

The Weather
Forecast: Fair tonight and Saturday. Colder tonight.

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Temperature
Highest yesterday 55
Lowest this morning 22

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Weekly—Fifty-eighth Year.

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Today

By Arthur Briabano

Employment Problem.
Better Brains.
Everybody Happy.
Pity Poor China.

President Hoover's forceful address to nearly 400 industrial leaders in Washington yesterday is one for which the country will thank him. It is bound to produce results.

There is no cause for any pessimism or permanent discouragement. But the well-informed men know that there has been a sharp increase in unemployment.

We have in the United States probably fully as many unemployed as there are in Britain, where the government pays a "dole," enough to live on each week to those out of work.

We have here 2,000,000 more unemployed than they have in France, where unemployment is practically unknown.

And this is surprising in the richest, most prosperous country on earth.

The President is determined to do something about it.

Professor Von Economo tells other scientists at Columbia College medical center that man's brain is improving, developing more. And the superman, mentally speaking, is coming.

The learned Von Economo believes that "new organisms of thought" may develop in the course of evolution.

Studying the empty skull of a modern man, comparing it with the skull of a prehistoric man shows extraordinary development.

There is every reason to be hopeful. Twelve thousand years ago men were in the late stone age. We have done a great deal in 12,000 years. The life of man on earth is only starting. The earth will last for hundreds of millions of years. Science proves it.

Something ought to be done in that time.

It would interest, and possibly frighten, us if we could know what we shall look like at the end of the first hundred million years.

Man, perhaps, will be an enormous head, rotund and smooth, traveling at will through the air, talking to other planets, with this earth.

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Abe Martin
VOLSTEAD ACCESSORIES
HOUSEHOLD GOODS

VARE LOSES LONG FIGHT IN SENATE

Barred From Seat By 58 to 22 Vote—Huge Campaign Expense, Fraud Charges Basis of Three-Year Controversy — Bourbon Opponent Also Disapproved.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Retiring from the chamber into the office of Senator Reed, Republican, Pennsylvania, Mr. Vare, after the senate had voted to deny him a seat, wrote out the following statement:

"I feel that a great injustice has been done my state and myself.

"It is to be regretted that the highest body in the land should trample on the constitution and treat so lightly the rights of a state."

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—(AP)—The doors of the senate were closed tonight and definitely today against William S. Vare, for years a power in Pennsylvania politics.

By a vote of 58 to 22, it was decided the \$875,000 expenditure of the Philadelphia in the primary



WILLIAM S. VARE

election of 1926 and the charges of fraud and corruption in that contest, barred him from taking the seat to which he had been certified as elected.

But, a few minutes later, the effort of William H. Wilson, Vare's Democratic opponent, to obtain the place, was thwarted. The senate approved a resolution by Senator Reed, Republican, Pennsylvania, based on the report of its elections committee that the former secretary of labor in the Wilson cabinet had not been elected.

The end of the Vare controversy, which has occupied the senate for three years, left the question of a new senator from the Keystone state in the hands of Governor Fisher. He is a Republican and his appointment of a man for the place will not change the complexion of the state's representation, but it will give the state two votes where it had only one—that of Senator David A. Reed—while the contest was going on.

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FOX INTERESTS TO BE HANDLED ON TRUSTEESHIP

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—(AP)—The Evening World today quotes the Motion Picture News as saying that William Fox has consented to the formation of a trusteeship committee to control his extensive motion picture interests.

The trusteeship committee, the World quotes the News as saying, is composed of Harry Stuart, of Halsey, Stuart and Company, John Patterson of Electrical Research Products, Inc., and Fox himself.

"The situation is entirely under control," the News is quoted as saying. "The Fox companies today are enjoying the biggest business in their history."

"Fox personally finds himself in a position where short-term notes signed in acquiring Loews' Inc., and the Guardmount British Corporation of England could not be met. The recent stock crash is largely responsible."

INDUSTRIAL LEADERS CONFER WITH HOOVER



Representatives of the steel, motor, public utilities and mercantile trades, whose concerns employ in the aggregate several millions of people in all sections of the country, met with President Hoover and cabinet officials to help promote continued business progress.

PHONE OFFICIAL WAR PORTFOLIO Y. M. C. A. BOYS FALLS DEAD AT GOES TO HURLEY OPEN CONCLAVE S.F. HORSE SHOW HERO LATE WAR AT HIGH SCHOOL

John Gilkyson Suffers Stroke at Presentation of Prize for Carriage and Pair—Was Pioneer of Coast Service.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Sudden death last night ended the career of John W. Gilkyson, veteran official of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company, as he drew up his carriage and pair to be awarded first prize before an audience of 2500 persons at the seventh annual horse show of the St. Francis Riding club, Mr. Gilkyson was 55 years old. Death was due to a cerebral hemorrhage.

Beginning his career with the telephone company 43 years ago, Gilkyson was considered one of the pioneers of the business on the Pacific coast. He was one of the oldest members of the Telephone Pioneers of America. He started as a lineman and rose through various executive positions.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Jessie Gilkyson and a son, John.

Patrick J. Hurley, of Oklahoma, has been selected by President Hoover to succeed James W. Good as secretary of war.

