

The Weather
Tonight and Saturday fair.
Change in temperature.
Yesterday 88
This morning 53

Sixty-Sixth Year

Today
By Arthur Brisbane

Queer Kansas.
From Evil Often.
Wealth.
Book Business.

King Feature Synd., Inc.
Kansas, you may say,
with Goethe: Das un-
schickliche, hier wird es
"The undecidable,
is done."
Kansas towns, Belle-
Chante, Colby, run their
utilities," and make
money to get along
taxation. That seems
the well established
Street theory: "Public
ship can never pay in
we are not as stupid
as we are supposed
owns its water and
plant, municipal airport
municipal cemetery, and
profits that abolish
taxes.
owns its water, electric
gas plants, airport, ceme-
tery, swimming pool,
and supports a munic-
owns its water and light
Mr. Doherty supplies it with
gas. It owns its cemetery
and supports a munic-
It is that socialism, make
of it.

comes from evil, good may
out of this depression.
all man suggests a shorter
day, seven hours or even six,
commensurate reduction in
more idle men may share
it.

American Federation of Labor
immediate adoption of a five
day, six hour day, with
in wages. Employers will
not to that.

will come, later, when
day and five day week
permanent institutions, with
labor following restored
giving for five days of
the former pay for
and six days.

to be hoped that the farm
will find a suggestion better
proposal that cotton farm-
under one-third of this
crop.

would suggest that farm-
one-third of their wheat
because that would be
from human beings.
tends to Russia laugh at
we do, such as throwing
good food overboard, to
prices. They will be much
if the incompetence of
if this nation admits
only way to meet a price
is to destroy precious prop-
erty by millions of human
beings is not plowing any
back under ground.

last year printed five hun-
dred books, against one hun-
dred twenty million a year in
days. Books printed in
as formerly, are books
governments wants printed.
to prove that Karl Marx is
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NOTICE
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LINDBERGHS OFF TO SIBERIA

FLYING COUPLE QUIT NOME FOR PERILOUS HOP

Good Weather Reports
Speed Pair Toward Tokyo
—Face 1067-Mile Flight
to Karingin Island Haven

NOME, Alaska, Aug. 14.—(AP) The sleek black monoplane, carrying Col. Charles A. Lindbergh and his wife to the Orient, was seen heading across Bering sea for St. Lawrence Island at 9:15 a. m. (12:15 P.S.T.) today, fifteen minutes after leaving Safety Bay. St. Lawrence Island will be the last land under the American flag they will see until they get home again.

The Lindberghs, enroute to Tokyo and perhaps around the world to New York, arrived at Safety Bay, 21 miles from here at 7:44 a. m. (10:44 a. m. P.S.T.) The colonel had received reports of good weather for the hop across Bering sea.

The sun was out, shining brightly, and the rain clouds, which had threatened to delay the vacationers' flight another day had been dissipated.

Nometes In Farewell
The huge ship was a beautiful sight as it passed from the view of the scores of Nometes assembled on the beach to wave farewell to the flying couple.

It is 1067 miles to Karingin Island. The Lindberghs' ship has a maximum cruising speed of 140 miles an hour, but some times to conserve fuel, the colonel has idled the plane down to 105 miles an hour.

CONFESSES FIRING FATAL SHOT



Irving Kennedy, (right) San Francisco radio crooner, admitted to police that his fiancée, Mrs. Pauline Hopkins, was killed by a bullet accidentally fired from his gun. A coroner's jury did not hold him responsible and he was released on bail after police had preferred charges.

Vet Site Decision Ten Days Away Is Washington Word

PORTLAND, Aug. 14.—(AP)—A Washington, D. C., dispatch to the Journal today said it is unlikely that an action will be taken on a site for the \$2,000,000 national soldiers' home for Oregon within 10 days.

"Members of the federal hospitalization board have given no consideration to the site," the dispatch said, "since the return of General Hines, its chairman, and Admiral Riggs who accompanied him on the recent trip of inspection, according to officials of the veterans' bureau."

"General Hines is quoted as saying other work has been pressing to permit him to take up the subject and probably the board will not meet to consider it for a week or ten days."

