

City News

THE WEATHER Oregon: Fair tonight and Friday; cooler in east portion tonight; rising temperature in the interior Friday; moderate north and northwest winds. Temperature: Maximum, 72 degrees; minimum 50 degrees. Precipitation, .14 inches. Stage of river, 5.8 feet. Direction of wind, west.

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FLOOD DAMAGES HEAVY

ANNUAL FETES AT UNIVERSITY OPENED TODAY

Attractive Programs for Junior Week-End to Be Presented

Military Parade on Campus Is Initial Feature This Afternoon

WEEK-END PROGRAM Thursday. 5:00 p. m.—Official parade of R. O. T. C. drill field. Friday. 9:00 a. m.—Painting of "O" on Skinner butte by freshmen. 9:15 a. m.—Tug-of-war over mill race near campus, freshmen, sophomores. 12:00—Campus lunch for all students and faculty, campus. 8:00 p. m.—Canoes fete, mill race. Saturday. Afternoon—Athletic events on Hayward field and tennis courts. 9:00 p. m.—Junior prom, awarding of Getlinger and Koyle cups.

Junior week-end, the annual student celebration at the University of Oregon, is scheduled to start this afternoon at five o'clock, when the entire reserve officers' training corps will be presented in official parade on the drill ground. Special features are planned for this event by Col. W. S. Sinclair, commandant. Tomorrow will be a busy day, from the opening event, which will be the annual painting of the "O" on Skinner butte by the freshmen, to the canoe fete, which will be held in the evening at 8 o'clock. At 9:15 the tug-of-war between the sophomores and freshmen will take place, and one of the classes is destined to be pulled into the mill race. The freshmen have never failed to be the losers in this event.

Tug-of-War Planned. Following the tug-of-war, the first year men will burn their badges of servitude, their freshmen caps, and at noon the entire campus will take part in the campus luncheon. The afternoon will be devoted to intercollegiate sports.

The canoe fete Friday evening will be one of the outstanding events of the affair. Houses have been paired for work on floats, and about 15 entries will be sent down the mill race. Several novel lighting effects are being worked out for this.

Athletics Featured. Saturday will be devoted to athletics, with a dual track meet with Oregon Agricultural college the principal event. In the evening the junior prom, the grand climax to the social season at the university, will take place. The Getlinger cup, awarded to the most outstanding woman, and the Koyle cup, presented to the outstanding junior man, will be given at this time.

The affair this year is under the direction of Robert McCabe, of Wauna, directorate chairman. Margaret Vincent, of Portland, is head of the luncheon committee; Clarence Toole, of Portland, is directing the canoe fete, and Arthur Gale of Bendon, is in charge of the junior prom.

No "rushers" are to be present this year, although alumni from all parts of the state are expected to be present.

Oratorio Society Supper is May 25

The date of the proposed supper for members of the Eugene Oratorio society, which recently presented the oratorio, "Creation," at the Methodist church, has been set for May 25, announced George H. McMurray, president of the society. The supper will be served at the Osburn hotel. All members of the organization have been invited to the supper, it is stated. A short program is being planned, and will be announced later.

May Rainfall Of Eugene To Break Record

Although the sun has succeeded in dominating several days during the month of May so far, it has rained and rained hard, with the result that the precipitation already is 2.6 inches. The average for this month for the past six years is 1.18, and with 10 days to go, this has already been doubled. A record rainfall for this month is easily possible, it is said. The river is also high for this time of year, it is reported by Gerard deBroekert, weather observer. A rise of 1.7 feet yesterday was observed, which brought the height up to 5.5 feet.

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., May 21.—After 36 hours of the heaviest rainfall recorded in Klamath county in more than a decade, the storm passed last night, and a warm sun greeted residents today. Local forecasts point to continued fair weather.

PENDLETON, Ore., May 21.—Rain that started falling about five o'clock yesterday afternoon continued throughout the night. The fall was general over Umatilla county and will prove invaluable to range lands and wheat lands. Particularly valuable is the precipitation to the lighter soils where the reseeded wheat was already suffering from drought.

