The Weather Forecast: Rain Sunday; normal temperature. Temperature . 66 Highest yesterday Lowest this morning

Twenty-Seventh Year

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TO ALL POINTS

Plan Of President Will Per-

mit Arrival Of Funds At

Smaller, More Distant

Institutions Is Reported.

That Medford's banks may be re-opened Tuesday loomed as a possibility upon receipt late saturday night of a dispatch from San Fraucisco placing the city in the category of those having clearing house associa-tions. While there had been some doubt as to the clearing touse system here qualifying the city for the Tuesday opening provided under President Roose-relt's plan, receipt of the dis-patch would seem to indicate such qualification, according to local hankers.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11-(AP)

BEFORE OPENING

No. 299.

CONTINUED QUAKES ADD TO RUIN Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS BANKS throughout the country are closed, and as these words are written nobody knows when they will open-although we all have high nopes

Closing of the panks places a staggering handleap on business. It piles untold annoyances on EVERY-BODY. Practically NOBODY is free from the hardships that are involved in the present situation.

But on all sides there is a goodnatured acceptance of these hardships. There is practically NO complaining. People are taking it and laughing about it and cracking jokes about it.

GOOD for Southern Oregon. You can't lick people who are able to laugh about their troubles.

ANYWAY, people are learning something about the function of gold in the modern business world. We're getting education out of the bank panic, even if we're getting

nothing else. We'll all be first rate sconomists by the time it's over. If you doubt that, stand on any street corner and hear how easily all the problems we're facing are solved.

CUSTOMER came into a store vesterday with a \$75 state of Oregon check, which ought to be good if anything is good. He was in the mood to spend money, but he couldn't get change because the store didn't have the cash with which to make change.

So they worked it out this way: The customer bought what he wanted and the store took his check and gave him credit for the balance. But he still needed eight dollars to make some absolutely necessary purchases. So, against his credit, the store at cong Berdi gave him a \$5 county warrant and of the quake. \$3 in silver and he went away happy. We'll be swapping chips and whetatones yet.

A PTER a week of unprecedented diaturbance, it acema still to this writer that government guar-antee of bank deposits would be the surest and in the long run the cheapest method of insuring the stability of our banking system and stability of confidence serve as a foundation for the bank credit that is the very lifeblood of

Medford Banks May Open on Tuesday Comment DEATH TOLL PLACED AT 125 WITH THOUSANDS INJURED AND PROPERTY LOSS OF MILLIONS IN CALIFORNIA

Nerves Of Harassed People In Los Angeles Area Rasped By Continued Temblors-Scientists Say Earth May Continue To Shake For Days - Long Beach Worst Hit Suffers Most-Reconstruction Fund To Relief.

Earthquake Loss by Citles

LONB BEACH, Calif., March 11.--(AP)-The fourth sharp carthquake less than an hour was feit here at 10:32 o'clock tonight.

By RENNIE TAYLOR Associated Press Staff Writer LOS ANGELES, March 11.-(/P)-Southern California trembled tonight as she measured her earthquake dead in hundreds, her injured in thou-

sands and her property damage in tens of millions of dollars. tens of millions of dollars. Récurring earth abocks, in addition to the 23 major convulsions that kill-ed many and maimed and haraased the densely populated metropolitan arcs, kept mapping at the already raw nerves of the two million.

nerves of the two million. Shocks Rasps Nerves As afternoonu wore on into night the less severe shocks got beyond count. Grief, auffering and fear edged into the wide picture of death and destruction as the citizenry watched the corpse hunters fill the marble slabs of the morgues, read the cas-ualty list and inspected the far-flung ruins, all the while keeping on edge for the recurring shocks which actfor the recurring shocks which sci-entists said might continue for days

or even weeks. The ever changing casually figures stood unofficially tonight at 125 dead and possibly 5,000 injured, including overything from acratches and bruis-ed heels to cases that may prove fatal. The number of persons requiring ac-tual hospital treatment was estima-

ted at 1.000 for the entire area. Heavy Property Damage cepting the courts' issuance of war-recoperty damage was estimated at least \$45,000,000, including wrecked business buildings and schools, brok-en utility lines damaged streets and harbor channels. Bodies were still sought in ruins Alert to prevent possible vandal-ism, locting and shouls hore the order to another committee to present the another committee to make a survey ted at 1.000 for the entire area

