

The Weather

Prediction Fair
 Maximum yesterday 79
 Minimum today 47.5

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Maximum 78
 Minimum 52

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CANTON FALLS TO BOLSHEVIK CHINESE

RED FLAG IS RAISED OVER CHINESE CITY

Led By Soviet Russia Officers, Chinese Stronghold Is Captured and Population Put to Sword—Frightful Scenes of Butchery Enacted—Bribery Declared Cause Defeat

CANTON, June 13.—(A. P.)—The attacking Kwangtung and Canton forces under bolshevistic officers after a fierce attack on the defending Yunnanese army today forced them to surrender Canton and today imposed extreme cruelties on soldiers and civilian population as well.

The attacking forces landed 2000 soldiers at Tunghshan and from that point they attacked, leaving the defending forces without river transportation facilities and therefore unable to launch a counter attack.

After leaving the Kwangtung troops gave the surrendering forces no consideration although the defeated troops had voluntarily given up their arms.

City Is Looted

The winning forces then began looting the city. This was not confined to stations of opposing army forces but extended to homes of non-combatant citizens. Revolting scenes followed in all parts of the city, many of which were fired. People were stoned and beaten by mobs, members of which seemed to have lost their senses.

The bodies of slain innocent bystanders are strewn along the roads.

The Yunnanese in many cases were beaten to death by the Kwangtung forces. From Shameen, the foreign population saw a conquered soldier commit suicide by diving into the river after witnessing the killing of his comrades.

The winning forces either shot defeated troops or threw them into the river after beating them with bamboo, stones and rifles.

Looting was carried on in an extensive manner. The winning troops took even petty articles of household property in their campaign of terror.

Treachery Cause of Defeat.

The principal cause of the defeat of the Yunnanese troops, now driven out of Canton, was the treachery in the ranks of the Kwangtung troops, who quit for a cash consideration.

Considerable damage was done to buildings, owing to heavy gunfire. The most revolting scenes inside the city were caused by the Kwangtung troops.

The defeated army leaders swore they would return to avenge the wrong done today.

Ten thousand Cantonese troops now are on the Canton side of the river, all wearing red neckties. The success in capturing the city was attributed to the leadership of Russian officers.

Fighting began at Canton eight days ago between rival elements of former followers of the late Dr. Sun Yat-Sen, the south China leader.

The immediate cause of the trouble was the efforts of the cantonese government to dismiss the Yunnanese army, former allies of the Cantonese under Sun Yat-Sen's regime.

The dismissal was desired because the support of the army had become burdensome to the Cantonese government.

Yunnanese generals under General Yang Hai-Min and Lau Chun-Wan and their troops had complete control of Canton.

Cantonese troops under General Hsu Ch'ung-Chi, reinforced by General Chu Pei-Tak, attacked the Yunnanese occupying Canton with the object of freeing the city from their rule.

Today's dispatches indicate this effort has been successful.

Parmenter Is Appointed

WASHINGTON, June 13.—(A. P.)—Bertice Marvin Parmenter of Lawton, Okla., was appointed today to be an assistant attorney general.

KLAMATH NEWSPAPER, FORCES ACTING DISTRICT-ATTORNEY TO RESIGN HIS POST

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., June 13.—Acting District Attorney W. P. Myers last night telegraphed his resignation to District Attorney William Ganong, who is in a veterans' hospital at Walla Walla, Wash.

The resignation followed a series of attacks on Myers by the Klamath Falls Evening Herald, which alleged irregularities in the prohibition fund as well as in other departments of his office. Myers has been in complete charge of the office for more than two months.

Simultaneous with the resignation, Myers announced he would start immediately civil trial proceedings against the Evening Herald.

District Attorney Ganong said he will accept the resignation. He is expected to appoint Caleb Jones, who was recommended for the office several weeks ago by a group of local attorneys.

Man Entombed in Grass Valley Mine Talks to Rescuers

SACRAMENTO, Cal., June 13.—The Sacramento Bee at 11 a. m. today received through a hotel clerk in Grass Valley a message delivered at the request of the paper's staff correspondent, three miles from Grass Valley, quoting Robert Bedford, in charge of the Robert Hill rescue work as having talked to him through a pipe.

