

City News
THE WEATHER
Oregon: Fair in the interior; cloudy on the coast tonight and Thursday; slightly lower temperature in the interior Thursday; moderate variable winds mostly westerly. Temperature: Minimum today, 47 degrees; maximum Tuesday, 83. Precipitation today, none. Stage at river, 3.5 feet. Direction of wind, east.

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14 DIE IN TWO FIRES

Flight to Pole Starts Today

FINE WEATHER IS FEATURE OF START OF TRIP
Capt. Roald Amundsen's Expedition Leaves Sweden For North

Truck Rolls Into River; Woman Hurt
SPRINGFIELD, May 6.—(Special).—Mrs. K. Posvar suffers a fractured nose and right arm in an accident about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon when a truck carrying about 20 top-workers from Seavey's hop ranch went off Seavey's ferry into the river. The truck was being driven down a steep incline on to the ferry, when for some reason it could not be stopped, and plunged on into the water. Everyone on the truck jumped as the truck went off the edge, some landing on the ferry and receiving minor cuts and bruises and a few falling into the water. Mrs. Posvar struck the ferry with her face and outstretched arm.

MR. CLAGSTONE IS SPEAKER AT LUNCHEON HERE
Stresses Strength of Local Chamber of Commerce in His Address

FIERCE ATTACK LAUNCHED UPON FRENCH FORCES
Riffians Mobilizing More Troops; Strength is On Increase

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Mr. Amundsen Will Ride in First of Two Planes To Leave

ATLANTIC COAST IS PATROLLED BY ARMADA OF DRYS
NEW YORK, May 6.—(AP)—Sixty-four heavily armed coast guard boats, with 15 airplanes as auxiliaries, the greatest dry armada in history, patrolled this section of the Atlantic coast today, the second of the war against rum.

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Praises Growth in Eugene, As he Notes Late Improvements

FRENCH HAVE DIFFICULTY IN INTERIOR OF MOROCCO; LOSSES HEAVY
RABAT, French Morocco, May 6.—(AP)—An official communique today reports a fierce fight between French and Riffian troops, in which the French repulsed violent counter attacks, killed "many of the enemy" and took some prisoners.

Mrs. Shepherd Hides, But Will Re-Appear



Mrs. William D. Shepherd, shown in the picture with Robert H. Stoll, her husband's law partner, who is a member of the defense counsel, decided to hide out when a coroner's jury declared that she should be held in connection with the alleged murder of William McClintock, "millionaire orphan" of Chicago. Later, however, she said that she would re-appear.

BODIES FOUND AMONG RUINS; MANY INJURED

Marshfield Reports Blaze at Noon; Loss Estimated At \$20,000

Three Business Blocks Are Threatened, But Are Saved by Fighters

MARSHFIELD, Ore., May 6.—(AP)—Fire today at noon destroyed the Doane apartment house No. 2, the residence of Sarah Wilson, adjoining and the Coos Bay Auto Wrecking plant, which was on the first floor of the apartment building. Six families lost all their personal belongings and are homeless but there were no casualties. The loss was estimated at \$20,000. The apartment building was owned by J. C. Doane. Marshfield was cut off from wire communication with the outside for a while due to the fire burning out the long distance lines. The Johnson Motor company, a branch house of Allen and Lewis, wholesale grocers and three residences caught fire several times, but were saved by firemen, as were three business blocks which were threatened. There was believed to be little insurance on any of the destroyed property. Officials believe the fire started in the Little apartments at the rear of the destroyed building.

Mrs. Shepherd Will Give Herself up in Court, she Decides, After Hiding out

CHICAGO, May 6.—(AP)—After Chief Justice Hopkins of the criminal court had indicated he would grant bail to Mrs. William D. Shepherd, charged as accessory to the murder charge against her husband, of Mrs. Emma McClintock and her son, "Bilby," counsel for the accused woman promised to produce her in court at 5 p. m. Mrs. Shepherd's whereabouts were known only by Attorney Stoll. The latter had conference with Shepherd in jail, who expressed herself as feeling better since learning that Mrs. Shepherd had not been placed in jail. Mrs. Shepherd was angered by the finding of the coroner's jury against her and the accusations made against her by Chief Justice Harry Olson, of the municipal court, whose late brother, Dr. Oscar Olson, was the McClintock family physician and whose death the judge had also questioned in connection with the deaths of Mrs. McClintock and her son. (Continued on page three)

Examinations Scheduled

All pupils in Lane county schools are to take the special eighth grade examinations Thursday and Friday, May 14, and 15, have been held and the questions that will be used are being made ready to send to the districts at the office of E. J. Moore, county superintendent of schools. More than 1200 pupils will take the physiology and geography examinations and 540 will take the full eighth grade tests. About 8000 manuscripts will have to be looked over and marked at the conclusion of the term and this will probably take about two to three weeks, the superintendent states. As a large number of schools will be closed by next week the questions will be sent to the districts of the school board of the counties who will arrange for a competent person to supervise the examinations.

Veterans Cases Handled

Forty-one cases were handled for veterans of Lane county during the month of April by the local chapter of the Red Cross, according to the monthly report just compiled by Miss Grace Norton, secretary of the chapter. These cases were handled mostly by Miss Mabel Armitage, acting secretary, while Miss Norton was recovering from a surgical operation at the hospital. Two ex-service men were discharged from government hospitals with a permanent total disability rating. It is announced, and one claim for compensation allowed. Three disabled men entered government hospitals for observation and treatment. A large number of calls for financial assistance, and five were given financial aid.

