

City News THE WEATHER Oregon: Generally cloudy tonight and Sunday; slight temperature changes; moderate westerly winds. Temperature today, minimum, 55 degrees; maximum Friday, 55 degrees. Precipitation today, .03 of an inch. Stage of river, 5.8 feet. Direction of wind, southeast.

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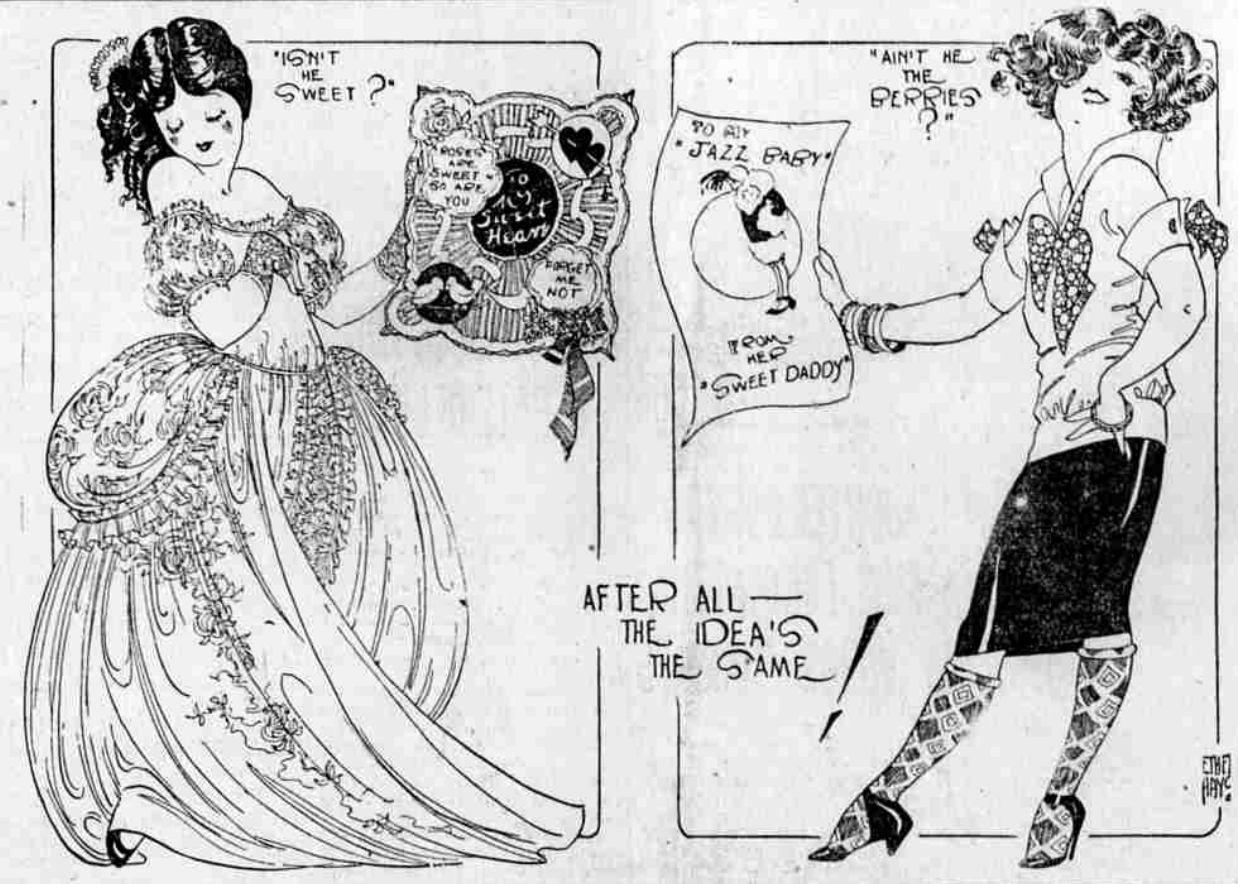
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FIRE LOSS \$2,150,000

CAVE RESCUE WORKERS ARE DOWN 55 FEET

Shift of Experienced Hard Rock Miners Sent In To Carry On New Cavern Leads to Hope Of Early Entrance To Collins' Prison

THE OLD, OLD STORY CHANGETH NOT IN THE LEAST



Auto Exhibits at Kansas City are Burned in Night

Conflagration Believed To Have Started From Defective Wiring; Pavilion Destroyed; Exhibits Lost

WORKERS GO DEEPER SAND CAVE, CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 14.—An official bulletin at 2 o'clock said that Floyd Collins rescue shaft is now 55 1/2 feet deep. A shift of experienced hard rock miners was sent down at 2:30 to start a stopping tunnel down to the nine-foot cavern, which officials hope will lead to Collins' prison.

DIRECTORS CHOSEN AT FRUIT GROWERS MEETING FOR YEAR

Two Valentine's Days Are Crowded Into One; Lovers And Religion Take Part

SCHEDULE OF LANE FARM SESSIONS OF AGENT WILL START

FISH BATTLE AT STATE HOUSE IS IN SECOND ROUND

STATE HOUSE, SALEM, Ore., Feb. 14.—After a battle lasting all yesterday afternoon and until nearly 1 o'clock today, the group supporting the majority report of the house fisheries committee permitting aliens...

