

WORLD HAPPENINGS OF CURRENT WEEK

Brief Resume Most Important Daily News Items.

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Events of Noted People, Governments and Pacific Northwest, and Other Things Worth Knowing.

Purchase by the government of the Cape Cod canal for \$11,500,000 would be authorized under a bill passed Tuesday by the house, 149 to 132. The measure now goes to the senate.

One death resulted Monday night from the most general flood Virginia has experienced in many years, when William Lucas was drowned at Fredericksburg while trying to rescue a small boat.

A slight earthquake shock was felt in Munich, Bavaria, Tuesday. The center of the disturbance is believed to have been in the middle Alps. The tremors were noted only in the upper stories of houses.

A. Stuart MacLaren, the British aviator attempting the eastward round the world flight, arrived in Bombay, India, Tuesday at Nasirabad, in Bengal, British India, about 200 miles northeast of Calcutta.

Five miners, entombed since Saturday afternoon in the Black Iron mine of the Empire Zinc Mining company near Gilman, Colo., were rescued Tuesday night. A drift was driven through virgin granite to the stope in which the men were confined.

Sale of vessels by the shipping board under its interpretation of the "private competitive bid" provisions of the shipping act, was assailed Monday by Representative Davis, democrat, Tennessee, prosecutor for the house committee investigating the board.

Raw sugar in the New York market sold Tuesday at 3 7-8 cents a pound for Cuban, cost and freight, a new record for the year. It was the lowest price since February, 1923, when sugar sold at 3 1/2 cents. The present weakness is due to a poor demand for refined sugar.

The resignation of Premier Poincaré's cabinet, announced Tuesday for June 1, effective June 4, passes the application of the experts' reparations plan, so far as France is concerned, to the succeeding government, along with all other problems involving questions of policy.

Congressional investigation of telephone rates and service throughout the United States and of the organization of the American Telephone & Telegraph company and its relations with other corporations was proposed Tuesday by Representative O'Connor, democrat, New York.

A motion to enter into close relationship with Pacific university, one of the oldest educational institutions in the United States, was unanimously adopted by the board of education of the United Presbyterian church, which is holding its annual meeting in Chicago. The university is located at Forest Grove, Or.

F. E. Cahill, admitted embezzler of between \$7000 and \$15,000 from the Broughton National bank of Dayton, Wash., was sentenced to serve nine months in the Yakima county jail when he pleaded guilty to charges of embezzling \$125 from the bank April 1 and \$321 February 7, before Judge Webster in federal court Tuesday.

After eight years of alcoholic dryness, the province of Alberta woke up wet Monday. Last November the voters of the province decided to substitute government sale of liquor for prohibition, which was decreed by the people in 1915, and became effective the following year. The act adopted in November was proclaimed to be effective Monday.

The colonnade of the hall of fame, overlooking the Harlem river from the New York university campus, was the scene of impressive ceremonies late Tuesday at the unveiling of the busts of ten Americans—nine men and a woman—who achieved fame in fields ranging from literature to statesmanship. The ten are: John Adams, Phillips Brooks, Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain), Peter Cooper, James Buchanan Eads, Joseph Henry, Andrew Jackson, Thomas Jefferson, William Thomas Green Morton and Alice Freeman Palmer.

Falsehoods Blacken House. In Turkey, when any man is the author of notorious falsehoods, they blacken the whole front of his house.

GLOBE FLIERS REACH JAPAN

Elaborate Preparations Made by Villagers for Entertainment.

Minato, Japan.—The three United States army airplanes arrived here Tuesday from Yatorofu island on their flight around the world.

This little village of Minato has been in a state of tense expectancy awaiting the arrival of the American army fliers. For the last three weeks the villagers have been preparing for the reception of the airmen. They even assisted in placing buoys in the bay to aid the aviators in landing.

Monday night the mayor and city elders, many of whom are grizzled fishermen, met for a final discussion of their plans to receive the visitors. When it was reported today that the fliers were ready to hop off for this place, everything was in readiness for their reception.

In honor of the Americans the school children learned to sing "America" and "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean." The English words to these songs were received from Tokio last month.

