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Fair in east portion tonight;
Tuesday fair, continued mild;
gentle west and northwest
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CRACKER CAUSE OF FEW DEATHS; AUTO IS DEADLY

Fatalities of Fourth Run Beyond 200

CRUSHED AT DANCE

Collapse of Boston Building Claims 43 Lives In the Leading Tragedy

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
Fourth of July celebrations and week end outings took a toll of between 200 and 300 lives in the larger cities of the United States, a checkup by the United Press showed today.

Boston, where 42 members of a notorious night club who were "dancing in the Fourth" were killed in a building collapse, led the casualty list.

Police reports throughout the country show that the number of deaths due to fireworks and explosives was gratifyingly small this year but traffic and drowning accidents showed an alarming increase.

Chicago was second to Boston with 23 deaths, six from fire crackers, 11 from drowning, 16 from auto accidents and four homicides attributed to celebrations of Independence day. Other cities where heavy losses were reported include: Detroit 21, New York 20, Indianapolis and the larger cities of Indiana 20, St. Louis 11, Baltimore 7, Pittsburgh 5, Los Angeles 7, Washington 4, and San Francisco 4.

Sixteen persons lost their lives in Ohio due to holiday celebrations Saturday and Sunday, 14 in traffic accidents.

Five persons were drowned at Wilmington, Del., and eight at Hamilton, Ont. Philadelphia reported five deaths due to drowning, and four persons killed by automobiles.

The number of injured in these cities was approximately five for every one killed.

TWO KILLED IN SEATTLE
SEATTLE, Wash., July 6.—While the destructive fire cracker has been successfully curbed in its maiming and destroying of human life, the auto has taken its place. Two lives were taken and nine injured in motor accidents on Independence day.

Miss Catherine Meehan, 15, was killed instantly when a car in which she was riding was forced off the highway and turned over.

Mrs. George R. Pratt was killed when a car in which she was riding went into a ditch near Centralia.

INDIANA LISTS 19
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 6.—Indiana's casualty list of the Fourth of July and Sunday stood at 19 dead and 15 injured. Twelve were killed in auto accidents, six were drowned and one was burned to death by fireworks. The injured were all hurt in automobile accidents.

VIOLENT DEATHS MANY
CHICAGO, July 6.—Thirty lives were lost in Chicago over the holiday week end. Eleven persons were drowned, 10 were killed in automobile wrecks, six met death by fireworks, two were shot and one was stabbed.

**Heavy Galician Flood
Leaves Many Homeless**
(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
LONDON, July 6.—Three hundred thousand persons have been rendered homeless by tremendous floods in eastern and western Galicia, according to the Daily News Prague correspondent.

Poland last week was visited by unprecedented floods. Thousands were then reported fleeing to the hills to seek safety as the waters rose around their humble dwellings.

Officers Doubt Story Of Kidnaping Related

Frameup to Aid Moonshining, Asserts Deputy

Men Seized By Hooded Band, Are Charged Ten Nights—Police Dog Finds Them

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., July 6.—Police today investigated the sensational stories of two Tennessee feudists who claim they were kidnaped by five hooded men 10 days ago and chained to trees on Signal mountain.

Stadly beaten, on the point of starvation and suffering from blood poisoning, Dr. W. D. Mason, veterinary surgeon, and Lawrence Bowman, prohibition agent, were found in a hollow about a mile and a half from the spot where Mason's blood stained automobile was discovered 10 days ago.

Jim Thomas, mountaineer, and his German police dog found the pair after a futile search by police since their disappearance. The men had been given some food by their captors but were almost famished when found.

The men said they were called to the mountain June 23 by a telephone message. Reaching the mountain in the darkness, they were overpowered by five hooded men and chained to trees, being removed to a different spot nearly every night.

Police authorities are skeptical of the stories the men told. Sam Godsey, deputy sheriff and alleged Klan leader, declared the whole thing a frame up.

"Howman and Mason had figured if they would make it appear they had been killed, they could pursue their moonshining activities and get rich selling liquor," Godsey said.

