

The Weather
Forecast: Fair tonight and Tuesday;
no change in temperature.
Temperature
Highest yesterday 83
Lowest this morning 54

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HIGHWAY CRASH MAY COST LIFE



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WASHINGTON, D. C., July 10.—Brain trust stock is now selling on the inside for about 2 cents a share. The short interest is tremendous. That is because it is now growing increasingly clear that the influence of the college professors is not what it used to be. As a matter of fact, it has not been so important (except in the AAA) since the early stages of the new deal. But now it has sunk so low that what is left of the brain trust in the AAA and elsewhere could certainly be indicted by the new securities commission for misrepresentation in selling itself to the country. You would naturally believe from reading the brain trusters' speeches and from noting their chest measurement that President Roosevelt never turned around without consulting them.

BEAGLE COUPLE'S AUTO AND TRUCK HIT NEAR AGATE

Mrs. E. A. Lampman in Hospital With Life Hanging by Thread—Arm Broken and Is Hurt Internally

Mrs. E. A. Lampman, 73, a resident of the Beagle district, lies in the Community hospital, with her life hanging by a thread, as a result of an auto crash, shortly after 1 o'clock this afternoon, with a logging truck, at Agate junction on the Crater Lake highway.

Thursday Deadline for Portland General Strike

Hundreds Pay Tribute to Riot Victims



Part of the tremendous crowd gathered along Market street to witness the funeral cortege of two men fatally wounded in San Francisco riots are shown in the above photo, with the Ferry building, scene of one of the bloody fighting, in the background. Inset: Crowds in front of the International Longshoremen's association as the caskets bearing the bodies of Howard S. Sperry and Nicholas Borioise were carried out to a waiting truck. The riots were an aftermath of a prolonged strike of maritime workers and resulted in the calling out of the National Guard.—(Associated Press Photos.)

MERCHANTS WILL STUDY NEW BANK SERVICE CHARGES

Chairman Isaacs Calls Committee Meeting of Medford, Ashland Men for Tonight After Hearing Harder

Forty merchants were in attendance Monday afternoon at the meeting in the city hall, at which Ben Harder, president of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce and president of the First National bank, explained the checking account charge announced the first of the month by the Medford and Ashland banks.

Drunken Driving In Sharp Upturn On Rrenal Heels

CHICAGO, July 10.—(AP)—The Tribune said today that the number of drunken drivers involved in accidents was 300 per cent greater the first half of this year than during parallel months in 1933, and that the rise coincides exactly with the repeal of national prohibition.

UNION WORKERS OF ALL TRADES TO VOTE WISHES

Policy Committee Will Guide Action if Walkout Decided—Peace Moves Being Made On Many Fronts

PORTLAND, July 10.—(AP) Thursday noon has been set as the deadline for the proposed walk-out of organized labor in the city of Portland. Should peaceful settlement of the protracted waterfront strike not be accomplished by that date, union leaders said plans will be pushed for a general city-wide strike.

HUGE OUTLAY IN RECOVERY, RELIEF SHOWN IN REPORT

By RICHARD L. GRIDLEY (United Press Staff Correspondent) WASHINGTON, July 10.—(UP)—Less than half the government's recovery and relief "war chest" of \$13,115,535,221 has been spent to date, leaving \$6,670,578,408 for use for the same purposes during the next 12 months, the treasury department revealed today.

It seems that a rather quiet, but effective job was done on them by certain influential Democratic congressmen. One senator, in particular, seems to have played David privately to their Goliath. He is the unpublished new senator from Wyoming, Joseph O'Mahoney, 114 U. S. S. N. of General Farley.

LIQUOR SITUATION NOW AT WORST IS CLAIM OF CANNON

LOS ANGELES, July 10.—(AP)—Bishop James Cannon, Jr., of the Methodist Episcopal church discussed liquor and the movies here yesterday during an official business visit as recently appointed bishop of district No. 5, which includes California and other western states.

Twenty Pigs Bring 68 Cts. Profits for Mrs. Mosback

CORVALLIS, Ill., July 10.—(AP)—Mrs. A. Mosback's 20 pigs went to market and netted her the grand total of 68 cents—a little more than 3 cents each for the 1630 pounds of pork she devoted the time and energy to raise.

