

MENACE TO LUMBERING IS REALIZED

McNary Says Government Investigating Importation of Russian Product—Aid of Industry Sought for Information.

PORTLAND, Ore., July 30.—(AP)—Realizing, he said, "the serious menace" that threatens the lumber industry of the Pacific northwest through importation of lumber from Russia "produced by convict or forced labor," Senator Charles L. McNary, who arrived today from Washington, D. C., told newspaper men and public officials here of investigations being conducted in the national capital.

"I have been much in conference with the treasury department," he said, "concerning shipments that had been made to eastern ports of the United States and are at the present time in water transit."

"Governor Lowman, assistant secretary of the treasury, states he has required proof from the importers that the lumber was not manufactured by convict or forced labor and in every case the investigation was thorough."

"A few days before I left Washington I had a very satisfactory conference with the state department which is also interesting itself in discovering the facts and in every way assisting the treasury department. Each of these departments stated it would like to have the cooperation of the lumber interests and other organizations that may have facts concerning the character of labor employed in Russian lumber and logging camps and lumber mills and will invoke the strict letter of the statute wherever supported by satisfactory proof that lumber was convict made."

FRUIT, VEGETABLE RECEIPTS HEAVY

PORTLAND, Ore., July 30.—(AP)—Top grade eggs were firm today at the recent advance. The price of off-quality eggs, however, were reported as being shaded by some dealers.

Butter supplies were liberal with moderate trading.

Team-truck holding of 125 cars of fresh fruits and vegetables Monday, of which half were watermelons, marks the heaviest volume of supplies in the city at any one time this year.

Peaches, watermelons, cantaloupes and tomatoes all declined since Monday, under pressure of liberal receipts.

GALLANT FOX LEADS AUTOMOBILE PARADE

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., July 30.—(AP)—Why should automobiles follow a horse day after day? The answer is Gallant Fox. When he goes from his stall for a morning workout the flivver of Trainer James Fitzsimmons is right behind and then a long line of high-priced cars filled with enthusiastic and curious.



After Nervous Breakdown

"I had a nervous breakdown and could not do the work I have to do around the house. Through one of your booklets I found how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had helped other women and I went to the drug store and got me six bottles. It has done me good in more ways than one and now I work every day without having to lie down. I will answer all letters with pleasure."—Hannah M. Eversmeyer, 707 N-16 Street, East St. Louis, Illinois.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

DIRIGIBLE DUE TOMORROW AT QUEBEC PORT

Big British Ship Making Fine Progress Across Ocean Is Report From Belle Isle Strait.

ST. HUBERT, Quebec, July 30.—(AP)—The British dirigible R-109 is expected to arrive at the airport here tomorrow afternoon between 4:00 p. m. and 6:00 p. m.

A message received from Squadron Leader R. S. Booth, commander of the dirigible at 12:30 p. m. (E. S. T.) said the ship was approaching the Straits of Belle Isle, making splendid progress and was getting the benefit of following winds.

The dirigible radioed that she expected to sight land early in the morning.

Up to seven o'clock this morning (E. S. T.) she had covered 2760 miles.

The commander of the giant ship said that the voyage had been uneventful.

THE MARKETS

Produce
 PORTLAND, Ore., July 30.—(AP)—Eggs—Top grades firm, quotations unchanged.
 Butter, milk, poultry, country meats, onions, potatoes, wool, mohair, nuts, hay, cascara bark, hops—steady, unchanged.

Livestock
 PORTLAND, Ore., July 30.—(AP)—Cattle—Receipts 35, calves 10. Quotably steady for matured classes. Valves, yearlings, 50c high. Vealers, milk fed, good and choice \$19@11; medium, \$8@10; cull and common, \$5.50@8. Calves, 250 to 500 lbs., good and choice, \$8@10; common and medium, \$6@8.50.

Hogs—Receipts 150. Opening steady.
 Sheep—Receipts 300. Talking around easy.

Portland Wheat
 PORTLAND, Ore., July 30.—(AP)—Wheat futures:
 Open High Low Close
 July 88 88 86 86
 Sept. 87 87 85 85
 Dec. 91 91 89 89

Cash markets:
 Wheat—No. 1 Bend bluestem, \$1.01 1/2; soft white, western white, 93 3/4; hard winter, northern spring, western red, 87 1/2.
 Oats: No. 2, 28-lb. white, \$25.
 Today's car receipts: Wheat, 135; barley, 7; flour, 9; corn, 1; oats, 1; hay, 1.

Wall Street Report

NEW YORK, July 30.—(AP)—Bull forces experienced one of their most severe reversals in today's stock market since they undertook to lift share prices out of the June depression. A wide open break in the wheat market, together with the resistance levels of July 18, caused extensive desertions from the bull cause and important shares tumbled 2 to 14 points.

A rally during the middle of the afternoon failed to hold and closing prices were mostly the day's lowest.

The closing was heavy, sales approximately 2,350,000 shares.

Today's closing prices for 15 selected stocks follow:

Am. Can	129 1/4
Am. Tel. & Tel.	211
Anacosta	9 1/2
Col. Gas	62 3/4
Curtiss Wright	7 3/4
General Electric (new)	89 1/2
General Motors	45 1/2
Kennecott Copper	29
Mont. Ward	35 1/2
Radio Corporation	41 1/2
Reading	107
Sears Roebuck	64 1/2
S. P.	117 1/2
United Aircraft	68
U. S. Steel	164 1/2

BANK ROBBER FLEES OREGON PEN ANNEX

SALEM, Ore., July 30.—(AP)—Douglas L. Day, serving 12 years at the state penitentiary for participation in the Rose City bank robbery in Portland in 1925, escaped late yesterday. He was a trusty employed at the prison annex near Turner, and his absence was noted when the count was made at 8:30 last night. The state offers a reward of \$50 for his return.