**Recover Charred Bodies
After \$20,000,000 Blaze**
BOGOTA, Colombia, July 6.—Fifty charred bodies have been recovered from the ruins of the city of Manizales, where fire raged from Friday night to last night.

Forty thousand persons are homeless and the property loss is estimated at \$20,000,000.

A rain storm last night aided in extinguishing the fire.

Flames Lay Waste Half Desert Town of Fort Rock
Cigarette of Customer Blamed by Store Proprietor for
Disastrous Fourth of July Blaze

Fire thought to have started from a carelessly discarded cigarette entirely destroyed the general store, warehouse and residence of H. I. Rice at Fort Rock about 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning. Two small vacant buildings, one which had housed a butcher shop and the other a dwelling, were destroyed also. Their owner is unknown.

An unusually large number of people, most of them preparing for picnics at Cabin lake and the Horse ranch, had been at the store that morning, and Rice thought it probable that one of them had thrown away a cigarette in the warehouse, where motor oils and floor varnish are kept.

The crowd had left and Rice had taken advantage of the lull in business to go to a nearby farm to get some eggs. He noticed the smoke when he was a mile or so away from his property and returned to find the blaze beyond control.

Ernest Stegelder and his mother, who live across the road from the store, were first on the scene and they said that the fire apparently had started at the front of the warehouse.

The Rice property was valued at between \$12,000 and \$14,000, this loss being only partly covered by insurance. An unusually large stock and several hundred dollars' worth of new equipment were included in the loss.

The spread of the fire was aided by the large quantity of oil and gasoline in the warehouse and made controlling it almost impossible. The heads were blown from several gasoline drums on the platform at the front of the store.

PICNICS REPLACE ORDINARY FORM OF OBSERVANCE

Brooks-Scanlon Excursion Is Largest

MILL TEAM BEATEN

Mountain Resorts All Attract Many Through Double Holiday

Independence day passed quietly in Bend, with a majority of its citizens celebrating the day at the numerous general picnics or at picnics of their own at resorts located throughout Central Oregon and in the mountains.

By far the largest number of Bend people went on the Brooks-Scanlon employees' excursion across the McKenzie pass to Cascade resort, near McKenzie bridge. It is estimated that over 600 Bend people attended this picnic, featured by two baseball games between the Brooks-Scanlon team and the resort team.

The Brooks-Scanlon Lumber Co. assisted in the celebration by serving ice cream to employees and their families, and by providing the music for a dance which was held Saturday evening at the resort. Hosmer's orchestra played and made a distinct hit with the people at the resort.

The baseball games were won by the resort team. On Sunday morning the Brooks-Scanlon players put up a close battle in spite of the fact that they faced an imported pitcher of unusual ability. The resort team won 14 to 12. In the previous game, due to a hard, rough infield and numerous squabbles over the umpire's decisions, the mill men did not play up to their usual form and lost 20 to 4.

The Brooks-Scanlon team in the second included Dieters and Teherow, pitchers; Grindle, catcher; Cain, first base; Porter, second base; Pietz, third base.

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**SHOT FROM RIFLE
KILLS SMALL GIRL**
Gun Left Unloaded, Child Inserts Cartridge

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
MAYSHFIELD, July 6.—Delpha May Douthit, five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dennison of East Side, was shot and almost instantly killed about 3:20 yesterday while she and her six year old sister, Madeline, were playing with a .22 caliber rifle.

Delpha and Madeline were left to play with an infant half brother in the cleared area where the family was picnicking, while the adults went to pick berries. The rifle had been used in target shooting and was left near the children.

Dennison examined the rifle before leaving for the berry patch in the hills and is certain no bullet was in the barrel. It is believed that Madeline imitated the adults and loaded the rifle by pulling back the breech block.

The little child was heart broken after the accident and could not explain the shooting. Delpha was sitting down when Madeline pulled the trigger, she said. This story is born out by the location of the bullet.

The bullet first passed through the child's wrist into her chest and embedded itself in her heart.

