

The Weather
July 23, 1931
Temperature in Medford.
Sixth Year
Today
Arthur Brisbane
the Wide, Wide
One Big Brewery.
Helps Silver.
Refuses to Bow
we call "democracy,"
the rule and control of
by a selected unprop-
seems to be giving
a dictatorship, which
return to absoluteism,
as with kings on
of birth.
according to dis-
from Berlin, may fol-
example of Italy, Tur-
Russia, operating un-
man dictatorship,
for dictator,
by the military power
reichswehr.
er, events may not
rapidly. The Germans
educated in politics
government for years by
Democratic party.
not too hastily aban-
republic or Von Hin-
the loyal old man who
steadied Germany thus
New York City, Prohibi-
Administrator McCamp-
seems to take his
seriously, has seized and
gigantic brewery said
been producing millions
of beer a month for
years.
men mentioned as own-
the institution are "Ow-
alden and "Big Bill"
The brewery occupies
the block in Tenth ave-
been operated continu-
it seems remarkable
prohibition agents
women have not noticed
the landscape.
New York reporter says
has been well "guard-
body who came near
immediately asked by a
man, "What are you do-
ing here?"
would be interesting to
how many millions in
blackmail that that
agency has paid in the
years to federal agents,
politicians, political bosses
there.
on a change in the
laws, Germany's
bank is putting into cir-
about two hundred
million dollars worth
currency.
case of silver by the
bank might suggest a
link to this and other
that, with their wor-
the gold fetish, have al-
destroyed silver's value.
and gold have gone side
by side for five hundred years
and continue to do so, on the
the power of this govern-
more the value of silver.
be Martin

Temperature	
Highest yesterday	95
Lowest this morning	58
Precipitation	0
To 5 p. m. yesterday	0
To 5 a. m. today	0

POLICE HEADQUARTERS IN MEDFORD

LEE BOWN IN CHARGE OF DISTRICT

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Today's BASEBALL

National		
The score:	R. H. E.	
Brooklyn	6 17 2	
Pittsburgh	17 21 1	
Vance, Thurston, Moore, Pleinich, Day and Lopez; Brame and Grace.		
The score:	R. H. E.	
New York	4 11 1	
Cincinnati	2 4 0	
(Ten innings). Hubbell and Hogan; Johnson and Ashbjornson.		
Philadelphia at St. Louis, postponed; rain.		
American		
Boston	R. H. E.	
Chicago	6 5 0	
Chicago and Cronin; Bascut, Warneke, Bush and Hensley.		
Cleveland	R. H. E.	
Philadelphia	5 11 0	
Huddell, Jablonowski and Sewell, Myatt; Earnshaw and Cochran.		
St. Louis	R. H. E.	
Washington	6 12 0	
Hebert, Kimsey and Bengough; Jones, Hadley and Hargrave.		
Chicago	R. H. E.	
Boston	4 13 0	
Caraway, Wede and Tate; Russell and Berry.		
Detroit	R. H. E.	
New York	6 16 1	
(13 innings)		
Whitehill, Herring and Grabowski; Pennock and Dickey.		

IN TEXAS-OKLAHOMA BRIDGE ROW



Gov. Ross S. Sterling (left) of Texas and Gov. W. H. "Alfalfa" Bill Murray of Oklahoma were involved in a heated controversy over the opening of toll and free bridges over the Red river at Denison, Tex.

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Alfalfa Bill Firm For Free Bridge Across Red River

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 23.—(AP)—Citing old Spanish treaties for his authority, Governor W. H. Murray was on record today with a statement that if Texas puts "anything else in the way of an obstruction" of the free bridge across the Red river at Denison, "I will remove it in the face of Texas rangers and other military authority of the state."

Courts, said the governor, have upheld the precedent of the treaty, which he said give Oklahoma jurisdiction over the Texas banks of the Red river.

GOLD HILL LAD VICTIM OF R. RIVER

Billy Cook, Aged 8, Found Lifeless in Rogue—Efforts at Resuscitation Feared Failure—Inhalator Rushed to Scene by Copco

A supreme effort is being made this afternoon to resuscitate Billy Cook, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alva E. Cook of Gold Hill, found drowned in Rogue river near the Gold Hill bridge at 1 o'clock. The inhalator of the California Oregon Power company was rushed to the scene by Lyle Sams of Grants soon after the drowning was reported and some hope of restoring the little boy to life is maintained.

Billy left home at 11:45 this forenoon for the river, where many of the Gold Hill children have been swimming. He made no announcement of his intentions to swim and was unaccompanied.

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LONDON CONFAB AVERTS CRISIS GERMAN DEBTS

Hoover Wires Congratulations to Stimson and Mellon—World Bankers to Co-operate, Is Belief

WASHINGTON, July 23.—(AP)—President Hoover said today the London conference had "laid sound foundations for the establishment of stability in Germany."