NEW AVENUE NEARED CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 14.—The roof of an avenue expected to lead to the natural rock trap where Floyd Collins has been imprisoned for 15 days was only three feet away from the diggers in a rescue shaft at 9 o'clock this morning, according to official bulletin issued by those in charge.

Reports on the biggest year's business in the history of the Eugene Fruit Growers' association were told to 400 members of the organization by J. O. Holt, manager, at the annual meeting held today at the chamber of commerce. The old board of directors was re-elected and later this afternoon it is expected that officers for the coming year will be named.

Two Valentine's Days are really crowded into one—the lovers' festival and the religious side. The ancients believed that the birds selected their mates on February 14. Hence this date was observed as lovers' day among the Romans, some 2000 years ago.

Schedules of talks to be given by O. S. Fletcher, Lane county agricultural agent, at meetings of the Grange and Farmers Union during the coming two weeks were announced today by Mr. Fletcher. E. R. Jackman, specialist in farm crops from the Oregon Agricultural college, will also speak at each of the meetings with Mr. Fletcher.

The fight was opened by Mott, who objected to the proposed amendment of the majority report of the house fisheries committee letting down the bars to alien fishermen on the Columbia river. It would permit aliens to obtain boat pullers license during the next six years if they applied for citizenship papers.

SECOND ROUND OPENS STATE HOUSE, SALEM, Feb. 14.—The fish battle which opened in the house yesterday afternoon with a barrage from Representative Mott of Clatsop, against the salmon packers went smashing into its second round today with opposition manning the guns.

BANKER WILL TALK FOR LOCAL ROTARY

Frederick Greenwood, manager of the federal reserve bank of Portland, will be the principal speaker at the 1600th anniversary meeting of the Eugene Rotary club to be held Tuesday at the Osburn hotel. Dr. Warren D. Smith, head of the department of geology of the University of Oregon, will be enrolled in the Rotary club at the meeting, according to announcement of Carl G. Washburne, president.

Mine Victims to Be Buried Tuesday

DORTMUND, Germany, Feb. 14.—Burial of the victims of the Stein mine explosion here Wednesday night has been arranged for next Tuesday. Government members, church dignitaries and representatives of the miners' federation and mine operators will participate in the service.

Steps Taken Will Help School Plan

With the addition of one class room at the Lincoln school and another at the Condon school and a schedule of two classes a day for the first grade pupils at Geary school, members of the school board state that this will probably suffice to relieve the congestion for the remainder of the school year. The new rooms at Lincoln and Condon schools were used for other purposes but have now been fitted for class work.

Lane Schools are To Have Institute

Five district institutes will be held for teachers of the Lane county schools starting Saturday, February 28 and each Saturday in March, according to announcement today of E. J. Moore, county superintendent of schools.

House Overrides Governor's Veto

STATE HOUSE, SALEM, Ore., Feb. 14.—The house yesterday afternoon overrode the veto of Governor Pierce on senate bill 65, providing for the authorization to Bend to obtain a city water supply from Tumalo creek. The bill provides for trade between Bend and the Tumalo irrigation project whereby the latter will receive water from the Deschutes.

World's Record Broken

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 14.—Miss Agnes Gersaghty, in winning the 200-yard breast stroke today in the national swimming meet here broke her former world record, covering the distance in 3:7. Her former time was at Orange, N. J., last October in 3:9 1/5. Martha Norelius, in winning the 200 yard free style event also established a new world record finishing in 2:29 1/8. The former record of 2:32 4/5 was made by Charlotte

Whites Killed in Clash with Negroes

ORANGE, Texas, Feb. 14.—Three white men were killed here today in a shooting affray between negroes and whites. The dead are: Joe Projean, about 46; Dallas Morris, about 23, and Deputy Sheriff Basil Stakes, 39. Two negroes were arrested.

Burglars Escape With \$1400 Haul

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 14.—Burglars made a haul of \$1400 which they carried away from a safe in a confectionery store here early today. The safe was found later where it had been shattered and looted. Burglars attempted to break into a safe in a garage, using garage tools but failed in the attempt.

State Dry Leader Pays Eugene Visit

George Cleaver, state prohibition enforcement director, who has been on front page schedule for Oregon newspapers for the past few weeks, dropped into Eugene today for a brief visit. The state official stated that there was no particular significance in his stop here as he came to see his son, student at the University of Oregon. Mr. Cleaver also conferred with Sheriff Frank Taylor and the new district attorney, John S. Medley. Up to a late hour this afternoon the visiting official had not yet called on Clyde N. Johnston, former district attorney.

Police Without Clue

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 14.—Police today were without a clue to the whereabouts of the robbers who yesterday held up the Parkrose State Bank, a Portland suburb. Four men taken into custody yesterday on suspicion were released.

The Sign Language conveyed simple truth in the simplest possible way Today it is done the Want Ad Way

BULLETINS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—George Alexander Parks of Alaska, was nominated today by President Coolidge to be governor of Alaska. Mr. Parks, who has been stationed in Alaska for several years, will succeed Scott C. Bone, whose term of governor will expire in several months.