The governor of Aomori prefecture, in which Minato is situated, has planned a dinner for the aviators. The curious countryside was thrilled by the visit of the birdmen and great crowds flocked to Minato.

The arrival at Minato from Yatorofu, about 354 miles by air, of the American army fliers marked the complete conquest of the earth's circumference by air. Americans, Britons and Portuguese have flown across the Atlantic, British aviators have flown from England to Singapore and Italians have left the flight across southern Asia and up the China coast to Japan, while Japanese and Americans have crossed their own countries.

PRESIDENT FAVORS WORLD COURT MOVE

Washington, D. C.—The question as to whether senate action on American world court membership should be attempted before adjournment of congress will be considered at conferences to be held within a few days between President Coolidge and republican leaders of the senate.

Interest in the whole question of American world court membership has been revived by the recent presentation of a new world court plan by Chairman Lodge of the senate foreign relations committee.

Three distinct plans are before the foreign relations committee and Senator Pepper, Pennsylvania, a republican member, is understood to be preparing a fourth, designed as a compromise. The proposal for conditional American adherence to the existing permanent court of international justice as made by President Harding and endorsed by President Coolidge has been before the committee for more than a year and in addition to the plan for a wholly new court there is pending a proposal by Senator Swanson of Virginia, ranking democratic member of the committee.

The conference between the president and republican leaders may be held prior to Wednesday's meeting of the committee.

Mr. Coolidge believes that the senate has disposed of its major legislation with the exception of farm relief and Muscle Shoals, and there have been indications that he is disposed to urge action on the world court question. Some of his advisers believe that a plan so drafted as to receive bipartisan support could be put through easily before adjournment.

Doisy Nears Shanghai.

Hongkong.—Captain Pelletier Doisy, French aviator who is attempting a flight from Paris to Japan, hopped off at Canton at 7 A. M. Tuesday for Shanghai.

Melbourne.—Aviators McIntyre and Goble Monday completed an 8500-mile flight around Australia, accomplishing the feat in 90 flying hours. The flight was undertaken to survey the coast for defense purposes.

Plane Made Noiseless.

Dayton, O. — Noiseless airplanes, long a dream of aviators, became a reality when McCook field fliers announced successful tests Monday of a device that eliminates the drone of the engine. The silencer, an exhaust muffler attached to the engine, occasions a loss of 3 per cent of the engine's power, engineers at the field said.

Miss Young Going Home.

Fort Wayne, Ind.—Miss Clara Kimball Young, actress, who collapsed during a performance at a theater here four weeks ago, left Monday for her home in Los Angeles. She will spend a few days with her aunt in Chicago on her way west. She was operated on for an abdominal tumor. Since then her recovery has been rapid.

HOUSE OVERRIDES BONUS BILL VETO

Measure Is Upheld by 313-to-78 Vote.

SENATE YET TO ACT

Change in Attitude of Some Lawmakers Attributed to Message of President.

Washington, D. C.—The senate Monday overrode President Coolidge's veto of the soldier bonus bill.

The measure now automatically becomes law, the house having taken similar action.

The vote was 59 to 25 to overthrow the veto, or two more than the necessary two-thirds.

Several republican organization leaders joined with a strong democratic lineup in upsetting the veto the last moment.

Thirty republican, twenty-seven democrats and the two farmer-labor senators voted to override the veto. Seventeen republicans and nine democrats voted to sustain the president.

President Coolidge himself made an eleventh hour effort to stem the tide of support for the bill. He summoned seven republicans favoring it to the White House but was unable to swing over enough votes to accomplish its defeat.

Washington, D. C.—Soldiers' bonus legislation moved a step nearer enactment Saturday when the house, by an overwhelming vote, passed the bill over the veto of President Coolidge.

The vote was 313 to 78. There were more than 50 votes to spare over the necessary two-thirds.

The bill, providing 20-year endowment insurance certificate to war veterans, has now advanced to the final stage. Passage by a two-thirds vote in the senate will place the measure on the statute books, thus ending four years of agitation.

Although on ordinary issues Representatives Longworth and Madden could be counted upon almost to carry the house, their influence was negligible. The bonus sentiment was so strong that it was impossible to check it.

