

driers will do the work of the 10

Poles Pressed Backward, Say England and France to

> Make First Moves on West, Say

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depot in Danzig harbor, was still holding out against a combined sea and air attack which the Germans have been waging since dawn Friday.

A communique said Polish forces had withdrawn from the defense of the large southwestern city of Czestochowa in the face of an overwhelming enemy assault, but that the orderly retreat had been well protected by Polish airplanes which disrupted two German columns in the course of the withdrawal.

The attackers, said the communique, used tanks and heavy artillery. The announcement said the Poles lost four planes in the engagement.

The report of the Polish cavalry success, 130 miles northwest of Czestochowa, indicated the Polish lancers might be attempting to outflank the mechanized German columns which are reported having difficulties with the muddy, rough terrain.

The lancers and their supporting infantry were stated officially to have recaptured Leszno and Rawicz, Poznan province county seats lost in the original German drive, then to have penetrated the German border, advancing into German Pomerania.

In the interior, Poland was suffering from repeated bombing raids, one of which, on Sunday, the 23 cent level which prevailed damaged the summer home of Last week's rain settled the Ambassador Anthony Drexel Biddle, jr., of the United States at dust and cleaned off the vines, so Konstsncin, 10 miles west of Warsaw.

> **Eight Persons in Oregon Are Dead**

> Labor Day Triple Holiday Takes Heavy Toll of Motorists, Others

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 4-(AP)-Eight persons met death in Ore-gon during the Labor day weekend, several of them in traffic accidents and the eighth in a huntng accident.

Mrs. Ruth Rathburn, 42, and her daughter. Luella, both of Kennewick, Wash., were killed when an automobile overturned on the Diamond Lake highday in northern Klamath county.

Glenn Rathburn, 16, driver, was

uninjured, but his father, Willis

Gain US Place ing a way for one-fourth of Am-

(Continued from page 1) in the cookery judging contest five teams tied with a score of 620. They were Multnomah, Columbia, Washington, Tillamook and City of Portland.

Multnomah county girls also won a first place in the homemaking and room improvement judging contest in which eight teams competed.

Hood River won the clothing judging contest with four girls tieing for high individual score. They were Betty Brinkman, Marion, Elmona Hurr, Linn, Louise Benedetti, Hood River and Lucille Everist, Lincoln, with scores of 370 each.

Clackamas county won first place in the rabbit judging con- Dr. Buchman Is test.



BRUSSELS, Sept. 5-(Tues-day)-(P)-Two French airplanes were ordered to land near Mons early today after they were spotted by Belgian search-lights. The pilots who were made prisoners said they lost their way.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 5 .- (Tuesday)-(AP)-German, French and English envoys, hurrying from their posts to their homelands after the outbreak of war, were reported today in or near the Netherlands, where they will cross border lines simultaneously.

Robert Coulondre, French ambassador to Berlin, was reported arrying at The Netherlands town of Oldenzaal by train. He will await the arrival there of the German charge d'affaires in Paris.

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Sept. 4-(P)-War touched Dan-ish territory today when an un-identified airplane dropped four bombs on Esbjerg, Danish sea-port 40 miles north of the German border, killing one woman and injuring a dozen other per-

SYDNEY, NS, Sept. 4-(AP)-Syd-ney's first practice "blackout" against possible air raids was staged tonight. All lights in the city were blinked as a signal and for five minutes Sydney was only a dark blotch, Police said the practice was a success,



wages that would keep them alive. Dr. Harold Olinger and Fred Declaring that the administra- Keeler. Gordon Black, once mention's reciprocal trade treaties tioned for the position, has an-"are a snare and a delusion." and that the social security act's provision for the aged is only nominal, he suggested the government

use "modern methods of expanding the exports of surplus com- so far as they knew no pressure modities. Central and South America," he said, "is capable of ab- tain the post for any one man. sorbing all of our excess and surplus commodities."

