

Weather

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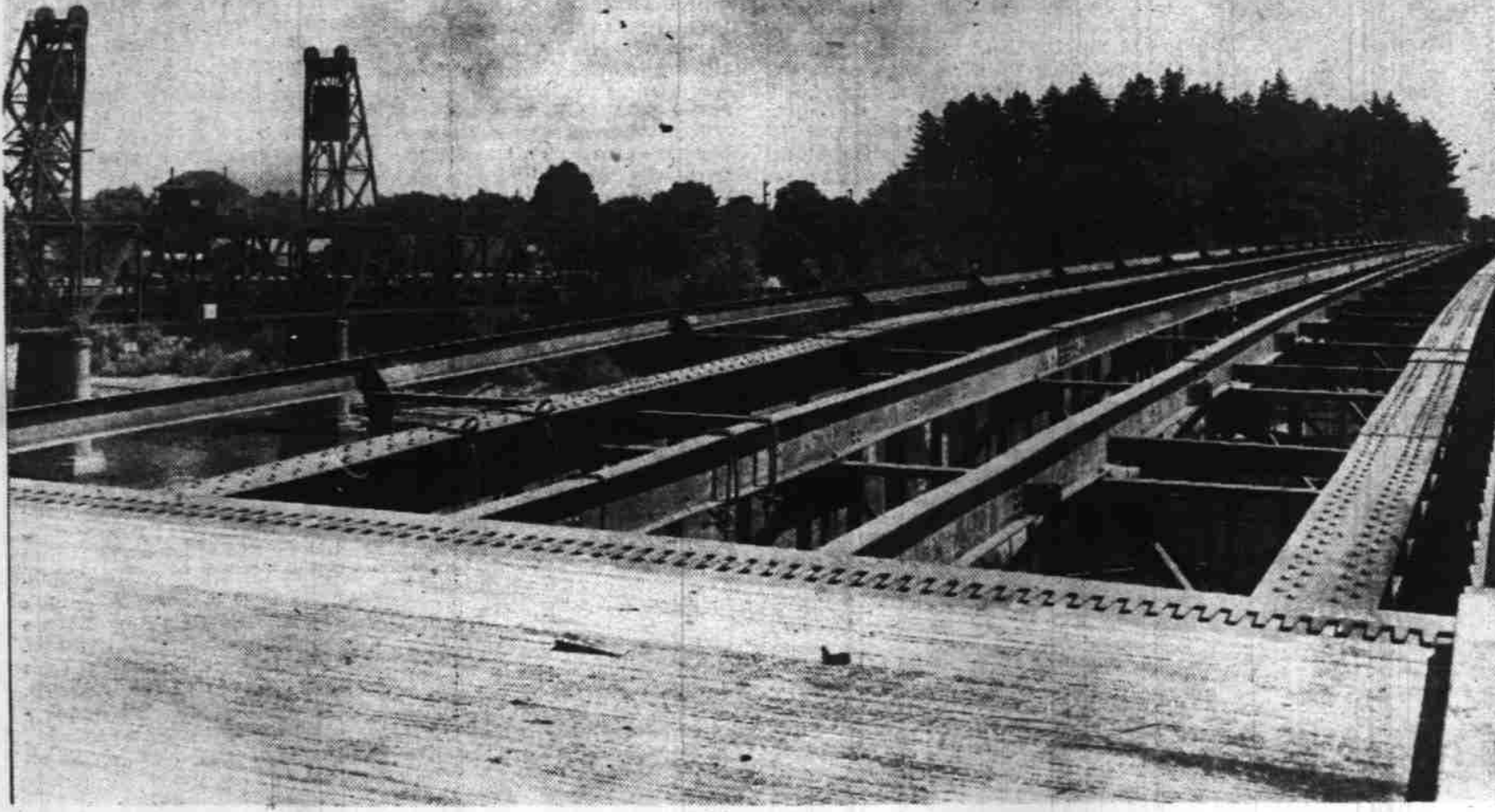
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New Willamette River Bridge Nearly Ready for Deck



Slated for completion in October, Salem's new Marion Street Bridge over the Willamette has been taking definite form of recent weeks. This photo, looking toward the east, shows its relationship to the Southern Pacific Bridge (the Center Street Bridge is out of sight to the right), and portrays one of the floor expansion joints (in foreground). The roadbed will be added soon.

