

SUNDAY WILL SEE AIR RACES START TO NATIONAL MEET

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 21.—(AP)—A starting signal, flashed by wireless from the airport here, Sunday will start 18 women and 37 men from Santa Monica, Cal., on the 2400-mile transcontinental sweepstakes air derby to Cleveland.

The race marks the first time that men and women pilots have competed jointly in a major transcontinental air duel in the United States. Twenty-five thousand in prize money awaits the winners arriving here Aug. 30, the second day of the national air races. The eight-day flight will carry the pilots over eight stages.

The derby is a handicap event in which contestants stand equal chances despite the wide variations in speed of their planes.

Ability of the pilot constantly to obtain the best performance of his plane, whether it be at 100 miles an hour or 200 miles an hour, is the determining factor.

Starting today at Santa Monica, each ship will be flown over a mile course by test pilots to determine its speed. Points will be awarded in accordance with the manner in which the pilot maintains this official speed over each leg of the route.

Three winners of past women's derbies will start. They are Phoebe Omlie of Memphis, Tenn., light plane class winner, and Louise Thaden of Pittsburgh, heavy plane class winner, of the 1929 "Powder Puff derby" to Cleveland, and Gladys O'Donnell, of Los Angeles, winner of last year's derby to Chicago.

Himalaya Mountain Climber Is Killed

MUNICH, Germany, Aug. 21.—(AP)—Word from the Paul Bauer expedition climbing Kanchenjunga in the Himalayas said today that Herman Schaller, 25-year-old member of the party, had been killed when he and a native bearer fell a precipice into a deep chasm on the northeastern spur of the mountain.

The bodies were interred in rocks protruding from the glacier more than 16,000 feet above sea level.

Long Truck Trip Planned By Expert

COLUMBUS, Ind.—(AP)—A trip across the United States with fuel expenses amounting to only \$10 is the goal of Clesmie Cummins, Diesel engine experimenter, living here.

Cummins is completing construction of a two-and-one-half ton truck in which he expects to make the journey. Dave Evans, who piloted the Cummins Diesel entry in the 1931 Indianapolis auto race, will accompany Cummins.

They expect to spend four days and consume approximately 300 gallons of oil.

TAX BILLS SIGNED
SALEM, Ore., Aug. 21.—(AP)—Trucks selling goods in Salem were today forced to pay a \$25 tax as the result of a measure signed by Mayor Gregory last night. Bill collecting concerns will hereafter pay a \$100 tax.

THEY'LL TAKE A FLING



Here are the 13 new Wampas babies "born" in Hollywood recently. They are voted to be the most potential "baby stars" of the new crop of feminine beauty that has invaded the screen city of late: No. 1, Anita Louise; 2, Frances Dade; 3, Constance Cummings; 4, Marlon Schilling; 5, Karen Morley; 6, Joan Marsh; 7, Frances Dast; 8, Barbara Weeks; 9, Rochelle Hudson; 10, Joan Blondell; 11, Sidney Fox; 12, Judith Wood, and 13, Marian Marsh.

DRACULA PREVIEW AT STATE SATURDAY

From advance appearances it looks as though the State theater is going to be crowded Saturday night for the regular Saturday midnight matinee, for the advance showing of "Dracula," the vampire thriller.

Manager Ed Lewis stated that the advance inquiries have been heavy regarding this picture, which proved at all other showings to be the biggest hit of the year.

Tickets will be on sale for the preview Saturday night at 10:45 and the doors open at 11.

THE LUCKY GUY!
EVANSVILLE, Ind.—A bottle of beer 44 years old is in the possession

of Williams H. Low here. It was bottled in 1887 for the Blue and Gray reunion here. It has a cork top with a wire over it any was kept as a souvenir by John Mounts who tended bar during the reunion. Low inherited the bottle on the death of Mrs. Mounts his aunt.

Watch and Money Taken from Hotel

A watch and a small sum of money were stolen from the apartment of Mrs. C. N. Tolliver in a local hotel some time Thursday, according to a report made at police headquarters by Mrs. Tolliver.

The watch was old but valuable as a keepsake, she said. Her purse containing about \$1.25 was taken and her trunk key was missed.

Photographs have been transmitted from Australia to England by radio with sufficient clearness to be published in British newspapers.

LANE VEGETABLES, FRUIT GO TO BEND

Five large trucks will be brought to Eugene from Bend during the first week in September to be loaded with Lane county fruits and vegetables and hauled to the central Oregon city over the McKenzie pass, according to word received at the office of E. G. Harlan, secretary of the Eugene chamber of commerce.

