

The Weather
showers tonight; Thursday fair;
not much change in temperature.
Temperature
Highest yesterday 82
Lowest this morning 62

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BONUS MEASURE VOTED BY HOUSE

Comment
on the
Day's News
By FRANK JENKINS

THE Medford Rotary club is carrying out this summer a community promotion project that is so original, so attractive, and in all probability will be so effective, that in this writer's judgment it will be imitated all over the country.

BRIEFLY, it is this:

Large oil paintings depicting both the scenic attractions and the agricultural and industrial life of the Southern Oregon country are being prepared, and these paintings will be placed at carefully chosen points along the Pacific highway to the north and the south, and also along the Redwood highway.

About 40 different subjects will be included, or a total of about 120 paintings for the three highways.

These paintings will be wholly instructive, and are not to be confused in any way with advertising signs.

The only possible suggestion of advertising lies in the statement carried on each painting that further information regarding the attractions depicted may be obtained at Medford.

These paintings, which are on metal, in colors resistant to sunlight and covered with a protective coating of waterproof varnish, will be mounted on large easels, and the locations will be chosen carefully in order to secure the best lighting effects.

DOOM IN SENATE CERTAIN ASSESS MEASURE'S FOES

House Vote is 209 to 176 in Favor of \$2,400,000,000 Cash Outlay On Ex-Service Men's Certificates

WASHINGTON, June 15.—(AP)—The \$2,400,000,000 bonus bill passed by the house was received by the senate today at 4:33 p. m.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—(AP)—The immediate cash payment of the \$2,400,000,000 soldiers' bonus certificates demanded by 20,000 former service men in the senate was approved today by the house.

The measure now goes to the senate where leaders claim enough votes for a rejection. President Hoover has promised a veto if the legislation reaches the White House.

The Patman bill passed by the house would redeem bonus certificates at their face value in new treasury notes distributed to the veterans through the federal reserve banks.

To Issue Bonds

Before final approval, the measure was amended to provide an equal issue of government bonds to be used for retiring the currency if the dollar became too cheap.

Former service men packed the galleries as the vote was taken. It represented one step toward victory in their demand for the bonus legislation.

The vote for the measure was 209 to 176.

Senator Thomas (D., Okla.) planned to ask for an immediate veto in the senate when the bill reached there from the house.

This would require unanimous consent to dispense with the usual procedure of referring the bill to a committee but leaders indicated they would accept the suggestion.

A single objection, however, would require the bill to be sent to the senate finance committee for study.

Coolidge Boomed in Secret Meeting of Delegates

BASEBALL RESULTS

Brooklyn	5 11 1
Cincinnati	1 7 0
Lucas and Lombardi; Clark and Sukeforth.	
St. Louis	4 8 0
Philadelphia	7 12 0
Johnson, Stout and Mancuso; Holey and V. Davis.	
(Called end 6th—in.)	
Chicago	3 8 1
New York	6 8 0
Malone and Hartnett; Fitzsimmons and Hogan.	
Pittsburg	5 15 2
Boston	2 5 0
Meine, Swift and Grace, Padden; Brandt and Spohrer.	
American	3 10 5
Cleveland	9 14 1
Michaels, Lisenbee, Moore and Tate; Farrell and Sewell.	
New York	1 6 2
Chicago	3 6 1
Penneck and Dickey; Jones, Faber and Grube.	

WETS ROUSED BY G. O. P. PROPOSAL FOR DRY PLANK

Declaration Against Submission of 18th Amendment to States Brings Quick Opposition in Convention

CHICAGO, June 15.—(AP)—The three page administration prohibition resubmission plank was laid before the republican resolutions committee today and evoked immediate opposition from the wets.

"The plank contains the declaration that 'we do not favor the submission of the 18th amendment to the states for retention or repeal.'

It then declares the republicans in favor of congress submitting a substitute to the states which will retain the great gains already made under prohibition and which will protect the states in their desire to make prohibition laws and protect all people against the return of the saloon."

The first two pages of the prohibition document described as unsettled economic conditions of the country and the need for focusing national attention on these at this time.