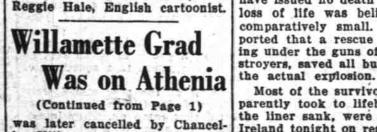
Green said the voice of labor should be sounded unmistakably for a strict neutrality policy and that the AFL would continue its fight to strengthen democracy against "isms" which have enslaved European workers.

Hopeful on MRA (Continued from Page 1)

with God where we and our nation have been wrong."

The Buchman party here for today's reception includes Brigadier-General C. R. P. Winser, not ed British race horse breeder and trainer; Ivan and Elsie Menzies, Gilbert and Sullivan, comedians; Ma Nyein Tha, of Rangoon, Burma; Stuart Smith and Sam Reid, Scotsmen; Gen. W. G. Beeman of

Canada; William Rowell, leader of East London's unemployed; John Main, Canadian farmer; Miles Phillimore, son of Lord Phillimore of the British house of lords; John McCook Roots and H. Kenaston Twitchell, of New York and London; Ted Watt, Canadian author and newspaperman; Cecil Harvest, of London: Eleanor Forde, of New York; Francis Bradley, of Boston; Dick Thurber, of Pasadena, Calif.; Dr. Morris Martin, of Oxford, and



lor Hitler. Mrs. Charles. Anderson, moth-

er of Anderson, is visiting in the survivors and 800 more were South Dakota. She is a Salem expected at Galway early tomorresident,

Knut Nelson. Anxious along with Beardsley for safety of the Athenia passengers was Royal Ives, of Salem, who believed his brother, Philip, of Massachusetts, was aboard the

estimate of \$318,750 for the general fund in order to bring it within the 6 per cent limitation It was indicated that the cut might come in the request for

terday on Germany, a fleet of be possble by January 1. French heavy bombers flew low

Due for Vessels over Paris toward the east. Military observers said the impression was general that France was making a massed air attack LONDON, Sept. 4 - (AP) - TheBritish government, spurred by against communications to the German line to halt the movethe sinking early today of the lin- ment of reinforcements to the ater Athenia, tonight pushed its tacked sectors.

plans to convoy all British and The Burgundy gate, historic route of ancient warfare between eration, establishing war time the Germans and the Franks, is a prices and trade control board and 20 - mile - wide valley running a censorship committee.

No "Peace" Baptism

War caused the postponement tostroyers, saved all but victims of day of the christening of The Netherlands' infant "princess of Most of the survivors, who appeace."

parently took to lifeboats before An official announcement said the liner sank, were en route to the ceremonies, set for Sept. 14, Ireland tonight on rescue vessels. had been called off. No future A British destroyer was due at date was announced. Greenoch, Scotland, with some of

laration of war. Until then Can-Second daughter of Princess ada's only effort would be to de-Juliana and Prince Bernhard, she fend herself.

row on the Norwegian steamer is to be named Irene. This name means "peace" in Greek.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Sept. 4-(AP) The Brazilian government today proclaimed its neutrality in the M. Erb, university president, will **Canada Preparing** German-Polish war. speak; the Associated Women

Spain on Fence

4 p. m., and the Associated Stu-**GUATEMALA CITY**, Guatemadent Body assembly at 7:30 on la, Sept. 4.-(AP)-President Jorge that day, both scheduled for the Ubico today issued a manifesto demusic auditorium. Student body claring strict neutrality in the leaders will speak at both meet-European conflict. ings.

Kiel Canal Site The government's declared policy is that the question of peace or Of First Clash Railroad Yards Worker war can be decided only by parlia-

most effective cooperation to (Continued from page 1) Great Britain at this time, it will seek authority to do so when par-

quarter of a century ago over the liament meets. Whether this recforces of destruction." ommendation will include a for-His message to the Polish mal declaration of war against president was in response to a Germany has not been disclosed telegram expressing "the feelings Observers here believe if Canof friendship and loyalty of the ada took any aggressive action, whole Polish people toward the such as capturing or attacking a great British nation." German vessel on the high seas, it

The king's reply said: would be only after a formal dec-"I any my people are proud to stand beside you in your just and valiant resistance to a shameless aggression and we have unshaken confidence that right will prevail.'

