

Forecast—Fair tonight and Sunday. Continued cool tonight. Rising temperature Sunday.

Highest yesterday 66
Lowest this morning 39

LICENSE OF FRUIT MEN IS PLANNED

Senator Borah Will Press Measure to License and Regulate All Commission Dealers in Fruit and Vegetables—Has Support Producing Organizations.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—(AP)—An effort to add an additional feature to the farm relief program under consideration in the special congressional session is about to be seriously undertaken by Senator Borah of Idaho, who is pressing for immediate enactment of a measure to license and regulate all commission dealers in fruits and vegetables. A bill incorporating his ideas on the subject, which has laid dormant more than a year, has been picked up and reported out of committee for passage, and, in view of the senator's own influential position and the unanimous support accorded for its principles by farm organizations, it is likely to receive more than ordinary consideration.

"I have given notice that the measure is ready for attention," Senator Borah said of the proposal, "and that I will insist upon its early treatment in view of the purpose for which the special session was convened. We have had considerable objection to its original form from produce merchants, but in several conferences have sought to iron out some of the differences until I believe now there is every likelihood of its acceptance. Of course, every fruit and vegetable producer's organization favors its enactment."

WASHINGTON, May 25.—(AP)—The house confers on the farm relief bill left the committee with a declaration that when the senate was ready to yield on the export debenture plan they would begin arbitration on other phases of the differences.

The conference, after almost a week of negotiations with little progress toward a reconciliation of the differences, apparently had reached a deadlock which brought what amounted to an ultimatum from the house group.

House conferees express a willingness to reopen the conference when the senate group was ready to have the export debenture plan removed from the bill.

FOIT WORTH, Tex., May 25.—(AP)—Resolved to remain aloft 200 hours or more, H. L. Robbins and Jim Kelly, who already have kept their plane aloft for 14 hours, dived on towards the Question Marks record of 150 hours, 40 minutes, today. Notes dropped by Robbins today said he would try to fly until Wednesday.

The motor of the plane still was functioning perfectly and attendants at the field immediately made preparations to service the plane through another 50 hours. Robbins' message, dropped just before noon, said that he could tell by the action of the motor that it was good for 200 hours at least, and possibly 300.

METROPOLITAN AIRPORT, Los Angeles, May 25.—(AP)—Herbert H. Fahy hopped off at 5:15 Pacific coast time this morning in an attempt to shatter the existing records for solo endurance flying.

WICHITA, Kans., May 25.—(AP)—Owen L. Houghland and Gene Shank, commercial pilots, took off here at 8:54:30 o'clock this morning in an attempt to surpass the refueling endurance flight record set by the army monoplane Question Mark.

One Arm, One Leg No Handicap for High School Boy

LUMBERTON, N. C., May 25.—(AP)—Dick Normont today occupied a niche in baseball's hall of fame. The 19-year-old one-armed and one-legged Lumberton high school pitcher who some weeks ago shut out Clarkton high, allowing only two hits, yesterday pitched a no-hit, no-run game, blanking Rowland high school, 6 to 0.

The boy's arm and leg were amputated 1 1/2 years ago as the result of a train wreck.

GEORGE WINNE IS CHOSEN FOR EDISON CONTEST

George Winne, 17, a junior of the Medford high school, was named today to represent the southern Oregon district, composed of Jackson, Josephine and Curry counties, in the Thomas A. Edison scholarship contest.

The other entrants were George Heryford of the Ashland high school and Howard Bennight of the Grants High School.

The committee making the selection were: Mrs. Susanne Homes Carter, county school superintendent, Jack Bliss, coach of the Ashland high school; H. P. Jewett, principal of the Central Point high school; H. L. Buhlman, principal of the Grants High school; and E. H. Conkle, principal of the Medford high school.

Winne's name and recommendation and statement of qualifications will be submitted to State Superintendent of Schools Howard at Salem, who will name a committee, to select a state representative from the 11 districts of the state.

The winner will be awarded a trip to Orange, New Jersey, as the guest of Thomas A. Edison and will spend several days at the laboratories of the inventive genius.

High school youths of a scientific turn of mind, are eligible to enter the contest.

Winne, named to represent this district, resides at 28 Geneva street with his mother. His father was a graduate of Boston Tech.

According to Principal Conkle, he has a high record for scholarship in all branches, though his favorite studies are chemistry and the sciences.

