

Facts!
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Weather
Mostly cloudy tonight and Wednesday, with showers tonight. Little change in temperature, southwest wind.
Yesterday: Max. 66 min. 46. Rain .02 in. Riv. 2.6 ft. South wind, cloudy

48th YEAR, No. 120 Entered as second class matter at Salem, Oregon SALEM, OREGON, TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1936 2 PRICE THREE CENTS ON TRAINS AND NEWS STANDS—FIVE CENTS

DR. TOWNSEND WITNESS IN QUIZ

ALLEN WINNER OVER BURT IN CLOSE FINISH

With All but 2 Precincts In, Pendleton Candidate Leads by 134

Derby and Vinton Elected District Delegates to GOP Convention

Portland, Ore., May 19 (AP)—Jack Allen, Pendleton automobile dealer and former state liquor administrator, appeared today the winner of one of the most closely contested election races in Oregon history—the campaign for the democratic nomination for state treasurer.

SPEED PICKED UP BY HINDENBURG

Aboard the Zeppelin Hindenburg en route to America, May 19 (AP)—Swinging south of a storm area over the Atlantic, the big Zeppelin Hindenburg picked up speed today with a possibility of reaching New York late tonight on its second flight from Germany.

DISTRIBUTION OF FEHL FUNDS

The state supreme court ordered the distribution today of funds totaling \$8,473, realized from foreclosure and sale of property previously owned by Earl H. Fehl, former Jackson county judge serving a four-year term in the state penitentiary for ballot theft.

Back-Seat Drivers Get Him Dog House

Portland, Ore., May 19 (AP)—Arrested on charges of driving eight miles an hour, Charles G. Broughton pleaded that relatives in the back seat made him drive that slowly.

Good Evening!

Sips for Supper

By DON UPJOHN

Chris Kowitz should have known better than to try to unseat Mayor Kuhn after all the soles the esteemed mayor has saved in this vicinage. It follows also that in saving a sole the mayor converts a heel at the same time, which doesn't injure his batting average any. As a sole saver Varney should rank right along with the late Billy Sunday and Mr. Moody (Dwight not Ralph).

With all the wind sweeping around the corners this a.m. we weren't right sure whether Bud Stutesman was out again trying to buy some hope or whether the windows had been left open at the court house where Wall Window is trying a case. At times with an extra heavy gust we thought maybe it was both.

It seems we may have hit our stride again as no more was the paper out last evening than we had a call from Newell Williams who started causing us for saying the other night his detective suit has pants that lace up the side. And from the tenor of his remarks we thought also he figured on mayhem, and when he pulled out his pop pistol we figured there might be murder, too, showing that all our fond hopes were fulfilled in one gulp.

The lead, which changed hands half a dozen times since the polls closed Friday, slowly went to Allen early Monday and he increased it gradually as outlying precincts reported. The vote from 1623 precincts was:

Allen 41,838; Burt 41,704.

A revision of the vote in Allen's home county, Umatilla, gave him 41 (Concluded on page 9, column 7)

BRITISH LOSE DISPATCH BAG SENT ETHIOPIA

Diplomat's Satchel Disappears from Railroad—Inquiries Started

All Fascists Between 21 And 55 Ordered Enrolled in Italian Militia

(By the Associated Press)
A missing dispatch case—not the first to cause an international affair—bobbled up out of the Italo-Ethiopian war's aftermath today.

This particular dispatch case, although probably of no such moment as the one a German diplomat lost on the New York subway prior to America's entrance into the World War, nevertheless caused the British foreign office to instruct Sir Sidney Barton, the minister to Ethiopia, to make inquiries.

WANTS CANADA TO JOIN UNION

Washington, May 19 (AP)—A resolution calling for a special congressional committee to investigate the "practicability" of a union between the United States and the Dominion of Canada was introduced in the house today by Rep. William I. Sirovich, D., N. Y.

2 BATTLESHIPS ESCORTED BACK

Balboa, Canal Zone, May 19 (AP)—The battleships New Mexico and Mississippi, their engines disabled, were proceeding direct to San Pedro today under escort of the minesweepers Bobolink, Brant and Sonoma.

CAPITOL DESIGNS COMING FRIDAY

Eugene, May 19 (AP)—Designs for Oregon's new state capitol building, entered by nearly 200 architects, will be turned over to the jury of awards at a meeting of the capitol commission in Salem Friday, J. A. McLean, chairman of the commission, announced here today. McLean said the jury of five will make a recommendation at the end of five days.