At the same time the president forwarded telegrams of congratulations to Secretaries Stimson and Mellon, who conducted the American negotiations in London.

The president said:

"The London conference has laid sound foundations for the establishment of stability in Germany."

"The major problem is one affecting primarily the banking and credit conditions and can best be solved by the voluntary cooperation of the bankers of the world rather than by governments with their conflicting interests. Such a basis of cooperation is assured."

"The program supplements the assistance of inter-governmental debtors already in effect. The combined effort should enable the German people with their resources, industry and courage, to overcome the temporary difficulties and restore their credit."

LINDBERGH'S HOP NEXT WEEK FOR JAPANESE ISLES

NEW YORK, July 23.—(AP)—Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh plan to start next week on a vacation flight to the Orient and Pacific islands. "I do not know what day we will be ready," the colonel said.

Several more instruments are to be installed in his Lockheed Sirius monoplane, which has been converted into a seaplane by the attachment of pontoons.

A day or two before they take off, the Lindberghs will fly to Washington for a final conference with state department officials.

Their route will be via Ottawa, the Canadian northwest, Alaska across the Bering sea into the Kamchatka peninsula of Siberia and thence through the Kuril islands and to Japan.

Their route to China and the return to this country was not announced.

ENGLAND'S FRUIT CROP CURTAILED BY HEAVY FROST

PORTLAND, July 23.—(AP)—Prospects that frosts will materially curtail the apple and pear crops of England appeared to be reflected in surveys of the fruit in this part of the country.

The new crop of apples is expected by the trade to show a rather fair decrease from a year ago in the Yakima, Wenatchee and Columbia river territory and in Idaho.

A small volume of early shipment of Jonathans is confirmed in the Yakima district at \$1.75, in line with last year's price.

Of an international aspect, ideas of the size of the European apple crop are diminishing somewhat. The frost toll has been most severe, coming at a time when there was every indication of a bumper crop.

Closing of the season for sale of old crop apples is reported out of Rotterdam by the International Fruit company.

'DUDES' FIGHTING WYOMING FIRES

CHEYENNE, Wyo., July 23.—(AP)—Lasses mounted to several hundred thousand dollars today, state officials were advised, as Wyoming National Guard troops, Dude ranch guests, forest rangers, tourists and all available men fought forest and grass fires in the western and eastern sections of the state.

Forest officials estimated conservatively that more than 50,000 acres of timber and range grass had been burned. Whether some animals had been caught in the fire could not be ascertained but 200 head of cattle were reported lost.

FOUR KILLED BY MADDENED MINER

MERCER, Pa., July 23.—(AP)—Five persons were killed and five wounded, one probably fatally when a crazed man attacked members of his family and others in a small mining village near Leeburg today.

Marko Demofanto, 46, a miner, who was pronounced insane by physicians yesterday and was to have been removed to an institution for the insane today, shot and killed his wife and her sister in his home with a revolver and then went to the street of the village, firing at random at other villagers.

Demofanto was shot and wounded in the hip by George Masters, proprietor of the village store.

CHINESE SURRENDER YANKEE MISSIONARY

SHANGHAI, July 23.—(AP)—An ultimatum dispatched from Peking today said Chinese authorities at Tsinanfu had surrendered Dr. Francis P. Tucker, American missionary held for fatally shooting a Chinese employee of a mission hospital, to the American consul at Tsinanfu on instructions from the nationalist government.

In the hands of American authorities Dr. Tucker will be tried under United States laws, rather than under Chinese statutes.

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DOUGLAS GRANGERS GUESTS OF KIWANIS

ROSEBURG, Ore., July 23.—(AP)—About 900 members of the granges of Douglas county were guests on Wednesday of Roseburg Kiwanis club at the annual Kiwanis-Grange picnic held here. The picnic follows a series of meetings in which Kiwanians met at Grange halls in joint social meetings with the farmers.

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CATHOLIC LEADERS DISCUSS TROUBLES

VATICAN CITY, July 23.—(AP)—Conflicts between the church and state in Italy, Spain, Mexico and Lithuania were discussed today by Pope Pius with twenty cardinals of the Curia summoned hurriedly to a meeting which took on the importance of a special consistory.

The session in the Vatican library, lasted nearly three hours and was conducted in the greatest secrecy. When it was over no statement was issued.

EX-HORSE DOCTOR REFUSES TO TELL

NEW YORK, July 23.—(AP)—Dr. William F. Doyle, wealthy former horse doctor, won a stay of execution of his 30-day contempt sentence today.

