

City News

THE WEATHER Oregon—Rain in west, rain or snow in east portions tonight and Wednesday; slight changes in temperature. Strong southeasterly winds, with gale force on the coast. Temperature today, minimum, 37 degrees. Maximum Monday, 51 degrees. Precipitation today, .26 of an inch. Stage of river, 7.7 feet. Direction of wind, north.

Rotary Folk Instructed— Complete personnel of the class of new members of the Eugene Rotary club who were present to receive their instruction in Rotary history, lore and ethics at a dinner given last Friday night is as follows: Dr. Royal Glick, Professor Orin F. Stafford, Mahlon Sweet, Carl Koppe, Fred Moxley, W. T. Gordon, Paul R. Kelly, J. A. McKevitt, Arthur Morris and Dean E. C. Robbins. During recent months the education committee of the club under direction of Dr. C. B. Willoughby, its chairman, has been making special efforts to inculcate a working knowledge of Rotary among all members, and the process is now regarded as well along toward completion.

Teacher Uses "Aviary."— A new use has been found for The Guard Aviary, the illustrated poem appearing daily on the feature page. A Corvallis woman, who is principal of the primary department of the Christian church Sunday school in that city, clips the poem every day, and at the end of the week has the verses and pictures stenciled for use by the Sunday school youngsters during their Bible study hour. "Children love to work with colored crayons," she explains, "and the outlines of these birds gives them something to draw, while the poem fixes the name of the bird in their minds. This can be easily tied up with the Sunday school lesson, and we find it a big help in providing something to keep the children's interest."

Watching Railroad— That the Y. M. C. A. is looking forward to the completion of the new Southern Pacific cut-off between Eugene and Klamath Falls with quite a bit of interest, is the report of W. W. Dillon of Portland, interstate secretary of the Y. M. C. A. for Oregon and Idaho. Mr. Dillon is here in the interests of the annual financial campaign of the Eugene association. "With the completion of the new rail line undoubtedly there will be a Y. M. C. A. established at Klamath Falls," Mr. Dillon said. "The establishment of railroad associations such as are now organized along many large eastern rail systems has never been started on the Southern Pacific as the road maintains its own clubhouses for employees, the secretary said."

Census Schedules Sent— More than 7000 schedules on the federal farm census in Lane, Jackson, Douglas, Coos and Josephine counties were sent yesterday to the census bureau from the local census headquarters. This is the final shipment of the schedules, and as soon as orders are received from Washington the local office will be closed, according to Ralph P. Laird, director. The shipment of schedules was sent out by registered mail, and is the largest consignment to this division of the postal service here in some time, according to reports.

Bible Classes Enroll— With the opening of the second semester at Eugene schools Monday there has been a renewed interest in the weekly Bible classes which proved so successful during the semester just closed, according to Frank Eberhart, chairman of the committee in charge of the religious classes. An enrollment of 250 was recorded during the first semester and some increase is expected for the present plans are for an expansion of the course next year and for an increased enrollment.

County Reports Made— Semi-annual reports of the county clerk's office, the sheriff's office and the treasurer's office were completed today. These reports covering the financial statements of each office for the past year.

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CAVE INQUIRY OPENS

COLLINS STILL BREATHES SAY CAVE WORKERS

Military Court of Inquiry Calls Witnesses For Its Investigation

Shaft Goes Down; Work is Rushed as Hope Renews For Rescue

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 10.—(AP)—Another amplifier test today convinced experimenters that Floyd Collins still breathed in his Sand cave prison. Respiration is about 14 or 15 times a minute, it was indicated.

COURT ADJOURNS

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 10.—(AP)—The military court of inquiry investigating circumstances surrounding the imprisonment and rescue work of Floyd Collins in Sand Cave adjourned shortly after noon till 3 p. m., after hearing two witnesses. More testimony was in prospect when the session was to be resumed.

SHAFT SINKS DEEPER

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 10.—(AP)—A depth estimated at more than 35 feet had been reached in the shaft at Sand cave at 10:15 today. Rescuers continued their efforts to reach their cave prisoner, but spectators had largely moved to Cave City where the preliminary sessions of the military court of inquiry were being conducted.

WORK GOES FASTER

CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 10.—(AP)—The heroes of the Collins rescue, the volunteers, who are driving the shaft toward his underground prison, today were more than 33 feet down, after five days of ceaseless labor.

KELLY POSTAL PAY BILL IS PASSED BY HOUSE. VIVA VOCE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The Kelly postal pay and rate increase bill was passed today by the house and sent to the senate.

The bill was approved after less than two hours debate under rules requiring a two-third vote for passage and barring amendments from the floor.