ENTIRE COUNTRY PAYS BIG TRIBUTE TO RAIL LEADER

Capital Joins With Labor in Mourning, Death of Warren S. Stone, Head of Locomotive Engineers and President of Labor Bank.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 13.—(By the Associated Press.)—Arrangements were being completed today for the funeral of Warren Sanford Stone, 65, head of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and its trust companies, co-operative banks, office buildings and other holdings, whose resources approximate \$150,000,000. Funeral services will be held Monday. They will be conducted on the day Oberlin college was to have honored the labor leader and financier by conferring upon him the degree of master of arts.

Stone died late yesterday from a general breakdown caused by Bright's disease. Death came in a hospital where less than three months ago Mr. Stone had written an editorial for the May issue of the brotherhood organ, in which he indicated he had an intuition that life's end was near. He recovered sufficiently to return to his duties, but was taken to the hospital again Tuesday after lapsing in his office and never fully regained consciousness.

"The highest temperature they have any record of here in the hospital is 108 7-8 degrees," Mr. Stone wrote in part in his first editorial. "I tried to break the record but could not, my highest being 108 5-8 and that for only a day or two at a time. After you pass 104 1/2 you do not know the difference; the wheels are going round, but you do not know it."

"Now I am back to normal temperature and the doctor says I am coming through and that the old machine is good for years to come. I hope he is correct because, while that invisible intangible something we call life has never meant so much to me, even at the best, yet I want to live as long as I can be of use to my fellow men."

"By the time this reaches you, I shall perhaps be back in the harness again. If I am, all right; I want to keep on as long as I can be useful. If not, it is all right anyway. I am way ahead of the game and have not a single regret, because I have lived every minute of life to the full; have practiced the gospel I have preached—the gospel of the great eternal now."

In the next issue of the magazine Mr. Stone wrote that he had "nearly regained my former health and am happy to be back on the job and handling my tonnage as usual. Good health, like our other many blessings, is never fully appreciated until we are temporarily deprived of it."

After referring to "hundreds of kind and sympathetic letters" from members of the brotherhood while he was sick, Mr. Stone continued: "Sometimes when things do not go as they should I wonder if it is all

MANY VIEW INSPECTION OF BRIGADE

Impressive Feature of First Day of State Encampment Attracts Hundreds of Citizens—Soldier Boys Cheered—General White Congratulated On Success of Camp.

The case, speed and efficiency with which the thirty-seven units in camp here fitted into their assigned niches and took up the details of army life in the field, has called forth the emphatic approval of regular army inspectors present. Brigadier General George A. White, camp commander and head of Oregon's militia, is being congratulated from many quarters upon the way in which the soldiers have taken hold and are carrying on.

While intensive training does not begin until Monday, one of the most important phases of camp routine held the center of the stage this morning. General White and his staff conducted a brigade inspection in the parade field west of camp. This was the only feature military event of the day.

The entire brigade assembled promptly at 8 o'clock, marched to the designated field, regiments were assigned positions and as if by magic a complete shelter tent camp was pitched. Rigid inspection followed, it being noon before the rounding of "recall" signalled that the event was ended.

Troops Are Cheered

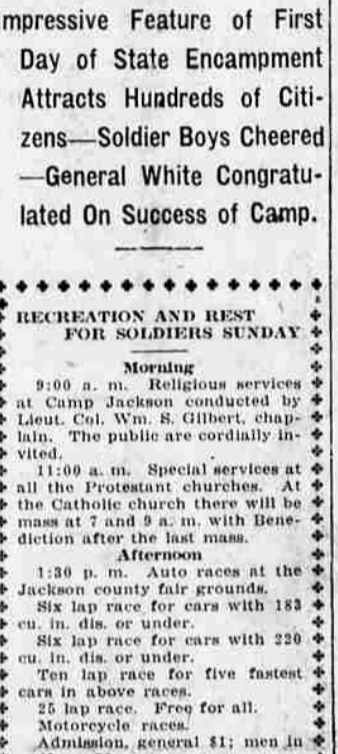
Hundreds of citizens were on hand to witness the inspection, the Crater Lake highway, upon which the camp is situated, being jammed with automobiles throughout the morning. The curiosity and patience of these sightseers was more than rewarded by the impressive spectacle.