Girl Guards of the local Salvation Army corps, a team of Eugene women, appointed by B. B. Brundage and J. E. Turnbull of the advisory committee, and members of the corps will sell tags on the streets of the city Saturday of this week, at the close of the campaign for Eugene's share of \$3370 to be applied to the local budget.

Salvation Army TO HOLD TAG DAY

Solicitors for the budget have been meeting unusual success this week, and it is believed that Saturday will see the organization go "over the top" for its quota. "As is generally known, the Salvation Army reaches every human being needy of help," says the chairman of the committee. "No conditions of creed, color or race are made. Real need is the sole requisite, and the organization's motto is 'The World for God.' The Salvation Army the last year helped about 6000 people, giving relief to the value of \$4900."

Another cut in Budget Forseen

WASHINGTON, May 6.—(AP)—President Coolidge's drive for economy in federal expenditures will result in another substantial cut in the annual budget. He hopes the reduction will be as great as \$300,000,000, making total estimates to be submitted to the next congress around \$3,000,000,000.

Secrecy Maintained

Coast guard heads still maintained secrecy concerning their movements. But it was reported that the aerial rum purveys would be used in making photographs of all the rum gallons, in addition to doing scout work in the detection of shore boats attempting to make their way to or from the liquor freighted ships.

Midwest Cold Nips Strawberry Crop

CHICAGO, May 6.—(AP)—Advises to the weather bureau today said frost has practically wiped out the strawberry crop and also unprotected truck crops in Iowa. The bureau also had reports of freezing temperatures in northern Michigan, Minnesota and the Dakotas with snowfalls in northern Michigan and other northern sections.

Training School At Monmouth is Held Within Law

SALEM, Ore., May 6.—In the opinion today Attorney General Van Winkle holds that the new training school for the normal school at Monmouth can be legally located at Independence as provided by the 1925 legislature and for which an appropriation of \$125,000 was made.

Liquor Informers To Share Receipts

NEW YORK, May 6.—(AP)—Citizens who inform the federal authorities of liquor smuggling activities leading to the conviction of bootleggers under the customs laws will receive 25 per cent of the fines imposed and of the money obtained through the sale of seized booze, Edward Barnes, assistant solicitor to the collector of the port, announced today.

Greater Fight Coming

MEXICO, Spanish Morocco, May 6.—(AP)—The fighting between the Riffians and the French is reported to be increasing in severity but the present engagements are believed to be but a prelude to greater conflicts which will develop as Abd-el-Krim throws more men across the neutral zone separating the Spanish and French protectorates.

Riffians Mobilize

FEZ, French Morocco, May 6.—Abd-el-Krim, the Moroccan rebel leader, is now reported to have mobilized 20,000 Riffian tribesmen for his attack on the French zone, instead of the 4,000 previously estimated. Of these forces, 5,000 are on the border between the Spanish and French zones, from which they are making raids into the territory occupied by the French in their advance of last autumn.

Yesterday's Games

NATIONAL
At Boston—R. H. E. Brooklyn, 10 14 2 Boston, 0 4 4 Batteries: Vance and Deberry; Graham, Hatcher, Boston, Ryan and O'Neil.

MR. WOOD TO STAY

MANILA, May 6.—(AP)—Governor General Wood today denied reports that he expected to depart soon for a vacation in the United States. The statement by the governor was made after his return from the inspection tour from the northern provinces.

GAMES FUND REJECTED

THE HAGUE, Holland, May 6.—(AP)—The lower chamber of parliament today rejected a bill guaranteeing one million florins for the 1928 Olympic games at Amsterdam. (The normal value of a florin is about 40 cents.)

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AMERICAN
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SIX ARE KILLED

ATLANTA, Ga., May 6.—(AP)—Six firemen were killed and four injured here early today when the upper floor of a building in which they were fighting a fire collapsed, the men being buried beneath a mass of cotton that had been stored on the second floor. The building was a two-story brick structure used for storing cotton. The firemen were fighting the blaze from the ground floor, when the roof and upper floor fell in, sending them down beneath a weight of cotton bales.

TWO INJURED

DENVER, Colo., May 6.—Two firemen were seriously injured and the lives of four others were imperiled when the blazing roof of a south Denver residence collapsed upon them while they were fighting the flames late last night.

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GORDON CAMPBELL GETS TWO YEARS

GREAT FALLS, Mont., May 6.—(AP)—Gordon Campbell was sentenced to two years in Leavenworth, Kansas, federal penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$1,000 by Judge George M. Bourquin, after he was found guilty by a jury in federal district court here this morning of using the mails to defraud and fraudulent oil promotion. He was found guilty of the sixth count in the indictment, which alleged conspiracy.

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NARCOTIC EVILS TO BE SHOWN BY PLAY

"The Judge and the dope peddler" is the title of a drama to be presented at the Eugene armory tomorrow evening starting at 7 o'clock by Hall and Summers who appear here under the auspices of the Lane county W. C. T. U., according to announcement today. The presentation is free and an invitation to the public to attend is expected by the W. C. T. U. here. The drama which is highly recommended by the churches and the W. C. T. U. organizations of the state is said to be a vivid portrayal of the drug evil and is a part of the nationwide campaign being staged by the W. C. T. U. against the narcotic evil, it is announced. Hall and Summers are making a trip through Oregon presenting this drama for the W. C. T. U.

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