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FIFTY LIVES ESTIMATED LOST WHEN NEW AMERICAN DIRIGIBLE ZR-2 EXPLODES

AIRSHIP MAKING TRIAL TRIP PRIOR TO OCEAN FLIGHT
Ship Broke in Half Following Explosion; Two Men Are Believed to Have Been Saved.

AIRCRAFT ATTEMPTS SPEED TRIAL BEFORE DESCENDING
Spectators Saw Big Bag Break, Smoke Ballooned Above Fabric; Giant Mass Fell in River.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—(U. P.)—The new American dirigible ZR-2 exploded over Hull, with 50 lives estimated lost, including 21 Americans. The ship broke in half following the explosion, only two men descending safely in parachutes, are believed to have been saved.

NEW FACTS INDICATE RAGAINS WAS KILLED ELSEWHERE THAN CABIN
Blood Said to Have Been Found Upon Dead Man's Saddle; Also on His Horse.

That Louis Ragains was shot at some spot outside of the Wright cabin and was taken to the cabin after his death and the body placed in position on the floor is a theory of the tragedy that has been current following a trip to the cabin yesterday by three carloads of people who made a careful examination of the premises.

Asked whether there was any comment from the office of the district attorney on this report, C. Z. Randall said at noon that neither he nor Mr. Keator had any statement to make at this time.

FIRST EXHIBIT OUTSIDE OF COUNTY ARRIVES FOR HAY AND GRAIN SHOW
The first exhibit from outside of Umatilla county for the Northwest Grain and Hay Show is to be held here September 19 to 24, arrived today.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—(A. P.)—Details of the peace treaty between the United States and Germany were placed before the republican members of the senate foreign relations committee by President Harding and Secretary Hughes today at the white house. The majority members are reported to have given the terms a cordial approval.

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WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—(A. P.)—Following the senators' conference, no change in the pact was suggested. The treaty is comparatively a short document. Diplomatic relations it is understood, will be re-established on the exchange of treaty ratification, as will all other peace relationships.

SWINDLING CONCERN FLOODS MARKET WITH FAKE BONDS AND NOTES
Authorities Seize \$16,000,000 in Securities Belonging to 'Wolf of La Salle Street.'

CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—(U. P.)—Spurious stock transactions involving \$20,000,000 were carried out by a gigantic swindling organization headed by Charles W. French, the 'wolf of La Salle street.' The scheme covers all parts of the country, according to reliable information compiled overnight by the department of justice officials.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—(U. P.)—Congress launched a final legislative drive with a recess scheduled for tonight.

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AUTHORITIES FIND ROSEBURG DENTIST MORTGAGED FARM
Seeking Motive for Brumfield's Alleged Murder of Russell Find Bank Balance Cut.

ROSEBURG, Aug. 24.—(U. P.)—Seeking a motive for Brumfield's alleged murder of Dennis Russell, the authorities have discovered that Brumfield cut down his bank balances, borrowed money to the amount of over \$5,000, mortgaged his Indiana farm for \$6,000, carried a total indebtedness of over \$20,000, life insurance of \$20,000, accident insurance, \$10,000 and automobile insurance, \$1,000.

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POLITICAL PRISONERS MAY BE RELEASED WHEN PEACE TREATY SIGNED
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SINN FEIN REJECT THE BRITISH PEACE OFFER
LONDON, Aug. 24.—(U. P.)—The Sinn Fein reply to the British peace offer rejects the proposals but paves the way for further negotiations, according to Dublin advices.

HURTS OWN SON BY TRAP FOR THIEVES
PORTLAND, Or., Aug. 24.—Frank Sacco, 341 East Grant street, street cleaner on the night shift, planned an ingenious device to rid his patch of thieves.

FELINEOUS ASSAULT
CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—(I. N. S.)—A cat is not a deadly weapon. Judge Larry Jacobs ruled in police court here when James S. Jankowski, charged Louis Echeles with assault with a deadly weapon.

CONGRESS LAUNCHES FINAL DRIVE; RECESS WILL START TONIGHT
Beer Bill Has Been Virtually Abandoned for Action When Congress Meets Next Month.

GRAND JUNCTION, Colo., Aug. 24.—(U. P.)—Engineer Armstrong, of the Denver, Rio Grande Railroad, was killed and 25 passengers injured when the passenger train went through a bridge whose supports had been swept away by flood waters.