The Lamppans were coming to this city, according to reports, and the crash occurred shortly after the auto Lamppan was driving came upon the highway from the Agate road. It is thought he did not see the logging truck in time to avert the crash.

Emergency treatment was administered to Mrs. Lampman at the hospital in an effort to save her life. Her condition is regarded as extremely precarious.

The Lamppans are well known in the Beagle district, where they have resided for some time.

According to later reports received by the state police, and reports from residents of the district, Lamppan drove onto the highway directly in front of the approaching lumber truck, which was traveling at a lively pace. The Lamppan auto was completely demolished by the force of the impact.

"I am not such a rabid prohibitionist," he said, "that I fall to see the evils involved in the filming and display of dirty and suggestive films. These pictures reach the eyes of boys and girls whose minds are in the formative stage, and whose entire lives may be affected by the impressions gained through improper motion pictures."

"If, as some statistician has stated, there are 8,000,000 Catholics in this war for purity of the films, you can depend on it that at least twice that many Protestants are aligned in the fight."

Bates Leaves Hospital—Guy Bates, who suffered a fractured skull in a recent auto accident, left the Sacred Heart hospital this morning for his home in Rogue River.

The packing concern must pay a government processing tax of \$2.35 per hundred pounds on the pigs.

The increased tax payments for this year, keep step with bank deposits in this city, which showed an average increase since January 1 last, of approximately 25 per cent over the 1933 six-months period.

The regular weekly ladies' golf tournament at the Rogue River Valley golf course will be held tomorrow noon. It was announced today. A luncheon will be served as usual in the clubhouse.

TAX COLLECTIONS FOR COUNTY SHOW HEALTHY UPSWING

Jackson county tax collections for the first six months of 1934, ending June 30, amounted to \$771,436.32. This lacks but \$96,420.29 of the tax collections for the entire year of 1933. The total 1933 tax collections amounted to \$867,856.61.

The above figures and information are contained in a semi-annual report of the tax collection department of the sheriff's office.

Indications are the 1934 tax collections will approximately double payments of any year since 1928.

Payments date back for the first six months of this year, to 1926, with substantial remittances for 1930, 1931 and 1932—a period of dark depression when demagogues were urging taxpayers not to pay their levies.

Payments this year show a healthy return of confidence, more money and a more cheerful tone among the people. Many of the payments were by government checks, issued for federal projects and relief.

The 1934 tax payments for the first six months totalled \$516,040.35. The 1932 corresponding tax payments were \$138,403.36, for 1931, \$83,388.81, and for 1930, but \$24,445.48.

The comparative figures show that for the first six months of 1933 tax payments amounted to \$434,674.73, and for the second six months, \$433,181.88. The first six months collections of 1934, \$771,436.32, is \$136,762.59 more than for the first six months of 1933.

HALF OF BARTLETT CROP SOLD NOW IS RETER'S ESTIMATE

Raymond R. Reter of the Pinnacle Packing company estimated this morning that 7000 tons of an approximate total tonnage of 13,500 cars of Rogue River valley Bartlett crop had been sold to the canneries, at a price running from \$32.50 to \$35 per ton.

Reter said the total number of cars shipped will be "about the same as last year, and the pear crop is clean, of good sizes, and excellent quality." He said sale prospects were good. Last year's car shipments were about 3000 cars.

Cannery Bartlett prices were announced yesterday by Schuekel and Co., of Oakland, Calif., through their local representative, Court Hall, at \$35 per ton for 2 1/2 sizes and better, \$32.50 for 2 1/4 sizes or better, and \$20 per ton for No. 2 grade.

It was the general opinion among packers and orchardists, that this price would be the peak, though a number of growers held hopes of higher offerings, with some holding for \$37.50 per ton for the top grade.

The Rogue River Orchard Co., yesterday sold 1000 tons of Bartlett at the above prices. Other sales were reported pending. Douglas county Bartlett yesterday sold for \$30 per ton, according to reports.

Orchardists and packing houses are preparing for the start of Bartlett picking next week.

Prospects for the apple crop are also reported as good.

MARTIN RETURNS WITH DETAILS OF ROOSEVELT VISIT

PORTLAND, July 10.—(AP)—Back from the wars of congress, and ready to jump into a new campaign in Oregon, Charles H. Martin, retired major-general and retiring congressman, reached Portland last night from Washington, D. C. He is Oregon's Democratic nominee for the governorship.