ARIZONA WILL FAIL IN ATTEMPT TO HALT DAM

LOS ANGELES, July 30.—(AP)—Ray Lyman Wilbur, secretary of the interior, said today Arizona's legal maneuver to halt construction of Boulder Canyon dam would fail of its purpose. The statement was made to newspapermen shortly before he opened an address at a chamber of commerce luncheon given in his honor.

SCIENCE STUDIES BABY MIX-UP



The babies of Mrs. Charles Bamberger (left) and Mrs. William Watkins are believed to have been "mixed" at Englewood hospital, Chicago. Dr. Arnold Kegeel (right), Chicago health commissioner, and a corps of scientists have been trying to determine which is which.

Bad Boys Throw Rocks at Tree Sitter, Otherwise It's A Great Life He Declares

Up 29 hours and still enjoying himself sitting in a tree, Walter Holmes, 11, at 3 o'clock this afternoon was still determined to beat all existing tree-sitting records if it took him the next three months. He declared that he is prepared to sit in the tree, 1307 West Main street, until school begins, or after, if necessary.

He said he was receiving considerable company and found the only trouble in a number of boys who have been throwing rocks at him.

There are no additional tree-sitters reported in Medford today. A search revealed none in any part of the city.

Fanettes a Problem For President Chicago Cubs

CHICAGO, July 30.—(AP)—The ladies day nightmare has William Veck, president of the Cubs, hanging on the ropes again.

First it was his policy to admit only fanettes into Wrigley Field each Friday without tickets. Result: The park was almost wrecked in the rush, gate keepers were jarred and the cash customers couldn't get in.

Next an advance distribution of tickets was attempted three days before each game. But instead of one rush the Cubs had two—one for the tickets and one to get into the park.

"Why not advertise in the newspapers that so many tickets will be mailed and let the women write in for them?" someone advised.

Veck did. He advertised 17,500 tickets would be mailed free for next Friday's game, one ticket for each mailed request.

The game is two days away, but 35,000 requests have been received and Veck is looking up time-tables to Alaska.

IT'LL BE EASY TO SPOT COPS ON ROAD SOON

SALEM, Ore., July 30.—(AP)—Motorists will know when the cops are coming if instructions given by Secretary of State Hoss to T. A. Rafferty, chief state traffic inspector, are carried out. Orders are to paint the automobiles and motorcycles of the traffic department a distinctive color.

For automobiles, Hoss suggests that bodies and fenders be painted white and tops black, and he suggests that motorcycles be painted white. The state traffic insignia will be painted on the vehicles also.

Hoss says several states have adopted this regulation. Two cars in original colors will be retained for secret operation.

DOUGLAS FARMERS TO MAKE OWN ELECTRICITY

ROSEBURG, July 30.—(AP)—Plans have been announced by a group of Ten Mile farmers for a mutual electric company to serve that rapidly developing section of Douglas county. They plan to construct and operate their own power plant. The organization is filing an application for power rights on Ten Mile creek and will construct a dam and develop power for farm use.

KLAMATH TIMBER IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., July 30.—(AP)—Ten acres of timber burned 13 miles west of here late yesterday in a fire started by a burning ranch barn. It was the only fire reported in this district in several days, although forestry official say fire conditions have seldom been worse.

ECKERSON SAYS EXHAUST FUME CAUSED CRASH

Carbon Monoxide Escaping in Cockpit Brought Coma On Trip East, Is Belief of Aviator.

BUTTE, Mont., July 30.—(AP)—Major Gilbert H. Eckerson, transcontinental flier who crashed near here a week ago, left the hospital here today for Portland, Ore.

BUTTE, Mont., July 30.—(AP)—Major Gilbert H. Eckerson, transcontinental flier who crashed south of here on the first leg of a Portland-New York flight last week, believes he was gassed by fumes from the ship's exhaust.

Short exhaust pipes, he said, undoubtedly threw carbon monoxide gas into the cockpit, where it finally overcame him.

He said he had noticed carbon spraying between him and the instrument board for an hour before he lost consciousness.

When he last looked at the clock, the pilot said it showed 12:40 a. m., and the altimeter registered 11,000 feet.

OKLAHOMA FACES RUN-OFF BALLOT

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 30.—(AP)—F. P. Gore, blind former senator who dropped out of the political world for 16 years only to stage a spectacular comeback, and Charles J. Wrightman, millionaire oil man of Tulsa, today were racing neck and neck for the lead in the contest for the Democratic senatorial nomination in Oklahoma.

As returns came in from yesterday's primary, it became apparent that Gore and Wrightman would be forced to battle it out for the nomination in the runoff primary, August 12.

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tion were the large office buildings, foreign consulates and residences on an island in the Shang river adjoining the walled city. Among these were the offices of the Standard Oil company of New York and the Texas company, and the British consulate.

Tremendous stocks and installations of the two oil companies on the outskirts of the city also seemed destined for destruction.

Most of the foreigners left the city yesterday on British, Amer-

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