

Today  
By Arthur Brisbane

Eight Western Bears. Don't Be a U. S. A. Bear. All Set, Very Soon. The Skuptshina, and Here.

Eight young California oarsmen, the "Golden Bear Eight," from the Golden Gate, beat the best crew that Columbia ever turned out and smashed a 27-year record.

A climate in which you grow for twelve months, instead of fighting colds and standing still for six months out of twelve, has advantages. Helen Wills proves it.

Business was more cheerful yesterday. The oil stock buyer rejoiced to read that crude oil production had fallen off 5350 barrels a day, in the past week, and oil stored east of the Rocky mountains shows a decrease of 656,000 barrels for May.

Loadings of revenue producing cars, a good business indication, increased 61,746 for the week ending June 9.

Some dainty little lambs have been trimmed to look like a French poodle, and others to look more like a hairless Mexican dog. But beware how you sell this country short, for the long run. And, although it may be a little late, don't gamble.

Soon the two candidates will be named, Hoover and Smith, the two platforms printed, and the show will start. Houston reports lack of prohibition energy. Nobody there, it seems, to give prohibition a kind hand.

Senator Reed of Missouri says he will stop Governor Smith. But prohibition does not interest him. There will be plenty of prohibition talk before next November, however.

In the Belgrade Skuptshina, their name for Congress, a radical deputy shot and killed Paul Raditch, nephew of the peasant leader. Savage, backward sort of place, we say.

In New York's Central park yesterday, a ruffian, type of modern crime, cruelly slashed the face of a young woman, walking with friends. In Ohio, George Renuis, who shot his wife in cold blood, as she begged for mercy, was set free. A jury said he was insane—that saved his neck. A high court says he is not insane. That gives him freedom, and more opportunity. In Houston, as the Democrats gather, a negro is taken from a hospital bed, by men not masked, and hanged. Let us not criticize others.

Major Maddalena, one of Italy's magnificent fliers, located Nobile, adrift on an ice floe, in the Arctic, and dropped a supply of food. No landing was possible, and the ice was too rough to take off.

Would it be possible to drop a miniature gas bag, weighted down, that could life one or more of the stranded men perpendicularly, to within reach of a slowly moving plane. What plan would you suggest?

Annela Earhart has received her first proposal of marriage since her ocean flight. She will get more. She tells London to praise Pilot Stultz, who ran the machine and really made the trip, while she was "excess baggage." But no one pays attention to that. Romance is the thing and Miss Earhart supplies it.

In New York's brutal dancing contest—the dance to go on until all but one couple drop—the female dancers, nervously exhausted, slap their partners' faces. Then the men slap the women's faces vigorously. The yahoos, called "fans," looking on, shriek with delight, as the half

FLYING C. AN EASY WINNER

Karook, Representing the Oregon Cavemen, Spurts Into Grants Pass 22 Miles Ahead of Melika, Nearest Competitor—Given Bucket Containing \$5000—Drinks Bottle of Pop.

GRANTS PASS, Ore., June 21.—(AP)—One hundred and sixty-seven hours and fifty-one minutes out of San Francisco, Flying Cloud, Karook entry of the Oregon Cavemen in the Redwood Marathon, breached the tape at the finish line here at 10:30 this morning. He came in strong, finishing a run through a street lined with thousands of people who had waited since late yesterday for his arrival. Princess Redwood Empire was waiting with a blanket and as Flying Cloud crossed the line, she kissed him roundly, the first to greet him.

Flying Cloud is a hero here today for he left his nearest competitor, Melika, the aged Zuni, 22 miles to the rear. He was photographed hundreds of times and news reels ground out many feet of film at the finish and the reception given the youthful runner.

Heart Is Declared O. K. Presentation of \$5000 in silver dollars and twenty dollar gold pieces to the winner, a water bucket being utilized for the purpose of holding the coins; reading of the message brought by Flying Cloud from Mayor James Rolph of San Francisco to Mayor George Fox of Grants Pass, the wild greeting of the Oregon Cavemen, and personal congratulations kept the winner busy for a full half hour after the race before he could be taken to a hotel for rest.

