

QUAKE MENACE A PROBLEM IN BIG AQUEDUCT

Concrete Tube 250 Miles
Long Will Carry Water
From Colorado River to
California.

NEW YORK (AP)—The possibility of earthquakes presents a special problem in building the new 250-mile aqueduct from the Colorado river to southern California.

Thaddeus Merriman, chairman of the engineering board to select the route, says the aqueduct will be the longest ever built.

It will bring water impounded by the Hoover dam to Los Angeles and ten other nearby cities.

The aqueduct will be a concrete-lined tube, so large that the biggest machine ever made could be driven through any part of it.

Fifteen hundred cubic feet of water every second will be its capacity, enough to fill a lake a quarter of a mile long, 300 feet wide, and 14 feet deep every hour.

Many Difficulties

Difficulties that face engineers, no matter which of four possible routes is chosen, were described here by Merriman, who is chief engineer of the New York city water system.

Earthquakes, he said, may occur in the region the aqueduct will traverse, because the San Gabriel and San Bernardino mountains are still in process of being uplifted. Earth disturbances are likely to center along the line of the great San Andreas fault, which the aqueduct must cross.

A "fault" is the geologist's term for a division between two tremendous sections of the earth's crust. When an earthquake occurs one or both sections may shift its position, breaking anything such as the aqueduct that passes through both sections.

Seek Best Route

Geologists have been trying to find the best place for the aqueduct to cross the San Andreas fault, Merriman said. Even then, an earthquake cannot be prevented from breaking the tube.

A gate near a danger point to shut off the flow in case of a break is impracticable, he explained. Pressure of the water behind the gate and of the earth above the aqueduct would burst the tube.

The pressure could be relieved by opening a gate in the side of the aqueduct, but a large river channel would be required to carry away the resulting flood.

"We can only hope there won't be an earthquake," Merriman said.

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that one Russia in Europe is enough at a time.

Wet congressmen have a beer bill and will push it, but outnumbered nearly three to one by drys, they probably will not push it far. However, "Ain't it a good offer?" as Mr. Fields said to Mr. Weber, when he hadn't a dollar and bid \$5000 for a dog.

Wet members might arouse interest by scattering about the House pictures of a veteran British athlete, nearing three-score-and-ten, famous, who recently traveled from London to Burton on Trent, the great beer center, 152 miles, drinking nothing but beer on the way. You could not do that on whiskey, although you might do it on less water, if you did not drink too much.

Mr. Deward, who owns the New York Sun, thinks this country should not be pitched into the League of Nations, through the back door of the World Court, and wisely decides to let the people know about it.

He will put his views into a page advertisement, to be printed in 100 newspapers at his expense.

The next best thing to owning newspapers all over the country is to advertise in newspapers all over the country.

Food riots in Germany aggravate the government's difficulties. Even the army may ask themselves eventually how long a nation will continue to pay hundreds of millions a year in gold, for a war that ended 12 years ago, when the nation's own people haven't enough to eat.

Other countries may have serious food troubles such as they have in Germany. We shall have no riots, presumably, because we need not have them.

Three things men must have—food, shelter, heat. There are plenty of buildings for shelter, and one of our national troubles is TOO MUCH coal and oil. No trouble about heat.

Another of our problems is how to get rid of surplus food. The government is holding about 90,000,000 bushels of wheat, wondering what to do with it. Men could live on boiled wheat, if they had to. Roman soldiers ate it raw, carrying it in a pouch at their belts or long marches. Hence the manly efficiency even teeth in old Roman skulls.

There can be no excuse for food riots or any undeserved hunger in this country.

Congress considers forbidding all immigration into the United States for five years. The fear is that somebody might take the job of an American or become a public charge.

Legislators should ask themselves what produced American prosperity. Was it the native red Indian, or was it the immigrant from Europe? How many of the gentlemen who would shut out everybody in Europe are descended, more or less closely, from immigrants that came here with nothing?

When we had four million population, there was just one man in the United States able to make a dollar a day the year round.

Now we have more than 122,000,000 population, millions of whom make \$5 a day, even \$10 a day, and a few make several million dollars a year.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clayton McCredie of Medford are Mrs. Ann Ross of Central Point were visiting their aunt, Mrs. Katie Hoffman, here Sunday.

BRANDENBURG, Germany (AP)—To show local residents what they would be up against in Berlin, the provincial governor ordered large posters put up in all labor offices throughout the province of Brandenburg. The posters read as follows:

"Do not go to Berlin. There are 246,410 unemployed. Among them are 75,188 metal workers, 29,220 bricklayers, 35,697 clerks and 3,707 tobacconists. If you go, you will become one of them."

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Cupid Overtakes Paddock



Charles W. Paddock, once hailed as the fastest human and Mrs. Neva Prisk Maitly, daughter of a Pasadena, Cal., publisher, have announced they will be married December 11.