IT SEEMS TOMORROW

By Charles A. Sprague

The big political parties in the U. S. A. are not the only ones with seams down the middle. There is the British Labor party with its sharp division between former Prime Minister Clement Attlee and his ex-cabinet minister Aneurin Bevan.

The split occurred during Labor's rule when Bevan up and resigned in protest against Attlee's determination to go in for rearmament. It flared up again a few days ago when Bevan, who has been chortling over the Tory government's effort to avert economic disaster by lengthening the period for rearming, related how he had opposed the policy when it was adopted by the Labor cabinet.

Next day Attlee rose in Parliament and charged his erstwhile aide with violating one of the sacred traditions of British government in disclosing what transpired within the cabinet. Bevan made an attempt to defend himself, but the breach was definitely widened and deepened by the Bevan disclosure.

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Italy Police Seize American Cigarettes

GAETA, Italy (AP)—Police seized four tons of American cigarettes Sunday. They charged the smokers were being smuggled into the country near here.

Animal Crackers

By WARREN GOODRICH



"Let's move. These thick-skinned politicians are ruining me!"

Reds Win as Korean Hill Changes Hands 5 Times

SEoul (AP)—Allied warplanes attacking in waves blasted Chinese Red Sunday on scorched "Siberia Hill" in Western Korea after the Communists had driven off fighting Marines three times in 24 hours.

Council to Get Truck Traffic Bill Tonight

A controversial bill to restrict truck traffic on parts of Liberty Street will be introduced to the Salem City Council tonight.

Residents of the South Salem thoroughfare asked the ordinance to keep the heavier vehicles from using the route. Most northbound and through truck traffic uses 12th Street through that part of the city.

Herbert Hoover 78 Years Old

PORTLAND (AP)—Herbert Hoover, the nation's only living ex-president was 78 years old Sunday.

TENTH WIFE CHOSEN

MAMARONECK, N. Y. (AP)—Tommy Manville said Sunday he had picked Corrine Daly, 24-year-old Brooklyn blonde, for his tenth wife.

STRIKE CLOSES MILL

BUFFALO, N. Y. (AP)—Production at the Republic Steel Corp. plant here edged toward complete shutdown Sunday as open hearth workers voted to continue a walk-out that started Saturday.

Jap Accuses Roosevelt of Inciting War

TOKYO (AP)—The man who was Japan's vice foreign minister until five months before Pearl Harbor attacked the late President Roosevelt Sunday as a "war criminal" who lured Japan into the Pacific War.

Mail Rocket Tests Misfire

BREMEN, Germany (AP)—The German Rocket Research Society was disappointed in its first post-war tests Sunday of rockets which the experimenters hope will some day deliver mail from Hamburg to New York in one hour.

BLOOD DONORS SOUGHT

WASHINGTON (AP)—An intensive nationwide campaign for blood donors was announced Sunday by the Office of Defense Mobilization (ODM), assigned by President Truman to coordinate the program.

Georgia Boy Wins Derby; Oregon Cars Fail to Place

AKRON, O. (Special)—Joe Lunn, 11, of Thomasville, Ga., won the 15th All-American Soap Box Derby by Sunday in Akron, O. Salem, Ore. representative in the race, Doug Adams, was nosed out in his first heat.

Jordan King May Abdicate

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP)—Usually reliable sources said Sunday Jordan's ailing King Talal will abdicate within the next 48 hours.

Talal is reputed to suffer from mental trouble. A three-man council is now running the Jordan government for him. Crown Prince Hussein, eldest son, is a student in England. The prince will be 18 next May.

After Farouk Exit The word that King Talal would step aside developed just 15 days after the abdication and exile of a brother monarch in the Moslem Middle East, Egypt's King Farouk I. Egypt's throne goes to Farouk's infant son, King Fuad II, who is now with Farouk and Queen Nariman on Capri.

