

ORIGIN: Tonight and Saturday fair, moderate westerly winds. LOCAL: Min. temperature 38, max 52, mean 60. No rainfall. River 1.2 feet, stationary.

Victory of Resolute Ties Races

Sandy Hook, N. J., July 23.—Resolute won today's international cup race after a spectacular finish and tied, two to two, with Shamrock IV in the fight for America's cup.

Resolute crossed the line first with a minute and a half to spare, according to unofficial timing. Shamrock, after a long stern chase around two legs of today's triangular course, overhauled the defender within three miles of the finish, but the American sloop breaking out a big balloon, took the lead again within the last half mile and sped first across the finish line, beating the challenger boat for boat, according to unofficial timing.

The official finishing times were: Resolute 4:39:25. Shamrock 4:43:05.

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Elk Parade Thursday Most Elaborate Ever Presented in Salem

The magnificent mounted Elk herd offered as first prize for the largest uniformed delegation appearing in the parade last evening, was given to McMinville; Oregon City receiving second award of \$50. For the aggregation having the most unique costumes. The Dalles received first prize of lodge jewels, and Medford, the second prize, of a silk altar flag.

The "No Gas" float, entered by Lee Gilbert of Salem, claimed first award of \$50 and the Burro entry by Cherrington and Levy, also of this city, was given the \$25 prize. Dan Fry, Jr., was recipient of the \$100 offered for the best decorated automobile and P. E. Fullerton took the second award of \$50.

Body of Nude Woman Is Found Hidden In Trunk

New York, July 23.—The body of a nude woman, jammed in a trunk, was found today by employes of the American Railway Express company, among the unclaimed baggage in the company's East 44th street warehouse. The trunk had been received here from Detroit June 17.

Doctor's Car Is Damaged In Court Street Collision

The automobile of Dr. J. W. Welch of this city was lightly damaged last night when it collided with a car said to have been driven by Earl Gray, according to a report made at police headquarters.

Right-of-Way Is Taken Crowded Street, One Dead

Mrs. E. K. Denton, age 71, is dead and her husband seriously injured as the aftermath of a convention crowd accident at the corner of State and Commercial streets, Thursday night.

\$125 Separated From Salem Man By Pickpocket

One hundred and twenty-five dollars in currency and a check for \$6 were "lifted" from the person of E. S. Eaton, 254 Front street, some time Thursday night, according to his report made to police.

Bryan Refuses To Be Candidate

Boseman, Mont., July 23.—William J. Bryan Thursday announced positively that he would not accept the nomination for president tendered him by the prohibition national convention at Lincoln, Neb.

Poles Ask Armistice Of Soviets

Warsaw, July 23.—Poland has sent armistice proposals direct to the soviet government at Moscow. After these proposals had been dispatched by wireless at two o'clock this afternoon by the national council of defense, a new coalition cabinet was formed under the premiership of M. Witos.

The Polish message was short and to the point. There was some delay in dispatching it owing chiefly to hitches in the organization of a coalition cabinet. A reply is expected by Friday night.

Sinn Fein Hall Burned, Houses Sacked, Report

London, July 23.—About 2 o'clock this morning, Caltra, near Ballinacree, Ireland, was visited by police and military who wrecked many houses in the town, including the Sinn Fein hall, which was burned to ruins of "up tuam" according to a message from the press association's correspondent in Ballinacree today.

Pageant Gives Women Bright Event Tonight

For the entertainment of the ladies, this evening while the men are at the fair grounds attending the boxing contests, the women's reception committee has arranged for the presentation of Mrs. Ralph White's magnificent pageant, "The Awakening of Spring" at the opera house. The pageant was given early in the spring and was acknowledged as the most beautiful spectacle of its kind ever presented in the city.

Sale of Tickets Presages Great Crowd at Fight

Elks and their friends who delayed getting tickets for the boxing matches at the fair ground auditorium tonight found "slim pickins" when they showed up at the places where the coveted pasteborders are on sale today.

Pitter Saves Eugene Cherries

Eugene, Or., July 23.—Within 24 hours after the rain ceased on the morning of July 14 cracked cherries were being pitted and dried by the Oregon Growers' Cooperative association, coordinators E. O. Holt, field manager. A cherry pitter was installed at the dryer of George W. Weeks near Salem. A day later a dryer owned by F. E. Evans in that district was in operation to handle the overflow.

Crash On State Damages Machine

When he started to turn his car around on State street Thursday night he collided with an automobile owned by W. H. Ramp of Brooks, F. H. Gand of route 9, old Salem police.

Convention Votes Next Session To Marshfield Without Negative Voice

Marshfield, Oregon, was unanimously chosen by Elk delegates as the locality for the fourth annual state convention of the Oregon State Elks' association to be held next summer, when lodges convened for their second business meeting this morning.

Rumors, drifting from the innermost sanctum of the convention hall, have it that R. Alexander of Pendleton, who, it was believed, would be a candidate for president of the association, plans to withdraw from the race.

Exports During Year Establish New High Record

Washington, July 23.—Exports from the United States during the fiscal year ending June 30, reached a new high record of \$8,111,000,000 but as all records for imports also were smashed the net trade balance in favor of this country was only \$2,872,000,000.

Harding's Stand On League Will Be Chief Issue

Marion, Ohio, July 23.—Senator Harding's stand on the league of nations, outlined yesterday in his speech formally accepting the republican nomination for the presidency, was expected today by his managers here to furnish the chief bone of contention during the next stage of the political campaign.

Divorce Answer Is Mild But Requests Nuptial Freedom

In a complete answer filed recently to the amended complaint in divorce proceedings filed by his wife, O. B. Durdall denies her assertion that he is worth \$30,000 and \$45,000 and also refutes charges that he is of a "mean and nagging" disposition.

Half of Hornbrook Destroyed by Fire

Hornbrook, Cal., July 23.—About half of the business district of Hornbrook Thursday was destroyed by fire which originated in the basement of G. W. Howard's general merchandise store, destroying the miners' hotel, owned by G. W. Day of Ashland, Or.; Clark's restaurant, Bloomington camp meat market, Howard's store, and partially destroying Eckhart's hardware store and the postoffice.

Vacant Lot Made For Weary Visitors

Necessity, the old adage tells us, is the mother of invention. Evidently, from the numerous incidents taking place in the crowded little district during the convention days, it is also the half-sister of ingenuity. A mere trifle, like a scarcely sleeping apartments, means nothing at all in the young lives of some of Salem's visitors.