Dr. S. O. Coolidge, head physician for the marathon, stopped Flying Cloud just outside the city limits of Grants Pass and pronounced his heart in better condition than when the boy left San Francisco seven days ago.

Flying Cloud has all smiles as he came into the city, the vision of the big cash prize and tribal pride having kept him always in the lead. He had left Selma, 22 miles from Grants Pass, just as day was breaking.

That Flying Cloud had plenty of reserve was shown by his final burst of speed into the city, the last mile being clipped off in five minutes and twelve seconds.

Bites His Prize Money When the first prize money was presented to Flying Cloud, he picked a gold piece from the bucket, put it between his teeth and then nodded his approval. It was probably the most money he had ever had in his hands at one time. Last year he took his second prize and bought a new automobile.

Feasting was broken with a bottle of soda pop handed him by one of his party and he took it down in a few long drinks. Grants Pass was wild with delight today as the runner entered. Thousands of people had gathered here for the event and every store in town had some display of greeting and the streets were decorated.

The finish of the Redwood marathon is always a gala event in this city. At 10:58 Melika, running second and going strong, left Selma, 22 miles from the finish with Chief Ukiah 16 miles behind him at the last official word. The 62 year old Zuni, is pounding along with a smile on his face and a cheery greeting for spectators along the way.

Red Robin is holding fourth place eighteen miles behind Ukiah with Dan Comahunguona, Hopi, within a mile of him. Seymour Smith is sixth, four miles away and Silver Wings, 5 miles behind him. Mae Hill, winner of last year's marathon, is out of the race at Crescent City.

STRIKING PHOTO OF THE SMITHS



This is the latest photo of Governor Alfred E. Smith, of New York and his wife, taken at Albany.

FRIENDS OF AL BOBBY JONES IN SMITH OPPOSE FINE FORM AS FILM SHOWING TOURNEY OPENS

Dry Film Showing N. Y. Golf Champion Gets Even Governor Signing Wet Bill Arouses Indignation of His Supporters—Fight Looms in Court.

NEW YORK, June 21.—(AP)—Friends of Governor Alfred E. Smith today threatened legal action to prevent the use of a news reel of the governor in a film dramatization of two prohibition books by Professor Irving Fisher of Yale.

The picture, entitled "Deliverance," was made for Professor Fisher and Robert E. Corridini, research secretary of the world alliance against alcohol. It is being looked by the Young Men's Christian association for showing in Y. M. C. A.s and churches throughout the country.

George B. Graves, secretary to the governor, has written all news reel companies who have taken pictures of Governor Smith warning them against permitting improper use of their films. Counsel has informed them that a picture cannot be used for commercial purposes without the governor's permission, and that among the commercial purposes of "Deliverance" is the advertising of Professor Fisher's two books.

The governor's friends say the excerpts used, by implication, purport to show the governor signing the act repealing the Mulholland-Clegg state enforcement law and thereby allegedly contributing to evils which other parts of the picture depict. In reality, they say, Governor Smith is signing an income tax reduction bill.

Mr. Corridini said that anything unfair to Governor Smith in the picture would be taken out "if his representative comes to us and shows us we are wrong."

"The story," he added, "is not propaganda, but a dignified dramatization of an historic event."

SEC. WORK TO RESIGN JUNE 30TH

Head of Interior Dept. to Direct Hoover Campaign—Ralph Williams of Oregon Named Vice Chairman, J. R. Nutt to Be Treasurer.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—(AP)—Secretary Work announced today that he would resign the interior cabinet post before the end of June in order to conduct the republican national campaign for which he has been made national chairman.

Ralph E. Williams, Oregon, was selected a member of the executive committee. Secretary of the Interior Work today was formally approved as chairman of the republican national committee by a sub-committee named by the Kansas City convention in order to confer with Secretary Hoover on campaign plans. Others named in a slate made public before the convention also were approved.