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GRAIN ORGANIZATION TO BE INVESTIGATED
WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—(A. P.)—An investigation of the activities of the national grain dealers association and other organizations alleged to be engaged in combating legislation for the relief of agriculture, was ordered in a resolution adopted today by the senate.

FATAL AUTO ACCIDENT OCCURS AT ONTARIO
ONTARIO, Aug. 24.—When an automobile driven by Frank W. Smyth, a stockman, turned turtle after striking loose gravel on a curve entering Nysaa early this morning, Mrs. Myrtle Cowins, of Nysaa was instantly killed.

OREGON WHEAT GROWERS GET LOAN ON 2,000,000 BUSHELS OF GRAIN
WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—(U. P.)—The war finance corporation announced that negotiations are nearly completed for making loans on finance agricultural products for export as follows: Washington wheat growers association 3,000,000 bushels; Idaho wheat growers association 2,000,000 bushels; Oregon co-operative wheat growers 2,000,000 bushels, and Montana wheat growers 1,500,000.

PUBLICITY NEEDED BY CHURCHES SAYS LEADER
BOSTON, Aug. 24.—(I. N. S.)—"Churches need more publicity. People no longer attend churches from a sense of duty, and they must be lured away from golf, and they must pay for sermons as other goods are paid for."

PRISONER IS KILLED IN ATTEMPTED JAIL BREAK
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 24.—(A. P.)—Horse Box, a county jail prisoner, was shot and killed by Deputy Sheriff in a gun fight after Box was discovered in an attempted jail break.

PRICES FOR MAY WHEAT ARE QUOTED IN MARKET
May wheat prices were quoted in today's Chicago grain market for the first time this year, and opened at \$1.22, with a closing price of \$1.22 1/2.

JAPAN ACCEPTS INVITATION
WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—(U. P.)—The state department announced the receipt of Japan's acceptance of the Washington disarmament conference.

MUST GO TO JAIL IF CHILDREN STEAL COAL
COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 24.—(I. N. S.)—Two Columbus mothers are to spend thirty days in jail if their children again steal coal.

PORTLAND WHEAT MARKET
PORTLAND, Aug. 24.—(A. P.)—Wheat is \$1.96 to \$1.97.

KOCH BUILDING WILL BE FINISHED NOV. 1
By November 1 if present plans are realized Pendleton will have a new building with a 100 foot frontage on Main street.

INDIAN RIOTERS AND BRITISH TROOPS CLASH
LONDON, Aug. 24.—(I. N. S.)—A battle between the Indian rioters and the British troops in Matabara district has been reported in a dispatch, which said there were some casualties, but the exact number was not known.

LABORER'S BODY IS FOUND
PORTLAND, Aug. 24.—(A. P.)—The body of R. F. McNeil, a laborer, was found brutally beaten near Troutdale today. Two men are sought as suspects.

SEVEN KILLED IN WRECK
CLEVELAND, Aug. 24.—(I. N. S.)—Seven are reported killed in a wreck on the New York Central at Willoughby.

NEGROES ATTACK WOMAN KNOCK HER UNCONSCIOUS AND LEAVE HER IN STREET
Feeling Running High; Talks of Lynching is Going About; Police Patrol Negro Quarters.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 24.—(U. P.)—Alleging that she was captured and held prisoner all night during which 12 burly negroes subjected her to innumerable outrages, Mrs. Myrtle White was found unconscious on the street and taken to an emergency hospital where she is suffering from mental and physical torture.

FAMILY OF TEN PEOPLE WEIGHS 2218 POUNDS
BELLEFONTE, Pa., Aug. 24.—Centerville County may have that famous straw that broke the camel's back. Philip Straw and his nine children are claiming the heavyweight family championship of the state.

GASOLINE PRICES DROP
CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—(I. N. S.)—The Standard Oil reduced gasoline to 13 cents at filling stations and 17 from tank wagons.

TEXAS MAN IS SURVIVOR
HULL, Eng., Aug. 24.—(U. P.)—Norman Walker of Commerce, Texas, was the only survivor of the ZR-2 disaster, according to reports so far.

THE WEATHER
Reported by Major Leo Moorhouse, weather observer.
Maximum, 78.
Minimum, 45.
Rainfall, .02 inches.

TODAY'S FORECAST
Tonight and Thursday fair.