Winne, in vice-president of the Torch, an honor society, a member of the debating team, the Airplane club and the History, Economics and Latin club of the high school. He also has won honors for original short stories and poems. He is a major in science at the high school.

EVANGELINE BOOTH HURT IN CAR CRASH

NEW YORK, May 25.—(AP)—Evangeline Booth, commander in chief of the Salvation Army in America, was seriously injured in an automobile accident yesterday. It was announced at her headquarters today.

"Use Your Head" Is Advice Given Navy Commander

WASHINGTON, May 25.—(AP)—The Navy Bulletin of Engineering Information said today one of the navy's ships during recent maneuvers encountered heavy weather with the result that her fuel ran low.

Uncertain of making port, the warcraft sent the following message to the flagship: "Am running low on fuel; would you advise burning ward room furniture?"

PARITY FOR WOMEN AM OF CHURCH

Presbyterians to Receive Proposals to Change Constitution — Would Give Women Eligibility As Ministers, Elders and Evangelists—Majority Vote Is Necessary.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 25.—(AP)—Women would be placed on a parity with men in respect to holding church offices as ministers and elders under proposals to be submitted to the Presbyteries making up the Presbyterian church in the United States of America. It was decided at the 114th general assembly of the body today.

Without debate the assembly decided to submit three overtures for action by the presbyteries, which would change the constitution of the church. The first would give women eligibility as elders, and the third would entitle them to licenses of the church as evangelists. Approval by a majority of the presbyteries is necessary.

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FT. BRAGG SEARCH NARROWS TO ONE MAN AS SUSPECT

FORT BRAGG, Cal., May 25.—(AP)—Sheriff R. R. Byrnes today announced the search for the slayer of Teresa Johnson, 8-year-old school girl, had narrowed down to one man.

While the officials refused to reveal his name, they indicated he had already been questioned with regard to the crime, which came to light yesterday with the discovery of the child's body in a clearing near her home.

The man, Deputy Sheriff Oscar Weger announced, had accounted for all of his movements on Thursday with the exception of three hours, during which time the officers believe the child was murdered.

In these three hours, Weger said, the man claimed he was "lost in the woods."

The man under surveillance, the deputy announced, was classed as "feeble minded" by his neighbors.

FRENCH NET PAIR DEFEAT YANKEES FOR SEMI-FINALS

PARIS, May 25.—(AP)—Bill Tilden and Frank Hunter lost their first 1929 tennis match as they defeated Jean Borotra and Rene La Coste in the semi-finals of the French doubles championships. The scores were 6-3, 5-2, 3-6, 6-3.

The 5-2 smashing victory over America's first and second ranking stars assured an all-French final for the title as Henry Cochet and Jacques Brugnon eliminated the English team of J. C. Gregory and I. G. Collins earlier in the day in straight sets, 6-3, 6-4, 6-3.

The first battle to be decided in the French tennis championships was won today by the crack women's doubles team Ella de Alvaroz of Spain and Kea Bouman of Holland from the Misses Bobbie Heine and Ethel Neave of South Africa, 7-5, 6-2.

SURBITON, England, May 25.—(AP)—Miss Betty Nuthall, English tennis star who celebrated her eighteenth birthday this week, won the Surrey singles championship today, winning the final by scores of 7-5, 6-1 from Miss Elizabeth Ryan, American veteran now living in England.

JUDGE TOO HASTY IN CASE OF BOY SLAYER

PAINTSVILLE, Ky., May 25.—(AP)—County Judge John W. Butcher exceeded his authority in sentencing Carl Newton Mahan, 6 1/2 years old, to the reformatory until he is 21 on a charge of murdering his playmate Cecil Van House, Circuit Judge J. F. Dailey ruled today on a writ of prohibition filed by the defense.

COMMERCIAL PILOTS SEEK RECORD



James Kelley, (left) pilot, and R. J. Robbins, co-pilot, of the single motored monoplane which went aloft at Fort Worth, Tex., to break the refueling in flight endurance record of the army plane "Question Mark."



Associated Press Photo

MOUNTAIN GIRL SLAYS GROCER WITH A SPOKE

Amorous Advance Resented By Tennessean — Wife and Child Witnessed Incident — Merchant Drunk Is Belief of Doctor.

GEORGETOWN, Tenn., May 25.—(AP)—Improper advances to a 25-year-old mountain woman, who went to pay for five cents' worth of candy, yesterday, caused the death of Lee Atchley, a grocer here. He was clubbed into insensibility late Thursday night by the woman.