> The British were ready for the blockade action, reports a week ago indicating the fleet was in position across the Skageraak.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON. Rathburn, Eugene, Sept. 4-Faculty, staff injury.

members, and older students are J. W. Hubler, 40, Portland, died already arriving back on the Uni- a few minutes after his car crashversity of Oregon campus, in ed head-on with a street car in preparation for what the institu- Portland.

Killed at Pendleton

tion expects will be a record A motorcycle-automobile collibreaking year. Although classes sion claimed the life of Lawrence tober 2, campus activity will open Metzker of Baker, and Louis Ed-Thursday, September 21, when ward Townsend, 24. Mechanicsthe "rush" period for girls who burg, Ill., was killed when a car desire to become members of so- overturned in Pendleton.

A hit-run driver was blamed for Practically all older students the death of Charles Barnhardt, who are members of fraternities Seiad Valley, Calif., on the highand sororities will be on the way near Roseburg. He was sitcampus by September 15. Men's ting beside the highway when rushing activities will begin Fri- struck.

day, September 22, and "rush-Mrs. Norman Weatherly, 39, ing" for both men's and women's Elkton farm wife and mother of organizations will end Tuesday, five children, was fatally wound-September 26, when formal pledg- ed when Marvin Ackerman, a family friend, mistook her for a deer and fired, Coroner H. C. Stearns

Freshman week, during which said. A 21-year-old youth was killed new students will be given various tests and assigned courses instantly near The Dalles, Ore., under the direction of faculty ad- when he lost control of his car and visers, will open Wednesday, Sepwas pinned under it when it rolled tember 27, although early arriv- over an embankment. Coroner C. als may take their physical er- R. Callaway said letters addressed

aminations the day before. to Ervin Henry Watson were Special events for Freshman found in the pockets but a checkweek include the assembly of up failed to confirm that identifreshmen, to be held Wednesday fication. Callaway said the youth evening at 7:30 in the music au- drove a car registered in Califorditorium, at which Dr. Donald nia to John H. Watson/

Students' assembly Thursday at 6 Negroes Killed **By Chicago Train**

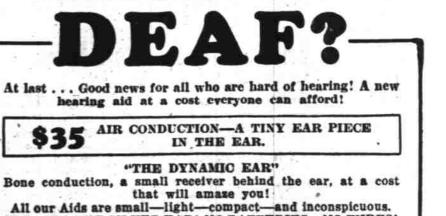
CHICAGO, Sept. 4.-(AP)-Six negroes were killed and three others injured tonight by an Illinois Central railroad suburban able as yet, indications are that electric train which struck them attendance and other records, set as they stood in the tracks and waved goodbye to relatives de-

parting on another train. The accident occurred at the 43rd street station. **Makes** Gruesome Find

Germans Imprisoned

A. F. McDonald, a railroad car HONGKONG, Sept. 4 .- (AP)-More repairman, tonight stumbled on the decapitated body of a man in than 100 Germans of military the Southern Pacific railway age were imprisoned behind barbed-wire in an interment camp today and all German commercial The man, identified as Philip concerns were closed as the re-

Jones, 46, itinerant, was believed to have fallen beneath a freight sult of war between Britain and Germany.





allied merchant ships. The Athenia, with 311 United States citizens among her 1347 passengers and crew, was sunk by an outside explosion 200 miles northwest of Ireland while en gion. route from Liverpool to Montreal. British government agencies have issued no death list but the

loss of life was believed to be comparatively small. It was re-

ported that a rescue fleet work-AMSTERDAM, Sept. 4 .- (AP)ing under the guns of British de-

northeastward from France to the famous German Black forest re-The city of Mulhouse stands di-

on the German-French frontier.

ment. While the government has rectly in the center of the valley announced its policy is to give the