ROSEBURG, Ore., May 21.—Rifling clouds and great patches of open sky, this morning gave promise of a fine day for the opening of the Roseburg Strawberry carnival. Weather for the past week has been rainy and cold, but indications today were that the storm had passed and that a mild clear day could be anticipated.

BEND, Ore., May 21.—Rain fell all day yesterday, the total precipitation for the 24-hour period ending at 8 o'clock this morning being .66 of an inch which brings the today rainfall for the month to 2.64 inches.

MEDFORD, Ore., May 21.—By a strange weather freak, Medford has thus far escaped the heavy rains of May, while the foothills and districts north and south have been nearly flooded. Including yesterday's rain, followed by sunshine and cooler weather today, the total precipitation for the month, according to the local weather bureau has been only .72 of an inch, which is less than the fifteen year average.

BEND MAN HURT AS AUTOS CRASH HERE

Marion Pike of Bend is in the Eugene hospital with injuries about the head and body resulting from a collision between his automobile and a taxicab driven by J. S. Thornton of the Red Cab company this morning at Fourth avenue and Lawrence street.

The victim's injuries are not serious, according to physicians at the hospital. He was brought to the hospital in a dazed condition, but an X-ray examination revealed only minor cuts and bruises, with a severe gash over the temple, and an abrasion on the right knee.

The accident occurred, according to Mr. Pike, after he had crossed the railroad track in his Studebaker touring car. The Red Cab driver was going east on Fourth avenue, and the two tangled at the intersection. The touring car was virtually demolished.

At noon today the taxi driver had not reported the accident to police headquarters, and A. H. Shorter, city traffic officer, announced his intention of arresting the driver and bringing him to city court.

Lorane Farmers To Argue Claims

To interview the county court with regard to the damages allowed by viewers on the Lorane road work, a delegate on from Lorane has been appointed to meet the commissioners and county judge Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. It is understood that the property owners involved in the adjudication are disappointed with the amount allowed by the viewers, are seeking to have it increased.

MOVE TO HAVE EXTENSIONS IN O. E. LINE SEEN

Development From Here To South is Rumored in Railroad Plans

Great Northern System and Northern Pacific Held Back of Program

PORTLAND, May 21.—The Portland Telegram today says that aggressive action by the Great Northern-Northern Pacific group controlling the Oregon Trunk railway and now projected to be extended from Bend to Klamath Falls and on to a connection with the Western Pacific in California, will be carried further in developing the Oregon Electric railway as a rival of the Southern Pacific in the Willamette valley. The Oregon coast region south of the Columbia river and west of Portland also will be the scene of extension of feeders of the subsidiaries of the Northern group.

One of the important moves to be announced soon, adds the Telegram, will be the application of the Oregon Electric railway for authority from the interstate commerce commission to extend from Albany south-easterly along the middle fork of the Santiam river to tap the forest timber holdings of the Weyerhaeuser Timber company and the Minnesota Log and Lumber company. The latter is controlled by Louis W. Hill, chairman of the Great Northern directors and recently acquired 31,077 acres from the Mealey Brothers of Linn county.

The grand jury at a late hour this afternoon returned three true bills. Earl Fonda was indicted on a statutory charge, and Julian F. Smith was indicted for passing an alleged bad check at the Lion Drug store April 10, for the sum of \$2.

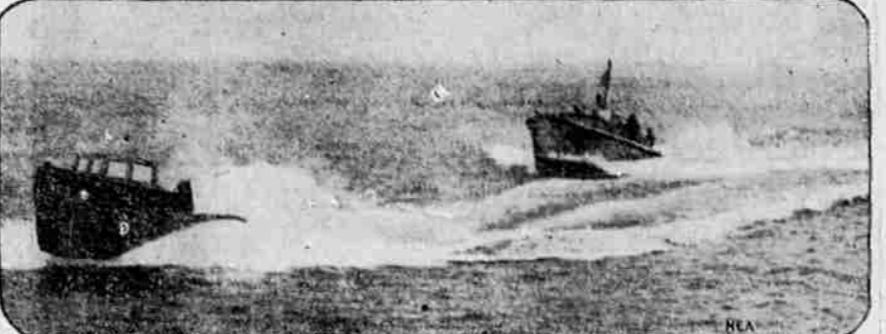
Grand Jury Ready With 3 True Bills

A general indictment was returned against L. W. Schultz and J. A. Schultz, on the charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

Baseball Results

Table with columns for National, American, and other leagues, listing teams and scores.