Witnesses said the merchant's wife and seven-year-old daughter were in the store when the woman entered to pay for the candy which she had purchased earlier in the day. Atchley grasped her wrist, witnesses said. She struggled free and fled.

Within a few minutes she returned, and meeting Atchley at the entrance of his store, attacked him with a heavy spoke from a wagon wheel. The merchant collapsed from his injuries and was given first aid by Dr. J. T. Smith, who said the man apparently had been drinking. He died, early yesterday. While county authorities prepared for an inquest, Atchley's wife said she would fight such a step.

No warrant had been sworn out against Miss Cofer today and the sheriff's office in Decatur, county seat of this (Meigs) county, said no action was contemplated until the inquest had been completed.

TWO UNIVERSITY GRADS TO TEACH IN MEDFORD

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, EUGENE, May 25.—(Special)—Two members of this year's graduating class of the University of Oregon have been appointed as instructors in the Medford high school for the coming year. These are Merrill Hagan and W. L. Van Loan.

Hagan, who played guard on the Webfoot football team during the last season, will succeed Principal as football coach at the southern school. Callison, who has made a phenomenal record for himself during the past five years, will coach freshman football at the University.

PETITION HALT EXERCISE REFERENDUM WORKERS

SALEM, Ore., May 25.—(AP)—L. B. Smith of Portland, attorney for the Greater Oregon association, has filed an appeal both in the circuit and supreme courts from the ballot title prepared by the excise tax referendum. There is some question whether the supreme court has original jurisdiction in the case. In the circuit court Judge McManis was petitioned to stop the circulation of the referendum petitions until the case can be heard on its merits.

Blast in Frisco. SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—(AP)—A three-story frame apartment house in the North Beach district here was damaged today by an explosion thought to have been caused by a bomb. None of the eight occupants of the building was hurt, but the blast was heard for several blocks around and caused considerable excitement.

GENE'S FRIEND RECALLS CASE MRS. FOGARTY

Woman Scorned By Tunney Nearly Wrecked Fight With Dempsey — Had Letters and Photos Involving Pugilist in 1927.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., May 25.—(AP)—Negotiations between Gene Tunney and Mrs. Katherine Fogarty which threatened the champion's second fight with Jack Dempsey, have been brought to light by the mayor of Hot Springs.

Mayor Leo P. McLaughlin, a friend of the retired heavyweight champion, recalled some of the background of Tunney's connections with Mrs. Fogarty when the divorce and former wife of a Fort Worth, Texas, plumbing contractor, sued Tunney for \$500,000 damages for alleged breach of promise. The mayor was city attorney of Hot Springs and a practicing lawyer when Tunney trained here several years ago, and he said Tunney retained him as his representative at a conference with Mrs. Fogarty and Billy Gibson, the champion's manager in April 1927.

An unsuccessful attempt was made at the conference to placate the woman and arrange a settlement with her, McLaughlin said.

Mrs. Fogarty was adamant, the mayor declared, and said she would not accept less than \$100,000. She said she still loved Tunney and was willing to marry him, and she told us at that time that she had turned over letters and photographs which she said she had, involving Tunney, to her attorneys in the east," McLaughlin related.

Baseball Scores

American. First game: R. H. E. Detroit 5 9 1 Chicago 2 5 0 Batteries: Sorrell and Phillips; Thomas and Berg.

Second game: R. H. E. Detroit 4 8 1 Chicago 3 7 1 Batteries: Smith and Shea; Adkins, Dugan and Crouse, Berg.

First game: R. H. E. New York 8 12 1 Boston 3 15 2 Batteries: Heimach, Thomas, Moore and Dickey, Grabowski, Russell, Bayne and Berry.

Second game: R. H. E. New York 3 10 6 Boston 4 15 4 Batteries: Zachary and Grabowski; Ruffing and Asby, Berry, A. Gaston.

Washington 4 11 1 Philadelphia 5 13 1 Batteries: Marberry, Hopkins, Brown and Huel; Grove, Shores and Cochran.

St. Louis 1 8 1 Cleveland 5 13 0 Batteries: Crowder, Ogden and Schanz; Holloway and L. Sewell.

National. Philadelphia 3 9 1 Brooklyn 5 10 5 Batteries: Collins, McGraw, H. Elliott and Davis; Dudley and Pincich.