Those voting to override the president's veto included 166 democrats, 145 republicans and two independents. Those voting to sustain the president included 57 republicans and 21 democrats.

Twenty-four republicans and two democrats who voted for the bonus on March 18 voted to sustain the veto Saturday.

PIONEERS' REUNION ATTENDED BY 400

The first white child born in British Columbia, Thomas Fraser York, was one of the 400 pioneers, some of whom resided in the province as early as 1850, at a reunion held last week in Victoria, B. C., under the auspices of the British Columbia Historical association. Associations of the Native Sons and Native Daughters held their conventions at the same time.

Mark Bate of Nanaimo, pioneer of 1857, when he arrived in Victoria on the Prince Royal after a five-months' voyage, was one of the speakers at the banquet, replying to the toast of Mayor Hayward. Mr. Bate is 87 years of age and will leave for England in a few weeks, where he will attend the British Empire exhibition. Michael Finney, 94 years of age; Mrs. P. T. Johnson, 81 years young, and James R. Anderson, 83 years and the oldest resident in Victoria, were among the old-timers who gathered to talk of the early mining days when a sack of flour packed on a man's back for 200 miles along the Cariboo trail sold at Williams Creek or Barkerville for \$100.

Those attending the unique celebration came from all parts of British Columbia, Washington, Oregon and California, and all had resided in British Columbia prior to 1871, when the separate colonies of Vancouver Island and British Columbia united and, as a single province, became a unit of the Dominion of Canada.

Dollar Exchange Basis.

Athens.—The minister of national economy Sunday hinted that the dollar bill will base value of exchange of the drachma on the Athens bourse, instead of the pound sterling hitherto used. "The dollar is the world monetary base now and has superseded the pound," said the minister. The Greek government has contracted with the Schroeder works at Toulon for the construction of two submarines of 600 tons each.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

John Day.—The Ellison White Chautauqua will be in Prairie City from July 6 to 10. An excellent program has been provided for the season and full support has been pledged to the cause by neighboring towns.

Wheeler.—The town of Brighton, which was virtually destroyed by fire April 7, has practically been rebuilt. New structures are rising constantly. Twenty-eight buildings went up in flames, but most of them have been replaced.

Pondleton.—The erection of a clubhouse and the creation of an artificial lake at Meacham as a memorial to the late President Harding is a plan that is being fostered by A. F. Alexander of Walla Walla, one of the publishers of the Up-to-the-Times magazine.

Eugene.—The new stage terminal hotel being erected on Willamette street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues by W. E. Powell and Mayor E. B. Parks is expected to be opened to the public about June 15, according to the announcement of the builders.

Gaston.—Gaston is to have a tourist free automobile camp. Postmaster Porter has donated the use of some acreage on the Tualatin near the concrete bridge on the highway at the north end of town and the work of clearing away the brush is being done by interested citizens.

Baker.—One of the most unusual cases filed here recently was that of Claude Officer against E. E. Augustus, for \$1025 over the payment of sheep. Officer bought the band of sheep he now owns from Augustus and at the time of delivery a count was made which he said to be wrong.

Salem.—There were 154 arrests with fines aggregating more than \$2800 during the month of April, as the result of the activities of the state traffic officers. This was set out in a report prepared here Saturday by T. A. Raffety, inspector for the law-enforcement bureau of the state motor vehicle department.

John Day.—Leet Vaughan of the John Day high school has made a record killing during the last two weeks, having to his credit 1300 squirrels. The bounty received will assist him materially in his expenses next year while continuing his high school course. He is the smallest youngster in any high school in Oregon.

Prineville.—Fire Saturday destroyed the Motor Inn garage, with an estimated loss of \$5000 to building and contents. The garage was operated by Major W. A. Raray. The loss was partially covered by insurance. The origin of the fire was a mystery, as workmen had left the building less than 15 minutes before the alarm was sounded.

Oregon City.—Mrs. Grant B. Dimick, wife of ex-County Judge Dimick, fugitive from justice, Saturday afternoon filed in the Clackamas county circuit court suit for divorce. She charges in her complaint cruel and inhuman treatment, forgery and disgrace to herself and asks that she be awarded one-third of the large estate owned by her husband.