Hurley, a lawyer by profession, was one of the men President Hoover drew from the south to place in important posts after his election. He is just under 50 years of age.

The new secretary is a colonel in the reserve corps. During the world war he won the distinguished service cross for a volunteer reconnaissance under heavy fire in France.

Rev. Eaton to Give Invocation This Evening—Delegates Here From Southern Oregon District—Chas. L. Crumley Leader.

Boys from all parts of southern Oregon were expected to arrive this afternoon for the Older Boys' conference, scheduled to open this afternoon at the Medford high school under the auspices of the Northwest Council of Young Men's Christian Associations. Charles L. Crumley, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., Oregon Agricultural college, will be one of the chief men in charge.

During each school year, the council with the cooperation of high schools and churches seeks to



Charles L. Crumley

GENERAL BULLARD HAS HEART ATTACK

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Major Gen. Robert Lee Bullard, retired, suffered a heart attack in his apartment today and is in a critical condition.

General Bullard has been ill with heart disease for three weeks, his physicians said, but his condition did not become critical until after the attack today. He is now too seriously ill to be removed to a hospital, the doctor said.

REPORT ELOPERS NOW IN PORTLAND

The father of Ray Childers, 18, thought to have eloped with Ella May Kirby, 18, on Thanksgiving day, returned yesterday from a journey to the Cinnabar Springs, Cal., district, where he thought the youthful pair might be in seclusion. No traces of the missing young folks were found.

The whereabouts of the elopers is a mystery, as far as the authorities and the parents of both are concerned.

Sheriff Jennings said this morning that a report he received said they might be in Portland. He put some credence in the report, as "people say they are going one place when they intend to go in the opposite direction."

A report received by relatives held that the couple were in California.

FARRELL AND HAGEN LEAD IN SEMI-FINAL

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 6.—(AP)—Johnny Farrell of New York led Al Watrous of Detroit, 3 up, at the end of their first 19 in today's 36-hole semi-final matches of the Professional Golfers' association tournament.

Leo Diegel of Agua Caliente, Mexico, defending champion, completed the morning round 2 up on Walter Hagen, five-times champion of the P. G. A. ranks.

They ended the outgoing nine all square.

TOO MANY SARDINES

MONTEREY, Cal., Dec. 6.—(AP)—The purse-setter Idaho, overwhelmed with 20 tons of sardines, sprung a leak and sank outside Monterey bay. The crew of eleven fishermen swam ashore.

Rock Kills Miner

REDDING, Cal., Dec. 6.—(AP)—Nikolai Garkovich, 34, miner, was killed when a 200 pound rock fell on him in a tunnel of the Iron Mountain mine, 12 miles northwest of here.

Money Irks Amateur Santa Claus Gives It Away—But Takes It Back

JOLIET, Ill., Dec. 6.—(AP)—George Weyer started out Tuesday to be a philanthropist and wound up today with his money all back in the bank.

He went to the bank and asked how much his balance was. They told him it was \$17,000 plus.

"Too much money to be lying around," declared Weyer, so he drew out \$10,000.

He moved on down the street. He came to the Guardian Angel home and entered.

"Here's \$2,000 for your excellent institution," said Weyer. "But, don't try to dissuade me. I've got money, a good job and no one to support."

The next step was at the Providence high school, where he gave the Sisters in charge \$2,200. Later,

PROSPERITY FOR COAST PREDICTED

Paul Shoup Reports Confidence in Business, Economics and Transportation Outlook for Next Year — Hoover Efforts Praised — Seattle and Portland Optimistic.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Paul Shoup, president of the Southern Pacific company, today expressed confidence in the business, economic and transportation outlook for the Pacific coast states for the next year.

Addressing the board of directors of the Pacific coast transportation advisory board meeting in the St. Francis hotel simultaneously with the directors of the California state chamber of commerce, Shoup said he did not believe the trouble caused by the Wall street debacle would last more than a few months.

"We have learned something in recent years about handling these problems," he said. "Our finances system is strong, and a good system, although it may need several adjustments."

"I think the very fine magnificent effort that has been made at Washington by the president will be quite productive and will bring business back quickly. All we want is to keep business and money moving and jobs steady so that everyone can go right ahead and do what he had intended to do. If this stock market trouble had not come up."

SEATTLE, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Pacific northwest business prosperity will be unchanged in the first quarter of 1930 from the last quarter of 1929 and allotment of railway cars for the three month period will be little changed, Joseph A. Swallow, chairman of the Pacific Northwest Advisory board of the American Railway association, said today. The board will meet in Portland December 12.

"Reports coming into the board from all points in this territory," Swallow said, "indicate a continuation of prevailing business conditions into the first quarter of the coming year."

Coupled with building will be cheap money, which should materially encourage construction, into which lumber must enter in a considerable amount. Under such circumstances, it is reasonable to anticipate a much livelier movement of this commodity during the closing period of the first quarter."

PORTLAND, Dec. 6.—(AP)—The Portland Telegram announced today that it had learned that construction will start on a \$5,000,000 hotel here by the first of the year. The names of those interested in the project were not revealed.

