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FAIR TONIGHT  
And continued warm tonight and Friday.  
Light dry northeast winds and low humidity.  
Local: Max., 100; min., 68; rain, none; river, 3; atmos., clear; wind, north.

FORTY-SEVENTH YEAR No. 151 SALEM, OREGON, THURSDAY, JUNE 25, 1925 PRICE THREE CENTS ON TRAINS AND NEWS STANDS FIVE CENTS

## SILENT FIRE IS STILL RAGING

### RELIEF FROM HEAT IS NOT IN SIGHT WIND SHIFTS DRIVING FIRE OUT OF BASIN

#### MERCURY UP TO 99 HERE AND RISING

Light breeze tempers atmosphere but fails to check upward march of thermometer.

#### 294 EMPLOYEES INDIAN BUREAU WILL LOSE JOBS

Washington, June 25.—(By Associated Press)—Two hundred and ninety four employees in the field service of the Indian bureau, including one or more in nearly every Indian agency and reservation in the country, will lose their jobs July 1 under a sweeping reorganization plan announced here today.

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#### Senator Proud of First Public Job As Salem Janitor

"I have held just two public offices in my time—janitor and senator. Janitor at the old East Salem school back in 1874 and 1875 and United States senator from California, elected in 1920."



Samuel M. Shortridge.

The way Senator Samuel M. Shortridge of California describes his public career. That's the way he told it to a New York newspaperman when he first went to Washington and he told it in the same way to a newspaperman at the Marion hotel yesterday.

#### CONVICTS RIOT; HURL CANS THRU PRISON WINDOWS

Portland, Or., June 25.—While a hot drying wind was sweeping the forest areas of Oregon, hourly increasing the fire hazard, several fires were being fought today in the western part of the state, and one in central Oregon.

#### REALTORS TOLD OPPORTUNITY IS KNOCKING HERE

"You have as good an opportunity here as anywhere in the world," W. H. Ross, assistant vice-president of the National Realtors' association and resident of Portland, told the Marion-Polk County Realtors at their weekly luncheon this noon.

#### NEW PROFESSOR OF HISTORY HERE

Robert Moulton Gatte, for three years professor of history at Willamette university, where he earned his A. B. and M. A. degrees, returned to Salem last night from Washington, D. C., where he has been studying during the past school year at the American university. He earned his Ph. D. degree there.

#### Jurist's Daughter Defends Cocktail Parties As Proper

New York, June 25.—The boards of propriety of the modern generations beyond the age of 13 have now been pushed out to include cocktail parties by Mrs. Esther Ford Wait, young daughter of supreme court Justice John Ford, who is presiding at the divorce trial of Thomas H. Symington, wealthy railroad equipment manufacturer, against his wife.

#### MISTAKE IN DRINKS IS CAUSE OF DEATH

Send, June 25.—George Stanley, 24 year old stage driver who drank commercial acid by mistake March 5, died yesterday directly as a result of drinking the acid, which ate away the lining of his stomach, according to the physicians. He is said to have literally starved to death.

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