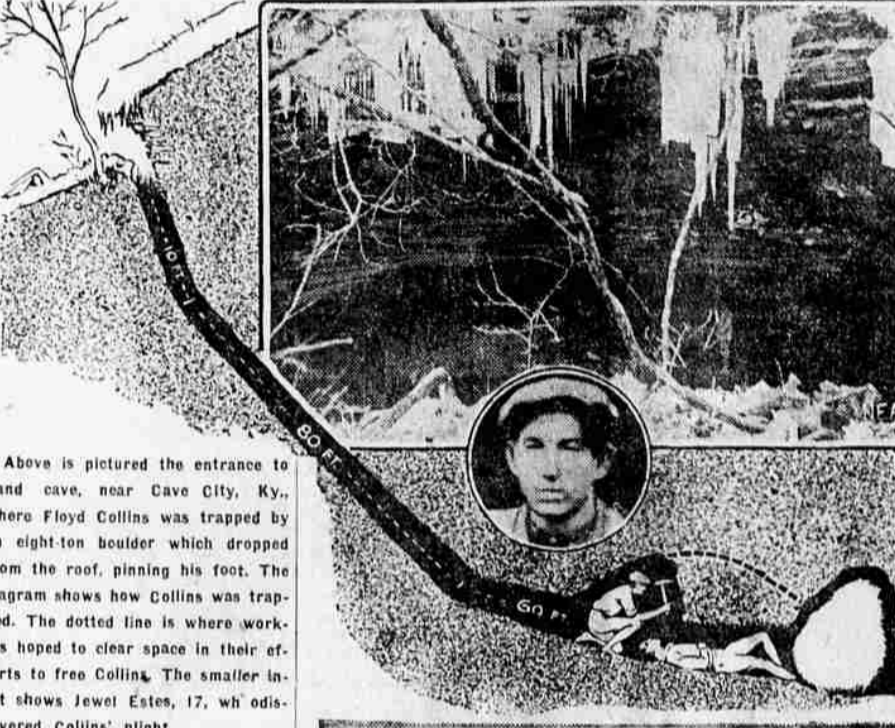
Old Ninth Avenue Bridge Torn Out

Tearing out of the old bridge over the millrace on Ninth avenue east to make room for the new concrete structure has resulted in changing the route of the Pacific highway through the eastern part of the city from Ninth avenue to Eighth avenue. Cars headed north turn at Eighth and Williamson, travel Williamson two blocks and turn at Sixth avenue.

Pacific Highway Is Again Open

ROSEBURG, Ore., Feb. 10.—The Pacific highway is again open between Dillard and Myrtle Creek, and cars are experiencing little difficulty in getting by the slides which have been of frequent occurrence during the past few days. Passageways wide enough to accommodate the big passenger buses and freight trucks have been opened, so that there are no hindrances to traffic. It will probably require several more days to remove the dirt from the pavement, but a large crew of men will be maintained by the state until the slides have been removed.

Scenes at Sand Cave, Where Floyd Collins is Lying, Trapped



Above is pictured the entrance to Sand cave, near Cave City, Ky., where Floyd Collins was trapped by an eight-ton boulder which dropped from the roof, pinning his foot. The diagram shows how Collins was trapped. The dotted line is where workers hoped to clear space in their efforts to free Collins. The smaller inset shows Jewel Estes, 17, who discovered Collins' plight.

Below is Homer Collins, center, who collapsed after he toiled three days without stopping in an attempt to free his brother. He is shown being carried from the cave by comrades.



PLANE DELAYED IN FLIGHT TO NOME; MAY START TODAY

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Although Roy S. Darling, former navy aviator, and Ralph P. Moeckle, an employe of the Alaska railroad, were prevented by intense cold from leaving here yesterday in an airplane with a consignment of 620000 units of diphtheria anti-toxin for Nome, the men announced last night they intended to leave today.

Relief Offered To Vale Victims

VALE, Ore., Feb. 10.—No one is suffering from lack of food or shelter in the flooded district surrounding Vale, as neighbors of the flood sufferers have given assistance, it was reported here when a meeting of city and chamber of commerce officials was held late yesterday. Representatives of Ontario were present and said they would send their mayor, W. H. Donlittie to assist farmers of Vale and the district west of here to obtain state relief. The county court has ordered that carcasses of all dead animals be buried and purchased twenty-five barrels of lime to be used in preserving sanitary conditions. This amount of lime may not be sufficient, County Judge Nee said, as the carcasses west of Vale are spread over a distance of four or five miles.

LYNX IS KILLED

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 10.—(Special)—John W. Carson, of Springfield, an employe of the Fischer Lumber company of Marcola, reports killing a lynx near Marcola on Friday. The animal has been skinned, and the skin sent to Eugene to be tanned. He is said to have killed two martin in that part of the county recently.

DEBATE HELD AT ROTARY ON CHILD LABOR

Mark Taylor and Walter Durgan Discuss Proposed Amendment

No Decision Given; Debate Holds Interest at Luncheon Hour

Presenting a clear and concise summary of both the merits and the disadvantages of the proposed child labor amendment to the constitution of the United States, two high school students, Mark Taylor and Walter Durgan, debated the question at the noon luncheon meeting of the Rotary club today.