After a meeting lasting an hour and a half, the executive committee announced the selection of the following officers, in addition to Chairman Work.

Vice chairman, Ralph E. Williams, Oregon; Mrs. Alvin T. Hart, Kentucky; Daniel E. Pomeroy, New Jersey; Franklin W. Ford, New Jersey; secretary, Joseph H. Nutt, Ohio, treasurer.

OREGON BOURBONS JOIN CALIFORNIA

SAN FRANCISCO, June 21.—(AP)—Instructed as a unit to vote for the nomination of Governor Alfred Smith of New York for the presidency, 50 delegates will leave for the national democratic convention at Houston tonight. The delegations of Washington and Oregon, both considered Smith supporters, will arrive here just before the democratic special departs. They will make the rest of the trip with the Californians.

Baseball Scores

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

GIRL BANDIT UNDER OBSERVATION



Jean Cameron, much arrested girl bandit, photographed in the county jail at Albany, N. Y., where she is under the observation of a lunacy commission following her plea of insanity to a charge of grand larceny in the spectacular theft of a taxicab. Jean is shown sketching "dream faces" in her cell. She has served time for crimes in Illinois and New Jersey.

G. O. P. CHIEFS TO CONFER ON FUTURE PLANS

Special Committee to Lunch With Nominees Tomorrow—New York State to Be Battleground—Hoover Wants Three Weeks to Write Acceptance.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—(AP)—Members of the special committee of the republican national committee, who are to confer tomorrow with Secretary Hoover, the party's presidential candidate, and Senator Curtis, the vice presidential nominee, began arriving today and were received by Mr. Hoover.

Business which was to come before the committee at a luncheon at noon tomorrow was discussed and it was said that a slate of committee officials would be drafted quickly at the conference.

Secretary Work, frequently mentioned as the new party national chairman was with Hoover last night and early today and Open Mills, one of the leaders of the Hoover New York forces, came to the office at the conference department to present Mrs. Ruth Pratt, New York City alderman and a group of New York people. They were said to have urged particular attention to the New York state campaign and to have expressed a hope that the secretary would make one or two appearances there during the campaign.

Campaign arrangements will constitute the most troublesome points for discussion of committee members. Secretary Hoover is represented as desiring two or three quiet weeks in which to work on his speech of acceptance, usually classed as a most important campaign document.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—(AP)—J. R. Nutt, Cleveland banker, has been approved by Secretary Hoover, republican presidential candidate, as treasurer for the republican national committee. It was said here today just before the conference that was to plan campaign details began.

Harry Blair of New York City was said to be slated to become eastern treasurer of the committee. These were the last major selections to be made. It previously had been regarded as certain that Secretary of Interior Work would be chosen chairman of the national committee and Franklin Ford of New Jersey its secretary.

FEAR THAT AMUNDSEN LOST, GAINS

With 650 Pounds of Food Dropped by Airplane, the Italia Commander 'Kisses and Embraces' Courageous Aviators—Still No Word of Amundsen—Fog Halts Search.

LONDON, June 21.—(AP)—Fears are increasing for the safety of Captain Roald Amundsen, Lieutenant Lief Dietrichsen and the crew of the plane in which they flew from Bergen Monday toward the Arctic wastes in search of General Nobile. No news has been received of the plane since it started on the last lap of its northward voyage. Captain Amundsen had previously planned to go with another expedition but when the French aviator, Rene Guilbaud announced his intention of flying to Nobile's relief and wished to take Amundsen along, the famous explorer jumped at the chance.

The plane was equipped with wireless for receiving and sending and is believed to have had supplies of petrol sufficient for a flight of 2500 miles but the prolonged period of silence has created the gravest anxiety for Amundsen and his companions.

LONDON, June 21.—(AP)—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen says that Major Umberto Maddalena, who dropped provisions to General Umberto Nobile and his party yesterday, intends to make an attempt to rescue them from the polar ice with his plane. Major Maddalena will fly to the place where Nobile and his five companions are encamped. He will drop smoke bombs to them and the marooned men will use these to indicate the likeliest place for him to land. Then the Italian flier will try to come down on the ice and take them off.