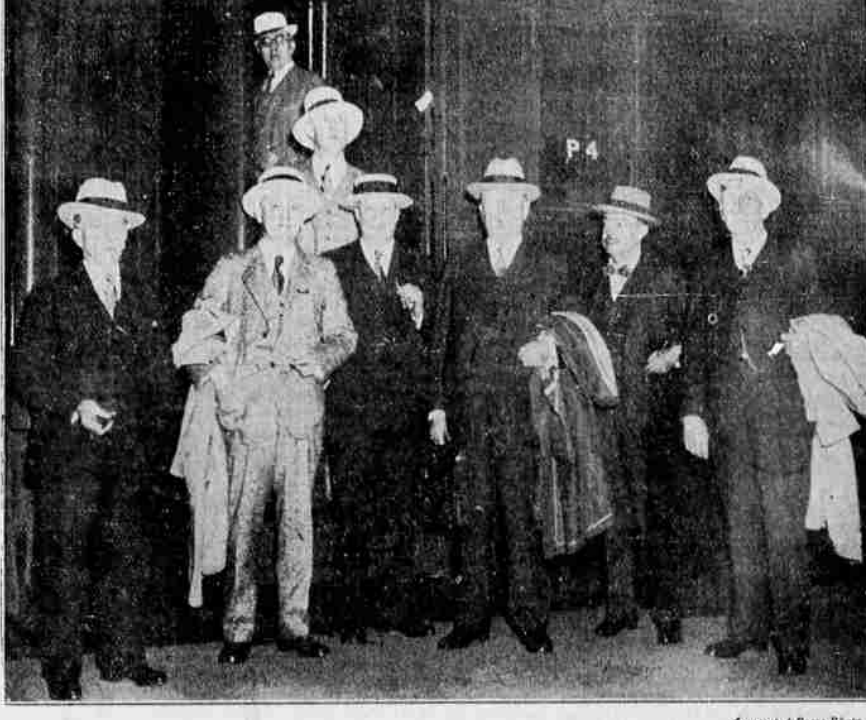
There was also considerable discussion of the methods by which the constitution might be amended, including the provision for state conventions allowed under article five.

James R. Garfield, chairman of the committee, put the plank before the members with a detailed explanation and defense.

He argued it was a sound principle that the national government should have control of the liquor traffic and said the people were looking forward to some change in the present set-up and had the right to know what to expect.

Senator Bingham of Connecticut assailed the proposal as 'an attempt to avoid the issue by holding out a spurious plan which as first sight seems to restore state rights, but which permits congress to hold the whip hand over the states on liquor control.'

OREGON'S DELEGATION IN RALLY ROW



All, but one, of these Oregon republicans attending the national convention in Chicago were for the nomination of Joseph I. France, former senator from Maryland, as the presidential candidate. Left to right: Roy Myers of Oregon City, Milton R. Kiepper, Stanley Meyers, W. L. Thompson, Russell Hawkins, all of Portland; Frank Darby of Salem, and in back row on steps, Wilbur Henderson of Portland.

JERSEYITES LEAD SURPRISE MOVE FOR RE-ELECTION

Outstanding Orator Sought to Sway Convention for Calvin — Opposition to Curtis Seen Dwindling

CHICAGO, June 15.—(AP)—A movement originating in the New Jersey delegation led to a secret meeting late today of delegates from several states to attempt to work out a plan for putting Calvin Coolidge in the nomination for presidency.

The participants acted as individual delegates and not as representatives of their delegations.

They sought an outstanding orator who might be able to sway the convention.

They expressed dissatisfaction with President Hoover's record and his attitude toward prohibition.

One of the participants was Murray Coggshall, a New York and New Jersey banker and an outright republican. He is a district delegate from New Jersey.

CHICAGO, June 15.—(AP)—Opposition to Charles Curtis dwindled today as word rapidly spread on the convention floor that Vice G. Dawes would not accept the vice presidential nomination.

It was generally conceded the Kansas nomination would have little difficulty in getting him the nomination. Even Texas, which took the initiative in supporting Dawes, virtually conceded that with Dawes' statement, Curtis would be named.