The article said six sites were under consideration and that approximately one million dollars would go for the purchase of the site.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—(AP)—The government will put its new method of borrowing into effect next Tuesday and offer to the public some \$100,000,000 in "treasury bills," to be sold to the highest bidders and redeemed in their face value.

In addition, the more customary treasury certificates of indebtedness will be issued to the extent of approximately \$225,000,000, bearing interest at 3 1/2 per cent and maturing next September 15.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Pacific Coast building awards last month totaled \$25,888,000, as compared with \$319,741,000 in October, Western Building Forum says. The monthly average is around \$29,000,000.

MARINES ENFORCE PEACE IN HAITI

PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti, Dec. 6.—(AP)—The entire country of Haiti was reported quiet today after martial law had been proclaimed by marine corps authorities and several slight outbreaks of disorder suppressed.

The provisions of martial law have been confined to the capital and Cape Haitien, all other centers are functioning under the administration of Haitian garrisons, with the active courts operating.

The navy department is considering the sending of additional marines to Haiti.

used Wrecker



Tom Averall, 43, alias Tom Vernon, arrested at Pawnee, Okla., on a charge of wrecking passenger trains near Saugus, Cal., and Cheyenne, Wyo., to rob the passengers.

REDS STONE CONSULATE IN WARSAW

TOKYO, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Advisors received here today from Mukden stated that the Nanking Nationalist government has approved the protocol of the agreement reached by the Soviet and Manchurian delegates preliminary to settlement of the Chinese Eastern railway dispute.

WARSAW, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Communists last night demonstrated in several places in Poland. One group passed the American consulate here shouting and throwing stones, breaking a window.

Police dispersed them immediately. Their protest was at "American intervention in the Chinese-Soviet conflict."

Most of the demonstrators were boys between 14 and 18 years of age. Police arrested five.

NANKING, Dec. 6.—(AP)—The meeting of thousands of Nationalist government troops which began Tuesday at Pukou, across the Yangtze river from this capital city of China, resulted tonight in the sharpest precautions being taken to prevent untoward developments here. Martial law was declared at 6 p. m.

BANK RUNNER SHOT, \$34,000 LOST TO THUGS

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Attempt to Seize Bandit Brings Death to Messenger in Philadelphia Holdup — School Children Hear Fatal Shot.

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PHONE RATE REDUCTION ANNOUNCED

General Slash Throughout Oregon Effective January 1 — Connection Charge Is Eliminated — Extension Telephones 25c Cheaper — Decision Made Today.

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 6.—(AP)—A general reduction in telephone rates throughout Oregon was announced by the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company and the state public service commission after a conference in Portland today. All members of the commission were in Portland, including the secretary, and the reduction became known here through a long-distance telephone call from Portland to the local office of the telephone company.

The new rates will be effective January 1. Under the new schedule the changes for connection of service will be entirely eliminated in one case and reduced from 13 to over 50 per cent in other cases. Monthly rates for extension telephones will be cut from 29 to 33 1/2 per cent.

The changes were summarized by H. R. Rieley, state manager for the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company, who stated that they are in keeping with the fundamental policy of the company, which, he said, is to provide the best possible service at a cost as low as is consistent with financial safety.

No Change Charge

The \$1.50 charge for connecting service, commonly known as the change of name charge, will be eliminated. Other reductions for connecting service are as follows: service connection charge for business and residence extension telephones will be reduced from \$2 to \$1.50. The service connection charge for private branch exchange telephones will be reduced from \$2.50 to \$1.50. The service connection charge for residence telephones will be reduced from \$3.50 to \$2.

Reductions in monthly rental rates for extension telephones apply to wall and desk sets and are as follows: reductions of 25 cents a month for business and residence flat rate extensions, and reductions of 25 cents a month for extension telephones without a coin box on coin box service.

Decision to file reduced rates was reached at a conference in Portland today attended by officials of the telephone company and members of the service commission.

The reductions, according to Chairman Frank J. Miller of the commission, have been brought about after many conferences.

OREGON COAST FIRES CAUSED BIG DAMAGE

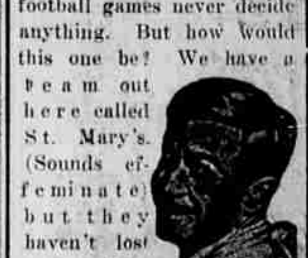
GRANTS PASS, Ore., Dec. 6.—(AP)—Recent forest fires in this section of Oregon have cost the government more than \$120,000, according to estimates compiled by forestry officials here. Fires are still burning over 10,000 acres of second growth timber lands, the report indicated.

Will Rogers Says:

BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., Dec. 6.—These post-season football games never decide anything. But how would this one be? We have a team out here called St. Mary's. (Sounds effeminate) but they haven't lost a game since the gold rush. Take them and Notre Dame. But take all the Cheeks, Indians, Jewish, Swedes and Eskimos and all other nationalities of both teams then the Irish from both teams (they could get eleven) and then let the Irish play the foreigners. That would outdraw any game in the world. Let Rockne coach the foreigners and Al Smith the Irish, that would be great.

Yours for games that decide something.

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