

Forecast—Fair tonight and Wednesday. Not much change in temperature.

Highest yesterday 83
Lowest this morning 49

Today

By Arthur Brisbane

Russia Hates Asia. Hint for Inventors. Chinese Grave Robbery. Wages and Prosperity.

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All classes of Russians, factory workers and peasants, are eager to join the army and fight Asia.

Russia would be less belligerent if war threatened from Europe.

Russians are born, fearing and hating Asiatics that, through more than twenty centuries, have robbed, burned and murdered in Russia, on the way west.

Genghis Khan, Kublai Khan, Tamerlane, Attila and scores less well known, have ridden through the Russian farms, sometimes building pyramids of human skulls, as monuments to their power.

These murderous Nomads have been Tartars, riders from the wild Mongolian desert, never peaceful Chinese.

But to Russia's population, Asiatics are Asiatics. Any man with slanting eyes is hated.

The German ship Bremen made the run from Cherbourg in 4 days, 18 hours and 17 minutes.

That sets a new record, and ship builders will learn from German engineers how to build a ship and what lines avoid water resistance.

Much greater speed should be possible. The water's surface is a ball bearing plane, round drops rolling over each other, frictionless. Small boats, abnormal in power, have gone 90 miles an hour. The 1000-foot ship should, and will, beat that. There is needed a new idea as radical and, perhaps, as simple, as putting the needle's eye at the point. That made the sewing machine possible. Think it over.

Ship building experience is not necessary. The inventor of the sewing machine could not sew.

Mr. Morgan, secretary of the China Baptist Publication Society, says the tombs of Chinese royalty have recently been robbed of vast treasures in gold and precious stones.

From one tomb, that of the dowager empress, Tsu-Hsi, dead in 1908, robbers have taken jewels valued at more than \$200,000,000. The tomb itself cost \$4,000,000.

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ST. LOUIS PLANE SETS NEW MARK

ROBIN WILL STAY IN AIR SAYS PILOT

New Record Established at 3 o'clock — In Air 247 Hours, 43 Minutes and 32 Seconds — Mechanical Condition Will Be Only Reason for End — Crowds Cheer Fliers.

LAMBERT-ST. LOUIS, St. Louis July 23.—(AP) A new world's record for sustained flight was established by Dale (Red) Jackson and Forest O'Brine in their "St. Louis Robin" at 3:00:32 p. m. (C. S. T.) today.

At that hour they had been up 247 hours 43 minutes and 32 seconds, one hour longer than Roland Reinhart and Laren Mendell flew their "Angelino" at Culver City, Calif. Jackson and O'Brine announced they would continue in the air to set a new mark as high as the mechanical condition of their plane will permit.

The "St. Louis Robin," a monoplane of the Curtiss-Robertson Airplane Manufacturing company, sponsored of the flight, is powered by a New Challenge motor. The original purpose of the flight, which started at 7:17 a. m. July 12, was to give the motor an endurance test.

Factory whistles shrieked noisy congratulations to the fliers as they smashed the endurance record. At Lambert-St. Louis field a crowd of several thousand persons cheered wildly. The endurance plane continued to circle above the field, it being the intention of the fliers not to again go out of sight of the airport before they land.

The fliers announced in a note today that "we are now ready to start an endurance flight," indicating their spirits were high.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 23.—(AP)—The monoplane "Minnesota" with Oweary Sandland of Longfellow, Minn., as chief pilot, was off today on another refueling endurance record-seeking flight.

Accompanied by Captain T. L. Crichton of Minneapolis, Haughton Chamberlain airport at 6:40 o'clock last night in an effort to better the world's record of 246 hours, 43 minutes, 32 seconds.

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GREAT POWERS TALK NAVAL DISARMAMENT



Developments of the past few weeks have been interpreted as presaging another conference for curtailment of armaments. Taking the initiative is President Hoover, whose spokesmen are Ambassador Charles G. Dawes (left) and Ambassador Hugh Gibson (upper center). On right is Premier Ramsay MacDonald of Great Britain, and lower center is Baron Tanaka, premier of Japan, who has promised full cooperation of his country.

