

BRITISH SUBSIDY ON PACIFIC HELD EARLY PROSPECT

LONDON, May 28.—(UP)—The British imperial conference today shelved the topic of an Anglo-American trade treaty after hearing Walter Runciman discuss the present status of negotiations between Washington and London.

Runciman reportedly told the conference that Britain was anxious to conclude a treaty, not only to increase Anglo-American trade but also as a first step toward opening the channels of world commerce and a wider understanding between the two nations.

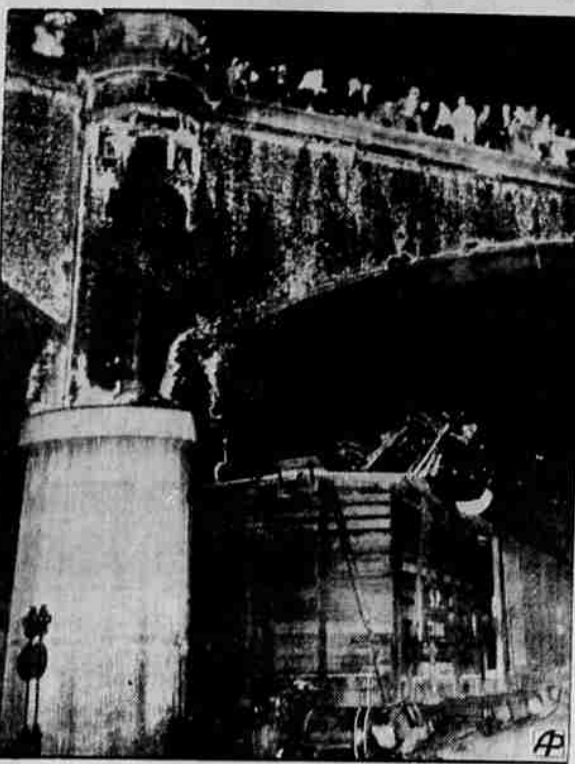
The Pacific shipping sub-committee of the conference met with the board of trade and continued discussions on the means of fighting subsidized U. S. shipping lines in the Pacific. Examination of costs of operating trans-Pacific liners both with and without subsidies was begun.

It was considered likely that the conference would recommend a substantial subsidy to British-owned lines.

The imperial shipping committee last December recommended a subsidy of \$7,500,000 jointly subscribed by Britain, Canada, Australia and New Zealand as a weapon against U. S. competition.

Plans were completed for a subsidized service operated by the Canadian-Australian company with two ships operating between Vancouver, San Francisco, Honolulu, Suva, Auckland, Sydney and Melbourne.

CAR PLUNGES FROM BRIDGE



Tearing away a section of stone balustrade on this Los Angeles river bridge, this automobile plunged 25 feet from the land upside down on a freight car, as shown here. But C. B. Flowers, the driver, escaped with minor injuries.

MOODY'S SERVICES CAUSE OF TANGLE

SALEM, Ore., May 28.—(AP)—Attorney General Van Winkle will continue to provide legal service to the "rapit" reconstruction commission but he cannot legally fill the request to assign Ralph E. Moody, his assistant.

The commission requested Moody's services, to be paid for by the commission's funds, in connection with acquiring the additional four blocks for capital purposes.

Moody left yesterday for Washington on capitol business.

LAY PLANE CRASH TO FAST TAKE-OFF

SANTA MARIA, Calif., May 28.—(UP)—A coroner's jury last night ascribed "a hurried and abrupt takeoff by the pilot" as the cause of a plane crash here in which two men and two women were killed.

The principal witness at the inquest was Herman C. Denner, manager of Hancock airport, who testified that the takeoff was "hurried and abrupt," causing the cabin plane to wobble and swerve as it rose into the air. He said the ascent was so slow it appeared for a time that the plane would not clear the hangar.

J. S. Marjott, inspector for the department of commerce, after inspecting the charred wreckage, returned to Los Angeles last night declaring he found no vital clue that would explain why the plane fell into an alfalfa field a few minutes after the takeoff for Los Angeles.

FINE WOOL DEAR, BUT MART QUIET

BOSTON, May 28.—(AP)—The Commercial Bulletin will say tomorrow:

"The wool market continues generally quiet, with little indication as yet from the piece goods market of the trend for the new season. Men's wear mills are waiting for the opening of tropical lines. Some government orders are affording a little more encouragement, especially to the knitting trade, although the new effect upon the market as a whole probably will be small.

"Operations in the west are few and for small quantities. Merchantable medium wools out of the middle west at 40 cents delivered for the better types seems to be the nearest to a stable market one can quote. Fine wools are held relatively dear.

"Foreign markets are dull and favoring the buyer.

"Mohair is slow but steady."

The Bulletin will publish the following quotations:

Scoured basis:

Oregon: fine and P. M. staple \$1.10; fine and P. M. clothing 93¢@94¢.

Mohair: Oregon, 63¢@67¢.

(Foreign prices in bond).

XMAS TURK POOL SETTLEMENT SOON

ROSEBURG, Ore., May 28.—(AP)—Final settlement on the Christmas pool of turkeys handled by the Oregon turkey growers will be made in a few days, according to word received here today from Salt Lake headquarters of the Northwestern Turkey Growers, marketing agency.

The amount of the payment was not stated, but the pool consisted of 1,595,110 pounds, of which all large turkeys were placed in storage. The pending payment is the third and last on the pool. Small pools in January and February were moved into storage and settlement has not yet been completed.

