

The Weather

Forecast—Fair tonight and Wednesday; slightly cooler. Highest yesterday 75. Lowest this morning 40.

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Weather Year Ago

Highest year ago today 84. Lowest year ago today 45.

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Today

By Arthur Brisbane

Wasting the Native Born. Those Shrunken Heads. Burning the Shack. Earth's Danger Spot.

Referring to "National Hospital Day," President Hoover writes: "Our citizens will never rest content until the poorest children in our cities, the loneliest mothers on our isolated farms, have the comfort and protection of good hospitals."

Most important is adequate medical care for the lonely mothers, when their children are born.

Skillful obstetrics dates back only a few years, and has been limited, largely, to the prosperous class. Until recent years childbirth was left to the mercy of unscientific midwives.

When trained surgeons began attending women in childbirth deaths seemed to be more frequent.

A midwife was commanded to bring Queen Victoria into the world, after the Princess Charlotte had died in childbirth, under the care of the court physicians.

It was Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, once a teacher at the Harvard medical school, who told the world's doctors, "You have been killing mothers in childbirth with your own hands."

He referred to the fact that doctors came from other patients, or from work in the dissecting room, to handle childbirth cases, hands unwashed and covered with germs.

Antiseptics were unknown.

The doctors, highly indignant, said mothers died because Providence wished them to die. Had not Eve and all her daughters been threatened with childbirth troubles, for listening to the snake?

Now doctors clean their hands, wear rubber gloves and, in good practice, it can no longer be said that "one might as well deliver a woman to the guillotine as to the bed of confinement."

Oliver Wendell Holmes did more for the world in that one warning to doctors than in all his admirable writing, and that fact should be mentioned under his bust in the hall of fame.

If President Hoover can procure medical protection in childbirth for the "loneliest mothers on our isolated farms," of whom tens of thousands every year die in childbirth unnecessarily, he will be a very great President.

Mortality in childbirth is higher in America than in any other civilized country. A good recommendation for this richest nation, which pretends to value the native born so highly.

The Museum of the American Indian exhibits interesting "shrunken heads" of South American Jivaro Indians.

The Jivaro kill their enemies, cause the skulls to shrink, by a secret process, and preserve them as fetishes. The spirit of the slaughtered enemy, imprisoned in his shrunken skull, is compelled to work magic in favor of the enemy that killed him.

Christianity will not let us believe that, as we look at the strange little heads, smaller than your fist, with features and long black hair, preserved as in life. But we wonder what will be done about bringing them back, as

J.C. COLLINS COLLEGIAN IS NAMED IS SHOT BY ON COUNCIL DRY AGENTS

Mayor Pipes Appoint. East Side Man to Succeed Janney—Bert Thierolf On Planning Commission—Thompson and Hall New Members of City's Airport Committee.

At a special meeting of the city council this forenoon, commencing at 9 o'clock, besides revoking the licenses of the three pool and card room proprietors who recently pleaded guilty of selling "biters," as related elsewhere in this paper today, Mayor A. W. Pipes made appointments to a vacant council position, to the council airport committee, and to a vacancy on the city planning commission, which were unanimously approved by the municipal body.

The new councilman of the first ward, to succeed E. H. Janney, is J. C. Collins, who resides on East Main street, is a well known insurance man who some time ago bought out the real estate firm of Brown & White, and who has been a member of the city planning commission for some time past.

Mr. Collins resigned from the planning commission in order to take the councilmanic position, and the mayor appointed Bert Thierolf of the Big Pine Lumber company in his place. The mayor appointed J. C. Thompson and Seeley Hall of the Chamber of Commerce airport committee as the new members of the council airport committee; appointed Councilman R. B. Hammond to that committee, and appointed Councilman Joseph O. Grey as chairman of that committee in place of E. H. Janney, resigned.

This done, at the suggestion of E. M. Wilson, which suggestion met with hearty approval, the council voted to make Mayor Pipes, who was a member ex-officio of the airport committee, a regular member of that committee, which will strengthen it still further, and this reorganized airport committee will hold an informal meeting today to get thoroughly grounded in their duties, and will meet from time to time thereafter to discuss new airport matters as the building program develops. There was no discussion whatever of new airport matters at the council today beyond the making of these appointments.