CENTRAL AVE. PAVING PLEA IS PRESENTED

Planning Commission Given Petition Property Owners From Fifth Street, South — North Extension Plea Is to Be Made.

At a meeting of the City Planning commission held last night, a petition signed by property owners on Central avenue, from Fifth street south, was presented asking that South Central avenue be paved south to Riverside avenue, connecting with the Pacific Highway.

The two extensions would give Central avenue connections from both directions, and make it a through street for auto travel, now centered on Riverside avenue.

When the Medford-Sams Valley Highway (Midway Highway) was decided upon last spring, it was proposed that North Central avenue be extended, providing a direct road from Sams valley, and the north central end of the valley, with the heart of the business district.

The propositions have been under consideration for several years by Central avenue property owners.

CHINA SEES MANCHURIA PEACE HOPE

Belief Growing in Shanghai That Crisis May Be Averted—No Ill Will Toward Russia, Says President Chiang—Soviet Soldiers Capture Chinese River Steamer.

SHANGHAI, July 23.—(AP)—Belief grew here today the crisis in Manchuria would be settled amicably and by negotiation. The Tachung News Agency, considered semi-official, said in a Nanking dispatch, "The belief among officials here that the Sino-Russian controversy will be settled in a friendly manner is apparent."

During a meeting of the council of state this morning, President Chiang Kai Shek said he was confident that the national government entertains no ill will toward Russia and plans no war. It is reasonably certain that the Soviet will not take upon itself responsibility for starting another international conflagration.

PEIPING, July 23.—(AP) Soviet troops patrolling the Amur river, which skirts northern Manchuria, have captured the Chinese river steamer Han, taking prisoner the wife and baby daughter of Ray Talbot, American.

FORD FAVORS NO TARIFF ON AUTOS

WASHINGTON, July 23.—(AP)—Henry Ford favors placing automobiles and trucks on the free list respecting tariff, the senate finance committee was informed today by his representative.

Replying to a request of Senator Reed, Republican of Pennsylvania, R. O. Roberge of the Ford Motor company reported in a letter today the views of Henry Ford.

He previously had stated that Edsel Ford had favored free trade so far as automobiles were concerned. The present tariff applies a rate of 25 per cent on foreign automobiles.

Wales Mixes Batch Strong Home Brew for Friends Only

BURTON-ON-TRENT, Eng., July 23.—(AP)—The Prince of Wales turned brewer today at this famous home of Eng. fish brews and ales, starting to brew a new extra strong ale which will be known as the "Prince's brew," and will be made only to be given away.

The prince thus followed the example of his grandfather, Edward VII, who made a special brew when he visited Burton in 1902. His highness sampled some of this royal and ancient brew this afternoon.

He also tasted four other brews of varying ages and strengths before starting a brew of his own.

WORKER KILLED WHEN HUGE ICE MACHINE FALLS

Hoisting Tackle Breaks at Medford Ice and Storage Plant—William Brown Is Fatally Crushed—Was Motorcycle Expert.

William Brown, 28, of Tacoma, Wash., was accidentally killed this morning when a block and tackle used in lifting a heavy cooler at the pre-cooling plant of the Medford Ice and Storage company, broke and he was crushed beneath its weight.

Brown is well known on the Pacific coast as a motorcyclist, and holds the world's record for a motorcycle jump. For years he was a motorcycle racer, and was known for his skill and daring. A few years ago he leaped his motorcycle across a 50-foot canyon near Tacoma, friends said.

The coroner pronounced death as accidental, and no inquest will be held.

Brown, with Vanderplou and Richardson, was engaged in hoisting the "cooler." The rope snapped and, with a warning cry, all three rushed to safety. Vanderplou and Richardson saw the danger first, and leaped just in time. The mass of pipes struck Brown, crushing his chest.

Follow workers rushed to his aid, as he murmured, "Oh, help me!" and "Get this off me!" He was rushed to the Sacred Heart hospital by Jesse Houck in his automobile. He died en route.