INFATUATION OF PRINCE BLAMED FOR RASH ACT

Youthful Son of Anna Gould Shoots Self When Parents Refuse Permission to Wed—Doctors Say Condition Desperate.

PARIS, May 25.—(AP)—Youthful Prince de Sagan, son of the former Anna Gould, was near death today at a private hospital today after shooting himself eight days ago when his parents refused him permission to wed until he was 21 years old.

The bullet penetrated between the lung and liver. Surgeons operated almost immediately, but pleurisy set in and his condition was described today as desperate.

His mother, the Duchess de Talleyrand and daughter of the late Jay Gould, American railroad financier, herself announced her son's grave illness and explained his action.

She said he, while at school in southern France, had met a French girl and fallen in love with her. Returning home he asked permission of his father, the Duke de Talleyrand, and herself to marry immediately, and he would not be 20 years old until July 15.

She tried to persuade him to wait until he was 21, telling him they had not the slightest objection to the young woman, but thought him too young to marry. He threatened to kill himself unless the permission was given, but his mother did not take him seriously.

Shortly after she left the room she heard a pistol shot and rushed back to find her son had attempted to make good his threat.

BIG BILL TO QUIT TENNIS TOURNAMENTS

NEW YORK, May 25.—(AP)—Big Bill Tilden will bid fond adieu to international tennis competition after the current season is over, after 10 years of serious tennis, filled with dramatic victories and equally dramatic defeats. Big Bill finally has decided he has had enough. The lanky Philadelphia, six times holder of the national title, bulwark for years of American Davis cup teams, a dominant figure season after season on foreign courts, announces his approaching retirement from international play. In an article written by himself, in the June issue of the magazine "Liberty,"

STROKE FATAL TO JOSEPH N. TEAL

PORTLAND, May 25.—(AP)—Joseph Nathan Teal, 71, for many years one of the Pacific coast's most prominent attorneys, died here after a long illness. Monday he was stricken by paralysis and for weeks had hovered between life and death.

Mr. Teal was the son of pioneer parents and was born in Eugene in 1858. His father, Joseph Teal, was interested in transportation in the state from the old ox team days down to the fast trains and river steamboat. The mother was a well-known pioneer, Mary Elizabeth Coleman Teal.

HOLD LAST RITES FOR LESTER W. HUMPHRIES

PORTLAND, May 25.—(AP)—Funeral services for Lester W. Humphries, drowned May 14 in the Deschutes river while on a fishing expedition, were to be held here this afternoon, with the Portland Post, American Legion, conducting the services. Humphries, prominent attorney and sportsman, was at one time United States attorney here. His body was found yesterday by searchers who had patrolled the stream since his disappearance.

The Noted Dead

NEW YORK, May 25.—(AP)—Garrett Putnam Serviss, 78, widely read author of scientific articles, died in an Englewood, N. J., hospital last night. He was an editorial writer on the New York Sun in 1892 and later lectured and wrote articles and books on astronomy, travel and history.

Stupid Minded Prof. es Fishing While ss Awaits Exam.

NEW YORK, May 25.—(AP)—A professor at Columbia university absent-mindedly went fishing yesterday while 100 students awaited an examination for bachelor degrees.

When Professor Parker Thomas Moon failed to appear to give the assembled students their examination in "international relations," an investigation was started which located him at his summer home in Woodmont, Conn. The lure of fishing baits had banished all thoughts of international relations and college examinations.

DRIVE AGAINST RUSTLERS WILL BE PROSECUTED

Complaints Received Livestock Thefts — Animals Slaughtered in Hills—All Meat Must Be Stamped Under New Law.

For sometime past, according to District Attorney George Coddington, a large number of complaints have been received by county and state officials of thefts of livestock. In many of these cases the animals were slaughtered in the hills and the carcasses loaded into trucks, taken to the markets and sold. It is believed that this traffic has reached large proportions, some of the most from Jackson county being taken to Grants Pass, Klamath Falls and even as far as northern California for sale.

In order to prevent the theft of livestock and poultry, the 1929 Oregon legislature enacted a law known as chapter 462, General Laws of Oregon for 1929. This law defines a meat dealer as any person, firm, corporation, or association operating as a meat retailer, meat wholesaler, butcher, slaughterer, meat packer, meat buyer, meat commission merchant or meat peddler, and requires all such persons to obtain from the state veterinarian at Salem, Ore., a license to conduct any such business; also provides that all meat sold or transferred must be tagged or stamped in a certain manner, and provides a penalty of from \$25 to \$1,000 fine and imprisonment up to one year for violation of the law, and a violation of section 9 of this act is punishable by a fine of not less than \$200 or more than \$1,000, or by imprisonment in the penitentiary for not less than one nor more than ten years, or both such fine and imprisonment.

