

The Weather

OREGON: Tonight and Thursday unsettled weather, probably thunder storms in mountains, cooler east portion, moderate westerly winds.

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Posse Fires At Supposed Fugitives

Pendleton, Or., July 28.—Two men, believed fugitives from the Umattilla county jail here, were fired upon by a posse at Duncan, southeast of Pendleton just before dawn today.

Investigators Journey Thru Jap's Gardens

Tacoma, Wash., July 28.—Continuing investigation of the Japanese situation in the northwest the house immigration committee this afternoon at 1:30 will hear a number of local agriculturists, hotel and real estate men.

Italy to Abandon Avlona, Report

Rome, July 27.—Italy has decided to abandon Avlona to the Albanians, according to reports appearing in the Giornale D'Italia and the Corriere D'Italia. The newspapers say an Italo-Albanian agreement has virtually been reached on a basis involving, in addition to the abandonment of Avlona by the Italians, the immediate cessation of hostilities, exchange of prisoners, the dismantling of the defense of Avlona in the event of its being attacked by sea, and recognition by Italy of the independence of Albania according to the frontiers established by the conference of London in 1913.

Apartment House Prowler Escapes

Reports that a night prowler was lurking about the Court apartments Tuesday evening, were received at the Salem police station and Officer Davis was sent to investigate.

Amundsen Arrives In Nome After Winter Spent In North Seas

Nome, Alaska, July 27.—Roald Amundsen, the Norwegian explorer, arrived in Nome this evening on the steamer Genevieve from Sledge Island, where his vessel, the Maude, has been anchored over a storm for the past two days. He reports all well with his expedition.

Building Program Of Oregon Growers Progressing Fast

With the prune processing plant at Dallas nearly completed, those at Myrtle Creek and Riddle more than half constructed, and the one at Forest Grove well under way, officials at the Oregon Fruit Growers' association headquarters stated this morning that the building program of the growers' packing corporation is progressing rapidly.

Salt Lake City Official Faces Grave Charges

Salt Lake City, July 28.—Seventeen complaints charging misappropriation of public funds have been filed against E. A. Book, until last week mayor of Salt Lake City, Leslie Frazer, assistant county attorney announced today. The total of misappropriations alleged is \$10,080. One complaint charging forgery in connection with an alleged false statement also has been filed.

Marion's Share Of State School Fund \$26,585

Under the annual apportionment of the interest from the state's irrevocable school fund, as made today by State Treasurer Hoff, Marion county will receive \$26,585.22, being \$2.02 for each of the 13,161 children of school age within the county. The total apportionment aggregates \$432,267.83 and is based on the number of children of school age in each county the total for the state being 213,994. The 1919 apportionment of this fund was based on a per capita of \$1.95, the present apportionment being a slight increase over that of last year.

First Drivers License Revoked

At the request of Chief of Police Jenkins of Portland, Secretary of State Koser today suspended the license of Albert Kunz, a registered chauffeur residing in Portland. This is the first suspension of a chauffeur's license this year under the motor vehicle law providing for such action on recommendation of a peace officer and is based on Kunz's violation of the national prohibition act to which he pleaded guilty in the United States district court at Portland, July 14.

Guardsmen of Washington To Have Own Car

Seattle, Wash., July 28.—Twelve Washington national guardsmen selected to represent the state at the national rifle matches at Camp Perry, Ohio, next month, and to defend the marathon trophy won by this state last year, will leave Seattle Thursday on a special car and will remain at Camp Perry during the entire month of August.

Nevada Mineral Is Valuable, Reported

Tonopah, Nev.—New mineral substance, resembling asbestos, has been found in an eight foot vein near Coalville, Nev. Officials of the federal bureau of mines have indicated their intention of sending experts to study the material.

Villa Surrenders Following All Night Conference With Martinez; Terms Not Known

Eagle Pass, Texas, July 28.—Francisco Villa, bandit leader, surrendered unconditionally after an all night conference with General Eugenio Martinez, commanding the Torreón military zone, according to advices received by the Mexican consul here today.

Charges Against Japanese Cabinet Start Fist Fight

Tokyo, July 27.—Disorder in the house of representatives yesterday was repeated today when the allegations that Baron Takanashi, minister of finance, and other ministers had improperly used their offices by indulging in stock gambling were again discussed. Several members of the opposition rushed to the rostrum followed by governmental members and fist fighting was started. Guards were obliged to interfere.

More Directors Of Sugar Firm Cited for Trial

Salt Lake City, Utah, July 28.—Four men not named in the original complaint filed against directors of the Utah-Idaho Sugar company charging infraction of the Lever act in connection with sales of sugar, are named in an amended complaint filed here by Isaac Blair Evans, United States district attorney, and three named in the original complaint are not mentioned in the new document.

Canadian War Veterans Plan Mexican Colony

Calgary, Alberta, July 28.—General Critchley, well known in Canadian military circles, has recruited and taken into Mexico three battalions of British and Canadian war veterans to settle them on a million acre estate, according to news received here today. These settlers, it was stated, are organized on a thorough military basis.