POSSES SCOURING LAKE REGION FOR MAN ON RAMPAGE

All Roads in Eastern Part
of County Under Guard
—Lake of Woods Area
Is Searched by Sheriff

Posses under the direction of Sheriff Ralph Jennings of this county, and Sheriff L. L. Low of Klamath county, were searching the timber between Pelican Bay and Lake of the Woods, for Jack Wells, 30, sought on a warrant alleging assault with a deadly weapon. Wells is alleged to have run amok late yesterday and terrorized campers and residents near his small ranch at Pelican Bay.

One report received by the sheriff's office this morning said Wells had forced a woman, identity unknown, to accompany him. This could not be confirmed.

Wells' auto, according to a telephone message received this noon from Sheriff Jennings, had been found abandoned on the Dead Indian road and shortly afterwards a second report was received that another abandoned auto had been found near Rocky Point. It is

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BIG PROHIB FORCE GETTING RESULTS, AVERS DRY CHIEF

Federals Engineered 6623
Arrest Cases During July
—Fines Total \$221,155
—1139 Are Sentenced

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—(AP) The first month's work by the biggest federal dry army in history was reported today by the prohibition bureau to have produced more, bigger and better cases than did the smaller force in the corresponding month of July last year.

It was disclosed that federal agents engineered 6623 cases in which arrests were made, that 5003 men were ordered held by commissioners, and that 1139 jail sentences totaling 452 years were imposed along with 1471 fines aggregating \$221,155.

Prohibition Director Woodcock, however, was chary of placing too much weight upon the cold figures produced by his statistical division.

More Go to Jail
"It's true," he said, "that we produced more cases this July than last, but it's a little too early to make definite comment. The most significant thing is that a greater number of jail sentences were imposed."

"We like to assume that the cases were more important and better made, but we can't tell definitely yet."

The federal dry chief pointed out that although a greater number of fines were imposed this July than last, that the total of all fines was not as great. In contrast, however, he indicated the 1139 jail sentences as against the 867 for July, 1930.

Blames Father



Glenna King, 18-year-old Colorado Springs, Colo., school girl who told police it was her father that shot Lewis Palmer, her sweetheart to death, July 20.

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Palmer was shot to death the night of July 20.

TOUGH EDDIE'S "GIRL" RELATES TROUBLED LIFE

Companion of Bellview Bandit Says She'll Be Waiting in Salem for His Release — Hates Liquor

Ed. Note: Mrs. Marie McCandless, companion of Ed. ("Tough Eddie") Rice in the holdup August 6 of a service station at Bellview, today related events leading up to her taking up with Rice, and voiced her determination to wait at Salem for his release from prison, where he was sentenced to serve 15 years. Mrs. McCandless is free on parole.

By Mrs. Marie McCandless
As Related to Eva Nealon.

What Eddie did he did for me and I'm going to Salem. I'll be right there when he gets out. He did it for me and I did it for my children. That was foolish too for there's always lots of sympathy in the world for kids. Not so much for grownups.

The day before I got a letter from my friend saying my little boy needed his teeth fixed. I didn't have any money—it seems I never have had any money.

We were just crazy I guess. I don't know what got into my head, temporarily insane I suppose. We never acted like that before. Eddie's no tough gunman and there's no power between heaven and hell going to stop me from going to Salem. If they want to slam me in the pen that's all right too, there are worse places. The officers have been more than fair to me.

Deserved Prison
I really felt headed for the pen and I deserved it. I wouldn't ask anyone to go to jail for me.

Eddie told the truth, but if he had wanted to lie it would have been just the same to me. I'd have stood by him. He means more than any old parole to me.

The world's all right. It's just the things that clutter it up that ruin it. But I didn't expect anyone to go to jail in my place. Boy, I'm telling you I thought when those officers nabbed me in California, "Just one more man, and he'll save himself." And that would have been all right too, I think I'd have felt better.

Men, I don't usually trust 'em. I've seen too much of 'em. But he wanted to save me. I haven't seen anything to make me like any man except him. I guess it's just as good it happened.

Had Too Much Grief
I'm not going to Washington, I'm going to Salem, the person who can drive me hasn't been here. I didn't tell them I'd go to Washington, and I'm never going back. I've had too much grief.

I'm 25, not 28 years old. I married Henry McCandless eight years ago the day before Christmas. We got along all right at first, then he started drinking and going to parties and things. He was getting just an ordinary salary then. As he got more

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FIREBUG AT WORK IN JACKSONVILLE

A firebug believed to be operating in Jacksonville is causing much anxiety among residents of the little city. It is learned here. Several small fires have been discovered by Jacksonville residents recently, but all have been stopped before damage reached any extent. The first fire which the incendiary is believed to have set destroyed the Vivian Beach bath August 1.