Five families of that city and a number of their friends are co-operating in this plan to obtain their winter's supply of fruits and vegetables that cannot be grown in that section of the state. They figure that it will be much cheaper to buy here and transport the produce over the pass than to buy from dealers there after freight rates have been paid and the dealers make their profit.

Similar shipments have previously been made from Eugene to Bend but never before on such an extensive scale. It is being predicted that with the completion of the McKenzie highway such shipments will be of frequent occurrence.

BLOW REVIVES PUP AFTER PROSTRATION

ST. LOUIS.—(AP)—Babe, a two-year-old fox terrier, became so ill during a recent heat wave here, that Mr. and Mrs. Otto Walkenhorst decided death would be merciful. So they called the police.

The officers said Babe could live only a few hours, anyway, and it would be better to kill the dog. Mrs. Walkenhorst said:

"The millman took Babe outside. One policeman hit her a tremendous blow on the head. The body was covered with a carpet, but the child wanted one last look at the pup. Babe opened her eyes, and Mrs. Walkenhorst screamed. "She looked up so pitifully, that we brought her inside and massaged her. In the morning she was up to meet the milkman as usual. We believe the blow on the head, instead of killing Babe, really made her well again, because she romps about now as she never did before," Walkenhorst said.

Highway Cuts Are Cause of Losses

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—There cannot be "economy in roads and streets" without increase in losses "under the present conditions of lack of safety and costly congestion on the highways," W. R. Smith, president of the American Road Builders' association, said in a recent interview.

"Economy" is not merely a matter of reduced expenditures," Smith said. "On the contrary, reducing expenditures means increasing the losses under the present conditions of lack of safety and costly congestion on the highways." Smith said estimates by the National Conference on Street and Highway Safety on the cost of congestion on highways "exceeded \$2,000,000,000 annually—more than is being spent for road improvement and maintenance."

Hartford Mayor to Test L. A. Water

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 21.—(AP)—Mayor Walter E. Batterson will take no chances in drinking a toast in water.

A bottle of Los Angeles water is enroute here so that Mayor Batterson may drink a toast to France. The water is a gift from Mayor John C. Porter of Los Angeles who wrote he was sending bottles of water to 17 mayors so they may join him Saturday in drinking a toast to the country they visited this summer.

Mayor Porter refused to drink a champagne toast to the French president while overseas.

Mayor Batterson gave orders that the water be tested by the health department, as soon as it arrived.

Ice Cream Social Given By League

YONCALIA, Aug. 21.—(Special)—The Ladies' Aid and the Epworth League gave an ice cream social in the league rooms Friday evening.

A short program was given and a pleasant evening spent visiting and eating ice cream and cake. The two organizations realized a neat sum from the social.

PLANE FOR 228

BERLIN.—Fritz Koch, Friedrichshain aviation engineer, has built an airplane to sell for \$228. It weighs 270 pounds, has a wing spread of 26 feet, and over all length of 17 feet and an area of 35 square feet. It is powered by a 14-horsepower motor and can attain a speed of about 65 miles an hour.

NIELL BOUND OVER

M. V. Niell, charged with larceny of an auto and returned Saturday from Los Angeles, was held to the grand jury with bail set at \$1000 after a preliminary hearing in justice court Thursday. Niell was represented by Attorney Reese Wingard. Eugene V. Slatery appeared for the state.

Flapper Fanny Says:



The sun is a shining example of being 'all hot and up in the air.'

WINS DECREE!



Ina Claire, stage and screen actress, as she appeared in a Los Angeles courtroom recently to win an uncontested divorce from Jack Gilbert, "screen's greatest lover."

Florence to Get License Examiner

A special examiner will be sent to Florence to examine applicants for drivers' and chauffeurs' licenses Monday and Tuesday of next week, according to Glenn Bown, examiner in charge of this district. Peter Tharner will be sent from the Salem headquarters, he said. All persons in that part of the county who desire to be examined are asked to appear at Florence on those days.

Mr. Bown was on duty at the city hall Friday and will be there again Saturday. He examined quite a number of applicants Friday and several at Cottage Grove Thursday. He was at Toledo Wednesday. Not as many applicants are appearing for examinations now as at first, he said.

Commercial Planes Set New Records

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Mexican airplanes engaged in commercial transportation flew more miles during 1930 than had ever been registered before, the commerce department has been informed by Assistant Trade Commissioner Edward D. McLaughlin at Mexico City.

The planes flew 2,485,810 miles last year as compared with 1,896,507 miles in 1929 and 727,591 miles in 1928. That Mexican people are becoming more "air-minded" is revealed in figures which show that 20,290 passengers were carried during 1930, an increase of 193 per cent over 1929 when 10,969 persons traveled by air.

