

THE WEATHER Oregon: Cloudy in west portion; fair in east portion tonight and Sunday. Moderate temperature, light southerly winds. Temperature today: minimum, 42 degrees. Maximum Friday, 61. Precipitation today, none. Stage of river, 3.2 feet. Direction of wind, north.

Fans "Razed"— Eugene radio listeners were entertained last night by some pungent remarks about some local fans by the Oregonian's Hoot Owls, broadcasting on KGW. "We wonder," the Owls said, "whether it is Mahlon Sweet's radio or his brand new receiving set that is giving such wonderful results that he is bragging about all the time? And since Eugene is building skyscrapers do you suppose Al Skyscraper will want to put his antenna on the Miner building to bring a few more stations? Now that little Hardy is having his house in Eugene especially wired for radio, his friends are wondering what kind of set he will buy for it. Ernie Anderson says he took the batteries out of his set, and it went right ahead working just as well as it did when the batteries were there. He lifted out the set and still it worked. The only way he was able to keep that set from working was to take it out in the garage and bury it." Where the Hoot Owls got their information is subject of much conjecture today, but it is considered likely that a local informant was in the Oregonian tower while they were holding their meeting.

Paul E. Bartlett of Eugene, newly recruited for service in the United States infantry, caused some serious hours for Lawrence Paige, recruiting officer, this week. "He looked like a good recruit," said Mr. Paige, "and I was positive that he would make a good soldier, so I put him on the train for Vancouver barracks, where he would go into the 7th infantry. Well, when they telegraphed that my man had 'eloped' I was disappointed. The barracks said he had never shown up for examination. Yesterday I got word that the recruit had finally put in his appearance. He got off the train at Salem to get a sandwich, stayed too long, and the train went off without him. The only thing he could do was wait for the next train. I sort of felt that the boy would show up, because I've been recruiting for several years, and usually I can tell when a man is telling a straight story or not. Sometimes they just hit you for a free ride, but you can usually tell it before sending them to camp."

Extension of the plan for education talks by the Lane County Bankers association to include the eight grades of the local school has been made by the organization, according to announcement today of Miss M. Ethel Taylor, chairman of the committee in charge. It is planned to start the series of talks next week at the Frances Willard, University high, St. Mary's and Geary schools. Arrangements for the time of the talks will be made with the principals of the respective schools, Miss Taylor said. These talks on investments and other financial topics were recently held at the Eugene high school. Three talks will be given at each school.

Plans for the holding of a dance and entertainment by the members of the Caliph Grotto of the Mystic Order (Continued on page five)

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NATION RUSHES HELP

REBUILDING OF STORM-SWEPT CITIES PLANNED

Parrish and DeSoto, in Illinois, May Not be Reconstructed

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Relief Organized

Funerals Held

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First Telephonic Pictures of Devastation Wrought by Storm



The upper picture is of a room of the Longfellow school at Murphysboro, Illinois, where 60 pupils were killed when the force of the tornado struck the building as the pupils were studying their lessons. This wrecked room, with but one desk standing unscathed, is typical of the devastation and death visited upon scores of other schools in the tornado area.

SHEPHERD SEEKS TO GAIN FREEDOM

CHICAGO, March 21.—(AP)—Testimony that William D. Shepherd, under indictment charged with the murder by typhoid inoculation of his foster-son, William N. McClintock, orphan millionaire, had said he would have McClintock's will drawn to suit himself was given by C. C. Fauman, indicted with Shepherd, at a bail hearing today.

BAIL IS SOUGHT

CHICAGO, March 21.—Counsel for William D. Shepherd, accused of killing his foster-son, William Nelson McClintock with typhoid germs, was prepared today for an effort to obtain his freedom on bail, which state's attorneys were ready to oppose. Shepherd has been in the county jail since Wednesday when the grand jury returned a murder indictment against him.

Pictures Rushed From Storm Belt To Coast Points

Score another tremendous time-saving feat for the telephone. While relief workers are still plodding through wreckage, ambulances and motor supply trains are still battling with mud and destroyed highways, and those on the ground are still working day and night to try to check up the terrible loss of life and property, NEA Service gives you photographs taken in the Illinois-Missouri cyclone belt this afternoon.