Because of the dry season and shortage of water in Jacksonville, residents believe a fire would do untold damage if not checked immediately.

Pinchot Recalls Alaska "Hanging"

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 14.—(AP)—Hope that Alaska may shine as a new star in the nation's flag was expressed in a letter from Governor Gifford Pinchot of Pennsylvania to be read here today at the annual stampede of the Alaska-Yukon Sour-dough association. The stampede commemorates the discovery of gold in the Yukon territory in 1896.

Recalling that he was hanged in effigy in Cordova, Alaska, 20 years ago, and mentioning other experiences in Alaska, Governor Pinchot reviewed his struggle while head of the federal forest service there "to prevent the men who were trying to plunder and monopolize Alaska from carrying out their plan."

Bad Luck Follows Curly Headed Lad

BAKER, Ore., Aug. 14.—(AP)—Misfortune yesterday followed stubbornly the movements of Doll Germer, 8 years old, of Homestead.

The surly headed youngster was brought to a hospital here last night suffering from injuries received on a wild horseback ride and from shock incurred in an automobile accident. He suffered a fractured right arm during the afternoon when the horse he was riding scrambled down a mountainside, threw him, and kicked him. On the way to a Baker hospital the automobile in which he was riding was wrecked when it struck a bull on the highway.

LADY BESSBOROUGH OF CANADA MOTHER

MONTREAL, Aug. 14.—(AP) Lady Bessborough, wife of the governor general of Canada, gave birth to a son at the Royal Victoria hospital here this morning. Both mother and child were doing well.

This is the first child to be born to a governor-general of Canada since the Countess of Dufferin gave birth to a son in Rideau Hall in 1875.

PLANE BOSS KILLED WHEN CABLE SNAPS

EUGENE, Ore., Aug. 14.—(AP)—Hugh Hicks, 44, plane boss at Wendling, was killed yesterday when a cable broke, dropping a load of lumber on him. His widow and three children survive.

Grange Protests Boost in Freight Rate At Hearing

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 14.—(AP)—The state granges of Oregon and Washington today added their vigorous protest against the 15 per cent increase in freight rates asked by the railroads of the nation.

At the third day of the interstate commerce commission meeting here, A. S. Goss, state grange master of Washington, and Master C. C. Hulet of Oregon, testified that "a deplorable condition" exists among farmers of the Pacific northwest, and that further increase in freight rates would be unbearable.

Goss insisted the long list of tax delinquencies of farms, bankruptcy and foreclosures properly pictures the sad condition on western farms. In his own state, he said, 34,000 farm loans are delinquent. Delinquencies and foreclosures have doubled this year over the previous year, he declared.

Hulet corroborated Goss' testimony and remarked that conditions are so bad in Oregon that farmers have banded together in refusing to pay taxes.

England Hopeful Gandhi May Come For Conference

SIMLA, India, Aug. 14.—(AP)—After a long special meeting of the viceroy's executive council today, it became known that the government authorities believe a way may be found to enable Mahatma Gandhi to attend the round table conference at London next month.

The working committee of the Indian national congress decided yesterday it would have no part in the conference, charging the government committed serious breaches of the Delhi pact.

Lord Willingdon is disposed to examine the more serious charges regarding breaches of the pact, but is unwilling to set up a board of arbitration at Gandhi's demand. He is opposed to returning any taxes already collected from peasants, on the grounds these were collected under the ordinary tax laws and not by duress.

Globe Girdlers May Face Fines For Photographs

TOKYO, Aug. 14.—(AP)—Rengo News Agency said today it had informed that the public procurator had decided to refer the case of Clyde Pangborn and Hugh Herndon, Jr., American fliers accused of photographing fortified Japanese areas, to the district court with the recommendation that the aviators be fined.

The news agency understood that the fliers would be charged with violation of the civil aviation act and the fortified zone regulations but indicated the amount of the fine to be imposed had not yet been decided upon.

Some vernacular newspapers speculated that the fine might be as high as 3000 yen (\$1500). Others suggested a few hundred yen. A formal announcement of the procurator's recommendations is expected tomorrow.