The boys represented the Order of the DeMolay and Mr. Taylor upheld the affirmative in the debate and Mr. Durgan the negative. No decision was given in the debate but that the talks were appreciated by the Rotarians was indicated by the generous applause rendered both speakers.

The arguments for the affirmative were based on the need for protection for the new generations and the fact was stressed that the greatest amount of child labor misery and the greatest amount of child labor crime in the same states, mostly in the southern factory centers. "We owe it to future to protect the boys and girls and if states will not offer this it will have to be done by the federal government," Mr. Taylor said.

The answer of Mr. Durgan was that state laws are sufficient for protection, that too much federal interference is obnoxious and not to the best interests of the nation, and that if the amendment passed that there was danger of "rearing a generation of loafers" owing to the prohibition of employment to those under the age of 18 years.

Rep. Sinclair to Attend Caucus of Republican Party

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—A break in the ranks of the LaFollette insurgents in the house developed today, Representative Sinclair of North Dakota announcing that he proposed to attend the republican caucus February 27.

Some house members were informed that Representative Lampert of Wisconsin also would bolt the insurgent bloc to cast his lot with organization republicans.

Illinois Murderer Given Life Term

GENEVA, Ill., Feb. 10.—Warren J. Lincoln, lawyer-florist, was found guilty of murder of his wife, Lina, whom he confessed he killed with Byron Shoup, her brother, whose bodies he burned and whose heads he sealed in a concrete block, by a jury last night, and was sentenced to life imprisonment.

The jury on the first ballot unanimously decided Lincoln was guilty. The second was divided as to his sanity when the crime was committed and the third unanimously declared he still is sane.

Frances Lowden and John Drake to Wed

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Miss Frances Lowden, daughter of former Governor and Mrs. Frank O. Lowden, and John B. Drake, Jr., son of John B. Drake, wealthy Chicagoan, will be married tonight in the Fourth Presbyterian church here by Dr. Frederick F. Shannon.

The bride's sisters, Misses Harriet and Florence, will be maids of honor and the bridegroom's brother, William, will be best man.

The couple will spend a honeymoon in Algiers returning through Italy, Switzerland, France and England to April.

Colonel Mercer To Give Talk on Abraham Lincoln

STATE HOUSE, SALEM, Ore., Feb. 10.—Colonel W. G. D. Mercer, captain of the state house, will address a joint meeting of the senate and house in the hall of representatives on Lincoln's birthday, Thursday, February 12, at 2 o'clock. His address will be a description of the entire night of July 21, 1861, when President Lincoln sat on a lounge in the White House throughout the night talking to soldiers and representative men of the nation. Colonel Mercer was present on that occasion and will describe the quaint humor and other characteristics displayed by Lincoln at that time.

FISH COMMISSION BILL ACTION WILL COME WEDNESDAY

STATE HOUSE, SALEM, Ore., Feb. 10.—Unable to muster enough votes to pass the fish commission bill over the governor's veto the senate organization yesterday postponed action on the measure until Wednesday afternoon when it will come up under a special order of business at 2:30 o'clock. The measure, which transfers the fish commission from the governor to the board of control, was introduced several weeks ago by Senator Rittner and last week it was made a special order of business for yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

When the leaders of the senate organization made a canvass of the situation, however, they found that a group of 13 independent senators had agreed to support the governor's veto of the measure.

Two Men Held in Tacoma Bank Case

TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 10.—Two men, arrested in Seattle early this morning are in the Tacoma city jail, being held for investigation in connection with the holdup of National Bank of Tacoma employees Saturday and the slaying of Harry H. Schmidt, agency manager. The arrest of a third man, companion of the two already held, was expected momentarily.

The two men now in custody are Charles Kinney, 22, and Guy Bathertford, 23. Police refused to divulge their evidence against the men.

BULLETINS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Suggestions in congress for abandonment of the flexible provision of the tariff act are disapproved by President Coolidge.

ARMED MEN ESCAPE WITH WINE CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Fifteen armed men in five automobiles early today raided a Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad company warehouse here and escaped with 46 barrels of port wine after they forced Dan Kelleher, warehouse engineer to assist them. The wine was valued at \$12,000 and was the property of the Italian Vineyard company.

HOUSE NAVAL COMMITTEE HAS WORD WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Taking a hand in the aircraft controversy, the house naval committee today unanimously adopted a resolution declaring that so far as its members know no naval officers had ever appeared before it under any restraint whatsoever, from the navy department.

AVIATORS KILLED IN CRASH AT FIELD SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 10.—Major Lee O. Wright of Lyons, Ind., and Lieutenant Arthur L. Foster, whose parents live at Weir, Texas, were killed and their bodies burned in an airplane crash near Brooks field today.

DR. MARX ELECTED PREMIER OF PRUSSIA BERLIN, Feb. 10.—(A. P.)—The Prussian diet today elected Dr. Wilhelm Marx, former chancellor of the Reich, as premier of Prussia. Dr. Marx received 225 votes against 162 for Herr Richter, of the peoples party. The new premier will try to form a government from the parties of the left.