Man's Life Saved By Wooden leg

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FARM COUNCIL HAS DELEGATES NAMED

Arrangements for the meeting of the Lane county agricultural council which will be held in the near future to talk over a proposed farm program for Lane during the coming year are taking shape. Representatives from each grange and farmers' union in the county will be named to attend the meeting as well as delegates from other agricultural organizations and the agricultural committees of the Lane County Bankers association and the chamber of commerce.

Club may Join State Federation

SPRINGFIELD, March 21.—(Special)—The Ladies' Civic club of Springfield has been asked to join the state federation of women's clubs, in an invitation extended by a letter from Mrs. Sadie Orr Dunbar, of Portland, president of the state federation, to Mrs. Paul Brattain, president of the local organization. The matter will be up for discussion and consideration at the regular meeting of the civic club Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock in the chamber of commerce rooms. All the members of the club are requested to be present, and any other women of Springfield who are interested are invited to attend. Mrs. Brattain said this afternoon.

NOME FACES COAL FAMINE AND EPIDEMIC

Fifty Tons of Coal, Last Of Spare Fuel, Taken Over by City

One to Six Sacks Apportioned; Will Have to Last Until Summer

NOME, Alaska, March 21.—(AP)—Nome was threatened with no crises today—a coal famine and a threatened renewal of a diphtheria epidemic, which took a toll of six lives from the time of the outbreak in the middle of January to the lifting of the quarantine a month ago. The city council purchased fifty tons of coal, the last of the spare fuel in town, from the United States Signal corps radio station yesterday and apportioned it in one to six sacks. This has to last until June when the next coal ship arrives. Sudden prosperity of the natives, who purchased coal from the proceeds of their rich fox catches and failure of the coal ship Apollo, due to storms, to arrive last fall, caused the shortage. The nearest forest is 70 miles inland, with no trails connecting it. All beach wood for 50 miles up and down the coast has been exhausted.

MONEY NEEDED TO CONTINUE PAVING

Thirty-three blocks of paving are under contract for the city of Eugene, and 56 blocks more have been petitioned for by property owners. Announced Harry Devereaux, city engineer, today, intersection money is available to provide crossings for the 33 blocks, he stated, but the money would have to be provided through the coming bond election for the other projects.

Truck Overtaken On Pacific Highway

SPRINGFIELD, March 21.—(Special)—The truck driven by O. D. Smith of Springfield was overturned and damaged at 10 o'clock this morning when it was struck by an automobile driven by a woman motorist while rounding a blind curve on the Pacific highway in West Springfield. This is the third accident on the curve in the last few weeks. Mr. Smith was on his way to Eugene with a truckload of potatoes when the accident happened. The left front wheel was broken off and the fenders badly jammed. Mr. Smith escaped without injury.

Students and Police Clash Over Arrests

HAVANA, Cuba, March 21.—(AP)—Eight students and three policemen were injured today when several hundred students gathered in front of the presidential palace as a protest against fines given three students as a result of arrests in connection with proclamation against the Hay-Quezada treaty celebration last Wednesday.

42 ROTARIANS TO ATTEND DISTRICT MEET IN PORTLAND

Practically all the members of the Eugene Rotary club were signed up today for the trip to Portland to attend the annual district meeting of Oregon, Washington and British Columbia which will open tomorrow evening for a three-day session. It is expected that a few others will also be included before the meetings start at Portland. Owing to the convention being in session there will be no luncheon meeting of the Eugene Rotary club next Tuesday noon, according to Carl G. Washburne, president.

WORKERS ACTIVE

CHICAGO, March 21.—(AP)—The storm-swept territory of the Ohio valley today continued the tragic task of burying its dead, while relief workers completed the duty of bringing order out of chaos and plans for re-habilitation were advanced.

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STRICKEN AREA IS RECOVERING FROM DISASTER

Deaths Mount to 822; Injured List Still Hovers At 3,000 Mark

Heavy Contributions of Supplies and Money Pour In to Cities

(By The Associated Press) The known and estimated dead from Wednesday's tornado and storm which dipped into sections of five states, stood at 822 today. This total included five additional deaths reported from Griffin, Ind., one more from Princeton, Ind., and seven more from Murphysboro.

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