Lumber Operations Continue Sluggish

SEATTLE, Aug. 14.—(AP) Three hundred and forty-three mills reported to the West Coast Lumbermen's association today operations for the week ending Aug. 8th of 39.74 per cent of capacity, compared with 39.39 per cent the preceding week.

For the first 31 weeks of the year, the mills have operated at 41.43 per cent of capacity, compared to 60.18 per cent for the same period in 1930. Current new business reported for the week by 223 identical mills was 632 per cent under production.

Gangsters In Pen Threaten Warden

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 14.—(AP)—Herbert Smith, warden at the eastern state penitentiary, has been threatened with death if he continues to interfere in a feud between imprisoned members of two rival gangs.

The threat was the purport of an anonymous letter received last night by the warden as he sought the reason for an outbreak Sunday, which sent two convicts to the prison infirmary with serious knife wounds, and five others into solitary confinement.

Wire Report on the Pear Market

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—(U.S.D.A.)—(AP)—Pear auction market, prices stronger. 29 cars arrived; 24 California; 5 Washington cars unloaded; 10 cars on track.

Washington Bartlett's, 530 boxes, fancy, \$1.70@2.00; average, \$1.78.

California Bartlett's, 14,245 boxes, best, \$2.45@3.05; ordinary, \$2.00@2.60; average, \$2.49.

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—(U.S.D.A.)—(AP)—Pear auction market, prices steady. 16 California cars and 5 others arrived; 16 cars sold.

Oregon Bartlett's, 432 boxes, \$1.85@2.15; average, \$1.95.

California Bartlett's, 7628 boxes, \$2.00@2.80; average, \$2.35.

MONMOUTH—Construction of addition to grain warehouse practically completed.

SENATOR SHOT IN N. Y. LOVE NEST; GIRL QUESTIONED

Police Notified Long After
Wounded Man Taken to
Hospital — 'Knew Him
Too Well' Says Girl

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—(AP)—Roy Yates, New Jersey state senator from Passaic county, was shot and seriously wounded early today in an apartment at 201 West 89th street.

He was taken to a hospital and Miss Ruth Jayne, found in the same apartment, was questioned by police.

The hospital was notified by Miss Jayne by telephone at one o'clock this morning that a shooting had occurred in the apartment. An ambulance was sent there and the doctor found the 35-year-old senator in a serious condition.

Police, who said they were not notified of the shooting until three hours after Yates was taken to the hospital, found a pistol in a courtyard in the rear of the apartment. They questioned Miss Jayne, who gave her age as 25. She was incoherent, they said, and could not tell them how the shooting happened, but when they asked if she knew Yates they asserted she replied: "Yes, too well."

Dr. Maier, the ambulance surgeon, said that Miss Jayne's neck showed black and blue marks and that she told him she could remember nothing except that someone had grabbed her by the throat.

She said she had heard no shot fired and disclaimed ownership or knowledge of the pistol found in a courtyard.

An operation was performed on Yates at the hospital and after he was removed from the operating room doctors said he was resting comfortably.

PATERSON, N. J., Aug. 14.—(AP)—State Senator Roy T. Yates, shot and seriously wounded today in a New York apartment, is vice-president of the Lincoln Trust company of Paterson and vice-president of the Investing Corporation of America of New York.

He was elected to the senate in 1927, and was re-elected for a three-year term last year. He is a prominent clubman in Paterson and belongs to numerous New York City clubs.

Senator Yates is married and has three daughters.

Boy Loses Fingers Playing With Cap

BAKER, Ore., Aug. 14.—(AP)—Jack McClesney, 11 years old, was seriously injured last night when a dynamite cap exploded in his hand.

He had placed a lighted match in the cap. Amputation of several fingers on his left hand will be necessary, surgeons said today. His right hand was badly lacerated and his body and face burned.

The lad was at play in a playhouse in a tree near his home.

Grange Prize Goes To Pendleton Girl

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 14.—(AP) Mary Earnhart Cook of Pendleton was first place in the state in the National Grange Safety Essay contest. It was announced here today by Mrs. Hugh McCall, state Grange lecturer. She will represent Oregon in the national meet at Madison, Wis., with all her expenses paid. In addition she will receive silver medal and a cash prize.

Second place in the contest was won by Elaine Sorenson of Eugene, third by Ruby Holverson of McKinley and fourth by Irene Petzold of Eugene. The contest was open to all junior members of the Grange under 18 years of age.