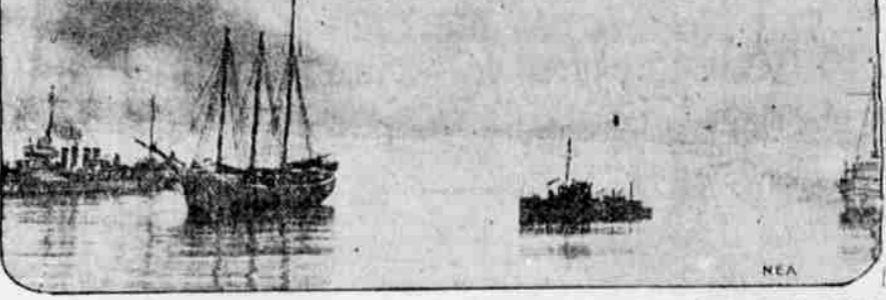
Photographs Show How Rum Running Was Stopped



Rum Runner Speeds Away From Government Boat



Rum Runner Allows its Pursuer to Overtake It



How Coast Guard has bottled up bootleg fleet on Rum Row. Left to right, Coast Guard destroyer, General Pau which is alleged to be rum boat, Coast Guard patrol and Coast Guard cutter.

MORROW AREA SUFFERS LOSS BY BIG DELUGE

Buildings At Lexington Are Moved on Foundation By Waters' Sweep

Train And Wire Services Are Hampered After Heavy Rains

FLOODS DO DAMAGE Loss estimated at \$40,000. Telephone office at Lexington carried 50 feet. Mercantile store loss is \$15,000. All trains delayed. Wire communication is cut. Water flows from four to six feet deep. Post office, store and several small buildings moved from foundations.

PENDLETON, Ore., May 21.—Damage estimated at \$40,000 was done at Lexington, Morrow county, yesterday afternoon between 2 and 3 o'clock when a torrent of water tore down Black Horse canyon after a floodburst and inundated the business and residential section of the town. No loss of life was reported and personal injuries suffered are said to have been slight.

The water that raced down the canyon and through the town ranged in depth from four to six feet and its force was sufficient to lift buildings from the foundations and move them considerable distances. The office building of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company was carried 90 feet on the crest of the flood waters and set down next to a book building. The heavier individual loss is said to have been suffered by the W. F. Burnett general merchandise store. Damage done to the building and stock by mud and water was placed at \$15,000. The A. L. Beach state's damage was placed at \$2,000. A business shop, the post office building and other small buildings were moved from their foundations and damaged. Trains were delayed last night and communication wires were out of commission following the flood. The losses by reason of washouts of bridges and stretches of road could not be ascertained. The highway between Heppner

WOMAN DIES FROM SHOOTING BUT GIRL RELEASED BY JURY

CHICAGO, May 21.—(AP)—Lucille Wansch, the 16-year-old high school girl, who shot fatally Miss Agnes Simmie, to whom her father, William Wansch, was paying attentions, and accidentally wounded her father and mother, was exonerated by a coroner's jury today. Miss Simmie died in a hospital last night.

The jury held that Lucille had accidentally killed Miss Simmie, while "suffering from a hysterical frenzy," brought on by a scuffle between her mother, Mrs. Wansch and the slain woman.

"I shot at her, yes," Lucille said calmly. "True, she deserved it. But that wasn't my intention. No—I simply fired to scare her. I didn't know I had wounded her."

The girl shed no tears as she testified of the shooting, nor even when she cast reproach upon her father, a village trustee of Riverside, where the inquest was held, but when she referred to "my poor sick mother," Lucille sobbed softly.