Ideal weather favored the occasion, the sparkling sunshine being tempered by a refreshing breeze. Hearty cheers came from the lookers-on as the brown clad regiments, headed by their bands, sung into position. The effects of long and careful training were evidenced by the astonishing speed with which the shelter tent camp appeared where but a few moments before there had been nothing but empty fields. Individual inspection by General White and his staff, accompanied by the U. S. army officers on duty with the camp, immediately was begun.

Each soldier of the 2500 present opened his pack, baring to view the full equipment required of a fighting man in the field. In addition to the usual pair of blankets, mess gear, and other military paraphernalia, every man was required to have a towel, shaving kit

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She's Coming Over to Look Us Over



Mme. Jeanne Vix, one of France's favorite opera singers, is bound for the U. S., but just to see the country, it is stated.

BASEBALL SCORES

National League.

At Pittsburgh:	R. H. E.
New York.....	4 9 0
Pittsburgh.....	6 13 0
Batteries: McQuillan, Greenfield and Hartley; Meadows and Smith.	
At Chicago:	R. H. E.
Boston.....	0 6 0
Chicago.....	2 7 0
Batteries: Barnes and Gibson; Jacobs and Hartnett.	
At Cincinnati: Brooklyn-Cincinnati game called off, rain.	

ST. LOUIS, June 13.—Rogers Hornsby, star batsman of the St. Louis Cardinals, hit his 17th homer of the season in the first inning of today's game with Philadelphia. Two men were on base. Jim Bottomly, Cardinal first baseman, followed with another homer in the same inning.

NEW YORK, June 13.—(A. P.)—Bob Meusel of the Yankees hit his sixteenth home run of the season in the seventh inning of the game with the Indians today, tying with Rogers Hornsby of the Cardinals for leading home run honors in the major leagues. Meusel's clout came with two runners on base.

AT NEW YORK—R. H. E. Cleveland..... 4 16 4
 New York..... 7 11 0
 Uhle and Myatt; Hoyt and Schanz.

AT BOSTON—R. H. E. St. Louis..... 7 11 1
 Boston..... 4 12 2
 Gaston and Dixon; Zahnizer, Fuhr and Heving.

AT PHILADELPHIA—R. H. E. Chicago..... 3 11 1
 Philadelphia..... 8 11 1
 Lyons, Blankenship and Schalk; Grabowski; Harris and Cochrane.

Wall Street Report

NEW YORK, June 13.—Heavy buying of the steel shares which advanced one to three points on reports of improved trade conditions, overshadowed all other developments in today's abbreviated stock market session. The advance in General Railway Signal, which extended its early gain to nine points, and the strength of Westinghouse Air Brake, which moved up over five points, was generally attributed to expectations of large earnings through the sale of automatic train control devices that recently have been ordered on several railroads. The closing was strong. Total sales approximated 600,000 shares.

6 SHOT IN GANG FIGHT IN CHICAGO

3 Killed and 3 Are Seriously Wounded in Gun Duel Between Chicago Gangsters and Police Squad—Police Sergeant Captures Gangsters Single Handed.

CHICAGO, June 13.—(A. P.)—Gangsters and police shot it out today at close quarters in a revolver fight resulting in the deaths of two police sergeants and of John Genna, one of the attacking gang, and the wounding of a third policeman and Genna's two companions. Genna is believed to have been a brother of Angelo Genna, gangster recently assassinated and the killings are believed to presage a bitter police war against gunmen and beer runners.

Superintendent of Police Morgan A. Collins declared the police killers should be indicted and hanged before the day ended.

Two of the wounded men may die. Shortly before noon the death list stood at three:

Police Sergeant Charles Walsh; almost instantly killed.

Sergeant H. Olson, died in hospital.

John Genna, gangster; died of wounds.

The wounded:

Sergeant Michael Conway, shot near the heart; may die.

John Seale, gangster.

Albert Annable, gangster.

The fight burst after a chase of nearly a mile and a half on Western avenue after the police squad of four sergeants from the detective bureau saw a large automobile speeding south.

The police car turned and pursued. The gangsters increased the speed of their car and at sixtieth street, their driver lost control and the car crashed into an iron fence. The detective sergeant squad came to a stop a few feet away and the gangsters tumbled or jumped from their car, with revolvers and shotguns ready for action.

