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FLOOD DEATHS, DAMAGE MOUNT Condemn Germany as Treaty Breaker

MR. AND MRS. FAIRBANKS

Here are Douglas Fairbanks and Lady Ashley as they were photo-graphed in Paris together shurtly before their marriage there. The Fairbanks now are on a honeymoon tour of Europe. (Associated Press Photo)



ferocious congressional investigators. The laurel



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Note—The secretary's elusiveness has given rise to erroneous rumors that he is against the presidential tax program. He is very strong for it. What seems to have generated that weak feeling in his chest is the prospect that a congressional appearance would permit Republicans to go after him hard. He does not enjoy political debates.

were without shelter in the western part of the state. With the danger apparently passed at Johnstown, and with the flood waters receding ateadily in the Pitts-Continued on Page Eight.) loy political debates.

House writers of the bill have been equally evasive. They are doing all

they can to evoid publicity.

At one time members of the subcommittee suddenly atopped giving
out information about what they
were doing. They said that Chairing and parties and parties are the suddenly at the suddenly are the suddenly at the suddenly are t

mino Hemmila surveying great hordes of raving kids converging like a dust storm on his movie pal-ace, and looking a hit worried over

palace, just before the Tie losses of palace, just before the to be beavy. performance.

94 Dead Counted, 200,000 Homeless

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WHEELING, W. Va., March 19.—(AP)—Stateen persons were killed today when flood waters of the Ohio roared across the city. Into schools,
churches and anultoriums flooked 20,000 residents, seeking refuge from the
angry river that was pounding against Wheeling.

By R. H. HIPPELHEUSER

committee suddenty state that critical that effect.

Newmann went after Doughton. He dealed giving such an order. But even that his sud-committee members decilied to believe it, and continued to keep eigheit. It was not until newmann forced Doughton to reiter sate his deals in the presence of even sub-committee members—that they such as this deals in the presence of even sub-committee members—that they such as this deals in the presence of even sub-committee members—that they such as this deals in the presence of even sub-committee members—that they such as this deals in the presence of even sub-committee members—that they such as the sub-committee members—that they such as like to pass the tax bill visitions and and the sub-committee members—that thing seeds on the sub-committee members—that they such as many the sub-posts and may have all like to pass the tax bill visitions and and like to pass the tax bill visitions and the habit of collecting money for his accommittee members—that they such as like to pass the tax bill visitions and may be received by Thomas were colds and sciences, expected to the White House news men, emphasizing the force of the situation to the habit of collecting money for his transfer of the situation to relate the company might charge in 1932. The money, if granted, would be expended through the Red Cross.

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AS HAILE TAKES PART Thomas W. Bibb, president, had criticized the paper, saying it needed cleaning up.

In Eleven States

MEDFORD

The laurel goes to Treasury Secretary Morgenthan. It is not yet clear why, but the revenue director of the new deal has tenactionally neglected to appear before the house ways and means committee on the teax bill. He is paid to testify about an administration tax program. The official excuse is that he has been suffering from la grippe. Some of his pals say he calls it "La Belle grippe." It appears to be a peculiar kind with fluctuates widely from and Pittsburgh districts might for the suffering from la grippe. Some of his pals say he calls it "La Belle grippe." It appears to be a peculiar kind which fluctuates widely from and Pittsburgh districts might with which fluctuates widely from the fluctuation that the fluctuates widely from the fluctuates widely from the fluctuation that the fluctuates widely from the fluctuation that the fluctuation the fluctuation that the **RED CROSS FUND** FOR FLOOD AREA

-A. L. Schafer, manager of the Pa-cific coast branch of the American Red Cross, announced today the flood quota for this area is \$275,000, the mestern share of a \$3,000,000 relief fund to be raised for chalern flood sufferent.

sufferers.
"It shouldn't take us long to raise
it," he declared today. "People always
respond to an emergency like this."
The individual area quoles include:

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2.25 and Idabo, \$9,525; Oregon, \$11,525 and Washington, \$35,425.