Shakeup in Committees Due to Mr. Collins replacing Mr. Janney there was a shakeup in the membership of the council committees by Mayor Pipes, partly in order to advance older members of the council in point of length of service to more important committees. These changes were also approved unanimously, with all members of the council present except the new appointees, including P. M. Kershaw, J. O. Grey, R. B. Hammond, J. Buechter, E. M. Wilson, R. E. McElhose and Charles A. Wing.

J. J. Buechter was made chairman of the fire committee in place of E. H. Janney, and Charles A. Wing replaced Mr. Janney on the finance committee. A number of other changes were also made.

As now constituted the council committees are as follows: Finance Committee—E. M. Wilson, chairman; R. B. Hammond, J. Buechter and Chas. A. Wing, members; P. M. Kershaw, J. O. Grey and J. C. Collins.

Fire—J. J. Buechter, chairman; J. O. Grey and J. C. Collins. License—J. C. Collins, chairman; P. M. Kershaw and R. E. McElhose, members; P. M. Kershaw, chairman; R. E. McElhose, Chas. A. Wing and J. C. Collins.

Health—R. E. McElhose, chairman; E. M. Wilson. Streets and Sewers—R. B. Hammond, chairman; J. O. Grey, J. J. Buechter and Chas. A. Wing. Parks and Public Works—P. M. Kershaw, chairman; Chas. A. Wing, J. O. Grey and R. E. McElhose.

Baseball Scores

Table with columns for American and National leagues, listing teams like Philadelphia, Detroit, Boston, Chicago, and their scores.

BLAME JEALOUSY FOR SHOOTING



Jealousy is blamed for shooting of Miss Margaret Malesy (center), by Mrs. Josephine Green Conrad (left), divorcee, who then turned the pistol on herself. Neither shot was fatal. Both are members of wealthy families in Evansville, Ind. Mrs. F. Harold Van Orman (right), wife of former lieutenant governor and herself a candidate for mayor, was at party where shooting took place.

MISS COLLETT BITTERS BARS SCORES SECOND LOSE LICENSE ROUND VICTORY ACCOUNT RAIDS

Defeats Maude Bryant 3 and 2—Wind and Rain Unpleasant Feature—Marion Hollins Also Advances to Third Round.

ST. ANDREWS, Scotland, May 14.—(AP) Glenn Collett, American champion, advanced to the third round of the British women's golf championship today by defeating Miss Maude Bryant, of the Ashford Manor club, near London, 3 and 2.

Her triumph was Miss Collett's second in the championship. She defeated Marjorie White of Southampton, 5 and 3 in a first round encounter yesterday.

The title holder had to contend with a stiff southeast wind from the first tee to the last and a pelting rain, which started just as she rounded the turn made conditions even worse.

Mrs. P. J. Mulqueen, of Toronto, defeated Miss A. M. Hyde, of Sandy Lodge, one up, in another second round match. Miss S. F. Dampney, who eliminated Marion Turple of New Orleans, yesterday, was herself beaten today, 4 and 3, by the Irish player, Dr. Marion Alexander.

Marion Hollins, former American champion, defeated Miss F. Ramsay, a Northumberland player, four and three, and joined her compatriot, Miss Collett, in the third round.

The luck of the draw pits Miss Hollins against Miss Boothby in the third round tomorrow.

Joyce Wethered, British star, thrice-winner of the championship crushed Mrs. D. G. Madill under a score of eight and seven.

Gertrude Boothby, of Rochester, Minn., eliminated Mrs. J. A. D. Bell, six and five.

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ROYALTY COALITION WILL FIGHT FOR PLAN

Independents in Senate Give Notice of Challenge Attempt By House to Decline Farm Bill if Deben-ture Proposal Included—Not Revenue Raising, Is View.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—(AP)—The farm relief bill containing the disputed export debenture plan was passed today by the senate.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—(AP)—Leaders of the Democratic and Republican independent coalition which favors the export debenture plan gave advance notice in the senate today that a serious challenge would meet any attempt by the house to decline an constitutional grounds to revive the farm bill because it included the debenture proposal.

Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the Democratic leader, and Senator Norris of Nebraska, a spokesman for the Republican independent group, asserted that the debenture plan was not revenue raising legislation and that the senate had a right to initiate it.

House leaders have asserted that initiation of the plan violated the constitutional provision which gives the house sole authority to suggest revenue legislation.

Senator Robinson contended the debenture plan was appropriating legislation and not a proposal to raise revenue.

MOTHER FINDS BABY DAUGHTER HOOF-MANGLED

SALEM, Ore., May 14.—(AP)—Trampled to death under the hoofs of four horses, the mangled body of little Gertrude Hynes, 2, was found by her mother, Mrs. Edward Hynes, in the barnyard of their farm home near Hazel Green, five miles northeast of Salem, about 7:30 o'clock Monday evening.

While her husband was plowing in a nearby field Mrs. Hynes had gone out to plant garden, taking the little girl with her. The baby played awhile near her mother and then disappeared.

When her calls were not answered the mother started to search for the child and found her body inside the barnyard fence, through which she had apparently crawled to play with the horses, with her head crushed and one leg broken.

The child was dead when a doctor arrived. Gertrude was the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hynes.

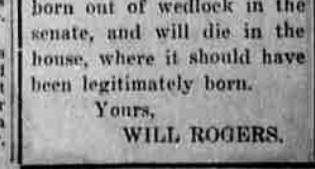
A volcanic eruption in the Craters of the Moon in southern Idaho is forecast.

Will Rogers Says:

PHILADELPHIA, May 14.—Flew down to Washington Sunday and back yesterday afternoon. Had dinner with Mrs. Longworth and sat by Mrs. Gann in the senate gallery and had a fine chat. So got everything fixed up between Alice and Dolly. Alice is to have preferential seating relief on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and Dolly on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Sundays is neutral.

Senate was arguing over the die-benture. The die-benture is a bill that was born out of wedlock in the senate, and will die in the house, where it should have been legitimately born.

Yours, WILL ROGERS.



EDW. P. WESTON FAMED HIKER ON LAST TRECK

Aged Pedestrian Passes After Two-Year Invalidism From Accident—Walked 3895 Miles in 104 Days at Age of 70.

NEW YORK, May 14.—(AP) Edward Payson Weston, famous long distance pedestrian, died yesterday. He was 90 years old.

The man who at the age of 70 walked 3895 miles from New York to San Francisco in 104 days and seven hours, spent his last days in a wheel chair. He had been an invalid since being struck by a taxicab two years ago.

Shortly after the taxicab accident he was found wandering about the streets of New York in a daze.

Anne Nichols, author of "Abie's Irish Rose," established a trust fund for him which yielded an income of \$150 a month. With this money Miss Anna O'Hagan, for 21 years his secretary, cared for the aged pedestrian in his quarters in Brooklyn.

Weston began his career as a walker while serving as a spy in the Union army in the Civil war. Later his remarkable ability to cover ground enabled him to beat rival reporters when he was on the staff of the New York Herald. He was a friend of Horace Greeley and was at the death of the famous editor.

His first long walk was at the age of 22 when he trudged from Boston to Washington to attend the inauguration of President Lincoln, covering the 443 miles in 208 hours.

He began his career as a professional walker in 1867 when he walked from Portland, Me., to Chicago, 1326 miles in 26 days.

ARRIVES BY AIR ENROUTE SOUTH

Lunch Guests at Noon—Baker Extends Bouquet and Greetings.

Queen Ruth, Princess Margaret and Princess Muriel of the Northwest Festival association, accompanied by Edith B. Carhart, Bellingham city librarian, arrived in Medford this forenoon enroute to Hollywood and were first greeted at the airport by C. T. Baker, secretary of the Medford chamber of commerce who presented the queen with her favorite flowers, a large bouquet of red tulips.

The plane, a sister ship of Colonel Lindbergh's famous Spirit of St. Louis, circled over the city of Medford several times before it came to earth in a graceful landing at the airport at 11:45, where a reception committee was awaiting the arrival of the queen and her attendants.