Talbott Speaker at Annual Convention of State Farmers' Union

Mt. Angel, Ore., May 19—Delegates to the 26th annual convention of the Oregon Farmers' Union opened the session at 10 o'clock this morning. More than 100 credentialed members were in attendance with a large crowd of visitors. The morning session was open to the public with the afternoon period closed for convention business.

FD Talks on Guffey Coal Act Decision

Washington, May 19 (AP)—President Roosevelt said today the only answer to the supreme court decision holding the Guffey soft coal stabilization act unconstitutional, was to keep on trying to reach the objectives of that law.

DISAGREE ON PROFITS LEVY

Washington, May 19 (AP)—Sharp disagreement on the compromise corporate profits levy provisions in the new tax bill was apparent among members of the senate finance committee today as subgroups began consideration of other portions of the \$903,000,000 measure.

GARDENA HALTS RAILWAY STRIKE

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Mexico City, May 19—A strike of 48,000 employees of the great Mexican National railways collapsed today under resolute counter-action from President Lazaro Cardenas' administration.

HOWARD ANSWERS CRITICISM OF WPA

Portland, Ore., May 19 (AP)—Howard O. Hunter, assistant works progress administrator, answered critics of the WPA program by declaring it was doing a necessary work in providing self-respecting assistance while giving America the benefit of permanent public improvements.

FISHER APPOINTED COUNTY SURVEYOR

Hugh Fisher has been appointed county surveyor by the county court to succeed Byron B. Herrick, deceased. While Surveyor Herrick died a number of weeks ago the county court held appointment of his successor in abeyance until after the primaries when Fisher won out for the republican nomination over W. J. Knox. The court stated it would name the republican nominee to succeed Herrick. Fisher had been a deputy under Herrick since 1922.

ICKES DETAILS UTILITY EFFORT FOR SABOTAGE

PWA Administrator Witness in Court Attack on Power Projects

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DEFENDS PROGRAM OF MAKING GRANTS AND LOANS TO MUNICIPALITIES

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6TH BIRTHDAY MORLOK QUADS

Lansing, Mich., May 19 (AP)—The Morlok girls divided one anniversary between them today, but there was four of everything else for the quadruplets' celebration of their sixth birthday.

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Munich, Germany, May 19 (AP)—Adolf Hitler, white and visibly shaken, today buried the only man he trusted to drive his motor cars—Julius Schreck.

PRESIDENT SIGNS WAR CLAIMS BILL

Washington, May 19 (AP)—President Roosevelt signed another batch of bills today, including one authorizing payment of approximately \$1,250,000 in settlement of 91 claims in 24 states in reimbursement for investments in various mineral deposits for use by the government in the World War.

RESSETTLEMENT WORK TO CONTINUE SAYS TUGWELL IN SPITE OF DECISION

Washington, May 19 (AP)—Rexford G. Tugwell announced today that the resettlement administration will proceed with its activities until there is a final determination of the organization's constitutionality by the supreme court.

NEW RULING ON LIABILITY ACT BY SUPREME COURT

Employer Not Liable for Personal Injuries if It Permits Employee to Engage in Work Beyond His Physical Capacity if it is Only Work Available; Other Decisions

Dividing 4 to 3, the state supreme court today declared an employer is not liable for personal injuries if it permits an employee to engage in work beyond his physical capacity if it is the only work available. The interpretation of the Employers' Liability act—without precedent—was made by Justice

JERSEY VOTING AT PRIMARIES

Trenton, N. J., May 19 (AP)—Gov. Alf M. Landon and Senator William E. Borah met head-on in the New Jersey republican primaries today in what many observers said, was the crucial test of Borah's candidacy for his party's presidential nomination.

HOPKINS HITS AT WPA CRITICS

Washington, May 19 (AP)—The demand that relief be turned back to the states was described as "a red herring," today by Harry L. Hopkins. He said "the powerful forces in America who've got their goods are doing all they can to keep the people at the bottom of the economic heap from getting their fair share of the national income."

TO START WORK ON PENDLETON CROSSING

Portland, Ore., May 19 (AP)—W. H. Lynch of the federal bureau of roads said today that his office approved the award of the contract on the grade crossing elimination project at Pendleton, and work probably would start on it in a week or 10 days.

COLLAPSING WALL ENDANGERS THREE

Portland, Ore., May 19 (AP)—Three men, running for their lives, narrowly escaped death or serious injury when an entire brick wall of a meat market here collapsed.

OARP FOUNDER STILL PLANNING A THIRD PARTY

Blames Administration As "Hostile Force" Behind Pension Probe

Denies Written Statement That he Started Plan for Profit

Washington, May 19 (AP)—The present administration was described today by Dr. F. E. Townsend as "the hostile force" behind the house committee room investigating his old age pension movement.

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