Mrs. Wansch, her wounded foot swathed in bandages from a blanket, appeared at the inquest supported on one side by a crutch and on the other by her husband.

Ballot Title may Go to High Courts

PORTLAND, Ore., May 21.—W. S. U'Ren, Portland attorney announced today he would file a petition to appeal to the supreme court, under writ of review, the decision of Circuit Judge McMahon at Salem yesterday, refusing an injunction in the suit by C. C. Chapman to hold up a referendum on the state cigarette tax. "It is not clear whether this can be done," he said, "but we shall at least find out." He characterized Judge McMahon's decision as the "grossest attack that has yet been made upon the principle of direct legislation."

County Club Activities for Girls, Subject

Fourteen high school girls from the Creswell district put on the program today at the chamber of commerce luncheon under the arrangement of Arnold D. Collier, county club leader. The young women gave musical selections by their double quartet, and two teams demonstrated cooking problems before the club. Two of the girls mixed cream white sauce, which was served the guests in the form of a rasher, and later showed the accepted method of preparing an angel food cake.

The first demonstration represented the first problem in the cooking program, and the cake demonstration, the last problem.

Mr. Collier outlined the purposes of club work, and gave a synopsis of the 17 projects in the work. These are corn, potatoes, vegetables, poultry, pigs, sheep, calves, dairy herd record keeping, canning, sewing, cooking, housewifery, home beautifying, rabbits, goats, wheat and bee keeping. Lane county has clubs for all 17 projects with the exception of wheat, he stated.

There are now more than 800 boys and girls enrolled in the 80 clubs in the county, Mr. Collier stated. The work is being given, he said, in schools without facilities for offering such instruction, particularly for girls.

School Attendance Record is Perfect

Four school pupils from one family hold a 100 per cent attendance record for the school year 1924-25 at the Coast Fork school, District 103, according to the report submitted to the county school superintendent this morning by Mrs. Jeannette Clark, teacher. The pupils mentioned were Paul Brabham, Elva Brabham, Harriet Brabham and Ruth Brabham. Other pupils with perfect attendance records were Arthur Brown and Nina McPeck.

PRACTICAL TEST SHOWS GORDON OF GUARD IS TIGHT

By BOB DORMAN (NEA Service Writer) NEW YORK, May 21.—An almost impenetrable ring of ships has shut off the liquor supply of the Atlantic seacoast between Atlantic City and Nantuxet Island. To test the tightness of that ring

The FLAPPER WIFE

THE STORY SO FAR GLORIA GORDON, beautiful flapper, marries DICK GREGORY, a young lawyer. Gloria's idea of marriage is plenty of fun and fine clothes... but no children. She seems her friend, LOUIE HUGHES, who has three babies and seems happy, despite the fact that her husband, BILL, is a gambler and a drunkard. Gloria has hysterics when Dick suggests that she do her own housework. No Dick horrors MAGGIE, his mother's maid, to teach Gloria to cook. Gloria refuses to learn. STANLEY WAYBURN, an actor whom Gloria once loved, calls on her. Dick sees him leave the house. Gloria tells Dick that Wayburn is an interior decorator. Next day while Gloria is lunching with MAY SEYMOUR, a married friend, and her lover, JIM CAREWE, she meets MOTHER GREGORY, who angrily sends her home. She finds Dick there, ill. While Dick and MISS BRIGGS, his secretary, are at work in the house next day, Gloria plans a "wild" party and invites Wayburn. When the party is at its height, the actor arrives. Gloria hopes that Dick won't recognize in Wayburn the man she told

Student Class Gets Out Guard Next Saturday The Guard of next Saturday, May 23, will be written and produced by the biggest and most pepful news and editorial staff in Oregon, and it is going to be a humdinger of a newspaper. The senior class in the school of journalism of the University of Oregon will write all the news and editorial for the edition of that day, assemble it, edit it, write the headlines and oversee the make-up in the forms. In short the senior class in journalism is going to get out the paper. Next Saturday's edition of The Guard will furnish a demonstration of the fact that they turn out real newspaper men and women at the university. It will be worth reading. Watch for it.

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