The committee included a delegation of members of the Business and Professional Women's club, also presenting her with a bouquet of flowers.

In real life Queen Ruth is Ruth Rivers of Bellingham, Princess Margaret is Margaret Layne of Sedro-Wooley and Princess Muriel is Muriel Trickey of Bellingham.

The royal party breathed deep the southern Oregon air after they had alighted from the ship, and passed complimentary remarks to each other how balmy the weather was in comparison to the colder weather they had just left in the north.

Still enthused over the tulip festival in Bellingham last week, Queen Ruth, who had held sway, Queen Ruth before leaving the airport found time to tell of the celebration.

She said the festival is an annual event in Bellingham, coming in early May when the fields of tulips and other bulb flowers, offer a beautiful sight in full bloom.

"Bellingham is unique," said Queen Ruth, "in being not only the city of tulips and beautiful, dreamy sunsets, but for the place it occupies in being the first city of the United States to finance a half-million dollar summer resort way deep in the Mount Baker National forest. I am sure you would like it there. But I must say your country here is beautiful and perhaps more so than any other, when you see it from an airplane."

With cars awaiting the visitors to bring them to the Hotel Medford, where they were guests at the Rotary club luncheon at noon, the queen was unable to say more, but gave every indication she was enjoying her brief stop in Medford.

The queen rode with C. E. Gates, who the attendants were guests of Ted Baker.

Mrs. Carhart, in charge of the party, told of welcomes that had been received while en route south, related that in Portland the queen and her attendants were presented from the stage of the Portland theatre last evening. In arriving at the state metropolis the royal party was met by Mayor George W. Baker, and Mrs. Vada M. Strohm, candidate for queen of the Portland Rose festival. In Seattle, the visitors were presented with a golden key to the city yesterday afternoon, following departure from Bellingham at 1 o'clock.

The airplane trip to Hollywood is being done in the spirit of good will and to let the world know what Bellingham is doing, explained Mrs. Carhart. The party will return to Washington the latter part of this week, following a short stay in the movie city of Hollywood. Mrs. Carhart also explained the airplane was named by the Business and Professional Women's club of Bellingham shortly before it left and that delegation of the city meet the ship wherever it makes an official stop.

OWEN BROTHERS LEAVING TONIGHT

SCHADE IS ALTERNATE FOR K. C. CONVENTION

PORTLAND, May 14.—(AP)—Pat Lonergan, of Portland, was elected state deputy of the Knights of Columbus at the 21st annual state convention.

Other officers of the Oregon state council are: John F. Doolley, Albany, re-elected secretary; Alois Keber, Mount Angel, treasurer; Steven Merten, St. Paul, state warden; George P. Krentzer, McMinnville, state advocate.

Delegates to the supreme council to meet in Milwaukee, Wis., will be Lonergan and Joseph J. Hufky, Portland, with Larry Schade, Medford, and D. E. Manning, Portland, as alternates.

MAIL ORDER BRIDE MUST FACE TRIAL

COLUMBIA, Tuolumne County, Cal., May 14.—(AP)—Eva Brandon Hahlen, the Tuolumne "mail order bride," was found over for trial on a charge of slaying her western husband at a typical western murder hearing in this faded boom town of the Sierras today.

RALPH STEWART'S SON DROWNED NEAR KELSO

PORTLAND Ore., May 14.—(AP)—Kineston Carlyle Stewart, 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stewart of Kelso, Wash., formerly of Medford, Ore., was drowned Monday when he fell into the Cawcoeman river near the family residence. Although he had been missing but a short time when found by Mrs. L. H. Sanderson, all efforts to resuscitate him failed.

The boy was a grandson of Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Duback of Portland.

BURDICK PROPERTY UNDER ATTACHMENT

PORTLAND, May 14.—(AP)—Armed with a writ, deputy sheriffs today were levying attachments on all Portland property of Denton G. Burdick, Oregon legislator. Burdick was made defendant yesterday in a suit for \$48,500, charging fraud, instituted by Sarah E. Smith.

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