POSTPONE PORT DEDICATION TO SPRING OF 1930

At a meeting of the airport committee today it was definitely decided to postpone the celebration dedicating the new airport until June 5 and 7 of next year. This was done owing to the fear of rains in October.

As soon as the port is ready it will be used and the thousands of letters being sent here by people from all over the United States to go out on the first air mail flight from the new port will be sent.

CO-OP WILL SEEK SHARE AID FUNDS

Application to Be Filed for Financial Benefits Farm Bill—Parker Working Out Details—New Milling Machinery Needed — Other Improvements Planned.

The Farm Exchange Co-operative will file application at an early date for financial benefits of the Farm Aid bill, Clay D. Parker, manager said yesterday. The bill provides for a revolving fund of \$500,000,000, to be made available by congressional appropriations as soon as possible, from which the farm board will make loans, upon approved applications.

Manager Parker said the details of the loan application were now being worked out, and that the amount would be determined later. They are entitled to 80 per cent of the value of the "facilities to be bought or built."

He further said that a portion of the loan would be used in the rehabilitation of the present milling facilities of the Co-operative. The present equipment, he said, "has served its usefulness," and new machinery is needed.

By replacing old machinery with new, Manager Parker said the cost of milling stock feed, fertilizer, etc., would be "reduced 25 per cent, locally."

Other needed improvements to the quarters of the Co-operative would also be made, the manager said.

It is also the intention of the co-operative, to use a portion of the funds for a campaign of education to increase the membership of the organization, Manager Parker declared.

The local co-operative has been in existence for 19 years, and is entitled to all the benefits of the farm bill as passed by the last session.

The provisions of the bill applicable locally are:

Sec. 7. (a) Upon application by any co-operative association the board is authorized to make loans to it from the revolving fund to assist in:

- (1) The effective merchandising of agricultural commodities and food products thereof;
(2) The construction or lease of physical marketing facilities for preparing, handling, storing, processing, or merchandising agricultural commodities or their food products;
(3) The formation of clearing house associations;
(4) Extending membership of the co-operative association applying for the loan by educating the producers of the commodity handled by the association applying for the loan by educating the producers of the commodity handled by the association in the advantages of co-operative marketing of that commodity; and
(5) Enabling the co-operative association applying for the loan to advance to its members a greater share of the market price of the commodity delivered to the association than is practicable under other credit facilities.

Only Sa...phant in Captivity Falls Victim Pneumonia

ST. LOUIS, July 23.—(AP)—Mobi, the \$6000 sea elephant, believed to be the only male of its kind in captivity of this country, is dead of pneumonia at the Forest Park zoo. The body was found in the pool yesterday. Dr. R. J. Terry, professor of anatomy and Dr. G. H. Scott, associated professor of cytology at Washington university school of medicine, expressed the opinion Mobi contracted the germ from human expectation in his pool. It required two hours to move the 3000-pound bulk of Mobi from the pool to the operating room for an examination.

WILL SEEK SAVINGS IN ARMY COST

Hoover to Establish Commission for Inquiry Reduce Military Budget—Adequate Preparedness to Be Maintained—Expense Is Now Greatest of Any Nation.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—(AP)—President Hoover intends to establish a commission of army officers within the general staff to see what can be done toward reducing military expenditures.

The commission, the president said today, would be charged with making an extensive inquiry to determine what has been made obsolete by scientific advancements and could be done away with, and what army programs can be spread over longer periods than originally intended and at the same time maintain complete and adequate preparedness.

The president said the purely military expenses of the United States constitute a military budget greater than that of any other nation and at a time when he considers there is less danger of war than at any period within the last 50 years.

The possibility of tax reduction, he added, was dependent to a large extent upon an ability to curtail military and naval expenditures. He regards the national situation as modified by the Kellogg treaty and said he was hopeful that expenditures might be saved through a naval disarmament agreement.

The president said that as now estimated purely military expenditures will constitute one half of the increased government outlay estimated for 1933.