In order to prevent the thefts, the law referred to was passed by the legislature, and it is therein made the duty of all deputy state veterinarians, peace officers, traffic officers, forest reserve officers and brand inspectors to investigate the movement of livestock or carcasses on roads and highways, trails and ranges, and ascertain whether such livestock or carcasses are being moved in accordance with the provisions of this act, and by the legal owner or with his permission.

Officials state that an intensive drive will be made to eliminate this menace to the livestock industry in Jackson county.

WILL RE-EXAMINE WIFE OF TUNNEY

BRIEN, Italy, May 25.—(AP)—Mrs. Gene Tunney will be re-examined tomorrow by Prof. Meyer, Berlin specialist, who performed the first operation upon her April 30 for an old undischarged abscess of the appendix. Dr. Meyer, it was said today, will arrive tomorrow with an assistant from Berlin. Two specialists who examined Mrs. Tunney last night reassured the former heavyweight boxing champion of the world his wife's condition was much better.

DERN AND EDWARDS WIN ON TWIN BILL

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, May 25.—(AP)—Ira Dorn, Salt Lake, won a straight falls victory over Tom Thompson, Los Angeles, and Billy Edwards, Kansas City, defeated Leo Papiano, Los Angeles two out of three falls in a double headline wrestling bout here last night.

HORTON SMITH CARDS 140 TO LEAD FIELD

BEHLIN, May 25.—(AP)—Horton Smith kept up the sensational golf which brought him the French professional title by scoring a brilliant 140 today as the German open tournament began. Smith carded a 71 in the morning and a 69 in the afternoon to lead the early finishers.

SIR ESME WILLING TO QUIT BOWL

British Ambassador Would Relinquish Liquor Privilege—Question Brought Out By Virginia Lumberman's Demand On President for Acceptance of Envoy's Proposal.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—(AP)—Sir Esme Howard, the British ambassador, is personally willing to relinquish the time-honored privilege of importing liquor into the United States enjoyed by foreign diplomats.

"If the United States intimates a desire to cancel the privilege," he said at New York last night, "he will be glad to cooperate with other members of the diplomatic corps in complying."

It was made clear in a statement issued by the British embassy here that the ambassador, who is dean of the diplomatic corps, was expressing his personal opinion and was not speaking on behalf of the corps.

The ambassador's statement was drawn from him after he had been shown an article prepared for publication in a number of newspapers this morning dealing with the correspondence between Sir Esme and James T. Carter, Lynchburg, Va., lawyer.

The article shown to Sir Esme, the embassy statement said, was incorrect. The embassy declined to make public the correspondence without the consent of Mr. Carter, who initiated it.

A copyrighted article from Lynchburg published by the Washington Post this morning, which was not shown to Sir Esme, says that Mr. Carter, whom it describes as a prohibitionist, sent the ambassador's letter and a copy of his own original message to President Hoover with a demand that "necessary steps be taken immediately to accept the proposal of the British ambassador."

DAUGHTER AIDS TEXAS LAWYER REGAIN LIBERTY

Released On \$20,000 Bond After Slaying Unwanted Son-in-Law — Daughter and Father Embrace — Court Told of Love Affair

AMARILLO, Texas, May 25.—(AP)—Three weeks after he had shot and killed his son-in-law, Thomas Walton, Jr., 31, R. H. Hamilton was released on \$20,000 bond today. The testimony of his daughter, Theresa, 19, the widow in a habeas corpus hearing, was instrumental in obtaining Hamilton's release.

Strengthened by the embrace of his daughter, Theresa Hamilton Walton, 17, who he had not seen since early in the year, the aged lawyer began a fight for his release yesterday. Theresa told on the stand yesterday of her love for Walton and of her secret marriage, despite parental opposition.

"I met him in an Austin drug store a little before last Thanksgiving," she said.

She denied she had any correspondence with her father regarding Walton, but said she talked with her father about him early in the year. She said she did not see her father again until they embraced in the court room here yesterday on her arrival from Fort Worth.

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