By Byron Price
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

CHICAGO STADIUM, June 15.—With a new show of confidence, the Hoover lieutenants steered the republican convention unflinchingly today through a second session which raised enthusiasm to the peak of a twenty minute demonstration for the president.

In old-time fashion, delegates from every state paraded their banners to the tune of "California, Here I Come," singing and clapping their hands, laughing and yelling, determined, it seemed to leave no doubt this is a Hoover convention.

The get through routine business and adjourned until 8 p. m. when the battle over a prohibition plank is to go to the floor and probably sweep on far into the night.

The only actual business was ratification of the work of several committees. Even a credential report settling the explosive controversy over southern leadership, and excluding the veteran "Wildcat" Tolbert of South Carolina from the convention, was adopted without debate or a roll call.

RAY GILL SLATED AS STATE GRANGE CHIEF NEXT YEAR

SILVERTON, Ore., June 15.—(AP)—Ray W. Gill, Portland, will head the Oregon State Grange for the next year, it was learned here today prior to the annual election of officers to be held tonight. He had received the popular vote of the subordinate Granges in the state.

The Grange yesterday went on record favoring the Volstead act completely, a resolution passed unanimously stating: "In our modern civilization with swift moving transportation of automobiles, railroads and aeroplanes, there is no place for intoxicating drinks; in fact, our safety, health, happiness and industry demand that prohibition be maintained."

Other officers elected by popular vote are: Bertha J. Beck of Albany, secretary; M. C. Glover, Eagle Creek, overseer; Marie Flint McCall, Salem, lecturer. The new master and the secretary will be members of the State Grange executive committee.

Others elected to the committee are Walter Pierce of La Grande, George A. Palmer of Clackamas county, Dr. Albert A. Slaughter of Portland. Nine other officers will also be elected. Total membership in the Oregon State Grange is now 21,894, with 322 active Granges, the secretary's report revealed at the close of the first day's session of the convention. Only one Grange dropped out in the past year and 16 subordinate Granges and 11 juvenile organizations were added to the list.

A resolution introduced by the temperance committee, submitted by Russellville Grange of Multnomah county, urged the education of youth on the evils of alcohol and tobacco, and urged that this be incorporated in the teaching of the public schools of the state.

BUG CAUSES AUTO WRECK, BRINGING INJURIES TO TWO

A "big bug" caused the accident on the Crater Lake highway yesterday which brought injuries to Mrs. A. Sprague and Maxine Kennedy. The little girl, observing the bug's entry into the car, became alarmed and demanded the attention of Mrs. Sprague, who, as a result, ran her auto off the highway and into a ditch, beyond McLeod.

Mrs. Sprague received head and chest injuries in the wreck and the little girl a broken arm. The two were removed from the Sacred Heart hospital today in a much improved condition. They were enroute from Medford to government camp, where Maxine's mother is employed as chief cook, when the accident occurred. Mrs. Sprague is also employed at the camp as an assistant.

COOKING SCHOOL TO OPEN AT TWO SHARP

The Homemakers' Bureau Cooking School, now being conducted at the Fox Rialto theatre, will commence promptly at 2 o'clock Thursday and Friday afternoons. The sessions will close at 4 o'clock, providing an interesting two-hour program for southern Oregon housewives.

LIONS JOIN MOVE TO BRING RELIEF FOR UNEMPLOYED

Committee was appointed by the Lions club at luncheon today noon at the Hotel Holland to represent the organization at the open meeting for consideration of the unemployed plan for relief of E. M. Wilson for Monday night, June 20 at 8 o'clock at the Jackson county courthouse. On the committee, named by Lion President G. W. Newberry, are Lorna H. T. Hubbard, E. R. White and Earl Poy-Lawrence Pennington, will work with the committee.

The plan, developed by the recently organized Medford Association of the Unemployed was presented at the club luncheon by J. C. Barnes, who requested representation from the club at the Monday night meeting. Barring upon a system of bartering, the plan provides for an exchange of necessities for labor. The aim is to keep the unemployed within their present homes, supplied with light, water and food.