He revealed that President Roosevelt, now on a tropic sea cruise, will sail up the Columbia and the Willamette rivers in the cruiser U. S. S. Houston and will dock in Portland at 7 a. m. Thursday, August 2. He will leave at 9:30 a. m. for Bonneville dam. There will be no speech-making here.

Martin said Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt will join the President here and that members of the cabinet will meet the chief executive in Portland, making Portland the capital of the nation for the moment.

PHOENIX YOUTH NEAR DEATH BY DROWNING

PHOENIX, July 10.—(Sp.)—Warren Poling, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Poling, narrowly escaped drowning at Lake of the Woods on the Fourth of July, it was disclosed today. He was swimming about 100 yards from shore when he suffered a heart attack. Gene Calhoun of Sterling, in a boat nearby, saw the youngster going down and jumped in, bringing Warren to shore where artificial respiration was administered.

LADIES' GOLF TOURNEY SET FOR WEDNESDAY

The regular weekly ladies' golf tournament at the Rogue River Valley golf course will be held tomorrow noon. It was announced today. A luncheon will be served as usual in the clubhouse.

TUGWELL HURRIES ON TO PORTLAND

PENDLETON, Ore., July 10.—(AP)—With "no time for politics," Rex Tugwell, under-secretary of agriculture and storm center of the recent senate "brain trust" inquiry, sped westward through Pendleton today to inspect the Hermiton experiment station and then to go to Portland for the night.

The administration also spent a night in Walla Walla. He spent one hour today inspecting the Pendleton experiment plot.

"I haven't five minutes for politics," he declared when urged to chat briefly about the fortunes of politics and the state of the nation.

LA GRANDE WEAR ENGINEER'S CAPS

LA GRANDE, Ore., July 10.—(AP)—La Grande people are to begin wearing black engineer caps with green visors in connection with the staging here next week of the semi-centennial Union Pacific celebration, and 1000 caps will go on sale here tomorrow.

The committee decided that engineer caps would be much more appropriate for this event, which is to commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of the coming of the first railroad to portions of Oregon, than would be the wearing of whiskers or some other similar adornment.

The celebration will be held July 10, 20 and 21.

MACHINE GUNNERS KILL K. C. POLITICAL LEADER

KANSAS CITY, July 10.—(AP)—John Laska, north side political leader, died today of bullet wounds suffered in front of his apartment hotel early today at the hands of unidentified machine gunners. Laska said he did not know who shot him.

Three blood transfusions did no more than to revive the trusted lieutenant of T. J. Pendergast, Democratic leader, who expressed his profound sympathy when he learned of the shooting.

PORTLAND-SALEM TRUCK RATES REVISED UPWARD

SALEM, July 10.—(AP)—Motor freight rates on the Salem-Portland run will be advanced today under a new tariff schedule filed with the Oregon public utilities commissioner by the Salem freight tariff bureau, it was learned last night.

ALCOHOL IMPORTATION BARS LET DOWN AGAIN

WASHINGTON, July 10.—(AP)—For the third time since repeal, the federal alcohol control administration announced today that unlimited importation of liquor would be permitted for two months beginning September 1, in an effort to combat bootlegging and bring down domestic prices.

ROOSEVELT GIVEN COLUMBIA SALUTE

CARTAGENA, Colombia, July 10.—(AP)—President Roosevelt arrived in the harbor here shortly after 10 o'clock this morning on his historic-making visit to South America, the first ever made by an American president.

Two Colombia destroyers met the American battleships outside the deep harbor and a plane flew overhead as guns boomed salute after salute while crowds of Colombians lined the docks of this seaport city.

SANTA MONICA, Cal., July 9.—See by the papers Hitler took a vacation. Most people doing the same thing would have taken one too. The judge would have said: "Now you take a nice rest for about 60 days and some morning at daylight the warden will call you, and from then on you can rest again."

Clerics Join in Battle To Drive Sex From Films

NEW YORK, July 10.—(UP)—Priests, ministers and rabbis—two of each—joined hands today in a pledge to force Hollywood to turn its attention from sex.

The conference, sponsored by Mgr. Michael J. Lavelle, vicar general of the Catholic archdiocese of New York, also was attended by Father Joseph

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