THE WEATHER MOSTLY CLOUDY with scat tered valley fog tonight, Thurs-day. Little change in temper-ature. Low tonight, 36; high Thursday, 48.

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## EDITION

#### **Court Holds Kidnap Killers Mother's Love Show No Signs Best for Child Of Cracking**

Supreme Court Returns 6-Year-Old Girl to Mother

By JAMES D. OLSON

The tender care of a mother is more advantageous to a sixyear-old. child than confine-ment in a nursing home, Chief Justice Earl C. Latourette ruled in reversing a decree by Cir-cuit Judge Joseph B. Felton of

cuit Judge Joseph B. Felton of Marion county. The custody of Dee Ann Stalter, the six-ycar-old child, was involved in this case, upon motion in the lower court for modification.of a former order awarding custody to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wyant, who have a license from the Public Wel-fare commission to care for of furnishing hildren

Parents Divorced The parents of the child, Al-vin W. and Lois Adele Stalwere divorced August 24, 1949. Both parties have since remarried and both sought cus-

tody of the child. "Under the chroumstances of this case," Chief Justice La-tourette ruled "we believe the tender care of the mother would be more advantageous to

the child than the nursing home of the Wyatts. In this connection, we do not wish to cast any reflection on the Wyatts, as they are highly regarded in the community. Foster Home Has Place

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**Onion Growers** Can't Cut Crop

Ontario, Ore. 479—The fed-eral department of agriculture has turned down a plan of Oregon and Washington onlon growers to erase one-fourth of the 1953 crop to halt a price

growers to erase one-fourth of the 1953 crop to halt a price decline. Joe Saito, Ontario, president of the two-state onion growers association, told a mass meet-ing of about 100 producers he had been advised Tuesday by the government that the plan would conflict with federal association in a wide association in a wide association told a mass meet-ing of about 100 producers he had been advised Tuesday by the government that the plan would conflict with federal association in a wide association in a w

Antitrust lawz. The growers also were told that the crop reduction scheme would take "some time" and would have to be signed by Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Benson and all participants. A suggestion to organize a cooperative to control future onion shipments will be studied by the growers. Mountains and extended as far touth as Texas. The Weather Bureau report-drost at Jacksonville and Taliahassee, Fla., and New Or-leans. **2-Headed Baby** 

Likely to Live **Quake Shakes** 

Spend Time Reading and Working **Crossword Puzzles** 

Jefferson City, Mo., (2) -The Greenlease kidnap-killers spent part of their time today reading Wild West stories and working crossword puzzles, outwardly nonchalant about their execution early Friday.

of 6-year-old Bobby Green-lease, which they planner to-gether even before they kidnaped him Sept. 28 in Kansai City.

Mystery of Ranson Still a mystery is what hap-pened to half of the \$600,000 (Continued on Page 5, Column 4)

**Cold Wave Over** Most of Nation

(By The Associated Press) Frigid air covered a huge section of the nation Wednes-

day. The coldest weather of the season chilled the Midwest.

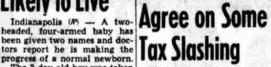
**Dean Arrives** The thermometer sank to 33 be-low zero at the Plum Creek ranger station in northern Min-nesola. Honolulu (P)-U. S. Envoy Arthur H. Dean arrived here Wednesday en route to Washington predicting that the com-

munists would return to Panmunjom and negotiate for a Korean peace conference but "it'may take months."

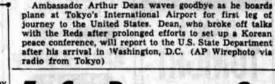
"it'may take months." "They'll come back," he told reporters at the airport, "but they're in no hurry. Time is the whole stock in trade of the communists. We must fight them at their own game." Dean, who broke off the talks with the communists last week after seven weeks of fu-tile negotiations, declared that "the American people have got to realize that this is a long drawn out struggle for power." Dean declared the commu-

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nists had used the preliminary negotiations as "a forum for their propaganda," adding, "It's all part of their psychological



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 There are two spinal cord.



### **Ex-Con Returns to See Prison in Stolen Car**

#### . By VICTOR FRYER

"I wanted to see what the after his release from the pris-pen looks like from the out-side," an ex-convict told city ilar charge. Joseph Martin Trapp was ing after his arrest on a charge arrested about 2:15 a.m. by of auto theft, only four days

**Blast Destroys** Vet Building

Springfield, Ore. UP) An

The blast which followed shat-tered walls and knocked off I am broke. I walked the doors. The explosion brought a call to the fire department at 8:47 a.m. At 9:30 the preschool children would have been in a basement room for a class

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**To Black Sea** 

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temportrily putting off efforts to interview Igor Gouzenko, former Soviet code clerk in Ottawa, Canada.