County Health Department Activities and News

By Dr. B. C. Wilson, Health Officer

Mrs. Glendora Blakeley, state supervisor of public health, recently paid her periodic health visit to Jackson county and went out with the nurse to their respective districts, one of her duties being the standardizing of public health nursing in this state.

Honor roll examination has been made by Dr. Wilson at Watkins and Beaver Creek schools. In both communities parents were interested enough to be present and brought their pre-school children in for medical examination, realizing the importance of starting children to school as near physically perfect as possible, giving them a fair start without the handicap of physical defects in adjusting themselves to school environment and discipline and to better enjoy and benefit by their association with other children.

Medical examinations for honor roll were also given students at Dr. Evans Valley school. Examination for basketball was given by Dr.

Wilson to high school students at Gold Hill. At their request, Mrs. Lydia King spoke recently before the Rogue River Ladies' Aid society on county health work with a view to organization.

Antioch school gave a Thanksgiving entertainment, which was well put on, and attended by a large number of parents. Miss Burr, rural school supervisor, and Mrs. King, nurse in that district, were present. Mrs. King was called on and gave a short talk after the program was completed.

Preventive gutter work is carried on in Central Point and Gold Hill high schools. School boards all over the county are interested in meeting requirements necessary to health in schools and especially in the problem of pure water. Every effort is made by the health department to help in these matters.

The regular well baby clinic was held last week in Ashland with Dr. Barkwill in charge. Five babies were examined.

PARIS (AP)—France is reducing her national debt about one-third of a billion dollars yearly under the plan laid down by Raymond Poincare, "savior of the fence," who, when premier in 1926, insisted that certain taxes and the profits on matches and tobacco be devoted to debt reduction.

The 1926 version of the "Altruistic Fund of Amortization" shows that it has accomplished even more than Poincare predicted. It has removed the menace of the national defense bonds of which often eight billion dollars' worth matured in a single month, emptying the public treasury. Now those bonds run for two years and no more than a billion francs mature in any one month.

Besides reducing the principal, the fund has lowered interest about two per cent. Yet France still pays in interest not quite half of her \$2,000,000,000 budget.

FRENCH DEBT CUT BY POINCARE PLAN

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LITTLE POISON IS WORTH 147 POINTS

PITTSBURGH (AP)—Where the Pirates wind up next season in the National League probably will depend largely on the number of games in which Lloyd Waner, the "Little Poison" of the outfield is able to play.

Waner, it was discovered this year, was worth just exactly 147 points in the standings. The Pirates this season played 93 games in which the little outfielder was unable to participate due to illness.

During those games the club won 44 and lost 31 for a percentage of 463.

After Waner returned to the line-up around the middle of the season he played in 69 games. The club won 36 games and lost 33 for a percentage of 519.

FOREIGN BEERS FORCE BETTER BELGIAN BREW

BRUSSELS (AP)—Increasing popularity of foreign beers literally has the Belgian brewers' backs to their barrels.

To combat the increase in imports, with the attendant drop in consumption of Belgian beer, the brewers have organized a research bureau to improve their product.

Since 1925 a school for master brewers has existed in Brussels, and last term there were 45 pupils. Thirty-one sat for the pass-out examination and twelve came through with "grand distinction" and ten with "distinction."

All this should lead to the "perfection of production," according to a manifesto of the brewers, but beer soon abroad still sells well.

LITTLE STORIES OF Little Stars



ROBERTA GALE

Into the movies from a convent came red-haired, dark-eyed little Roberta Gale.

Born in Pittsburg, she has lived most of her life in Miami, Fla., where she attended public schools and later a convent, specializing in music and dramatics.

Maybe it was some fairy god-mother who placed the number of a film executive by the audience at a little musical play in which Roberta appeared. At any rate, voice and screen tests were arranged for her and a featured player's contract was the result.

EGGS ADVANCE IN SLOW, WEAK MARCH

PORTLAND, Dec. 5.—(AP)—Although the wholesale egg market continued extremely weak today with prices in the trade at variance, standard and medium grade eggs, at 26 and 24 cents a dozen respectively, were selling a cent higher on basis of ruling quotations, while majority of sales for pullets were 20 cents, 2 cents higher than Thursday's general price level. Receipts were more than sufficient and sales slow, especially on storage stock.

Wholesale butter market remained steady with a fair movement of both fresh receipts and storage stock, both locally and for shipment to California.

Fresh fruit and vegetables were in normal volume at generally steady prices, excepting a nice stiffening on repacked California tomatoes.

THE MARKETS

Livestock

PORTLAND, Dec. 5.—(AP)—Cattle 50, calves 10; talking around steady.

Hogs 650, including 476 on contracts; steady.

Sheep 200; quotably steady.