The dispatch says that anxiety over Roald Amundsen and his five companions who set out by sea-plane to aid in the rescue work and disappeared was growing.

(Copyright by the Associated Press.) KING'S BAY, Spitzbergen, June 21.—(AP)—Cheered by the 250 pounds of provisions dropped yesterday upon his camp off North-east land by Major Maddalena, General Umberto Nobile today sent further radio directions for the rescue of his stranded party.

The general and the five men with him, who have been short of food and in difficult straits ever since May 25, when the dirigible Italia met with disaster on its return from the North Pole, was in wireless communication with the base ship, Gitta di Milano, concerning the present situation.

He gave some instructions about what further procedure is to be followed in rescuing his party, and gave details as to what were the conditions on the ice where he is stranded and the exact position of his camp.

Before giving these directions concerning the rescue plans, however, General Nobile expressed his gratification for Major Maddalena's assistance.

The first words of Nobile's message were: "I kiss and embrace the two fliers and Mercanti."

There was no further news today regarding Roald Amundsen, the famous explorer who took off from Tromsø, Norway, on Monday night and has been missing since. There were all kinds of speculation about him but no definite information whatever has reached here and there was no confirmation of yesterday's rumor that he was down on the pack ice.

SMITH DOESN'T EXPECT TO WIN ON 1ST BALLOT

With 650 Votes in His Pocket, N. Y. Governor Is Reported to Be Willing to Give the Favorite Sons a Good Time Before He Wins.

HOUSTON, Texas, June 21.—(AP)—Houston today started putting on its best dress for the democratic political party just five days away. Early arrivals found flags decking buildings with bunting, the Stars and Stripes and the lone star flag of Texas, while windows and stone front displayed Houston's convention flag, two stars looking wondrously at the passersby and saying: "Me, too."

George R. VanNamee, pro-convention manager for Governor Alfred E. Smith, today opened the Smith headquarters, in the same hotel where Senator James A. Reed established his office several days ago.

Representative Cordell Hill is a guest at the same hotel but has not opened headquarters. The Tennessee congressman strolls about the hotel lobby standing right in the midst of his headquarters.

Senator Reed was the first to advertise on a large scale. A banner on his hotel building announced "Reed Headquarters," and another on the inside advised readers to "Win with Reed."

Soon after the arrival of the New Yorkers badges bearing a likeness of Governor Smith appeared on coat lapels and placards were displayed on cigar store counters with the announcement: "Governor 'Al' Smith, our choice." There were photographs also on display of Houston's favorite son announcing that Jesse H. Jones is "the man of the hour."

Flashing touches were being placed on the big coliseum where the convention will be held and indications were that its capacity of 15,000 would not be enough for the dedication ceremonies Sunday. The "standing room only" sign probably will be displayed Sunday for the first time. Seats for the 148 delegates have been assigned and the men and women who will nominate the democratic candidates for president and vice-president will have nothing to do but find their places when they reach the new hall on Tuesday for the opening session at noon.

To assist the privileged portion of the audience a large corps of ushers has been ordered to rehearsal.

The arrival of VanNamee, first spokesman for Governor Smith, on the ground was followed by suggestions that political activity of Kansas City will not be repeated at Houston. VanNamee predicted the nomination of his candidate on "an early ballot." He declared that the New Yorkers have come to Houston in a spirit of good feeling toward everybody and with no disposition to interfere with any state's right to vote for its favorite son.

VanNamee's remarks were generally construed to mean the Smith forces, with votes of more than 650 on the first ballot, will make no effort to win the nomination on one-roll call.

Wind Blows Kernels of Wheat From East Oregon to Mt. Hood

PORTLAND, Ore., June 21.—(AP)—Sharp gales coming from the east on Oregon bring kernels of wheat from that district to the crest of Mount Hood. Harry Conroy, who led three Portland boys to the summit, reported on his return today. Conroy said he found kernels of wheat in the snow in various places at 2500 feet.