Resolute Given Great Ovation

New York, July 28.—Resolute, successful defender of the America's cup, was greeted by a great chorus of whistles when she passed up the East river today. Shamrock IV, the defeated cup challenger, left Sandy Hook shortly after noon for an anchorage in the Hudson river. Passing steamers gave her almost a continuous ovation of whistle salutes.

Coast to Coast Mail Plans Set

New York, July 28.—A fleet of three all-metal monoplane planes were ready early today at Central Park, Long Island, to take off for San Francisco carrying the first bag of mail ever to cross the continent by airplane. The trip is for the purpose of mapping out a regular aerial mail route which is scheduled to open the first week in September. The party number fifteen persons, including guests, photographers and mechanics.

Milk Deliveries In Kansas City Resumed Today

Kansas City, Mo., July 28.—Milk deliveries to Kansas City consumers were resumed today under a three-day armistice agreement, after a suspension of twenty-four hours because of differences between four of the large dairy companies and city officials over the city milk grading ordinance.

Census Figures

Washington, July 28.—Lander, Wyo. 2133, increase 321, or 17.7 percent. San Bernardino, Cal. 18,000, increase 5242, or 45.5 percent. Waycross, Ga. 18,965, increase 3583 or 24.7 per cent.

Twenty Firemen Overcome While Fighting Flames

Chicago, July 28.—Twenty firemen were overcome today while fighting a fire that virtually destroyed the beef house of Armour & company, a five-story structure. The flames menaced a million dollars worth of beef in adjoining storage plants.

'No Gas After August 1,' Rumor False; City Gets 44,930 Gallons In Week

Persistent rumors, flitting from motorist to motorist in Salem and occasionally wafted from a local garage or two to the effect that the city is to be without gasoline after August 1, were laid to rest this morning by officials of local oil companies.

Turks Told To Evacuate War Office At Once

Constantinople, July 28.—The entente today asked the Turks to vacate the war office, which is to be used by the inter-ally commission for controlling the straits zone. All arms and ammunition factories and the men's school have been closed by the Turks as they will not be needed by the small army permitted Turkey under the pace terms.

Yank Athletes Start Training On Board Ship

On Board U. S. S. Princess Matoika, July 27.—Perfect sailing weather today permitted the members of the American Olympic team to settle down to their eleven day training routine. A seventy yard cork sprint track has been laid on the upper deck and punching bag stands and wrestling mats have been placed. There is a canvas swimming tank on the lower deck but when filled with sea water will have to be repaired.

Lane Timber Is Sold; Mill To Be Constructed

Eugene, July 28.—President Snodgrass of the First National bank has confirmed the rumored sale of 2000 acres of timber land in the vicinity of Eugene, in which the bank was heavily interested. Purchased was A. B. Cain, formerly of Portland, now engaged in the lumbering business at Summit. The purchase price is said to be in the neighborhood of \$100,000.

Trunk Mystery Body Identified

New York, July 28.—Mrs. Leo Trumbull, wife of a Detroit policeman, today at the Bellevue morgue identified the body of the young woman found in a trunk in the American Railway Express company warehouse here last week as that of Mrs. Eugene LeRoy.

Protest Filed With Japanese

Tokyo, July 28.—According to the Nichi Nichi, the Japanese government has received an inquiry parading of the nature of a protest from a "certain country" in connection with Japan's intention to occupy Saghalin, Manchuria, stationing troops in Khabarovsk and elsewhere.

French Install New Government Over Damascus

Beirut, Syria, July 26.—French entry into Damascus Sunday marked the beginning of the new Syrian government by General Gouraud, French commander, involving chiefly immediate disarmament and the end of the reign of Prince Faisal, who has been invited to leave the country.

Bergdoll Believed In Seattle

Seattle, Wash., July 28.—Agents of the department of justice are today searching Seattle, Bellingham and vicinity for Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, draft evader, who escaped from military guards at Philadelphia on May 31, last.

Republicans of New York Plan Fall Campaign

Saratoga Springs, N. Y., July 28.—Judge Nathan L. Miller of Syracuse was nominated for governor late today by the unofficial republican convention. His selection came on the third ballot.

Non-Partisan Leaders Must Go To Prison

Fairmount, Minn., July 28.—A. C. Townley, president of the national Non-Partisan League, and Joseph Gilbert, former league organizer, today were denied new trials on charges of conspiracy to encourage disloyalty during the war. They are under 90 day jail sentences.

Salemites May Get Tank Lots of Gas

A carload of eastern gasoline, from an independent oil company, was received Wednesday morning by the Valley Motor company. The fuel will be retailed from the company's station on North High street, and those wishing to purchase it in tank lots may do so at the Valley Motor's tractor department on Front street, officials stated.

Resolute, Work Done, Will Be Dismantled

New York, July 28.—Resolute, which decisively defeated Shamrock IV in the deciding yacht race in defense of the America's cup yesterday, probably will not run another race, said H. DeB. Parsons, a member of the race committee of the New York Yacht club today. The defender will be dismantled at the Hershoff yards at Bristol, R. I.