Gangsters Open Fire

A fusillade of slugs and bullets was launched at the police squad. The first deadly volley dropped Sergeant Olson when a slug crashed through his mouth and shattered his jaw. A hail of bullets riddled Walsh, killing him instantly. More than fifty shots were fired, the crashing of firecrackers alarming the neighborhood. The fight took place on Western avenue, the Dixie highway entrance to Chicago from the south.

As the police sergeants fell under the severe fire of the gangsters, Genna and his confederates started to flee.

Sergeant Sweeney Is Hero

Sergeant William Sweeney, the fourth member of the police squad virtually single handed shot and captured the entire gangster crew. He pursued Genna into the basement of a private residence as they made targets of each other, their revolvers barking and spitting bullets at every step. As Genna reached the basement, one of Sweeney's bullets dropped him and he fell through a window.

Spurred by the shooting of his three companions Sweeney left the dying Genna where he fell and gave chase to the other two gangsters as they leaped on the running board of a street car. Signaling the conductor of the car, Sergeant Sweeney leaped aboard, felled one of the gunmen with a blow of his fist and the other, bleeding from a leg wound, surrendered without further fight.

Result of Beer Feud

The fight is believed by the police to have had a connection with another shooting earlier in which police heads suspect that an attempt was made to avenge the death of Angelo Genna, beer running gangster, who lived with his bride at an expensive hotel while he and his associates plied their trade elsewhere.

Young Genna who had \$11,000 in currency when he was killed, was driving his automobile along a north side street when he was shot. He was taken to a hospital, where before he died, he observed the rule of silence of the gunmen of the underworld.

With his death, the police awaited the next assassination in revenge. For the gangster gunmen, contemptuous of the law, prefer to take revenge at their own time and in their own way.

What seemed to have been a Genna vengeance party was reported from the west side Italian colony, where five men in an automobile fired a fusillade into another automobile occupied by three men, all of whom were reported to have been wounded, but all were spirited away before the police arrived. Two of the assailants also were believed to have been

LIQUOR RAID IS MADE ON STORE NEAR N.G. CAMP

District Attorney Chaney Lays Successful Trap for Moonshiners Near Camp Jackson—2 Men and 2 Women Arrested—300 Gallons Seized

Another important step in his policy of ridding Jackson county of liquor violators, without resorting to stalling pigeons, window peeping or saddling undue expense upon the taxpayers, was taken last night by District Attorney Newton C. Chaney, when assisted by Sheriff Jennings and the Medford police, he arrested H. J. Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. R. Dawson and Mrs. Betty Hodges, all of Klamath Falls, as they were engaged in disposing of moonshine to the "Hut" candy store, situated on the Crater Lake highway near Camp Jackson.

The arrests were the result of a carefully conceived plan worked out by the district attorney several weeks ago when he learned there would be a concerted attempt to flood Camp Jackson with liquor and moonshine, during the O. N. G. encampment.

The Hut candy store and soft drink establishment was established by him at a strategic point on the highway and then nature was allowed to take its course. The proprietor of the store was soon approached by the moonshiners, and last night was made as the date for delivery.

Chaney and Sheriff Jennings assembled seven men fully armed in the building and as Hodges walked in with the booze he was covered and disarmed, and his Studebaker car confiscated. Mr. and Mrs. Dawson were given the same reception. A third car was scheduled to arrive, but apparently the operator grew suspicious and thus escaped.

In addition to the Studebaker car and three automatic revolvers, 300 gallons of moonshine were secured. The Dawsons, Hodges and Mrs. Hodges will be given their preliminary hearing in Judge Taylor's court this afternoon.

District Attorney Chaney announced this afternoon that he has turned over the Hut candy store as a contribution to the Salvation Army to be run by them and contents sold at reasonable prices. This store will be in addition to the concession conducted by the Salvation Army within the camp.

Von Der Hellen Is Lowest Bidder On Grants Pass Road

PORTLAND, Ore., June 13.—Bids for grading and surfacing portions of state highways were opened yesterday at the United States Bureau of Public Roads. Low bidder for the job of scraping and surfacing 5.4 miles of the Grants Pass-Crescent City highway from Waldgo to the state line was William Von Der Hellen of Medford, \$27,250. Dunn and Baker of Klamath Falls bid \$35,078. Six bids were submitted.