**Club's Employes Chained
While Burglars Loot Safe**
(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
CINCINNATI, July 6.—Seven bandits chained five employes, blew the safes with five charges of nitro glycerine and escaped from Cincinnati's zoo club house today with \$21,000 loot.

Club officials said \$18,000 of the loot was cash, receipts of two of the biggest days in the club's history.

Amusements Problems To Christian Endeavor

Dancing, One Piece Bathing Suits Scanned, Too

Rolled Stockings, Lip Sticks, Cigarettes, All On Program At Portland Meeting

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
PORTLAND, July 6.—Just where to draw the line of Christianity in the matter of amusements is the problem which thousands of young persons gathered here for the international Christian Endeavor convention set about to solve today.

Parties, sports, dancing, card playing, bathing suits and one piece bathing suits will be held up for scrutiny at a mass meeting this afternoon.

What the old folks think will not count, as everyone over 30 years of age will be excluded from the meeting.

Here is a list of some of the questions that will occupy the young people's minds:

Is it necessary to be a fundamentalist to be a Christian?
Does dancing indicate a serious defect in moral fiber?
Is it impudent and unwomanly for a young girl to appear in public in a one-piece bathing suit?
Should Sunday be used for playing golf and taking part in outdoor sports?
Can a Christian Endeavor girl wear rolled stockings and use lip sticks?
What can be done to curb the use of cigarettes by young men and women?

**MODERNIST BATTLE
IS LEFT UNDECIDED**
Issue Left Wide Open By
Compromise Resolution

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
SEATTLE, July 6.—With promise by fundamentalist delegates that they would keep up the fight until the Park avenue church in New York was brought into line or its affiliation with northern Baptists ended, delegates to the Baptist convention Sunday concluded their sessions here.

The passage of the "compromise" resolution Saturday, "has left the fundamentalist modernist controversy open and undecided," according to many delegates.

The convention ended with an all day series of religious meetings yesterday, the principal sermon, "Up-look and Outlook," being delivered by Rev. W. S. Abernethy, D. D., of the District of Columbia.

In a sermon delivered at the Masonic temple Sunday morning Rev. Abernethy deplored "the intolerance manifest today."

"We have come a good way since they boiled heretics in oil and burned them at the stake," Dr. Abernethy said. "Today we have a more genteel way."

LATE WIRE NEWS
(By United Press)

HAMTRAMACK, Mich., July 6.—Four young bandits with charcoal blackened faces held up Joseph Janski on a street shortly after noon today and escaped with \$1,450 in cash.

PALO ALTO, Cal., July 6.—Lyman D. Wilbur, eldest son of Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Curtis D. Wilbur, and Miss Henrietta Shattuck of Berkeley were to be married in the Stanford university chapel this afternoon.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., July 6.—Special government counsel Alce Spencere and Owen J. Roberts today petitioned Federal Judge T. Blake Kennedy for a reopening of the Teapot Dome oil lease case.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 6.—Although official word is lacking, the San Francisco Yacht club cabled congratulations to L. A. Norris, owner of the yacht Mariner, on his reported victory in the San Francisco-Tahiti yacht race, the longest one in history.

FRANCE TO ASK LOAN TO FINISH HER REBUILDING

Caillaux Plans Visit to U. S. and Britain

CONSIDERING DEBT

Funding Commission Membership Now Being Taken Up In Capital

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
PARIS, July 6.—Jammy Schmidt, under secretary of state for the liberated regions, announced in a speech at Guiscard that Finance Minister Caillaux will soon go to London and Washington with a preliminary determination to negotiate a loan for completing reconstruction of the devastated regions and for aiding French finances.

The composition of the debt funding commission to visit America may be announced tonight, the foreign office said today.

The United Press announced last week Caillaux's intention to come to America to aid in French debt funding negotiations if duties of his office permit. The above would indicate that France, in addition to making a debt settlement, intends to seek financial aid in America for carrying on her finance reform and her reconstruction work.