Dr. Doyle was ordered to jail when he refused to tell Samuel Seabury, counsel for a legislative inquiry into New York city's government, with whom he had split \$2,000,000 in fees collected from clients. He was employed by the board of standards and appeals.

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Lone Yachtsman Is Tardy 12 Minutes In 3-Year Trip Through World's Waters

VILLEFRANCHE, France, July 23.—(AP)—Only 12 minutes behind the schedule he had set for himself, William Albert Robinson of Boston, sailed his 32-foot Ketch today, this harbor at 4:22 p. m. today, having left New London, Conn., in June, 1928, for a world tour.

His grandmother, Mrs. Ida Kniffner of Milwaukee was waiting for him. "Albers," she said, "I've never known you to be so late. Where have you been?"

She had brought along sandwiches and while Robinson ate them he recalled the high spots of his adventure. He said he had left Bermuda on the first stop after New London, and headed east to the West Indies before taking his little boat through the Panama Canal, down the South American west coast and across the longest stretch of 3700 miles to Tahiti.

"We were 30 days getting there," he said, "and I spent almost two years in the south seas."

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HYSTERICAL MASSES AS BONDS ARE DISSOLVED

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2000 FIGHTING FIRES SOUTH DAKOTA HILLS

RAPID CITY, S. D., July 23.—(AP)—Nearly 2,000 men battled forest fires on half a dozen fronts in the Black Hills today. The blazing areas extended from Deadwood to Pringle, an air line distance of 50 miles.

The most serious situation was at Deadwood, where flames starting five miles east had advanced within two miles of the city despite an all night battle by 500 Deadwood citizens and 300 cavalrymen from Fort Meade.

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HAWKS SETS RECORD IN N. Y. TO HAVANA

MIAMI, Fla., July 23.—(AP)—Captain Frank Hawks landed here at 1:45 p. m. E.S.T. from Havana on his return flight to New York.

Hawks knocked 27 minutes off the time of James Goodwin Hall, who beat Hawks' previous New York-to-Havana record.

After refueling his ship, Hawks took off at 2 p. m. for New York.

BOY SMOTHERED IN COLLAPSE OF CAVE

PENDLETON, Ore., July 23.—(AP)—Donald Ward, 12, of Enterprise was smothered to death today when the roof of a cave in which he and Virgil Grover, 13, were playing, fell in and covered them. The Glover boy was saved by a clod of earth which covered his head in such a way that he could get some air. The boys were in the cave an hour before their plight was discovered.

TOURISTS PLUNGE TO DEATH CLIMBING ALPS

VIENNA, July 23.—(AP)—Two tourists in the South Tyrol, identified as Henry Smith, 22, and Leopold Palla, 20, were killed while climbing Cima Piavanti in the Sarathal Alps without ropes or a guide, say reports received here.

PREPARE FOR PRISON OUTBREAKS AT JOLIET

JOLIET, Ill., July 23.—(AP)—Warden Henry C. Hill late today called upon officials of the state highway police to station today forces at the new state penitentiary at Stateville in anticipation of a prisoner's outbreak, which the warden said he understands had been planned for late today.

WILL ROGERS SAYS:

BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., July 23.—This new scheme of Mr. Hoover's to Germany "that all short time credits shall be extended and converted into long time credits," why, that ain't new, that's our old standby gag of "renewing your notes."

Why half of our traffic is folks going or coming from renewing our notes! Sho' do hope Mr. Hoover gets 'em straightened out. He has made every conscientious effort to help 'em but helping one country in Europe is like helping one bee in a hive. You may help him (or her as the sex may be), but you will know you have been to a helping.

Will Rogers
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DENY PRINCE OTTO ASPIRES TO THRONE

BRUSSELS, Belgium, July 23.—(AP)—General Kerestetz, attached to the staff of Prince Otto of Hungary at Steenokkerzeel castle, today denied a story in a Paris newspaper that Hungarian legitimists had announced intention to proclaim Prince Otto king of Hungary as soon as the new Hungarian parliament is convened.

"The story is false," the general said, adding that the young prince is concerned only with continuing his university studies.

RATE HEARING DATE ADVANCED TO AUG. 10

WASHINGTON, July 23.—(AP)—The interstate commerce commission today advanced the date for continuing hearings on the fifteen per cent rate increase proposal of the railroads to August 10.

The advancement of the date originally set for August 31, was made on a motion by carriers. It was opposed by shippers who sought the full time originally announced to prepare their case.

FLYING MISSIONARY CRASHES IN BUFFALO

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 23.—(AP)—An airplane flown by Brother George Feltes, S. J., flying missionary on his way back from New York to his post in Alaska, crashed in a field near the municipal airport as it was coming down to land at the port this afternoon. Brother Feltes was believed not injured.