FASTEST WAR PLANES

LONDON.—England lays claim to having the fastest fighting planes in the world. The speed of this country's fighting craft has been increased 30 to 50 miles an hour during the past year. One of the fastest planes of the Royal Air Force is the Hawker "Hurricane" a tiny craft to be used as an "interceptor fighter" for defensive operation about London. It is capable of 214 miles an hour.

Death Valley is about 50 miles long and averages 20 to 25 miles wide, from the crests of the enclosing mountain ranges.

LUTHERAN RALLY TO BE HELD IN EUGENE

A state-wide Lutheran rally is being planned for Aug. 30 at the Sunset House in this city, it has been announced by Rev. R. Bogstad, superintendent of the home. An all-day program will be given, beginning at 10:30 a. m. and closing at 3 p. m. Addresses will be interspersed with music and the public is invited. It is announced, E. G. Harlan, secretary of the Eugene chamber of commerce, will be one of the speakers.

This will be the occasion for an open house at the home, which is operated by the Norwegian Lutherans and at that time the buildings will be open so that an inspection of all departments may be had.

Out of town visitors are asked to bring their own lunches, but milk, cream, ice cream, hot coffee and sandwiches may be obtained on the grounds.

Rev. Mr. Bogstad is making extensive plans to entertain a large number of visitors to the home at this time and the aged residents of the institution are looking forward to the occasion with a great deal of pleasure, he said.

Seek Man to Act George Washington

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The George Washington bicentennial commission is in search of a modern George Washington—one who understands surveying and farming and one who, in an emergency, would be able to direct a revolution.

The commission is canvassing the country in an effort to find a man who can portray the role of first President in a pageant to be held here next June as a feature of the celebration of the 200th anniversary of Washington's birth.

It is rumored that one high government official here, who bears a striking resemblance to the nation's first chief executive, has been suggested for the part. But the commission will not make its choice until it has heard from the entire country.

More than 5,000 persons representing all sections of the United States will take part in the pageant. The production will be staged under floodlights beneath the Washington Monument and will last for five or six nights.

Uncle Sam Exempt From Tax on Fuel

HARRISBURG, Pa.—(AP)—Only the United States government is exempt from paying the Pennsylvania liquid fuels tax, the department of revenue has announced.

Even the commonwealth of Pennsylvania is required to pay the three-cent tax on every gallon of gasoline purchased by its representatives, the department said.

Formerly political subdivisions of the state were not obliged to pay the fuels tax on gasoline used for strictly municipal purposes.

School Boundaries Remain Unchanged

The boundaries of the College Crest and Dunn school districts will remain unchanged for the time being, it was decided Thursday at a meeting of the county boundary board.

The board recommended that the two districts draw up tuition contracts in the cases where it was desired that children from one district should attend school in the other district.

Experimenters in England have succeeded in producing wool indelible by cutting pieces of the sheepskin and keeping them in vats containing a certain chemical solution.

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New Fur Trimmed Fall Coats

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Always a Great event, the August Coat Sale this year surpasses in style and value any event of its kind previously held — Here are coats actually \$25 to \$30 below prices of two years ago, and tomorrow there is another saving of \$5 to \$10 on these coats at \$49.50. Can you afford to miss this event?

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SATURDAY IS THE LAST DAY
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YOUR LAST CHANCE — To buy nationally known and advertised merchandise at prices you ordinarily pay for unknown brands. Come in tomorrow and see real quality at remarkable savings!

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Buy Stein-Bloch, Michael-Sterns and Club Clothes in five Selected Groups

\$24.50 Suits, now—\$17.65 \$29.50 Suits, now—\$21.65
\$34.50 Suits, now—\$25.65 \$39.50 Suits, now—\$29.65
\$44.50 to \$59.50 Suits, Now \$39.65

EAGLE SHIRTS
One Group Regular \$3.50
Now \$2.15
Or 3 for \$5.95
One Group Regular \$2.50
Now \$1.65
Or 3 for \$4.55

Leather Coats
Regular \$8.50—**\$5.85**
Now
Regular \$12.50 to \$15.00, now **\$9.85**

\$1.00 Handmade Springback Neckties
3 for \$1.95

PHOENIX HOSE
50c Sox, now—**39¢**
Or 4 for \$1.50
75c Sox, now—**55¢**
Or 2 Pair, \$1.00
\$1.00 Sox, now—**65¢**
Or 4 Pairs \$2.50

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Saturday 2nd Birthday
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Everybody Go To The Market Saturday—Beautiful Displays, Loads and Loads of Good Things To Eat.

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Saturday Curtain Fabrics
10¢-15¢
19c to 29c Val.—29c to 35c Val.

Marquisette figured or plain weave and cross bar effects—38 inches wide and a large assortment from which to choose.

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\$1.95 Brocade Damask
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