WASHINGTON, July 6.—Treasury officials expressed the opinion that American investors would not support a huge loan to France, proposals for which were reported in United Press cables from France today as long as the "demand obligation" of the debt was outstanding. This was understood to indicate that funding of the debt might open the way to the French rehabilitation loan which the French are expected to ask.

FIRE BLOCKS BRIDGE
(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
NEW YORK, July 6.—Police reserves were called out today to assist in getting 100,000 workers from Brooklyn to Manhattan after Rapid Transit trains were stopped on the Williamsburg bridge. A giant girder beneath the bridge had been burned off by a short circuit, making the bridge unsafe for transit.

Toll Taken In Dance of Death Now Standing at 43
Search Continues, However, In Debris of Pickwick Club
After Friday Night Horror

BOSTON, July 6.—The toll of the Pickwick club's "dance of death" probably will remain at 43. At noon today practically the last of the wreckage of the old Dreyfus hotel building which collapsed Friday night while the club was holding its annual "before the Fourth" dance had been cleared away.

No additional bodies had been found since last night when more than a score were uncovered.

Officials in charge of the work said they believed all the bodies had been brought out unless it should be found that players in a dice game, reported to have been in progress in a remote corner of the building had been killed. The debris of that particular section was all that remained to be searched.

Fire Chief Dan Sinnott, hoarse and weary after directing the rescue and search parties for more than 48 hours, estimated to the United Press that the final toll of dead would not exceed 50. A score, taken from the terrible tangle of debris which spilled over into an adjacent excavation as the entire adjoining crumpled in, are in city hospitals and some of these may not live.

Fire Commissioner Glyn believed that with the finding of the woman's body and that of a man early this morning all the dead have been accounted for.

The tragedy came swiftly in the midst of an all night dance, attended by members of the Pickwick club, which was famous for its "Bohemian" entertainments.

Dancers thronged the floor of the ball room, applauding for an encore. The club occupied the second story of the structure which was not otherwise tenanted.

Without warning, save a few preliminary rumbles that scarcely sounded above the laughter and voices, the ceiling fell in upon the celebrators and the floor gave way beneath their feet. Men and women were hurled together into a terrible vortex of flesh and splintered timbers and tangled frame work, down to the basement of the structure, while the rest of the five stories fell in on top of them.

National Forest Sets Record for the Fourth

More People In Woods, But No Fires Reported

Fire Prevention Publicity Held Important Factor In Attracting Safety Goal

A new record for the Fourth of July holiday was made this year by campers and other vacationists in the Deschutes national forest. Although there were more people spending the holiday at the lakes and throughout the forest area than ever before, not a single fire was reported to the office of the supervisor in Bend.

"The total lack of fires this year seems to indicate that our publicity aimed at forest fire prevention or some other factor has brought about great progress in educating the public to the danger and needlessness of forest fires," said Forest Supervisor H. L. Plumb today.

"The woods was full of people, but unless we pick up some fires this morning, the holiday will have passed without a single blaze within the forest boundaries."

A remarkable instance showing the efficiency of the forest service fire patrol organization occurred in the Metolius country yesterday. A camper on Canyon creek was breaking camp and leaving after burning various trash he threw onto the fire the boughs on which he had made his bed. The heavy smoke which rose from the spot was immediately noticed by the lookout on Black Butte, and before the rest of the boughs were burned the fireman from Allingham ranger station, two miles away, had arrived on the scene.

A telephone call from Black Butte, giving the location of the supposed forest fire, had done the trick.

**ROOSEVELT PARTY
REMAINING SILENT**
Sheep Hunters Still Have
Time to Return In Fall

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
LEH, Kashmir, July 6.—No direct news of the James Simpson-Roosevelt-Field expedition, bound for the Tibetan haunts of the ovis poli (ancestor of the sheep), has been received here for a fortnight, though native rumors say that the travelers safely crossed the Sasser pass.

A safe return this autumn as the American explorers had planned, is still possible, providing good weather continues.