At the meeting Monday night all service clubs, industrial and financial institutions, city and county governments will be represented. It is hoped to name a Medford Ways and Means committee to cooperate with the Association of Unemployed.

Medford's problem will be one of the greatest in the state, second only to Portland's, Mr. Barnes stated, because of the advantageous location and climate of the city. These two and the advertising, which has been done, invite the unemployed into the region, he explained.

The musical program for today's luncheon was furnished by George Andrews, young soloist, and his mother, Mrs. George Andrews, who accompanied him at the piano. His program included "Without a Song" and "Old Man River," which were followed by enthusiastic applause, which continued until he consented to an encore, "Smuggle On Your Shoulder."

Webster Clark was program chairman for the luncheon.

KLAMATH FLOODS SWEEPING TOWARD HUGE GRAIN AREA

KLAMATH FALLS, June 15.—(AP)—Hope for keeping flood waters from an additional 5600 acres of Tule lake grain land was virtually gone today, with the probability that strong afternoon winds would whip the water into waves and sweep out the remaining barrier.

Such a wind late yesterday broke down the last dike protecting Cox Brothers land and 400 additional acres were inundated. This allowed the water to move against an old dike, the weakest one on the south side of the Tule lake sump, where it was halted temporarily.

Seepage from the flood areas have already undermined this structure and although workmen are struggling desperately to strengthen it, it appears unlikely that it can hold back the waters. This water is coming from the sump, a reservoir of irrigation drainage and what is left of Tule lake. By reason of the new dike yesterday, the water outflow of the sump has receded to a lower level than that in the sump, giving the flow from the sump a greater pressure.

In addition to a heavy cash loss in grain crops, the flood damage may have a serious effect on the supply of stock feed in the Tule lake area next winter. In the past winter this rich area provided feeding grounds for thousands of head of cattle from California, and Lake and Deschutes counties in Oregon.

VETERAN CLUBBED BY WIFE'S LOVER

OAKLAND, Cal., June 15.—(AP)—Harry A. Nelson, deputy county assessor and a member of the famed "104th battalion" during the World war, lay near death today, his skull fractured by a marauder who bludgeoned him as he lay in bed.

Police said Claude Forbes, 25, who sloped May 30 with Nelson's estranged wife, had confessed he clubbed Nelson early yesterday for "revenge."

Forbes' wife, Mrs. Muriel Forbes, has been hospitalized at the Nelson home as being kept by the last three months. She said she was glad to get rid of her husband when he eloped with her employer, because he "never had a job."

SENTENCE MEANS TO 15 YEARS FOR RANSOM SWINDLE

WASHINGTON, June 15.—(AP)—Gaston B. Means today was sentenced to 15 years' imprisonment for swindling Mrs. Evelyn Walsh McLean of \$104,000 in an alleged plan to return the kidnaped Lindbergh baby.

Justice James M. Proctor in the District of Columbia supreme court, sentenced the former justice department investigator to 10 years on the charge of \$100,000 ransom money and five years for larceny of \$100,000 ransom money. The latter sentence is to begin after the 10-year sentence has been fulfilled.

Justice Proctor, in addressing Means, said "the verdict reveals that the defendant capitalized not only on the sweetest and tenderest emotions of the human heart, but also on the basest in his clever and adroit plan."

BANKERS WAITING CHECK TAX RULES

Medford bankers are awaiting definite information regarding the federal check tax, they announced when interviewed today, and until such information is received will be unable to inform the people as to the manner in which the tax will operate.

Requests for complete explanation of the tax and its workings have been forwarded the Oregon State Bankers' association. As soon as this information is received the people will be advised through the newspapers of the methods to be used in handling the new tax, and the date upon which it will become effective.

GOVERNOR GIVEN DISTINCTIVE TAGS

SALEM, June 15.—(AP)—Governor Julius L. Meier's private automobiles this year will bear special automobile license plates, it was learned today. The number 100,000; 111,111 and 222,222 were presented him by Hal E. Hoss, secretary of state, upon receipt of license payments.