Alert to prevent possible vandal-fact to prevent possible vandal-ism. locting and ghoulish acts. United States sallors and marines from the battle fleet at San Pedro, national guardamen and American Legion-batter the sale and american Legion-

Relief Action Taken Swift action to alleviate grief, pain and privation was taken when relief authorities decided that a portion of the more than \$4.000.000 alloted to the state March 3 by the reconstruc-tion finance corporation might be diverted quickly to that end. The application of martia has use

The solution of the bank credit once more available, business.
With bank credit once more available, business men will find it possible to carry on productive enterprises, providing employment for these who need it, which in turn will provide the buying power to bring back prosperity.
Only confidence in the banks will bring bank credit back. Whatever brings confidence will be worth whatever it costs.
The cost of government guarantee of deposita would not be prohibitive.
Bank de seven deaths and the remainder of size of government guarantee of the mortality list was divided to point area.
The application of martial law was a divided to the souther or commerce and the souther or commerce the condemnation of all buildings uncomposed by the Souther Ore-gon Mining association. Mrs. McConduct and the souther or remained to a small suburb of Los Angels. reported 17 deaths. Hunting associates of the souther Oregon hills. whatever it costs.
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The house of representatives voted impeachment of Federal Judge Harold Louderback of San Francisco for "misdemeanors in office." The case went from the 126, Property damage: Long Beach, \$25.000.000; Compton, \$12.000.000 to \$15.000.000; Huntington Dark, \$2.500.000; Lynwood, \$1.000.000; South Gate, \$600.000; Los Angeles, \$1.000.000; remainder scattered. house to the senate for trial. (Associated Press Photo)

PROPERTY OWNERS MEDFORD PEOPLE ANXIOUSLY AWAIT FAVOR WARRANTS WORD FROM KIN

Rental property owners, who met Friday evening in the courthiouse aud-itorium, passed a resolution, "that the assemblage go on record as favoring the continuance of the policy of ac-cepting the courts' issuance of war-While southern California was rocked again and again by earth-quakes yesterday in one of the greatcat disasters in coast history, relatives in southern Oregon panic strick-

measages received after long waiting from the earthquake zone. One J. C. Embry, found in the list of dead the name of a relative, his niece. Dorothy Kaine, 18, of 29 Zane attent. Long Beach. A measage from the south, an-nounced that Denton Clark of this city, visiting in Santa Monica, had

city, visiting in Santa Monica, had been injured in the quake, but not

Aeriously. An optimistic note was received by wire by James H. Owen from his two sons, Harry and Arthus of Los An-geles and San Pedro. "Owen family fine. First reports of earthquake greatly exagorated," it read, in good old California style PANS FIRST GOLD

Another wire from Miss Stella Mer-

Beach by motor yesterday, driving through the thick of the disaster, arrived in Medford, uninjured this eve-

Faces Impeachment GROWERS TO GET HARVESTING LOAN

Suspected Kidnaper Of Cus-Money To Start Immediately After Banks Re-Open Is Word Spokane Regional Manager For R. F. C.

SPOKANE, Wash., March 11 .-- (P)m. Friday, George Manning 35, as-

SPOKANE wash. March $11 - (d^2) - R$. E Towle, manager of the Spokane regional agricultural credit corpora-tion, said he was authorized by the reconstruction finance corporation to-day to make loana up to 50 cents a box for 1933 winter pear and apple production. The loans will be made mmediately after the national bank-

tives in southern Oregon panic strick-en with fear for their welfare, were telephoning and calling at the Mail Tribune, searching through the list of cannaites for names they hoped would not be there and reporting messages received after long waiting from the earthquake sone.

Absence of a credit corporation in this district is given as the reason for non-inclusion of the Medford region up to the present, in benefits from the Reconstruction Pinance

Corporation

old California atyle. Jacksonville town team last night

Another wire from Miss Stella Mer-rick, aunt of Emerson Merrick, an-nounced to local relatives that the Merrick family at Long Beach was also safe. Mrs. J. A. Burton, who left Long won the southern Oregon town team basketball championship by defeating Phoenix 50 to 35. The tournament opened Friday evening at Gold Hilli

BONDSMEN EYED IN TAX CHECK-UP

TWO SHOT DOWN PEAR AND APPLE **BY DRUG RUNNER** IN YREKA BATTLE

toms Agent Taken After Gun Fight With Northern California Officers.