Dispatches about a fortnight ago related that the expedition had reached the foot of Karakoram pass, to the north of Sasser pass but indicated that it was halted there, waiting for better weather before trying to venture across this mighty barrier.

The United Press correspondent at Karachi is endeavoring to communicate with Kashgar, northwest of Karakoram pass, in the hope of more definite information as to the party's whereabouts.

**American Marines Save
Officer From Chinese**
(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
LONDON, July 6.—American marines at Shaighai killed the leader of a Chinese mob and rescued a police officer named MacDonald (presumably a Britisher) who had been attacked and beaten by rioters, according to a dispatch to the Daily News.

Leaders of the street car strike at Shanghai have resorted to torture as a means of terrorism, says the Daily News correspondent, six street car workers have been kidnaped, hung up by their hands and severely flogged and then released.

ITALIAN VILLAGE SHAKES
(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
ROME, July 6.—A strong earthquake last night caused ceilings of a number of houses in Belluno to fall and walls of others to crack but there was no casualties.

TRIES TO PASS, DRIVER KILLED IN AUTO WRECK

Fred Haack Victim of Sunday Accident

TWO OTHERS HURT

Soft Dirt At Roadside Fools Shevlin-Hixon Logger— Inquest Is Held

Fred Haack, Shevlin-Hixon camp No. 1 logger, was instantly killed late Sunday afternoon when the light car in which he attempted to pass another auto overturned on the McKenzie-Bend highway at Cold springs, four miles beyond Sisters. Harvey Gustafson has a broken arm, and Clarence Talbot was severely bruised, while the fourth member of the party, Frank Talbot, was shaken and slightly bruised. Gustafson and Clarence Talbot are patients at the Lumbermen's hospital here.

The accident occurred shortly after 5 o'clock. Haack had spent the Fourth of July with relatives in Marion, on the west side of the mountains, and was returning to Bend. Beyond Sisters the road has been widened and the dirt at the edge is rather soft. It was this soft strip that Haack's car struck as he turned out. The auto, at once out of control, capsized.

Auto parties were passing on the road at frequent intervals, and a truck was promptly available. A truck driven by Hardy Allen came out from Sisters, and the dead driver and injured men were taken in, and later with the exception of Clarence Talbot, brought to Bend.

That the accident was unavoidable, was the verdict of the coroner's jury which investigated Haack's death this afternoon. It was testified by Jay H. Upton, who was following Haack's car just before the accident, that he did not believe Haack had been speeding. County Physician R. W. Hendershott stated his belief that ribs which were dislocated were pressed in against the young man's heart, causing practically instant death.

Members of the coroner's jury were J. H. Morton, J. A. Dudley, J. B. Miner, Frank Garnett, George F. Hoover and Joe Pival.

In addition to relatives in Marion, Haack is survived by a brother, also a Shevlin-Hixon logger.

**Remarriage Attacked
By Faction In Church**
(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
NEW YORK, July 6.—A movement has started within the Episcopal church to repeal the canon adopted in 1865 which permits the remarriage of divorced persons under certain conditions.

Launched by the Sanctuary of Marriage association, which includes such church leaders as Bishop William T. Manning of New York, the movement will be carried directly into the Episcopal convention at New Orleans in October. The real controversy is expected on whether the church should again revert to its old laws that marriage be denied all divorced persons.

At present the Episcopal canons permit remarriage of the "innocent party" under certain conditions, in cases where divorce was granted on the grounds of infidelity.

**Passengers Are Burned
In California Tunnel**
(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
SAN RAFAEL, Cal., July 6.—Miss Myrtle Rolis, of San Francisco, was seriously burned and lives of many passengers were endangered today when a fuse blew out on a North-western Pacific passenger train while passing through the Corte Madera tunnel.

The timbers of the tunnel were set afire but the flames were controlled by fire departments from Corte Madera and other towns.

Miss Rolis was burned when she stepped on the third rail and received painful shocks.

Other terrified passengers were led to safety from the smoke filled tunnel.

Then for two days, one body after another, sometimes three and four mangled together, were taken from the shattered ruins.