Portland Produce

PORTLAND, Dec. 5.—(AP)—Eggs: Standards and mediums up 1c; pullets up 2c; market weak with prices varying and shifting. (Prices to retailers) fresh extra, 26c; standards, 26c; fresh medium, 25c; pullets, 26c. Prices to wholesalers 2c under price to retailers.

Butter: Steady; quotations unchanged.

Milk (interfered): poultry, counting, onions, wool, potatoes, nuts, hay, cats, bark and hops steady and unchanged.

Portland Wheat

PORTLAND, Dec. 5.—(AP)—Wheat futures:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	68 1/2	68 3/4	67 1/2	67 3/4
May	71 1/2	71 3/4	71	71 1/4

Cash wheat:

Big Bend Bluestem	84
Soft White	80
Western white	69
Hard winter	67
Northern spring	67
Western red	67
Oats: No. 2, 38-lb. white	32.50

Today's car receipts: Wheat, 16; barley, 2; flour, 4; corn, 6; oats, 1; hay, 2.

San Francisco Butterfat

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 5.—(AP)—Butterfat: Cal., San Francisco, 37 1/2c.

Wall Street Report

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—(AP)—Stocks closed steadily today, recovering in the last hour a major part of extreme early losses of one to six points. Industrials led the late rally, with steel shares prominent. Rails generally remained heavy. American Can, Westinghouse and U. S. Steel, which had been down a couple of points, closed virtually unchanged. Sales approximated 1,600,000 shares.

Today's closing prices for 15 selected stocks follow:

Am. Can	115 1/2
Am. Tel. and Tel.	186 1/2
Anaconda	35 1/2
Col. Gas	26
Curtiss Wright	7
General Electric (new)	45
General Motors	25 1/2
Kennecott Copper	27 1/2
Mont. Ward	21 1/2
Radio Corporation	15 1/2
Reading	89 1/2
Sears Roebuck	53
S. P.	190
United Air Craft	28 1/2
U. S. Steel	143 1/2

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GAUDY HATS FOR MEN EXHIBITED IN ENGLAND

MANCHESTER, England (AP)—Blue and yellow hats for men, designed for spring wear, are on exhibition here.

There is "tangerine" for instance, a style as brilliant as the fruit itself, with a whitish-silken band and thin brown binding—a blue rivaling tropical skies; "palm-leaf" a rich scarlet; a "Roman blue" and "sunshine," a delicate canary yellow.

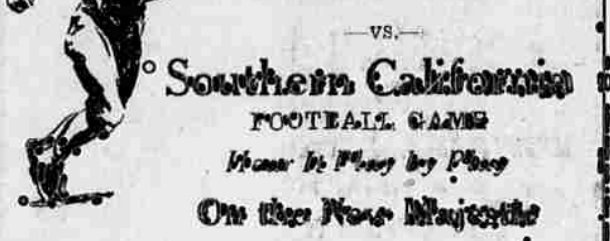
"We are ahead of the times," said a director of one firm. "We have sold only a few in England, but they will be included in our spring stocks."

MOUNTAIN REPUBLIC AT LAST HAS A FLAG

ANDORRA, Europe (AP)—This tiny republic, encased in the Pyrenees between Spain and France, hoists a national flag now for the first time in its many centuries' existence.

The raising of the flag upon the city hall of Andorra-the-Ancient, capital of the republic, was attended by 5,000 people, nearly the entire population of the country, visitors from Spain and France also being present.

The flag is blue, yellow and red, with the arms of Andorra woven in the center.



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Special 47c	\$4.00 Black Tulip Set.
\$2.50 Hudnuts Deauville Face Powder.	Special \$1.98
Special \$1.67	\$2.00 Soap Sets.
50c Deodo. Decodorant Powder.	Special 98c
Special 32c	\$3.00 Encharma Set.
60c Kotex Sanitary Belts.	Special \$1.98
Special 9c	Pewter Ware, all kinds
50c Corti Castile Shampoo.	Half Price
Special 31c	
\$1.00 Agarex. Mineral Oil and Agar.	
Special 63c	
25c Milk Magnesia Tooth Paste.	
Special 17c	

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national work in prohibition enforcement was struck out of the bill.

Action by Representative Blanton, Democrat, Texas, led to the elimination of an objection to the section on a point of order being sustained by the presiding officer, Representative Michener, republican, Michigan.

"The man at the head of a bureau that permits the diversion of 40,000,000 gallons of alcohol for bootlegging purposes isn't fit to preach prohibition," Blanton declared.

The wet bloc strength, as registered on the poisoning of industrial alcohol vote in comparison with the vote on the same proposition a year ago, was exactly twice as great.

Hunters Find Deer Asleep

Reports of the capture of sleeping deer have been made in Scotland this season. One story is that a stalker came upon seven stags all asleep. Some time ago a trapper reported that a hunting party found beside a stag which had just been shot another stag slumbering.

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