The three-man council has been studying the question of the exact date on which Crown Prince Hussein can assume royal powers.

Father Assassinated Talal, 41, became King in September, 1951, following the assassination of his father, King Abdullah, on a visit to the Arab-held Old Jerusalem two months earlier.

At that time Talal was in a Swiss clinic for treatment of his mental ailment understood to be schizophrenia. Members of his household reported him violent at times.

Official denials have met two stories concerning the King: That he once took a shot at Brig. Gen. John B. Glubb Pasha, British commander of Jordan's Arab Legion, and that he once attempted to stab his own wife, Queen Zeine.

Last May 18, Talal left for Europe to undergo further treatment.

Yakima Area Flash Flood Smashes Houses, Crops

Gold Beach Man Believed Drowned at Sea

GOLD BEACH, Ore. (AP)—Leonard Moore, about 39, of Gold Beach, was presumed drowned in the ocean near here Sunday night when a small fishing boat capsized at the mouth of the Rogue River.

West Europe's Steel Board Opens Shop

LUXEMBOURG (AP)—West Europe's steel-coal executive board opened shop here Sunday to begin the monumental task of tearing down barriers that have divided the continent for centuries.

A nine-man high authority—endowed with unprecedented powers to pool the vast steel and coal industries of France, West Germany, Italy, Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg under the Schuman plan treaty—set up its temporary headquarters here in the capital of this tiny grand duchy.

Truce Talks In New Recess

MUNSAN, Korea (AP)—Allied and Communist truce negotiators met for 35 minutes Sunday after a week-long recess and then recessed for another week at Panmunjon. This is the third straight week-long recess. All three have been requested by the Allies.

MARGARET IN GERMANY

BONN, Germany (AP)—Margaret Truman spent a day sight-seeing about this West German capital Sunday and then headed for Berlin. But she said she wouldn't venture into the Russian sector there.

BASE BALL Western International At Salem 4-4, Lewiston 5-3 At Tri-City 6-4, Spokane 2-1 Only games scheduled. Pacific Coast League At Portland 1-4, Oakland 4-3 (1st 1st In.) At Los Angeles 8-1, Hollywood 12-5 At San Francisco 6-4, San Diego 5-3 At Sacramento 3-4, Seattle 9-4 American League At St. Louis 6, Cleveland 3 At Chicago 3-5, Detroit 1-4 At Washington 4-2, Philadelphia 2-4 At New York-Boston, rain. National League At Cincinnati 2-4, St. Louis 3-2 At Pittsburgh 5-3, Chicago 9-4 At Philadelphia-Brooklyn, rain At Boston-New York, rain.

Adlai's Choice



CHICAGO—Stephen A. Mitchell, 49, choice of Gov. Adlai Stevenson for Democratic national chairman, answers questions during news conference in his Chicago law office. Mitchell said that he's "strictly an amateur" in politics and that he couldn't discuss campaign plans until he confers with Stevenson and other leaders. (A Wirephoto).

Democrats See Victory in Big Voter Turnout

WASHINGTON (AP)—Democratic strategists may give high priority to a get-out-the-vote drive in a belief that record November balloting will elect their presidential ticket.

Sen. Carl Hayden of Arizona told reporters he is convinced that if as many as 50 million Americans vote, Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson of Illinois will defeat the Republican nominee, Dwight D. Eisenhower.

Sen. Joseph C. O'Mahoney, running for re-election in Wyoming, said he thinks a heavy turnout of voters is certain to work to the advantage of the Democrats.

"It always has," he contended. In 1948, President Truman got 24,104,030 votes and Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York, the GOP nominee, got 21,970,986 of 48,690,075 votes cast.

Other Candidates The remainder went to other candidates, with former Gov. J. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina polling 1,169,118 as head of the States' Rights ticket and taking four states with 39 electoral votes away from Truman. Henry A. Wallace, Progressive Party nominee who got 1,156,883 votes, made Dewey a minority winner in New York, which then had 47 electoral votes, and in Michigan with 19 electoral votes.