In a desperate gun battle on the streets of Yreks, Calif., at 7:15 p.

serted ex-cohvict, narcotte runner, and kkinaper of E. L. Ballinger, U. S. customs pairol officer of Belling-ham, Wash. last Wednesday noon, shot and killed two men, beat an

officer with the butt of his pistol.

ment by the tracks event. Man Hunt Since Thursday Since last Thursday morning, southern Oregin and northern Call-ing for Manning and companies who sharpined E, L. Ballinger, United governor was to patition for a special on duty 25 miles south of Bellinge.

States customs patrol officer, while on duty 35 miles south of Belling-ham, Wash, last Wednesday noon Ballinger was besten into unconham, Wash., last Wednesday noon. Ballinger was beaten into uncon-sciousness, held prisoner for 18 hours in the rear section of a coupe, and left tied to a tree in the Sis-klyou mountains, where he was found by a farmer Thursday morn-

About seven o'clock Friday eve-About seven o'clock Friday eve-ning, the auto checking station near Hilt, Calif. reported to Sheriff Cal-kins at Yreka that Manning was beaded for that city, in the coupe. He was recognized from *z* driver's leense card with the name George Manning upon it. Sheriff Calkins stationed Kent, a traffic officer, and Quigley, who went with him as a driver, near the Pa-cific highway entry to Yreks. The eheriff then prepared to trail Mann-ing into the city. He soon sighted Manning and his blue bodied auto traveling rapidly down the Pacific highway. Sheriff Calkins then start-ed in hot pursuit.

Ignored Halt Command When Sheriff Calkins reached the Yreka city limits, he blew his siren (Continued on Page Five)



Dorothy Ellingson, recently re-leased from prison after serving a term for killing her mother, failed in a suicide attempt in San Fran-cisco after she had been charged with grand theft. (Associated Press Photo)

Tries Suicide



SAN FRANCISCO, March 11—(AP) —Banks in San Francisco were pre-pared to reopen Manday. Batiks in the cilles having clearing houses were permitted to open Tuesday. There are 50 clearing house cilles in the twelfth federal reserve dia-trict, which includes California, Ore-gon, Washington, Idaho, Utah, Nev-sada and Arfzons. The cilles having clearing house associations, which would be expectasociations, which would be expected to resume banking operatio Tuesday, include besides San Fran-Los Angeles, Oakland, Seattle,

WASHINGTON, March 11 - (27) - Aprogressive plan for opening of the sound banks of the nation beginning Monday was announced tonight by President Roosevelt.

poverior was to petition for a special prosecutor to handle cases now pend-ing in Jackson county, particularly those of 16 persons held in connec-tion with the theft of ballots from the courthouse. While here the delegation confer-red with Adjutant General Thomas E. Rilea of the National Guard, rela-tive to permission for rental of the Medford armory for meetings. They said this priviles had been refused President Rosevelt. The program calls for full time op-erations by licensed buiks—both state and national—on Monday in the cit-les where the tweive federal reserve banks are locased. Tuesday the licensed institutions located in places where there are clearing house associations includer.

Medford armory for meetings. They and this privilege had been refused the congress. General Riles later refused to com-ment upon the interview other than to say that armories are under the control of local armory boards, and that as general policy no stiempt is made from the central office here to divide that board of a stiempt is made from the central office here to divide that board of a stiempt is made from the central office here to divide that board of a stiempt is made from the central office here to divide that board of a stiempt is made from the central office here to divide that board of a stiempt is made from the central office here to divide that board of a stiempt is made from the central office here to divide that board of a stiempt is made from the central office here to divide that board of a stiempt is made from the central office here to divide that board of a stiempt is made from the central office here to divide that board of a stiempt is made from the central office here to divide that board of a stiempt is made from the central office here to divide that board board of a stiempt is stiempt in the stiempt basis clearing house associations, including more than 250 cities are in operation

Banks that win approval and are located elsewhere are given authority to proceed on a normal basis Wednes-day. The progressive program was emto dictate their policies. R. C. Cummings, of the Rogue Riv-

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