The governor had requested numbers 1, 2 and 3 but these were placed in the early drawings. Last year the governor requested special numbers but was refused. This will be the only exception to the rule of no special numbers, the department of state announced.

TWO ARMY AIRMEN KILLED IN SMASHUP

NORFOLK, Va., June 15.—(AP)—Lieutenant Commander Herbert C. Rodd of Ohio was killed and Chief Aviation Pilot H. A. Peltis, probably fatally injured this afternoon when a navy flying plane piloted by Commander Rodd crashed at sea, colliding with the naval base here. Commander Rodd was engaged in testing the plane.

FIREMEN CALLED WHEN COON INVADERS MEDFORD

A raccoon that has been roosting in the trees in the backyard of C. E. (Pop) Gates was captured last evening by the fire department and added to their zoo after considerable tree climbing, excitement and screaming on the part of the women present. Before the aged and agile raccoon was captured he put up a valiant defense.

The animal is thought to have been in the Gates trees for some time. Pop Gates has been kept awake for two nights by the barking of his grandson's dog. It was thought there were burglars in the vicinity. Yesterday afternoon, George Gates, Jr., made a personal investigation and located the raccoon in a tree top.

The chickens of the neighborhood acted squeamish but all household aids were detailed by the dog's barking.

The fireman wanted to capture the raccoon is an expert coon hunter and appeared with a broom handle with

TRASH FIRE SMOKES COURT HOUSE WALL

A trash pile at the new county court house caught fire late yesterday afternoon and was extinguished by the fire department. The lime-stone on the basement wall was smoke tainted and water marked, but the damage was listed by Superintendent Turner as "hardly worth mentioning." A carelessly tossed cigarette is blamed.

Preliminary steps for completion of the painting contract are under way and the painting will start within the next ten days. Superintendent Turner insists that the paint applied contain the specified amount of pigment and be of standard grade.

KUBLI BARN AND HAY BURNED EARLY TODAY

A barn and 600 tons of hay belonging to Mrs. Mad Kubli of Appleton were completely destroyed by fire this morning when fire broke out under the wagon in which the hay was hauling hay, it was learned here this morning.

The complete loss was covered by insurance.

Oswego.—R. McLaughlin moved his plumbing and heating establishment to location on First street between A and B avenues.

ROSE FESTIVAL OPENS PORTLAND TOMORROW

PORTLAND, Ore., June 15.—(AP)—Portland's annual rose festival will begin tomorrow with the coronation of Frances Kanzler as queen of Rosaria.

Seven thousand school children will present a colorful combination parade and drill, one of the outstanding features of the festival. The floral parade will be held Friday.

DIZZY DEAN QUITS CARDS IN 'HUFF'

PHILADELPHIA, June 15.—(AP)—Jerome Herber Dean, better known as "Dizzy" Dean, has left the St. Louis Cardinals.

Dean caught a train for St. Louis early today, declaring he was thru with the world champions because they had not treated him right.

Dean, one of the most eccentric pitchers in the major leagues, has kept the St. Louis club on tenterhooks dealing with his pranks all season. Several times before he had threatened to quit.

It was learned Dean felt he had not received favors he desired from the Cardinals and left the city "in a huff."

REMEMBER, please, that this idea is being financed entirely from Medford. When you do that, you will get a better understanding of the spirit of fairness to all of Southern Oregon that is being displayed.

BACK of this project is a sound idea in guest travel promotion. That idea is this:

If communities along the great travel routes are to benefit adequately from the expenditures of those who travel over these routes, interest in attractions back from the highways themselves must be stimulated, so that people will stop to see them instead of pushing on through.

The traveler who rolls through the country at 50 miles an hour, with his eyes fixed on distant horizons, doesn't leave much money in the communities he passes through. The real money comes from guest travel so to those communities that are successful in stopping travel guests for several days at a time.

That is the thought that is back of these beautiful pictures of the Southern Oregon country. They are intended to arouse interest and cause people to stop.

HERE are some interesting figures gathered by the Medford Rotary club:

Ninety thousand people, on the average, pass over the Pacific highway every month of the year. That is a big audience. If it gets from these

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