

The Weather
Forecast: Fair tonight and Tuesday;
warmer Tuesday.
Temperature
Highest yesterday 55
Lowest this morning 32

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

WINNER
Pulitzer Award
FOR 1934

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PORTLAND DOCKER SLAIN IN FIGHT



News Behind The News
By PAUL MALLON.
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WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 20.—There has been a lot of whispered speculation about who picked those summer collapsible houses for the cold and blustery substitute of a homestead project at Arthurdale, W. Va. Some people suspected Mrs. Roosevelt because it is her pet project. Others noted a recent quiet change in personnel at the subsistence home.

FACTIONAL STRIFE BREAKS OUT ANEW ON WATERFRONT

Barrage of Rocks Precedes Firing at Building Where Columbia Longshoremen Group Holding Meeting

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 20.—(AP)—Bitter, factional strife dating from the recent coast waterfront strike, was blamed for a waterfront battle in which one longshoreman was shot and killed and another wounded here today.

AL CAPONE GOING TO ALCATREZ IN SECRET TRANSFER

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 20.—(UP)—Al Capone, notorious Chicago racketeer, was enroute today to the federal government's New Island prison for "dangerous" criminals in San Francisco bay, according to reliable reports.

OREGON'S SUPPORT FOR NEW DEALERS ASKED BY MARTIN

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 20.—(AP)—A strong plea for Oregon to go along with the administration by electing democratic state officers was made at the democratic state picnic in Blue Lake park yesterday.

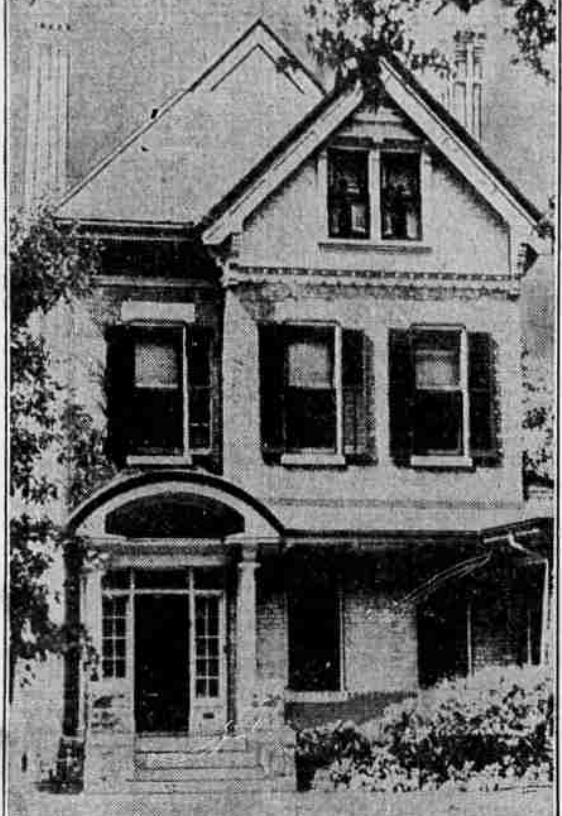
STEINER CONFERS ON CONTROL OF FLOODS

PENDELTON, Ore., Aug. 20.—(AP) Senator Frederick Steiner was here this afternoon conferring with members of the Umatilla river flood control committee.

MUSICAL COMEDY STAR SAYS HUSBAND SUICIDE

HOLLYWOOD, Aug. 20.—(UP)—Jerry Jarnagin, song composer and husband of Irene Franklin, musical comedy star, last night died of gunshot wounds in his home, apparently having committed suicide.

Wealthy Brewer First Canadian Kidnap Victim



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ADJUSTER BARRY GIVES KIWANIANS INSURANCE FACTS

Speaking on "Insurance Adjusting from the Policy Holders' Viewpoint," B. L. Barry, an insurance adjuster, was guest this noon at the regular Kiwanis club meeting, and gave a number of interesting facts concerning fire insurance.

ELKS GREET CHIEF IN BRIEF HALT ON MEDFORD AIRPORT

Michael F. Shannon of Los Angeles Lodge No. 99, National Grand Exalted Ruler of B. P. O. Elks, addressed more than 100 members of Medford, Klamath Falls, Grants Pass and Ashland lodges last evening at the Medford airport on the subject of the fight B. P. O. E. is waging against communism in the United States.

BASEBALL

Brooklyn 2 8 0
Pittsburgh 6 15 1
Babich, Clark, Carroll and Lopez; Swift and Grace.

WARN CONSUMERS OF DROUGHT PROFITEERS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—(AP)—Dr. Fred C. Howe, farm administrator, consumers' counsel, suggested today that consumers watch the drought situation closely to avoid being victimized by unjustified price advances.

FEWER VOTE 'JA' IN AFFIRMATION HITLER'S POWER

Waning Enthusiasm for Dictator Seen in Plebiscite—'No' Votes More Than Twice Those in November

BERLIN, Aug. 20.—(AP)—Adolf Hitler today took cognizance of the 1 out of 10 votes opposition in yesterday's plebiscite with the declaration: "We must and shall succeed in winning over the last 10 per cent of the nation for national socialism."

BOISE BASIN FIRE HARD TO CONTROL

BOISE, Idaho, Aug. 20.—(AP)—Eight hundred and fifty men sought today to stem a forest fire in the Boise basin with all the odds against them—wind, high temperature, low humidity and steep mountain sides covered with powder-dry pines.

MAÇON COMING NORTH TUESDAY

SUNNYVALE, Calif., Aug. 20.—(AP)—The United States navy dirigible Macon will leave here at 8 a. m. tomorrow for a training flight to Seattle, Wash., naval officers at Moffett field announced here today.

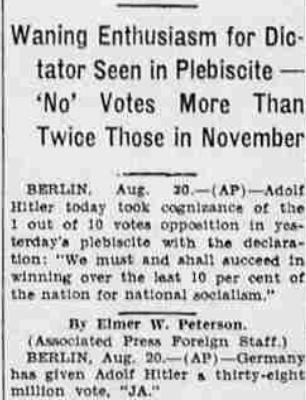
RATTLER'S FANGS PULLED BEFORE PREACHER'S TEST

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Albert Teaster, 39-year-old preacher near Sylva, N. C., is shown as he slowly recovered from the effects of a rattlesnake bite to which he had submitted, he said, because "Jesus told me to do it." The incident, he said, proved "faith" could cure without the aid of medicine. Note his greatly ailed arm. (Associated Press Photo)

BALLOONISTS LAND SAFE AFTER RACE IN STRATOSPHERE

MARIBOR, Yugoslavia, Aug. 20.—(AP)—A balloon that raced through the clouds in stratosphere in the arms of a 70-mile wind, spanning 1100 miles between dawn and dusk, has come to a happy landing.

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New York 13 1
New York 7 13 1
Parnelle, Hubbell and Mancuso; Freitas, Kolp, Kleinhaus and Lombardi.

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