Hood River.—The apple growers' association, which has opened a free employment agency for berry growers, has announced that wages will be paid this season as follows for strawberry harvest hands: Ten cents a carrier of six hallowcks for pickers, with a bonus of 2 cents a carrier for those who remain throughout the season, and 18 cents a crate for packers, with a 4-cent bonus.

Salem.—Members of the state board of control will hold a special meeting here this week when some action probably will be taken on the purchase of a site for the proposed new state training school for boys. Purchase of a site has been hanging fire for more than two years because of the inability of the board members to agree on a tract suitable for the institution.

Salem.—Acting in compliance with an order issued by the state fair board at its May meeting, all gates leading to the fair grounds have been provided with locks and will remain closed to the public until the foot and mouth disease now raging in the state of California is under control. As a further precaution against the foot and mouth menace a fence is being constructed around the camping grounds.

Brownsville.—Without Uncle Sam Barger, Brownsville is hardly Brownsville or Mr. Barger has been identified with the city for a half century and more, and was, when he went away, one of the oldest men in it, having attained 88 years. Mr. Barger has gone to Vancouver, Wash., where he will spend the remaining days of his life at the Knights of Pythias home recently erected and dedicated. He is one of the two living charter members of the Brownsville lodge.

SCHOOL DAYS



Something to Think About
By F. A. WALKER

ENOUGH

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

THERE'S a fellow higher up,
and a fellow lower down,
Some have silver when they sup,
There are others on the town,
And somewhere in
Between the two,
Not up nor down,
Are I and you.

There's a fellow who has more,
There's a fellow who has less;
Looking other people o'er
We're just average, I guess,
Not rich nor poor
Is what I mean
But somewhere else
Just in between.

There's a fellow with the goat,
There's a fellow minus shoes,
When I have to move about
Neither fortune I would choose.
For you and I
Are satisfied,
Prepared to walk
Or glad to ride.

There's a weary millionaire,
There's a man without a cent,
In between the two somewhere
We are mightily content.
We haven't such
A lot of stuff,
Yet, thank the Lord,
We have enough.
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Mother's Cook Book

Entire candor and honesty regarding ourselves, instead of being the first, is one of the last and highest attainments of a perfectly fashioned character. But though this is true, it is also the beginning of all well-doing; without some measure of it, even though weak and unsteady, no good thing can begin.—J. C. Shairp.

THINGS FOR THE FAMILY

Put into a punch bowl a cupful of granulated sugar and the juice of six lemons. Put in three peeled and sliced lemons and leave on ice until ready to serve. Add a dozen sprays of green mint and a quart of cracked ice. Stir well and pour into it three bottles of ginger ale. Serve at once.

Savory Potatoes.
Arrange eight medium-sized potatoes in a shallow baking dish, after peeling them. Add one-fourth cupful of water, six tablespoonfuls of olive oil, two onions minced, one tablespoonful of powdered sage, one teaspoonful of salt and a few dashes of pepper. Bake an hour until the potatoes are brown and soft.

Orange Cake.
Take two cupfuls of sugar, one-half cupful of shortening, one teaspoonful of salt, one-half cupful of milk, one-half cupful of orange juice, four cupfuls of flour, five eggs and four teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Mix and bake in layers and use the following for the filling:

Cook all together—one-half cupful of sugar, two-thirds cupful of water, two tablespoonfuls each of butter and corn starch, one-third of a cupful of orange juice and a teaspoonful of lemon juice. When smooth and well cooked pour over a well-beaten egg. Beat until cool.

Plain Layer Cake.
Take one and one-quarter cupfuls of flour, one-half cupful of milk, two tablespoonfuls of butter creamed with one cupful of sugar, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and the whites of three eggs folded in at the last. Bake in layers and put together with sweetened and flavored whipped cream. If the family is small, cut one layer in half and fill with the cream, reserving the other layer for a cooked filling, thus making two cakes.

Reason for a Title
An Atchison man is called the missing link because he escaped from the chain gang.—Atchison Globe.
Nellie Maxwell
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