WIND AND ELECTRICAL STORMS CONTINUE TO TAKE TOLL OF LIVES

CHICAGO, June 13.—(A. P.)—Five persons were killed last night in the middlewest and southwest by wind and electrical storms. Two had been killed by storms Thursday night in Minnesota.

Three children met death and fifteen persons were injured, a half dozen seriously when a bolt of lightning crashed down the flue of a

NEGRO ATHLETE ON CHICAGO'S TEAM BREAKS WORLD REC'D

STAGG FIELD, Chicago, June 13.—(By the Associated Press.)—DeHart Hubbard, University of Michigan's famous negro athlete, smashed the world's record for the running broad jump by 4 1-16 inches in the national collegiate track and field championship meet on Stagg field today. Hubbard, making his final interval, locate appearance, jumped 25 feet 10 7-8 inches.

SHEPHERD IS AGAIN LOSER BY DECISION

Court Holds Letter Breaking Off Relations With Affinity and Admitting Bankruptcy May Be Admitted As Showing Conditions Before Boy Died.

CHICAGO, June 13.—(By the Associated Press.)—The defense of William Darling Shepherd, on trial for the murder of her, by administering typhoid germs, his millionaire foster-son, William Nelson McClintock, lost another hard-fought battle today.

At the opening of court, William Scott Stewart, chief of defense counsel, sought to have erased from the record the testimony yesterday of Estelle Gehling, Shepherd's "sunshine girl," and a quotation from a letter he had written to her admitting financial insolvency and an intention to close "my office here and drift away from it all."

Judge Thomas J. Lynch agreed with Robert E. Crowe, state's attorney, that while the letter was highly prejudicial against Shepherd, it was pertinent in that it confessed, in his own handwriting, that he was bankrupt and his outlook was hopeless one month before young McClintock died and left him an estate of more than a million.

It was agreed that only a portion of the letter should be permitted to go into the records and that the parts of the letter which identified it as a "love letter" should not be read.

The jury then was brought in and the prosecutor drove ahead, building up Shepherd's alleged motive relating establishing its "corpus delicti" to later sessions.

Louis Sbarbaro, Chicago civil service employe, former restaurateur and uncle of John Sbarbaro, assistant state's attorney, testified that nine or ten years ago Shepherd frequently visited his place and that he displayed an interest even then in learning the part of an system that contained poison. Sbarbaro testified that Shepherd frequently had him open oysters for him, fasten them with a rubber band and that Shepherd then would take them home.

Once Shepherd told him, Sbarbaro said, that he was the guardian for a "rich youth, got \$7,500 a year for it," and added: "Some day I'll have a barrel of money."

Sbarbaro admitted that he first talked with Judge Harry Olson, chief figure in the investigation, about the death of young McClintock early this year, although his nephew, the assistant state's attorney, then was working on the case.

The "Daily" Bank Robbery

DETROIT, June 13.—(A. P.)—Within less than two hours after four men robbed the branch of the Central Savings Bank, Harper avenue and Chene street this morning, and killed a patrolman who sought to intercept them, police had rounded up three suspects and announced the recovery of all the \$23,000 taken from the bank.

Casimir Kallenzevski, patrolman, was shot by the fleeing robbers and died within a few minutes. Anthony Antoni Solowski, 12, was shot and wounded by a stray bullet from the robbers' guns.

Fair Weather Predicted

SAN FRANCISCO, June 13.—The weather outlook for the week beginning June 14, was announced today by the United States weather bureau as follows:

For California—Fair and moderately warm, with some fog along the southern coast.

For Washington-Oregon—Generally fair and moderate temperature.

WIND AND ELECTRICAL STORMS CONTINUE TO TAKE TOLL OF LIVES

CHICAGO, June 13.—(A. P.)—Five school house twelve miles south of Breckenridge, Texas, at the close of a community meeting.

An aged woman was crushed to death near Chicago when a shed toppled over on her.

A Chicago woman was killed and her two sons were badly injured near Laks Zurich, Ill., when their automobile struck a hole that had been washed out by the storm.