To Probe Box Fare
SALEM, Aug. 14.—(AP)—The public utilities commissioner today refused an extension of the excursion tariff of the Independent Stages, between Portland and Eugene, pending an investigation and hearing, it was announced here.

Signs of Better Times

(By the Associated Press)

Increase of \$1 a year in dividend on class A stock of U. S. dairy products voted by directors today, placing stock on \$6 annual basis against \$5 previously. Quarterly dividend \$1.50 share declared.

E. W. Beatty, president Canadian Pacific Railway, expressed belief lowest level in present depression been reached, although he finds no tangible evidences as yet of return to normal conditions.

W. T. Culver Lumber company which several years ago purchased stout mill holdings, has taken option on Coos River property leading to several thousand acres timber. Reported intending construct logging railroad to timber.

Net earnings of General Motors, available for common stock for second quarter this year was \$52,778,797, 976,626 from operations same period equal to \$1.22 a share, against \$50. year ago or \$1.17 a share.

Today's BASEBALL

National	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	0	6	1
Boston	1	7	0
Benton and Styles; Brandt and Spohrer.			
Second game:			
Cincinnati	1	5	1
Boston	4	3	0
Kolp, Ogden and Sukeforth; Shered and Cronin.			
Chicago	4	7	4
Philadelphia	14	15	0
Bush, Beech, Sweetland, Teachout and Hartnett; Bengt and Davis.			
Pittsburgh	1	9	0
New York	2	8	0
Spencer and Phillips; Mooney and Hogan.			
American.	R.	H.	E.
Washington	4	10	2
Chicago	5	10	2
Jones and Spencer; Weiland, Caraway and Grube.			
New York	R.	H.	E.
Boston	7	11	1
Cleveland	13	13	1
Ruffing, Pipgras, Weaver and Dickey; Harder and Myatt.			
St. Louis	R.	H.	E.
Boston	2	9	4
St. Louis	12	13	1
Gaston, Morris, McLaughlin and Berry, Conally; Coffman and Bengough.			

FATHER REVEALED AS MURDERER OF DAUGHTERS LOVER

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Body of Cramer Believed Sighted Near Shetlands

HAUGESUN, Norway, Aug. 14.—(AP)—Whether or not the body of an airman sighted off the Shetland Islands was that of Parker Cramer or his radio operator, missing since Sunday on a flight to Copenhagen, was the subject of speculation today.

The master of the Norwegian steamer Sjoelint, which arrived yesterday, reported that his crew had noticed a body clothed in what appeared to be flying togs floating west of the island of Foula Sunday afternoon. Foula is located about 20 miles west of the Shetland Islands.

Battered by heavy storms, the steamer had run into the lee of the Shetlands when the discovery was made, he said, but there was no opportunity to salvage the body. The crew was of the opinion it might have been Cramer or Oliver Paquette, his companion.

Quiz "Crucifixion Democratic Party"

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—(AP)—John F. Curry, leader of Tammany hall, called as a witness before the Hofstadter legislative committee today, branded the investigation a "crucifixion of the Democratic party in this city" and charged the committee with "persecuting the dominant political party here."

Curry's comment came while Samuel Healey, counsel to the committee, was questioning him on the "aid" he is alleged to have given Dr. William F. Doyle, when Doyle was seeking a stay of the 30-day sentence for contempt imposed for his refusal to answer questions of the committee.

Oil Magnate Very Ill Man Is Reported

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 14.—(AP)—Edward L. Doheny, multi-millionaire oil man, was reported seriously ill today but members of his family would issue no statement.

Doheny's personal physician, Dr. L. G. Vinscher, said he would consult the oil man's family later in the day regarding the issuance of a statement and until then he would not comment on his patient's condition. He did, however, deny the report that Doheny, who is 75 years of age, had suffered a paralytic stroke.



WILL ROGERS
says:

BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., Aug. 13.—One of the most astonishing things I ever read was in the paper publishing facts and figures that there has been over \$300,000,000 swindled by fake stocks, and mines, proposals of marriage and all sorts of schemes, just from mostly widows, alone here in Los Angeles. Now there is no harder earned money in the world than earned by a wife, and then be simp enough to let some guy talk her out of it. They say it's worse in California than anywhere, it's either the climate, or widows are dumber. About the only way I see to lick these male sharpers is not to leave your wife anything, that will get even with those slickers.

Will Rogers
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