WASHINGTON, March 19 .- (R)-A the Potomac flood sped to its crest at the capital and government agencies strove to aleviate the disaster, Presi-dent Rooseveit personally inspected the situation near the White House this afternoon.

By proclamation, he appealed for \$3,000,000 of private contributions to the Red Cross.

Rain again was falling while he and Mrs. Roosevelt, accompanied by

PORTLANDER'S BROTHER ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia, March 15. VICTIM EASTERN FLOOD old-age assistant program for Ore- Portland president for the 10th suc-

ADDIS ABABA. Ethiopia, March 18.

Fig.—A desperate battle was reported in progress today near Amba Alaji.

Emperor Haile Selassie, is was said, and ever so many more students so controlled with youthful exhiberance and noise that they had to be advised to the place to the place

\$5,757 EXPENDED IS SET ASIDE BY DURING FEBRUARY ORDER OF COURT IN COUNTY RELIEF

Rain again was failing while he and Mra Roosevelt, accompanied by Secretary Dern, chairman of the presidential flood aid committee rode to perhanent today a temporary incanning the river overflow in the Potomac park section.

The rushing waters were clearly visible from the White House.

In the senate, a resolution authorizing the president to transfer \$10.00,000 from relief funds to help in Pennayivania was introduced by Senator Guiffey, (D., Pa.)

The money, if granted, would be expended through the Red Cross.

Acting Surgeon General W. F. Draper offered to provide sanitary engineers, and such supplies and medical personnel as may be needed in preventing disease.

After talking with the flood committee, Mr. Roosevett gave a personal explanation of the situation to the PORTLAND, Ore. March 19 .- (AP)

Hospitalization in February mounted to \$1291.50, with drugs at \$146.95. General colds and sickness, expected to fade with the coming of spring weather, kept the amount high.

Old size pension payments in February amounted to \$2272. Under the new plan, this amount is expected to be doubled as soon as details are worked out. Under the new setup, the county relief board has charge of old age pensions, with the county court acting in an advisory capacity. Other relief expenditures were:

Poor farm, \$776.75; burials, \$75, Red Cross, \$125; mothers' aid, \$791.50.

County expenditures from all funds

-The Oregon State Motor associa-tion elected Dr. E. B. McDaniel of

PORTLAND, Ore., March 19.-(AP)

to county relief committees.

kins of La Grande.

ELDERLY ORGANIST FAKED HOLDUP TO SLAY WIFE, CLAIM

Los Angeles Man Held After Accusing Youth - Three Life Insurance Policies Would Benefit Husband

LOS ANGELES, March 12.—(P)—samuel L. Whittaker, 60-year-old re-ired organist, was placed in technical custody by police in connection with the slaying of his wife, Mrs. Eth el E. Whittaker, whom he reported shot and killed by a robber. The detention of Whittaker came after James Pagan Culver, 23, of Hen-

derson, Ky., told Detective Lieuten derson. Ky. told Detective Lieuter-nan Thad Brown that Whittaker kill-ed his 44-year-old wife after arranging with Culver to perpetrate a take hold-up of the couple in their apartment Monday.

Culver, arrested a few minutes after the slaying in an adjoining room-ing youse, where officers found him bathing bullet wounds in his arm and chest, has been held on suspicion

Brown said Culver suddenly changed his story on requestioning last night after steadily maintaining to officers that his wounds had been inflicted by a mysterious fugitive whom he encountered fleeing on the roof of

his rooming house.

Yesterday Whittaker pointed his cane at Culver and told police that (Continued on Page Two.)

LOCAL SAWMILL

STARTS APRIL 6

The Medford Corporation (Owen-Oregon Lumber company) now plans to start its sawmill here, Monday, April 8, James H. Owen, general manager, reported today. The bucking and failing of timber in the Butte Palis district started today and logging operations are scheduled to get underway next week.