It is now estimated, he said, that the military outlay for 1933 will be \$502,000,000 which is \$129,000,000 more than the similar expenditure for the fiscal year just closed and compares with an average pre-war expenditure for the military activities of the army and navy of \$265,000,000 annually.

ADOPT BUDGET OF \$17,000 FOR MEDFORD CHEST

Budget Committee Fixes Sum for Local Charitable Organizations During Ending Year — Red Cross and Boy Scouts Head the List.

A budget of \$17,000 was approved by the budget committee of the Medford Community chest at a meeting held Monday, Hamilton Patton, chairman, announced today.

This will be the first year for Medford's Community chest which will do away with all individual drives by various local charity institutions. The \$17,000 budget, if accepted by the chest committee of which M. N. Hogan is chairman, will be used to cover the expenses of charity activities for one year.

The following letter, which is self-explanatory, was transmitted with the budget to Chairman Hogan:

"Mr. M. N. Hogan, Chairman of the Community Chest, Chamber of Commerce, Medford, Oregon.

"Dear Sir: The Budget committee, appointed for the purpose of establishing the 1929-30 budget of the Medford Community Chest, unanimously recommend the following: American Red Cross \$5,480.00 Boy Scouts of America 4,875.00 Girl Scouts of America 1,900.00 Humane Society 500.00 Jackson Co. Health Unit 725.00 Salvation Army 1,500.00 Miscellaneous 1,825.00 Administration 1,000.00 Total \$17,000.00"

"The last two items are more or less guess work, and we think it better to have the goal a little high the first year, to cover unforeseen contingencies. We have no way of estimating the shrinkage in pledges, nor can we determine a definite amount of overhead."

"It is also possible that we may have overlooked some worthy cause, which has heretofore solicited funds in Medford. Very truly yours, HAMILTON PATTON, Chairman."

"W. W. ALLEN, G. C. LEMMON, H. A. THIEROFF, DR. J. C. HAYES."

Safety Pin and Yard of Pongee Found in Throat

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., July 23.—(AP)—An open safety pin and a piece of pongee cloth, eight inches wide and a yard long, was removed from the esophagus of Mrs. M. A. C. Blash, 39, of Springfield, by Doctors W. C. Cheek and J. S. Silby here. Relatives of the women were unable to explain how Mrs. Blash Blash happened to swallow the pin and cloth Saturday night.

Will Rogers Says:

LOS ANGELES, July 23.—My friend Mr. Brisbane is always tipping us off to what to buy on the stock market. Well, I got one for you, buy oil.

There is enough refueling going on in the air to consume millions of gallons. If they take the census while this refueling craze is on this country will show a loss. If a couple of guys break a record they only hold till they get shaved. The thing looks to me not so much a test of an engine as it is a test of how long two birds can stay cooped up together and remain friends. Yours, WILL ROGERS.

GENERAL STRIKE BALLOT TONIGHT

NEW ORLEANS, July 23.—(AP)—Members of the allied unions in New Orleans will meet tonight to ballot on the calling of a general strike in sympathy with the street car men's strike. Efforts of the commission council to end the strike on friendly terms previously having failed the council continued their conference and asked both sides to hold their executives in readiness for overtures.

Abe Martin cartoon: 'HAVE THEY IDENTIFIED THE CHAMBERLAIN YET?' 'NO, BUT WE'VE IDENTIFIED THE MAN WHO KILLED HIM.' 'WELL, THAT'S ALL RIGHT, BUT WE'VE IDENTIFIED THE MAN WHO KILLED HIM.' 'WELL, THAT'S ALL RIGHT, BUT WE'VE IDENTIFIED THE MAN WHO KILLED HIM.'

BROMLEY RUSHING PLANS FOR FLIGHT OVER THE PACIFIC. Tacoma Air Field, Wash., July 23.—(AP) Men, machines and horses worked diligently today preparing the runway of Pierce county's municipal airport for the takeoff of the Tokyo-bound plane, the City of Tacoma, with Lieut. Harold Bromley at the controls.

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