The action of the South Carolina convention in endorsing the Stevenson-Sen. John Sparkman ticket last week indicated there may be no Southern holdouts this year. The Progressive Party won't figure in 1952 national results to the extent it did in 1948.

Unbroken South Needed If the South remains unbroken, Democratic strategists believe that a heavy national vote will carry their ticket across in the vital, thickly populated states where the electoral harvest is heaviest. Eleven states which usually make up the Solid South will have 118 electoral votes this year to ward the 266 needed for election. Five border states—Kentucky, Maryland, Missouri, Oklahoma and West Virginia—provide another 48 on which the Democrats obviously are counting.

If he got all of these Stevenson would need only 109 more to win. New York and Illinois, plus other California or Pennsylvania, could supply the winning margin in that case.

SALEM PRECIPITATION Since Start of Weather Year Sept. 1 This Year Last Year Normal 43.59 49.54 37.58

Two Persons Missing, Four Hospitalized

YAKIMA (AP)—Two persons were missing and four others were hospitalized Sunday when a flash flood fed by torrential rains that lasted more than an hour, sent tons of water pouring down normally-placid Wenas Creek, about 15 miles north of here.

In serious condition at a Yakima Hospital were Mrs. Alfred Webb, Mary Ann Webb, Mrs. Bill Eckley and Sharon Winchell, all of the little town of Wenas. Missing were Mrs. Faye Winchell, 37, mother of Sharon, and five-year-old Floyd Winchell, son and brother.

Reports of damage filtered into Yakima, reports of hop fields leveled, houses and cars smashed and power lines down. At Cowiche, a wall of the Cowiche Growers' Inc. warehouse was blown down.

Power Cut Off Lights and power to Yakima and surrounding areas were cut off during the first impact of the storm as trees toppled across lines. The Yakima sheriff's office said it had sent a posse to look for the two missing persons.

Mrs. Webb told deputies the creek rose so rapidly they did not have a chance to get out before the water hit. House Swirls Away She said the first hint of disaster came when she looked out the window and saw a rabbit hutch floating down the swollen creek. She said the next thing she knew her house was starting to give way and drop into the swirling waters.

Mrs. Webb said "someone, she didn't know who, grabbed her and pulled her free of the house. One other house was washed into the creek. The storm, accompanied by thunder and lightning, struck the Yakima valley area and also from Wenatchee to Ellensburg about 4:15 p.m. Sunday afternoon.

Streets Become Rivers In Yakima, streets became rivulets and water sloshed over sidewalks as storm sewers were unable to handle the sudden deluge. The sheriff's office said a slide blocked U. S. Highway 410 in the Ellensburg Canyon between Ellensburg and Yakima. Highway 410 is the main west-east route between Seattle and Spokane. The sheriff's office also said slides had blocked the White Pass highway but they had been cleared.

PULLMAN (AP)—A torrential rainfall hit the "capital" of the Palouse country, Sunday, over-flooded sidewalks in downtown Pullman and interrupted harvest in one of the nation's richest wheat belts.

The tropic-like rains hit the town about 8 p.m. after a light morning shower and a day of threatening skies. Within two hours water was across the sidewalks and under the doors of some of the town's low-lying buildings.

Posse Finds Missing Tot

BEND, (AP)—Two-year-old Lynn Munson strayed away from the fishing camp of his parents Sunday and was found by posse riders 2 1/2 hours later still walking away from the camp.

The boy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Munson, Portland, were camped at Todd Lake Meadow when he disappeared. Some 300 members of the Oregon Association of Mounted Posse were in the area for a three-day ride through the Cascades. They began a search as soon as the boy was reported missing.

Larry W. Gassner, Bend, and Joe Van Dyke, a member of the Washington County Sheriff's posse, found the boy. Lester Hardwick Sr. and a friend, who saw the accident from the bank, rowed to the scene and found the baby paddling to keep his head above water. The Hardwick's had spent considerable time this summer teaching the little boy how to swim short distances.

Man Drowns, But Baby Swims Until Rescue Arrives