The plant is a content of the second days contents, Benson nosing out a school early in the game had garnered a 10 to 0 point lead. Unapine B team from Umatilla to county by a score of 33 to 22 in the opening consolation game.

Olson, a guard, dropped in two baskets in the last minute of play to give Bend a 21 to 20 victory over La Grande.

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pected to go to the jury soon, pos-siniy by tonight if Linday concludes his argument.

Income Shares

Meryland Punding, bid 19.42; asked 1 seed 1.70

Oregon Autoists Speed Crazy Is Oldfield Charge

PORTLAND, Ore., March 19.—
(AP)—Barney Oldfield, famous race driver, said today that "everybody is speed mad in Oregon."
"Oregon motorists are driving faster on the open highways than Californiana," he said, "I drove in Irom Salem at 45 miles are hour.

rom Salem at 45 miles an hour, and all along the way cars passed me up as if I were tied down to the road.

"We have got to cut down our speed if we are going to cut down socidents."

He is on a national tour preach-

ASHLAND TRIMMED 27-24 BY BENSON

BALEM, March 19,-(AP)-Rose salasm, March 19,—100sc-burg, Umapine and Asiland high schools were eliminated from further competition in the state basketball tournament today when they were defeated by Salem, Mill City and Benson high of Fortland respectively, in the first three games of the con-solution series.

in the first three games of the consolation series.

The winner will compete further
for fifth place in the tournament
against the winner of the La Grande
and Bend contest which will be
played early in the afternoon. The
loser of this contest, like the three
other losers, will return to their
homes before the tournament is half
over.

Salem high defeated Roseburg 41

to 28.

The Benson high-Ashland game proved the closest of the second days' contests, Benson nosing out a

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IN AUTO COLLISION
WALLA WALLA March 19—(AF)
Breece Young, 24, of Dayton, was
en, hit-and-run driver, State Police

LEAGUE COUNCIL IS UNANIMOUS IN **VOTE OF CENSURE**

Question of What to Do About It Comes Tomorrow-Hitler's Spokesman Argues Action Justified

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Press.
LONDON, March 19.—(P)—The council of the league of nations condemned the German government under Reichsfuehrer Hitler as a treaty

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breaker todsy.
The vote of the assembled powers
was unantimous.
The league members decided that
Germany had violated both the Versailles and Locarno treaties when she moved troops into the Rhineland which had been ordered demilitarized at the end of the World war. The condemnation came a few

The condemnation came a few hours after Joachim von Ribbentrop, special ambassatior of Hiller had stood before the members and argued that the Cerman course of action in the Rhineland had been justified by France's military assistance pact with soviet Russia. soviet Russia.

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Plan Unacceptable

Earlier in the day, an official German spokesman said that a tentative
plan devised by other Locarno treaty
signatories for settlement of the
Rhineland dispute was "wholly unacceptable" to Germany.

It was the first time in more than
two years that a representative of
Germany had spoken in the league of
nations, for Hitler withdrow the reich
from the international body in 1933

(Continued on Page Two.)

SELECT JURY FOR

Selection of a jury in the circuit court trial of A. Orin Schenck against Dr. R. W. Sleeter and others for allocation of the control of the court of of his father's will.

of his father's will.

Richard Sleeter, minor son of the defendant, and Richard Reum, a passenger at the time of the accident, are also named as defendants.

The complaint sets forth that Daniel R. Schenck, while crossing West Main street at Mistletoe arrest on July 9, 1935, was struck and injured by an authorities by Richard Sleeter.

Browne was cut and stunned.

en, hit-and-run driver, State Policy fatally injured early today when his auto addeswiped the auto of Roy Brower, 24, of Waitaburg, 14 miles northeast of here on the Inland Empire highway.

Toung's wife and her mother, alightly injured, walked a half mile to a farmhouse to summon aid.

Browne was cut and stunned.