OSC STUDENT TO STUDY IN CHINA

CORVALLIS, May 27.—(AP)—Ithel R. Adlard, Salem, became today the fourth Oregon state college exchange student to spend his junior year at Lingnan university in China. A Lingnan student will take graduate work here next year.

Oregon State is one of 20 institutions in the country with such exchanges, the cost here being borne by the chapter of Phi Kappa Phi, national scholastic honor society.

OSCAR PLANS PUNCHBOARD WAR

PORTLAND, May 28.—(AP)—The city looked over the punch board trade today, authorizing its attorney to prepare an ordinance licensing and taxing such boards as may be legally operated. A merchants association asked for the ordinance on the grounds punchboards stimulated business.

Ask Seal Massage.

TILLAMOOK, May 28.—(AP)—Fishermen asked the chamber of commerce today to join them in their appeal to the government for permission to kill hundreds of seals which are destroying fish in Tillamook bay.

Closing time for Toot Late to Classy Ads is 1:30 p. m.

WINDSOR DENIED RIGHT OF ROYAL TITLE TO WALLIS

LONDON, Eng., May 28.—(AP)—Friends of the Duke of Windsor said today they had received a telephone message direct from Edward which informed them that he had lost his fight to obtain for Wallis Warfield the title, "Her Royal Highness."

An important announcement affecting the whole issue of the titles which the duke and his future wife will bear was expected shortly.

It was understood the announcement would take the form of letters patent. These are letters sent by the king to "all to whom these presents shall come," recording the grant of some dignity, appointment, monopoly or other privilege of the "patent."

These letters patent always are left unsealed and recorded in the patents rolls of the official record office, so the king's subjects may read them "and be bound by their contents."

An authority explained the letters may embody the monarch's own private decision to confer a distinction, or they may be, in effect, a "rubber stamp" for governmental decision.

CALIFORNIA OIL BRIBE QUIZ DUE

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 28.—(UP)—The California senate has called upon Attorney General U. S. Webb and district attorneys in the state to "investigate thoroughly and vigorously" every phase of accusations that bribery was involved in the handling of a tideland oil drilling bid in the lower house.

Discarding two resolutions proposing a legislative investigation, the senate acted unanimously on a compromise plan referring the insinuations to the attorney general and other law enforcement officials with the request that they take immediate action.

CHINESE SMOKER HAS THE JITTERS

PORTLAND, Ore., May 28.—(UP)—When United States Commissioner Kenneth Frazer said "In China they hook your head off for smoking opium," Sid Kew, ancient Chinese who had been caught in the act, broke into a profuse fit of trembling.

Commissioner Frazer, who had no intention that the celestial should be deprived of that important digit, was nonplussed.

It developed that Sid Kew, who speaks "velly" little English, thought that sentence was being passed on him. He seemed greatly relieved when it was brought home to him that he was "only" to be bound over to the federal grand jury under \$2500 bond.

Meteorological Report

May 28, 1937

Forecast:

Medford and vicinity: Unsettled tonight and Saturday. Not much change in temperature.

Oregon: Unsettled tonight and Saturday. Showers over mountains tonight. Cooler extreme east portion tonight. Moderate to fresh northwest wind off coast.

Temperature a year ago today: Highest, 67; lowest, 45.

Total monthly precipitation 1.68 inches; excess for month, 0.55 inch. Total precipitation since September 1, 1936, 14.94 inches; deficiency for season, 1.78 inches.

Relative humidity at 5 p. m. yesterday, 30 per cent; 5 a. m. today, 74 per cent.

Sunrise tomorrow, 4:39 a. m. Sunset tomorrow, 7:37 p. m.

Observations Taken at 5 A. M., 120th Meridian Time

CITY	High Temp	Low Temp	Wind	Weather
Boise	84	52		P. Cdy.
Boston	64	44	01	Cloudy
Chicago	68	50	T.	Cloudy
Denver	86	50	T.	Cloudy
Eureka	56	50		Cloudy
Helena	80	38		Clear
Los Angeles	74	56	T.	Cloudy
MEDFORD	81	52		Cloudy
New York	82	62	T.	Cloudy
Omaha	90	62		Clear
Phoenix	88	62		P. Cdy.
Portland	72	52		Cloudy
Reno	88	50		Clear
Roseburg	78	52	T.	Cloudy
Salt Lake City	82	52		Clear
San Francisco	72	50		Cloudy
Seattle	68	50		Cloudy
Spokane	76	58	T.	Cloudy
Washington, D.C.	90	66	1.34	Cloudy
Yakima	84	54		P. Cdy.

ACQUITTAL GIVEN OLD MURDER CASE

KELSO, Wash., May 28.—(UP)—Frank T. Hart, arrested in Columbus, S. C., and brought here to face trial for the death of Thomas Dorey, murdered 12 years ago, was found not guilty late yesterday after the jury had deliberated only 90 minutes.

The trial was a quick but sensational one, with both the state and the defense reaching into Walla Walla penitentiary for witnesses.

The state brought John W. Owens, serving 99 years on conviction of complicity in the murder, to testify that it was Hart who actually fired the fatal shot which killed Dorey during the course of a hold-up on the night of June 19, 1925. Hart denied this testimony in all details.

The defense produced Edward Bishop, serving a sentence for forg-

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