# I am broke. I walked the streets in Portland all night last night (Monday) and if I had walked the streets tonight would have been arrested for 'agrancy anyway." "I was just driving around looking for State street," he commented. "I wanted to drive by the pen so I could look at it from the outside." Trapp yws taken to the state.

fog tonight and Thursday. The general U.S. weather bu-reau at Washington, D.C., states

Joseph Martin Trapp was arrested about 2:15 a.m. by city officer Calvin Steward when he stopped the car Trapp was driving for having no rear license plate. "I must have lost if some place tonight," Trapp said. He offered an expired learn-er's permit when asked for a driver's license. place

"I don't know who the car

explosion less than an hour be-fore preschool children were due there, caused heavy dam-age Wednesday to the Veterans Memorial building here. Stuart Barrett, about 60, building employe, flicked a switch in a basement room. The blast which followed shat-tered walls and knocked off I am broke. I walked the

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ons were swamped with calls or alarmed residents. The remor was reported felt for as Kalama, Wash., about 0 miles north of here, and fill City, Ore., in Santiam anyon, some 50 miles to the buth. The guake appeared to have as far as Kalama, Wash., about 40 miles north of here, and Mill City, Ore., in Santiam canyon, some 50 miles to the south.

13 1949 when seven perso were injured fatally, several others hurt and millions of were injured fatally, several others hurt and millions of dollars worth of property destroye

The Oregon State college seismograph near Corvallis re-corded a "short but intense" carthquake at 8:32:12 p.m., Dr. Harold R. Vinyard, assistant physics professor, said.

## Electric Power

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The quake appeared to have been the sharpest to hit the Pacific northwest since April

**Cut for State Employes** 

Berlin (P)-The Russian zon

A\$736,000 Christmas melon will be cut for some 16,000 state employes, according to Secretary of State Earl T. Newbry and Max Manchester, Public Employes Retirement fund. The unevented of the checks will be provide the performance of the secretary of the fund. The unevented of the checks will be provide the performance of the secretary of the public Employes Retirement fund. CleCIFIC POWER
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the building and had been set off by an electric tion instead, where a check with Portland police showed they had no report of a stolen car. A call to registered owner are stated damage at "see". They said the protected in and waterway, stretching from the switch. Clayton Anderson, director of parks, which operates the building as a community center at thousand dollars." Barrett was released from a provide they had no report of a stolen car. A call to registered owner they as stolen either building as a community center at thousand dollars." Barrett was released from a provide they had no report of a stolen car. A call to registered owner as well as smaller craft. By shifting warships back and forth through the canals, Russia could concentrate the stolen they are they as stolen either building as could concentrate the stolen they had no report of a stolen car. A call to registered owner as well as smaller craft. By shifting warships back and forth through the canals, Russia could concentrate the stolen they are they as stolen either but they as tolen either but and that he didn't know it was stolen either but appendiced to the stolen they had no report of a stolen they had they tion instead, where a check of parks, which operates the billing submarines and destroyers and the start for a stall the submarines and destroyers and the start for a stall the submarines and destroyers and the start for a stall the submarines and destroyers and the start for a stall the submarines and destroyers and the start for a stall the submarines and destroyers and the start for a stall the start for the start f

The more burns.
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 In the same and a bottle of flauor. There was no indication that the Soviet Union must maintain four different fleets, in the Arctic, Baltic Sea, Black sea and Pastific. The four fleets were all, in effect, "landlocked" from strates the same are strated on a charge of carry ing concealed weapons. He disclamed any knowledge of the Continued on Page 3, Column 4
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San Diego, Calif. (P)-A big flying boat Wednesday became the first airplane introduced

to the world as the second 50

reau at Washington, D.C., states Christmas may be a little less white than usual over much of the nation this year. The mid-December and mid-January forecast calls generally for above normal temperatures in the wastern part of the county. It the state, the highway commission reported today all Oregon highways clear except on some mountain highways, on some mountain highways, where ice spots slow traffic

and on the routes closed for the winter.

## **Eugene Starts To Buy Plant**

**1650 Miles Per Hour**